

**Article 41 – Governor – Executive and Administrative Departments**

18-304.

(A) THERE IS A COMMISSION ON COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS WHICH SHALL DEFINE WHICH HEALTH CARE METHODS ARE COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS AND STUDY HOW TO ALLOW THE USE OF COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS BY MARYLAND PHYSICIANS WITH PATIENTS WHO WISH TO BE TREATED THROUGH COMPLEMENTARY METHODS FOR THEIR MEDICAL CONDITIONS.

(B) THE COMMISSION CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

(1) ~~TWO MEMBERS~~ ONE MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE;

(2) ~~TWO MEMBERS~~ ONE MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND, APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE; AND

(3) ~~TEN~~ ELEVEN MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR, AS FOLLOWS:

(I) THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE, OR THE SECRETARY'S DESIGNEE;

(II) TWO MEMBERS REPRESENTING THE BOARD OF PHYSICIAN QUALITY ASSURANCE;

(III) TWO MEMBERS REPRESENTING THE MEDICAL AND CHIRURGICAL FACULTY OF MARYLAND;

(IV) ONE MARYLAND PHYSICIAN WITH EXPERTISE IN THE USE OF COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS;

(V) ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING HOSPITALS IN MARYLAND

~~(VI)~~ (VI) TWO PATIENTS OR FORMER PATIENTS OF PHYSICIANS WHO TREAT PATIENTS WITH COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS; AND

~~(VII)~~ (VII) TWO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

(C) THE COMMISSION IS CHARGED WITH:

(1) DEFINING WHICH HEALTH CARE METHODS ARE COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS BEING USED BY PHYSICIANS IN MARYLAND;

~~(1) (2) DETERMINING WHAT KIND OF COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS ARE BEING USED BY PHYSICIANS IN MARYLAND;~~

~~(2) (3) (2)~~ (2) EVALUATING THE COSTS, BENEFITS, AND RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF COMPLEMENTARY MEDICAL METHODS;