

Executive Appointments Legislative Review  
Compiled by Oregon Legislative Committee Services

**OFFICE:** Naturopathic Medicine, Oregon Board of

**APPOINTEES:** Gregory Eckel of Portland; Reappointment  
Sara Ohgushi of Portland; Reappointment  
Charles Wiggins of Portland; New appointment replacing Hu

**APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY:** ORS 685.160

**TERMS:** Eckel and Ohgushi; Three-year terms: July 1, 2012 – June 30 2015  
Wiggins: three-year term:

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

**STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS:** ORS 685.160

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

- Seven members, citizens of Oregon:
  - Five naturopaths who have practiced continuously in this state for the five years immediately prior to the date of appointment (CHAPMAN, ECKEL, HOMER-ANDERSON, MYERS, OHGUSHI)
  - Two members of the general public who have not practiced naturopathic medicine in Oregon for five years immediately prior to the date of appointment (ADKINS, WIGGINS)

**DUTIES AND AUTHORITY:** ORS 685.160 & ORS 685.170

- Issue licenses to practice naturopathic medicine in Oregon
- Elect president of the board
- Hire staff support
- Appoint peer review committee
- Investigations

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## Executive Appointments Board Roster

### Naturopathic Medicine, Oregon Board of

Agency: None  
 Authorization: ORS 685.160  
 Members: Min: 7 Max: 7  
 Term Length: 3 years Limit: None  
 Senate confirmation required? Yes

Policy Area: Unknown

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### Current Appointments:

**Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)**

Dwight P Adkins Public Member Term(s): 07-01-2011 - 06-30-2014	Position Number: 5
Patrick D Chapman, ND Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 10-01-2009 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 6
Patrick D Chapman, ND Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 10-01-2009 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 6
Gregory W Eckel Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 03-01-2010 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 4
Gregory W Eckel Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 03-01-2010 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 4
Michelle R Homer-Anderson Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2010 - 06-30-2013 10-01-2007 - 06-30-2010	Position Number: 3
Sheila M Myers, ND Naturopath Term(s): 10-01-2011 - 06-30-2014	Position Number: 1
Sara A Ohgushi, ND Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 10-01-2009 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 2

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Sara A Ohgushi, ND Naturopath Term(s): 07-01-2012 - 06-30-2015 10-01-2009 - 06-30-2012	Position Number: 2
Charles Wiggins Public Member Term(s): 03-15-2013 - 03-14-2016	Position Number: 7