The DHS Child Welfare Action Plan Community Forum has been extended to include additional locations.

You are invited to provide input to the Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS) on Oregon’s foster care system. DHS would like to hear directly from the people and communities it serves. Make plans to attend a DHS Child Welfare Action Plan Community Forum in March.

The community forum will include:
- Updates from DHS leadership
- In-depth roundtable discussions to provide solutions to child safety barriers
- Opportunity to network and talk directly with DHS leadership and staff

These listening tours have proven to be valuable and have already happened in these locations:
- Bend - Wednesday, January 3
- Oregon City - Tuesday, January 16
- Beaverton - Thursday, January 18
- Roseburg - Wednesday, January 24
- Klamath Falls - Thursday, January 25
- La Grande - Thursday, February 1
- North Bend – Tuesday, February 27

Your participation is extremely valuable to us as we move forward, so make plans to attend a meeting in your local area!

Monday, March 12
THE DALLES:
Columbia Gorge Community College, 400 E Scenic Drive, Building #2, The Dalles, OR
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Community Forum
Please let us know if you plan to attend: child.safety@state.or.us - Use subject line THE DALLES

Monday, March 19
SALEM:
Oregon Department of Human Services, 4600 25th Ave NE, Salem, OR
3:15 pm - 4:15 pm - Current and former foster youth session / Current and former foster parent networking
4:30 pm - 7:00 pm - Community Forum
Please let us know if you plan to attend: child.safety@state.or.us - Use subject line SALEM
Thursday, March 29
PORTLAND:
Oregon Department of Human Services, 11826 NE Glisan Street, Portland, OR
3:15 pm - 4:15 pm - Current and former foster youth session / Current and former foster parent networking
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm - Community Forum
Please let us know if you plan to attend: child.safety@state.or.us - Use subject line PORTLAND

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