

HB 2608 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Behavioral Health and Health Care

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Sub-Referral To: Joint Committee On Ways and Means

Meeting Dates: 2/15

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Oregon Health Authority for specified expenses. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2023.

FISCAL: May have fiscal impact, but no statement yet issued.

REVENUE: May have revenue impact, but no statement yet issued.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Overseen by the nine-member citizen Oregon Health Policy Board, the Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) mission is to ensure all people and communities can achieve optimum physical, mental, and social well-being through partnerships, prevention, and access to quality, affordable health care. OHA includes most of the state's health care programs, including public health and the Oregon Health Plan, the state's Medicaid program.

House Bill 2608 would appropriate moneys from the General Fund to the Oregon Health Authority for specified expenses.