

Submitter: David Wall
On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon OPPOSES SB 1039
Committee: Senate Committee On Early Childhood and Behavioral Health
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1039

I OPPOSE [SB 1039].

From the Text of [SB 1039], "...SECTION 1. (1) There is created the Oregon Perinatal Collaborative in the Oregon Health and Science University. (2) The responsibilities of the Oregon Perinatal Collaborative shall include: (a) Coordinating statewide efforts for quality improvement in maternal and childhood health; and (b) Developing policy recommendations to further maternal and childhood health. SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Oregon Health Authority, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$1,500,000, for distribution to the Oregon Health and Science University for carrying out section 1 of this 2025 Act"

[SB 1039]'s initial GENERAL FUND allocation of [\$1,500,000] will undoubtedly grow every year after FY2025-2026.

[SB 1039] requires more information and scope of the program.

[SB 1039] as written is unfortunately, unacceptable.

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