



# MEMORANDUM

Prepared for: Oregon State Senate  
Regarding: Review of Executive Appointments  
Date: May 18, 2022

LPRO: LEGISLATIVE POLICY AND RESEARCH OFFICE

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## PSYCHIATRIC SECURITY REVIEW BOARD

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The Governor has appointed the following individual to the Psychiatric Security Review Board, subject to Senate confirmation:<sup>1</sup>

### New Appointee

Karey Casebier of Medford

### Term

07-01-2022 – 06-30-2026

### Statutory Authority

[ORS 161.385 \(2021\)](#).

### Statement of Economic Interest<sup>2</sup>

Not required.

### Composition<sup>3</sup>

Prosecutors and public defense attorneys are prohibited from serving on the board. It consists of ten members split between a five-member adult panel and a five-member juvenile panel:

- a psychiatrist experienced in the criminal justice system and not otherwise employed on a full-time basis by the Oregon Health Authority or a community mental health program (REICHLIN);
- a psychologist experienced in the criminal justice system and not otherwise employed on a full-time basis by the Oregon Health Authority or a community mental health program (BUCHANAN);
- a person with substantial parole and probation process experience (LE PARC);
- a lawyer with substantial criminal trial experience (NICHOL);
- a psychiatrist certified in child psychiatry by the Oregon Medical Board, or eligible to be certified, with experience in the juvenile justice system who is not employed on a full-time basis by the Oregon Health Authority or a community mental health program (**CASEBIER**);

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<sup>1</sup> [Or. Const. art. III, §4](#); [ORS 171.562 and 171.565 \(2021\)](#).

<sup>2</sup> [ORS 244.050 \(2021\)](#).

<sup>3</sup> [ORS 161.385 \(2021\)](#); and see [ORS 182.100 \(2021\)](#) for affirmative action policy and [ORS 236.115 \(2021\)](#) for diversity criteria.

- a psychologist experienced in child psychology and the juvenile justice system who is not employed on a full-time basis by the authority or a community mental health program (MILLER);
- a person with substantial juvenile parole and probation process experience;
- a lawyer with substantial juvenile law experience; and
- two members of the general public (NEWMAN and SWETNAM).

Members serve four-year terms, are eligible for reappointment, and may be removed by the Governor for specified reasons. Both the adult and juvenile panel select a chair to serve for one year. The majority of members on a panel constitutes a quorum for business conducted by that panel. Each panel must meet at least twice a month, unless the chair of the respective panel determines there is not sufficient business to meet. Panels may hold additional meetings at the call of the chair or a majority of the panel.

### **Duties<sup>4</sup>**

A criminal defendant who is found “guilty except for insanity” may be placed under the board’s jurisdiction. The board’s mandate is to protect the public. It works to ensure persons under its jurisdiction receive the services and support necessary to reduce the risk of future dangerous conduct. The board’s duties include:

- adjudicating the discharge, conditional release, and modified commitment of individuals under its jurisdiction;
- providing notice to specified parties, of hearings and orders, of conditional release, discharge, or escape, and affording those parties an opportunity to be heard;
- maintaining the medical, social, and criminal records of persons under its jurisdiction; and,
- consulting with the Oregon Health Authority on the certification of psychiatrists and psychologists who evaluate defendants.

The board may also issue subpoenas to compel the appearance of persons or the production of evidence and develop restorative justice programs to support persons convicted of committing crimes and survivors of crime.

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<sup>4</sup> [ORS 161.326 to 161.392 \(2021\)](#); and Oregon Psychiatric Security Review Board, *Home*, <<https://www.oregon.gov/prb/Pages/Index.aspx>> (last visited May 12, 2022).

# Executive Appointments Board Roster

## Psychiatric Security Review Board

Agency: Governor's Office  
Authorization: ORS 161.385  
Members: Min: 10 Max: 10  
Term Length: 4 years Limit: 2  
Senate confirmation required? Yes

**Policy Area:** Health

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### Current Appointments:

#### Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)

Cari C Boyd Public Member; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 11-19-2021 - 06-30-2025	Position Number: 10
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Pamela S Buchanan, PsyD Psychologist; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2019 - 06-30-2023	Position Number: 2
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Karey Casebier Parole and Probation; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2022 - 06-30-2026	Position Number: 8
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Marisha Childs Attorney; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 11-19-2021 - 06-30-2025	Position Number: 9
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Julie B Duke Public Member; Adult Panel Term(s): 11-19-2021 - 06-30-2025	Position Number: 4
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Trisha J Elmer Parole & Probation; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2020 - 06-30-2024 09-22-2016 - 06-30-2020	Position Number: 3
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Kate Kuenzi Parole and Probation; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2018 - 06-30-2022 01-02-2015 - 06-30-2018	Position Number: 8
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Cathy Miller, PhD Psychologist; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2018 - 06-30-2022 01-02-2015 - 06-30-2018	Position Number: 7
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**Member Name and Address** (Alphabetical)

**Policy Area:** Health

Stewart S Newman Psychiatrist; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2021 - 06-30-2025	Position Number: 6
Anne L Nichol Attorney; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2021 - 06-30-2025 07-01-2017 - 06-30-2021	Position Number: 5
Scott M Reichlin, MD Forensic Psychiatrist; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2021 - 06-30-2025 06-01-2017 - 06-30-2021 05-22-2015 - 05-31-2017	Position Number: 1