

Requested by Representative MITCHELL

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 1035**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 4 through 28.

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

3 **SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section and section 2 of this 2019**  
4 **Act:**

5 **“(a) ‘Care recipient’ means an individual who:**

6 **“(A) Has income below 400 percent of the federal poverty guidelines;**

7 **“(B) Does not qualify for medical assistance, as defined in ORS**  
8 **414.025; and**

9 **“(C)(i) Is 55 years of age or older and has a chronic illness or disa-**  
10 **bling condition that requires nursing facility level of care; or**

11 **“(ii) Is under 55 years of age and has been diagnosed with dementia.**

12 **“(b) ‘Unpaid caregiver’ means an individual who provides uncom-**  
13 **pensated in-home care to a care recipient and who is:**

14 **“(A) A family member of the care recipient; or**

15 **“(B) Another individual who is in a close relationship with the care**  
16 **recipient, as defined by the Department of Human Services by rule.**

17 **“(2) The Oregon Health Authority, in collaboration with the de-**  
18 **partment and based on the advice of the advisory committee convened**  
19 **under section 2 of this 2019 Act, shall:**

20 **“(a) Design a program for a limited benefit package to be provided**  
21 **to care recipients that includes:**

1       **“(A) Up to \$500 per month in supports or services such as care co-**  
2 **ordination, respite care, durable medical equipment or training and**  
3 **education for unpaid caregivers; and**

4       **“(B) Other supports and services necessary to preserve and enhance**  
5 **the quality of life of care recipients and to prevent or delay their need**  
6 **for more costly institutional or in-home and community-based care.**

7       **“(b) No later than June 30, 2020, apply for any necessary approval**  
8 **from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to secure federal**  
9 **financial participation in the cost of the limited benefit package de-**  
10 **signed under paragraph (a) of this subsection.**

11       **“(3) If a demonstration project under section 1115 of the Social Se-**  
12 **curity Act is necessary to secure federal financial participation in the**  
13 **cost of the limited benefit package and the authority deems it inad-**  
14 **visable to request an amendment to the demonstration project that is**  
15 **in effect on the effective date of this 2019 Act, the authority shall**  
16 **submit an application to operate a new demonstration project to allow**  
17 **the authority to offer the limited benefit package with the support of**  
18 **federal financing.**

19       **“(4) No later than December 31, 2020, the authority shall report to**  
20 **the Legislative Assembly, in the manner provided in ORS 192.245, on**  
21 **the status of any federal approval sought in accordance with sub-**  
22 **section (3) of this section and legislative changes, if any, that are**  
23 **necessary to offer the limited benefit package.”.**

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