

## Federal and State Health Care Need Designation Criteria and Eligibility

Type of Designation	Criteria Used to Determine Designation	Makes You Eligible to Apply For
Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Population to Physician Ratio</li> <li>2) Percent below 100% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)</li> <li>3) Travel time to nearest source of care outside the HPSA designation</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) National Health Service Corps (NHSC) providers</li> <li>2) Eligible for Rural Health Clinic (RHC) status (may be for-profit private practices)</li> <li>3) J-1 Visa waiver</li> <li>4) Medicare Physician Bonus Payment</li> <li>5) Medicare Telehealth Bonus Payment</li> </ol>
Medically Underserved Area (MUA)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Provider per 1000 population ratio</li> <li>2) Percentage of people age 65 and over</li> <li>3) Percentage of population at 100% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)</li> <li>4) Infant mortality rate</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Eligible for Rural Health Clinic (RHC) status (may be for-profit private practices)</li> <li>2) J-1 Visa waiver</li> <li>3) Eligible for Federally Qualified Health Clinic (FQHC) status</li> </ol>
Oregon Office of Rural Health Areas of Unmet Health Care Need (AUCHN)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Travel Time to Nearest Patient Centered Primary Care Home (PCPCH)</li> <li>2) Primary Care Capacity (Percent Of Primary Care Visits Able to Be Met)</li> <li>3) Mental Health Providers per 1,000 Population</li> <li>4) Dentists per 1,000 Population</li> <li>5) Percent of Population Between 138% and 200% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)</li> <li>6) Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions (ACSC)/ Preventable Hospitalizations per 1,000 Population</li> <li>7) Inadequate Prenatal Care Rate per 1,000 Births</li> <li>8) Emergency Department Non-Traumatic Dental Visits per 1,000 Population</li> <li>9) Emergency Department Mental Health/Substance Abuse Visits per 1,000 Population</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Exceptions for medical staff eligibility for Oregon’s rural practitioner income tax credit program</li> <li>2) As part of a risk assessment formula for rural hospitals to receive cost-based Medicaid reimbursement (SB 607, passed in 1991; HB 3650, passed in 2011);</li> </ol>
Governor’s Health Care Shortage Area	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Frontier county</li> <li>2) Population-to-physician ratio</li> <li>3) Oregon Office of Rural Health Area of Unmet Health Care Need (AUCHN)</li> <li>4) Percentage of population age 65 and over</li> <li>5) Percentage below 200% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL)</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Eligible for Rural Health Clinic (RHC) status (may be for-profit private practices)</li> </ol>

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