

**SB 703 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Senate Committee On Human Services, Mental Health and Recovery**

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**Meeting Dates:** 3/16

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Requires annual report by January 31 pursuant to parameters adopted by the regulating agency, from caregiver registries, home health agencies, and in-home care agencies to the Department of Human Services (DHS); and from residential care facilities to the Oregon Health Authority (OHA). Direct DHS and OHA to adopt parameters that may be inspired by the Quality Measurement Council, that encourage quality without being overburdensome. Directs DHS and OHA to compile respective reports and publish specified information, along with information provided through the Residential Care Quality Measurement Program, that allows the public to compare subject entities . Defines terms. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:**