

# 2025 Human Services Legislative Summary

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OREGON DEPARTMENT OF  
**Human Services**

# From the Director



Last month the Oregon Legislature concluded its regular session, passing a budget for 2025-27 that includes \$7.5 billion in General Fund dollars for ODHS—a 23% increase over the previous biennium. In a session marked by limited state resources and uncertainty around key federal funding streams, this budget represents a significant accomplishment for our agency and the people we serve. Its investments allow us to address core needs across our programs, strengthen our operational foundations, and improve safety for our clients and staff while continuing to deliver equitable services to Oregon’s children, families, older adults, and people with disabilities.

As you’ll read in this report, the budget allocates important General Fund (GF) resources for improving client and staff safety, shoring up our eligibility operations, and increasing rates for Medicaid providers. It also makes substantial GF investments in youth homelessness services, family programs aimed at preventing child welfare system involvement, and the new Agency with Choice service model, which expands consumers’ options for in-home care.

I am grateful to the members of Legislature for their thoughtful deliberation and collaboration throughout this session. From developing the budget to engaging on key policy matters, their partnership and commitment to supporting our vital work are deeply appreciated.

Our 2025-27 budget is more than a set of numbers. It’s a strong vote of confidence in ODHS, our mission, and the staff and partners whose daily efforts turn legislative investments into real results for the people we serve. In a time of limited resources and competing priorities, these investments unequivocally affirm the value of this work and recognize the difference we make together for Oregon’s children, families, older adults, people with disabilities, and Federally Recognized Tribes.

Best Regards,

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Fariborz Pakseresht  
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# Budget Summary

The 2025-27 legislatively adopted budget for ODHS amounts to **\$23 Billion total funds**—\$7.5 billion of which are state General Fund dollars—and includes **11,384 positions** across the agency. This represents a total funds increase of nearly 17% and 102 additional positions over 2023-25.



	General Fund	Other Funds	Federal Funds	Total Funds
Aging and People with Disabilities	\$ 2,417,905,246	\$ 408,285,886	\$ 4,172,592,885	\$ 6,998,784,017
Central and Shared Services and SAEC*	\$ 577,898,369	\$ 313,897,415	\$ 371,989,797	\$ 1,263,785,581
Child Welfare	\$ 1,150,445,676	\$ 44,914,816	\$ 640,489,967	\$ 1,835,850,459
Intellectual/ Developmental Disabilities	\$ 2,486,722,731	\$ 34,277,318	\$ 4,379,288,295	\$ 6,900,288,344
Oregon Eligibility Partnership	\$ 438,376,111	\$ 12,302,457	\$ 524,719,215	\$ 975,397,783
Self-Sufficiency Programs	\$ 340,607,259	\$ 487,415,526	\$ 4,050,448,063 **	\$ 4,878,470,848
Vocational Rehabilitation	\$ 44,891,292	\$ 3,207,510	\$ 104,601,012	\$ 152,699,814
<b>TOTAL ODHS</b>	<b>\$7,456,846,684</b>	<b>\$1,304,300,928</b>	<b>\$14,244,129,234 **</b>	<b>\$23,005,276,846</b>

\*State assessments and enterprise-wide costs

\*\*Includes both limited and non-limited federal funds

# Budget Highlights



[Senate Bill 5526](#) is ODHS' main budget package. The investments there, along with those from [House Bill 5006](#) and other spending bills, make up the agency's \$23 billion legislatively adopted budget (LAB) for the new biennium.

