

The Future of Public Health Services Task Force
Guiding Principles (Proposed)
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- The Task Force will make recommendations regarding an efficient, effective, and financially sustainable governmental public health system for Oregon. [adapted from charter]
- Promote Oregon’s Triple Aim: better health, better health care, and lower costs. [charter]
- Make recommendations which improve health equity and consider cultural and historical appropriateness.
- consider urban/rural demographic needs
- Task Force members work collaboratively to seek recommendations not restricted by their current professional work and/or the “status quo”.
- Taskforce recommendations will be based on Oregon data.
- Align Oregon’s governmental public health system operationally with Oregon’s Health System Transformation goals
- Measure performance and use best practices
- Shift focus to prevention