

House Bill 2942

Sponsored by Representative NELSON (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: Tells OHA and CCOs to pay pharmacists the same as health care providers for certain services related to HIV care. (Flesch Readability Score: 63.8).

Requires the Oregon Health Authority and coordinated care organizations to reimburse pharmacies and pharmacists in the same manner as other health care providers for certain services related to HIV treatment.

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

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to reimbursement of pharmacy services; amending ORS 414.764; and prescribing an effective
3 date.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 414.764 is amended to read:

6 414.764. (1) The Oregon Health Authority may reimburse a pharmacist or pharmacy for any
7 health service:

8 (a) Provided to a medical assistance recipient who is not enrolled in a coordinated care organ-
9 ization or a prepaid managed care health services organization;

10 (b) That is within the lawful scope of practice of a pharmacist; and

11 (c) If the authority determines the service is within the types and extent of health care and
12 services to be provided to medical assistance recipients under ORS 414.065.

13 (2) A coordinated care organization may reimburse a pharmacist or pharmacy for any health
14 service:

15 (a) Provided to a medical assistance recipient who is enrolled in the coordinated care organ-
16 ization or a prepaid managed care health services organization that enters into a clinical pharmacy
17 agreement with the pharmacist or pharmacy; and

18 (b) That is within the lawful scope of practice of a pharmacist.

19 **(3) The Oregon Health Authority and a coordinated care organization shall reimburse a**
20 **pharmacist or pharmacy, in the same manner as would be provided to any other health care**
21 **provider, for:**

22 **(a) The prescription, dispensation and administration of preexposure and post-exposure**
23 **prophylactic antiretroviral therapies pursuant to ORS 689.645 and 689.704; and**

24 **(b) The service provided by the pharmacist.**

25 **SECTION 2. This 2025 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2025**
26 **regular session of the Eighty-third 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.