

House Bill 2542

Sponsored by Representative NOSSE; Senator PATTERSON (Presession 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**.

Directs Oregon Health Authority to establish accreditation program for substance use disorder treatment programs.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to substance use disorder treatment programs; and prescribing an effective date.

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

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Oregon Health Authority shall establish a program to accredit**
5 **treatment programs for substance use disorders, including opioid and opiate addiction, in**
6 **this state.**

7 **(2) The authority shall offer administrative and financial support to treatment programs**
8 **seeking accreditation.**

9 **(3) The authority may adopt rules to carry out this section.**

10 **SECTION 2. (1) Section 1 of this 2023 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2024.**

11 **(2) The Oregon Health Authority may take any action before the operative date specified**
12 **in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary to enable the authority to exercise, on and**
13 **after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions**
14 **and powers conferred on the authority by section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

15 **SECTION 3. This 2023 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2023**
16 **regular session of the Eighty-second 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.