

TOWN of GREENWICH, CT – Representative Town Meeting

ITEM NO: Entered by Town Clerk

DEPARTMENT: Office of the First Selectman

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VOTES: Board of Selectmen 3-0-0

RESOLVED, that the following named person, nominated by the Board of Selectmen, be appointed a Regular Member of the Board of Health for a term expiring 06/30/2020.

**LAUREN O'KEEFE**

Lauren O'Keefe, of 33 Angelus Dr., Greenwich, 06831, has been nominated to be a Regular Member (R7) of the Board of Health for a term beginning upon appointment and expiring 06/30/2020.

Ms. O'Keefe has worked in the health care field for more than 30 years. She has been a nurse since 1986 and a nurse practitioner since 2001. Since 2002, Ms. O'Keefe has been a nurse practitioner with Hematology Oncology P.C. at Stamford Hospital where she cares for patients who are receiving chemotherapy and radiation treatments, and are in post treatment.

Ms. O'Keefe earned both her a bachelor of science and master of science degrees in nursing from the College of New Rochelle. Her community service includes serving on the Representative Town Meeting and as the District 9 representative on the Health and Human Services Committee. She also is a member of the Greenwich Medical Reserve Corp. She has lived in Greenwich since 1962.

# TOWN OF GREENWICH NOMINATION FORM

(Insert the cursor into each field and type the required information; the space will expand as needed. You may also tab between fields.)

Name: Lauren O'Keefe Party: (D, R, U, Other) R

Complete Home Address: 33 Angelus Drive

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/ Home: 203-531-8306 Business: 203-276-2695 Cell: 203-321-5846

Resident of Greenwich Since: 1962 Email: dlokeefe@aol.com

Board, Commission or Committee in which you are interested: Board of Health

Are you currently a member? Yes  No  If yes, what do you consider to have been your principle contribution? \_\_\_\_\_

What (or who) brought about your interest in volunteering?

I am currently on the RTM, Greenwich MRC. When my children were in school, helped there when I could.

Please describe below any previous experience or particular expertise that may be related:

Nurse since 1986. Nurse Practitioner since 2001.

Educational Background:

BSN, MSN

Present employment or, if retired, previous employment :

Hematology Oncology P.C.

Firm: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: Nurse Practitioner

Address: 1 Hospital Plaza, Stamford CT 06904

Nature of Business: Hematology/Oncology ourpatient clinic affiliated with Stamford Hospital

Current community activities: RTM, Greenwich MRC, Flu Clinic

Past community activities: RTM, Greenwich MRC

Date: (MM/DD/YYYY) 11/06/2018

In addition to the nomination form above, we strongly encourage you to attach a resume or brief bio. If neither is available, please ensure that this form is completed in full. As part of the nomination and appointment process, the information you provide will be reviewed by the Board of Selectmen and the relevant committees of the Representative Town Meeting.

Please save the completed form and email together with attachments (if any) to:

[pcrumbine@gmail.com](mailto:pcrumbine@gmail.com)

Faxed and/or handwritten forms will not be accepted.

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**Phone** 203-531-8306

# Lauren O'Keefe

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## OBJECTIVE

Nurse Practitioner with over 16 years of experience in hematology and oncology in outpatient setting.

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## EXPERIENCE

### Nurse Practitioner

**Hematology Oncology, P.C.** - Stamford, CT  
*August-2002 - Currently*

- Conducted comprehensive health history and physical examination
- Followed patients through chemotherapy, radiation, and post treatment
- Facilitated home care, rehabilitation, and hospice as appropriate
- Pain management
- INR management

### Staff RN CCU

**Stamford Hospital** - Stamford, CT  
*May-1994 - August-2002*

- Organized and managed the care of critically ill patients
- Provided leadership to staff by performing charge nurse duties as needed, by organizing staffing, coordinating admissions
- Conducted in-services to staff as needed

### Nurse Manager

**Mediplex of Stamford** - Stamford CT  
*July-1993 - May-1994*

- Organized the management, care, and staffing of a 30 bed transitional care unit

### Staff RN MSICU, MedSurg

**Greenwich Hospital** - Greenwich, CT  
*April-1987 - October-1998*

- Organized and managed the care of critically ill patients
- Used multidisciplinary approach to patient care
- Educated staff in Quality Improvement

### Staff RN/ Medicine/Respiratory

**United Hospital** - Port Chester, NY  
*May-1986 - April-1987*

- Organized and managed the care of 8-18 medical patients

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## EDUCATION

### MSN

**College of New Rochelle** - New Rochelle, NY  
2001

### BSN

**College of New Rochelle** - New Rochelle  
1986

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## SKILLS

-Spanish speaking, -Intrathecal chemotherapy administration

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## CERTIFICATIONS & COURSES

-Connecticut Advanced Practice Registered Nurse #002610

-Connecticut State Registered Professional Nurse #R41051

-New York State Practitioner in Family Health #F333434 -Inactive

-New York State Registered Professional Nurse #3888601-1- Inactive

-ANCC Certified Family Nurse Practitioner exp 2021

-Advanced Oncology Nurse Practitioner

ONS Chemotherapy and Biotherapy Provider

Healthcare Provider CPR exp 6/2020

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## VOLUNTEER WORK

Greenwich Representative Town Meeting (RTM) Member

*September – 2014 – Present*

Greenwich Representative Town Meeting (RTM) Health and Human Services Committee Member

*September - 2014 – Present*

Greenwich Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) Member

*January – 2017 - Present*