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To: Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee
From: MaryMichelle Sosne, Legislative Fiscal Office
Date: May 28, 2025
Subject: SB 230 – Relating to the Veterans Dental Program
Work Session Recommendations

The Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) Veteran's Dental Program began providing services on January 1, 2023. Approximately 3,600 veterans are currently enrolled, with OHA reporting an average monthly enrollment increase of 4%. The program is designed to fill dental coverage gaps for veterans who do not qualify for the Oregon Health Plan or the federal Veterans Affairs dental program. The measure requires providers to complete an initial intake screening within 60 days of the enrollee's first contact. OHA expects to incorporate this change into the program requirements without any additional costs.

Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that SB 230 be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

MOTION: I move SB 230 to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation. *(vote)*

Carriers

Full Committee:

House Floor:

Senate Floor: