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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Martin, Judith	F	MD	S	Pediatric Infectious Disease	Y	Vice Chair
2	Bedoyan, Jirair	M	MD, PhD, FACMH	S	Pediatrics; Clinical Genetics	Y	
3	Benedict, Neal	M	PharmD	S	Pharmacy & Therapeutics, Critical Care	Y	
4	Braxter, Betty	F	PhD, CNM, RN, FAAN	S	Maternal Health; Nursing	Y	
5	Brufsky, Adam	M	MD	S	Oncology	Y	
6	Einwohner, Rebecca	F	MD	S	Nephrology	Y	Non UPMC but affiliated
7	Ellsworth, Susannah	F	MD	S	Oncology, Radiation; Palliative Care	Y	
8	Henderson, Rashida	F	PhD, MBA, RN, CNML, CMSRN	s	Nursing, Maternal Child & Minority Health	Y	
9	Howland, Robert	M	MD	S	Psychiatry	Y	
10	Ignacio, Ejay	M	PhD	S	Nursing Education; Med/Surg Nursing	Y	
11	Ivanco, Dana	F	CCRC	**NS**	Research Coordination	Y	
12	Jamshidi, Farzad	M	MD	S	Ophthalmology; Vitreoretinal surgery and Ocular oncology	Y	
13	Mitchell-O'Brien, LeeAnne	F	JD	**NS**	Health and Hospital Law	**No**	Community Member
14	Sappleton, Annicia	F	CCMA	S	Medical Assistant	**No**	Community Member
15	Soran, Ozlem	F	MD	S	Cardiology	Y	
16	Vanyukov, Michael	M	PhD	S	Genetics & Behavioral traits of Substance use	Y	
17	Venkataramanan, Raman	M	PhD, FCP, FAAPS	S	Pharmacy, Transplant	Y	
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1	Chen, Beatrice	F	MD	S	Obstetrics & Gynecology	Y	Vice Chair
2	Bayley, James	M	MD	S	Neurosurgery; Spinal Oncology Surgery	Y	
3	DiRienzo, Dayna	F	MSJ	**NS**	Journalism	Y	UPMC affiliated
4	Frye, Heather	F	BA	**NS**	Humanities & Legal Studies	**No**	Community Member
5	Hrynkiw, Nancy	F	BS	**NS**	IT Professional	**No**	Community Member
6	Longhitano, Yaroslava	F	MD, PhD	S	Anesthesia	Y	
7	Moretti, Steve	M	PharmD	S	Pharmacy, Oncology	Y	
8	Palmer, Brittany	F	MD	S	Cardiology	Y	
9	Palmer, Catherine	F	PhD	S	Audiology	Y	
10	Prasad, Konasale	M	MD, MBBS	S	Psychiatry, Bioengineering, Genetics	Y	
11	Saeed, Anwaar	F	MD	S	Hematology/Oncology; GI	y	
12	VanSwearingen, Jessie	F	PhD, PT, FAPTA, FGSSA	S	Physical Therapy	Y	
13	Weyant, Donna	F	MSN, RN, CPN	S	Pediatric Nursing	Y	
14	Ziccardi, Sarah	F	DNP, RN-BC, NPH-BC	S	Med-Surg Nursing; transplant	Y	
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1	Castellano, James	M	MD, PhD	S	Neurology	Y	Vice Chair
2	Brown, Joshua	M	MD, MSc, FACS	S	Surgery; Critical Care & Trauma	Y	
3	Fink, Barbara	F	BS, MS	**NS**	Research Coordinator	**No**	Community member
4	George, Betsy	F	PhD, RN	S	Nursing, Tertiary, Critical Care	Y	
5	George, Timothy	M	PharmD, BCOP	S	Pharmacy; Oncology	Y	
6	Gildengers, Ariel	M	MD	S	Psychiatry: Geriatric Psychiatry	y	
7	Handen, Benjamin	M	PhD	S	Child Psychology, Autism, Down Syndrome	Y	
8	Hilmi, Ibtesam	F	MBBChB	S	Anesthesia	Y	
9	Maguire, Raymond	M	DO	S	Pediiatrics, Otolaryngology	Y	
10	Meurer, Anna	F	PhD	**NS**	Health Care Ethics	**No**	Community member
11	Nezzer, Amy	F	PhD, RN, PCCN	S	Nursing; Surgery; ICU; Transplant	Y	
