

**Controlled Substances Advisory Council**

- (1) the Commissioner of Health or designee, who shall serve as chair;
- (2) the Deputy Commissioner of Health for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs or designee;
- (3) the Commissioner of Mental Health or designee;
- (4) the Commissioner of Public Safety;
- (5) a representative of the Vermont Attorney General;
- (6) the Director of the Blueprint for Health or designee;
- (7) the Medical Director for the Department of Vermont Health Access;
- (8) the Chair of the Board of Medical Practice or designee, who shall be a clinician;
- (9) a representative of the Vermont State Dental Society, who shall be a dentist;
- (10) a representative of the Vermont Board of Pharmacy, who shall be a pharmacist;
- (11) a faculty member of the academic detailing program at the University of Vermont's College of Medicine;
- (12) a faculty member of the University of Vermont's College of Medicine with expertise in the treatment of addiction or chronic pain management;
- (13) a representative of the Vermont Medical Society, who shall be a primary care clinician;
- (14) a representative of the American Academy of Family Physicians, Vermont chapter, who shall be a primary care clinician;
- (15) a representative from the Vermont Board of Osteopathic Physicians, who shall be an osteopath;
- (16) a representative of the Federally Qualified Health Centers, who shall be a primary care clinician selected by the Bi-State Primary Care Association;

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(17) a representative of the Vermont Ethics Network;

(18) a representative of the Hospice and Palliative Care Council of Vermont;

(19) a representative of the Office of the Health Care Ombudsman;

(20) a clinician who works in the emergency department of a hospital, to be selected by the Vermont Association of Hospitals and Health Systems in consultation with any nonmember hospitals;

(21) a member of the Vermont Board of Nursing Subcommittee on APRN Practice, who shall be an advanced practice registered nurse;

(22) a representative from the Vermont Assembly of Home Health and Hospice Agencies;

(23) a psychologist licensed pursuant to 26 V.S.A. chapter 55 who has experience in treating chronic pain, to be selected by the Board of Psychological Examiners;

(24) a drug and alcohol abuse counselor licensed pursuant to 33 V.S.A. chapter 8, to be selected by the Deputy Commissioner of Health for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs;

(25) a retail pharmacist, to be selected by the Vermont Pharmacists Association;

(26) an advanced practice registered nurse full-time faculty member from the University of Vermont's Department of Nursing; and

(27) a consumer representative who is either a consumer in recovery from prescription drug abuse or a consumer receiving medical treatment for chronic noncancer-related pain.

(28) a representative of the Vermont Substance Abuse Treatment Providers Association;

(29) Up to three adjunct members appointed by the Commissioner in consultation with the Opiate Prescribing Task Force (OPTF).

(30) Any other member invited by the Commissioner.