

Article - Health - General

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There is a State [Commission] ADVISORY COUNCIL on Hereditary and Congenital Disorders.

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(a) (1) The [Commission] ADVISORY COUNCIL consists of 11 voting members and 5 nonvoting members.

(2) Of the 11 voting members:

(i) 1 shall be a member of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate;

(ii) 1 shall be a member of the House of Delegates appointed by the Speaker of the House;

(iii) 4 shall be professional individuals in the field of hereditary or congenital disorders appointed by the Governor; and

(iv) 5 shall be individuals appointed by the Governor, none of whom may be:

1. A health professional or spouse of a health professional; or

2. An individual or spouse of an individual involved in the administration or ownership of any health care institution or health insurance organization.

(3) (i) Except as provided in subparagraph (iv) of this paragraph, the Governor shall appoint 1 professional member from a list of qualified individuals submitted to the Governor by each of the following organizations:

1. The Monumental City Medical Society;

2. The Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of the State of Maryland;

3. The faculty of the University of Maryland School of Medicine; and

4. The faculties of the Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions.

(ii) The number of names on a list shall be 3.

(iii) An organization shall submit its list:

1. At least 3 months before the expiration of the term of the professional member who represents the organization; and