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To: Coordinated Care Organizations

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Subject: Extension of Community Advisory Council member selection deadline

This communication is notice of the Oregon Health Authority's (OHA) decision to extend the deadline for selection of Community Advisory Council members in its coordinated care organization (CCO) 2.0 contracts effective October 1, 2019.

Each CCO is required to establish a Community Advisory Council (CAC) pursuant to ORS 414.575. The original deadline for initial CAC member selection under the CCO 2.0 contract was March 31, 2020. This deadline was first extended to April 30 and then to June 30. These extensions were communicated to CCOs' contract administrators on March 9 and April 2, respectively.

OHA is further extending the deadline for CAC member selection to September 30, 2020. This extension applies to all categories of CAC membership, including tribal representation.

CCOs experiencing challenges in meeting the tribal representation requirement should contact Michael Stickler, Tribal Affairs Health Policy Analyst, at michael.d.stickler@dhsaha.state.or.us. Please do not delay in contacting him with questions or for assistance. CCOs should contact him even they've been previously informed that the tribe(s) in their Service Area cannot prioritize CAC participation at this time.

Questions?

If you have questions about this communication, please contact the Transformation Center at transformation.center@dhsaha.state.or.us.

Thank you for your continued support of the Oregon Health Plan (OHP) and the services you provide to OHP members.