



Ginelle Jones is a Queensbury resident, who currently serves as the Director of Public Health and Patient Services for Warren County Health Services.

Ginelle grew up in Mobile, Alabama, attending K-12 and graduating from Julius T. Wright College Preparatory School for Girls, while being active in Red Cross as an instructor, church, and Girl Scouts, earning the Gold Award. Ginelle graduated from Mobile College with a bachelor's in Elementary Education, also majoring in Modern Foreign Language. She taught high school Spanish and French while earning her bachelor's degree in Nursing, from University of Mobile, and remains active in the aforementioned organizations.

Ginelle also holds a master's degree in nursing from The Sage Colleges in Troy, N.Y., and is a registered family nurse practitioner. In addition, she earned a post graduate Certificate in Public Health from SUNY Albany School of Public Health.

In June 1994, after a mission trip to Nicaragua as a graduate nurse, Ginelle moved to NYS to take a job at the Glens Falls Hospital as a staff nurse.

She joined Warren County Health Services in 1994 as a public health nurse, responsible for the communicable disease such as rabies, lead exposures, and much more. Ginelle was promoted to Warren County Health Services supervising public health nurse in 2002, and Assistant Director of Public Health in 2003. She also served 2 semesters as an adjunct nursing instructor, teaching Community Health, at Maria College.

Ginelle was appointed Warren County Director of Public Health and Patient Services in April 2018, after the retirement of Patricia Auer.

During her tenure at Warren County Health Services, Ginelle developed numerous plans for emergency preparedness and response to communicable diseases and other health concerns. She has received numerous honors, including named a "Post-Star 20 under 40" award in 2006, award for clinical excellence in nursing in 1994.

More recently, Ginelle was named the Glens Falls Rotary Club Citizen of the Year in June 2021 and Warren County employee of the year in October 2020 for leading Warren County's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Ginelle continues to be involved with numerous charitable organizations on a volunteer basis, including the Girl Scouts of the U.S.A, Boy Scouts of America, Double H Hole in the Woods Medical Advisory Board, Greater Adirondack Home Health Aides, American Red Cross, EMS Professional Advisory Committee, and SUNY Adirondack School of Nursing Professional Advisory Committee.

Jones lives in Queensbury with her husband, Chris, and son, Raymond. Raymond attends SUNY Potsdam, where he studies business/accounting and competes on the varsity soccer team.