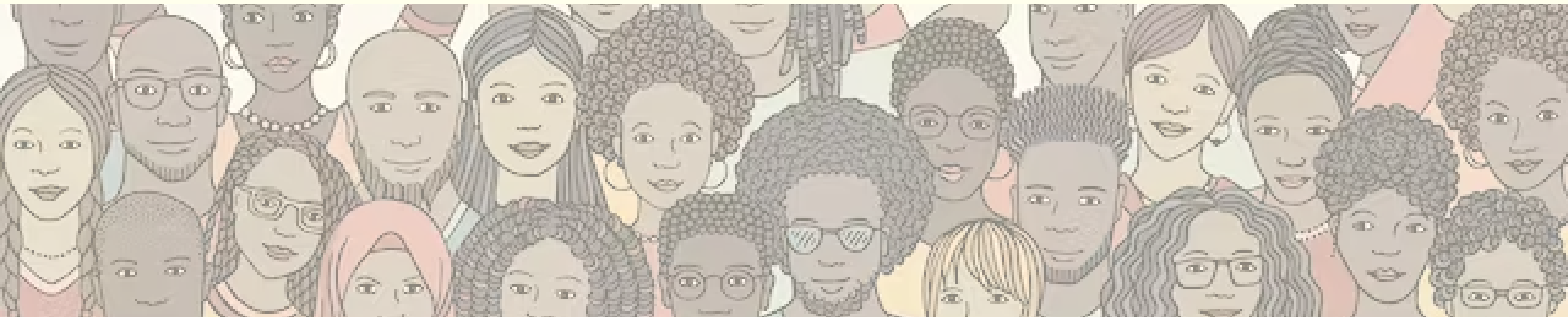


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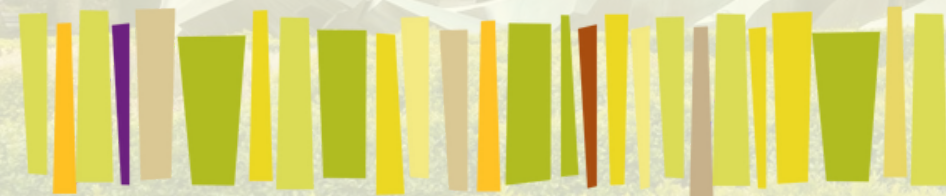


