GEORGIA

Agency Mission
To prevent disease, injury, and disability; promote health and well-being; and prepare for and respond to disasters.

Top Five Priorities

1. Childhood obesity
2. Early brain development and language acquisition
3. Infant mortality
4. Access to healthcare/primary care
5. Technological infrastructure

Structure and Relationship with Local Health Departments
The state/territorial health agency is a freestanding/independent agency and has a shared relationship with local health departments.

- **159** Independent local health agencies (led by staff employed by local government)
- **0** State-run local health agencies (led by staff employed by state government)
- **0** Independent regional or district offices (led by non-state employees)
- **18** State-run regional or district offices (led by state employees)

Organizational Structure
The health official does not report directly to the governor. The state does not have a board of health.

Planning and Accreditation
The state/territorial health agency has developed the following within the past five years:

- ✔ Health Assessment
- ✔ Health Improvement Plan
- ✔ Strategic Plan

The state/territorial agency plans to apply for accreditation, but has not yet registered in e-PHAB.

Agency Workforce
The state/territorial health agency has 974 FTEs, including 180 state/territorial workers assigned to local/regional offices.

Agency Finance (FY15*)

Source of Funding

- State General Funds 33.0%
- Other State Funds 0.2%
- Federal Funds 60.4%
- Fees and Fines 0.1%
- Other Sources 6.3%

Federal Funding Sources

- CDC 19.4%
- HHS 4.0%
- HRSA 18.6%
- Medicaid 0.0%
- Medicare 0.0%
- USDA 53.8%
- DHS 0.0%
- EPA 0.0%
- Other 4.3%

Total Revenue FY15: $603,744,049
Total Federal Revenue FY15: $363,753,469

*FY15 was defined as 7/1/2014 – 6/30/2015.