

Mr. Alexandru Rafila
Minister of Health

Alexandru Rafila has been serving as Romania's Minister of Health since November 2021. He is a medical doctor specializing in immunology and has held a PhD in medicine since 2004.

He has worked as a senior physician in the fields of laboratory medicine/microbiology and public health. He served as Director of the National Institute of Public Health and has held positions such as Secretary of State for medical care and public health, as well as personal advisor to several Health Ministers on health policy matters.

Mr. Rafila has organized and participated in numerous national and international medical conferences and public health and microbiology events. He is the author of articles, manuals, book chapters, and practice guidelines in public health and microbiology.

In 2016, he played a key role in establishing the Medical Microbiology discipline in Romania, following recommendations from the UEMS (European Union of Medical Specialists), where he represents Romania.

He is also a professor of microbiology at the Faculty of Medicine, "Carol Davila" University of Medicine and Pharmacy in Bucharest.