

## HB 3303 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

### House Committee On Early Childhood and Human Services

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**Action Date:** 04/03/23

**Action:** Do pass with amendments and be referred to Ways and Means. (Printed A-Eng.)

**Vote:** 7-3-0-0

**Yeas:** 7 - Andersen, Elmer, Hartman, Nelson, Neron, Nguyen H, Reynolds

**Nays:** 3 - Cramer, Hieb, Scharf

**Fiscal:** Fiscal impact issued

**Revenue:** No revenue impact

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**Meeting Dates:** 3/13, 4/3

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#### WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Establishes Community Information Exchange Board. Specifies board membership and definitions. Requires board to study community information exchanges (CIEs) and make recommendations on best practices. Requires board to refer to report from Health Information Technology Oversight Council and to appoint specified work groups. Requires Oregon Health Authority to evaluate CIEs and publish list of CIEs that align with board-identified best practices. Sunsets June 30, 2028.

#### ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Outcome of work group on community information exchanges
- Benefits of CIEs in provision of wraparound services and supports
- Growing role of technology in health care and social service sectors
- Fiscal implications of measure
- Data privacy and security

#### EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

Replaces Department of Administrative Services with Oregon Health Authority. Replaces definitions to include health care providers. Modifies directives for Community Information Exchange Board to make recommendations and convene work groups. Requires board to monitor outcomes and report to legislative committees annually.

#### BACKGROUND:

A "community information exchange" (CIE) is a network of health care and social service partners that uses a digital platform that allows authorized access to things like a shared resource directory, "closed loop" referrals, reporting, social needs screening, and other features designed to connect people to multiple supports and social services efficiently. House Bill 4150 (2022) directed the Health Information Technology Oversight Council within the Oregon Health Authority to convene a work group that made recommendations and produced a [report](#) on how the state could leverage CIEs to improve social and health outcomes. As part of its recommendations, the report advocated for establishing a statewide system of governance for CIEs.

House Bill 3303 A establishes the Community Information Exchange Board that would study and make recommendations on CIEs and requires the Oregon Health Authority to publish a list of CIEs that align with best practices based on the recommendations of the board.