

Senate Bill 824

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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 **as introduced**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: Tells DCBS to study the impact of federal laws about health insurance on state laws. (Flesch Readability Score: 61.8).

Requires the Department of Consumer and Business Services to study federal laws and regulations affecting health insurance and evolving conditions in the insurance market that require periodic updates to state laws. Directs the department to submit findings to the interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health care not later than September 15, 2026.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to health insurance.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The Department of Consumer and Business Services shall study federal laws**
5 **and regulations affecting health insurance and evolving conditions in the insurance market**
6 **that require periodic updates to state laws. The department shall submit a report in the**
7 **manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may include recommendations for legislation, to the**
8 **interim committees of the Legislative Assembly related to health care no later than Sep-**
9 **tember 15, 2026.**

10 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2025 Act is repealed on January 2, 2027.**
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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.