



**Dr. Mariam Jashi**  
**Designated CEO of the Global Sepsis Alliance**  
**Former Member of Parliament and Deputy Health Minister of Georgia**

Dr. Mariam Jashi will join the Global Sepsis Alliance as its new CEO on December 1, 2023.

She is a senior level policymaker with 25 years of experience in Global Health, Sustainable Development and Innovative Financing from the countries of Eastern Europe and Central Asia (EECA), Middle East, Africa and the Americas.

For 8 years (2012-2020) Dr. Jashi served as a senior government official in Georgia as the Deputy Minister of Health, Member of Parliament (MP), Chairperson of the Parliamentary Committee for Education and Science, Member of Health Committee and Gender Equality Council of the Parliament.

In 2017-2018 as the President of the Leading Group on Innovative Financing for Development she led high level dialogue of global stakeholders on the margins of the UN General Assemblies.

Since 2019 Mariam Jashi is the Global Board Member and EECA Chapter Chair of the UNITE Parliamentarians' Network for Global Health. She Chairs the Board of Advisors at the Tbilisi Medical Academy since 2021 and is the elected Secretary General of the Medical Women's International Association (MWIA) for the 2022-2025 Triennium.

Her earlier experience includes 12 years of humanitarian and development work with UNICEF, UNAIDS, other UN agencies, GAVI and the World Bank (1999-2012), being in charge of UNICEF Health Sector and UNAIDS programme in Georgia, Immunization Portfolio at UNICEF Occupied Palestinian Territory and HIV Partnerships at UNICEF New York HQ.

The Mason Fellow of the Harvard Kennedy School of Government, Dr. Jashi holds MPA degree from Harvard University, Doctor of Medicine (MD) from AIETI Medical School, Master of Public Health (MPA) from Tbilisi State University and Public Health Certificates from Lund University and UCL.

### **Major Achievements**

- Led strategic planning and mobilization of 105 million USD grants for national health programmes of 19 countries from GAVI, the Global Fund, GAIN, UNITAID, USAID and the Government of Japan.
- Recipient of the World Health Organization Award for contribution to Polio Eradication in Europe.
- CEO and co-founder of the Solidarity Fund of Georgia, under the Prime Minister's Office, that mobilized > 8 million GEL of Innovative Financing for diagnostics and treatment of Children affected by Cancer.
- Co-author of the Universal Health Care reform and programme in Georgia with > 90% coverage of the country population, and
- Lead author of TISIFF Recommendations, the global roadmap how to galvanize Innovative Financing and narrow the funding gap for Sustainable Development Goals by 2030.