12	Petruzzi, Sara	F	MSW	**NS**	Developmental Disabilities	**No**	Community member
13	Yanowitz, Toby	F	MD	S	Neonatology, Pediatrics	Y	
14	Zhang, Janie	F	MD	S	Medical Oncology	Y	
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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Frisch, Adam	M	MD	S	Emergency Medicine	Y	Vice Chair
2	Anderson, Brian	M	DC, PhD, MPH	S	Health & Rehab Science, Chiropractic	Y	
3	Drappatz, Jan	M	MD	S	Oncology, Neuro-Oncology	Y	
4	Howrie, Denise	F	PharmD	S	Pharmacy, Pediatrics	Y	
5	Hsu, Dennis	M	MD	S	Oncology, GI, Internal Medicine	Y	
6	Huang, David	M	MD	S	Critical Care Medicine/EM	Y	
7	Imes, Christopher	M	PhD, RN	S	Nursing, Genetics	Y	
8	Kolko, David	M	PhD	S	Psychiatry, Child and Adolescent	Y	
9	Maranchie, Jodi	F	MD	S	Urology; Urologic Oncology	Y	
10	Moreira, Andrea	F	MD	S	Plastic Surgery: Breast Reconstruction	Y	
11	Narendran, Rajesh	M	MD	S	Radiology, PET, Addiction Psychiatry	Y	
12	Nguyen, Tina	F	PhD	**NS**	Health Care Ethics; AI	**No**	Community Member
13	Nicholson, Yawah	F	MSL	**NS**	Transplant Administration; Legal Studies	Y	Affiliated UPMC staff
14	Pasek, Tracy	F	RN, MSN, DNP, CCNS, CCRN	S	Nursing, Pediatric ICU	Y	
15	Peters, David	M	PhD	S	OB GYN; Genetics	Y	
16	Williams, Roderick	M	PhD	**NS**	Ethics; Genetics	**No**	Community Member
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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Hsieh, Margaret	F	MD	S	Emergency Medicine	Y	Chair
2	Castellano, James	M	MD, PhD	S	Neurology; Epilepsy	Y	
3	Corcoran, Timothy	M	PhD	S	Pulmonary, Nuclear Imaging	Y	
4	Elmer, Jonathan	M	MD, MS	S	Emergency Medicine, Critical Care, Neurology, Neurocritical Care	Y	
5	Gray, Sean	M	BA	**NS**	Consultant	**No**	Community Member
6	Pasek, Tracy	F	RN, MSN, DNP	S	Nursing, Pediatric ICU	Y	
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1	Hsieh, Margaret	F	MD, MS, CIP	S	Emergency Medicine	Y	Chair
2	Barone, Jean	F	CIP	**NS**	IRB Regulations	Y	
3	Castellano, James	M	MD, PhD	S	Neurology, Epilepsy	Y	
4	Chen, Beatrice	F	MD, MPH	S	OB/Gyn, Reproductive Services	Y	
5	Corcoran, Timothy	M	PhD	S	Pulmonary, Nuclear Imaging	Y	
6	Frisch, Adam	M	MD	S	Emergency Medicine	Y	
7	Geyer, Charles	M	MD	S	Medical Oncology	Y	
8	Martin, Judith	F	MD	S	Pediatric Infectious Disease	Y	
9	Oliver, D. Lamar	M	BS	**NS**	Electrical Engineering	**No**	**Community Member**
10	Zelazny, Jamie	F	PhD, MPH, RN, CIP	S	Nursing, Child/Adolescent Psychiatry, Genetics	Y	
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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Zelazny, Jamie	F	PhD, MPH, RN, CIP	S	Nursing; Psychiatry	Y	Vice Chair
2	Cherukuri, Aravind	M	MBBS, PhD, MRCP-UK	S	Transplant surgery-Nephrology	Y	
3	Conner, Ian	M	MD, PhD	S	Ophthalmology	Y	
4	Cummings, Meredith	F	PhD, RN, OCN	S	Oncology Nursing	Y	
5	Fowler, John	M	MD	S	Orthopedic Surgery	Y	
6	West, Sara (Garrett)	F	PhD	S	Drug Discovery & Biomedical Sci.	Y	
7	Harter, Nancy	F	BS, CRA	**NS**	Research Administration	Y	
