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Bill Protecting Planned Parenthood Funding Passes House, Positions Oregon as National Leader in Protecting Reproductive Health Care

SALEM, Ore. – Today, the Oregon House passed [HB 4127](#), a critical measure to ensure Oregonians can continue accessing essential health care services by protecting state funding for Planned Parenthood.

In an alarming and targeted move, on July 4, 2025, the Trump Administration enacted the federal budget bill that blocks "prohibited entities" from receiving any Medicaid reimbursements for one year. This language is designed to specifically target Planned Parenthood. Together, Planned Parenthood Columbia Willamette (PPCW) and Planned Parenthood Southern Oregon (PPSO) operate 11 health centers across the state, and one in Vancouver, Washington. In fiscal year 2025 alone, PPCW and PPSO collectively provided care through nearly 100,000 visits.

"This bill ensures that Oregonians can continue to access affordable, health care from Planned Parenthood. Tens of thousands of Oregonians will benefit," said **House Majority Leader Bowman** (D-Tigard, Metzger, S Beaverton). "Oregon is reaffirming its role as a national leader in protecting comprehensive preventative health care."

"Without Planned Parenthood, I wouldn't have been able to get in quickly for a screening, and I may have faced a dangerous delay in learning that I had cancer. Access to timely, affordable preventive care literally changed the trajectory of my life, which is why reimbursement for these essential services matters to me so deeply," added **Rep. Hartman** (D - Gladstone, Oregon City & N Clackamas County).

The bill does not pay for abortion services, which is already prohibited by the [Hyde Amendment](#). Instead, it supports the broad range of other health care services these clinics provide to Oregon Health Plan members, including preventive screenings, contraception, testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections, and general reproductive health care.

“When Washington, D.C. politicians try to take away essential healthcare from Oregonians, and close clinics as part of a back-door abortion ban, we have to stand up for the people of this state and say no,” said **Rep. Dobson** (D – Happy Valley & N Clackamas County).

Rep. Rieke Smith (D - Wilsonville, Sherwood, King City, Tigard) added: “Passage of HB 4127 is about keeping our promises to Oregonians who rely on Medicaid for basic, lifesaving reproductive health care. This bill makes clear that no matter your ZIP code, income, or immigration status, you deserve timely access to care.”

If federal policy changes or funding restrictions prevent Planned Parenthood health centers from receiving Medicaid reimbursement, HB 4127 ensures Oregon can step in with state funding so patients do not lose access to care.

“I am proud to see HB 4127 pass the House,” said **Rep. Nosse** (D - Inner SE & Inner NE Portland), chair of the House Committee on Health Care. “At a time when federal actions have created deep uncertainty for patients and providers across the country, Oregon is stepping forward with a thoughtful approach that provides stability for the tens of thousands of Oregonians who rely on Planned Parenthood for cancer screenings, STI testing and treatment, annual exams, and long-acting birth control.”

At this moment, HB 4127 positions Oregon as a national leader. It reflects the state’s longstanding commitment to ensuring that Oregonians can access the health care they need. As other states grapple with how to respond to federal instability, Oregon’s approach offers a model for protecting continuity of care.

The bill now moves to the Senate for consideration.

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