

SB 1570-2
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Requested by Senator PATTERSON

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 1570**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after “facilities” insert “; creating new pro-
2 visions; and amending ORS 441.030”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 8 and insert:

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

5 **“(a) ‘Federal immigration authority’ has the meaning given that
6 term in ORS 180.805.**

7 **“(b) ‘Hospital’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 442.015.**

8 **“(c) ‘Immigration enforcement’ has the meaning given that term
9 in ORS 181A.822.**

10 **“(d) ‘Individually identifiable health information’ has the meaning
11 given that term in ORS 192.556.**

12 **“(e) ‘Information concerning a person’s citizenship or immigration
13 status’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 180.805.**

14 **“(2)(a) A hospital may not allow a federal immigration authority to
15 enter or access an area of the hospital that is not open to the public,
16 except:**

17 **“(A) As required by state or federal law;**

18 **“(B) As required by an order of a court of competent jurisdiction,
19 including a judicial warrant; or**

20 **“(C) To accompany a patient whom the federal immigration au-
21 thority brings to the hospital for purposes of receiving medical care**

1 or treatment.

2 **(b) For purposes of this subsection, a hospital shall designate**
3 **which areas of the hospital are not open to the public. Areas desig-**
4 **nated as not open to the public must include any area where:**

5 **“(A) Entry or access to the area is controlled; or**

6 **“(B) A patient receives or is receiving patient care or treatment.**

7 **“(3) A hospital may not allow a federal immigration authority to**
8 **monitor or document any person who is at the hospital, except:**

9 **“(a) As required by state or federal law;**

10 **“(b) As required by an order of a court of competent jurisdiction,**
11 **including a judicial warrant; or**

12 **“(c) For a patient whom the federal immigration authority brings**
13 **to the hospital for purposes of receiving medical care or treatment.**

14 **“(4) A hospital may not disclose to a federal immigration authority**
15 **or for the purpose of immigration enforcement individually identifiable**
16 **health information or information concerning a person’s citizenship**
17 **or immigration status unless disclosure is required by:**

18 **“(a) State or federal law; or**

19 **“(b) An order of a court of competent jurisdiction, including a ju-**
20 **dicial warrant.**

21 **“(5) A hospital shall adopt and maintain written policies and pro-**
22 **cedures to carry out the requirements of this section. The policies and**
23 **procedures must:**

24 **“(a) Address how the hospital will respond if a federal immigration**
25 **authority arrives at the hospital;**

26 **“(b) Identify for the hospital at least one administrator in a super-**
27 **visory role who is designated to respond when a federal immigration**
28 **authority arrives at the hospital;**

29 **“(c) Require that any response to a federal immigration authority**
30 **by the hospital includes:**

1 “(A) Recording the time and location of the presence;
2 “(B) Consulting with legal counsel, when feasible;
3 “(C) Verifying the credentials and purpose of the federal immi-
4 gration authority, including determining if access is sought under a
5 court order or judicial warrant;
6 “(D) A process for verifying the validity of any court order or judi-
7 cial warrant involving immigration enforcement; and
8 “(E) Responding to any court order or judicial warrant; and
9 “(d) Provide for the monitoring of any federal immigration author-
10 ity who arrives at the hospital.

11 “(6) A hospital that makes reasonable efforts to comply with sub-
12 sections (2) to (4) of this section is not liable for any loss or injury that
13 is caused by or arising from a federal immigration authority who:

14 “(a) Enters or accesses an area of the hospital that is not open to
15 the public;
16 “(b) Monitors or documents a person who is at the hospital; or
17 “(c) Obtains individually identifiable health information or infor-
18 mation concerning a person’s citizenship or immigration status.

19 “**SECTION 2.** (1) As used in this section, ‘hospital’ has the meaning
20 given that term in ORS 442.015.

21 “(2)(a) A hospital shall post a notice that:

22 “(A) Summarizes the rights guaranteed to individuals under the
23 United States Constitution and federal immigration enforcement laws.