General Fund (GF) budget highlights include:

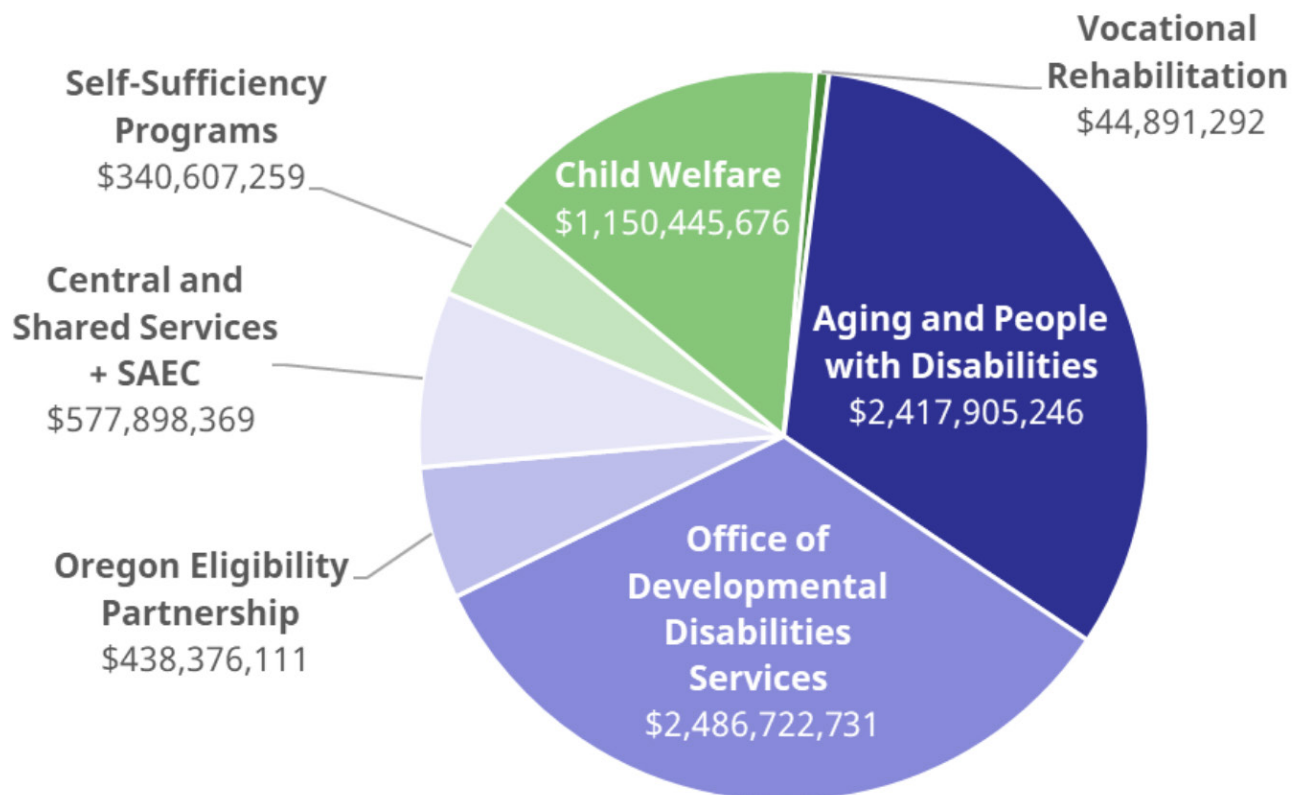
- **A focus on safety and oversight**—A \$2.8 million investment will strengthen oversight capacity in the offices of Aging and People with Disabilities and Developmental Disabilities Services, allowing more timely inspection of newly licensed and newly purchased community-based care facilities and homes. The budget also includes investments for Shared Services security contracts to improve the safety of staff and clients in our local offices, and for positions in Vocational Rehabilitation that will ensure effective administration of employment services contracts.
- **Youth and family support**—The budget makes meaningful investments in prevention and intervention services, including \$19.7 million to sustain core services in the Youth Experiencing Homelessness Program and \$7.0 million to increase access to evidence-based supports aimed at preventing child welfare system involvement.
- **Services for older adults and people with disabilities**—The agency's current service level (CSL) budget includes a \$56.9 million increase to implement the Agency with Choice service model, which will expand options for consumers of in-home supports.
- **Provider rates**—To support continued access to quality services, the budget includes \$75 million to increase Medicaid provider rates in the offices of Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) and Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS),

including targeted investment in APD-licensed adult foster homes to support a more equitable rate model. An additional \$2.4 million increases payments for the Independent Living Program administered by Child Welfare. These increases are in addition to 6% Behavioral Rehabilitation Services (BRS) and 11.3% nursing facility increases included in the CSL.

