

## **Professional Standards Committee Report 5-19-12**

**OKQ update:** meeting attended by Lynn Hayden 4-16. See summary. Highlights: 1) The CCO has included tracking contraceptive care as part of the preventive care quality metrics; 2) CareOregon will provide additional reimbursement if OKQ pregnancy intention is tracked for OHP clients; 3) Research project on OKQ effectiveness is being developed in concert with OHSU; 4) Implementation of OKQ in Multnomah County primary care clinics and WIC clinics. They are looking for a rural clinic who is interested in implementing OKQ. You may contact Jane Harrison Hohner if interested; 5) A brochure is being developed to educate patients about preconception and contraceptive care.

**Precepting Webinar:** Saturday 7/21/12, 10 am. Tracy Klein and Mary Fey will present on the new OSBN rules about precepting students from out of state programs and issues related to precepting from the preceptor standpoint.

**OHSU accreditation:** The Professional Standards committee and Susan King will meet with OHSU Nursing School interim dean Chris Tanner Tuesday, June 5 at 7:30 a.m. to review what the school is doing to strengthen the NP program. Sue Davidson is participating in the search process for the new dean and we will make the advanced practice programs a major focus of our advocacy.

**OSBN meeting 4/19** was attended by Jennifer Bevacqua, representing NPO. A review of the progress OHSU is making in meeting the OSBN accreditation concerns was reported at the meeting and was satisfactory to the Board. Lois Eaton will attend the 6-21 Board meeting.