# Oregon Advocacy Commissions Office

The OACO is a state agency supporting four independent advocacy commissions

**OCFW**

Oregon Commission For Women



**OCHA**

Oregon Commission on Hispanic Affairs



**OCBA**

Oregon Commission on Black Affairs



**OCAPIA**

Oregon Commission on Asian and Pacific Islander Affairs



# Oregon Advocacy Commissions Office

**Civic Engagement**



**Education**



**Environmental Justice**



**Health & Wellbeing**



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**Jobs & Economy**



**Justice & Safety**

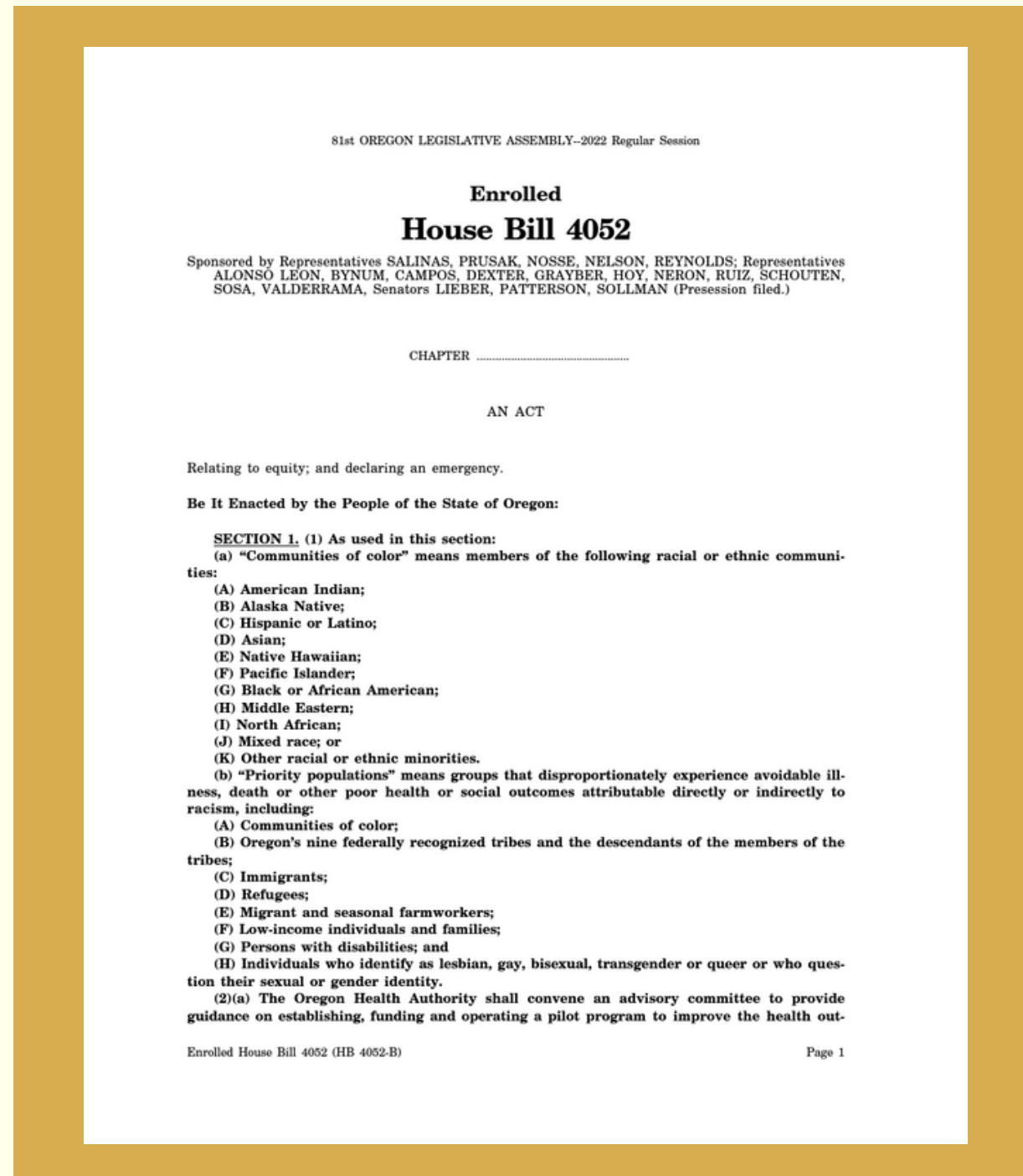


# OACO AND HOUSE BILL 4052

## New law effective March 2022

- addressing racism as a public health crisis
- improving health and social outcomes for people in Oregon marginalized by racism and colonialism

## Two agencies tasked with implementing the bill





**House Bill 4052 is a law in Oregon that passed in March, 2022. The goal of the law is to fund and start programs to improve the health and social outcomes of communities of color.**

The communities who are the focus of this bill are:

- American Indian;
- Alaska Native;
- Black or African American;
- Hispanic or Latino;
- Asian;
- Native Hawaiian;
- Middle Eastern;
- North African;
- Mixed race, and other people of color;
- Immigrants and refugees;
- People who travel to the US to work on farms;
- Low-income individuals and families;
- Persons with disabilities;
- Individuals who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, or who are questioning their gender or sexuality.

