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November Oregon HIV Care Coalition meeting scheduled

What: Oregon HIV Care Coalition meeting

When: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2011
(Registration at 8:45 a.m.)

Where: ODOT Human Resources Center
2775 19th St. S.E., Suite C
Salem, OR 97302

Agenda:

9:00 a.m. Convene General Assembly; Agenda Review
9:15 a.m. Introductions/Public Comment (sign in prior to 9 a.m. – limit 2 min. per person)
9:30 a.m. Reports: Ryan White grantees and community partners
10:15 a.m. Oregon HIV/VH/STI Integrated Planning Group Report
10:30 a.m. Break
10:45 a.m. Statewide Coordinated Statement of Need
12:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m. Comprehensive Plan Goals
2:45 p.m. Small-Group Report-Back
3:00 p.m. Celebrating Oregon HIV Care Coalition (1999-2011)
4:00 p.m. Adjourn

Details: This will be the last meeting of the coalition before it merges with the Statewide Prevention Group in January 2012.

Reasonable accommodations will be provided as needed for people requesting assistive hearing devices, sign language interpreters or large-print materials. People needing these types of accommodations should call Karen L. Smith, Public Health Division, 971-673-0084, at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

Background: The Oregon HIV Care Coalition was formed in 1999 for the purpose of providing assistance to the HIV Care and Treatment Program to define a continuum of medical and supportive services for low-income persons living with HIV in the state. Members are representative of federal, state and local health and social services agencies and programs. Additional members are appointed to represent the perspective of people living with HIV and of other stakeholders from the community.