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Bill Title: Relating to ibogaine.

Government Unit(s) Affected: Oregon Health Authority, Department of Veterans' Affairs

Summary of Fiscal Impact

2025-27 Biennium	General Fund	Lottery Funds	Other Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Positions	FTE
Oregon Health Authority	\$ 369,819	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 369,819	2	1.50
Department of Veterans Affairs	\$ 244,802	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 244,802	1	0.88
Total Fiscal Impact	\$ 614,621	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 614,621	3	2.38
2027-29 Biennium	General Fund	Lottery Funds	Other Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds	Positions	FTE
Oregon Health Authority	\$ 489,264	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 489,264	2	2.00
Department of Veterans Affairs	\$ 267,331	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 267,331	1	1.00
Total Fiscal Impact	\$ 756,595	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 756,595	3	3.00

Measure Description

The measure directs the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) and the Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs (ODVA) to study the consumption of ibogaine to treat individuals who have a post-traumatic stress disorder, a major depressive disorder, anxiety, or a substance use disorder. OHA and ODVA must submit their findings to the legislature by September 15, 2029. The measure is effective January 1, 2026, and is repealed on January 2, 2030.

Fiscal Analysis

The fiscal impact of the measure is \$614,621 General Fund and three positions 2.38 FTE in 2025-27. Costs increase to \$756,595 General Fund and three positions due to the positions increasing to 3.00 FTE.

Oregon Health Authority

The 2025-27 fiscal impact of the measure on OHA is \$369,819 General Fund which is the estimated cost for two limited duration positions including personal services and position-related services and supplies costs. The positions will coordinate the work of the study for OHA. An Operations and Policy Analyst 3 position is proposed to research and conduct policy analysis on recommendations as well as draft the final report and one Research Analyst 2 position to review scientific literature, conduct qualitative interviews and compile data. Costs increase to \$489,264 General Fund in 2027-29 as the positions increase to 2.00 FTE.

Department of Veteran's Affairs

The 2025-27 fiscal impact of the measure on ODVA is \$244,802 General Fund which is the estimated cost for one limited duration full-time Program Analyst 3 position, including personal services and position-related services and supplies costs. This position will assist OHA with conducting research and compiling the report. ODVA notes that medical care of veterans is managed by the USDVA Veterans Health Authority, a federal agency, and ODVA cannot advocate for medical treatment with the USDVA Veterans Health Authority. Any recommendations on care would need to be exclusive of the care provided by the USDVA Veterans Health Authority. Costs increase to \$267,331 General Fund in 2027-29 as the position increases to 1.00 FTE.

Relevant Dates

The measure takes effect on January 1, 2026, and is repealed on January 2, 2030.

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