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As Executive Vice Dean for Clinical Sciences & Research Administration for the Duke University School of Medicine, Dr. Geeta Swamy oversees central operations aligned with clinical departments and research centers, facilitates research priorities in collaboration with clinical chairs and vice chairs, and manages research administration and compliance. She works closely with leadership across the Duke Health Integrated Practice and Duke University Health System on areas that intersect with the academic missions. As Associate Vice President for Research, she collaborates with leaders across the Duke University campus to provide a consistent vision for research administration, operations, quality, and accountability. Her responsibilities include overseeing pre- and post-award management for sponsored grants and contracts, human research, and research quality with the School of Medicine as well as compliance, integrity, conflict of interest, and other regulatory areas across Duke University. Dr. Swamy serves on the Board of Directors for the Council on Government Relations (COGR), representing and advocating for partnership between institutions of higher education and federal research sponsors. She received one of Duke's highest honors in 2022 with the Duke University Presidential Award, which is awarded to individuals who best demonstrate the values of respect, trust, inclusion, discovery, and excellence.

Dr. Swamy earned her undergraduate degree in biostatistics and her medical degree from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. She completed her residency in obstetrics & gynecology at the University of Pittsburgh and her fellowship in maternal-fetal medicine at Duke University. As a highly accomplished clinician-scientist, Dr. Swamy has dedicated her clinical and academic career to advancing the health of women regionally, nationally, and internationally. With funding from the NIH, CDC, and industry partners, her research focuses on novel and licensed vaccines to prevent maternal-fetal-neonatal infection. Her research has directly informed national guidelines and evidence-based practice for H1N1 influenza, pertussis, and RSV vaccination during pregnancy. As Director of the Duke Perinatal Research Center and Vice Chair for Research, she led Duke's NICHD Maternal-Fetal Medicine Unit across all Duke ObGyn ambulatory sites and birth hospitals. She worked with faculty to expand the Department's research portfolio, advancing NIH ranking from 28th to 18th (2018 – 2021) and facilitated strategic multidisciplinary partnership hires.

Dr. Swamy is a Fellow of the American College of ObGyn and the American Gynecologic & Obstetric Society as well as an 'ELUM' of the Executive Leadership in Academic Medicine (ELAM) Program. She serves on strategic, policy-setting entities including the FDA, Health & Human Services, WHO, and ACOG. In recognition of academic excellence, she was named and impact on trainees and early career faculty in ObGyn the *Haywood Brown Distinguished Professor for Women's Health*.