2015 Ways and Means Human Services Subcommittee
Aging and People with Disabilities
Budget Reports and Updates

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Summary of Day

• Special Purpose Appropriation for Seniors
  – Community Based Care Capacity Index
  – Caregiver Training Initiative
  – Quality of Care Fund

• General Assistance Study

• Direct Caregiver Wages

• Ready to Work Registry/ HB4151
Community Based Care Capacity Index

• Transition APD Foster Home Licensing to existing system referred to as ASPEN
• Interface ASPEN records into ADRC Resource Web Page: www.adrcoforegon.org
• Re-engage stakeholders on vacancy, quality, consumer satisfaction attributes.
• Fiscal Impact: $0.00
Caregiver Training Initiative

Nathan Singer, DHS APD

- Oregon Care Partners
- Curriculum
- Attendance

https://www.oregoncarepartners.com
Quality of Care Fund

Ashley Carson Cottingham, DHS APD

- Long Term Care Infection Control Practices Pilot
- Quality Improvement/Team STEPPS Training
- CareHomes Well-Being
- Person-Directed Care Instrument Validation
- Person-Directed Living Video Project
- Community Based Care Staffing Evaluation Tool
- Consumer Disclosure Improvements
General Assistance Study

Erika Miller, DHS APD
Karen Cellarius, Portland State University
John Mullin, Oregon Law Center

• General Assistance Program history.
• Effect of financial stress on health.
• Housing Needs
• Pilot Potential:
  – Supplement existing services with
    • recoverable housing assistance,
    • recoverable personal incidental fund and
    • professional level assistance with the SSA application and appeals process.
Direct Care Wages

Eric Moore, DHS Chief Financial Officer
Donald Erickson, APD/DD Chief Operating Officer
Sara Zuckerbraun, RTI International
Paula Carder, RTI International

Refer to separate detailed presentation prepared by RTI International
HB4151 / HB3618 / Ready to Work Registry

Frank Miles, Background Check Unit Manager

- Serving 780 organizations with 2,516 Qualified Entity Designees running background checks
- 3,257 people have been listed on the Registry
- 46 employers have already been able to utilize the Registry to avoid duplicative background checks
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