

Biographies

Jeffrey P. Gold, M.D.

Dr. Gold became chancellor of the University of Nebraska Medical Center on Feb. 1, 2014. He also chairs the Nebraska Medicine Advisory Board. As UNMC's chief executive officer, Dr. Gold is responsible for all aspects of campus administration, including an annual operating budget of more than \$640 million, a staff of more than 4,700 and 3,600 students. Additionally, Nebraska Medicine has more than 7,100 employees and an operating budget of more than \$1 billion.

Brad Britigan, M.D.

An internal medicine/infectious disease specialist, Dr. Britigan has served as the Stokes-Shackleford Professor and dean of the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Medicine since July 1, 2011. In January 2014, he also assumed the role of president of Nebraska Medicine. Since 2011 he also has co-directed the UNMC pediatric faculty practice plan, Children's Specialty Physicians, with the CEO of Children's Hospital & Medical Center. He joined UNMC in 2011 after seven years at the University of Cincinnati, where he was the Taylor Professor and chair of the department of internal medicine.

Phil Smith, M.D.

Dr. Smith is medical director of the Nebraska Biocontainment Unit at Nebraska Medicine. He also serves as co-director of the Nebraska Center for Preparedness Education. He is a professor in the UNMC College of Public Health at the University of Nebraska Medical Center. He served as chief of infectious diseases at UNMC for 13 years and currently serves as professor in the Division of Infectious Diseases in the UNMC Department of Internal Medicine. He is president of the board and founder of the award-winning Nebraska Infection Control Network.

Chris Kratochvil, M.D.

Dr. Kratochvil is the associate vice chancellor for clinical research at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, vice president for research for Nebraska Medicine, and a member of the Nebraska Biocontainment Unit leadership team. He also is chief medical officer for UNeHealth and a professor of psychiatry and pediatrics at UNMC.