

# SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

## HB 2005

### Relating to behavioral health

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To: Ways and Means Full Committee  
From: Capital Construction Subcommittee  
Carrier: Senator Lieber

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HB 2005 modifies the circumstances when an individual with a mental illness may be detained and committed to the Oregon Health Authority for involuntary treatment.

The measure modifies several definitions related to civil and criminal involuntary hospitalizations and treatment for mental health and the circumstances and timeframes a defendant may be committed to the custody of a state mental hospital if a court deems the defendant lacks fitness to proceed in a court hearing.

The amendment includes a General Fund appropriation of \$5.4 million to OHA for payments made to community mental health programs regarding civil commitments and a General Fund appropriation of \$1.1 million to the Public Defense Commission to provide public defense to financially eligible persons.

The Capital Construction Subcommittee recommends HB 2005 be amended by the –A5 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.