24 “(B) Includes information on available immigration legal services,
25 including information on a universal navigation and support system
26 under ORS 9.860, immigration legal services that are available through
27 a universal representation program under ORS 9.860, and the Legal
28 Services Program established under ORS 9.572.

29 “(b) The notice must be posted in a location where employment-
30 related notices are customarily displayed.

1 **“(3) A hospital may not retaliate or otherwise take adverse action**
2 **against any worker of the hospital for providing a patient with:**

3 **“(a) Information regarding the guaranteed rights of individuals**
4 **under the United States Constitution and federal immigration**
5 **enforcement laws.**

6 **“(b) Information on available immigration legal services, including**
7 **information on a universal navigation and support system under ORS**
8 **9.860, immigration legal services that are available through a universal**
9 **representation program under ORS 9.860, and the Legal Services Pro-**
10 **gram established under ORS 9.572.**

11 **“SECTION 3. ORS 441.030 is amended to read:**

12 “441.030. (1) The Oregon Health Authority or the Department of Human
13 Services may assess a civil penalty and, pursuant to ORS 479.215, shall deny,
14 suspend or revoke a license, in any case where the State Fire Marshal, or
15 the representative of the State Fire Marshal, certifies that there is a failure
16 to comply with all applicable laws, lawful ordinances and rules relating to
17 safety from fire.

18 “(2) The authority may:

19 “(a) Assess a civil penalty or deny, suspend or revoke a license of a health
20 care facility other than a long term care facility in any case where it finds
21 that there has been a substantial failure to comply with ORS 441.015 to
22 441.119 and 441.993 or the rules or minimum standards adopted under ORS
23 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993.

24 “(b) Assess a civil penalty or suspend or revoke a license issued under
25 ORS 441.025 for failure to comply with an authority order arising from a
26 health care facility’s substantial lack of compliance with the provisions of
27 ORS 441.015 to 441.119, 441.761 to 441.795 or 441.993 or the rules adopted
28 under ORS 441.015 to 441.119, 441.761 to 441.795 or 441.993.

29 “(c) Suspend or revoke a license issued under ORS 441.025 for failure to
30 pay a civil penalty imposed under ORS 441.793.

1 **“(d) Deny, suspend or revoke a license of a hospital, in any case**
2 **where it finds that there has been a substantial failure to comply with**
3 **section 1 or 2 of this 2026 Act.**

4 “(3) The department may:

5 “(a) Assess a civil penalty or deny, suspend or revoke a long term care
6 facility’s license in any case where it finds that there has been a substantial
7 failure to comply with ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993 or the rules or
8 minimum standards adopted under ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993.

9 “(b) Assess a civil penalty or suspend or revoke a long term care facility’s
10 license issued under ORS 441.025 for failure to comply with a department
11 order arising from a long term care facility’s substantial lack of compliance
12 with the provisions of ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993 or the rules adopted
13 under ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993.

14 “(c) Suspend or revoke a license issued under ORS 441.025 for failure to
15 pay a civil penalty imposed under ORS 441.710.

16 “(d) Order a long term care facility licensed under ORS 441.025 to restrict
17 the admission of patients when the department finds an immediate threat to
18 patient health and safety arising from failure of the long term care facility
19 to be in compliance with ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993 and the rules
20 adopted under ORS 441.015 to 441.119 and 441.993.

21 “(4) Any long term care facility that has been ordered to restrict the ad-
22 mission of patients pursuant to subsection (3)(d) of this section shall post a
23 notice of the restriction, provided by the department, on all doors providing
24 ingress to and egress from the facility, for the duration of the restriction.

25 **“SECTION 4. Section 5 of this 2026 Act is added to and made a part**
26 **of ORS 192.553 to 192.581.**

27 **“SECTION 5. (1) As used in this section:**

28 **“(a) ‘Hospital’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 442.015.**

29 **“(b) ‘Information concerning a person’s citizenship or immigration**
30 **status’ has the meaning given that term in ORS 180.805.**

1 **“(2) A health care provider that is a hospital shall treat information**
2 **concerning a person’s citizenship or immigration status or a person’s**
3 **country of birth in the same manner that the health care provider is**
4 **required to treat protected health information under state law.”.**

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