



## **American Medical Technologists Announces 2025-2026 Board of Directors**

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ROSEMONT, IL — American Medical Technologists (AMT), a national certification agency and leading professional organization dedicated to advancing allied health professionals, is pleased to introduce the 2025-2026 Executive Board Members and Board of Directors.

The Executive Committee Members will be instrumental in guiding AMT's strategic direction and advancing the mission:

Harry Narine, MLS (AMT), RPT (AMT), *President*

Michael Waide, EdD, MLS (AMT), CMLA (AMT), AHI (AMT), *Vice President*

Cherry-Ann DaCosta-Carter, MLS (AMT), RPT (AMT), *Secretary*

Sanda Jones, MLS (AMT), *Treasurer*

Martha (Marty) Hinkel, MLS (AMT), *Immediate Past President*

The wealth of experience and diverse backgrounds of these members will enact positive change and drive AMT's commitment to excellence. In addition to the Executive Committee Members, AMT is pleased to introduce the Board of Directors:

Jill Carlson, RMA (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Annette Cook, MLS (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Dustin Martinez, MLS (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Francine Oran, RMA (AMT), RPT (AMT), AHI (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Tyler Porterfield, RMA (AMT), CMAS (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Jeffrey Wooley, RMA (AMT), AHI (AMT), *Member-at-Large*

Jacqueline Harris, *Public Member*

Candace Liptrot, MLS (AMT), *Non-voting Observer*

Richard Singh, RPT (AMT), *Non-voting Observer*

Katrina Fryar, MLS (AMT), *Interim Executive Councillor*

Steve Stockford, MLS (AMT), *Judiciary Councillor*

Kathy Cilia, MBA, CAE, MLS (AMT), *Executive Director*

The elected Executive Committee Members and Board of Directors of AMT will collaborate with the dedicated staff and volunteers to achieve the organization's goals and mission. Under the leadership of the Board, AMT is thrilled to continue empowering its members through certification, education and support, further solidifying its role as a leading authority in allied health.

"AMT is thrilled to introduce our new board members," said Executive Director, Kathy Cilia, MLS (AMT), CAE. "Their diverse background, experience, and leadership will be the catalysts in elevating our association and positioning us as the leader in allied health certification."

AMT extends its gratitude to outgoing Board members for the commitment, dedication, and contributions made during their tenures. This support is invaluable to the growth and achievements of the organization.

For more information about AMT certifications, not-for-profit mission, and educational opportunities, visit [www.americanmedtech.org](http://www.americanmedtech.org).

### **About American Medical Technologists (AMT)**

AMT is a not-for-profit certification agency and professional membership association highly regarded by employers, educators, and allied healthcare professionals for its credentialing reputation and diverse membership affiliation benefits it provides to its more than 100,000 members. AMT's 12 allied health certifications in the medical, dental, and laboratory fields are driven by integrity and practicality to ensure that student applicants and education programs meet employer expectations for competency and real-world healthcare skills. AMT continuously validates its certificants' knowledge and offers career advancement certification programs and continuing education to enhance members' versatility in the allied healthcare workplace. AMT exams are accredited by the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA).

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