

CHAPTER 25. PHYSICIAN AND HEALTH MANPOWER PLACEMENT SERVICES

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540:25-1-1. Purpose

The Physician Placement Program is administered by the Physician Manpower Training Commission under the provisions pursuant to Section 697.5(12) of 70. O.S., *to conduct and to administer a program of physician and health manpower placement services throughout the State of Oklahoma.*

540:25-1-2. Role of Commission

The role of the Physician Manpower Training Commission in helping Oklahoma communities recruit physicians, is basically one of physician practice location referral.

[**Source:** Amended at 15 Ok Reg 1776, eff 5-11-98]

540:25-1-3. List of practice opportunities

All physicians seeking practice situations in Oklahoma will, on request, be provided with a list of practice opportunities. A list of practice opportunities will be prepared or updated quarterly by the Commission.

(1) All communities, agencies, clinics, and private physicians in the State of Oklahoma who are seeking physicians to fill particular practice situations in Oklahoma are eligible to be included in the "List of Practice Opportunities in Oklahoma" which is distributed to prospective physicians.

(2) The Commission may list any practice situation which is being requested.

(3) The Commission may provide the "List of Practice Opportunities in Oklahoma" to any physician who is seeking a practice opportunity in the State of Oklahoma.

(4) When the Physician Manpower Training Commission provides information concerning the "List of Practice Opportunities in Oklahoma" to a physician, the following disclaimer shall be used: "Any information concerning a practice opportunity in the State of Oklahoma - as provided by the Physician Manpower Training Commission - in no way constitutes a recommendation or endorsement of a given Oklahoma practice opportunity by the Physician Manpower Training Commission."

540:25-1-4. List of physicians seeking practice opportunities

Communities, agencies, clinics, and private physicians in the State of Oklahoma can be provided with a "List of Physicians Seeking Practice Opportunities in Oklahoma". This includes graduates of Oklahoma medical schools receiving postdoctoral training inside and outside Oklahoma, as well as all other physicians receiving postdoctoral training in Oklahoma. This list shall be prepared or updated quarterly by the Physician Manpower Training Commission.

(1) All physicians who submit a Physician Information Worksheet approved by the Physician Manpower Training Commission are eligible to be included on the "List of Physicians Seeking Practice Opportunities in the State of Oklahoma".

(2) All community leaders, agencies, clinics, and private physicians in the State of Oklahoma are eligible to receive the "List of Physicians Seeking Practice Opportunities in Oklahoma".

(3) The "List of Physicians Seeking Practice Opportunities in the State of Oklahoma" contains the following "disclaimer" which is used whenever the Physician Manpower Training Commission shares information concerning a physician with a community: "Any information concerning physicians seeking practice opportunities in Oklahoma - as provided by the Physician Manpower Training Commission - in no way constitutes documentation or verification of the information nor an endorsement of an individual physician's medical training, medical ability, or character."

[Source: Amended at 15 Ok Reg 1776, eff 5-11-98]

540:25-1-5. Assistance to physicians in evaluating communities

The Physician Manpower Training Commission will perform the following procedures in helping a physician to evaluate a community:

(1) The Physician Manpower Training Commission provides physicians with guidelines to be used to help the physician assess a community as a prospective practice site.

(2) The staff members of the Physician Manpower Training Commission may refer interested physicians to responsible individuals who might be the source of information.

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540:25-1-6. Assistance to communities and others seeking physicians

The Physician Manpower Training Commission will perform the following procedures in helping to place a physician in an Oklahoma community:

(1) The Physician Manpower Training Commission provides all communities, agencies, clinics, and private physicians seeking physicians to fill particular practice needs with a list of resource persons and guidelines which can provide assistance in the screening process.

(2) The Physician Manpower Training Commission asks for information on its Physician Information Worksheet which can be of assistance to community leaders, agencies, clinics, and private physicians in their assessment of prospective physicians.

(3) Staff members of the Physician Manpower Training Commission will provide a community with information which has been obtained from an appropriate professional or licensing organization.

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