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Requested by Senator PATTERSON

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 451

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 5 through 26 and insert:

2 **"SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

"(a)(A) 'Cervical cancer screening' means health care services or products provided to an individual without apparent symptoms of an illness, injury or disease as recommended by the United States Preventive Services Task Force as Grade A or B or as recommended by the Health Resources and Services Administration's guidelines, for the purpose of detecting the presence of cervical cancer or precancerous lesions.

"(B) 'Cervical cancer screening' does not include services that occur
primarily for the treatment of diagnosed cervical cancer.

"(b)(A) 'Follow-up examination' means additional cervical cancer
examinations used to evaluate an abnormality seen or suspected by a
cervical cancer screening.

"(B) 'Follow-up examination' does not include services that occur
primarily for the treatment of diagnosed cervical cancer.

"(2) Except as provided in ORS 742.008, a carrier offering a group health benefit plan or an individual health benefit plan in this state that reimburses the cost of cervical cancer screenings may not impose deductibles, coinsurance, copayments or other out-of-pocket costs on the coverage of medically necessary: 1 "(a) Cervical cancer screenings; and

"(b) Follow-up examinations, regardless of whether different samples from the prior cervical cancer screening are used or the follow-up examination is performed on a different date than the cervical cancer screening. Follow-up examinations include human papillomavirus examinations with typing, cytology, dual stain or colposcopy with biopsy.".

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