

# General Public with Interest/Expertise

## Paulette Hammond



Born and raised in Baltimore, Maryland to Dorothy Dew and Paul Geisenkotter. One daughter and one foster daughter, four foster grandchildren. Graduated from Catonsville High School (1964), the University of Maryland, College Park (B.S., 1968) and University of Maryland School of Dentistry, Baltimore (M.S., 1979). Worked as a Virologist at Evanston Hospital, Evanston, Ill. (1969-1972), Lab Scientist in the Laboratories Administration of DHMH, Baltimore, MD (1973-1978), Research Scientist in the Periodontology Department of the School of Dentistry, SUNY Buffalo (1978-1986), Lab Scientist in the Laboratories Administration of DHMH Baltimore, MD (1986-1997), Clinical Virologist in the Laboratory of UM Medical Center, Baltimore (1997-2005) and finally as Chief Virologist, Quest Diagnostics, Halethorpe, MD (2005-2014). Retired 2014. Retirement work: ReServist at AARP Maryland (2014) and receptionist at the office of Dr. Gebreye Rufael, M.D., Endocrinologist (2014-2017). Worked for Baltimore Symphony Orchestra and Center Stage as telemarketer and telefunder ( 5-10 years) (Volunteers at several non-profit advocacy organizations (President, Maryland Conservation

Council [<http://www.mdconservationcouncil.org/>], Secretary, Maryland United for Peace and Justice [<https://mupj.org/>], church: secretary/treasurer, facilities coordinator [<https://ctkepiscopal.org/>], and professional organization (Maryland Branch. American Society for Microbiology, <https://www.asmmbranch.com/>). Active in the Citizens Campaign for the Environment [CCE] for over 15 years. MCC representative to the SWQAC (State Water Quality Advisory Commission) for 5 years.