



# Sanford G. Duke, MD

**Executive Vice President and Chief Clinical Officer  
Navicent Health**

*Leadership Profile*

**Sanford G. Duke, MD**, is executive vice president and chief clinical officer for Navicent Health, the leading provider of healthcare in central and south Georgia and a strategic partner with Atrium Health. The system includes 1,000 beds for medical, surgical, rehabilitation and hospice purposes, as well as a 637 bed, nationally verified Level I designated trauma center and the region's only children's hospital. As a member of the executive leadership team, Dr. Duke is responsible for providing clinical, operational and strategic leadership necessary to deliver quality care across the enterprise.

Dr. Duke has more than 25 years of experience in healthcare, joining the executive team at Navicent Health in February 2020. Previously, he served on the Navicent Health Board of Directors, chairing the Quality and Safety Committee, and on the Atrium Health Board of Commissioners. Prior to his role in administration, Dr. Duke served as a private practice physician for nearly two decades.

Dr. Duke earned his bachelor's degree from Duke University and his medical degree from the Medical College of Georgia. He completed residency in Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery at Wake Forest University.