



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION
CHILD LIFE SPECIALIST
APPRECIATION MONTH

- WHEREAS:** Child Life Specialists provide children and families with emotional support and coping strategies in response to illness, injury, disability, trauma, or hospitalization; and
- WHEREAS:** These specialists are skilled in the areas of child development, psychology, and health related education, and they bring these skills to medical facilities across the country; and
- WHEREAS:** Child Life Specialists help ensure the emotional health and well-being of young children remains positive during prolonged hospital stays; and
- WHEREAS:** Because of these health care professionals, the anxiety and stress experienced by young children in medical settings is alleviated; and
- WHEREAS:** The work completed by Child Life Specialists is an integral part of the health care process, and we are truly thankful for their work; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim March 2021 as CHILD LIFE SPECIALIST APPRECIATION MONTH in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 3rd day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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CHIEF OF STAFF