

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

May 02, 2005 Hearing Room D

8:30 A.M. Tapes 110 - 111

Corrected 10/10/05

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Billy Dalto, Chair

Rep. Tom Butler, Vice-Chair

Rep. Carolyn Tomei, Vice-Chair

Rep. Gordon Anderson

Rep. Deborah Boone

Rep. Kevin Cameron

Rep. Mitch Greenlick

STAFF PRESENT: Sandy Thiele-Cirka, Committee Administrator

Pamella Andersen, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:

HB 2065 – Work Session

HB 2202 – Work Session

HB 2266 – Work Session

HB 2706 – Work Session

HB 2351 – Work Session

HB 2800 – Work Session

HB 2480 – Work Session

HB 2754 – Work Session

HB 3049 – Work Session

HB 3219 – Work Session

HB 3230 – Work Session

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 110, A		
004	Chair Dalto	Calls the meeting to order at 8:53 a.m. Opens a work session on HB 2065.

hb 2065 – WORK SESSION

008	Chair Dalto	Summarizes HB 2065.
015	John McCulley	Oregon Speech Language Association. Testifies in support of HB 2065. Discusses changes made to the bill and the consensus -1 amendments, which he describes (exhibit a). Notes the shortage of speech pathologists in the state. Mentions concerns raised and addressed in amendments.
079	Rep. Butler	Inquires if the amendments were shared with Oregon Academy of Audiologists.
080	McCulley	Confirms, yes.
083	Rep. Butler	MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2065-1 amendments dated 04/22/05.
088		VOTE: 7-0-0
	Chair Dalto	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.
089	Rep. Butler	

MOTION: Moves HB 2065 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and BE REFERRED to the committee on Ways and Means by prior reference.

103

VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

Chair Dalto

The motion CARRIES.

104

Chair Dalto

Closes the work session on HB 2065. Opens a work session on HB 2202.

hb 2202 – WORK SESSION

117

Jean Lassiter

Oregon Homeless and Runaway Youth Coalition. Reviews the -1 amendments and testifies in support of HB 2202 (**exhibit b**). Relates the importance of a two-way process between communities and the state in addressing the needs of youth. Explains development of the -1 amendments.

153

Rep. Butler

Inquires if Mickey Lansing has seen the amendments and whether she has any concerns relative to related allocation of resources.

162

Lassiter

Reports Lansing was fully involved in development of the amendments, but hasn't seen the final product.

165

Rep. Butler

Expresses concern there might be a fiscal impact.

183

Chair Dalto

Closes the work session on HB 2202. Opens a work session on HB 2266.

hb 2266 – WORK SESSION

186

Sandy Thiele-Cirka

Administrator. Summarizes HB 2266.

202

Rep. Tomei

Questions agencies involved.

204

Thiele-Cirka

Confirms agencies involved.

- 211 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 2266 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**
- 222 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.**
- Chair Dalto **The motion CARRIES.**
- 223 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 2266 be placed on the CONSENT CALENDAR.**
- 226 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- Chair Dalto **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**
- 227 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 2266. Opens a work session on HB 2706.

hb 2706 – WORK SESSION

- 235 Rep. Greenlick Reports objections to the bill have been resolved.
- 237 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Notes approval has been received to rescind the subsequent referral to the Judiciary Committee.
- 240 Chair Dalto Summarizes HB 2706.
- 256 Rep. Greenlick Reports remaining question is what good medical practice is. States he will clarify this in his floor speech. States proper administration should be addressed in rule.
- 269 Rep. Butler Inquires about possible amendments mentioned by Bruce Bishop.
- 275 Rep. Greenlick Notes issues were addressed without an amendment.
- 276 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 2706 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.**

290

VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

Chair Dalto

The motion CARRIES.

REP. GREENLICK will lead discussion on the floor.

295

Chair Dalto

Closes the work session on HB 2706. Opens a work session on HB 2351.

hb 2351 – WORK SESSION

302

Sandy Thiele-Cirka

Administrator. Summarizes HB 2351. Mentions the -2 amendments (**exhibit c**).

316

Rep. Gary Hanson

House District 44. Discusses the -1 and -2 amendments.

378

Rep. Greenlick

Questions reporting ability, noting the bill doesn't compel the official to ask consent to report abuse.

394

Rep. Hanson

Reviews specific language in the bill.

421

Rep. Greenlick

Wishes the record to reflect the intent that consent will be requested to report the abuse.

436

Rep. Boone

Requests clarification regarding the present physician abuse-reporting requirements.

TAPE 111, A

003

Holly Robinson

Legislative Counsel Office. Clarifies doctors are mandatory reporters of abuse for children, the elderly and those with disabilities, only. Notes issues of disclosure are impacted by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) requirements.

033

Rep. Boone

Questions patient safety in reporting abuse and asks how reporting categories are determined.

057

Robinson

Explains a reporter and the abuser are not the same person. Discusses defining vulnerability with policies. Relates purposes of reporting

requirements, and necessity of developing vehicle for collecting data. States importance of keeping the two policy issues separate.

- 130 Rep. Hanson Comments another compelling reason for requiring reporting is the victim may not even be aware it has occurred.
- 136 Rep. Greenlick Believes it is possible to define the vulnerable population. Discusses specific language changes with Robinson.
- 153 Rep. Tomei Requests clarification it is mandatory for a medical professional who discovers abuse to report it, apart from permission of the patient.
- 172 Robinson Confirms, yes.
- 181 Rep. Boone Expresses concern some people are being excluded from reporting.
- 205 Rep. Tomei Asks Rep. Hanson if he is comfortable moving to a different level with the bill.
- 208 Rep. Hanson Cautions the committee to move carefully, as mandatory reporting needs to be balanced with the individual's need to feel empowered with respect to their own life. Comments follow-up requires people to be involved in the judiciary process, and sometimes they are not willing to participate.
- 252 Rep. Greenlick Questions the timeliness of reporting. States he would like to order an amendment that removes the consent process.
- 270 Chair Dalto Requests a small group meet and work through these issues.
- 274 Rep. Butler Requests the group address and define the issues related to retaliation, also.
- 285 Rep. Boone Requests to participate on the work group.
- 290 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 2351. Opens a work session on HB 2800.

