

# Senate Bill 1574

Sponsored by Senator GELSER BLOUIN, Representatives PRUSAK, NOBLE; Senators PATTERSON, WAGNER, Representative KROPF (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**.

Includes in definition of sexual assault forensic evidence kit chart prepared by sexual assault nurse examiner for purposes of statutes regulating collection, testing and retention of kits.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to sexual assault forensic evidence kits; amending ORS 181A.323.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** ORS 181A.323 is amended to read:

5 181A.323. As used in ORS 181A.323 to 181A.328:

6 (1) "Anonymous kit" means a sexual assault forensic evidence kit collected from a victim who  
7 has not participated with a law enforcement agency in the creation of a report of the sexual assault.

8 (2) "Law enforcement agency" has the meaning given that term in ORS 133.741.

9 (3) "Medical facility" means a hospital, clinic, urgent care center or any other facility that is  
10 authorized to provide sexual assault medical assessments as described in ORS 147.395.

11 (4) "Sexual assault" means the commission of or the attempted commission of an offense de-  
12 scribed in ORS 163.355 to 163.427.

13 (5) "Sexual assault forensic evidence kit" means:

14 (a) Forensic evidence collected using an evidence collection kit during a sexual assault medical  
15 assessment as described in ORS 147.395; **and**

16 (b) **The chart prepared by the sexual assault nurse examiner, including examination**  
17 **notes.**

18 (6) "Victim" means a person from whom a sexual assault forensic evidence kit has been col-  
19 lected.

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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.