- **Shoring up operations**—The budget includes several investments to strengthen operational infrastructure in the Oregon Eligibility Partnership, including \$2.2 million for mainframe modernization and \$4.5 million to continue leveraging national data services to efficiently process Oregonians’ benefit applications.

Key 2025-27 investments by appropriation area are outlined below along with any associated budget notes.

## ODHS 2025-27 LAB by Appropriation Area



## Child Welfare

The Legislature approved a \$1.2 billion GF (\$1.8 billion total funds) for Child Welfare along with support for 3,590 positions, amounting to a 12% GF increase over the 2023-25 legislatively approved budget (LAB).<sup>1</sup> New investments focus on expanding Family First Prevention Services, reducing the need for temporary lodging, and increasing provider rates for the Independent Living Program.

### **Reducing the need for temporary lodging**

Senate Bill (SB) 5526 includes \$10 million GF that will help sustain Child Welfare's efforts to prevent experiences of temporary lodging for children and youth in care.

### **Investing in prevention**

The budget allocates \$7.0 million GF to continue key services begun under the federal Family First Prevention Service Act – including family therapy, kinship navigation and more—designed to prevent children's involvement in the child welfare system.

### **Supporting stability for children and youth with foster care experience**

\$2.4 million GF will increase provider payments in the Independent Living Program, ensuring continued access to its critical housing supports for youth transitioning out of care, while two new positions in Child Welfare will focus maximizing youths' Supplemental Security Income (SSI) to improve their financial stability.

## Office of Aging and People with Disabilities

The budget for the Office of Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) amounts to \$2.4 billion GF (\$7.0 billion total funds) for the 2025–27 biennium—a GF increase of 37% over the 2023-25 LAB. The increase reflects growing demand for services, higher costs of care, and reductions in the Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (FMAP) rate for Medicaid costs. Key priorities in this budget include raising provider rates for community-based care and continuing the rollout of the new Agency with Choice service model. The budget also supports 1,638 staff positions.

<sup>1</sup> The legislatively approved budget as of February 2024 is used as the basis for all General Fund percent changes reported in this section.



## **Strengthening safety and regulatory oversight**

SB 5526 includes \$1.3 million General Fund (\$2.6 million total funds) and 19 positions<sup>2</sup> to increase capacity for regulatory oversight of community-based care facilities. The funding is associated with the following budget note:

*Budget Note: Safety and Regulatory Oversight – The Department of Human Services is directed to use the funds associated with Policy Option Package 101 to support the following efforts: (a) Ensure that applications for residential facilities and adult foster homes include proposed policies that demonstrate the prospective provider is prepared to respond to emergencies and support residents with person-centered service delivery; (b) Ensure all providers are inspected within 120 days after their initial licenses are issued or after a change of ownership, and collaborate with providers to address any systemic non-compliance issues identified during those inspections; and, (c) Strengthen memory care facility endorsement requirements to ensure providers meet the specialized needs of residents receiving memory care services, including staff and administrator training, plans for elopement notification and resident transfer, and procedures for emergency evacuation and facility closures.*

## **Provider rates**

The budget includes \$22.4 million GF investment to increase rates for APD adult foster home providers. It also contains the following budget notes concerning rates and wages:

*Budget Note: Wage Transparency – The Department of Human Services is directed to collect data from assisted living facilities, residential care facilities, memory care communities, adult foster homes, and In-Home Care agencies that hold Medicaid contracts with the State of Oregon and serve a material number of Medicaid beneficiaries. The specific information to be collected is the average hourly base pay of direct caregivers as of June 30, 2025, and August 30, 2026. DHS shall compile and summarize this data by care setting and by the state's minimum wage regions in a report to be submitted to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means Subcommittee on Human Services by March 1, 2027. All data provided by community-based care providers and included in the report must be deidentified.*

*Budget Note: Residential Care Facility Rate Methodology – On January 1, 2026, the*

<sup>2</sup> These positions are also associated with [SB 739](#).