hb 2800 – WORK SESSION

- 272 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 2800. Mentions the -3 amendments (exhibit d).
- 309 Bruce Anderson Speaker Karen Minnis' Office. Testifies in support of HB 2800. Discusses groups that met to develop the -3 amendments.
- 340 Susan King Executive Director, Oregon Nurses Association. Discusses the changes made in the -3 amendments which relate to mandatory overtime issues.
- 392 Bruce Bishop Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems. Testifies in support of HB 2800. Believes the -3 amendments are a reasonable compromise. Reports an outstanding concern for the hospitals relates to legality of the staffing committees under the National Labor Relations Act. States this is a potential issue.
- 428 Rep. Butler Requests clarification the bill will not damage small hospitals with less staff, unable to implement its provisions.
- 441 King States all sections would be applied in a manner reasonable for the community.
- 451 Bishop Reports any problems would impact hospitals of any size. Notes the language is flexible to allow for local conditions.
- 469 Anderson Thanks everyone for their collaborative efforts on the bill.

TAPE 110, B

- 007 Rep. Tomei **MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2800-3 amendments dated 04/21/05.**
- 011 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- Chair Dalto **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**
- 012 Rep. Tomei **MOTION: Moves HB 2800 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.**
- 014 Rep. Butler

Relates the need to review this bill as amended with his constituents before the floor vote.

028

VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

Chair Dalto

The motion CARRIES.

REP. DALTO will lead discussion on the floor.

029

Chair Dalto

Closes the work session on HB 2800. Reopens the work session on HB 2202.

hb 2202 – WORK SESSION (continued)

040

Jean Lassiter

Oregon Homeless and Runaway Youth Coalition. Relates reviewing the -1 amendments with Lansing.

046

Mickey Lansing

Executive Director, Oregon Commission on Children and Families. Reports any concerns have been addressed. Confirms the Commission has agreed to do this work with existing resources.

070

Rep. Butler

Requests confirmation of the list of actions the Commission will be able to accomplish with existing funding.

085

Lansing

Confirms the actions on the list would be addressed with existing funding.

092

Rep. Butler

Inquires if there is a rollup in the funding, locally.

093

Lansing

Relates history of funding to do planning.

109

Rep. Butler

Requests confirmation fulfilling section 3 requires no additional staff.

116

Lansing

Reiterates related to section 3, the Commission will do everything they normally do, taking on no additional workload or new staff.

124

Rep. Anderson

Requests definition of “culturally competent.”

- 128 Lansing Provides definition, noting the target is continually changing.
- 138 Randy Franke Coalition of Children and Family Commissions. Testifies in support of HB 2202. Reports the commissions wanted to ensure no new requirements were placed on them with this bill.
- 149 Lassiter Adds this bill allows community providers to provide a voice of advocacy for homeless youth in Oregon and enables providers to connect with the Commission.
- 170 Rep. Greenlick Expresses appreciation to those who collaborated on the bill.
- 175 **Rep. Tomei MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2202-1 amendments dated 05/02/05.**
- 178 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- Chair Dalto Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**
- 183 **Rep. Tomei MOTION: Moves HB 2202 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.**
- 185 Rep. Butler Reports he will be checking with his local commissions regarding the bill.
- 193 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.**
- Chair Dalto The motion CARRIES.**
- REP. CAMERON will lead discussion on the floor.**
- 196 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 2202. Opens a work session on HB 2480.

hb 2480 – WORK SESSION

- 198 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 2480. Notes approval has been received to rescind the referral to the Committee on Ways and Means.

- 210 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 2480 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation and the SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL to the committee on Ways and Means BE RESCINDED.**
- 216 Rep. Greenlick Explains why he intends to vote against the bill. States the intentions are good but the bill creates potential problems.
- 235 Rep. Tomei Reports she will be voting no for similar reasons.
- VOTE: 5-2-0**
- AYE: 5 - Anderson, Boone, Butler, Cameron, Dalto**
- NAY: 2 - Greenlick, Tomei**
- 243 Chair Dalto **The motion CARRIES.**
- REP. BOONE will lead discussion on the floor.**
- 251 Rep. Greenlick States he is considering a minority report.
- 255 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 2480. Opens a work session on HB 2754.

hb 2754 – WORK SESSION

- 256 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 2754. Mentions the -1 amendments (**exhibit e**). Reports approval to rescind the referral to the Committee on Ways and Means has been received.
- 283 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 2754-1 amendments dated 03/14/05.**
- 290 **VOTE: 7-0-0**
- Chair Dalto **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**
- 292 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 2754 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and the SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL to the committee on Ways and Means BE RESCINDED.**

304

VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

Chair Dalto

The motion CARRIES.

REP. GARRARD will lead discussion on the floor.

307

Chair Dalto

Closes the work session on HB 2754. Opens a work session on HB 3049.

hb 3049 – WORK SESSION

311

Sandy Thiele-Cirka

Administrator. Summarizes HB 3049.

321

Brian Delashmutt

Community Providers Association. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3049 (**exhibit f**).

335

Katherine Weit

Oregon Council on Developmental Disabilities. Testifies in support of HB 3049. Notes recommendations received to include a high-end income maximum in the bill. Discusses the transfer of certain expenses from the Department to the individual to increase independence.

380

Delashmutt

Inquires if he should pursue the development of amendments based on these concerns.

388

Chair Dalto

Confirms, yes.

389

Rep. Butler

Requests clarification on the purpose of the maximum amount chosen.

396

Weit

Relates the amount is unrelated to the minimum wage. Discusses impacting factors on the amount chosen based on limitation from other sources such as Medicaid. Notes the total amount would not be kept as discretionary income.

424

Rep. Butler

Seeks clarification existing monies are being moved with a net effect of zero.

440

Weit

Clarifies and discusses offsets.

456 Delashmutt Explains fiscal impact and existing disincentives to work.

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010 Rep. Butler Asks Delashmutt and Weit to check with the House Ways and Means Committee Chair to confirm the fiscal impact.

015 Delashmutt Reports he has had that discussion with the Chair and he supports the determination.

023 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 3049. Opens a work session on HB 3219.

hb 3219 – WORK SESSION

029 Chair Dalto Summarizes HB 3219.

031 Jim Davis Oregon State Denturists Association. Lists other parties with which he collaborated on the -1 amendments recommended by the Oregon Dental Association (ODA) (**exhibit g**). Explains the amendments.

