

News release

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Oregon Health Policy Board and Oregon Health Insurance Exchange Board to hold joint meeting August 14 in Portland

What: The Oregon Health Policy Board will hold its monthly meeting August 14 in Portland. The meeting will be co-hosted by the Oregon Health Insurance Exchange Board in order to discuss joint business regarding the Essential Health Benefits work group's recommendations. Other agenda items will include updates on Coordinated Care Organizations and an update on federal health reform's impacts on Oregon. Public testimony will also be heard.

When: Tuesday, August 14, 2012. The OHPB portion of the meeting will be from noon to 3 p.m.; the Oregon Health Insurance Exchange Board will have additional meeting time from 9 – 11 a.m. and 3 – 5 p.m.

Where: Market Square Building, ninth floor, 1515 S.W. Fifth Ave. The meeting also will be available via [live Web stream](#), and a recording of the meeting will be posted on the board's [meeting page](#).

Agenda:

- Consent agenda
- Oregon Health Authority director's report
- Essential Health Benefits work group recommendations
- Public testimony on essential health benefits recommendations
- Federal health care reform updates and next steps

For more information on the meeting, visit the board's [meeting page](#).

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