



Social Worker's Election Guide

SWHPN is committed to helping social workers be informed about the upcoming elections in 2020, and how to advocate for policies that will benefit hospice and palliative care patients, families, and staff.

November 3, 2020 is Election Day!



“Social workers should **promote policies and practices** that demonstrate respect for difference, support the expansion of cultural knowledge and resources, advocate for programs and institutions that demonstrate cultural competence, and promote policies that safeguard the rights and confirm equity and social justice for all people.”

(NASW Code of Ethics Standard, [6.04: Social and Political Action](#))

State-by-state voting guide:

<https://www.damemagazine.com/2020-voter-info/>

5 Reminders for Social Workers on the Run-Up To The Election:

https://www.socialworktoday.com/archive/exc_0916.shtml

NASW Voter Participation Resource:

<https://www.socialworkers.org/Advocacy/Social-Justice/Increasing-Voter-Participation>



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“Social workers should **facilitate informed participation** by the public in shaping social policies and institutions.”

(NASW Code of Ethics standard, [6.02: Public Participation](#))