050 Jane Myers Oregon Dental Association. States the association is satisfied with the amendments.

054 Rep. Butler MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3219-1 amendments dated 05/02/05.

060 VOTE: 7-0-0

Chair Dalto Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.

062 Rep. Anderson MOTION: Moves HB 3219 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.

068 VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

Chair Dalto The motion CARRIES.

REP. ANDERSON will lead discussion on the floor.

070 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 3219. Opens a work session on HB 3230.

hb 3230 – WORK SESSION

085 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 3230. Explains the -2 amendments (**exhibit h**). States these are gut-and-stuff amendments and they remove the fiscal impact. Notes the request to rescind the referral to the Committee on Ways and Means is being processed.

129 Rep. Steve March House District 46. Testifies in support of the -2 amendments to HB 3230. New bill transfers the deaf and hard of hearing program from the Oregon Disabilities Commission to DHS, which removes it from an advocacy agency to a services agency. Explains other provisions of the amendments. Discusses where funds originate.

163 Rep. Tomei Requests further clarification on the value of moving the program from the Commission to DHS.

166 Rep. March Provides history from the 2003 legislative session that impacted advocacy commission funding. Explains affect on services to the deaf and hard of hearing.

191 Rep. Butler Inquires if the amount of the telecommunications surcharge is insufficient.

199 Rep. March States this program receives no funding from the Public Utility Commission (PUC) charges. Elaborates.

207 Rep. Butler Requests clarification present collections are insufficient for all needs.

210 Rep. March Reiterates none of the current PUC monies are being used for this program. Discusses pilot project he is pursuing in a Senate bill.

228 Rep. Boone Questions whether DHS has agreed to take on this responsibility.

229 Rep. March Confirms, yes.

246 Chair Dalto Requests confirmation there is no fiscal impact.

244 Rep. March Restates there is no fiscal impact, and no additional funding required.

248 Rep. Butler Comments the governor was seeking funding from other sources. Seeks clarification on funding.

258 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves to ADOPT HB 3230-2 amendments dated -4/20/05.**

262 **VOTE: 7-0-0**

Chair Dalto **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**

271 Rep. Butler **MOTION: Moves HB 3230 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation and the SUBSEQUENT REFERRAL to the committee on Ways and Means BE RESCINDED.**

VOTE: 7-0-0

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

284 Chair Dalto **The motion CARRIES.**

REP. MARCH will lead discussion on the floor.

286 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 3230.

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

Bruce Bishop Written testimony in support of HB 2351 (**exhibit i**).

289 Chair Dalto Adjourns the meeting at 10:38 a.m.

Note: The meeting was closed captioned for the deaf and hard of hearing. The closed-captioned document was submitted by staff for the record (**EXHIBIT J**).

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A. HB 2065, -1 amendments, staff, 2 pp
- B. HB 2202, -1 amendments, staff, 3 pp
- C. HB 2351, -2 amendments, staff, 1 p
- D. HB 2800, -3 amendments, staff, 3 pp
- E. HB 2754, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
- F. HB 3049, memo on amendments, Brian Delashmutt, 2 pp
- G. HB 3219, -1 amendment, staff, 1 p
- H. HB 3230, -2 amendment, staff, 10 pp

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

- I. HB 2351, written testimony, Bruce Bishop, 3 pp
- J. Closed-caption document, 28 pp

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TAPE/#	Speaker	Comments
TAPE 108, A		
004	Chair Dalto	Calls the meeting to order at 9:21 a.m. Opens a work session to introduce committee measures (exhibit a).
<u>introduction of committee measures – WORK SESSION</u>		
014	Rep. Greenlick	MOTION: Moves LC 3600 BE INTRODUCED as a committee bill.
020		VOTE: 6-0-1
		EXCUSED: 1 - Butler
	Chair Dalto	Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.

021 Chair Dalto Closes the work session to introduce committee measures. Opens a public hearing on HB 3404.

hb 3404 – PUBLIC HEARING

026 Rep. Jerry Krummel House District 26. Summarizes HB 3404. Relates the bill allows development of a pilot program. Discusses cost shifting for those on government-funded health care. Reports health care costs increased at a parallel rate to inflation until 1965 when they outstripped general inflation due to Medicaid and Medicare bills being signed into law. Elaborates on additional factors.

065 Rep. Greenlick Inquires about the varying impacts of Medicare and Medicaid.

070 Rep. Krummel Responds he was unable to extrapolate the differences.

073 Rep. Greenlick Believes Medicaid only contributed about five percent of the total.

083 Rep. Krummel States people will use whatever is free. Reports the goal is to help people see there is a cost to health care, as well as increase access to health care for all people. Relates desire to see increased reimbursements and quicker turnaround on payments to providers. Mentions the sunset provision.

121 Rep. Boone Requests clarification regarding who is eligible to participate.

125 Rep. Krummel Reports the bill is aimed at clients on the Oregon Health Plan (OHP), or Medicaid, but is left so the department can determine what population would be appropriate.

139 Rep. Boone Inquires if the funds carry over at the end of the calendar year.

143 Rep. Krummel Explains possibility of using a smart card and how it would work.

182 Rep. Greenlick Mentions coverage gaps between an individual's insurance funds, and questions if there would be such for a Temporary Assistance to Need Families (TANF) recipient.

205 Rep. Krummel Responds, no, there would be no gap in coverage.

237	Rep. Greenlick	Questions the incentive to recipients in using the funds wisely. Suggests the possibility of giving the recipients some of the unspent funds as an incentive.
258	Rep. Krummel	States the department recommended that possibility, however there may be federal restrictions. Comments one incentive might be to transfer remaining dollars into a private account when a recipient leaves the program.
278	Rep. Cameron	Suggests turning unused funds in the health savings account into a private savings account that could become part of a retirement program. Expresses concern with two different programs using the same terminology.
298	Rep. Krummel	States the nomenclature can be changed.
311	Rep. Anderson	Appreciates the plan incenting the client to save money.
327	Rep. Krummel	Reiterates intent to leave details to the department. Mentions the unknown of the impact on the federally-funded portion of health care.
357	Chair Dalto	Inquires how the bill integrates with the OHP.
364	Rep. Krummel	Relates the department would determine who is the most appropriate and effective population.
395	Steve Buckstein	Senior Policy Analyst, Cascade Policy Institute. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3404 (exhibit b). States people need to be treated according to our expectations, which should be raised rather than lowered.

