

**Linda Lawrence, MD, CPE, FACEP**

Linda Lawrence joined the Board of Directors of the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA) in January 2018 as a Physician Director at Large, and serves on the Compensation Committee, Specialty Certification/CAQ Mega Issue Team and Communications Advisors.

Lawrence has educated, supervised and partnered with certified PAs throughout her medical career. As former Board President of the American College of Emergency Physicians, she led the organization to invest more in PAs as partners in the practice of emergency medicine. As an advisor member to the board of the Society of Emergency Medicine PAs (SEMPA), she oversaw growth of the organization in both size and influence – specifically, advising members on how to raise standards of practice in an inclusive and collaborative way. For her dedication and leadership, she was selected to be a Diplomat of SEMPA.

Lawrence received a medical degree from Temple University School of Medicine and completed her residency at the Geisinger Medical Center in Danville, Pennsylvania. She has been board certified since 1993.

She has also served on the boards of the Emergency Medicine Foundation, National Emergency Medicine Political Action Committee, and National Trauma Institute