

# AGENDA

## PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD Accountability Metrics Subcommittee

March 3, 2023  
9:00-10:00 AM

Join ZoomGov Meeting

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### Meeting Objectives:

- Approve February 14 meeting minutes
- Review data and discuss environmental health indicators

**Subcommittee members:** Cristy Muñoz, Jeanne Savage, Kat Mastrangelo, Ryan Petteway, Sarah Present, Jocelyn Warren

### PHAB's [Health Equity Policy and Procedure](#)

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9:00-9:05 AM	<b>Welcome and introductions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Approve February 14 minutes</li><li>• LPHA consultation meetings scheduled for April 4 and April 6</li><li>• Hear updates from subcommittee members</li></ul>	Sara Beaudrault, Oregon Health Authority
9:05-9:50 AM	<b>Environmental health priorities and measures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Review proposed health priorities and indicators for environmental data, including current data</li><li>• Review compiled information on available data and community input</li><li>• <b>Decision:</b> Does the subcommittee support taking these priorities and indicators to LPHAs for consultation? If not, what changes are needed?</li></ul>	All
9:50-9:55 AM	<b>Subcommittee business</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Identify subcommittee member to provide update at March 9 PHAB meeting</li></ul>	All

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- Review agenda for March 14 meeting
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9:55-10:00 AM      **Public comment**

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10:00 AM            **Adjourn**

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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 are:

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

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# PHAB Accountability Metrics

## Group agreements

- Stay engaged
- Speak your truth and hear the truth of others
- Expect and accept non-closure
- Experience discomfort
- Name and account for power dynamics
- Move up, move back
- Confidentiality
- Acknowledge intent but center impact: ouch / oops
- Hold grace around the challenges of working in a virtual space
- Remember our interdependence and interconnectedness
- Share responsibility for the success of our work together

# **PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD**

## **Accountability Metrics Subcommittee**

February 14, 2022

9:00am – 10:00am

**Subcommittee members present:** Jeanne Savage, Sarah Present, Kat Mastrangelo, Jocelyn Warren, Cristy Muñoz

**Subcommittee members absent:** Ryan Petteway

**OHA staff:** Sara Beaudrault, Kusuma Madamala, Carol Trenga, Elliot Moon, Ann Thomas, Zintars Beldavs, Amanda Spencer

**CLHO members:** Sara McCall, Lauralee Fernandez, Kathleen Johnson, Kathleen Rees

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### **Welcome and introductions**

- Participants introduced themselves.
- Reviewed agenda for the meeting.
- OHA has contracted PRR INC to draft the first iteration of the Public Health Accountability Metrics report.
- Motion to approve January Minutes passed unanimously by all members present.

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### **Public Health Systems Metrics**

- Sara B went over changes made to metrics based on input from CHLO committees to attempt to make process clearer.
  - There is a \$50 million budget request for Public Health Modernization this legislative session, so it would be helpful to have something to show legislators what the system is working towards and what can be achieved with these investments.
  - First change is from “public health accountability metrics” to “public health system metrics”.
  - Health Priorities and Policy actions now grouped together, and public health data, policy and partnerships grouped separately.
- Cristy: Part of looking at metrics as a living system means there needs to be some ambiguity which can be difficult when trying to focus on immediate results and deliverables. There has been a lot of bonding and bridging across sectors to determine who is responsible for what, but that can make people feel more pressure.
- Sara B: There has been a shift as well that we are not just accountable to the state legislature but more so the people of the state.
- Jeanne: These metrics came about because of taxpayer dollars because people wanted to go back to legislators with proof of impact, but it is important to keep in mind long term changes that may not be measurable in the short term. There should also be an understanding that failure is part of the process and that we may not please everyone, but we need to make the best decisions we can with the information we have available.

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## Timeline review

- Sara B reviewed proposed timeline that would have the PHAB Accountability Metrics subcommittee focus on finalizing indicators by June, then shift to related process and policy measures.
  - February – March 2023: Focus on having environment health and communicable disease indicators more fully developed.
  - April 2023: Formal required consultation with CLHO.
    - Present CLHO with short list of health priority indicators, data sources, and details on how it was determined that these areas are important to communities and which communities are most affected.
    - Through consultation PHAB Accountability Metrics Subcommittee would focus on incorporating feedback from CLHO.
  - May 2023: Accountability metrics indicators will be presented to PHAB for approval.
  - June 2023: From now through June, we would work with the communications firm to build first report that would likely be released in June or July.
    - This would not be an accountability metrics report but would rather just be a report of what the health priorities and indicators are to help set up the development of future accountability metrics reports.
  - July – December 2023: Continued development of policy and process measures which PHAB would vote to approve. Also develop process measure specifications and mechanisms for data collection.
  - January – June 2024: Process measure data collection and development of complete public health accountability metrics report.
- Kat: Do we have a list of current metrics?
  - Sara B: First established metrics in 2017 and published annual reports from 2018 – 2020.
    - <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/ABOUT/Pages/AccountabilityMetrics.aspx>
    - The metrics for communicable disease were related to childhood immunization rates and gonorrhea rates.
    - For environmental health the metrics were related to drinking water systems and active transportation.
    - There has been concern that previous reports caused harm in how metrics were framed and lack of context around the impacts of social and structural determinates of health.
- Kat: Are we working to be in consort with CCOs or do we want to work separately since they are already doing that work.
  - Jeanne: We have had a conversation if we want to parallel CCO work or not.
  - Sarah P: In the past, having similar metrics to CCOs has made it easier for some LPHAs to work closely with CCOs, but not all LPHAs have a close relationship with their CCOs. Using similar metrics from year to year can make it easier to see changes and assess impact of public health work that can take a long time to see change.