TAPE 109, A

005	Buckstein	Continues testimony. Mentions related activities of other states, which include lifestyle programs such as smoking cessation. Recommends exploring new directions through this bill.
018	Chair Dalto	Questions whether Buckstein envisions the program cutting across all recipients in the OHP.
021	Buckstein	

Replies Oregon can determine what would be appropriate for this state. Discusses incentives, compares medical savings accounts and health saving accounts, noting choice is a big factor.

- 041 Rep. Boone Relates situation of a friend who couldn't afford health insurance. States carryover would have been a great benefit for her.
- 052 Buckstein Agrees incentive to manage money well is a win-win.
- 061 Rep. Anderson Inquires regarding transferability of HSAs.
- 075 Buckstein States with the standard HSA, the worker owns the account even if they didn't deposit all the funds themselves.
- 078 Barney Speight Administrator, Office of Medical Assistance Programs, Department of Human Services, (DHS). Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3404 (**exhibit c**). Discusses value of incentives, and cost of the program. Requests changing the dates of the program, which would also require extension of the sunset.
- 134 Rep. Greenlick Discusses a similar Senate Bill with a more amendable timeframe.
- 140 Speight Elaborates on dates.
- 155 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 3404. Opens a public hearing on HB 3465.

HB 3465 – PUBLIC HEARING

- 158 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 3465.
- 167 Jim Anderson Oregon Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians. (ACEP). Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3465 (**exhibit d**). Notes this bill addresses repealing the sunset.
- 222 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 3465. Opens a work session on HB 3465.

hb 3465 – WORK SESSION

223 Rep. Anderson MOTION: Moves HB 3465 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation.

236 VOTE: 6-0-1

AYE: In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.

EXCUSED: 1 - Butler

238 Chair Dalto The motion CARRIES.

REP. ANDERSON will lead discussion on the floor.

240 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 3465. Opens a public hearing on HB 3050.

hb 3050 – PUBLIC HEARING

243 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Summarizes HB 3050.

249 Doug Riggs Oregon Primary Care Association (OPCA). Relates the benefits of federally qualified health centers.

275 Rebecca Landau OPCA. Relates the purpose of the bill. Mentions their involvement with the National Health Service Corp and the limits this places on the association's acceptance of dental students into their educational program.

335 Riggs Notes workgroup formed last week to develop the -1 amendment. States a -2 amendment will be submitted soon (**exhibit f**). Elaborates on what the -1 amendment does.

359 Chair Dalto Asks who was on the work group.

366 Riggs Lists members.

371 Rep. Anderson References the map (**exhibit e**) and requests clarification.

376 Landau Explains the map.

405 Jane Myers

Oregon Dental Association. Testifies on HB 3050. Explains the -2 amendment is not written as the association expected. Elaborates, noting the amendments were only supposed to impact out-of-state students. Relates the intent to notify the Board of Dentistry of a student entering the system and their level of competency.

- 450 Rep. Tomei Inquires how the students would be supervised.
- 454 Myers Reports the students would be under a dentist who would become an adjunct professor of Oregon State University.
- 466 Chair Dalto Requests clarification that Myers isn't objecting to the -2 amendments, just making observations for the record.

TAPE 108, B

- 006 Myers Confirms, yes. Believes amendment includes all that has been agreed upon, but needs an opportunity to review.
- 018 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 3050.

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

- Staff Written testimony from Scott Gallant in support of HB 3465 (**exhibit G**).
- 021 Chair Dalto Adjourns the meeting at 10:40 a.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A. **Introductions, LC 3600, staff, 2 pp**
- B. **HB 3404, written testimony and newsletter, Steve Buckstein, 4 pp**
- C. **HB 3404, written testimony, Barney Speight, 2 pp**
- D. **HB 3465, written testimony, Jim Anderson, 2 pp**
- E. **HB 3050, written testimony and map, Doug Riggs, 3 pp**
- F. **HB 3050, conceptual -2 amendments, staff, 1 p**

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

G. HB 3465, written testimony of Scott Gallant, staff, 1

alto, Chair

Rep. Carolyn Tomei, Vice-Chair

Rep. Gordon Anderson

Rep. Deborah Boone

Rep. Kevin Cameron

Rep. Mitch Greenlick

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Rep. Tom Butler, Vice-Chair

STAFF PRESENT: Sandy Thiele-Cirka, Committee Administrator

Bradley Campbell, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:

HB 2555 – Public Hearing

HB 2626 – Public Hearing

HB 3311 – Public Hearing

HB 2672 – Public Hearing

HB 3029 – Public Hearing and Work Session

HB 2202 – Work Session

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TAPE 105, A

004 Rep. Greenlick Calls the meeting to order at 8:37 a.m. and opens a public hearing on HB 2626 and 2555.

HB 2555 & hb 2626 PUBLIC HEARING

006 Rep. Mike Schaufler House district 38. Sponsor of HB 2555. Comments the goal of the bill is to attain stable funding for Oregon Project Independence (OPI).

023 Rep. Steve March House District 36. Testifies in support of HB 2555 and HB 2626. Echoes the need for stable funding of OPI. Explains differences between the two bills.

052 Rep. Bob Jenson House District 58. Comments as a senior citizen; he supports senior issues and OPI. Testifies in support of HB 2555 and 2626. Comments OPI is a model program to provide vital and needed services for senior citizens. Feels it is imperative one of the two bills pass.

119 Rep. Boone Comments in support of the OPI program.

133 Rep. Cameron Comments his gratitude toward the Representatives testifying.

142 Rep. Greenlick Questions for clarification on the term, modernization, in HB 2555.

148 Rep. March Responds the intent to modernize is to provide a base funding for OPI.

173 Rep. Greenlick Addresses section 5 in HB 2555.

181 Rep. March Responds the provision rises baseline funding.

194 Chair Dalto Comments both bills have a referral to Ways and Means.

201 Chris Matson Chief of Staff to Rep. Steve March. Testifies in support of 2555. Comments on the certainty of funding for the OPI program. States the bills, although good, will not solve state problems in health care coverage.

