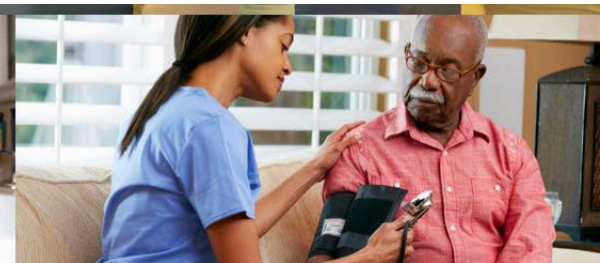
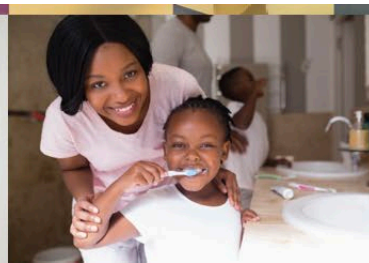
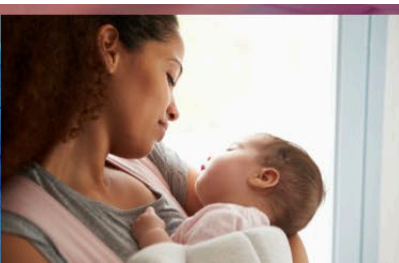




Maryland Loan Assistance Repayment Program Advisory Council for Physicians and Physician Assistants

May 3, 2023



Agenda

- I. Opening Business and Remarks
- II. Discussion
- III. Program Update
- IV. Next Steps
- V. Open Discussion with Public Comment
- VI. Adjournment

Introductions/ Roll Call

I. Workgroup Members

1. Name
2. Affiliation
3. Interest in workgroup

II. Guests

Please note your name and affiliation, as relevant, in the chat box

Minutes Approval and Updates

Acceptance of Meeting Notes

Review/vote to accept meeting notes: 2/1/2022

Workgroup Webpage

<https://health.maryland.gov/pophealth/Pages/MLARP-Advisory-Council-for-Physicians-and-Physician-Assistants.aspx>

Google Share Drive

Shared to members; contact

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Mandated Activities

[SB626 \(2022\), Article – Health – General §§ 24–1701 – 1708](#)

The Council Shall:

- (1) Seek permanent and diverse revenue sources to aid in the stability and further development of the Program;
- (2) Help ensure maximum use of Federal funds;
- (3) Use available data and information to help direct funding to priority areas;
- (4) Monitor similar loan programs in other states and ensure that the Program remains competitive;
- (5) Assist the Department in the administration of the Program;

Mandated Activities

The Council Shall:

(6) Help market and raise awareness of the Program through educational institutions and other appropriate entities as an incentive to health care providers to practice in underserved areas;

Administratively, the Council shall:

(1) Meet at least three times per year

(2) On or before October 1 each year, the Council shall report to the Governor and the General Assembly on the activities of the Council and recommendations on any necessary changes to the Program

Opening Business & Remarks

MLARP Advisory Council (Living) Work Plan

Timeframe	Presentations/ Discussion	Mandate Area
December 2022	Introductions, Workgroup review, status of Workgroup recommendations	- Establish permanent Advisory Council
February 2023	Operations development, MLRP update	- Establish permanent Advisory Council
May 2023	Operations development, MLRP update	- Establish permanent Advisory Council
Annual Cycle		
August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Application cycle results - Preliminary profile of applicants/ awardees - Cement/ approve October 1 report for submission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximize use of Federal funds - Direct funding to priority areas - Monitor similar loan programs - Assist in the administration of MLARP
October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marketing preparation/plan for winter implementation - Member marketing action steps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Market and raise awareness of the Program - Report to Governor & Legislature
February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation plan review/ improvements - Member action steps toward 10/1 report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Direct funding to priority areas - Monitor similar loan programs
May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Revenue source review - Member action steps to expand revenue sources - Preliminary recommendations for 10/1 report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Revenue sources - Direct funding to priority areas

Discussion Areas

Operations Development

Review/ Vote

- Council Bylaws
- Council Position Nominations/Voting Process

Operations Development

Nominations

- Chairperson
- Vice-Chairperson

Operations Development

Voting

- Chairperson
- Vice-Chairperson

Email sara.seitz@maryland.gov with vote

Program Update

MLRP Funds Balance – PPA

Resource	Description	Currently Available for Loan Repayment
SLRP (Federal HRSA Award)	Physicians, PAs, NPs, CNMs	\$699,266.99
MLARP-PPA	Physicians, PAs, Final Year Residents	\$3,354,949.31
Total		\$4,054,216.30

26 second year obligations (\$1,028,454.59 needed in FY24)

2023 Application Cycle/ Future Marketing

FY 23

- Marketing
- Technical Assistance
- Applications Received

FY24

- Marketing
 - Healthcare Professional Recruitment Binder
 - One-pager

Discussion Areas

General Assembly Report

Report Elements

- Outline
 - Program Updates
 - Advisory Council Development
 - Council Work Plan and Contributions
 - Recommendations
- Council Review
 - August 2 meeting: Draft review/ comments
 - Post meeting: Incorporation of comments and vote to accept final document
- Recommendations on any necessary changes to the Program

Next Steps

Next Steps

- 2023 Meetings Schedule
 - Wednesday, August 2, 2023; 11:00 a.m.
 - Wednesday, October 4, 2023; 11:00 a.m.
- Action Steps
 - Marketing materials review
 - Review draft report when received/ prior to August meeting

Open Discussion

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Adjournment