

PUBLIC NOTICE

TASK FORCE TO IMPROVE END OF LIFE CARE MEETING

Where: First Floor Conference Room, Building #73

R.I. Department of Labor & Training

1511 Pontiac Avenue

Cranston, Rhode Island

When: Thursday, June 30, 2005

9:00 AM

The public is invited to attend.

RE: To discuss hospice care and advance care planning.

Date Posted: June 24, 2005

**ATTORNEY GENERAL TASK FORCE TO IMPROVE END OF LIFE
CARE**

NOTICE & AGENDA

June 30, 2005

The Attorney General Task Force to Improve End of Life Care will meet on June 30, 2005 at 9:00 AM. in the First Floor Conference Room of Building #73 at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, RI.

TIME: TOPIC:

9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m. Roll Call

9:05 a.m.– 9:10 a.m. Welcome

Attorney General Patrick C. Lynch

9:10 a.m.– 9:15 a.m. Review Minutes from May 11, 2005

9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Discussion End of Life Care: the Role of Hospice in the Nursing Homes

June 16, 2005

Susan Miller, Ph.D., MBA

Center for Gerontology and Health Care Research

Brown University

Edward Martin, M.D.

Medical Director

Home and Hospice Care of Rhode Island

Lisa Welch, Ph.D.

Center for Gerontology and Health Care Research

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9:30 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. Strategic Planning for Fall 2005

A. Hospice Reimbursement Working Group with DHS

B. Advance Care Planning

1. Uniform Advance Directives

2. Durable Power of Attorney For Health Care

3. Audits/Review of Honoring Patients' Wishes

4. Education

C. Physicians' Order

D. Other Topics

Attorney General Patrick C. Lynch

Maureen G. Glynn, AAG

9:55 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Any other business

Schedule next meeting for the end of August

If you have any questions, please contact Ana Morel at (401) 274-4400 ext. 2328, fax 222-2295, or email: amorel@riag.gov