

Greetings to our patients at Rhode Island Hospital!

As Election Day approaches, we are helping our hospitalized patients vote on November 6. If you will likely be hospitalized on Election Day, you can vote by using an emergency ballot.

We have attached an Emergency Ballot Application (this is NOT the ballot, just an application to obtain a ballot).

In order to vote, please follow the three steps below:

Step 1. If you wish to obtain an Emergency Ballot, please complete and sign All Sections of the attached application. After completing Box A, note the following:

- Box B: Be sure to include your building name and room number if hospitalized
- Box C has been completed for you already
- Box D: Read and ***sign***

Step 2. Have a friend or family member bring this completed and signed application to your Local Board of Canvassers Office (see addresses listed on page two of the application attached) by 4 pm on November 5th.

If a friend or family member submits this application on your behalf, please remind them that they will need to show their ID card.

Step 3. They will be given an emergency ballot that can then be filled out and must be returned to the State Board of Elections Office at 50 Branch Ave Providence RI 02904 by 8 pm on November 6th.

*Alternatively, your Local Board of Canvassers Office can arrange to send an election worker to the hospital with a ballot for you which they can return to the State Board of Elections Office at 50 Branch Ave Providence RI 02904 by 8 pm on November 6th on your behalf.

Questions? Feel free to reach out to your Local Board of Canvassers Office or the State Board of Elections Office with questions; their addresses and numbers are listed on page two of the application which is attached.

Thank you for your interest!