

HB 2239-2
(LC 1174)
3/21/25 (RH/ps)

Requested by Representative NOSSE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2239**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 27 and delete page
2 2 and insert:

3 **“SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:**

4 **“(a) ‘Coordinated care organization’ has the meaning given that**
5 **term in ORS 414.025.**

6 **“(b) ‘Recovery residence’ means a residential dwelling that provides**
7 **primary housing for individuals who seek a cooperative living ar-**
8 **angement that supports personal recovery from a substance use dis-**
9 **order.**

10 **“(c) ‘Recovery residence certifying organization’ means a federally**
11 **recognized and endorsed, independent nonprofit organization, or a re-**
12 **cognized state affiliate of the organization, that develops and admin-**
13 **isters recovery residence certification programs that require minimum**
14 **quality and performance standards.**

15 **“(2) The Oregon Health Authority shall adopt minimum quality and**
16 **performance standards to certify recovery residences that contract**
17 **with the authority, a coordinated care organization or a county be-**
18 **havioral health department to provide housing supports to individuals**
19 **with substance use disorders. The standards must be aligned with the**
20 **standards of recovery residence certifying organizations.**

21 **“(3) The authority, a coordinated care organization or a county be-**

1 behavioral health department may contract with a recovery residence
2 only if the recovery residence has been certified by the authority or
3 by a recovery residence certifying organization.

4 “(4) If the authority, a coordinated care organization or a county
5 behavioral health department has documented evidence, including ev-
6 idence from a local government or law enforcement, that a contracted
7 recovery residence has engaged in fraud, the authority, coordinated
8 care organization or county behavioral health department shall report
9 the evidence to the Director of the Oregon Health Authority and to
10 an appropriate recovery residence certifying organization.

11 **“SECTION 2.** (1) Section 1 of this 2025 Act becomes operative on
12 **January 1, 2026.**

13 **“(2) The Oregon Health Authority may take any action before the**
14 **operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section that is neces-**
15 **sary to enable the authority to exercise, on and after the operative**
16 **date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, func-**
17 **tions and powers conferred on the authority by section 1 of this 2025**
18 **Act.**

19 “**SECTION 3.** This 2025 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
20 date on which the 2025 regular session of the Eighty-third Legislative
21 Assembly adjourns sine die.”.