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Dr. Ruby A. Serrano-Rodriguez received her Master in Sciences in Epidemiology and her Doctorate in Public Health degrees from the University Of Puerto Rico School Of Public Health. During her twenty five years of professional career, she has been working in different epidemiological projects which include survey and epidemiological surveillance design & implementation; data analysis, proposal writing, peer-review publications, teaching new generations of epidemiologists, among others. Her main epidemiologic interests are chronic disease epidemiology and environmental epidemiology.

In the past fifteen years, she was the Director and State Coordinator for Puerto Rico Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System in which she performed multiple roles. During her time in PR-BRFSS, she worked in multiple collaborations, served as consultant, published in peer-review journals and presented in multiple conferences and meetings.

In addition, Dr. Serrano worked in multiple interdisciplinary committees that include chronic diseases, cancer, and healthy people 2020, among others. The public health expertise developed through her career helped other public health co-workers and health professionals to look for her advice in different epidemiological issues.

Since March 2020, she is part of Covid-19 Epidemiological Core Team which responds directly to the Secretary of Health. Since August, she supervises the efforts of Employers Initiative for Covid-19.