

## Memorandum

To: Interested Parties

From: Mike Harryman, MA  
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Date: January 13, 2012

Subject: Notice of Proposed Rulemaking –  
OAR 333-003-0105 – 333-003-0210: “Registry of emergency health care services volunteers to include previously licensed health professionals”

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The Oregon Health Authority, Public Health Division is proposing to permanently adopt and amend Oregon Administrative Rules relating to the registration and activation of emergency health care services volunteers in response to the passage of SB 563 during the 2011 legislative session.

These rules address the registration, training, background check process, activation and extended liability protection and workers’ compensation protection to qualified emergency service volunteers. The rules also help to build more programmatic structure and streamline processes to strengthen the registration process of emergency health care services volunteers to include previously licensed health professionals.

You are being invited to review the proposed rules and to comment on them. **If you wish to present oral testimony, a public hearing will be held in Portland, Oregon at 800 NE Oregon St, Room 1C, on February 16, 2012 at 1:15 p.m. (see hearing notice). You may also file written comments before 5:00 p.m. on February 22, 2012** to the Public Health Division Rules Coordinator at the following address:

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You may also send comments by fax to (971) 673-1299.

Final rules will be filed after consideration of all comments.

For more details, please see the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking Hearing, Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact, and the full text of the proposed rules at the following website:

<http://public.health.oregon.gov/Preparedness/Prepare/SERV-OR/Pages/index.aspx>

If you have questions or would like a paper copy of these rule changes, please call HSPR at 971-673-1363. Thank you for your continued support.