

Rebecca Lynn Johnson, MD

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EDUCATION

Undergraduate Degree: Southwest State University, Foundation Scholar (1970-71); University of Minnesota 1971-72; Illinois State University (1972-75), BS Cum laude, Psychology. Graduate/Professional Degree: Southern Illinois University School of Medicine M.D. (1975-78). Postgraduate Education: Baystate Medical Center Anatomic and Clinical Pathology (1978-79); Hartford Hospital Anatomic and Clinical Pathology (1979-82), Chief Resident (1981-82); National

Institutes of Health Visiting Fellow, Hematology/HemePath (July-Dec, 1982). **Board Certification:** American Board of Pathology Anatomic and Clinical Pathology (1982, Recertified 2009); Special Qualification in Pathology – Hematology (1985); Special Qualification in Pathology-Immunopathology 1985; Participating in Continuing Certification (2012-present).

SERVICE

Service as Pathology Chair: Chair, Pathology & Clinical Laboratories, Berkshire Health Systems, Pittsfield, MA (1992-2012); Pathologist in Chief (Acting), Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, RI (1989-90). Leadership Roles Before, During, and After Service as Chair: CEO American Board of Pathology (2013-2021); Am Board of Pathology-Trustee (2002-12), President (2009); CAP Board of Governors (2021-present); American Board of Medical Specialties Trustee (2009-18), Sec-Treasurer (2020-22), Chair-Elect (2022-24); AMA House of Delegates (1993-current), Chair, Pathology Section Council (2000-01, 2008-12); ACGME Path RRC (2003-09), Chair, (2007-09), ex officio (2013-21); APC PRODS Chair (1998-2000); CT Society of Pathologists President (1997-98); MA Medical Society BOD (2001-2012); MA Society of Pathologists President (1999-01). Other Academic Positions After Service as Chair: University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, Collaborative Professor, Department of Pathology and Cell Biology (2018-present).

AREAS OF PROFESSIONAL INTEREST

Research: Flow cytometry; hematology/hematopathology; pathology training. **Clinical:** administration & management, surgical pathology, cytopathology, hematopathology. **Educational:** Pathology residency program director, Berkshire Health systems; Medical Director, Schools of Medical Technology and Cytology. **Mentoring:** APC Leadership fellows. **Current Interests:** Travel.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Honors and Awards: Southern Illinois University School of Medicine Distinguished Alumna of the Year-2010; CAP Foundation Lansky Award-199; CAP Outstanding Communicator Award-2003; CAP Certificate of Meritorious Achievement-2008; ASCP Award for Distinguished Service to Pathology-2015; ASCP Mastership-2016; APC Grimes Distinguished Teaching Award in GME-2017; Girl Scout First Class-1969. Professional Achievements of Which You are Most Proud: CEO, Am Board of Pathology; Am Board of

Medical Specialties officer; Residency Program Director; ABPath Practice & Training Surveys and related publications; Becoming a physician and pathologist.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS

Hobbies: Travel; Gardening; Listening to podcasts. **Volunteer Activities:** Hillsborough County Medical Association.