



## Connecticut Advisory Council on Palliative Care

### Minutes

May 13, 2016

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

CHA, Wallingford, CT

Attendees: Karen Mulvihill, Danbury Hospital; Colleen Mulkerin, Hartford Hospital; Wendy Furniss, DPH; Kim Hriceniak, DPH; Taryn Hamre, CCMC; call in: James Prota, CT Hospice; Diana Cameron, VNA Community Healthcare, Inc.

Public: Michael Greene, DPH; Michael Culhane, CT Catholic Conference; call in: Bryte Johnson, American Cancer Society; Amanda Sadlon, American Cancer Society

Absent: Lori Griffin, Dr. Joseph Andrews, Dr. Joanne Kuntz, Cynthia Roy, Barbara Morrison, Patricia Trotta

- I. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Karen Mulvihill.
- II. Approval of the March 11, 2016 minutes was deferred until the June 2016 meeting because there was not a quorum of members.
- III. **Review of the Palliative Care Recommendations:**
  - The Council discussed partnering with CHA End of Life Committee to assist in the implementation of the Council's recommendations for the upcoming year.
  - The Council suggested inviting members of the End of Life Committee to the June meeting to establish a cohesive relationship.

### Reminders:

The next meeting will be held at CHA in Wallingford, CT at 10:00 a.m. on June 10, 2016.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.