*Department of Human Services will implement a restructured rate methodology for payments to standard licensed residential care facility providers, following consultation with impacted providers. The restructured Medicaid rates must be (a) based on individual assessments, (b) reflective of the continuum of need that translates into varying intensity of supports for an individual receiving care, and (c) within the appropriated funding.*

*Budget Note: APD Adult Foster Home Rate Methodology – On January 1, 2026, the Department of Human Services will implement a restructured rate methodology for payments to APD adult foster home providers, following consultation with impacted providers. This new methodology must include adoption of an acuity based payment model designed to reduce reliance on exceptional payments. The model and associated rates must also require adult foster home providers to meet minimum thresholds for additional staff hours and be within the appropriated funding.*

### **Workload model increases**

\$6.0 million GF was appropriated in response to increased workload model projections for Area Agencies on Aging, while \$3.6 million GF and 35 new positions will help address the effects of caseload growth on APD staff workload.

## **Office of Developmental Disabilities Services**

The budget includes \$2.5 billion GF (\$6.9 billion total funds) and 1,035 positions for the Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS), representing a 27% GF increase over 2023-25. The increase is driven primarily by growing caseloads and costs per case, reduced federal Medicaid match, and collective bargaining agreements with non-state employees.

### **Strengthening safety and regulatory oversight**

Alongside the investment in APD's regulatory oversight capacity, the budget allocates to ODDS \$1.6 million GF (\$3.1 million total funds) and 14 permanent positions to increase capacity for regulatory oversight of licensed community-based care homes serving people with intellectual or developmental disabilities. The Safety and

Regulatory Oversight budget note in the APD section above also applies to ODDS.

### **Workload model increases**

The budget includes a \$12.5 million GF increase in response to workload growth in Community Developmental Disabilities Programs (CDDPs) and brokerages around the state, as well as a \$93k GF increase and one new position to accommodate increased workload in Children's Intensive In-home Services.

### **Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU)**

A budget note associated with House Bill (HB) 5006 reads as follows:

*Budget Note: Stabilization and Crisis Unit – The Department of Human Services is directed to develop an operational plan that shortens the length of stay in Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) homes with the intent of achieving and maintaining full HCBS-compliance. The plan should maintain appropriate federal funding and include person-centered transition strategies for individuals currently residing in SACU homes who are best suited for placement in less restrictive, home and community-based settings. In creating the plan, the Department must gather input from individuals receiving services, community partners, and other interested parties. The operational plan must be phased and prepared for the initial phase to begin no later than July 1, 2027. A detailed report on the plan must be submitted to the Joint Interim Committee on Ways and Means by September 30, 2026.*

## **Oregon Eligibility Partnership**

The budget for Oregon Eligibility Partnership (OEP) amounts to \$438 million GF (\$975 million total funds) and 2,616 positions – a nearly 15% GF increase over the previous LAB that will accommodate new federal fees as well as continued information technology improvements.

### **Federal Data Services Hub**

The Federal Data Services Hub (FDSH) is a tool Oregon uses to automatically verify customers' medical eligibility, ensuring optimal efficiency in application processing.

Recent changes to the FDSH include a new fee states must pay for each completed verification. OEP's 2025-27 budget includes a \$4.5 million GF investment to maintain this key automation within Oregon's eligibility enterprise.

### **Elderly Simplified Application Project (ESAP)**

The ESAP is a streamlined application and recertification process designed to help more adults ages 60 and over benefit from the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Oregon will be able to opt in to ESAP this biennium thanks to a \$476k GF (\$952k total funds) investment.

### **Mainframe modernization**

The budget includes \$384k GF (\$769k total funds) for four positions to continue transitioning benefit and provider payment systems from an outdated mainframe to a cloud-based platform.

## **Self-Sufficiency Programs**

The Legislature approved \$341 million GF (\$4.9 billion total funds) and 1,033 positions for Self-Sufficiency Programs (SSP). This represents a 9% GF reduction compared to 2023-25, which is mostly attributable to a one-time shift of personal services costs from state funds to federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) funds.

