



CDR Alyssa Givens, MSN, RN

Board Position: Nurse Representative

CDR Alyssa Givens is a U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps officer with more than 14 years of service across four federal agencies and five geographic assignments. She currently serves as the National Health and Wellness Program Lead for the National Park Service, Division of Fire and Aviation Management, overseeing readiness, safety, and resilience initiatives supporting more than 1,500 wildland fire personnel nationwide.

Previously, she served with the U.S. Marshals Service as Aeromedical Branch Chief for Justice Prisoner and Alien Transportation Systems and later as Utilization Review Coordinator. In these roles, she provided clinical leadership for 266,000 annual prisoner movements, adjudicated over 5,300 medical requests, and developed national infectious disease and aviation medical protocols that were adopted across multiple federal agencies.

CDR Givens is the Nurse Representative on the COA Board of Directors (2023–2026) and serves as Treasurer on the COA Executive Committee (2025–2026). She currently holds a leadership role as Vice Chair of the COA Communications and Public Relations Committee, leading expansion to over 35 active volunteers and establishing COA's annual coin and photo contests. She has supported multiple USPHS Symposium committees as a track moderator, reviewer, and Nurse Category Day planning member, and earlier held leadership roles across several local COA branches.

A former USPHS SRCOSTEP, she earned both her Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Cum Laude) and Master of Science in Nursing in Community Systems Administration from Thomas Jefferson University. She remains dedicated to advancing the mission of the Commissioned Corps, improving workforce wellness, and supporting officer development.