



CABINET FOR HEALTH
AND FAMILY SERVICES

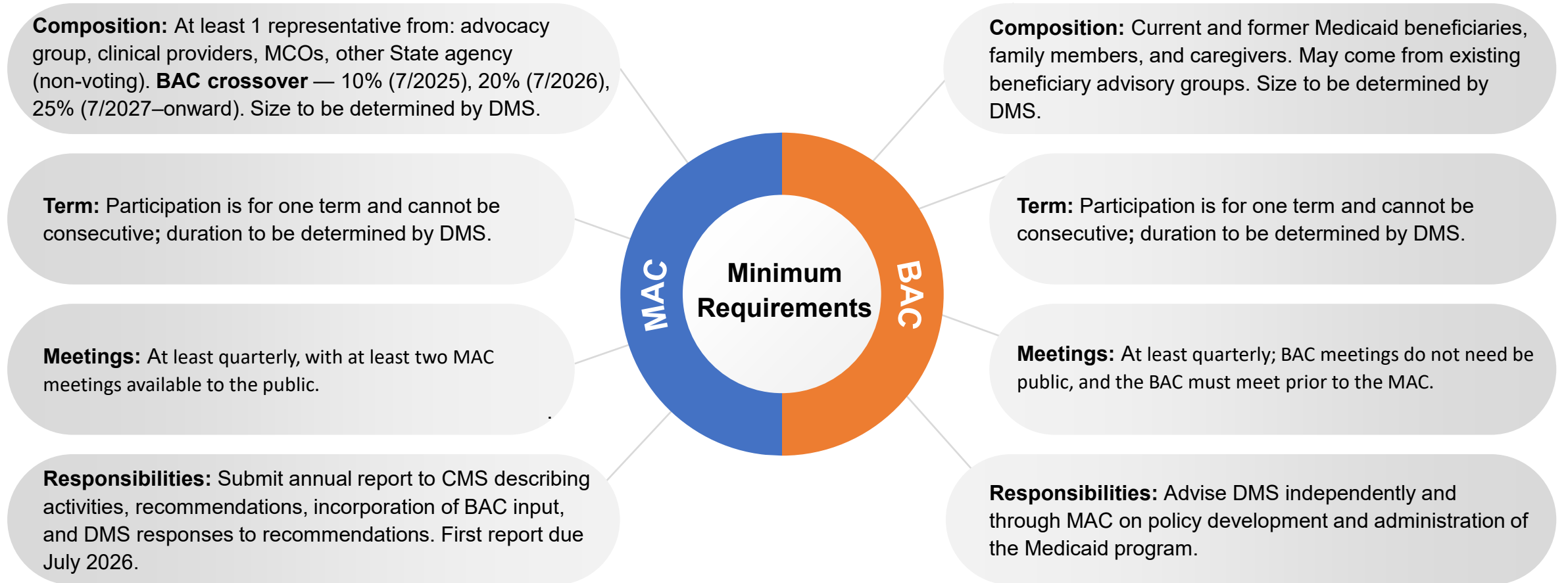
Restructuring Medicaid Advisory Framework

Consumer Rights Technical Advisory Committee
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Medicaid Advisory Committee and Beneficiary Advisory Council (42 CFR 431.12)

- New federal requirements for a **Medicaid Advisory Committee (MAC) and Beneficiary Advisory Council (BAC)**.
- Brings consistency across all state Medicaid programs in how external partners, including individuals with lived experience, provide ideas and suggestions on policy development and effective administration of the program. Focus areas include:
 - Coordination and access to care, quality of services, and additions or modifications to benefits
 - Eligibility, enrollment, and renewal processes
 - Beneficiary and provider communications by the state and managed care organizations (MCOs)
 - Health disparities, health equity, and cultural competency
- In collaboration with external partners, states have some flexibility in composition within federal requirements.
 - Per regulation, the state Medicaid Director responsible for selection of members for the MAC and BAC.
 - State agency also responsible for the development of governance documents and planning and facilitation of meetings.

Key Elements of the MAC and BAC



Overview of MAC and BAC Implementation Process



**QUESTIONS
and/or
Comments?**