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Requested by Representative JAVADI

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3326

In line 2 of the printed bill, after "seniors" insert "; and prescribing an effective date".

3 Delete lines 4 through 8 and insert:

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

5 "(a) 'Coordinated care organization' has the meaning given that 6 term in ORS 414.025.

"(b) 'Dental care organization' means a prepaid managed care
health services organization, as defined in ORS 414.025, that provides
dental care to members of a coordinated care organization.

"(c) 'Medical assistance' has the meaning given that term in ORS
414.025.

"(2) The Seniors Emergency Dental Program is established in the
 Oregon Health Authority to provide emergency dental services to eli gible seniors.

15 "(3) The authority shall contract with dental care organizations 16 throughout this state and with individual health care providers in 17 areas of this state that are not served by dental care organizations to 18 provide the following emergency dental services to eligible seniors 19 without any corresponding copayments, deductibles or cost sharing 20 required:

21 "(a) Emergency extractions;

- 1 "(b) Limited oral evaluation; and
- "(c) Necessary X-ray services, including periapical, bitewing, pano ramic and cone beam.

4 "(4) An individual is eligible for the Seniors Emergency Dental
5 Program if the individual:

6 "(a) Is at least 65 years of age;

7 "(b) Is ineligible for medical assistance; and

8 "(c) Has income that is at or below 400 percent of the federal pov9 erty guidelines.

"(5) The authority may adopt any rules necessary to carry out the
 provisions of this section.

"SECTION 2. (1) Section 1 of this 2025 Act becomes operative on
 January 1, 2026.

"(2) The Oregon Health Authority may take any action before the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary to enable the authority to exercise, on and after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions and powers conferred on the authority by section 1 of this 2025 Act.

"<u>SECTION 3.</u> This 2025 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
 date on which the 2025 regular session of the Eighty-third Legislative
 Assembly adjourns sine die.".

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