

Oregon's Medicaid Advisory Committee (MAC) is recruiting candidates to fill multiple open positions, including at least:

- **One** member of a health care consumer group that serves Medicaid recipients
- **Two** members of the general public, with special interest in individuals who have experience with the Oregon Health Plan (OHP), either as an enrollee, caregiver, or family member
- **One** representative of a health care organization

**Details:** Ideal candidates are committed to eliminating inequities and improving health care access and quality for Oregonians that are enrolled in Oregon's Medicaid program, the Oregon Health Plan (OHP). MAC members are appointed by the Governor to serve up to two, two-year terms. Individuals from all areas of the state are encouraged to apply.

The MAC is a federally mandated body that develops policy recommendations for the Oregon Health Policy Board (OHPB), the Oregon Health Authority (OHA), and the Department of Human Services (DHS) regarding the operation of Oregon's Medicaid program.

Key responsibilities of MAC members include:

- Regular participation in committee meetings (i.e., attend at least 80%) held eight times each year on the 4th Wednesday of the month (attendance can be virtual)
- Engaging in policy-level discussions about the future of health care in Oregon
- Working to elevate the voices and perspectives of OHP members
- Participate fully, respectfully, and constructively
- Spending approximately one to two additional hours each month to prepare for meetings (e.g., review of meeting materials)

MAC members influence Oregon's Medicaid program in many important ways. Recent work includes:

- Using Health Related Services to Address Housing Needs: A Guide for CCOs
- Addressing the Social Determinants of Health – Recommendations for Oregon's CCO Model
- Developing a framework on oral health access in Oregon

More information about the MAC and materials from previous meetings are on the MAC's website:

<http://www.oregon.gov/oha/OHPR/MAC/Pages/index.aspx>

### **How to Apply:**

If you are interested in working to improve Oregon's Medicaid program through the work of the MAC, please send a [completed application](#) to [executive.appointments@oregon.gov](mailto:executive.appointments@oregon.gov) with a cc to [mac.info@state.or.us](mailto:mac.info@state.or.us).

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