

RICHMOND COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH MEMBERS 2021

Seat #	Name	Represents:	Term of Office Dates	Contact Information
1	Sammie Sias	Member from the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council, appointed by such council.	1/1/2021 to 12/31/2023	Phone #: 706-564-9436 Email: Ssias@augustaga.gov
2	Jimmy Atkins	President of the Richmond County Board of Education or his/her designee.	1/1/2021 to 12/31/2023	Phone #: 706-305-6869 Email: atkinji@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us
3	Thomas W. Kiernan, M.D.	Physician appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council from a list of three nominated by the Richmond County Medical Society.	1/1/2018 to 12/31/2021	Phone #: 706-840-4158 Email: luke34525@comcast.net
4	Merian Robinson	Physician appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council from a list of three nominated by the Stoney Medical, Dental, & Pharmaceutical Society.	1/1/2021 to 12/31/2024	Phone #: 706/737-3470 Email: merian.robinson@yahoo.com
5	Deborah H. Presnell	Member appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council from a list of three nominated by the Richmond County Board of Health	1/1/2019 to 12/31/2022	Phone #: 706-394-8472 Email: deb.presnell@gmail.com
6	Pat Lynch-Hayes	Nurse appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council from a list of three nominated by Georgia Nurses Association/Central Savannah River Area Chapter	1/1/2021 to 12/31/2024	Phone #: 706/733-8303 Email: plynchhayes@gmail.com

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7	Jamie DeStefano, DMD, PhD	Member-at-large appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council.	1/1/2018 to 12/31/2021	Phone #: 706-667-6778 Email: jdestefa@augusta.edu
8	W. Stewart Flanagin Vice Chairman	Member-at-large appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council.	1/1/2017 to 12/31/2020	Phone #: 706/738-0917 Email: hildrug@aol.com
9	Cheryl Newman, MD	Member-at-large appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council	1/1/2019 to 12/31/2022	Phone #: 706-721-6688 Email: cnewman@augusta.edu
10	Kenneth Echols Chairman	Member-at-large appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council.	1/1/2018 to 12/31/2021	Phone #: 706/495-0957 Email: kjechols48@gmail.com
11	Antonia D. Autry	Member-at-large appointed by the Augusta-Richmond County Commission-Council.	1/1/2019 to 12/31/2022	Phone #:706-868-0734 Email: antoniaautry@gmail.com