



Nevada MGMA Legislative Committee

Charter

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 NVMGMA 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 NVMGMA membership about state and national public policy, legislation and related activities.
2. Engage with NVMGMA 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 and issues of mutual interest and concern.
5. Leverage the resource of National MGMA to communicate, educate and engage with state membership on national policy issues.
6. 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 NVMGMA.
 - 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 regularly scheduled meetings

Governance

The Committee is overseen and delegated authority as an authorized committee by the NVMGMA 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 NGMGMA Board. If there are 3 or more openings, the NVMGMA 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 office members who participate.
 - a. At least one member will be designation liaison from the Southern Nevada Steering Committee.
 - b. Other members may be assigned as liaisons, as needed.