



The Dignity Dozen -Legislative Candidate’s Response

To inform older adults, persons with disabilities, family members, and caregivers about legislative candidates’ positions on issues of interest, Dignity Alliance Massachusetts (DignityMA) has prepared [The Dignity Dozen](#), twelve questions regarding key issues and proposals. **The text for the Dignity Dozen questions is located at [Questions](#).**

Candidate’s name	Eric Meschino
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1. Experience with long-term services	Yes
2. Personal needs allowance	Yes, other amount
3. “Small house” development	Yes
4. Long-term care reform	Yes
5. Home care support	No position
6. Transparent ownership	Yes
7. Pandemic funds audit	No position
8. Nursing home resident rights	Yes
9. Anti-bullying	Yes
10. Anti-psychotic medications	Yes
11. Minimum staffing	No position
12. Enhanced surveying	Yes
Other comments	I've done community service in a nursing home and have had several family members utilized nursing home services. More than anything else, many of these elders need someone to advocate for them. Those who have it need love and support from family & friends. I have seen dogs treated better in their old age than some of the folks i encountered in my experience. It is sad. It is wrong. It is inexcusable that many of our seniors are treated with less dignity than a family pet.

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