



Nevada MGMA Legislative Committee

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Purpose

The purpose of this Committee is to contribute to the development of effective statewide and national public policy in healthcare and its delivery, and to provide information to NV MGMA membership on critical policy issues.

Mission

The Committee's mission is to educate, influence and engage policy-makers and membership through various mechanisms to affect the effectiveness of policy and understanding of membership

Responsibilities and Authority

Operating Responsibilities

1. Provide communication and education to NV MGMA membership about state and national public policy, legislation and related activities.
2. Engage with NV MGMA membership, to identify appropriate feedback and positions on proposed and contemplated state and national legislation.
3. Coordinate advocacy and interactions between the Legislative Liaisons, Committee members, NVMGMA members, and lawmakers.
4. Collaborate with other organizations and their representatives and lobbyists on issues of mutual interest and concern.
5. Work with the Membership Committee to identify NV MGMA participation for grass-roots efforts.
6. Leverage the resources of National MGMA to communicate, educate and engage with state membership on national policy issues.
7. Educate and inform membership on legislative action, both state and national.

Reporting Responsibilities

1. To the MGMA Board
 - a. Get Board approval for formal positions on legislation that the Legislative Liaisons or Committee wishes to go "on the record" on behalf of NV MGMA.
 - b. Update the Board on activities through (non-voting) participation in Board activities
2. To the membership
 - a. Via email and meetings, update the membership on policy issues, including:
 - i. Email blasts regarding relevant issues
 - ii. Forward Washington Connection from National MGMA via email
 - iii. Provide relevant updates at regularly scheduled meetings



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Governance

The Committee is overseen and has delegated authority as an authorized committee by the NV MGMA Board of Directors.

Composition

1. Legislative Liaison(s) will serve as Committee chair(s)
2. New or replacement Committee members will be proposed by a majority of the remaining Committee members and approved by the NV MGMA Board. If there are 3 or more openings, the NV MGMA Board may appoint members, as required.
3. No fewer than 2, but no more than 5 Committee members, in addition to the Chair and any staff or ex officio members who participate.
 - a. At least one member will be a designated liaison from the Southern Nevada Steering Committee.
 - b. Other members may be assigned as liaisons, as needed.