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## Action Items and Next Steps

- Accountability Metrics will have an additional meeting on 3/3/2022 from 9am to 10am.
  - Next scheduled meeting after that will be on 3/14/2023 from 9am to 10am.
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**Public comment**

No public comment.

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**Meeting was adjourned**

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## Public health system metrics

The following set of metrics brings attention to health priorities in Oregon.

These metrics provide a framework to bring together governmental public health authorities, other sectors and partners, and state and local health officials to collectively change policies to create health for everyone.

These metrics also demonstrate improvements in Oregon Health Authority and local public health authorities' core system functions through public health modernization

**Commented [BS1]:** Changed to "public health system metrics" instead of "public health accountability metrics"

Collective responsibility across sectors and partners		Oregon Health Authority and local public health authority accountability	
Health priorities	Policy actions	Public health data, partnerships and policy	Public health assurance
Public health assessment	Public health policy development	Measures of foundational capabilities	
Indicators of health outcomes <i>What are priority health issues throughout Oregon?</i> <i>Which groups experience disproportionate harm?</i>	Measures of policy landscape <i>How are policies contributing to or eliminating root causes of health inequities?</i>	<i>Are public health authorities increasing capacity and expertise needed to address priority health issues?</i>  <i>Are public health authorities better able to provide core public health functions within their community?</i>	
Level of accountability The governmental public health system as a whole, other sectors and partners, elected officials.  Oregon's Public Health Advisory Board has a critical role to influence necessary policy changes.		Level of accountability OHA and individual LPHAs	

**Commented [BS2]:** Separated collective responsibility and public health accountability

Grouped health indicators and policy together and described collective responsibility across partners and sectors.

**Commented [BS3]:** Deleted measure category for workforce and capacity, based on feedback provided by PHAB subcommittee and LPHA administrators.

## Public health accountability metrics

February 14, 2023

### Updated timeline

Through June 2023, PHAB will focus on finalizing indicators of health priorities for communicable disease control and environmental health. From June-December PHAB and CLHO will shift focus to related process and policy measures.

#### February and March 2023

- PHAB Accountability Metrics focus on environmental health and communicable disease indicators.

#### April 2023

- CLHO Consultation
- PHAB Accountability Metrics Subcommittee focus on incorporating feedback from CLHO consultation and finalizing indicator recommendations to PHAB

#### May 2023

- PHAB approval of accountability metrics indicators

#### June 2023

- Produce initial public health accountability metrics report

#### July-December 2023

- Continued development of policy and process measures
- PHAB vote to approve policy and process measures
- Development of process measure specifications and mechanisms for data collection.

#### January-June 2024

- Process measure data collection
- Development of complete public health accountability metrics report



## Groups involved and roles for developing public health accountability metrics

### CLHO metrics workgroups

- **Generate metrics recommendations for all metrics tiers**
- These are the local and state programmatic subject matter experts
- Review available data, existing plans and metrics, research
- Prepare materials for PHAB Accountability Metrics subcommittee
- Meet every other week

### CLHO

- **Provide LPHA leadership perspective on metrics**
- Formal consultation for input (tentatively planned for April 2023)
- Monthly informal opportunity for input at CLHO meetings

### PHAB Accountability Metrics subcommittee

- **Review and synthesize metrics recommendations from CLHO metrics workgroups, CLHO and other groups**
- Provide a range of perspectives and considerations, including community and health system perspectives
- Provide direction for development of accountability metrics report, including communications materials
- Provide leadership for discussing public health accountability metrics with other groups (for example, CCO Metrics & Scoring Committee)
- Meets monthly

### PHAB

- **Formally adopt public health accountability metrics** (tentatively planned for June 2023)
- Monitor progress toward accountability metrics
- Provide guidance for application of public health accountability metrics across sectors and partners, in line with PHAB charter
- Meets monthly