

Senate Bill 911

Sponsored by Senator GELSER BLOUIN

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: The Act directs DHS to adopt a method of payment for foster child transition supports. (Flesch Readability Score: 61.8).

Requires the Department of Human Services to adopt a methodology for payments made to providers of independent living transition services provided to foster children.

Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to independent living transition services; and prescribing an effective date.

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

4 **SECTION 1. The Department of Human Services shall prescribe by rule a uniform pay-**
5 **ment methodology for providers of independent living program transition services for foster**
6 **children that:**

7 (1) **Takes into consideration the number of hours a provider spends providing in-person**
8 **services;**

9 (2) **Takes into consideration the amount of time a provider spends on outreach to foster**
10 **children who are difficult to reach, including time locating and communicating with foster**
11 **children and encouraging foster children to enroll in transition services; and**

12 (3) **Ensures adequate capacity to provide services, based on the average monthly popu-**
13 **lation served over the prior 12 months, to ensure that staff is not lost during participation**
14 **fluctuations.**

15 **SECTION 2. This 2025 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2025**
16 **regular session of the Eighty-third Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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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.