

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

HB 2086

Relating to individuals with behavioral health disorders

To: Ways and Means Full Committee
From: Human Services Subcommittee
Carrier: Representative Sanchez

HB 2086 requires the Oregon Health Authority to increase reimbursement rates for co-occurring disorder treatment, provide start-up funding for treatment programs that provide integrated co-occurring disorder treatment, and establish programs ensuring access to culturally specific and responsive services. The measure also requires OHA to study Medicaid rates for behavioral health services, adopt rules requiring coordinated care organizations to provide housing navigation services and address social determinates of health, collect data on intensive behavioral health services, and support a new Behavioral Health Committee charged with developing quality metrics and incentives to improve behavioral health services.

The measure appropriates \$10.6 million General Fund to support the increased reimbursement rates, provide start-up funding for treatment programs that provide integrated co-occurring disorder treatment, and support the data collection requirements related to intensive behavioral health services.

The Human Services Subcommittee recommends HB 2086 be amended by the -A6 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.