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## **DMHC Health Equity and Quality Committee Solicitation for Members**

The California Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) is seeking dynamic and solution-oriented healthcare professionals and advocates to serve on the DMHC Health Equity and Quality Committee (Committee). In accordance with Health and Safety Code Section 1399.870, the DMHC Director will convene a Committee on or before March 1, 2022. The Committee will be tasked with providing initial recommendations to the DMHC Director by September 30, 2022, for standard health equity and quality measures, including annual benchmark standards for assessing equity and quality in health care delivery as prescribed in Health and Safety Code Section 1399.870, Subdivision (a). The Committee will reconvene to review and revisit the establishment of the standard measures and annual benchmarks once the Department has received data from the health care service plans.

When appointing members to the Committee, the DMHC Director shall consider the following:

1. The expertise of each committee member so that the committee's composition reflects a diversity of relevant expertise.
2. The racial, cultural, ethnic, sexual orientation, gender, economic, linguistic, age, disability, and geographical diversity of the state so that the committee's composition reflects the communities of California.
3. The expertise of representatives from other state agencies that are engaged in the work of setting quality and equity goals or standards for health care entities.
4. The representation of consumer stakeholders that serve diverse populations.
5. Inclusion of experts, researchers, and community members who are engaged in the development of alternative approaches to measuring health equity, consumer experience, and health outcomes.

See a more detailed [overview](#) of the Committee and a description of the duties of the Committee members.

Interested candidates should submit a Letter of Interest along with a Statement of Qualifications, resume or curriculum vitae to [health.equity@dmhc.ca.gov](mailto:health.equity@dmhc.ca.gov) by **October 15, 2021**.

Thank you for your interest in serving on the DMHC Health Equity and Quality Committee.

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