

Dr. Indirah Adderley

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Dr. Indirah Adderley is a Chief Superintendent in the Royal Bahamas Police Force (RBPF) with 30 years of service. She epitomizes the essence of great leadership that is guided by influence and authority which drives her duties as a guardian of the welfare of others.

Dr. Adderley's professional background is attributed to her quest for knowledge. She holds a Doctor of Education in Organizational Leadership and Human Resource Services, Master in Business Administration, Master degree in Homeland Security and Criminal Justice, Bachelor's in Criminology and an Associates in Law and Criminal Justice, Bachelor Degree in Law (LLB, May 2024). Because of her outstanding work and execution of her duties she was endowed with the Meritorious medal, Long Service and Good Conduct medal, and the 2006 recipient of the Bahamas Independence Award for Women in Policing.

Dr. Adderley has been the Executive Chairman of the Bahamas Law Enforcement Cooperative Credit Union (BLECCU) and now the Secretary for the Bahamas Cooperative League. In the past she was appointed as an executive board member of the National Women's Advisory Council (NWAC) of the Bahamas (2019-2021). She served as the president for four years of the Caribbean Association of Women Police (CAWP) and presented throughout the Caribbean on policewomen and leadership, recruitment, and retention. She is currently the Regional Coordinator for the entire Caribbean for the International Association of Women Police. Additionally, Superintendent Adderley is an active member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) and The National Association of Women in Law Enforcement Executive (NAWLEE) as an international member.

As an active participant in the activities of the Department of Gender and Family Affairs Unit at the Ministry of Social Services and Urban Development, she has been a delegate for the Bahamas on The Commission of the Status of Women (CSW) at the United Nations on several occasions. She has attended and presented at several Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) conferences and seminars throughout the region from 2018-2020. She was appointed as the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) liaison officer for the Royal Bahamas Police Force during hurricane Dorian and participate in research projects involving the RBPF conducted by the IDB.

Postings include general front line policing, senior researcher -Research and Planning Unit, field officer - Criminal Intelligence Branch and Interpol, Human Resources Department, Staff Officer (Executive Assistant) – Commissioner Paul Farquharson, senior investigator - Complaints and Corruption, Deputy Commander Elizabeth Estates Police Station, Deputy Commander Western Division, 2016 –2018 Ministry of National Security - Probation and Parole Committee – Project Manager, Deputy Director - Strategic Policy, Planning and Research Branch. Presently at the National Crime Intelligence Agency responsible for administration, training, research, and development.

Dr. Indirah Adderley is married to Shawn Adderley and the mother of two children Shadiya and Robert.