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OREGON BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE – SEEKING VOLUNTEERS FOR BOARD FORMULARY COUNCIL!

APPLY TODAY!! [Application for membership](#) must be submitted by **Monday, March 16 @ 12pm.**

WHO ARE WE LOOKING FOR:

- **One (1) individual who has an advanced degree in either pharmaceutical or medical science.**
 - **Advanced degrees in pharmaceutical science:** Pharmaceutical science, defined by the [AACP Research and Graduate Affairs Committee](#), encompasses a broad range of interdisciplinary fields related to drug discovery, optimization, delivery, optimal dosing, as well as health outcomes and policy. Disciplines of pharmaceutical sciences may include, but are not limited to, medicinal chemistry, pharmaceuticals, pharmacogenetics, pharmacology, biotechnology, pharmacoconomics, pharmacoepidemiology, pharmacokinetics/clinical pharmacokinetics, clinical pharmacy/ pharmacotherapy, patient safety, regulatory science, health informatics, outcomes, and public health aspects of drug discovery and optimization.
 - **Advanced degrees in medical science:** Graduate-level (Master's or Doctoral) qualifications focused on biomedical research, healthcare leadership, and specialized clinical knowledge beyond a bachelor's degree. Key degrees include the Master of Science in Medical Science (MSMS), Doctor of Medical Science (DMSc), MD, and PhD in biomedical fields; practicing / serving roles in research, academia, and healthcare management.
- **One (1) MD/DO licensed by the Oregon Medical Board**

WHAT DOES THE FORMULARY COUNCIL DO?

Seven-member advisory committee to the Board, that reviews and recommends safe, effective and evidence-based pharmaceuticals for use by naturopathic physicians. **The Council members guide critical decisions regarding training, medication approvals, updates to formulary guidelines, and policies that impact the practice of naturopathic medicine in Oregon.**

WHO IS ON THE FORMULARY COUNCIL?

Seven members of the council include one OBNM ND Board member and one Or. licensed ND appointed by OBNM; two licensed Or. pharmacists appointed by the Or. Board of Pharmacy, **one Or. licensed physician appointed by the Oregon Medical Board. Two additional members appointed by the Formulary Council who hold an advanced degree in either pharmaceutical or medical science.**

Meet the members: <https://www.oregon.gov/obnm/Pages/Formulary%20Council.aspx>

WHAT IS THE TIME COMMITMENT:

The Council meets virtually, biannually (March/September). **A per diem is included.** The time commitment is approximately 1.5-3 hours per meeting month, **providing a meaningful but manageable commitment.**

WHO CAN I CONTACT FOR MORE INFO? Executive Director marybeth.baptista@obnm.oregon.gov