

Governor Kotek's Behavioral Health and Housing and Homelessness Initiatives

“
Every Oregonian should have access to
healthcare, including behavioral health
services and supports – no matter where
they live or what they can afford.
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Agenda

1. Building the Initiatives
2. Behavioral Health Initiative Update
3. Housing and Homelessness Initiative Update

Collaboratively Building Initiatives

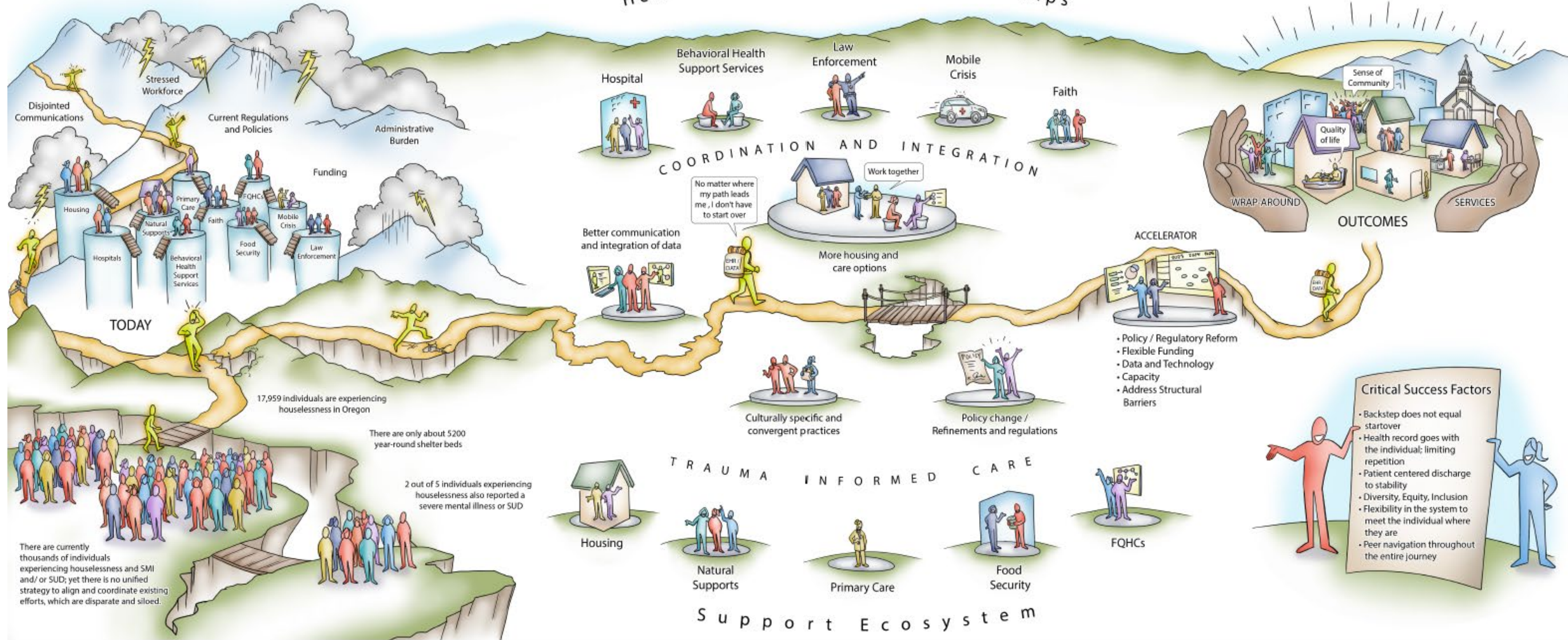
- ❖ Statewide regional listening sessions on homelessness and behavioral health (pre-inauguration)
- ❖ One Oregon Listening Tour
- ❖ Serious Mental Illness Roundtable
- ❖ Racial Justice Council subcommittee feedback
- ❖ State of Oregon agency subject matter expertise
- ❖ Analysis of state government systems (e.g., EO 23-03, PCG study)
- ❖ Governor's Interagency Council on Homelessness
- ❖ Constituent and partner feedback

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Oregon Behavioral Health Ecosystem

Healthy Collaborative Partnerships



Initiative #1:

Behavioral Health Workforce

**Bolstering and supporting
Oregon's behavioral health
workforce.**





Initiative #1:
Behavioral Health Workforce

A clear path to a
career in behavioral
health.

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Behavioral Health Workforce

Improving customer service
for Oregon's behavioral
health workforce.





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Behavioral Health Workforce

Ensuring a trained,
qualified, and supported
behavioral workforce
across disciplines.

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Support and retain existing
behavioral health
workforce.





Initiative #2:
Behavioral Health Capacity



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Expand treatment beds in a way that equitably addresses system gaps at each level of care immediately and plan for long term development for a sustainable system of care.

Initiative #3:
Successful HB4002 implementation

Helping ensure the successful implementation of the addiction and behavioral provisions of
HB4002



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Initiative #1:
Homelessness State of Emergency

Rapidly expanding the state's low barrier shelter capacity, re-housing people experiencing homelessness, and preventing homelessness through a coordinated, locally driven, emergency response.

Initiative #2:

Outcomes oriented homelessness system

Directing all state agencies to reduce homelessness (EO 203)

Refreshing Interagency Council on Homelessness (EO 24-03)

Homelessness Framework

Initiative #3:
Expanding Housing Production

Housing Production Advisor Council (HPAC)

Governor's Omnibus Housing Bill (SB1537)

Housing Production Framework

Coordinated Projects

- ❖ Homelessness State of Emergency (year 2): New cross system alignment focus
- ❖ Interagency Council on Homelessness: Cross System Alignment Group
- ❖ Homelessness Framework: Permanent Supportive Housing, Re-Housing Program Exploration, Behavioral health, health and housing, and homelessness systems alignment projects)

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