

Senate Bill 655

Sponsored by Senator LINTHICUM (Pre-session filed.)

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 licensed health care provider to provide vaccine information packet to patient to whom licensed health care provider administers vaccine. Requires Oregon Health Authority to maintain website that provides specific vaccine information.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to ingredients in vaccines; and prescribing an effective date.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) Prior to administering a vaccine to a patient, a licensed health care**
5 **provider who is authorized to administer vaccines shall provide to a patient or, if the patient**
6 **is under 18 years of age, to the parent or legal guardian of the patient a packet containing**
7 **the vaccine information described in subsection (2) of this section.**

8 **(2) The Oregon Health Authority shall maintain a publicly available website that provides**
9 **access to the vaccine information data for all vaccinations required by Oregon law and**
10 **vaccinations commonly recommended by licensed health care providers. The website must**
11 **include, for each vaccination described in this subsection:**

12 **(a) The vaccine manufacturer's package insert;**

13 **(b) The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention vaccine excipient list;**

14 **(c) The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention vaccine information statement; and**

15 **(d) A list of any ingredients that are considered high priority chemicals by the authority**
16 **under ORS 431A.255.**

17 **(3) The authority shall include on the website described in subsection (2) of this section**
18 **access, for licensed health care providers who are authorized to administer vaccines, to a**
19 **printable vaccine information document that includes information regarding medical and**
20 **nonmedical exemptions to vaccination requirements.**

21 **(4) The authority may adopt rules necessary to carry out this section.**

22 **SECTION 2. (1) Section 1 of this 2021 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2022.**

23 **(2) The Oregon Health Authority may take any action before the operative date specified**
24 **in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary to enable the authority to exercise, on and**
25 **after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions**
26 **and powers conferred on the authority by section 1 of this 2021 Act.**

27 **SECTION 3. This 2021 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2021**
28 **regular session of the Eighty-first Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.