



Global Organization for Maternal & Child Health (Go-MCH)
Board of Directors

Go-MCH's Board of Directors is comprised of six individuals with backgrounds in non-profit management, medicine, maternal and child health, and business management, all with a unique perspective that add value to an organization looking to improve the survival of infants, women, and children. Board of Directors includes leadership for the Scientific Advisory Board and take active leadership in their specialized fields.

Sylvia Sosa, Founding member and President, Board of Directors. Education and experience includes a Master of Science in Maternal & Child Health from University College London, over 10 years of non-profit business experience, and over 5 years federal experience. She also has a Bachelor's degree in Government and International Politics and took pre-medical coursework at Harvard University. She currently works on Maternal and Child Health policy and programs at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration.

Oladoyin (Doyin) Odubanjo, Founding member and President of the Scientific Advisory Committee: Medical degree from University of Lagos, Nigeria, Master of Science in Maternal & Child Health from University College London. Oladoyin was born and raised in Nigeria and spent several years working in a low-income hospital specializing in neonatal health and survival, managing the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit in the University Hospital. Currently heads the Nigerian office of the National Academies of Science and also serves as the 1st Vice Chairman of the Association of Public Health Physicians of Nigeria, Lagos, Nigeria Chapter.

Mia Mackey, Board Treasurer: PhD in Sociology from Howard University specializing in African American Urban Issues. She has several years of experience directing and managing federally-funded programs benefiting low-income women and children in urban environments in the local Washington DC area. Currently works with homeless children in Washington DC with a local non-profit.

Valerie Kong, Secretary: Master of Public Health from Boston University, over 7 years in research & program coordination experience as part of a Harvard University research conglomerate. She currently manages multi-year funding program focusing on clinical workforce development with a national non-profit.

Shwetha Rai, Board member: Dentist, with pediatric residency at New York University, she specializes in oral health care access of children in the US and abroad, born and current citizen of India, specialized knowledge of south Asian region. She currently works in private practice in Northern VA.

Shivani Sharma, Board Member: Master of Health Services Administration from University of Michigan, has approximately 10 years federal government experience managing multi-year public health programs impacting low income populations. Has

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specialized knowledge of India based and currently works at the Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration.