

House Bill 3116

Sponsored by Representative NOSSE

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Requires Department of Human Services, in collaboration with community developmental disabilities programs, to study and make recommendation for new funding structure for community developmental disabilities programs and report findings and recommendation to Legislative Assembly no later than December 31, 2022.

Sunset January 2, 2023.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1 Relating to community developmental disabilities programs; and declaring an emergency.

2 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

3 **SECTION 1.** (1) As used in this section, “community developmental disabilities
4 program” means a developmental disabilities program operated by a county in accordance
5 with ORS 430.620 and not by contract with a public agency or private corporation.

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7 (2) The Department of Human Services, in collaboration with community developmental
8 disabilities programs, shall conduct a study examining the existing funding structure for
9 community developmental disabilities programs and develop a recommendation for a more
10 equitable funding structure that takes into account, but is not limited to, the following:

11 (a) The need for culturally responsive, culturally specific and inclusive services;

12 (b) The language access needs of participants in the programs;

13 (c) Geographic differences;

14 (d) The cost of living; and

15 (e) Personnel and operations costs.

16 (3) No later than December 31, 2022, the department shall report to the Legislative As-
17 sembly, in the manner provided in ORS 192.245, the findings of the study and the recom-
18 mendation for a new funding structure described in subsection (2) of this section. The report
19 may also include:

20 (a) Additional costs under the new funding structure;

21 (b) Legislative changes necessary to implement the new funding structure; and

22 (c) Revisions to intergovernmental agreements necessary to implement the new funding
23 structure.

24 **SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2021 Act is repealed on January 2, 2023.

25 **SECTION 3.** This 2021 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
26 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2021 Act takes effect
27 on its passage.

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