

**Council on Medical Assistance Program Oversight Appointments 2013-2014:**

CGS 17b-28 as amended by PA 11-44 sec 167-172.

Legislative Appointments (Updated September 11, 2014)

<b>Appointing Authority 2013 -2014</b>	<b>Council Membership Designation</b>	<b>Appointments 2013-2014 Co Terminus</b>
<b>President Pro Tempore</b>  <b>Sen. Donald Williams</b>	1) A member of the General Assembly (1)  2) Representative of the Home Care Industry (1)  3) Primary Care Medical Home provider (1)  4) Advocate for DCF Foster Families (1)	1) Rep. Susan Johnson  2) Tracy Wodatch CAHCH  3) Dr. Cliff O'Callahan  4) Marjorie Eichler <i>New Haven</i>
<b>Speaker of the House</b>  <b>Rep. J. Brendan Sharkey</b>	1) A member of the General Assembly(1)  2) Community Provider of Adult Medicaid Services(1)  3) Medicaid ABD recipient or advocate of such recipient (1)	1.) Rep. Elizabeth Ritter ( <b>Chair</b> ) 2.) Beth Cheney, APRN Columbia  3.) Rev. Bonita Grubbs

	4) A representative of the CT Federally Qualified Health Clinics	4.) Katherine Yacavone
<b>Senate Majority Leader Sen. Martin M. Looney</b>	1) A Representative of School Based Health Centers 2) HUSKY Recipient (1)	1.)Jesse White Frese 2.)
<b>Senate Minority Leader Sen. John McKinney</b>	1) Current recipient or advocate for the Medicaid Low Income Adults (LIA) (1) 2) Representative of Hospital Services (1)	1.) Kristen Hatcher J.D., Conn Legal Services 2.) Joyce Hess (CHA)
<b>House Majority Leader Joe Aresimowkz</b>	1) Advocate for persons with substance abuse disabilities 2) Medicaid dental provider	1.) Heather Greene 2.) Jeff Walter
<b>House Minority Leader Rep. Larry F.Cafero</b>	1) Advocate for persons with disabilities (1) 2) Current Medicaid Dual Eligible recipient or advocate of such recipient (1)	1.) Sheila Admur 2.)

There is established, within the Council on Medical Assistance Program Oversight, a standing subcommittee to study and make annual recommendations to the council on evidence-based best practices concerning Medicaid cost savings. The subcommittee shall file its first report to the council not later than January 1, 2015. The subcommittee shall consist of the following members, whose work on the council shall consist solely of work on the subcommittee:

<b>Standing Subcommittee on Cost Savings Appointing Authority</b>	Council Membership Designation	Designation
<b>President Pro Tempore</b>  <b>Sen. Donald Williams</b>	A Representative of the Business Community with Experience in Cost Efficiency Management	Mark Masselli Community Health Center, Inc.
<b>Speaker of the House</b>  <b>Rep. J. Brendan Sharkey</b>	A Member of the CT Hospital Association	
<b>Senate Majority Leader Martin Looney</b>	A Physician who serves Medicaid Clients	Susan Lagarde, MD Fair Haven Health Center

<b>Senate Minority Leader Sen. John McKinney</b>	A Representative of the business community with experience in cost efficiency management	
<b>House Majority Leader Joe Aresimowkz</b>	A Representative of the For-Profit Nursing Home Industry	Raymond Wilkens
<b>House Minority Leader Rep. Larry F. Cafero</b>	A Representative of the not-for-profit nursing home industry	Mag Morelli Leading Age CT

<b>Appointing Authority</b>	<b>Appointments 2013-2014</b>
<b>Commission on Aging Executive Director or designee</b>	<b>Julia Evans Starr</b>
<b>Commission on Children Executive Director or designee</b>	<b>Alex Geertsma, M.D.</b>
<b>Long-Term Care Advisory Council representative</b>	<b>Molly Rees Gavin</b>

**General Assembly Committee Appointments 2013-2012** (*Committee Chairs & Ranking members may choose to participate in the Council or appoint a designee*)

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Committee Members 2013-2013</b>	<b>Appointments 2013-2014</b>
<b>Public Health</b>	<b>Chairs:</b> 1) Sen. T. Gerratana ( Chair) 2) Rep. Susan Johnson  <b>Ranking members:</b> 1) Sen. Jason Welch 2) Rep. Prasad Srinivasan	<b>Designee:</b> 1.) Ellen Andrews 2.) Rep. James Maroney  1.) Andrew Selinger MD 2.) Dr. Bobby Jaswal
<b>Human Services</b>	1) Sen. Gayle Slossberg 2) Rep. Cathy Abercrombie  <b>Ranking members:</b> 1) Sen. Joe Markley 2) Rep. Terrie Wood	<b>Designee</b> 1.) 2.) Rep. Charlie Stallworth  1.) Self 2.)
<b>Appropriations</b> <i>added to MMCC 2006 session</i>	<b>Chairs:</b> 1) Sen. Toni Harp 2) Rep. Toni Walker  <b>Ranking Member: (Appropriations)</b> 1) Sen. Robert Kane 2) Rep. Craig Miner	<b>Designee:</b> 1.) 2.) Mary Alice Lee  1.) Eric Berthel 2.)

**Ex-Officio Appointments: State Agency & Program Management Entity (entities)**

<b>State Agency</b>	<b>Appointments</b>
Department of Social Services (1)	1.) Kate McEvoy 2.) Robert Zavoski, MD
Department of Public Health (1)	1.)Mark Keenan 2.)Renee Coleman-Mitchell
Department of Children & Families (1)	1.) Dr. Fredericka Wolman
Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services (1)	1.) Pat Rehmer/ Paul DiLeo
Department on Aging	1.)Margaret Gerundo- Murkette Acting Commissioner
Office of Policy & Management (1)	1.) Ann Foley, OPM
Office of the Comptroller (1)	1.)Josh Wojick
Representative of the Medicaid Administrative Service Organization (s)--CHN-CT	1.) Sylvia Kelly

**Ex-Officio members: (see above appointment changes)**

- Deb Poerio – School-based Health Centers, Vice chair QA SC
- Office of Health Care Advocate- Victoria Veltri
- Office of the Child Advocate
- Subcommittee Co-Chairs:
  - o Quality Improvement: Debbie Poerio
  - o Consumer Access: Christine Bianchi (FQHC)
  - o Women’s Health: Amy Gagliardi (FQHC)/ DPH Donna Ma

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