

HB 2387: Oregon Psilocybin Services Program Improvement Bill

Strengthening Access to an Innovative Mental Health Tool

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A black and white photograph of a person walking away from the camera on a wooden staircase in a forest. The person is wearing a jacket and dark pants. The staircase is made of wooden planks and has a wooden railing on the left side. The forest is dense with trees and ferns. The lighting is soft, suggesting a misty or overcast day.

OUR MISSION

Healing Advocacy Fund is a 501c3 non-profit organization. We expand and protect safe, affordable state-regulated access to psychedelic healing for all who need it.





Psilocybin Therapy is Health Care

OREGON IN 2025:

Oregon has one of the **highest prevalence** rates of mental illness and lowest rates of access to mental health care in the country

Existing treatments don't work for everyone

Oregon's psilocybin model offers a new tool for healing, backed by research



PSILOCYBIN RESEARCH

Rigorous studies at the leading medical research institutions such as Johns Hopkins, UCLA, University of Alabama and NYU show that psilocybin provides real promise for those suffering from depression, end-of-life anxiety and addiction.

The FDA recently granted it a “breakthrough therapy” designation—meaning that it may demonstrate substantial improvement above and beyond what’s currently available.



OREGON PROGRAM FRAMEWORK

YES

NO

Trained & Licensed Facilitators, Service Centers, Labs, etc	No retail sales
Product Tracking System	Youth Access (clients must be 21+)
Access to Psilocybin Therapy at a Regulated Center	Locating within 1,000 ft of schools
Safety and Support Plans	No offsite consumption
System of Accountability	Dual licensure or services in healthcare settings



OREGON PROGRAM: THREE-STEP MODEL OF PSILOCYBIN THERAPY



1: PREPARATION

Intake and screening. Clients match with a psilocybin facilitator based on individual needs and fit. Client and facilitator meet to explain the process, incorporate participant goals and develop an individualized safety plan.

2: ADMINISTRATION

Psilocybin is administered at a licensed service center by a trained facilitator, who oversees the session and supports the participant throughout.

3: INTEGRATION

Participant meets with their facilitator to integrate insights and learnings from the psilocybin experience into daily life, and to plan for further support.



OREGON BY THE NUMBERS

30

*Licensed service
centers across
the state*

340+

*Licensed and
trained
facilitators*

10,000+

*Clients served by
Spring 2025*



HB 2387: Strengthening the Program

- + Legal protections for healthcare professionals
- + Dual Licensure
- + Changes to the OPAB
- + Confidentiality for complaints
- + Stronger labeling and disclosure



Why This Matters

Oregon's psilocybin therapy program has impacted thousands of lives, and continues to show promising results. **With the passage of HB 2387, Oregon can become a National leader with a gold standard for state-regulated psilocybin therapy – an innovative mental health tool.**



THANK YOU

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