

tional Services designates the chairperson (Code 1957, Art. 41, secs. 107-117).

PATUXENT INSTITUTION

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Authorized by Chapter 476, Acts of 1951, Patuxent Institution opened in 1955 under the administrative control of the Department of Correction. By Chapter 629, Acts of 1961, the Institution became an autonomous agency under the control of the Board of Patuxent Institution. By Chapter 401, Acts of 1970, the Institution became a part of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services. Its status continued as an institution separate from the Division of Correction, and it retained its own board.

Patuxent Institution is to provide efficient and adequate programs and services for the treatment and rehabilitation of eligible persons. The Commissioner of Correction may refer a person to Patuxent Institution for evaluation when this is recommended by the sentencing court, by the State's Attorney of the jurisdiction in which the person was last sentenced, or by the staff of the Division of Correction. The Commissioner may also refer a person in response to an application by the person himself. Each person so referred is transferred to the Institution for evaluation by an evaluation team consisting of at least three professional employees of the Institution, including at least one psychiatrist, one psychologist, and one social worker or behavioral scientist. The evaluation team assembles and reviews all available relevant information about the person and conducts its own examination of that individual. Based on its own examination and the information assembled, the team determines whether this individual is an eligible person and states its findings in a report to the Director. If not eligible, the person is returned to the Division of Correction to continue his sentence. If eligible, the person remains at Patuxent Institution for treatment.

The Institution offers medical, psychiatric, psychological, and social casework services, as well as academic, vocational, recreational, and religious services. Treatment services are also provided for individuals on pre-parole and parole status. All such programs are directly under the administration of the Institution and are supervised by the same staff members who worked with the inmate while he was at the Institution.

To provide for continuation of treatment in these programs, the Institution operates a community clinic in Metropolitan Baltimore. In addition to continued psychotherapy, the clinic staff also provides job and family counseling and social casework services for the individual and his family. At the community clinic, the Institution operates a halfway house. This residential unit provides housing and supportive services for parolees who have insufficient personal or family resources to support them in the community. The Institution also houses all pre-parole inmates located on the grounds of the Institution. This forty-bed facility is staffed by a trained social worker and officer-counselors who provide continuous counseling and supervision.

The Director is the Chief Administrative Officer of the Institution. Of three Associate Directors, one must be a psychiatrist and one a behavioral scientist. They assist primarily in the areas of diagnosis and treatment. The third Associate Director assists primarily in the field of custody. By law the staff also must include at least three additional psychiatrists or clinical psychologists, at least four trained social workers, a physician, and a dentist.

Board of Patuxent Institution

Chairperson: Rev. Marcus G. Wood

Fred S. Berlin, M.D.; Robert E. Cahill; Minor B. Crager, Ph.D.; Robert A. Gordon, Ph.D.; Robert B. Levinson, Ph.D.; Mose Lewis III; Peter R. Maida, Ph.D.; Olive W. Quinn, Ph.D.; Uthman Ray, Jr., M.D.; James L. Roberts; Edward A. Tomlinson, Ph.D.; Eugene J. Zander; *one vacancy. Terms expire 1985.*

Ex officio: Alp Karahasan, M.D., *Administrator, Mental Hygiene Administration*; William J. Devance, *Acting Director, Parole and Probation*; Arnold J. Hopkins, *Commissioner of Correction.*

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By Chapter 284, Acts of 1975, the Board of Patuxent Institution and the Advisory Board for Defective Delinquents (Chapter 476, Acts of 1951) were merged into a single board, known as the Board of Patuxent Institution. The Board consults and advises the Director and the Secretary with respect to the operation, programs, services, personnel, and rules and regulations of Patuxent Institution.

The Board of Patuxent Institution includes three ex officio and fourteen appointed members. Appointed members include a professor of psychiatry