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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3300

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 13 through 24 and insert:

"SECTION 3. (1) The Public Employees' Benefit Board may not, di- $\mathbf{2}$ rectly or through a third party administrator, enter into or renew a 3 contract with a primary care physician, as defined in ORS 442.470, for 4 the payment or reimbursement of claims for services provided to eli- $\mathbf{5}$ gible employees or family members of eligible employees unless the 6 physician accepts patients who are recipients of medical assistance. A 7 physician is considered to accept patients who are recipients of med-8 ical assistance if: 9

"(a) The physician maintains a patient caseload with a percentage
 of medical assistance recipients greater than or equal to the percent age determined by the Oregon Health Authority under section 1 of this
 2015 Act for the county where the physician's main office is located;
 or

"(b) The physician is willing to accept a number of medical assistance patients equal to the number that would satisfy the requirement
of paragraph (a) of this subsection but is unable, despite due diligence,
to attract enough medical assistance patients to meet the requirement.

20 "(2) Prior to entering into or renewing a contract to provide ser-21 vices to eligible employees or family members enrolled in a benefit 22 plan offered by the board, the board or a third party administrator shall require a primary care physician to report, in the manner prescribed by the board, information necessary for the board to determine
if the physician meets the requirements of subsection (1) of this section.".

5 Delete lines 27 through 30 and delete <u>page 2</u> and insert:

"SECTION 5. (1) The Oregon Educators Benefit Board may not, di-6 rectly or through a third party administrator, enter into or renew a 7 contract with a primary care physician, as defined in ORS 442.470, for 8 the payment or reimbursement of claims for services provided to eli-9 gible employees or family members of eligible employees unless the 10 physician accepts patients who are recipients of medical assistance. A 11 physician is considered to accept patients who are recipients of med-12ical assistance if: 13

"(a) The physician maintains a patient caseload with a percentage
 of medical assistance recipients greater than or equal to the percent age determined by the Oregon Health Authority under section 1 of this
 2015 Act for the county where the physician's main office is located;
 or

"(b) The physician is willing to accept a number of medical assistance patients equal to the number that would satisfy the requirement of paragraph (a) of this subsection but is unable, despite due diligence, to attract enough medical assistance patients to meet the requirement.

"(2) Prior to entering into or renewing a contract to provide services to eligible employees or family members enrolled in a benefit plan offered by the board, the board or a third party administrator shall require a primary care physician to report, in the manner prescribed by the board, information necessary for the board to determine if the physician meets the requirements of subsection (1) of this section.". 1
