

Biography

Representative Anita Somani, MD, is currently serving her second term as State Representative for Ohio's 8th House District, which includes the cities of Dublin and Worthington.

For the last three decades, Dr. Somani has worked in Columbus as a highly respected healthcare professional, currently as an OBGYN at OhioHealth. She earned her M.D. from the Medical College of Ohio and completed her residency in OB/GYN at Mt. Carmel Medical Center in Columbus. She has her certification in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery (MIGS). Dr. Somani is a past board member of the Columbus Medical Association and Planned Parenthood. She is currently a Board Member of LEAD Ohio.

Dr. Somani ran for office because she believes the state of Ohio has lost focus on issues such as health care, public education, public health, and the loosening of gun laws, all of which disproportionately affect marginalized communities. As a physician and legislator, she has used her medical background to improve the public health of our state and to create evidence-based legislation that helps everyone in our community. She serves on the House Medicaid Committee and serves as Ranking Member on the House Health Committee.