8	Ho, Ken	M	MD, MPH	S	Infectious Disease	Y	
9	Howrie, Denise	F	PharmD	S	Pharmacy, Pediatrics	Y	
10	Megli, Christina	F	MD, PhD	S	OB GYN Infectious Disease	Y	
11	Phillips, Brandi	F	MPPM	**NS**	Senior Business Manager	**No**	Community Member
12	Popchak, Adam	M	DPT, PhD, PT	S	Physical Therapy	Y	
13	Satryan, Tony	M	MS	**NS**	Education	Y	
14	Vajravelu, Mary Ellen	F	MD, MHSP	S	Pediatric Endocrinology	Y	
15	Wickline, Emily	F	PhD, MSN, RN, CMSRN	S	Med-Surgical Nursing; Cellular & Molecular Pathology	Y	
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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Corcoran, Tim	M	PhD	S	Pulmonary, Imaging	Y	Vice Chair
2	Ahonen, Lia	F	PhD	S	Psychiatry, mental health & violence; Prisoner Representative	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
3	Alexander, Vernard	M	MA	**NS**	Community Engagement	Y	Affiliated Pitt staff
4	Bradley, Megan	F	MD	S	OB GYN; Urogynecology	Y	
5	Errera, Marie-Helene	F	MD, PharmD, PhD	S	Ophthalmology, Pharmacy	Y	
6	Faeder, Morgan	M	MD, PhD	S	Psychiatry, Neurology	Y	
7	Flaherty, Adele	F	PhD	**NS**	Healthcare Ethics	**No**	Community Member
8	Gray, Sean	M	BA	**NS**	Consultant	**No**	Community Member
9	Grieve, Victoria	F	PharmD	S	Pharmacy; Transgender Care	Y	
10	Ito, Sawa	F	MD, PhD	S	Medical Oncology	Y	
11	Lu, Yuhan	F	PharmD	S	Pharmacy; Oncology	Y	
12	O'Donnell, Lauren	F	PhD, MSN, RN, NEA-BC	S	Nursing, Pediatrics, Education	Y	
13	Steinberg, Alexis	F	MD	S	Neurology, Critical Care, Emergency Medicine	Y	
14	Subramanian, Harikesh	M	MBBS, MS, D.ABA, ABPM-CI	S	Anesthesia; Cardiac & Liver Transplant; Biomedical Informatics	y	
15	Szanto, Katalin	F	MD	S	Psychiatry, Suicide	Y	
16	Toth, Kelly (Potter)	F	PhD, RN	S	Nursing; Critical Care	Y	
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1	Castellano, James	M	MD, PhD	S	Neurology; Epilepsy	Y	
2	Corcoran, Timothy	M	PhD	S	Pulmonary, Nuclear Imaging	Y	Vice Chair
3	Martin, Judith	F	MD	S	Pediatric Infectious Disease	Y	
4	Oliver, D. Lamar	M	BS	**NS**	Electrical Engineering	**No**	Community Member
5	Fisk, Stuart	M	MSN	S	Prisoner Representative	Y	Community Member
6	Zelazny, Jamie	F	PhD, MPH, RN	S	Nursing, Child/Adolescent Psychiatry, Genetics	Y	Vice Chair
	Quorum=4						V: 3.1.2026

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	Name	Gender	Degree	Scientist (S) or Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Hsieh, Margaret	F	MD	S	Emergency Medicine	Y	Chair
2	Brufsky, Adam	M	MD, PhD	S	Oncology	Y	
3	Cherukuri, Aravind	M	MBBS, PhD, MRCP-UK	S	Transplant surgery-Nephrology	Y	
4	Garrett, Sara	F	PhD	S	Drug Discovery & Biomedical Sci.	Y	
5	Gray, Sean	M	BA	**NS**	Consultant	**No**	**Community Member**
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Alternate Members - March 2026

Per HRP policy, all members listed on individual Committee rosters can also be considered as alternate members on another Committee in their membership category.