267 Lucile Puegh Testifies in support of the OPI bills. Comments on the history of medical care coverage. Feels the bills will make a difference in the

lives of seniors. Comments the bills will provide opportunities of independence for seniors.

- 354 Jacqueline Zimmer Oregon Associations of Area Agencies on Aging and Disabilities (O4A). Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2626 (**EXHIBIT A**).
- 378 Rep. Greenlick Questions the language in section 5 of HB 2555.
- 383 Zimmer Comments the people live with rising costs and unstable funding. States many senior lost their health care services. Clarifies specifics in HB 2626 and how it differs from HB 2555 (**EXHIBIT B**). States the O4A is looking for stable funding.

TAPE 106, A

- 022 Rep. Tomei Comments on the need to bring federal funding back into the program.
- 029 Zimmer Responds a federal match is critical.
- 031 Cameron Questions about the total OPI funding costs.
- 033 Zimmer Responds there are various numbers. States \$8.6 million is the estimate.
- 053 Rep. Greenlick Asks for clarification of federal match.
- 055 Zimmer Responds the match will be used for many programs.
- 061 Rep. Greenlick Questions if OPI numbers are matched with federal dollars.
- 063 Zimmer Responds they are not. Comments on OPI funding services.
- 085 Eunice Dutton Governor's Commission on Senior Services. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2555 (**EXHIBIT C**). Comments on the growing senior population in Oregon.
- 138 Lee Hazelwood Stayton, Oregon. Seniors and People with Disabilities. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2555 (**EXHIBIT D**).

Comments on the history of OPI. Responds to previous testimony. States he wants his tombstone to read, "he supported OPI."

- 209 Rep. Cameron Comments Mr. Hazelwood is the biggest voice in the capital on senior issues.
- 218 Hazelwood Reads a historic quote from a former representative.
- 236 Ralph Groener Co-Chaired original committee on Project Independence. Discusses the history of OPI and the creation of senior support systems in Oregon. Talks about historical relations between Republicans and Democrats. Testifies in support of OPI. Comments Project Independence saves the state millions. Stresses it is a non-partisan issue to help seniors and the disabled.
- 421 Rep. Greenlick Comments on the funding of OPI versus funding long term Medicaid.
- 443 Groener Responds without OPI other costs will raise.

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- 004 Rick Bennet AARP Oregon. Comments he was not a senior when Ralph Groener began his testimony, but feels he could qualify as one now. Testifies AARP supports both HB 2626 and 2555.
- 021 Jim Davis United Seniors of Oregon, Oregon Association for Retired Citizens, Gray Panthers. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2555 (**EXHIBIT E**). Comments support of OPI will reduce long term costs associated with aging adults.
- 060 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 2626 and 2555. Opens a public hearing on HB 3311.

hb 3311 – PUBLIC HEARING

- 063 Chair Dalto Summarizes HB 3311.
- 071 Ted Hughes Pacific Northwest Paint Council. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3311 and presents the -1 amendments (**EXHIBIT F**). Discusses the problems with lead poisoning.

		Comments on the educational section of the bill. Stresses the need for an amendment.
126	Chair Dalto	Clarifies the purpose of the bill.
132	Hughes	Responds they will make people aware about lead based paint.
140	Rep. Tomei	Questions if the paint industry will be responsible for payments.
142	Hughes	Respond they will.
151	Rep. Tomei	Questions if the Department of Human Services (DHS) will be required to pay for the service rather than the paint industry.
154	Hughes	Responds there will be cooperation between DHS and the paint industry to produce funds.
164	Rep Tomei	Clarifies the paint companies will not be responsible for funding.
165	Hughes	Responds in agreement with the clarification.
168	Rep. Greenlick	Question why the bill is before the committee.
173	Hughes	Responds the goal is to work together to fund a broad educational program.
177	Rep. Greenlick	Questions the purpose of the legislation.
183	Hughes	Responds the goal is to work together to fund a broad educational program.
190	Rep. Greenlick	Stresses his unease with the bill.
196	Hughes	Responds their goal is to raise awareness.
199	Chair Dalto	Closes the public hearing on HB 3311. Opens a public hearing on HB 2672.

hb 2672 – PUBLIC HEARING

204	Sandy Thiele-Cirka	Administrator. Summarizes HB 2672 and -1 amendments (EXHIBIT I).
217	Rep. John Lim	House District 50. Testifies in support of HB 2672. Comments public safety is a number one issue of Oregon. Describes the problems associated with a lack of labeling on pharmacopoeia products. Stresses the need for people to know what ingredients are in pharmacopoeia.
282	Chair Dalto	Comments he received many correspondents about the bill.
298	Rep. Lim	Responds HB 2672 has nothing to do with tea and honey, only with pharmacopoeia.
326	Rep. Greenlick	Comments on concerns with the definition of pharmacopoeia. Requests narrowing the scope of the definition.
351	Rep. Lim	Responds the definition of pharmacopoeia is well defined in the bill.
367	Rep. Anderson	Comments the decision should be determined by the Board of Pharmacy.
371	Rep. Lim	Responds that could be an option.
373	Rep. Tomei	Questions if most distributors of pharmacopoeia are licensed.
380	Rep. Lim	Responds it is not his belief.
387	Rep. Tomei	Questions if the issue has been brought before the Board of Medical Examiners (BME).
388	Rep. Lim	Believes that pharmacopoeia is a non-regulated product.
396	Chair Dalto	Question why the BME controls retail of pharmacopoeia and not the Board of Pharmacy.

403	Rep. Lim	Responds he is uncertain about issues between the two boards.
414	Rep. Dalto	Comments the bill needs to reflect the Board of Pharmacy.
432	Rep. Greenlick	Responds that section 4 of the -1 amendments identify the Board of Pharmacy.
441	Tom Holt	Oregon State Pharmacy Association. Testifies in opposition of HB 2672. Clarifies the problem is the costs to test and examine herbal medicine.