### **Youth Experiencing Homelessness Program (YEHP)**

A \$19.7 million investment will maintain core services within YEHP, including street outreach, direct cash transfers, short- and medium-term housing, and other supports designed to increase stability for young people who are experiencing or are at risk of experiencing homelessness. The resources will ensure ODHS can continue this vital program and advance Governor Kotek's priority of addressing homelessness in Oregon.

### **Elderly Simplified Application Project (ESAP)**

The budget includes one position to support the adoption of ESAP within SNAP as described in OEP's section above.

### **Refugee resettlement grants**

HB 5006 includes a one-time \$2 million GF increase for grants to Oregon refugee resettlement agencies and community-based organizations to provide extended case management to refugees and individuals seeking asylum.

## **Vocational Rehabilitation**

For Vocational Rehabilitation (VR), the Legislature allocated \$44.9 million GF (\$152.7 million total funds) and 286 positions, representing a 9.3% GF increase over last biennium.

### **Contract and fiscal compliance**

As part of a key package for VR this biennium, the Legislature invested \$746k GF and created four new positions to ensure the program can meet federal requirements related to fiscal oversight and contracts monitoring.

## **Central and Shared Services**

The combined budget for Central Services, Shared Services, and State Assessments and Enterprise-wide Costs (SAEC) is \$578 million GF (\$1.3 billion total funds) and includes 1,186 positions.

### **Increasing safety in ODHS offices**

Recognizing an increase in threatening incidents at ODHS offices throughout the state, the Legislature approved \$1.7 million GF for Shared Services security contracts, which will help maintain safer environments for our staff and customers.

### **Mainframe modernization**

The mainframe investment noted above for OEP also includes \$1.8 million GF for Shared Services along with two new positions to support the modernization project.



### **Addressing water insecurity**

A one-time \$2.5 million GF will support the delivery of safe drinking water to the Lower Umatilla Basin Groundwater Management Area in response to high levels of nitrate in the area's domestic wells.



# Policy Bills with Budget Impacts

- [Senate Bill 136](#) (\$480k General Fund) provides the Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) with authority to revoke a provider license, certificate, or endorsement in certain situations. The aim of the legislation is to strengthen the program's response in cases where repeated technical assistance allows underperforming providers to remain licensed, certified, and/or endorsed.
- [Senate Bill 296](#) (\$2.1 million General Fund) aims to address delays in discharging certain patients from hospitals. The bill directs ODHS, in collaboration with the Oregon Health Authority, to track and improve the timeliness of Medicaid eligibility determinations for individuals seeking long-term services and supports. The goal is to ensure timely placement with residential service providers. Additionally, the bill requires ODHS to study the current regulatory framework for facilities serving individuals with complex needs and report to the Legislature on the resources required to expand those services.
- [Senate Bill 692](#) (\$34k General Fund) establishes the Community-based Perinatal Services Access Fund within Oregon Health Authority. For ODHS, it includes \$34k GF and two positions within Shared Services for associated administrative supports.
- [Senate Bill 739](#) (\$2.6 million General Fund) strengthens regulatory oversight requirements for certain homes and facilities licensed by the offices of Aging and People with Disabilities and Developmental Disabilities Services. The bill will shorten timelines for initial inspections of new providers, enhance some requirements for licensure applications, require facilities to notify residents and their families of certain regulatory actions that may impact residents, and allow for adult foster homes in good standing to hold two-year licenses rather than needing annual license renewals.
- [Senate Bill 960](#) supports HB 5006's \$2 million investment in refugee services by updating language in ORS 411.139. The update ensures that refugee resettlement agencies can contract with ODHS.