	Name	Gender	Degree	Sci(S)/Non-Sci (NS)	Specialty	Institutional Affiliation	Comments / Notes
1	Ahonen, Lia	F	PhD	S	Psychiatry, mental health & violence; Prisoner Representative	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
2	Blacka, Shawna	F		NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
3	Bell, Tracey	F	DNP, APRN, NNP-BC	S	Neonatology, Nursing	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
4	Bird, Emily	F	MSW	NS	Social Work, Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
5	Boisen, Michael	M	MD	S	Cardiothoracic Anesthesia	Y	any physician member
6	Bunge, Katherine	F	MD	S	OB GYN	Y	any physician member
7	Coffman, Lan	F	MD, PhD	S	Hem Onc; Gynecologic Cancers	Y	any physician member
8	Desantes, Lisa	F	BS, CIP	NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
9	Divirgilio, Dana	F	MPH, CIP	NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
10	Duerr, Mollie	F	MSW, MBE, CIP	NS	Research Regulations; Ethics	Y	any non-scientific member
11	Fisk, Stuart	M	MSN	S	Prisoner Representative; Community Representative	No	any non-physician, scientific member
12	Frame, Megan	F	MS	S	Exercise Physiology; Mental Disabilities	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
13	Fuhrman, Amy	F	MPA, CIP	NS	IRB Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
14	Grabowski, Erin	F	BS, CIP	NS	IRB Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
15	Horwitz, Mara	F	MD	S	Medicine, Endocrinology	Y	any physician member
16	Ivanco, Larry	M	MSW	S	Research Regulations	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
17	Ivanusic, Carolyn	F	MSW, CIP	NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
18	Johnson, Bruce	M	MD	S	Pulmonary; Critical Care Medicine	Y	any physician member
19	Johnson, Heather	F	PharmD	S	Pharmacist; Transplant	Y	any non-physician, scientific member

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20	Kohlman, Antoinette	F	MHROD, MA, PhD	S	Reliance; Organizational Psychology	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
21	Laslavic, Angela	F	MS	NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
22	Lesnock, Jamie	F	MD	S	OB-Gyn; Oncology	Y	any physician member
23	Mancino, Juliet	F	MS, RDN, CIP	S	Research Regulations; Nutrition	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
24	Martel, Joseph	M	MD	S	Ophthalmology-Retinal	Y	any physician member
25	Miklos, Melissa	F	MSL, CIP	NS	Regulatory Analysis, IRB Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
26	Moore, Cheryl	F	MBA, RN, BSN	S	Nursing; Research Regulations	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
27	Novak, Natalie	F	BS, MSL	NS	Reliance	Y	any non-scientific member
28	Ohr, James	M	DO	S	Hematology/Oncology	Y	any physician member
29	Onesi, Sara	F	BS, RN	S	Nursing, Research Regulations; Adverse Events	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
30	Pinkerton, Chelsea	F	BS	NS	Prisoner Representative; Community Representative	No	any non-scientific member
31	Quillen, Deane	M	MPH, CIP	S	Psychosocial Research	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
32	Rastogi, Priya	F	MD	S	Hematology/Oncology	Y	any physician member
33	Runkel, Lauren	F	MS	S	Psychology; Reliance	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
34	Russell, Amy	F	BS	NS	Research Regulations	Y	any non-scientific member
35	Schafelke, Sierra	F	EdD, CIP	S	IRB Regulations	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
36	Snyder, Justin	M	PhD	S	Sociology	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
37	Spellman, Mariah	F	RN, CEN	S	Nursing; Prisoner Representative	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
38	Summersgill, Kurt	M	DDS, PhD	S	Dental Medicine	Y	any non-physician, scientific member
39	Woods, Mary	F	BS	NS	Criminal Justice; Prisoner Representative-minors	No	prisoner representative, non-scientific

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