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**Beneficiary Advisory Council Nominations**

Are you interested in helping the Medicaid program by providing advice and a beneficiary perspective? South Dakota Medicaid is seeking nominations to serve on the new Medicaid Beneficiary Advisory Council. The purpose of the Council is to advise South Dakota Medicaid on policy, processes, communications, and other ways to improve the program.

Beneficiary Advisory Council are expected to attend four quarterly meetings per year with Medicaid staff to provide advice and feedback on various topics. If you are interested in serving on the Council, please complete the attached nomination form and email it to Ashley Lauing, Policy Strategy Manager, at [Ashley.Lauing@state.sd.us](mailto:Ashley.Lauing@state.sd.us) or mail to Department of Social Services, Attn: Ashley Lauing, 700 Governor's Drive, Pierre, SD 57501.

All nominations will be reviewed and considered. Appointments to the Council will be determined by the Medicaid Director.



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## Beneficiary Advisory Council Nomination Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please select the vacancy for which you are nominating:

\_\_\_\_\_ Current Medicaid Beneficiary.

\_\_\_\_\_ Medicaid Beneficiary family member.

\_\_\_\_\_ Paid or unpaid Medicaid Beneficiary Caregiver.

Tell us about your interest in participating on the Council:

Please indicate that you agree to the following by initialing:

I am willing and able to attend quarterly meetings and provide advice and feedback to South Dakota Medicaid. \_\_\_\_\_

Return nomination packets to Ashley Lauing, Policy Strategy Manager, at [Ashley.Lauing@state.sd.us](mailto:Ashley.Lauing@state.sd.us) or mailed to Department of Social Services, Attn: Ashley Lauing, 700 Governor's Drive, Pierre, SD 57501.