

(13) FOUR REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION OF MARYLAND, APPOINTED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSOCIATION;

(14) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MARYLAND STATEWIDE INDEPENDENT LIVING COUNCIL, APPOINTED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE COUNCIL;

(15) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MARYLAND DISABILITY LAW CENTER, MARYLAND'S PROTECTION ADVOCACY SYSTEM, APPOINTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE;

(16) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEALTH, APPOINTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE; AND

(17) THE FOLLOWING 16 MEMBERS, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR:

(I) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF STATE OR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT;

(II) SIX MARYLAND CITIZENS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED A TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY;

(III) FIVE MARYLAND CITIZENS WHO ARE CURRENTLY CARING FOR, OR ARE FAMILY MEMBERS OF, INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED A TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY; AND

(IV) FOUR PROFESSIONALS WITH SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE IN PROVIDING SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURIES OR TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY PREVENTION ACTIVITIES.

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(A) (1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 3 YEARS.

(2) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(3) A MEMBER APPOINTED TO FILL A VACANCY IN AN UNEXPIRED TERM SERVES ONLY FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) A MEMBER OF THE ADVISORY BOARD MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN TWO CONSECUTIVE TERMS.

(5) THE TERMS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY BOARD ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS ON OCTOBER 1, 2005.

(B) THE MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY BOARD SHALL ELECT A CHAIR OF THE ADVISORY BOARD EACH YEAR.

(C) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT AT A MEETING SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM FOR TRANSACTING BUSINESS OR PERFORMING ANY DUTIES.