

House Bill 2218

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SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**. The statement includes a measure digest written in compliance with applicable readability standards.

Digest: The Act tells OHA and CCOs to change the rate at which hospitals are reimbursed for certain psychiatric services. (Flesch Readability Score: 62.8).

Requires the Oregon Health Authority and coordinated care organizations to reimburse hospitals for inpatient psychiatric services provided to medical assistance recipients at rates no less than the reimbursement rates for inpatient psychiatric rehabilitation provided by the Oregon State Hospital.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to reimbursement rates for inpatient psychiatric services.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2025 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 414.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1)(a) The Oregon Health Authority shall establish fee-for-service re-**
6 **imbursement rates in the medical assistance program for inpatient psychiatric services**
7 **provided by hospitals that are no less than the budgeted, per diem rates for inpatient psy-**
8 **chiatric rehabilitation provided by the Oregon State Hospital.**

9 **(b) The authority shall adjust the rates established under this subsection to correspond**
10 **with any increases in the rates paid for individuals receiving inpatient psychiatric rehabili-**
11 **tation at the Oregon State Hospital.**

12 **(2) A coordinated care organization shall reimburse hospitals for providing inpatient**
13 **psychiatric services at the rates established in subsection (1) of this section.**

14 **SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2025 Act applies to contracts between a coordinated care**
15 **organization and the Oregon Health Authority entered into, amended or renewed on or after**
16 **the effective date of this 2025 Act.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.