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020	Holt	Comments he is willing to discuss the issue further.
029	Gary Schnable	Board of Pharmacy. Testifies in opposition of HB 2672. Comments the board does not have experience with pharmacopoeia products.
054	Rep. Anderson	Questions if it could be placed in legislation when funds are available.
058	Schnable	Responds there is a revenue source.
062	Rep. Anderson	Questions if the revenue would be adequate.
066	Schnable	Responds it will depend on the fee amount.
069	Rep. Anderson	Question if it is a federal issue rather than state.
071	Schnable	Responds the federal government is unsure about labeling pharmacopoeia products.
082	Ann Zweber	Board of Pharmacy. Requests more information concerning this type of medicine and where it is dispensed. Distributes examples of the products. Comments she feels the concept of the bill is good.
120	Chair Dalto	Closes the public hearing on HB 3111. Opens a public hearing on HB 3029.

123	Sandy Thiele-Cirka	Administrator. Summarizes HB 3029.
134	Rep. Gene Whisnant	House district 53. Testifies in support of HB 3029. Comments the switch will enable the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission to focus on crime prevention.
162	Rep. Steve March	House District 36. Discusses the history of juvenile crime prevention in Oregon.
199	Rep. Boone	Questions how HB 3029 will affect Ways and Means.
200	Rep. Whisnant	Responds the money for the programs was deleted.
215	Rep. Anderson	Comments DHS is a labyrinth and feels the advisory committee might get lost.
222	Rep. March	Responds in agreement. Adds DHS has a focus on government and the Commission on Children and Families works with local community providers.
236	Rep. Boone	Questions if the possible Commission on Children and Families will receive funding.
242	Rep. Whisnant	Responds he doesn't know, but hopes it will receive funding as a separate entity.
262	Mickey Lansing	Executive Director Oregon Commission on Children and Families. Testifies in support of HB 3029. Comments on how state and federal organizations support their work locally. Stresses the importance for funding children and family services.
336	Ruth Hewett	Marion County Children and Families Commission. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3029 (EXHIBIT G).
370	Larry Oglesby	Marion County Juvenile Department. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 3029 (EXHIBIT H).
412	Tammy Chatfield	Salem Leadership Foundation. Testifies in support of HB 3029. Comments the partnerships at a local level need to strengthen and grow.

- 445 Chair Dalto Requests information on Juvenile Crime Prevention Plan Funding.
- 456 Kate Cooper-Richardson Polk County Commission on Children and Families. Testifies in support of HB 3029. Comments it is a good bill, should pass.

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- 005 Lona O'Dell Polk County Commission on Children and Families. Testifies in support of HB 3029.
- 016 Craig Prins Criminal Justice Commission. Testifies in support of HB 3029. Comments it makes sense for the criminal justice system to focus on criminal justice.
- 030 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 3029. Opens a work session on HB 3029. Notes a subsequent referral to Ways and Means.

hb 3029 – WORK SESSION

- 035 Rep. Tomei **MOTION: Moves HB 3029 to the floor with a DO PASS recommendation and BE REFERRED to the committee on Ways and Means.**
- 040 Rep. Boone Comments the program is a great thing to move into prevention of juvenile crime.
- VOTE: 6-0-1**
- EXCUSED: 1 – Butler**
- 043 Chair Dalto **Hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.**
- 046 Sandy Thiele-Cirka Administrator. Highlights testimony from Janet Carlson in support of HB 3029 (**EXHIBIT G**).
- 050 Chair Dalto Closes the work session on HB 3029. Opens a work session on HB 2202.

hb 2202– WORK SESSION

056	Galen Phipps	Oregon Homeless and Runaway Youth Coalition. Comments on the language and goals of HB 2202. States the progress of the bill.
102	Jean Lassiter	Oregon Homeless and Runaway Youth Coalition. Comments on the construction of amended HB 2202.
115	Chair Dalto	Clarifies the progress of the bill.
125	Rep. Boone	Comments they met and discussed concerns.
134	Lassiter	States the revised bill addresses all the committee concerns. Comments the bill is now comprehensive for the goal to collaborate between state and local agencies.
149	Sandy Thiele-Cirka	Administrator. Highlights written testimony from the Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy, Robin Wisdom, Ruth Hewett and Janet Carlson (EXHIBIT J, K & N).
169	Chair Dalto	Closes the work session on HB 3029. Refers to EXHIBIT L .
175	Chair Dalto	Adjourns the meeting at 10:44 a.m.

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A. **HB 2555, written testimony of Jacqueline Zimmer, 2pp**
- B. **HB 2626, property tax relief report, Jacqueline Zimmer, 2pp**
- C. **HB 2555, written testimony of Eunice Dutton, 2pp**
- D. **HB 2555 & 2626, written testimony of Lee Hazelwood, 3pp**
- E. **HB 2555 & 2626, prepared statement of Jim Davis, 1p**
- F. **HB 3311, -1 amendments and prepared testimony, Ted Hughes, 4pp**
- G. **HB 3029, written testimony of Ruth Hewett, 2pp**
- H. **HB 3029, written testimony of Larry Oglesby, 2pp**
- I. **HB 2672, -1 amendments, staff, 4pp**

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

- J. HB 2202, Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy, 2pp
- K. HB 2202, written testimony of Robin Wisdom, 2pp
- L. HB 3311, written testimony of Gail R. Shibley, 2pp
- M. HB 2202, written testimony of Margaret Noel, 1p
- N. HB 2202, written testimony of Ruth Hewett and Janet Carlson, 1p

8:30 A.M. Tapes 71 - 73

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Billy Dalto, Chair

Rep. Tom Butler, Vice-Chair

Rep. Carolyn Tomei, Vice-Chair

Rep. Gordon Anderson

Rep. Deborah Boone

Rep. Kevin Cameron

Rep. Mitch Greenlick

STAFF PRESENT: Sandy Thiele-Cirka, Committee Administrator

Pamella Andersen, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:

Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy - Informational Meeting

HB 2640 – Public Hearing

HB 2362 – Public Hearing

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004 Chair Dalto Calls the meeting to order at 8:36 a.m. Opens the informational meeting on Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy.

Oregon Alliance for child advocacy – INFORMATIONAL MEETING

013 Mary Monnat President, Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy. Explains the Alliance and its services.

