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Viktor Liashko was born in 1980 in Rivne Oblast, Ukraine. He graduated from the Bogomolets National Medical University with a medical degree in epidemiology and public health.

Professional Career
Liashko started his career as a practicing physician before joining the State Sanitary and Epidemiological Service of Ukraine. He served as Deputy Director playing a crucial role in managing public health policies and crisis responses.

Minister of Health of Ukraine
After 1,5 years as a Deputy Minister and Chief State Sanitary Doctor of Ukraine combating COVID-19 pandemic, Viktor has been appointed as a Minister of Health on May 20, 2021. Viktor Liashko has fostered international partnerships amid Russian aggression against Ukraine to enhance Ukraine’s healthcare capabilities, securing vital support and resources from abroad. His efforts have been particularly focused on ensuring access to medical assistance for Ukrainians, including those in deoccupied territories of Ukraine.

Longest Serving Minister of Health
Viktor Liashko is the longest-serving Minister of Health in Ukraine's independent history. His leadership and dedication have initiated significant long-term projects and reforms, making a lasting impact on the nation's health sector.