# **There are two state agencies tasked with carrying out the goals of the bill; they are:**

## **The Oregon Health Authority (OHA)**

**The OHA will create a group made up of people of color, and public health workers, and experts to guide OHA in designing a mobile health pilot program (like a test program). Based on ideas from the committee, the OHA will give money to organizations to run two mobile health units in Oregon that care for people in their own language and align with their cultural values and beliefs. The OHA will study the two mobile health units and come up with a plan to fund more units and provide care that meets the needs of more people of color all over Oregon.**

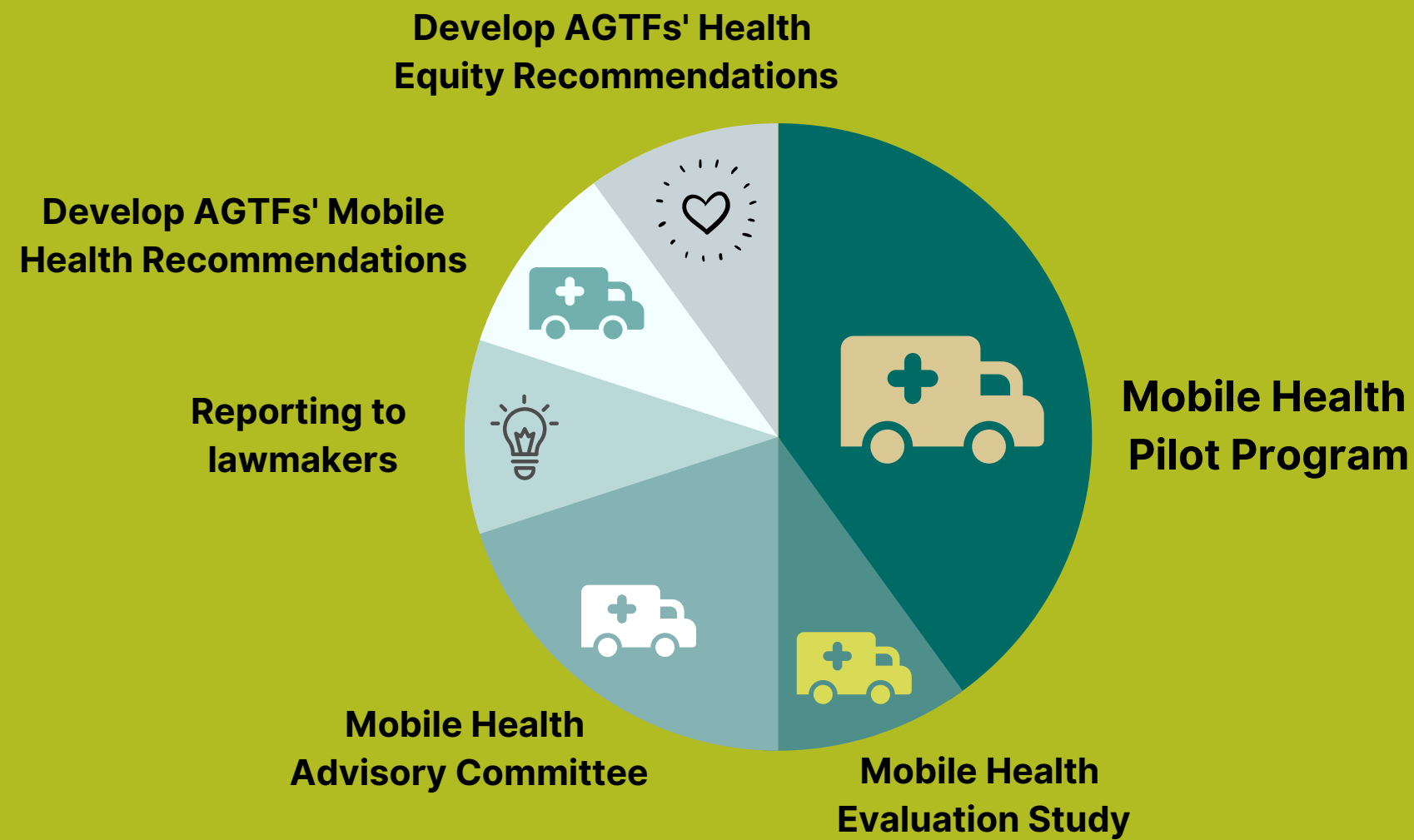
## **The Oregon Advocacy Commissions Office (OACO)**

