House Bill 4150

Sponsored by Representatives OWENS, JAVADI; Representatives PHAM H, REYNOLDS, Senator STEINER (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. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability
standards.

Digest: The Act allows for some doctors or people like doctors to be told when a patient over-
doses on a drug. (Flesch Readability Score: 68.0).

Authorizes the Oregon Health Authority or a third party to provide electronic notification to
a practitioner in certain circumstances when the practitioner's patient has a fatal or nonfatal
overdose. Limits the use and retention of practitioner information.

Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

Sunsets January 1, 2028.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to prescription monitoring program; and prescribing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of this 2024 Act is added to and made a part of ORS 431A.855 to
431A.900.

SECTION 2. (1) The Oregon Health Authority, or a third party with whom the authority
has contracted, may use the health information technology system described in ORS 431A.865
(3) to notify a practitioner when the practitioner's patient has experienced a fatal or nonfatal
overdose within one year from the date on which a drug prescribed by the practitioner was
dispensed to the patient.

(2) The authority or a third party may only use practitioner information under subsection
(1) of this section to identify the practitioners of a patient who has overdosed and to provide
notification of the overdose to the practitioners.

(3) The authority or a third party may retain the practitioner information described in
subsection (2) of this section for no more than one year from the date the notice of overdose
is provided to a practitioner.

(4) Notwithstanding ORS 431A.865 (3)(a)(H), the authority or a third party may not pro-
vide the practitioner information used under subsection (2) of this section to a health pro-
fessional regulatory board for disciplinary purposes.

SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2024 Act is repealed on January 1, 2028.

SECTION 4. (1) Section 2 of this 2024 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2025.

(2) The Oregon Health Authority may take any action before the operative date specified
in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary for the authority to exercise, on and after
the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions and
powers conferred on the authority by section 2 of this 2024 Act.

SECTION 5. This 2024 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2024
regular session of the Eighty-second Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.

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.

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