

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

CANCER REGISTRARS WEEK

WHEREAS: Cancer registrars are health care professionals who work closely with medical teams to meet the needs of patients through data collection and analysis. These individuals evaluate the success of specific treatments and identify, plan, and implement cancer prevention and screening programs; and

WHEREAS: Data collected by cancer registrars is used by physicians to track treatment and continue to care for patients; and

WHEREAS: Data collected by cancer registrars includes patient demographics, anatomic cancer sites, stages of disease, treatments, and lifetime follow-ups. The data is also valuable to epidemiologists in determining the cancer burden throughout Georgia and the nation; and

WHEREAS: Cancer registrars throughout our state promote the latest medical advances in the diagnosis and treatment of this devastating disease; and

WHEREAS: Cancer Registrars Week gives recognition to the contributions and advances that professional cancer registrars make in the field of allied health across our state; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim April 5-9, 2021, as CANCER REGISTRARS WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have herunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 31st day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.

GOVERNOR
B. Kemp

CHIEF OF STAFF
M. Kilpatrick

ATTEST

