

grams, and develop strategies, all designed to better economic and social conditions for African-American men and youth.

The Commission reported its initial findings and recommendations to the Governor and the General Assembly in July 1993.

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**STATE COUNCIL ON  
CANCER CONTROL**

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Christian H. Poindexter, *Chairperson*, 1995

*Appointed by Governor (who names chair):* Martin D. Abeloff, M.D., 1994; Patricia O. Horsey, 1994; Genevieve M. Matanoski, M.D., 1994; Constance M. Unseld, 1994; Joseph Aisner, M.D., 1995; Anna Johnson-Winegar, Ph.D., 1995; Famebridge C. Payne, 1995; Mary Sexton, Ph.D., 1995; Richard W. Story, 1995.

*Designated by Senate President:* Patricia R. Sher, 1995

*Designated by House Speaker:* Virginia M. Thomas, 1994

*Ex officio:* David A. C. Carroll, Secretary of the Environment; Mary G. Mussman, M.D., M.P.H., designee of Secretary of Health & Mental Hygiene; David J. Ramsay, M.D., Ph.D., President, University of Maryland at Baltimore.

*Nonvoting member:* Regina el Arculli, National Cancer Institute

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The State Council on Cancer Control was authorized by the Governor in June 1991 (Executive Order 01.01.1991.22). The Council advises the Governor on development of a comprehensive State policy and program to control and reduce the incidence of cancer. The Council also makes recommendations to promote and coordinate programs for public education, prevention, and treatment, and improve access to testing, screening, and treatment. In addition, the Council advises the Governor on existing and planned cancer programs, and a public-private partnership to control the incidence of cancer in Maryland.

The Council promotes and guides development of a comprehensive Cancer Surveillance System that collects data on incidence, diagnostic stage, mortality, and risk factors; establishes goals and priorities for the System; and oversees transformation of the Maryland Cancer Registry into a tool to plan, evaluate, and target cancer control programs through the Maryland Cancer Registry Advisory Committee.

**MARYLAND CANCER REGISTRY  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Genevieve M. Matanoski, M.D., *Chairperson*

*Appointed by Chairperson, State Council on Cancer Control:* Robert A. Barnett, M.D.; Rachel Brem, M.D.; Tom Burke, Ph.D.; Shirin de Silva, M.D.; Gayle Driessen, C.T.R.; George Elias, M.D.; Katherine P. Farrell, M.D.; Norma Kanarek, Ph.D.; Robert A. Palermo, M.D.; Steven Piantadosi, M.D., Ph.D.; Harold E. Ramsey, M.D.; Samuel Shapiro, Ph.D.; John W. Southard, M.D., M.P.H.; Terry Winter.

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Creation of the Maryland Cancer Registry Advisory Committee followed the establishment of the Maryland Cancer Registry in July 1982. The Committee advises the State Council on Cancer Control on the operation of the Registry.

The Registry is an incidence-based electronic database for demographic as well as cancer diagnostic and treatment information on Maryland residents, and those nonresidents who are diagnosed or treated in Maryland (Code Health—General Article, sec. 18-204). Formerly under the Department of the Environment, the Registry was transferred to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene in 1991. Under contractual agreement with the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Registry is operated by the Department of Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine of the School of Medicine, University of Maryland at Baltimore.

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**GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON THE  
CHESAPEAKE BAY**

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*Chairperson:* Cecily M. Majerus, Governor's Chesapeake Bay Coordinator

*Ex officio:* vacancy, Secretary of Agriculture; David A. C. Carroll, Secretary of the Environment; Torrey C. Brown, M.D., Secretary of Natural Resources; Donald F. Boesch, Ph.D., designee of Chancellor, University of Maryland System; Ronald M. Kreitner, Director of Planning.

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The Governor's Council on the Chesapeake Bay was formed by the Governor in January 1985 (Executive Order 01.01.1985.02). The Council advises the Governor on management of the Bay and surrounding areas. The Council also promotes interagency coordination and integration of Bay-related programs.