

COMMISSION TO STUDY DIFFICULT-TO-PLACE PATIENTS

MEETING AGENDA

Monday, October 26, 2015
Room 216, Cross State Office Building, Augusta

- 12:00 p.m. Welcome and introductions
Commission Chairs
- 12:15 p.m. Overview of Resolve 2015, Chapter 44 (LD 155) and summary of background
enacting legislation
Commission Staff
- 12:30 p.m. Briefings on:
- Barriers that exist for placement of patients with complex medical and
mental health conditions;
 - Facilities where these patients are currently placed and issues faced by
these facilities; and
 - Potential options for increasing the availability of residential care and long
term care facilities for specialized patient populations that are difficult to
place for care.
- Jeff Austin, Maine Hospital Association;*
Richard Erb, Maine Health Care Association;
Brenda Gallant, Long-Term Care Ombudsman; and
Simonne Maline, Consumer Council System of Maine
- 1:30 p.m. Commission discussion
- 2:20 p.m. Future meetings planning
- 2:30 p.m. Public comment opportunity
- 3:00 p.m. Adjourn