**The OACO will form a task force of people who identify as Black, Indigenous (Native Americans), Latino, Asian and Pacific Islander, and other people of color to meet and talk about the health needs in their communities. This group is called Health Equity Advisory Leaders (HEAL). HEAL will come up with other ideas for improving health and social outcomes for their communities, including housing, access to food, neighborhood safety, education, transportation and involvement with the criminal justice system, and more. The OACO staff will share HEAL's ideas with OHA and Oregon lawmakers so new programs can be created that improve the lives of people of color.**

# AGENCIES TASKED WITH CARRYING OUT THE GOALS OF THE BILL:

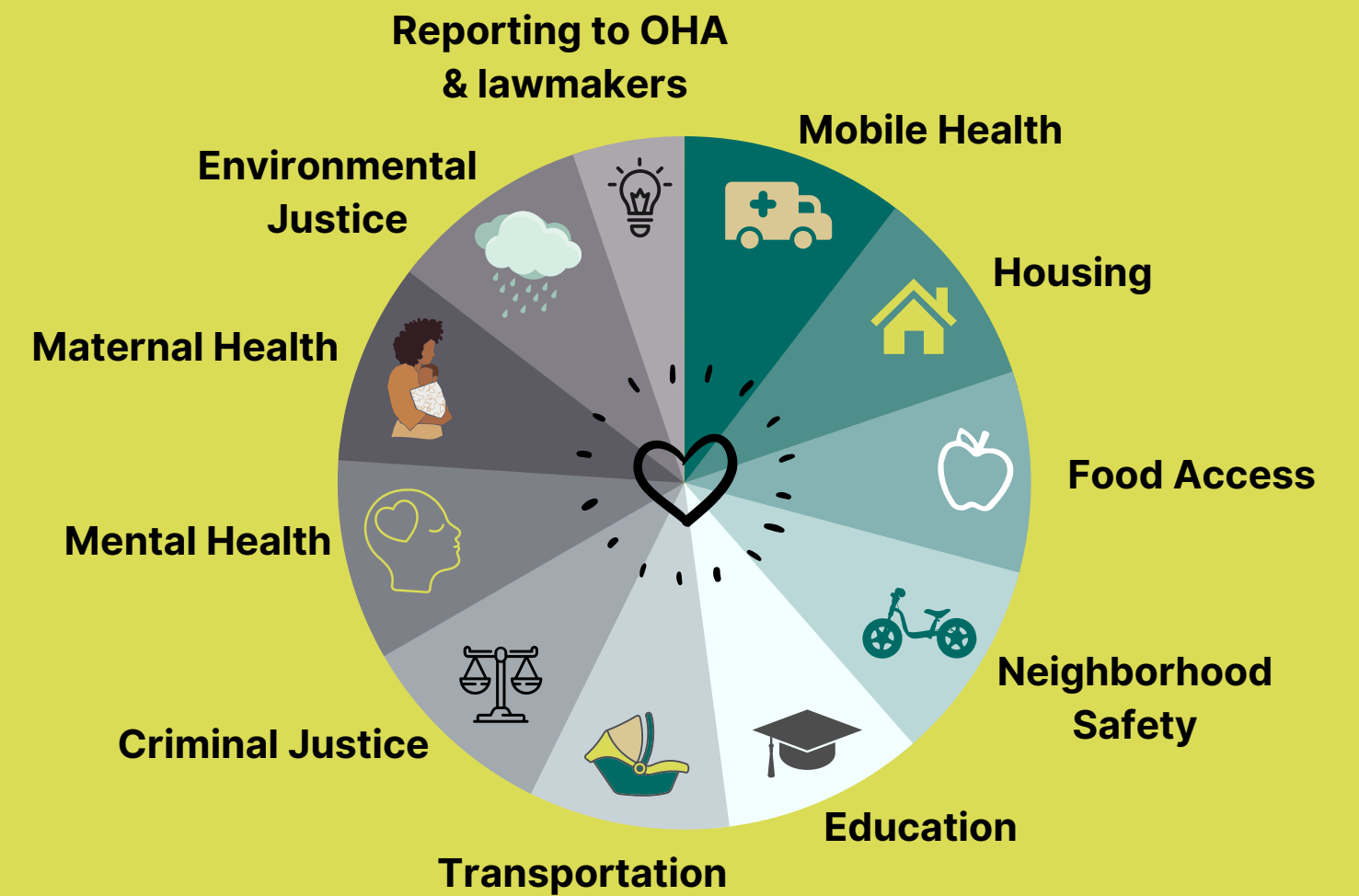
## The Oregon Health Authority (OHA)

