State of Oregon State Trauma Advisory Board

Nominations for Appointment to the State Trauma Advisory Board

Level 3-4 Trauma Surgeon

The Oregon Emergency Medical Services and Trauma Systems Section is soliciting nominations from Trauma Surgeons interested in serving on the State Trauma Advisory Board (STAB). The term of the appointment is four (4) years. In an effort to accommodate appropriate statewide representation, the nominee should be a Trauma Surgeon employed by a designated Oregon Level 3 or 4 Trauma Hospital. Final appointment to the State Trauma Advisory Board is made by the Department of Human Services.

The State Trauma Advisory Board is an advisory committee that meets four (4) times a year. The role of the committee is to both advise and serve as a resource to the Oregon Trauma Program, and EMS and Trauma Systems Section. This is a working committee with subcommittees that provide insight and make recommendations for trauma care. The committee is involved in regulatory rule making, systems development and quality improvement. For this reason, members generally have knowledge and experience in Oregon EMS and Trauma Programs, and are involved in their local Trauma community. The statutory guidance for the STAB is set forth in the Oregon Revised Statutes, Chapter 431, Section 607 and are further defined in OAR 333-200-0030. (copy attached).

To be considered for this appointment please provide a cover letter and vitae to the Oregon Emergency Medical Services and Trauma Systems Section:

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Closing date for nominations: August 27, 2007

Oregon Administrative Rule Excerpted: State Trauma Advisory Board

333-200-0030

State Trauma Advisory Board Functions

(1) The STAB shall:

(a) Advise the Division in meeting the objectives established in OAR 333-200-0020;

(b) Advise the Division on the adoption of rules, policies, and procedures regarding the trauma system; and

(c) Analyze data related to prevention of injuries, monitoring of the trauma system and recommend improvements where indicated.

(2) The Division shall seek the advice of the STAB concerning the approval of area trauma system plans and approval of subsequent protocols for major modifications.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 431.607 - ORS 431.633
Stats. Implemented: ORS 431.613
Hist.: HD 17-1985(Temp), f. & ef 9-20-85; HD 5-1987, f. & ef. 6-26-87-93, cert. ef. 71-93;
OHD 6-2000, f. & cert. ef. 5-4-00