053 Janet Arenz Executive Director, Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy. Submits and reviews written testimony on child advocacy (**exhibit a**). Introduces Clark Luster, explaining his background and work.

080 Clark Luster President and CEO, Kansas Children’s Service League. Relates his experience that children’s issues cross party lines. Discusses his experiences in Kansas, stating desperation combined with strong leadership provokes change. Notes large, tripled increase in adoptions with a dissolution rate of less than two percent compared to twelve percent nationally.

175 Chair Dalto Inquires why adoptions fall apart.

176 Luster Reports there are many possibilities, noting the average age of adopted children is eleven years old, sibling groups need to be kept together, sometimes there is a poor match, families dissolve, people don’t understand the challenges and commitment, etc. Reports Kansas case workers now provide 24-hour responses and foster parents are paid at a rate double the previous amount. Comments one critical outcome is kids are no longer in mental health programs and groups homes, but are in foster care and are adopted.

224 Chair Dalto Questions how much the amount paid to foster families influences the outcomes.

230 Luster States people do this type of work because of their heart. Notes the goal is to pay enough money that the foster parents don’t want to walk away when things get tough. Reports paying a foster parent costs less than a treatment program and allows children to remain connected to their daily lives. Discusses structure of the Kansas system, noting costs were not reduced, but they have better outcomes. Relates the mechanics of the Kansas process and creative components that have been introduced into the system to move children toward permanency. Explains the system is designed around achieving outcomes, and explains how the contractor’s rate is reduced based on how long it takes for a child to be released from the system. Discusses the

portrait gallery the League moves around the state to motivate people to consider adoption.

- 403 Rep. Butler Asks if Kansas was the first state to enter into a pilot program with federal funds.
- 425 Luster States he is unsure.
- 435 Rep. Butler Asks about medical provisions for special needs children in foster care.
- 437 Luster Responds each child has a Medicaid card, the Department of Education takes care of special education, and mental health costs and in-patient residential costs will be paid by Medicaid in the future.

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- 003 Rep. Butler Questions whether there is a warning system if the state does not see the outcomes they are seeking from a contractor.
- 010 Luster Reports the contractors meet quarterly with the state and the state can take corrective action if needed.
- 019 Rep. Butler Inquires about therapeutic foster care.
- 021 Luster States the League created a model of trained families who can take tough kids and increased payment to them, intensified training, and reduced their caseworker's workload.
- 037 Arenz Clarifies the Alliance is not promoting a particular model, but seeking to look at ideas and pitfalls and develop reasonable expectations for outcomes. States in Kansas the private sector assumes all the risks and must demonstrate effectiveness.
- 099 Chair Dalto Asks Luster what role methamphetamine plays in Kansas.
- 101 Luster Relates methamphetamine is a serious problem particularly in the rural areas. Elaborates on responses within their state.
- 115 Chair Dalto

Requests comparison between Kansas and Oregon in terms of the number of methamphetamine-affected kids that enter the foster care system and how their needs are addressed within the League's model.

- 114 Luster Reports their program is geographical, so all problems within their area have to be addressed.
- 122 Rep. Cameron Asks what issues Florida encountered.
- 140 Luster States Florida erroneously thought they had trained people to do the work when they privatized. Notes the new, inexperienced staff created chaos, judges were brought into the process too late, and state workers remained state employees rather than becoming contractors. Changes have been made to balance the program, and state employees are doing prevention, now. Reiterates the importance of communicating with all parties early, and to ensure there is a prepared workforce.
- 170 Arenz Interjects some non-profit organizations failed as a result of this process.
- 179 Rep. Anderson Questions whether private contracts work.
- 186 Luster Believes they work in terms of outcomes, but transitions are difficult. States motivators and incentives are necessary.
- 194 Rep. Anderson Inquires regarding the categories of children that were adopted and requests a comparison to Oregon.
- 203 Luster Discusses Kansas numbers. Explains the changes the new contract will make with caseworker stability and contractor follow-up.
- 226 Arenz Provides comparison with Oregon, stating she does not know the number of children facing adoption.
- 236 Rep. Anderson Asks who the private adoption and foster care contractors are.
- 237 Arenz Elaborates there are options through the juvenile justice system, and Department of Human Services (DHS). Mentions three agencies in Portland that have private foster care beds.
- 247 Rep. Greenlick

		Inquires how much money was added to the Kansas system by caseworkers handling both child protective services and adoption.
257	Luster	Replies the state-side staff has been reduced by attrition and re-directed toward prevention, but he is unsure of the dollars.
270	Rep. Greenlick	Requests an idea of the magnitude of dollars.
275	Luster	States Kansas has \$125 million in total contracts. Elaborates.
281	Rep. Greenlick	Asks if Oregon could provide a more effective adoption model if they found that much money.
298	Arenz	Lists other services Kansas also provides to children.
323	Chair Dalto	Closes the informational meeting on Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy. Opens the public hearing on HB 2640.

hb 2640 – PUBLIC HEARING

329	Sandy Thiele-Cirka	Administrator. Summarizes HB 2640.
340	Bruce Bishop	Oregon Association of Treatment Centers (OATC). Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2640 (exhibit b), noting it will treat residential and day treatment providers alike with respect to accessing liability insurance.
373	Rep. Tomei	Requests clarification of the existing situation.
376	Bishop	Explains it would allow them to join a pool to access lower cost coverage.
385	Chair Dalto	Reports there is no known opposition to this bill, and the committee will be seeking to remove the subsequent referral.
405	Larry Tang	Polk Adolescent Day Treatment. Mentions the present substantial rate increases this will preclude.
408	Thiele-Cirka	Requests clarification regarding the reference to HB 2254 on Bishop's written testimony.

- 412 Bishop Clarifies his wish to connect this testimony to the original bill, to bring continuity.
- 418 Chair Dalto Charges Bishop to seek rescindment of the referral.
- 427 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 2640. Committee stands at ease from 9:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. Opens a public hearing on HB 2362.

hb 2362 – PUBLIC HEARING

- 455 Bob Joondeph Executive Director, Oregon Advocacy Center. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit c**).

