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## Senate Bill 332

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## 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 Oregon Health Authority to study access to behavioral health treatment in rural and medically underserved areas of this state. Directs authority to submit findings to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to health not later than September 15, 2024. Sunsets January 2, 2025.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to behavioral health.

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

4 <u>SECTION 1.</u> The Oregon Health Authority shall study access to behavioral health treat-

5 ment in rural and medically underserved areas of this state. The authority shall submit a

6 report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legis-

7 lation, to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health no later than

8 September 15, 2024.

9 <u>SECTION 2.</u> Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2025.

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