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Dr. Carol Neil
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Chair, NBNA Population Health Committee
Professor, Florida State College at Jacksonville, School of Nursing

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Danyelle N. Martin-Solomon, PhD
Medical Sciences Liaison, Midwest Region

Dr. Danyelle Martin-Solomon, holds a PhD and serves as a Medical Science Liaison (MSL) for the Midwest region within the Medical Affairs department at Moderna Inc. She embarked on her journey with Moderna at the beginning of 2021, where her role as an MSL involves interfacing with key opinion leaders (KOLs) and healthcare professionals (HCPs). She is responsible for providing medical knowledge, gathering critical insights, and disseminating scientific and medical information.
As an integral part of the People of Color Diversity Initiative (POCDI) at Moderna, Dr. Martin-Solomon plays a crucial role in offering clinical data related to COVID-19 vaccines. She is dedicated to fostering robust relationships with thought leaders and HCPs, particularly those serving communities of color. Before her tenure at Moderna, Dr. Martin-Solomon spent three years at Medline Industries, Inc., managing wound care trials as a Clinical Research Associate. She later transitioned to their Medical Affairs team, serving as an MSL for two years. Dr. Martin-Solomon earned her PhD from the University of Illinois at Chicago, specializing in Microbiology and Immunology. Her thesis centered around the entry mechanism of the Hepatitis C virus. As a virologist, she holds a deep-seated passion for educating people about and preventing infectious diseases.

Currently, Danyelle lives in Chicago with her husband and their 19-month-old daughter. She enjoys her time spent playing with her daughter in the park, rooting for her local Chicago sports teams, and savoring the diverse culinary delights that Chicago's restaurants have to offer.

Pamela Gobina, PharmD, MBA
Moderna Medical Affairs

Dr. Pamela Gobina, originally from Dallas, has been a resident of the Rio Grande Valley since 2008. She completed her Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology at the University of Houston in 2003, followed by her Doctor of Pharmacy from Texas Southern University in 2007. She further honed her skills with a Pharmacy Practice Residency at CHRISTUS Santa Rosa in San Antonio, completed in 2008. Continuing her academic journey, Dr. Gobina earned a Master of Business Administration specializing in Healthcare Management from The University of Texas at Tyler in 2015. Following her residency, she dedicated over a decade to serving the Valley in various capacities, including roles as a clinical pharmacist, consultant, and Director of Pharmacy. In September 2021, she brought her wealth of experience to the Moderna Medical Affairs team, taking on the role of the MSL covering Texas. Dr. Gobina actively contributes to the People of Color Diversity Initiative (POCDI), a group of MSLs at Moderna striving to diversify the insights sourced from Healthcare Professionals (HCPs), particularly those serving communities of color.

On a personal note, Dr. Gobina has been happily married for 13 years and is a proud mother of three sons. She has a wide range of interests, including event planning, crafting, singing, watching Marvel movies, and coaching her sons’ sports teams.

Milka Rodriguez, PhD
Medical Science Liaison, Mid-Atlantic North

Dr. Milka Rodriguez developed a passion for molecular biology during her undergraduate studies at SUNY Stony Brook. She further pursued this interest by earning her PhD in Infectious Diseases and Microbiology from the Graduate School of Public Health at the University of Pittsburgh. She also completed postdoctoral fellowships at Weill Cornell Medical College and Albert Einstein College of Medicine. Dr. Rodriguez’s professional journey includes roles as a Medical Science Liaison (HIV/HCV) at Labcorp and Assistant Director
of Epigenetic Services at Epigentek Group Inc. In September 2021, during the peak of the COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Rodriguez joined the Medical Affairs team at Moderna. As an MSL and member of Moderna's People of Color Diversity Initiative (POCDI), Dr. Rodriguez plays a crucial role in providing clinical data on COVID-19 vaccines. She also focuses on building robust relationships with thought leaders and healthcare professionals, particularly those serving communities of color.

On the personal front, Dr. Rodriguez resides in New York with her husband, two sons, and their pet betta fish, Xavier. She enjoys spending quality time with her family and friends, cooking, exercising, and indulging in sci-fi movies.