

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 diseases, 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 8-12, 2019, 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 1st day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



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ATTEST

of K. Fleming

CHIEF OF STAFF