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MURIEL BOWSER  
MAYOR

MAY - 6 2019

The Honorable Phil Mendelson  
Chairman  
Council of the District of Columbia  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 504  
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to section 3 of the Maternal Mortality Review Committee Establishment Act of 2018, effective June 5, 2018 (D.C. Law 22-111; D.C. Official Code § 7-671.02), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

Dr. Monique Powell-Davis  
26 Madison Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20011  
(Ward 4)

for appointment as a person with experience in obstetrics and gynecology from a District of Columbia hospital or birthing center member to the Maternal Mortality Review Committee, for a term to end January 10, 2022.

Enclosed, you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,

Muriel Bowser



Chairman Phil Mendelson  
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Chairman Phil Mendelson, at the request of the Mayor, introduced the following resolution,  
which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_.

To confirm the appointment of Monique Powell-Davis to the Maternal Mortality Review  
Committee.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this  
resolution may be cited as the “Maternal Mortality Review Committee Monique Powell-Davis  
Confirmation Resolution of 2019”.

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the appointment of:

Dr. Monique Powell-Davis  
26 Madison Street NW  
Washington, DC 20011  
(Ward 4)

as a person with experience in obstetrics and gynecology from a District of Columbia hospital or  
birthing center member to the Maternal Mortality Review Committee, pursuant to section 3 of  
the Maternal Mortality Review Committee Establishment Act of 2018, effective June 5, 2018  
(D.C. Law 22-111; D.C. Official Code §7-671.02), for a term to end January 10, 2022.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution,  
upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

# Monique Powell-Davis, MD, FACOG

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BOARD CERTIFIED OBSTETRICIAN GYNECOLOGIST

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Mary's Center for Maternal and Child Care 2017-present  
Washington, DC

- *Federally qualified health center*
- *Providing full-scope out-patient care*
- *High risk obstetric care*
- *General gynecologic care*
- *Women's health services*

Ascension Medical Group 2009 - 2018  
Providence Obstetric & Gynecology Associates  
Providence Hospital, Washington, DC

- *High volume, full-scope hospital based private practice*
- *High risk obstetric and general gynecologic care*
- *Laborist in an urban hospital with 12 LDRs, level-3 NICU & 2000 deliveries annually,*
- *Out-patient clinic care of predominantly underserved populations*
- *Clinical training of residents of Howard University Hospital Ob/Gyn & Georgetown University Family Medicine as well as medical students from multiple institutions*

Obstetrician Gynecologist 2009 - 2011  
Dimensions Obstetrics & Gynecology Associates  
Prince George's Hospital Center, Cheverly, MD

- *Laborist at an urban, high volume, high risk unit*
- *In-house, on-call emergency Gynecologic services*
- *Prenatal & Gyn care at the PG County Health Department Clinics*

## MEDICAL LICENSURE & BOARD CERTIFICATION

District of Columbia - *Active*

State of Maryland - *Active*

American Board of Obstetrics & Gynecology –*Board Certified -, Active*

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society, 2009

American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, 2005

American Medical Association, 2001

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES at Providence Hospital**

Treasurer, Medical Executive Committee , 2015-2018

At-Large Member (elected), Providence Hospital Medical Dental Staff Association, 2015-2018

Quality & Safety Committee, 2012-2018

ePAC Committee, 2012-2018

**EDUCATION**

Postgraduate Physician Training, 2009

Administrative Chief Resident

Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Howard University Hospital (HUH), Washington, DC

Doctor of Medicine, 2005

Howard University College of Medicine (HUCM), Washington, DC

Bachelor of Science, 2001

Magna Cum Laude, Biology

University of the Virgin Islands, St. Thomas, USVI

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

2009 Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

2009 Surgeon of the Year, HUH Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology

2008 Administrative Chief Resident, HUH Obstetrics & Gynecology

2007 NIH/NMA Travel Award to the National Medical Assoc. Annual Meeting

2005 & 2003 HU Medical Alumni Association Pioneer Award for Leadership & Service

2005 Internal Medicine Clerkship Award

2004 HUCM Student Council Leadership Award

2003 Ruth E. Moore Service Award

2002 – 2005 National Healthcare Scholars Foundation Scholarship

2001 HUCM Dean's Scholarship

2001 Best Graduating Senior, UVI, Division of Science & Math

2001 Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation Research Internship Award

2001 Quality Education for Minorities Network Award for Excellence in Science & Math

1999 MBRS Travel Award to National Minority Research Symposium

1999 Merck Award for Superior Achievement in Organic Chemistry

1999 – 2001 National Science Foundation Research Fellowship

1998 – 2001 National Dean's List

**ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES AT THE HOWARD UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE:**

- 2004 Class of 2005, President
- 2004 8th Annual Residency Fair, Co-Chairperson
- 2004 Student Council Vice President, Alumni Affairs
- 2003 Student Council Vice President, Communications
- 2003 & 2004 Faculty Retreat Planning Committee
- 2003 & 2004 Faculty Retreat, Student Representative
- 2003 – 2005 Dean's Committee for Faculty & Staff Awards
- 2002 – 2005 Curriculum Committee
- 2001 – 2008 Admissions Committee

