

DHH Mission and Corporate Purpose

[Excerpt from DHH Bylaws]

Section 1.1 Corporate Purposes. The purposes of the Corporation, in addition to those specified in the Articles of Agreement, are to establish, manage and govern an integrated health care delivery system in support of the purposes and activities of the Provider Organizations to prevent, diagnose, treat and cure human illness. Specifically, the Corporation was formed to serve as the controlling organization for an integrated health care delivery system primarily for the benefit of the general public of Northern New England; to provide health care services to the public in a cost-effective manner; to establish and maintain hospital and provider relationships that work cooperatively throughout the Provider Organizations; to achieve excellence in clinical innovations, service, quality, cost and outcomes, supported by a strong academic program; and to integrate research, training, information technology and academic medicine in the Provider Organizations throughout the System. ...