SB 283 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Health Care

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Meeting Dates: 3/18, 4/8

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

The measure directs the Oregon Health Authority to study health care workforce and submit a report to the Legislative Assembly by September 15, 2026. Sunsets January 2, 2027.

Fiscal impact: May have fiscal impact, but no statement yet issued

Revenue impact: May have revenue impact, but no statement yet issued

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) Health Care Workforce Reporting Program was created to collaborate with health profession licensing boards to collect health care workforce data via their licensing renewal process to understand Oregon's health care workforce, inform public and private educational and workforce investments, and inform policy recommendations regarding Oregon's health care workforce. The most recent <u>Licensed Health</u> Care Workforce Supply report was published in 2024.

Senate Bill 283 directs the Oregon Health Authority to study the health care workforce and submit a report to the Legislative Assembly.