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Oregon's Health Care Market Oversight (HCMO) Program

Rules Advisory Committee Meeting #3

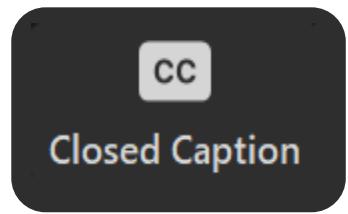
January 13, 2026

Meeting Logistics

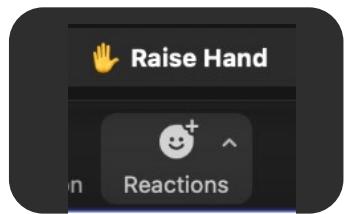


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Agenda

- Public comment (2:05 PM)
- Review Racial Equity Impact Statement, Fiscal Impact Statement
- Continue discussing proposed rule changes
- Wrap up / next steps

For attendance: please enter your name in the chat.

For technical assistance, send a direct message in the chat to Lauren Neely.

Tentative Rulemaking Timeline

OHA continues
to accept &
consider input

November 6, 2025 (1st)
December 11, 2025 (2nd)
January 13, 2026 (3rd and final)

RAC meetings

March 2026

Rules Hearing (tentative)

April 2026

Last day for public
comment (tentative)

May 1, 2026

Rules effective date
(tentative)

*RAC members
and the public
can submit
comments via
email, voicemail
or public
comment form
at any time
during this
process.*

Reminder: Roles for Today's Meeting

OHA Staff	Present information about HCMO, the RAC, and the proposed rule changes. Facilitate the meeting.
RAC Members	Provide input on the draft rules; suggest additional changes to rules.
Public	Provide additional input during public comment period.

RAC members and the public can also submit comments via email or public comment form at any time during this process.



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Public Comment

Public Comment

- Public comment for rulemaking is open until the rulemaking process ends.
- This meeting includes time for public comment.
- Do not include private or sensitive information in your comments

Send comments to: HCMO.info@oha.oregon.gov

Raise your hand on Zoom

When facilitator calls on you, state your

- name
- organization/affiliation
- idea for rule changes / comments on proposed rule changes





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Racial Equity Impact Statement



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Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact Worksheet



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Draft Rules

Feedback

For today's RAC meeting, HCMO has provided a summary of all feedback and suggested rule changes received through January 7th.

If you would like to provide feedback for consideration for the third draft of the rules that will be submitted to the Secretary of State (SoS), **please do so by January 16.**

Comments on rules can be provided via email, voicemail or online form.

Tolling

OHA received multiple comments about tolling (see [RAC 2 document](#)).

OHA has considered these comments and is not proposing any rule changes regarding tolling.

OHA's use of tolling is designed to lessen the need to unilaterally suspend a transaction to conduct an examination and complete an analysis of whether the transaction meets statutory and regulatory criteria.

Revised fee schedule

Proposed new HCMO fee schedule, by activity effective ~May 2026

OAR 409-070-0030 Requirement to File a Notice of Material Change Transaction

Activity	Current Fees	Proposed Fees	Notes
Optional Application for Determination of Covered Transaction Status	\$0	\$0	OHA wants to encourage entities to continue to engage with HCMO and seek optional determinations.
Emergency Exemption	\$2,000	\$2,000	
Preliminary Review	\$2,000	\$30,000	Proposed fee includes legal costs; OHA will not pass on outside advisor legal costs to entities during preliminary review.

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Comprehensive Review (based on smaller entity's revenue) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <\$50m• <\$200m• <\$500m• >\$500m	\$25,000 \$80,000 \$90,000 \$100,000	\$200,000 \$250,000 \$300,000 \$350,000	
Follow-up Review <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One-year• Two-year• Five-year	\$0 \$0 \$0	\$15,000 \$15,000 \$30,000	

5-year fee overview

	Preliminary Review	Comprehensive Review
Estimated % of Subject Transactions	100%	5-10%
OHA Transaction Fee	\$30,000	\$200,000-\$350,000
Outside Advisor Fees	\$0	TBD (OHA will provide initial budget)
1-yr Follow-Up Fee	\$15,000	\$15,000
2-yr Follow-Up Fee	\$15,000	\$15,000
5-yr Follow-Up Fee	\$30,000	\$30,000
Total Fees over 5 Years	\$90,000	\$260,000-\$410,000 plus outside advisor fees

Other feedback on HCMO rules



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Next Steps

For More Information

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www.Oregon.gov/HCMO

HCMO Rules

<https://www.oregon.gov/oha/HPA/HP/Pages/HCMO-Rules.aspx>

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Thank you for your engagement in this process!

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YOU**

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