

Rules Advisory Committee Notification

Date: April 5, 2022

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The Health Systems Division has scheduled the following Rules Advisory Committee (RAC) to adopt rules related to the Healthier Oregon Program (HOP). Starting July 1, 2022, HOP will provide State-funded wraparound benefits to cover more adults who would be eligible for the Oregon Health Plan, if not for their immigration status:

- **Program:** OAR 410-120-0000 & 1210 General Rule, Chapter 410, new rule division 134 for Citizenship Waived Medical (CWM) Program, sections 0000-0005, OAR 410-141-3805 MCE, and OAR 410-200-0240.
- **Meeting description:** HOP eligibility and benefits, including related CWM benefit updates, program name change, and billing clarification.
- **Meeting date and time:** April 12-14, 9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m. and April 18-21, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. (dates dependent on time needed to complete discussions during RAC, within all four divisions).
- **Meeting location:** Teams meeting
- **Join information (for mobile or PC):**
April 12-14: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OGQ4MGI0MGItYWY1Zi00NmjLTljYmQtYzk4ZTAzMjhIMzhI%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22658e63e8-8d39-499c-8f48-13adc9452f4c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%227c4a3ddc-fe6e-4398-9993-7d48dd7176e9%22%7d
April 18-21: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NzhiMGYxMzktM2EyOC00ZTRiLThiYWEtYTA3MTM4NDVmOGU3%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22658e63e8-8d39-499c-8f48-13adc9452f4c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%227c4a3ddc-fe6e-4398-9993-7d48dd7176e9%22%7d
- **Call-in number and participant code:**
April 12-14: 1-971-277-2343,,13456685# and Conference ID: 134 566 85#
April 18-21: 1 971-277-2343,,966018432# and Conference ID: 966 018 432#
- **Seeking RAC members?** Yes

At the RAC, members will provide input that will help us develop the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, and help us better understand the fiscal impact of the proposed rule changes.

Please share this information with others who may be affected by, and interested in providing input about, the proposed rule changes.

Proposed changes for Rules Advisory Committee discussion

To view the current rules, go to <http://www.oregon.gov/oha/HSD/Pages/Rules.aspx>.

Rule(s)	Description of proposed changes
OHP General Rule OAR 410-120-0000 Acronyms and Definitions	Emergency Medical Condition definition updated for equity and inclusion.
OHP General Rule OAR 410-120-1210 Medical Assistance Programs	CWM emergency benefits updated to include inpatient and outpatient dialysis, cancer, and behavioral health. Inclusion of Healthier Oregon Program (HOP) Children and Adult benefits packages.
OHP General Rule OAR 410-120-1280 Billing	CWM members will be provided with OHP form 3165 for scheduled services not covered by CWM benefits.
Chapter 410, new division 134 Citizenship Waived Medical Program	CWM Program, purpose, acronyms and definitions, CWM Emergency Benefits-inclusions, exclusions, supplemental benefits, and limitations, CWX (formerly CWM+), RHEA and CWX and RHEA benefits.
OHP MCE OAR 410-141-3805	HOP recipients in MCE, definitions, and acronyms.
OHP HSD Medical Programs 410-200-0015	HSD Medical Programs general definitions update to include HOP children, pregnant and non-pregnant adult.
OHP HSD Medical Programs 410-200-0240	HSD Medical Programs eligibility rules updated to include HOP eligibility.

Rules Advisory Committee contact information

If these changes are likely to affect you, and the Division is seeking RAC members, you can ask to join us as a RAC member. To do this, contact the person listed below. Include the date, time and program name of the RAC meeting you want to attend.

- **Contact name:** Courtney Sevey, OPA 3
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If the Division is **not** seeking RAC members, or you are not chosen to join the RAC, you are welcome to observe the RAC and email your input following the RAC meeting.

Everyone has a right to know about and use Oregon Health Authority (OHA) programs and services. OHA provides free help. Some examples of the free help OHA can provide:

- Sign language and spoken language interpreters
- Written materials in other languages
- Braille
- Large print
- Audio and other formats

If you need help or have questions, please contact Courtney Sevey at 503-559-1149, 711 TTY, or courtney.k.sevey@dhsoha.state.or.us at least two business days before the meeting.

Thank you in advance for your participation and continued interest.

About Rule Advisory Committees

Rule Advisory Committee meetings are held in accordance with [Oregon Revised Statute 183.333](#) (Policy statement; public involvement in development of policy and drafting of rules).

The RAC will hold at least one meeting to discuss the proposed revisions, the fiscal impact statement, and summary for the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking that the Division will file for these changes.