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## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Oregon State Capitol  
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### AGENDA

**Posted: FEB 01 03:30 PM**

#### TUESDAY

**Date: February 8, 2022**  
**Time: 1:00 P.M.**  
**Room: Remote D**

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#### Public Hearing

HB 4079 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Revenue

(1:00 pm) Establishes Oregon Freedom Pilot Program in Department of Human Services to provide monthly stipends to low-income families.

HB 4011 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(1:30 pm) Creates qualified mental health associate incentive program within Oregon Health Authority.

#### Work Session

HB 4013 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(2:00 pm) Directs Department of Education to establish pilot program in which certain school districts make one-time distributions to families of students to assist with unpaid rent, past-due utilities or move-in expenses.

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- HB 4111 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
(2:05 pm) Directs University of Oregon to conduct study on prevalence of child abuse in this state and to submit report regarding study to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to human services.
- HB 4122 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
(2:10 pm) Directs Department of Human Services to establish program to award grants to Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals status recipients for specified purposes.
- HB 4150  
(2:15 pm) Requires Health Information Technology Oversight Council to convene one or more groups of stakeholders and experts to explore options to accelerate, support and improve secure, statewide community information exchanges.
- HB 4012 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
(2:20 pm) Directs Department of Human Services to review child welfare service provider rate structure and submit report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly on or before February 28, 2023.
- HB 4088  
(2:25 pm) Requires Department of Human Services to develop plan, with advice from work group, to implement Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Restaurant Meals Program in Oregon and report plan to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to human services no later than September 1, 2022.
- HB 4117 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
(2:30 pm) Directs Department of Human Services to adopt by rule grant program to provide funding to culturally specific and responsive organizations, tribal governments and under-resourced rural community service organizations to conduct outreach regarding federal earned income tax credits and other tax benefits and to provide tax navigation and preparation services to low-income Oregonians.
- HB 4079 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Revenue  
(2:35 pm) Establishes Oregon Freedom Pilot Program in Department of Human Services to provide monthly stipends to low-income families.
- HB 4011 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
(2:40 pm) Creates qualified mental health associate incentive program within Oregon Health Authority.

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