### Focus: Mobile Health



## The Oregon Advocacy Commissions Office (OACO)

### Focus: Social Determinants of Health

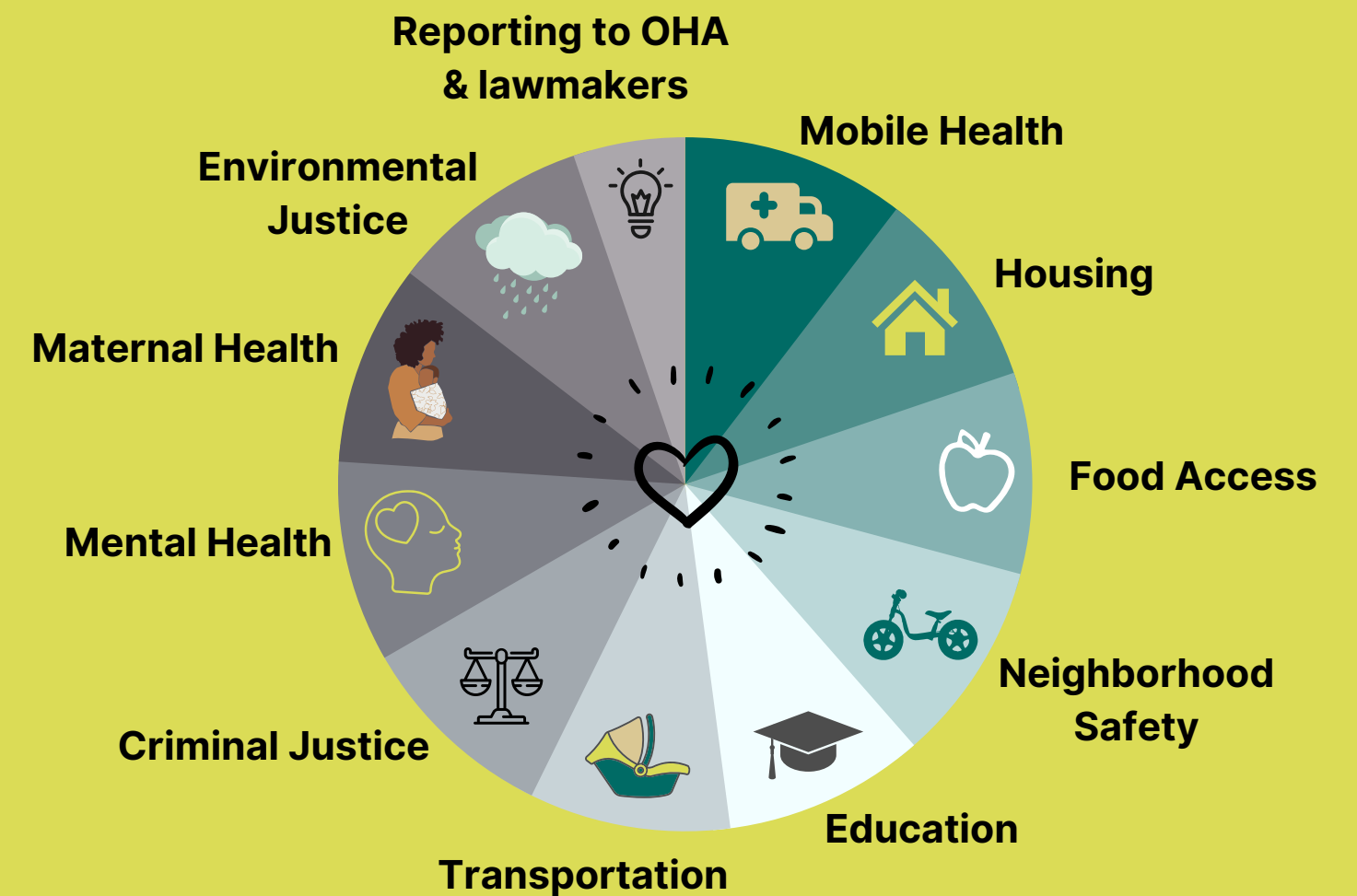


# OACO ASSIGNMENT

- Collaborate with community-based organizations and convene BIPOC leaders to discuss and research the health needs of communities of color
- Create a report of health-equity recommendations generated BY communities of color, FOR communities of color
- Share report with OHA, state agencies, and the legislature to develop, fund, and implement

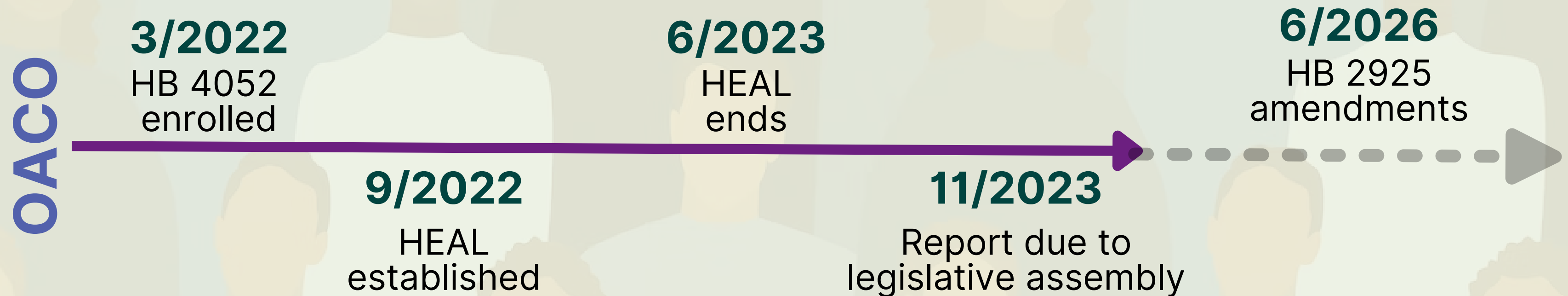
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# Currently HB 4052 Timeline



## House Bill 2925 (2023):

**HB 2925** will extend the timeline and funding for the Health Equity Advisory Leaders to do their work, develop legislative concepts, advocate for bills during 2024-2026 sessions, serve as an accountability body. HB 2925 also extends OACO staff positions to continue implementation through **June 2026**

# SOURCES FOR OACO RECOMMENDATIONS REPORT

**Health Equity Advisory  
Leaders (HEAL), established  
by HB 4052 and convened  
by the OACO**

**Thought leaders who  
designed HB 4052**

**Oregon Advocacy  
Commissions: Black Affairs;  
Hispanic Affairs; Asian and  
Pacific Islander Affairs;  
Commission for Women**

**Tribal leaders, members,  
and communities**

**Community-based  
organizations, service  
providers, coalitions, and  
task forces**

**Oregon State agencies,  
departments, divisions,  
commissions, boards, and  
programs**

# SOURCES FOR OACO RECOMMENDATIONS REPORT

## HEAL's role

**Health Equity Advisory  
Leaders (HEAL), established  
by HB 4052 and convened  
by the OACO**

Guide state-level change addressing racism as a public health crisis and improving social determinants of health for Black, Indigenous, Latine, Asian and Pacific Islander Oregonians and people of color across the state.

The HEAL committee centers the voices of people of color and is committed to including folks who are:

- immigrants refugees,
- migrant and seasonal farmworkers,
- persons with disabilities,
- and LGBTQIA2S+ individuals



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