



Robbyn Lewis (Niger)

Maryland House of Delegates' 46th District

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Campaign website: <https://www.robbynlewis.com/>

Robbyn has lived in Baltimore for more than 20 years. She is an international public health leader with a global view and a heart for home. She is the first African American — the first person of color — to represent the district. Robbyn is also the only state legislator who is car-free by choice; she gets around by walking, transit, biking and rideshare.

Robbyn grew up in the suburbs of Gary, Indiana; her father was a physician and her mother, a teacher of children with hearing impairment. Inspired by her family's legacy of community service, compassion and pride, Robbyn knew

early that she would pursue a career in health care.

After studying in France and Taiwan, Robbyn served her country in the U.S. Peace Corps. Assigned to a maternal and child health clinic in Niger, in west Africa, she worked alongside local nurses at a rural health clinic, conducting malnutrition surveillance, providing pre-natal care to mothers, and delivering life-saving immunizations to babies at risk of measles and other deadly, preventable illnesses.

Following graduate training in public health, Robbyn applied her scientific, cross-cultural and public health skills on three continents, working to prevent infectious diseases like tuberculosis, malaria and HIV/AIDS. Her work in cervical cancer prevention contributed to global policy change by the World Health Organization, saving the lives of women in under-resourced settings.

Robbyn joined the Maryland General Assembly in 2017 and has served her District 46 neighbors as their State Delegate for 5 years.