

# Membership Application for the Flex Advisory Committee

**2023**

Answer the following questions and attach a copy of your resume or CV. Return to the Flex Program at [health.flex@state.mn.us](mailto:health.flex@state.mn.us).

## Committee Purpose

The purpose of this committee is to assist the Office of Rural Health and Primary Care with program planning, implementation, evaluation, and policy consultation for the Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility Program. The Flex Program was established by the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 to support rural communities in preserving access to primary and emergency health care services. The Flex Program supports rural health care systems through improving CAH quality, CAH financial and operational health, rural EMS sustainability, and promoting health equity and population health. Members are expected to fulfill the following roles:

- Members are expected to make every effort to attend all advisory meetings, and to provide relevant updates and input as appropriate to meeting agendas.
- Members will provide input on issues as requested by ORHPC to inform the planning and implementation of Flex Program activities, serve as subject matter experts, support the review or evaluation of on-going activities, provide input to requests for information, and provide other guidance as applicable.

## Application

**Name:**

**Title or role in your organization:**

**Organization name:**

**Organization address:**

**Phone number:**

**Email address:**

**Position you are applying for:**

