FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION



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Bill Title: Relating to family medicine residency training programs.

Government Unit(s) Affected: Higher Education Coordinating Commission, Oregon Health and Science University

Summary of Fiscal Impact

| 2025-27 Biennium | General Fund | Lottery Funds | Other Funds | Federal Funds | Total Funds | Positions | FTE |
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| Higher Education Coordinating | | | | | | | |
| Commission | \$ 1,500,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 1,500,000 | - | - |
| Total Fiscal Impact | \$ 1,500,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 1,500,000 | - | - |

| 2027-29 Biennium | General Fund | Lottery Funds | Other Funds | Federal Funds | Total Funds | Positions | FTE |
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| Higher Education Coordinating | | | | | | | |
| Commission | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - |
| Total Fiscal Impact | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | - | - |

Measure Description

The measure includes a one-time appropriation of \$1.5 million General Fund to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) in the 2025-27 biennium to distribute moneys to the Area Health Education Center program of Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU) for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of SB 490 (2023).

Fiscal Analysis

The fiscal impact of the measure is \$1.5 million General Fund in the 2025-27 biennium. Through the passage of SB 490, the Legislative Assembly appropriated \$1.5 million to HECC in the 2023-25 biennium to distribute to the Area Health Education Center at OHSU to support the Oregon Academy of Family Physicians. The measure provides continued funding for the academy in the 2025-27 biennium.

The measure requires HECC to make a one-time transfer \$1.5 million to the Area Health Education Center program at OHSU to support the Oregon Academy of Family Physicians in promoting family medicine residency training programs; increasing training for residents in maternal and reproductive health care; and developing programming for family medicine residency training program directors, faculty, and residents. The center may spend up to 5% of the total funding on administrative costs, per SB 490. HECC will not require any additional budgetary resources to make this transfer.

Relevant Dates

The measure takes effect on January 1, 2026. Therefore, the General Fund appropriation in the measure will not become available until January 1, 2026.

Measure: SB 443