

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Item 4: Oregon Health Authority State Opioid Response

To: Ways and Means Full Committee
From: Human Services Subcommittee
Carrier: Representative Valderrama

The Human Services Subcommittee heard a request from the Oregon Health Authority for retroactive approval to submit a federal grant application to support recovery housing for youth.

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration made supplemental funding available to states through the State Opioid Response program. The grant covers a single fiscal year beginning October 1, 2025. There is no state match or maintenance of effort required. The agency was notified of the funding opportunity on August 21, 2025, and the application was due by August 29, 2025. Fourth Dimension Recovery has been identified as the partner to provide integrated recovery housing with outpatient treatment and peer support, as well as the ability to sustain services following the end of the grant period.

The Human Services Subcommittee recommends that the Joint Interim Committee on Ways and Means retroactively approve the submission of a federal grant application by the Oregon Health Authority to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, in the amount of \$592,771, to develop or expand recovery housing for young adults with opioid and stimulant use disorders.