**RESEARCH AWARDS**

- 2001 Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation Summer Research Fellowship  
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine
  
- 2000 Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine Summer Research Fellowship  
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine
  
- 1999 – 2001 National Science Foundation Research Fellowship  
University of the Virgin Islands

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- 2007 – 2009 Howard University Hospital (HUH), Washington, DC  
Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology  
GBS Colonization in Obstetric Patients at HUH
  - A retrospective review of all obstetric patients at HUH. Analysis of data to assess for correlations between GBS colonization and modifiable factors, specifically, genital colonization with other organisms, diabetes and hypertension.
  
- 2002 – 2005 Howard University Collaborative Alcohol Research Center (HUCARC),  
Washington, DC  
Malt Liquor Pharmacokinetics in African-Americans
  - Assessment of the affects of the non-fermentables in malt liquor on the pharmacokinetics of ethanol to determine if a biological basis exist for the presumed preference for malt liquor products in urban African Americans.
  
- 2000 & 2001 Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD  
Immunology Department, Robert Siliciano, MD, PhD
  - Characterization of HIV-1 plasma RNA in patients on HAART.

1999 – 2001 University of the Virgin Islands, St. Thomas, VI  
Organic Chemistry Lab, Ralph Isovitsch, PhD  
➤ Synthesis of novel molecular sensors.

#### **PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS & ABSTRACTS**

Gaymon-Doomes A, Powell-Davis M, Broomfield D. Postpartum depression: Screening and treatment. In: Roberts CP, Broomfield, D, Marucci L, eds. *Avoiding Common Obstetrics and Gynecology Errors*. Philadelphia PA: Lippincott, Williams and Wilkins; 2011:101.

Taylor RE, Raysor BR, Kwagyan J, Ramchandani VA, Kalu N, Powell-Davis M, Ferguson CL, Carr L, Scott DM. Alterations in ethyl alcohol pharmacokinetics during oral consumption of malt liquor beverages in African Americans. *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research*. 2008;32:2074-2080.

Raysor BR, Kwagyan J, Kalu N, Powell-Davis M, Duncan S, Taylor RE. Alterations in Alcohol Pharmacokinetics by Oral Consumptions of Malt Liquor Beverages. *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research*. 2004;28:39A.

Hermankova M, Ray S, Ruff C, Powell-Davis M, Ingersoll R, D'Aquila R, Quinn T, Siliciano J, Siliciano R, Persaud D. HIV-1 Drug Resistance Profiles in Children and Adults with Viral Load < 50copies/ml Receiving Combination Therapy. *JAMA*. 2001;286:196-207.

Powell-Davis M. Long Acting Reversible Contraception. Educational session presented at: Obstetrics and Gynecology Grand Rounds. Prince George's Hospital Center. 2010 Dec 14; Cheverly, MD

Powell-Davis M. High Risk Obstetrics: Hepatic Rupture. Educational session presented at: Maternal Fetal Medicine-Grand Rounds. Prince George's Hospital Center. 2007 Apr 17; Cheverly, MD

Powell-Davis, M. "HPV Virus and the Vaccine." Interview by Laura Sessions Stepp. *Washingtonpost.com Live OnLine Q&A*. 3 Apr. 2007. Web.

Powell-Davis M. Characterization of Low-Level Viremia in HIV-infected Individuals Treated with HAART. Poster presentation at: The Leadership Alliance National Symposium. 2000 July 28-30; Chantilly, VA.

**References Available Upon Request**



Executive Office of the Mayor - Office of Talent and Appointments

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## **Monique Powell-Davis**



Dr. Monique Powell-Davis is currently an obstetric care provider at the Mary's Center for Maternal and Child Care. At this federally qualified health center, she provides full-scope out-patient care, general gemology care, as well as other women's health services. She previously served in OB/GYN roles at Providence Hospital and Prince George's Hospital Center.

Dr. Powell-Davis is an active member of the American Medical Association and possesses certification and licensure in the District of Columbia. She has been cited in medical publications such as "Avoiding Common

Obstetrics and Gynecology Errors" in 2011.

A Ward 4 resident, Dr. Powell-Davis received a Bachelor of Science in Biology from the University of the Virgin Islands as well as a Doctor of Medicine and Postgraduate physician training from Howard University.



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

**To:** Alana Intrieri, Steve Walker  
**From:** Betsy Cavendish  
**Date:** April 27, 2019  
**Subject:** Legal sufficiency review of resolutions appointing Cherie Craft and Dr. Monique Powell-Davis as members to the Maternal Mortality Review Committee

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**This is to Certify that** this office has reviewed the above-referenced legislation and found it to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call me at 202-724-7681.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Elizabeth A. Cavendish'.

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Elizabeth Cavendish