



State of New York

Executive Chamber

Proclamation

Whereas, HIV/AIDS remains an urgent public health concern in New York State, as evidenced by the more than 195,000 New Yorkers who have been diagnosed with AIDS over the past several decades, and the more than 128,000 New Yorkers currently living with HIV/AIDS; and

Whereas, it was 30 years ago, in 1983, that the AIDS Advisory Council was created for the purpose of advising the Commissioner of Health and the New York State Department of Health AIDS Institute with respect to implementation of a comprehensive response to the HIV/AIDS epidemic in New York State; and

Whereas, the AIDS Advisory Council has carried out its mission in the highest tradition of public health and public service for the past 30 years, working closely with the AIDS Institute on a wide variety of issues, providing reports and recommendations to guide program development and policy formulation; and

Whereas, individual members of the AIDS Advisory Council have served diligently, without compensation, lending their expertise, experience and support to New York State's efforts to combat the HIV/AIDS epidemic; and

Whereas, while significant progress has been made, there is much more to be accomplished in the fight against HIV/AIDS, and the AIDS Advisory Council remains critical to this effort by providing advice and guidance with regard to New York State's response to the HIV/AIDS epidemic; we take this opportunity to recognize the AIDS Advisory Council for its valuable work in addressing and combatting HIV/AIDS over the past 30 years;

Now, Therefore, I, Andrew M. Cuomo, Governor of the State of New York, do hereby proclaim July 30, 2013 as

AIDS ADVISORY COUNCIL RECOGNITION DAY

in the Empire State.



G i v e n under my hand and the Privy Seal of the State
at the Capitol in the City of Albany this nineteenth
day of July in the year two thousand thirteen.

Governor

Secretary to the Governor

Past & Present NYS AIDS Advisory Council Members

Duncan W. Clark, M.D. 1983-1996
Hon. Roy Goodman 1983-2002
Edwin A. Mirand, Ph.D. 1983-2010
Bishop Paul Moore, Jr.* 1983-1987
Virginia M. Apuzzo* 1985-1997
David E. Rogers, M.D.* 1987-1994
Philip W. Brickner, M.D. 1987-1995
Robert Newman, M.D. 1987-1995
Carolyn Britton, M.D. 1990-1995
Felix Velazquez 1990-1999
Hon. Marvin E. Frankel 1990-1995
David A. Hansel, Esq. 1990-2006
Ramon Rodriguez 1991-1997
Ana Dumois, Ph.D., D.S.W. 1992-1999
Richard D. Dadey, Jr. 1992-1995
James R. Dumpson, Ph.D. 1993-1995
Hazel S. Jeffries 1993-1996
Bruce C. Vladeck, Ph.D. 1993-1995
Jeffrey Reynolds, Ph.D. 1994-present
David Hodes, M.D. 1995-1999
William McCarthy 1995-2004
Allan Rosenfield, M.D.* 1995-2008
Lambert N. King, M.D., Ph.D. 1995-2012
Keith Krasinski, M.D. 1995-2010
Megan E. McLaughlin, Ph.D. 1995-2011
Sister Antonia McGuire 1996-2007
Mark Rapoport, M.D., M.P.H. 1996-2002
William A. Viscovich, Esq. 1997-2007
Hon. Thomas K. Duane 1997-present
Barbara Williams 1997-2008
Tracie M. Gardner 2001-present
Joe B. Pressley 2001-2010
Mark Hiram Kaplan, M.D. 2002-2005
Conrad T. Fischer, M.D. 2002-present
Sandra Ruiz Butter, M.S.* 2005-2011
Marjorie J. Hill, Ph.D.** 2007-present
Jose M. Davila 2008-present
Teresita Rodriguez 2008-present
Andrew Doniger, M.D. 2008-2013
Adele Marie Flateau 2008-present
C. Virginia Fields 2008-present
Philip R. Baldeo, M.D. 2009-2011
Tim Tompkins 2010-present
Jasan M. Ward 2010-2011
Gail Barouh, Ph.D. 2011-present
John Pemrick Lewis 2008-2009, 2011-present
Diane Arneith 2012-present
Rodney L. Wright, M.D. 2012-present
Guillermo Chacón 2013-present

*Past Council Chair Person

**Current Council Chair Person

**New York State AIDS Advisory Council
30 Year Anniversary Celebration**

Thursday, September 19, 2013

12:00 - 1:00 PM

90 Church Street

**Conference Room 4A/B, 4th Floor
New York, New York**

Sue Kelly

**Executive Deputy Commissioner
NYS Department of Health**

Guthrie S. Birkhead, M.D., M.P.H.

**Deputy Commissioner
Office of Public Health
NYS Department of Health**

Dan O'Connell

**Acting Director
AIDS Institute**

NYS Department of Health

Jeffrey L. Reynolds, Ph.D.

**Vice Chair
NYS AIDS Advisory Council**

The New York State AIDS Advisory Council was created in 1983 by Public Health Law, Article 27-E, Section 2778. The Council, a legislatively mandated advisory group which informs the Commissioner of Health on issues related to HIV and AIDS, consists of 17 appointed representatives from the public, educational and medical communities, local health departments and nonprofit organizations.

Welcome
Sue Kelly

Opening Remarks
Guthrie Birkhead, M.D.

Recognition of 30 Years of the
NYS AIDS Advisory Council
Dan O'Connell

Comments from the AIDS Advisory Council
Jeffrey Reynolds, Ph.D.

Recognition of Humberto Cruz,
Former AIDS Institute Director (1997-2013)
Jeffrey Reynolds, Ph.D.