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To: All ODDS staff and partners (Please share with individuals and families who may require ODDS services and supports.)

Subject: Healthier Oregon resources from ODDS

The state launched the Healthier Oregon program on July 1. This program will ensure that more people living in Oregon have access to Oregon Health Plan benefits and ODDS long-term services and supports **regardless of their immigration status.**

The Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) is responsible for helping people access the I/DD services and supports covered by the Healthier Oregon program. For more information, read the [ODDS director's message from June 10](#).

Please use these resources to assist you in promoting Healthier Oregon and the program's benefits to those who need them.

- [ODDS' Healthier Oregon web page](#)
- ODDS' Healthier Oregon flyers
 - [English](#)
 - [Español / Spanish](#)
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 - [Soomaali / Somali](#)
 - [Українська / Ukrainian](#)
 - [Tiếng Việt / Vietnamese](#)
 - [简体中文 / Simplified Chinese](#)
 - Other languages available on request

- [Healthier Oregon FAQs \(Spanish\)](#)
- [Healthier Oregon mailings and flyers](#) (available in multiple languages).
- Healthier Oregon benefits are not affected by the Public Charge ruling, but there is an exception for long-term care services provided in a nursing facility or state hospital. For more information, see “[Know the Facts about Public Charge.](#)”

If you have questions about how Healthier Oregon affects your ODDS services, email ODDS.Questions@dhsosha.state.or.us.

Thank you,

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