# Tracked Bills at a Glance\*

BILL	TOPIC	EFFECTIVE
<a href="#">HB 2005</a>	Describes when a person is in need of treatment because the person is a danger to self, a danger to others, unable to provide for basic personal needs or has a chronic mental disorder.	Upon passage
<a href="#">HB 2024</a>	Directs OHA to award grants to eligible entities to foster the recruitment and retention of behavioral health care providers.	July 1, 2025
<a href="#">HB 2059</a>	Establishes the Residential Behavioral Health Capacity Program within OHA to fund behavioral health programs determined to increase residential behavioral health capacity.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 2069</a>	Establishes the Task Force on Tribal Consultation 2025 and specifies the task force membership.	Upon passage
<a href="#">HB 2089</a>	Provides for a process by which former owners of real property deeded to the county for delinquent property taxes may claim the surplus value after the county had disposed of the property.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#">HB 2299</a>	Modifies the crime of unlawful dissemination of an intimate image to include the disclosure of digitally created, manipulated or altered images.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 2341</a>	Adds a uniformed service member's or veteran's email address to the information that ODHS, OHS, DELC and ODOT Directors are required to provide to the Director of Veteran's Affairs.	Jan 1, 2026

## Acronyms Key

HB - House Bill

SB - Senate Bill

DELC - Department of Early Learning and Care

ODHS - Oregon Department of Human Services

ODOT - Oregon Department of Transportation

OHA - Oregon Health Authority

OHCS - Oregon Housing and Community Services

SNAP - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program

\*This list is limited to passed bills identified as high-priority by ODHS.

<b>BILL</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE</b>
<a href="#">HB 2555</a>	Changes the name of the Family Sentencing Alternative Pilot Program to the Family Sentencing Alternative Program.	Upon passage
<a href="#">HB 2573</a>	Modifies the requirements for the Senior Emergency Medical Services Innovation Program.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#">HB 2586</a>	Permits an asylum seeker who is a student at an Oregon public university to receive an exemption from nonresident tuition and fees.	May 27, 2025
<a href="#">HB 2741</a>	Directs the OHA to maintain a state public health laboratory, administer a newborn bloodspot screening program and implement related programs.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 2805</a>	Makes permanent the Department of Agriculture's authority to annually increase food establishment license fees by up to 3%.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 2930</a>	Applies conflict of interest provisions to members of the household of public officials.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3003</a>	Modifies the list of data that ODHS must include in its annual child welfare report.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3044</a>	Defines "Advanced Practice Registered Nurse," "diagnosing" and "medication aide."	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#">HB 3199</a>	Requires the Legislative Policy and Research Director to conduct a study on statewide attendance initiatives.	Upon passage
<a href="#">HB 3224</a>	Requires ODHS to review state statutes to identify all instances of required background checks and similarities and differences among them, and to report on options to consolidate and reduce the number of background checks conducted for similar purposes.	June 11, 2025
<a href="#">HB 3348</a>	Modifies provisions of law regarding child support program administration.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3370</a>	Modifies the time frame in which agencies may submit information to financial institutions related to deceased members or depositors.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3449</a>	Allows moneys available for a pilot program to provide support to foster child students to be used in other schools of the grantee's school district.	May 28, 2025



<b>BILL</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE</b>
<a href="#">HB 3506</a>	Directs OHCS to investigate housing challenges and issue a report by September 15, 2026.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3569</a>	Requires an agency that appoints a rules advisory committee with regard to rules implementing legislation to invite certain legislators to participate on the committee as nonvoting members.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3942</a>	Directs OHA to provide for an expedited licensure process for health care facilities, except long term care facilities and residential facilities that primarily serve persons under 21 years of age.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">HB 3970</a>	Modifies the list of persons who may receive services and assistance funded by the Emergency Housing Account.	Upon passage
<a href="#">SB 15</a>	Modifies calculations of the fair market value of simple estate assets with regard to manufactured homes.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 64</a>	Requires ODHS to seek a waiver of federal requirements in SNAP in order to allow SNAP recipients to receive advance installment payments of the tax credit for dependent care expenses.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#">SB 135</a>	Requires the appointment of representatives of local CASA Volunteer Programs to specified review teams.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 136</a>	Authorizes ODHS, under specified circumstances, to revoke, suspend or impose conditions on the license, certificate or endorsement of a provider of services to individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 168</a>	Modifies evidence required to establish parentage in a probate proceeding.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 228</a>	Establishes the right of a resident of a residential care facility to organize and participate in resident groups, including an independent family council.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 277</a>	Allows a law enforcement agency or public body to provide information, or enter into an agreement to provide information, as required to effect an international extradition and return of a person charged with or convicted of a crime in this state and for whom a warrant of arrest has been issued.	May 14, 2025
<a href="#">SB 296</a>	Directs ODHS and OHA to study ways to expedite the eligibility process for long term care.	Upon passage

