

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, case management is a multidisciplinary profession that seeks to assure the delivery of quality, appropriate, efficient, and cost effective health care services to patients throughout the State of Vermont; and

WHEREAS, case managers function in a variety of practice settings, including hospitals, home health care, long-term care, rehabilitation, eldercare, managed care and occupational health to facilitate the coordination of continuing care services; and

WHEREAS, case management is a medical management strategy that fosters the careful shepherding of health care dollars, while maintaining a primary and consistent focus on patient advocacy; and

WHEREAS, case management services enhance quality of life, while promoting the achievement of positive health care outcomes; and

WHEREAS, case management is an integral component of health care delivery in the State of Vermont and throughout the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Peter Shumlin, Governor, do hereby proclaim October 11-17, 2015 as



CASE MANAGEMENT WEEK

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of
Vermont on this 24th day of September, A.D. 2015

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'P' followed by a long horizontal line.

Peter Shumlin
Governor