

A-Engrossed
House Bill 3353

Ordered by the House April 19
Including House Amendments dated April 19

Sponsored by Representative KENNEMER

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.

[Directs education providers to mail written notice before conducting dental screening on students at location associated with education provider. Prescribes contents of notice. Allows parent or legal guardian of student to request to not participate in dental screening.]

Provides that when school district or prekindergarten program causes dental screening to be conducted of all students in one or more classrooms or in one or more grades where students are 14 years of age or younger, school district or prekindergarten program must provide students or parents or guardians of students opportunity to request not to participate in dental screening.

Takes effect on *[July 1, 2018.]* **91st day following adjournment sine die.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to dental screenings; and prescribing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section:

(a) "Dental screening" has the meaning given that term in ORS 336.213.

(b) "Prekindergarten program" means a program that is recognized as an Oregon prekindergarten program under ORS 329.170 to 329.200.

(2) A school district or prekindergarten program that causes a dental screening to be conducted of all of the students in one or more classrooms or in one or more grades where the students are 14 years of age or younger must provide the students or the parents or guardians of the students an opportunity to request not to participate in the dental screening.

(3) At least two weeks before a school district or prekindergarten program causes to be conducted a dental screening of all of the students in one or more classrooms or in one or more grades where the students are 14 years of age or younger, the school district or prekindergarten program must provide written notice of the dental screening to each student for whom the dental screening will be conducted.

(4) The notice required by subsection (3) of this section must:

(a) Explain that either a student or a parent or guardian of a student has the right to request in writing that the student not participate in the dental screening;

(b) Explain that, on the day of the dental screening, a student or a parent or guardian of a student may request, orally or in writing, that the student not participate in the screening;

(c) Explain who will administer the dental screening and who will have access to the re-

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.

1 **sults of screening; and**

2 **(d) Meet any other requirements established by the State Board of Education by rule.**

3 **(5) This section does not authorize a school district or a prekindergarten program to**
4 **cause a dental screening to be conducted on an individual student who is 14 years of age or**
5 **younger without first receiving the written consent of a parent or guardian of the student**
6 **if the dental screening is not conducted as part of a dental screening of all students in one**
7 **or more classrooms or one or more grades.**

8 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2017 Act first applies to actions causing a dental screening**
9 **to be conducted during the 2017-2018 school year.**

10 **SECTION 3. This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2017**
11 **regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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