## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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## Sen. Risser:

Because the Oregon law you provided was rather straightforward and used much of the same terminology that is used in Wisconsin's pharmacy practice law, this draft hews very closely to the Oregon law, aside from certain technical and terminology differences and as noted in the draft. There was one provision I did not include from the Oregon law, which simply stated that state and federal insurance laws would apply. This did not seem necessary, since we probably cannot control what federal law will cover and s. 632.895 (17), Wis. Stats., is already worded such that if this bill passed, an insurance plan would have to cover the prescription in the same way it would cover a prescription issued by anyone else. Let us know if you have further questions about state or federal health insurance coverage for contraceptives or anything else.

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