



Professional Bio: Kellie A. Vinson, FACHE, MBA, MT (ASCP) SH

Kellie A. Vinson is a seasoned healthcare leader and retired Chief Master Sergeant with 28 years of distinguished service in the U.S. Air Force and South Carolina Air National Guard. Her military career instilled a deep commitment to leadership, mentorship, and operational excellence—values that continue to shape her work in civilian healthcare.

Currently serving as **Director of Pathology Services at Wellstar MCG Health**, Kellie provides administrative oversight for comprehensive Anatomic and Clinical Pathology laboratories across adult and pediatric hospitals and multiple outpatient sites. She leads a team of about 200 professionals and ensuring the delivery of over 3 million laboratory tests annually while maintaining accreditation from TJC, CAP, AABB, and the FDA.

Kellie's civilian career reflects her expertise in strategic operations, compliance, and innovation. She has spearheaded initiatives such as digital pathology implementation, statewide COVID-19 response coordination, and large-scale facility design projects. Her leadership style—collaborative, coaching-oriented, and people-first—has earned her recognition as a trusted mentor and change agent.

Kellie's academic credentials include an **MBA**, a **Bachelor of Applied Science**, and two associate degrees in **Avionics** and **Healthcare Management**. She is certified as a **Medical Laboratory Scientist (MLS, ASCP)** with a **specialty in Hematology (SH)** and is a **Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE)**. Her commitment to mentorship and professional development is evident in her passion for cultivating future leaders and creating inclusive environments where every voice is valued.

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