



GHA COUNCIL FOR REHABILITATION SERVICES CHARTER

Purpose: The Council for Rehabilitation Services of the Georgia Hospital Association (GHA) provides a forum where representatives of specialty rehabilitation hospitals can regularly meet, share best practices, network, and discuss issues affecting their specialty. As requested, the Council shall recommend to the GHA Board of Trustees and/or GHA leadership public policy strategies to improve and/or facilitate the provision of rehabilitation services.

Objectives: Monitor legislative, regulatory, and policy updates that affect rehabilitation providers.

At the request of the GHA Board of Trustees and/or GHA leadership, participate in the review and development of legislation and/or regulations that affect rehabilitation providers.

Provide educational programs on issues that affect rehabilitation providers specifically and health care providers generally.

Work with GHA and the American Hospital Association, as appropriate, to provide input and guidance on federal post-acute care issues.

Members: Members shall consist of rehabilitation hospitals or acute care hospitals with distinct part inpatient rehabilitation units which are members of GHA in good standing.

Member organizations shall be represented by their respective CEO, rehab director, or other individual(s) who is/are designated by the Member.

The Council shall have a Chair who is designated by the Council membership in accordance with guidelines adopted by the Council.