

B-Engrossed House Bill 3064

Ordered by the House June 19
Including House Amendments dated March 4 and June 19

Sponsored by Representative BOSHART DAVIS, Senator SOLLMAN, Representatives LEVY E, ELMER, GRAYBER, NERON; Representatives DRAZAN, JAVADI, LEVY B, MCDONALD, MCINTIRE, MUNOZ, NELSON, NGUYEN H, RESCHKE, Senator WEBER (Presession filed.)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: Tells some health insurers, OEBB and PEBB to cover care for menopause symptoms. (Flesch Readability Score: 69.9).

Requires certain health insurers, the Oregon Educators Benefit Board and the Public Employees' Benefit Board to cover treatment for perimenopause, menopause and postmenopause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to health care coverage beginning at perimenopause; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 243.144 and 243.877.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2025 Act is added to and made a part of the Insurance Code.

SECTION 2. (1) All health benefit plans, as defined in ORS 743B.005, shall include coverage of the treatment of perimenopause, menopause and postmenopause, including but not limited to the following:

(a) Hormone therapy including combination estrogen and hormone medicines, combination estrogen and progesterone medicines and estrogen-only medicines;

(b) SSRIs and SNRIs;

(c) Vaginal estrogen;

(d) Medications to prevent or treat osteoporosis;

(e) Neurokinin B antagonists;

(f) Topical hormone therapy; and

(g) Bioidentical hormones.

(2) The coverage required in this section is limited to drugs that have been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration.

(3) This section is exempt from ORS 743A.001.

SECTION 3. ORS 243.144, as amended by section 9, chapter 17, Oregon Laws 2024, is amended to read:

243.144. Benefit plans offered by the Public Employees' Benefit Board that reimburse the cost of medical and other health services and supplies must comply with the requirements for health benefit plan coverage described in:

(1) ORS 743A.058;

(2) ORS 743A.140;

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

- (3) ORS 743A.141;
- (4) ORS 743B.256;
- (5) ORS 743B.287 (4);
- (6) ORS 743B.420;
- (7) ORS 743B.423;
- (8) ORS 743B.601;
- (9) ORS 743B.810;
- (10) ORS 743A.325; *[and]*
- (11) ORS 743A.051 (2)(c)[.]; **and**
- (12) Section 2 of this 2025 Act.**

SECTION 4. ORS 243.144, as amended by sections 9 and 10, chapter 17, Oregon Laws 2024, is amended to read:

243.144. Benefit plans offered by the Public Employees' Benefit Board that reimburse the cost of medical and other health services and supplies must comply with the requirements for health benefit plan coverage described in:

- (1) ORS 743A.058;
- (2) ORS 743A.140;
- (3) ORS 743A.141;
- (4) ORS 743B.256;
- (5) ORS 743B.287 (4);
- (6) ORS 743B.420;
- (7) ORS 743B.423;
- (8) ORS 743B.601;
- (9) ORS 743B.810; *[and]*
- (10) ORS 743A.325[.]; **and**
- (11) Section 2 of this 2025 Act.**

SECTION 5. ORS 243.877, as amended by section 11, chapter 17, Oregon Laws 2024, is amended to read:

243.877. Benefit plans offered by the Oregon Educators Benefit Board that reimburse the cost of medical and other health services and supplies must comply with the requirements for health benefit plan coverage described in:

- (1) ORS 743A.058;
- (2) ORS 743A.140;
- (3) ORS 743A.141;
- (4) ORS 743B.256;
- (5) ORS 743B.287 (4);
- (6) ORS 743B.420;
- (7) ORS 743B.423;
- (8) ORS 743B.601;
- (9) ORS 743B.810;
- (10) ORS 743A.325; *[and]*
- (11) ORS 743A.051 (2)(c)[.]; **and**
- (12) Section 2 of this 2025 Act.**

SECTION 6. ORS 243.877, as amended by sections 11 and 12, chapter 17, Oregon Laws 2024, is amended to read:

243.877. Benefit plans offered by the Oregon Educators Benefit Board that reimburse the cost of medical and other health services and supplies must comply with the requirements for health benefit plan coverage described in:

- (1) ORS 743A.058;
- (2) ORS 743A.140;
- (3) ORS 743A.141;
- (4) ORS 743B.256;
- (5) ORS 743B.287 (4);
- (6) ORS 743B.420;
- (7) ORS 743B.423;
- (8) ORS 743B.601;
- (9) ORS 743B.810; *[and]*
- (10) ORS 743A.325[.]; **and**
- (11) **Section 2 of this 2025 Act.**

SECTION 7. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on expenditures established by section 7, chapter __, Oregon Laws 2025 (Enrolled House Bill 5025), for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses by the Public Employees' Benefit Board from the Public Employees' Revolving Fund for benefit plan premiums and self-insurance, is increased by \$1,109,179 for perimenopause, menopause and postmenopause health insurance benefit coverage.

SECTION 8. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on expenditures established by section 8, chapter __, Oregon Laws 2025 (Enrolled House Bill 5025), for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses by the Oregon Educators Benefit Board from the Oregon Educators Revolving Fund for benefit plan premiums and self-insurance, is increased by \$291,077 for perimenopause, menopause and postmenopause health insurance benefit coverage.

SECTION 9. (1) Section 2 of this 2025 Act applies to health benefit plans and health care service contracts issued, renewed or extended on or after January 1, 2026.

(2) The amendments to ORS 243.144 and 243.877 by sections 3 to 6 of this 2025 Act apply to health benefit plans offered by the Public Employees' Benefit Board or the Oregon Educators Benefit Board that are issued, renewed or extended on or after January 1, 2026, and for self-insured health benefit plans in effect for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026.