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RULE TITLE: Healthcare Interpreter Requirements

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RULE SUMMARY: Updates the rule reference to the current OHA health care interpreter rules in OAR chapter 950, division 50 and clarifies the Board's authority to enforce health care interpreter requirements for chiropractic licensees.

RULE TEXT:

(1) All chiropractic licensees who are reimbursed with public funds, in whole or in part, must work with a healthcare interpreter from the healthcare interpreter registry when communicating with a patient who prefers to communicate in a language other than English or who communicates in signed language, unless the chiropractic licensee is proficient in the patient's preferred language.

(2) Any individual providing healthcare interpreting services must meet the eligibility standards established in Oregon Administrative Rule Chapter 950, division 50.

STATUTORY/OTHER AUTHORITY: ORS 684, ORS 413.558, 413.561

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