



CAPT Christine Merenda, MPH, RN

Board Position: Nurse Representative

CAPT Christine Merenda serves as the Nurse Representative on the COA Board of Directors and is the current Co-Chair of the Constitution and Bylaws Committee.

CAPT Merenda is assigned to the FDA's Office of Minority Health, where she is the Program Manager of the Research and Collaborations Program. CAPT Merenda started her career with PHS as a Jr COSTEP with the Bureau of Prisons. She went on to assignments with the Indian Health Service in Washington and the Center's for Medicare and Medicaid Services in Baltimore, Maryland.

CAPT Merenda was a Contributing Editor for ONS Connect, the news magazine of the Oncology Nursing Society, and is currently the Lead for the Newsletter Team of the NPAC. She has combined her support of physical fitness and love of running by serving as a race director, program coordinator, and RRCA-certified running coach for her local running club.