

Palliative Care and Quality of Life Advisory Council As of 10/25/2023

Governor of Maine Appointees

	Member	Affiliation	Contact Information	Term
Seat #1	Beth Collins, MD <i>Board Certified Pall Care physician</i>	Lahey Hospital and Medical Center <i>(Pending Appointment)</i>	155 Pepperrell Rd., Kittery Point, ME 03905 bethc7888@gmail.com	781-258-6352
Seat #2	Pamela Brown RN,CHPN <i>Board Certified Pall Care RN, NP</i>	Togus-VA Maine Health care System <i>(Pending Re-Appointment)</i>	16 Ryder Road Farmingdale, ME 04344 pamela.brown@va.gov	207-623-8411 EXT 5663 1/19/2023
Seat #14	Jane Conrad, J.D. <i>Pall Care, Consumer</i>	Retired Attorney, Advanced Care Planning Facilitator	P.O. Box 75, Tenants Harbor, ME 04860 okalee1@aol.com	(207) 372-6621

Maine Hospice Council Appointees

Seat # 3	Lauren Michalakes, MD, MPH <i>Program Consultant</i>	Office of Aging and Disability Services, DHHS Palliative Care Expert	11 Salem St., Portland, ME 04102 lauren.michalakes@maine.gov	(207) 691-0343 7/31/2025
Seat #4	Kathy Baillargeon <i>Pall Care Health Professional</i>	Hospice Volunteers of Hancock County, Ex. Dir <i>(Pending Appointment)</i>	14 McKenzie Ave., Ellsworth, ME 04605 info@hospiceofhancock.org	(207) 667-2531
Seat #5	James "Greg" Burns <i>Pall Care Health Care Professional</i>	Pediatric Nurse, Androscoggin Home Health and Hospice	60 Raymond Hill Rd., Raymond, ME 04071 burnsgre@gmail.com	(207) 415-4791 7/31/2025

President of Senate Appointees

Seat #6	Steven D'Amato, BScPharm <i>Licensed pharmacist Serious Illness Experience</i>	Scientia Pharmacy Advisors, LLC <i>(Need re-appointment letter)</i>	20 Whitehead Circle, Portland, ME 04103 stevendamato54@gmail.com	(207) 232-8010 12/28/2023
Seat #7	Rebecca Hutchinson, MD <i>Representative of Hospitals</i>	Maine Medical Center	22 Bramhall St., RM. 4670 rebecca.hutchinson@mainehealth.org	(207) 662-5517 7/31/2025

Speaker of the House Appointees

Seat #8	Annie Blanchard <i>Licensed SW-Serious Illness</i>	Midcoast Palliative Care, LCSW	MidCoast Hospital 81 Medical Center Dr., Brunswick, ME 04011 ann.blanchard@mainehealth.org	(207) 844-1861 6/15/2025
Seat #9	Vacant <i>Represent Health Insurers</i>			

Senate Minority Leader Appointees

Seat #10	Alicia Murray Clinical Director/Associate Professor <i>State-wide Organization / Advocate Persons with Serious Illness</i>	Husson University <i>(Pending appointment)</i>	Address: 1 College Circle, Bangor, ME 04401 murrayal@husson.edu	(207)-478-4835
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House Minority Office Appointees

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State-wide Organization / Advocate
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Seat #12 Vacant
Spiritual counselor (serious illness experience)

Seat #13 Amy Angelo (Pending Appointment) Alzheimer's Association, 383 Route One #2C, Scarborough, ME 04074
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Convening authority: In Statute, PL 2015, c203**Maine Hospice Council**

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