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Dr Philippi has served as Lower Saxony's Minister for Social Affairs, Labor, Health, and Equality since January 25, 2023. From 2021 to 2023, he was a member of the German Bundestag and worked as a specialist in surgery at the Herzberg Clinic Medical Care Center (MVZ).

From 2016 to 2021, he fulfilled the role of Deputy District Administrator and presided over the Committee for Social Affairs, Equality, and Integration in the District of Göttingen.

Since 2011, Dr Philippi has been a member of the District Council of Göttingen (formerly Osterode). From 2009 to 2021, he served as Medical Director of the Herzberg Clinic Medical Care Center (MVZ), having established his own surgical practice in 2009.

He earned his doctorate in 2006 with a dissertation on "Development and Diagnostics in the Treatment of Primary Hyperparathyroidism." Dr Philippi has been a certified specialist in surgery since 2001 and completed his secondary education in 1984 at the CJD Christophorus-schule in Bad Zwesten-Oberuff.