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- 002 Joondeph Continues testimony. States the goal is to develop a task force to review how funding and resources can be redesigned with integration for greater efficiency.
- 026 Mark McKechnie Social Worker, Juvenile Rights Project. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit d**). Discusses Wraparound Milwaukee. Notes the Project works with children with complicated issues, and does so with lower costs due to outcomes and the drastic reduction in hospital care. Discusses costs of three specific clients who have been institutionalized.

Committee stands at ease 9:55 to 10:05 a.m.

- 173 Rep. Greenlick States HB 2362 creates a task force, and asks the purpose in creating a task force rather than just making suggestions to change the system.
- 186 McKechnie Relates the objective is to have a group design changes and complete the task, not study the problem.
- 208 Joondeph Confirms need for a firm plan with support of governmental leaders.
- 223 Rep. Greenlick Reiterates need for a bill that moves in a direction to improve the system.
- 225 McKechnie

Mentions submitted written testimony of Judge Nan Waller (**exhibit e**), who is also interested in developing a similar approach to Wraparound Milwaukee.

- 275 Rep. Boone Requests explanation of the Wraparound program.
- 277 McKechnie Explains the program and the incentives to provide preventive services earlier.
- 295 Jim Russell Director, Mid-Valley Behavioral Care Network (BCN). Testifies in support of HB 2362. Notes need of collaboration and removal of barriers.
- 334 Rep. Greenlick Requests an explanation of what the coordinated plan will look like.
- 368 McKechnie Notes the pooled fund in Minnesota and the need to borrow benchmarks from other states on how to coordinate services and funding effectively.
- 408 Rep. Butler Asks if there is a state with an effective model Oregon can borrow while the study is being conducted.
- 418 McKechnie Replies each state is unique in how they address these issues and some models could not be adapted to Oregon.
- 445 Joondeph Discusses statutory structures of other states, and need to obtain buy-in from agencies involved.

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- 003 Rep. Butler Asserts if Oregon's statutory structure is not designed to accomplish the job, changes need to be made.
- 028 Rep. Anderson Reads into record a recommendation by George Longden (**exhibit F**).
- 054 Madeline Olson Assistant Administrator, Office of Mental Health & Addiction Services (OMHAS), Department of Human Services (DHS). Submits and reviews written testimony on HB 2362 (**exhibit g**), noting concern regarding the necessary funding for staff to implement the requirements. Because of the intricacies of funding and the federal strings attached, the Director would need additional staff expertise.

- 112 Kristen Anderson Parent of mentally ill child. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit h**). Relates mental health issues of her nine-year-old son. Notes the costs to the community and that lack of coordination of services prevents her son from receiving the services he needs. Recommends the bill be amended to design coordination rather than study the issue.
- 161 Jimmy Boyer Uncle of mentally ill youth. Reads testimony of mentally ill niece and her experiences (**exhibit i**). Supports HB 2362.
- 237 David Hitt Brother of mentally ill adult. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit j**). Shares story of personal and family recovery following drug use and loss of parental rights. Notes the people who helped them through recovery. Relates the experience of his mentally ill brother who has been in and out of the mental health system with no coordination of treatment, no continuing team and no structure.
- 358 Bruce Bishop Oregon Association of Treatment Centers. Testifies in support of HB 2362. Recommends an amendment.
- 416 Angela Kimball Parent of mentally ill child. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit k**). Relates personal experiences.
- 446 Jeanne Schultz Director, Oregon Family Support Network. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit l**). Lists valuable outcomes of streamlining.

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- 015 Chris Krenk President and CEO Albertina Kerr Centers. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit m**). Elaborates on the possible outcomes of the task force.
- 056 Janet Urton Parent of mentally ill children. Submits and reviews written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit n**). Notes her experiences as a parent of mentally ill children and an educator.
- 075 Chair Dalto Inquires how HB 2362 will further coordination of services for her children.
- 082 Urton

States the bill would allow creation of a blueprint for action that allows flexibility of funding and programming.

- 105 Jessica Stevens Service Employees International Union (SEIU). Testifies in support of HB 2362. Recommends a representative of employees be included in the task force. Addresses Rep. Butler's earlier question about the intervening 18-month period. Discusses concept of funding following children rather than individualized contracts.
- 125 Randy Franke Coalition of County Children and Families Commissions. Testifies coalition has not taken a position on HB 2362. Recommends legislative team makeup. Notes there is no coalition member on the committee in the bill.
- 165 Chair Dalto Closes the public hearing on HB 2362. Adjourns the meeting at 11:00 a.m.

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

- Angela Kimball Written testimony from Catherine Mains in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit o**).
- Angela Kimball Written testimony from Association of Oregon Community Mental Health Programs in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit p**).
- Janet Arenz Written testimony in support of HB 2362 (**exhibit q**).

EXHIBIT SUMMARY

- A. **Oregon Alliance for Child Advocacy, written testimony, articles and reports, Janet Arenz, 10 pp**
- B. **HB 2640, written testimony, Bruce Bishop, 1 p**
- C. **HB 2362, written testimony, Bob Joondeph, 2 pp**
- D. **HB 2362, written testimony, Mark McKechnie, 5 pp**
- E. **HB 2362, written testimony of Judge Nan Waller, Mark McKechnie, 3 pp**
- F. **HB 2362, email testimony of George Longden, Rep. Gordon Anderson, 1 p**
- G. **HB 2362, written testimony, Madeline Olson, 2 pp**
- H. **HB 2362, written testimony, Kristen Anderson, 2 pp**
- I. **HB 2362, written testimony of his niece, James Boyer, 1 p**

- J. **HB 2362, written testimony David Hitt, 2 pp**
- K. **HB 2362, written testimony, Angela Kimball, 2 pp**
- L. **HB 2362, written testimony, Jeanne Schultz, 1 p**
- M. **HB 2362, position paper of Children's Array of Psychiatric Programs, Chris Krenk, 2 pp**
- N. **HB 2362, written testimony, Janet Urton, 2 pp**

The following prepared testimony is submitted for the records without public testimony:

- O. **HB 2362, written testimony of Catherine Mains in support, Angela Kimball, 1 p**
- P. **HB 2362, written testimony of Association of Oregon Community Mental Health Programs in support, Angela Kimball, 1 p**
- Q. **HB 2362, written testimony, Janet Arenz, 1 p**