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**EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS LEGISLATIVE REVIEW**

**OFFICE:** Psychiatric Security Review Board

**APPOINTEE:** Dr. Pamela Buchanan of Portland; New Appointment

**TERM:** 4-year term: July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2023

**APPOINTMENT/CONFIRMATION AUTHORITY:** ORS 161.385

**STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTEREST REQUIRED (ORS 244.050):** Not required

**STATUTORY QUALIFICATIONS:** ORS 161.385

Affirmative action policy: See ORS 182.100. Diversity criteria: See ORS 236.115.

- Ten members serve four-year terms:
  - One psychiatrist experienced in the criminal justice system (REICHLIN)
  - One licensed psychologist experienced in the criminal justice system (BUCHANAN)
  - One experienced in parole and probation process (ELMER)
  - One lawyer experienced in criminal trial practice (NICHOL)
  - One child psychiatrist experienced in the juvenile justice system (GARNER)
  - One licensed psychologist experienced in child psychology and the juvenile justice system (MILLER)
  - One experienced in juvenile parole and probation (KUENZI)
  - One lawyer with experience in juvenile law practice (KOCHLACS)
  - Two members of the general public (CASTEEL, SWETNAM)
- No district attorney, deputy district attorney, or public defender may be a member
- Members are eligible for reappointment

**DUTIES AND AUTHORITY:** ORS 161.315 to 161.351; 161.385 to 161.400

- The board retains jurisdiction over persons who are found “guilty except for insanity” of a crime
- The work is divided between an adult panel and a juvenile panel, with each panel directing the care and treatment of those persons
- The board’s jurisdiction is equal to the maximum sentence provided for the crime
- The board’s primary purpose is to protect the public through the on-going review of the progress of those placed under its jurisdiction
- The board has authority to commit a person to the state hospital, conditionally release a person from the hospital to community-based program, revoke conditional release, or discharge person
- The board can promulgate interpretive rules necessary to carry out its responsibilities

## Executive Appointments Board Roster

### Psychiatric Security Review Board

Agency: Governor's Office  
Authorization: ORS 161.385  
Members: Min: 10 Max: 10  
Term Length: 4 years Limit: 2  
Senate confirmation required? Yes

**Policy Area:** Health

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### Current Appointments:

**Member Name and Address (Alphabetical)**

Elena Balduzzi, Psy.D. Psychologist; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2015 - 06-30-2019 12-01-2011 - 06-30-2015	Position Number: 2
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Pamela S Buchanan, PsyD Psychologist; Adult Panel Term(s): 07-01-2019 - 06-30-2023	Position Number: 2
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Shelly R Casteel Public Member; Juvenile Panel Chair Term(s): 07-01-2017 - 06-30-2021 03-01-2014 - 06-30-2017	Position Number: 10
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Trisha J Elmer Parole & Probation; Adult Panel Term(s): 09-22-2016 - 06-30-2020	Position Number: 3
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Bennett W Garner, MD Psychiatrist; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 03-15-2017 - 06-30-2020 07-01-2013 - 06-30-2017 03-01-2012 - 06-30-2013	Position Number: 6
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Charles G Kochlacs Attorney; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2016 - 06-30-2020 02-17-2016 - 06-30-2016	Position Number: 9
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Kate Kuenzi Parole and Probation; Juvenile Panel Term(s): 07-01-2018 - 06-30-2022 01-02-2015 - 06-30-2018	Position Number: 8
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**Policy Area:** Health

Cathy Miller, PhD

Psychologist; Juvenile Panel

Position Number: 7

Term(s): 07-01-2018 - 06-30-2022  
01-02-2015 - 06-30-2018

Anne L Nichol

Attorney; Adult Panel

Position Number: 5

Term(s): 07-01-2017 - 06-30-2021

Scott M Reichlin, MD

Forensic Psychiatrist; Adult Panel

Position Number: 1

Term(s): 06-01-2017 - 06-30-2021  
05-22-2015 - 05-31-2017

John J Swetnam

Public Member; Adult Panel

Position Number: 4

Term(s): 07-01-2017 - 06-30-2021  
03-09-2015 - 06-30-2017