



## #HealthierMO

Transforming the Future of Public Health in Missouri

### Seeking Advisory Council Nominees Committed to Making Missouri Healthier

Diversity, experience, commitment – these are some of the words stakeholders used during the March 1<sup>st</sup> Convening Session to describe who should serve on the Advisory Council for the #HealthierMO initiative to transform the future of public health in Missouri. Stakeholders said they wanted people with public health experience who will think about what is best for public health, but they also want a fresh perspective and a balance of “thinkers and doers.”

The initiative’s Steering Committee seeks your help in identifying and nominating people to serve on the Advisory Council. The Committee is looking for people with a general understanding of public health and a willingness to contribute to making Missouri healthier. The Advisory Council will set the vision for change, prioritize topics for study, and create a transformation action plan.

Nominees should be willing to commit to attend two face-to-face meetings (May and June 2018) and participate in multiple conference calls over the next five months. Nominate qualified individuals directly at [Advisory Council Nominations](#) or by visiting [HealthierMO.org](#). Nominations will be accepted through March 23, 2018. Self-nominations are welcomed.

The #HealthierMO grassroots initiative seeks to engage stakeholders from across the state in positively impacting the health of Missouri residents by transforming the current public health system into a stronger, more sustainable, culturally relevant and responsive system that can meet the challenges of Missouri’s diverse communities. The initiative does not propose a quick fix, but rather, advocates for long-term, system-wide change. To learn more about the initiative, visit [HealthierMO.org](#) or Facebook [@HealthierMO](#).

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