

## Recruitment for Committee Vacancy

Dear Physician Assistants:

The Maryland Board of Physicians (the Board) is looking to fill a physician assistant position on the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (the PAAC).

Successful candidates must be Maryland residents, have an active, unencumbered Maryland physician assistant license, currently practice as a physician assistant, or be employed as a faculty member of an accredited physician assistant program. The Maryland Academy of Physician Assistants (MdAPA) or one of Maryland's accredited physician assistant programs must nominate candidates.

The Committee consists of three licensed physician assistants, three licensed physicians (at least one of whom specializes in general surgery or a surgical subspecialty, and at least one of whom specializes in internal medicine, family practice, or a similar primary care specialty), and one consumer member. Of the three physician members, two shall be previously or currently serving as supervising physicians of a physician assistant under a Board-approved delegation agreement.

The PAAC advises the Board on matters relating to the practice of physician assistants. The Committee's duties are described in [Health Occupations Article, §15-205\(a\)](#), Annotated Code of Maryland.

Meetings are virtual and held on the first Wednesday of every month, beginning at 4:00 p.m. However, there may be occasions when meetings will be held at the Board's office in the Metro Executive Building, 4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore. Attendance is essential.

PAAC members serve staggered three-year terms. Members may be reappointed for a second term; however, an individual may not serve more than two consecutive three-year terms.

Note: A candidate appointed to the Committee may not serve concurrently on the Advisory Committee and as an elected officer in their professional association. ([Health Occupations Article §1-222\(b\)](#), Annotated Code of Maryland.)

If you are interested in serving on the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee, please have your nominator (MdAPA or the physician assistant accredited program) submit your curriculum vitae to Margaret Ellis Jury, Allied Health Analyst, at [margaret.jury@maryland.gov](mailto:margaret.jury@maryland.gov) by May 3, 2024.

Candidates must also complete and submit a Biographical Information Form, an Appointee Exemption Disclosure Form, and a Candidate Questionnaire.