<b>BILL</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE</b>
<a href="#"><u>SB 476</u></a>	Requires professional licensing boards to provide culturally responsive staff training and publish guidance on pathways to professional authorization for internationally educated individuals.	July 1, 2025
<a href="#"><u>SB 537</u></a>	Creates workplace violence prevention requirements for certain health care entities.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 690</u></a>	Requires courts to delay residential eviction trials for nonpayment until at least 90 days following defendants' motion and declaration regarding their health-related social needs housing supports.	Upon passage
<a href="#"><u>SB 692</u></a>	Establishes a community-based perinatal services access program to increase access to culturally specific and culturally competent community-based services during the perinatal period.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 729</u></a>	Extends to all public bodies the prohibition against denying mental health services to individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#"><u>SB 739</u></a>	Modifies the requirements for investigations of a residential care facility following a complaint of a licensing violation.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 741</u></a>	Directs ODHS to report each even-numbered year to the relevant interim committees of the Legislative Assembly and the Joint Interim Committee on Ways and Means about compensation to individuals who maintain a foster home or to child caring agencies that authorize proctor foster homes.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 808</u></a>	Provides hiring and promotion preferences in public employment to members and former members of the Oregon National Guard.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 810</u></a>	Directs ODHS to collaborate with the Department of Education to increase opportunities for individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities to obtain and advance in competitive integrated employment.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#"><u>SB 815</u></a>	Clarifies that ODHS must be made a party to certain child dependency proceedings.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 826</u></a>	Requires Oregon Department of Emergency Management to update the state's interoperability communications plan.	July 1, 2026
<a href="#"><u>SB 837</u></a>	Allows deployment of volunteers outside of declared emergencies.	Jan 1, 2026

<b>BILL</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE</b>
<a href="#">SB 945</a>	Establishes medical assistance eligibility for individuals under age 26 who have aged out of foster care.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 950</a>	Allows the State Board of Sign Language Interpreters to establish by rule criteria for the issuance of a supervisory sign language interpreter license.	Sept 26, 2025
<a href="#">SB 968</a>	Provides conditions and procedures under which a public employer may deduct amounts of erroneous overpayments from a public employee's wages.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 982</a>	Authorizes school districts to use public funds for out-of-state placement of students only if specified criteria are satisfied.	June 5, 2025
<a href="#">SB 1011</a>	Allows a federally recognized Indian tribe located in this state to submit a request to the Governor for retrocession of Public Law 280 jurisdiction.	May 22, 2025
<a href="#">SB 1016</a>	Directs ODHS to maintain an inventory of appropriate carriers for the transportation of a foster child's personal belongings.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 1066</a>	Extends an exception for certain residential training homes and adult foster homes from state building code requirements to have installed an automatic sprinkler system.	June 16, 2025
<a href="#">SB 1108</a>	Makes blood donation that is made in connection with a voluntary program that is approved or accredited by the American Association of Blood Banks or the American Red Cross a permissible use of sick time.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 1168</a>	Prohibits per-visit compensation for home health care and home hospice care staff.	Jan 1, 2026
<a href="#">SB 5526</a>	Appropriates moneys from the General Fund to ODHS for certain biennial expenses.	July 1, 2025
<a href="#">SB 5527</a>	Approves certain new or increased fees adopted by ODHS.	July 1, 2025
<a href="#">SCR 25</a>	Recognizes and honors Ruth McEwen for her outstanding service to the people of the State of Oregon.	Upon passage

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