



Senator Renee Underman
Senate District 45

Senator Renee Underman represents District 45, part of Gwinnett County, in the Georgia Senate. She is Chairman of Health and Human Services and Vice Chairman of the Appropriations Committee. She is a member of the Administrative Affairs, Assignments, Insurance and Labor and Rules committees and serves as an Ex-Officio on the Regulated Industries and Utilities and Finance committees.

During her tenure in the Senate, Sen. Underman has concentrated on healthcare policy, serving seniors and children, as well as disadvantaged Georgians. In 2016, she passed legislation placing a Constitutional Amendment on the ballot to create the Safe Harbor for Sexually Exploited Children Fund, which passed with more than 83 percent of ballots cast.

Sen. Underman grew up in Gwinnett County and graduated from Berkmar High School. She holds a degree in nursing from Georgia State University and trained at Grady Memorial Hospital in Atlanta. She also has a degree in Social Work from the University of Georgia. After graduation, she worked as an emergency room and critical care nurse.

Senator Underman previously served on the Gwinnett County Commission, as Mayor of Loganville and in the State House. In 2002, she was elected to the Senate. She and her husband Phil live in Buford.



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