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HopeHealth Expands Board of Directors *Announces Appointment of Two New Directors*

Hyannis, Mass. - [HopeHealth](#) announced the addition of two new directors to its Board: Deborah J. Cornwall, co-founder and Managing Director of The Corlund Group, LLC and Jennifer Roberts, Attorney, LaTanzi, Spaulding & Landreth. The non-profit organization delivers a wide range of medical care, care management and support services throughout eastern Massachusetts.

Cornwall has over 40 years of experience in organizational leadership assessment, governance, and change. She has worked in multiple industries, but predominantly in health care for the past 14 years. She is also a published author of two books: *Things I Wish I'd Known: Cancer Caregivers Speak Out*, a book based on interviews with caregivers of cancer patients, and *Things I Wish I'd Known: Cancer and Kids*, a book offering resources for those who need to explain cancer in the family to children. She has an extensive leadership volunteer history with the American Cancer Society (ACS), which awarded her the St. George National Medal for her contributions to cancer control. She served on the boards of directors for the New England Division of the American Cancer Society and the national ACS Cancer Action Network, the society's advocacy affiliate. She holds an MBA from Boston University and a BA from Mount Holyoke College.

Roberts has more than 30 years of experience in civil litigation at the trial and appellate level. She has experience in construction, real estate, condominium, small business and probate litigation, representing both owners and contractors in construction disputes and representing family members and fiduciaries in probate disputes. Her appellate work has resulted in a number of published decisions. Roberts has been a lecturer on real estate litigation for MCLE, Inc., and had her work published in the annual Best Of MCLE. She has also taken an active role in civic life, serving on the boards of directors of Cape Cod Healthcare, the Cape Cod Foundation, and serving as an executive committee member and president of the Barnstable County Bar Association. Roberts graduated from Boston University School of Law and passed the Massachusetts and New York bar examinations. She holds a BA from Bryn Mawr College.

"We are delighted with the addition of Deborah Cornwall and Jennifer Roberts to our extraordinary board," said Larry Capodilupo, Board Chair. "They both bring a wealth of expertise, as well as the insights that come with their diverse background and experience."

"Our highly engaged and talented board of directors is one of HopeHealth's greatest assets," said David Rehm, president & CEO of HopeHealth. "Deborah and Jennifer will be great additions to our exceptional group of directors."

In addition to Cornwall and Roberts, HopeHealth's Board of Directors consists of Larry Capodilupo, retired, principal owner, ICL Imaging; Patricia Cahill, retired president & CEO, Catholic Health Initiatives; Allen Peckham, retired chief development officer, Partners Healthcare Systems; Craig Kappel, partner, Ernst & Young; Polly Brown, retired attorney; David Rehm, president & CEO, HopeHealth; David Burns, MD, retired physician; Denise Dever, president & owner, Home Instead Senior Care; Rosemary Dillon, retired dean, academic & student affairs, Cape Cod Community College; Brian Drake, president, Drake, Saunders & Diwinsky Retirement Planning; Richard Neitz, realtor; David Nunheimer, attorney; Thomas O'Neill, retired, VP human resources, Pregis Corporation; James Purcell, mediator and arbitrator, retired president & CEO, Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Rhode Island; Robert Sennott, Jr., retired, managing director, WCAI and publisher of *The Barnstable Patriot*; and Richard Trull, retired executive director, investments, Oppenheimer & Company – Boston.

About [HopeHealth](#)

HopeHealth, formerly known as Hospice & Palliative Care of Cape Cod, has been enhancing the quality of life for people experiencing serious illness and loss for more than 30 years. Today, the non-profit organization delivers a wide range of medical care, care management and support services throughout eastern Massachusetts. The HopeHealth family of services includes: Hope Hospice; Hope HouseCalls; Hope Dementia & Alzheimer's Services; Hope Care for Kids; Hope Community Care; and Hope Academy. In June 2014, the Massachusetts Pain Initiative affiliated with the organization. Learn more by calling (800) 642-2423 or visiting [HopeHealthCo.org](#).

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