



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

CANCER REGISTRARS WEEK

- WHEREAS:** Oncology data specialists, or cancer registrars, are health care professionals who work closely with medical teams to meet the needs of patients through data collection and analysis; and
- WHEREAS:** These experts evaluate the success of specific treatments and identify, plan, and implement cancer prevention and screening programs; and
- WHEREAS:** Data collected by oncology data specialists is used by physicians to monitor treatment and continue to care for patients; and
- WHEREAS:** Data collected by oncology data specialists includes patient demographics, anatomic cancer sites, stages of diseases, treatments, and lifetime follow-ups. This data is also valuable to epidemiologist as they determine the cancer burden throughout Georgia and the nation; and
- WHEREAS:** Oncology data specialists throughout our state are committed to promoting the latest medical advances in the diagnosis and treatment of this devastating disease; and
- WHEREAS:** Cancer Registrars Week recognizes the contributions and advances that professional oncology data specialist 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 8-12, 2024, as CANCER REGISTRARS WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 22th day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Laura M. Curry

CHIEF OF STAFF