**Section 974.300 Board Membership**

*The Quality of Life Board is created as an advisory board within the Department. The Board shall consist of 11 members as follows:*

a) *Two members appointed by the President of the Senate;*

b) *One member appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;*

c) *Two members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;*

d) *One member appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives;*

e) *Two members appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be designated as chair of the Board at the time of appointment; and*

f) *Three members, appointed by the Director* of the Department*, who represent organizations that advocate for the healthcare needs of the first and second highest* ranked *HIV/AIDS risk groups* based on epidemiological data in Illinois for the last three years. *One each from the northern Illinois region* (located north of Interstate 80); *the central Illinois region* (located south of Interstate 80 to north of Interstate 70); *and the southern Illinois region* (located south of Interstate 70)*.* (Section 2310-348 of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois)