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SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 1089

By COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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1 On <u>page 1</u> of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 29.

2 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert:

"<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) During the 2007-2009 biennium, the Department of Human Services shall
 contract with a private entity or individual to conduct an assessment and evaluation of the
 community mental health care component of the mental health care delivery system in
 Oregon.

7 "(2) The assessment conducted under subsection (1) of this section shall include but is
8 not limited to:

9 "(a) An assessment, based on existing reports to the greatest extent possible, of the gap
10 between the number of Oregonians in need of community mental health care and the number
11 who receive community mental health care;

"(b) An assessment of the investment that the Department of Human Services, the Department of Corrections, the Judicial Department and local governments' human services and public safety systems make in both Medicaid and non-Medicaid community mental health care, including an examination of the amount spent on community mental health care, unreimbursed care and charity care; and

17 "(c) A catalog of the information that agencies and local governments use to evaluate the 18 performance of mental health organizations described in ORS 414.736 (4) and providers of 19 community mental health care, including:

"(A) The data collected and the performance measures and outcomes that are tracked
by each agency and local government; and

"(B) The ability of the data systems to collect data that is timely and to communicate efficiently.

"(3) The assessment conducted under subsection (2)(a) of this section must include a separate analysis of the gap between the demand for community mental health care by veterans returning from tours in Iraq, Afghanistan and other hostile fire areas and the community mental health care that is provided at United States Department of Veterans Affairs facilities.

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"(4) The evaluation conducted under subsection (1) of this section must contain:

"(a) An analysis of the strengths and weaknesses in the state community mental health
 care delivery system; and

32 "(b) An overview of future community mental health care delivery system needs, with 33 an emphasis on collaboration between agencies and systems to reduce demand for institu-34 tional care.

35 "(5) The Department of Human Services shall provide a written report, in accordance

1 with the provisions of ORS 192.235 to 192.245, to the Senate Interim Committee on Health

2 and Human Services and the House Interim Committee on Health Care no later than October

3 **1, 2008, of the results of:**

- 4 "(a) The assessment and evaluation conducted under subsection (1) of this 2008 Act;
- 5 "(b) The department's study of children's wrap-around services; and
- 6 "(c) The analysis of alcohol and drug treatment services that is currently underway by 7 the department in collaboration with the Department of Corrections.".
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