

Executive Appointments Legislative Review  
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**OFFICE:** Midwifery, State Board of Direct Entry

**APPOINTEE:** Colleen Forbes of Eugene; New appointment replacing Luxford

**APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY:** ORS 687.470

**TERM:** Forbes: Three -years term; March 15, 2013 – March 14, 2016

**ECONOMIC INTEREST FILING (ORS 244.050):** Not required.

**STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS:** ORS 687.470

Affirmative action policy: See ORS 182.100. Diversity criteria: See ORS 236.115.

- Eight members appointed to three-year terms:
  - Four licensed direct entry midwives (ARMSTRONG, CHEYNEY, **FORBES**, MORAY)
  - Two certified nurse midwives (GLENN, HEINZ)
  - One physician (HEDGES)
  - One public member (DI PROPERZIO)

**DUTIES AND AUTHORITY:** ORS 687.475

- Elect a chairperson
- Develop practice standards
- Consult with the Health Licensing Office to:
  - Determine whether applicants meet the qualifications under ORS 687.405 to 687.495
  - Conduct examinations and grant licenses to qualified applicants
  - Take any act necessary or proper to effect and carry out the duties required of the office by ORS 687.405 to 687.495
  - Adopt rules
  - Accept and expend donations, contributions and grant funds

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## Executive Appointments Board Roster

### Direct Entry Midwifery, State Board of

Agency: None  
Authorization: ORS 687.470  
Members: Min: 8 Max: 8  
Term Length: 3 years Limit: 2  
Senate confirmation required? Yes

**Policy Area:** Health

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### Current Appointments:

#### Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Melissa J Cheyney Midwife	Position Number: 3
Term(s): 07-01-2011 - 06-30-2014 07-01-2008 - 06-30-2011	

James M di Properzio Public Member	Position Number: 8
Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 03-01-2010 - 06-30-2012	

Colleen M Forbes Midwife	Position Number: 2
Term(s): 03-15-2013 - 03-14-2016	

Linda D Glenn, RN, CNM Certified Nurse Midwife	Position Number: 5
Term(s): 07-01-2010 - 06-30-2013 02-25-2008 - 06-30-2010	

Cynthia J Luxford Midwife	Position Number: 2
Term(s): 03-01-2010 - 06-30-2012	

Susan Moray Midwife	Position Number: 6
Term(s): 07-01-2011 - 06-30-2014 10-01-2008 - 06-30-2011	

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Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Policy Area: Health

#### Vacant Appointments:

Pos	Member	Appointed By	Term Begin	Term End
1	Lucina F Armstrong Midwife	Governor	03/01/2010	06/30/2012
1	Sherry L Dress Midwife	Governor	07/01/2007	06/30/2010
1	Sherry L Dress Midwife	Governor	07/01/2004	06/30/2007
1	Sherry L Dress Midwife	Governor	07/01/2001	06/30/2004
1	Lisa Gladden Midwife	Other	07/01/1998	06/30/2001
1	Lisa Gladden Midwife	Other	07/01/1995	06/30/1998
1	Laura F Anderson Erickson Midwife	Governor		

  

Pos	Member	Appointed By	Term Begin	Term End
4	Susan Heinz Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	03/01/2010	06/30/2011
4	Mindie Metka Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	07/01/2008	06/30/2011
4	Mindie Metka Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	10/01/2007	06/30/2008
4	Michele K Bouche Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	07/01/2005	06/30/2008
4	Michele K Bouche Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	07/01/2002	06/30/2005
4	Michele K Bouche Certified Nurse Midwife	Governor	06/23/2000	06/30/2002
4	Marion Toepke Certified Nurse Midwife	Other	07/01/1996	06/30/1999
4	Marion Toepke Certified Nurse	Other	09/01/1993	06/30/1996

  

Pos	Member	Appointed By	Term Begin	Term End
7	Allan J Hedges, ND, MD Physician, Obstetrical Care or Education	Governor	10/01/2011	09/30/2014
7	Nancy M Grant, MD Physician, Obstetrical Care or Education	Governor	07/01/2008	06/30/2011
7	Nancy M Grant, MD Physician, Obstetrical Care or Education	Governor	01/23/2006	06/30/2008
7	Peter W Howison, MD Physician, Obstetrical Care or Education	Governor	07/01/2002	06/30/2005
7	Peter W Howison, MD Physician, Obstetrical Care or Education	Governor	12/10/1999	06/30/2002