

Senate Bill 835

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

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 **as introduced**.

Allows dentist to advertise practice in specialty area of dentistry. Authorizes Oregon Board of Dentistry to adopt rules.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to advertising by dentists; and declaring an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2019 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 679.**

5 **SECTION 2. (1) A dentist licensed by the Oregon Board of Dentistry may advertise that**
6 **the dentist practices in one or more specialty areas of dentistry if the dentist:**

7 (a) **Has completed a post-doctoral residence program accredited by the Commission on**
8 **Dental Accreditation, or its successor organization, and approved by the board by rule;**

9 (b) **Is a specialist as defined by the National Commission on Recognition of Dental Spe-**
10 **cialties and Certifying Boards, or its successor organization, and adopted by the board by**
11 **rule; or**

12 (c) **Has completed an advanced dental education program recognized by the United States**
13 **Department of Education, and approved by the board by rule.**

14 (2) **The board may adopt rules as necessary to carry out this section.**

15 **SECTION 3. (1) Section 2 of this 2019 Act becomes operative on January 1, 2020.**

16 (2) **The Oregon Board of Dentistry may take any action before the operative date speci-**
17 **fied in subsection (1) of this section that is necessary to enable the board to exercise, on and**
18 **after the operative date specified in subsection (1) of this section, all of the duties, functions**
19 **and powers conferred on the board by section 2 of this 2019 Act.**

20 **SECTION 4. This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
21 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect**
22 **on its passage.**

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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.