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Maria Staghøj Durhuus, born 25 September 1977 in Ringkøbing, lives in Hvidovre, daughter of pensioner Hans Arne Staghøj and social educator Lilian Steffensen. Mother of four boys.

Member period

Member of the Folketing for The Social Democratic Party in Greater Copenhagen greater constituency from November 1st 2022.

Candidate for The Social Democratic Party in Hvidovre nomination district from 2022.

Parliamentary career

Spokeswoman on senior citizens from 2024.

Vice-chairwoman of the Supervisory Board in accordance with Section 71 of the Constitutional Act from 2024.

Spokeswoman for the Supervisory Board in accordance with Section 71 of the Constitutional Act from 2023.

Spokeswoman on substance abuse from 2022.

Education

Diploma degree in management, University College Copenhagen, 2024.

LA2 certified practitioner and coach (no final examination), Sopra (socio-educational supervision and consultancy), 2021.

Diploma degree in psychosocial rehabilitation, University College Copenhagen, 2021.

Education in Dialectical Behaviour Therapy, Casper Aaen, 2020-2021.

NADA Ear acupuncture training, NADA Denmark ((National Acupuncture Detoxification Association)), 2015.

Education in Cognitive Behaviour Therapy, Cektos Frederiksberg, 2011.

Specialized training for psychiatric nurses, Sankt Hans Hospital, 2008.

Nurse, the Copenhagen Hospital Corporation's Nursing Programme, 2006.

Key Account Manager, Sonofon (telecommunications company), 2002.

Higher Preparatory Examination, Thisted Gymnasium og HF (upper secondary school), 1996.

Employment

Head of section, Thorupgården (supportive housing facility), the City of Copenhagen, 2020-2022.

Political adviser, HK Handel (office workers' union), 2019-2020.

Prison nurse, the Prison and Probation Service (Vridsløselille, Herstedvester, Køge and Storstrøm prisons), 2013-2019.

Nurse, KABS City (addiction treatment), 2012-2013.

Nurse, Gastroenhedens akutmodtagelse (gastrointestinal emergency department), Hvidovre Hospital, 2011-2012.

Nurse, Valmuen (heroin addiction treatment in the City of Copenhagen), 2010-2011.

Nurse, the emergency department, Hillerød Hospital, 2009-2010.

Nurse, Ambulix (ambulance operator), 2006-2010.
Nurse, Ward 809, Psykiatrisk Center Hvidovre (psychiatric unit), 2006-2009.
Unskilled worker, Ward 809, Psykiatrisk Center Hvidovre, 2004-2006.
Consultant and salesperson, Sonofon (telecommunications company), 1999-2006.

Affiliations

Member of the board of the Hvidovre Municipality (chairman of the culture and leisure committee, vice-chairman of the senior and health committee, vice-chairman of the children and youth committee), 2013-2022.

Committees/Spokesman 16. maj 2024

Current committees

Vice-Chairman of

The Supervisory Board in accordance with Section 71 of the Constitutional Act

Member of

The Epidemics Committee
The Health Committee
The Legal Affairs Committee
The Naturalization Committee
The Nordic Council
The Senior Citizens' Committee
The Social Affairs Committee
The Transport Committee

Substitute in

The Committee on the Danish Council of Ethics

Spokesman

Spokeswoman for the Supervisory Board in accordance with Section 71 of the Constitutional Act
Spokeswoman on Senior Citizens
Spokeswoman on substance abuse