## 74th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2007 Regular Session STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY House Committee on Human Services & Women's Wellness

**FISCAL:** No fiscal impact Action: Do Pass Vote: 7 - 0 - 0 Cowan, Gelser, Gilliam, Kotek, Maurer, Olson, Tomei Yeas: Navs: 0 Exc.: 0 **Prepared By:** Andy Smith, Administrator **Meeting Dates:** 5/2

**MEASURE:** 

**CARRIER:** 

SB 265 A

**Rep.** Maurer

## **REVENUE:** No revenue impact

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Directs the Department of Human Services to adopt rules requiring facilities providing mental health services to make annual reports to the department regarding the number of incidents involving restraints or seclusion. Adds new provisions to ORS 430.021. Requires that aggregate data be made available to the public.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Importance of collecting data
- Intent for provision to apply to hospitals proving care pending possible civil commitment
- Description of restraint and seclusion practices
- National trends in use of restraint and seclusion practices
- Effect on Department of Corrections and Oregon Youth Authority facilities

## EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Currently, health facilities that provide mental health services are not required to report the number of incidents involving the use of restraints or seclusion of patients receiving mental health services.