Solicitation for Members to Serve on the Transgender, Gender Diverse, or Intersex (TGI) Working Group

The California Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) is seeking dynamic and solution-oriented individuals to serve on the Transgender, Gender Diverse, or Intersex (TGI) Health Care Quality Standards and Training Curriculum Working Group (working group).

The working group will:

- (1) Recommend a quality standard for patient experience to measure cultural competency related to the TGI community and;
- (2) Recommend a trans-inclusive training curriculum to be used by health care plan staff who are in direct contact with enrollees in the delivery of health care services.

The working group will have representatives from at least three TGI-serving organizations, at least three individual California residents who identify as TGI, health care providers, and representatives from several state agencies. The DMHC Director will consider the following when selecting members:

- The lived experience of an individual who identifies as TGI.
- The racial, cultural, ethnic, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic, linguistic, age, disability, and geographical diversity of the state so that the committee's composition reflects the communities of California.
- Health care expertise and experience in providing trans-inclusive care to patients who identify as TGI.
- Experience in the development of quality standards and the writing and development of trans-inclusive health training curriculum.

The working group is expected to meet monthly between March 2023 to June 2024 with in-person and virtual options for working group members and the public. In addition to monthly meetings, the working group will hold at least four listening sessions across the state with members from the TGI community. Members are expected to attend each meeting and listening session.

Members of the working group are not compensated for their participation but travel expenses to and from the meetings will be reimbursed. All travel expense reimbursements must be in accordance with the California Department of Human Resources. Members may be eligible to receive reimbursement for expenses such as:

- Method of travel (transportation)
- Meals and incidentals
- Personal vehicle mileage
- Other actual and necessary business and/or travel costs incurred while participating

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How to apply:

Interested candidates should submit a Letter of Interest to <u>Stakeholder@dmhc.ca.gov</u> by February 10, 2023.

If you have questions regarding the position, please contact Amanda Levy at <u>Amanda.Levy@dmhc.ca.gov</u> or (916) 319-9922.

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Transgender, Gender Diverse, or Intersex Health Care Quality Standards and Training Curriculum Working Group.