

Dr. Tracy Hanner

Retired Lab Animal Veterinarian

Native of Chatham County, North Carolina

Born and raised in Bear Creek, NC

Married to Gwendolyn Hanner, retired public school educator of Chatham County for 35yrs

One daughter-Tracie Foust-Morehead scholar graduate of UNC, Chapel Hill

Education:

Graduate of Chatham Central High School

B.S. degree – 1974 – Biology – North Carolina Central University, Durham, NC

Graduate Studies – Microbiology – North Carolina Central University

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree – 1986 – North Carolina State University, College of Veterinary Medicine, Raleigh, N.C.

Employment:

2019-2020 Chairman, Department of Animal Sciences, North Carolina
 A&T State University, Greensboro, NC 27411

1986-2016 **Coordinator/Clinical Associate Veterinarian**
 North Carolina A&T State University
 Served as the **Coordinator**, resident clinical veterinarian and
 instructor for a B.S. degree program in Lab Animal Science/
 Pre-veterinary Medicine Program

Research: Sponsored research involvement in over 6 million dollars in research related to
 human and animal health

Service: 1988-2012 Elected and actively served as Veterinarian to the Chatham County
 Board of Health, Pittsboro, N.C. – Advisor for issues especially involving
 zoonotic diseases which affect animal and man.

 1992 Selected by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners to serve as a
 member of the Animal Control advisory Committee

 1992 Selected to serve as a member of the Chatham County Human Relations
 Advisory Committee.

 2006 Selected to serve on the Chatham County Human Relations Commission by
 the Chatham County Board of Commissioners

2006 Selected to serve on the Chatham County Highway Corridor Task Force by the Chatham County Board of Commissioners.

2007 Member of the Board of Trustees, Central Carolina Community College, Sanford, NC

2011 Served as Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees for Central Carolina Community College, Sanford, NC

2018 Moderator for the NC Association of Minority Veterinary Diversity conference, Raleigh, NC Convention Center, November 2018

Honors: 1991 Selected by North Carolina State College of Veterinary medicine to receive the Veterinary College Distinguished Alumni Award (May 3, 1991).

2005 **National Role Model Award** –LAS Vegas, Nevada, September 15, 2005 for exemplary achievements worthy of emulation. Dr. Hanner has mentored more than 4000 students in the last 20 years in comparative medicine, Animal Sciences, and Veterinary Medicine. Under his guidance more than 200 hundred students have gone on and achieved the level of Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, Human Medicine and Chiropractice—**He was honored for service to the minority community to increase the number of black students and other minority students in veterinary medicine.**

2009 Iverson Bell Award presented by the American Association of Veterinary Medical Colleges March 13, 2009, Washington, DC.

***Numerous publications, conference presentations, and workshops**

“Blacks in Veterinary Medicine”. Annual Black History Program, College of Veterinary Medicine, North Carolina State University. February 17, 2015.

Presented “Blacks in Veterinary Medicine”, NC A&T State University, Department of Animal Sciences February 2017

Presented “Significance of HBCU’s”, NC State College of Veterinary Medicine February 2019

Deacon, Lambert Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, Siler City, NC