

Open Government Impact Statement

Measure: SB 909

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SUMMARY

Digest: The Act expands services for children with complex needs. (Flesch Readability Score: 75.5).

Directs the Oregon Health Authority to provide flexible and innovative home and community-based services and supports through the medical assistance program to children and youth that have a serious emotional disturbance. Directs the authority and the Department of Human Services to disregard parental income when determining a child's eligibility for medical assistance if the child has a physical disability or chronic illness that requires a hospital or nursing home level of care or the child meets the level of care criteria for admission to a facility providing psychiatric services to individuals under 21 years of age. Directs the authority or the department to notify the parents of a child found eligible for medical assistance based on a disregard of parental income that the disregard constitutes parental consent for an education provider to be notified that the child receives medical assistance and to bill for the cost of school-based health services. Directs the authority to seek any necessary federal approval.

Declares an emergency, effective on passage.

NOTICE OF <u>NO OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT</u>