

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #27

Relating to the Establishment of the Governor's HIV Infection Advisory Council

WHEREAS, the spread of the HIV infection represents a growing threat to the health of Wisconsin citizens; and

WHEREAS, the State lacks an advisory body with broad representation which could address the many issues associated with the HIV infection;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TOMMY G. THOMPSON, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, and specifically by Wisconsin Statute section 14.019, do hereby:

- (1) Create the Governor's HIV Infection Advisory Council.
- (2) Provide that the mission of this Council shall be:
 - (a) to advise the Governor and the Department of Health and Social Services on the HIV infection-related issues
 - (b) to determine the impact of the HIV infection in Wisconsin
 - (c) to identify HIV infection-related issues which require attention and recommend actions to the Governor, the Department of Health and Social Services and the Legislature to resolve the complex medical, legal, financial, ethical and workplace-related problems which arise.
 - (d) to determine the needs of those inflicted with the HIV infection while protecting the health of those providing health care to HIV infected patients.
- (3) Provide that the membership of this Council shall be determined by the Governor, and all members shall serve at his pleasure.
- (4) Direct that staffing support for this Council be provided by the Department of Health and Social Services.
- (5) Direct that the expenses associated with this Council be paid by the Department of Health and Social Services.

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(6) Require that the Council meet at least on a quarterly basis, unless a special meeting is called by the Governor or the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Services.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this twenty-third day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven.

Governor

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLEME Secretary of State