

Lyndon C. Edwards Sr.
Bio

LYNDON C. EDWARDS Sr., MHS, MBA is the Associate Administrator for Shands Vista/Shands Rehab Hospital, the Behavioral health and Inpatient Rehab Facility of Shands HealthCare in Gainesville, Florida. In this role, he reports to the Hospital Administrator and is responsible for a number of different functional areas in addition to having primary responsibility for financial matters for the facilities.

Lyndon has worked for Shands HealthCare in variety of administrative roles since his graduation from the University of Florida Graduate Program in Health Administration and Warrington School of Business where he obtained his MHS and MBA degrees in 1998. Beginning his career as an Administrative Resident in 1997, he has taken on consistently bigger challenges within the organization including Business Manager, Assistant Administrator, and Director of Operations. Over his career, Lyndon has been involved in almost every aspect of hospital operations. He's had the opportunity to develop and build new clinical operations and improve processes and systems within existing operations. Often chosen to lead system-wide committee's, Lyndon led two record-breaking United Way Annual Employee-giving Campaigns, one of which garnered the United Way's "*Inspiring Success Award*" for overall campaign excellence. Lyndon also led the system-wide team that developed and implemented the Shands employee standards of behavior called the *BEST Behaviors*.

Lyndon has lived in Gainesville, FL since the age of 10, and is loyal and proud member of the "Gator Nation". Lyndon is married to Lisa (Weir) Edwards, also a University of Florida graduate and they have a son, Lyndon Jr. (L.J.) who's 6 years old.