

Public Health Division



Office of the State Public Health Director

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Danielle Bethell, Chair

Marion County Board of Commissioners

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Dear Chair Bethell:

Oregon Health Authority (OHA) Public Health Division (PHD) conducted the triennial review of Marion County Public Health during March 2025. We sincerely appreciate the time of all of the Marion County staff people who participated in the triennial review process. OHA-PHD staff determined findings based on compliance with federal and state statutes or rules, the Intergovernmental Agreement for the Financing of Public Health Services (PH-IGA), and the Intergovernmental Agreement for Environmental Health Services (EH-IGA).

The review included appraisal of items in the program areas listed below. Program areas that had compliance findings are indicated with an asterisk.

- Administrative
- Child and Family Health
- Civil Rights
- Communicable Disease*
- Drinking Water
- Fiscal*
- Food, Pool, & Lodging Health & Safety
- Health Officer
- Immunizations*
- Public Health Emergency Preparedness
- Tuberculosis
- Vital Records

An overview report is enclosed, which includes program strengths, any compliance findings, their corrective actions and due dates. A full report with all documentation will be sent to your local public health leadership and is intended to be of assistance to staff in their continuing efforts to provide quality public health services to your community.

Please note that compliance findings are not unusual, particularly with the fiscal review. For compliance findings, there is an agreed upon timeline for correction. Once all triennial review findings have been resolved we will send another letter indicating that we have closed the review.

Thank you and your public health staff for your unwavering commitment to serving your community.

Sincerely,



Liz Hunt

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