

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
Vote:	5 - 0 - 0
Yeas:	Carter, Gordly, Kruse, Courtney, Monnes Anderson
Nays:	0
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Meeting Dates:	3/12, 4/9, 4/17, 4/25

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires Department of Human Services (DHS) to develop a policy that supports and promotes self-determination. Requires that at least 20 percent of membership of all task forces, commissions, advisory groups and committees established by public body and relating to persons with mental health or addiction issues be consumers of mental health or addiction services.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Mental health services in Oregon
- Success of current Mental Health Consumer Advisory Council

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Establishes mental health Consumer Advisory Council to advise the director on the provision of mental health services. Deletes provision allowing members of the Consumer Advisory Council to be reimbursed for expenses and travel.

BACKGROUND: The Office of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OMHAS), in the Department of Human Services, is the state's primary agency for mental health and addiction treatment and prevention programs. OMHAS is responsible for planning and policy development for mental health, alcohol/drug and gambling addiction services, overseeing community services such as detoxification, residential treatment, outpatient counseling as well as prevention/education, quality assurance and licensing.