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### AGENDA

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### TUESDAY

**Date:** April 6, 2021  
**Time:** 3:15 P.M.  
**Room:** Remote F

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#### **Public Hearing**

HB 3159

Requires health care provider and health insurer to collect from patient, client or member data on race, ethnicity, preferred spoken and written languages, disability status, sexual orientation and gender identity.

#### **Public Hearing and Possible Work Session**

HB 3231 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Establishes State Board of Sign Language Interpreters within Oregon Health Authority.

HB 3094

Requires insurers contracting with Public Employees' Benefit Board and Oregon Educators Benefit Board and coordinated care organizations contracting with Oregon Health Authority to

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enter into voluntary agreement with authority to take steps to achieve target percentage of all payments to providers being made using value-based payment methods.

**HB 3353**

Requires Oregon Health Authority to seek federal approval of amendment to state Medicaid demonstration project to permit coordinated care organizations to use portion of global budgets to improve health equity, improve overall health of community or enhance payments to providers who advance health equity or provide services improving overall health of community and to allow such expenditures to be counted as medical expenses for purposes of required medical loss ratio.

### **Work Session**

**HB 2362**

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4-1-2021 MEETING: Requires health care entities to obtain approval from Oregon Health Authority before any mergers, acquisitions or affiliations of entities that had \$25 million or more in net patient revenue in preceding three fiscal years or before mergers, acquisitions or affiliations that will result in one entity having increase in net patient revenue of \$1 million or more.

**HB 2164**

Directs office of the Governor to study laws related to health and provide results to interim committees of Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2022.

**HB 2046**

Removes or modifies certain references to federal law in laws concerning health insurance.

**HB 3352**

Renames Health Care for All Oregon Children program as Health Care for All Oregon program and expands eligibility to adults who would qualify for Medicaid-funded state medical assistance program or for federal premium tax credits but for their immigration status.

**HB 2376**

Requires health care provider who prescribes opioid to offer prescription for naloxone, or similar drug, and educational material under specified circumstances.

**HB 2958**

Allows pharmacist to prescribe and dispense preexposure prophylactic antiretroviral drug to patient after completion of patient assessment.

**HB 3108**

Requires individual and group health insurance policies, health care service contractors, multiple employer welfare arrangements and state medical assistance program to provide reimbursement for at least three primary care visits annually.

**HB 2541**

Provides that licensed optometrist may perform specified ophthalmic surgery procedures.

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- HB 2076 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Establishes Emergency Health Care Systems Program and Emergency Health Care System Advisory Board within Oregon Health Authority.
- HB 2622  
Requires hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to use smoke evacuation system during surgical procedures likely to generate surgical smoke.
- HB 2359  
Requires health care providers to work with health care interpreters from health care interpreter registry operated by Oregon Health Authority to provide interpretation services.
- HB 2528  
Directs Oregon Board of Dentistry to issue dental therapist license to qualified applicant.
- HB 2648  
Allows pharmacist or pharmacy technician to transfer drug containing pseudoephedrine without prescription to person who is at least 18 years of age and presents person's valid government-issued photo identification.
- HB 2517  
CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4-1-2021 MEETING: Requires coordinated care organizations to report specified information to Oregon Health Authority regarding requests for prior authorization.
- HB 2464  
CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4-1-2021 MEETING: Allows person employed by health care facility to practice surgical technology if person is enrolled in or has completed specified apprenticeship program.
- HB 2623  
CARRIED OVER FROM THE 4-1-2021 MEETING: Limits cost-sharing for health benefit plan coverage of insulin prescribed for treatment of diabetes.

*Note change: A work session for HB 3159 has been removed.*

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