

Dr. Zetterman file

Personal

1944 - Born in York, Neb.; grew up in Shickley, Neb., population 320, lived on a farm
Married 53 years to wife, Joanie; three sons – David, family physician in Alaska; Justin, civil engineer in Omaha, and Corey, anesthesiologist at UNMC; seven grandchildren
1966 – B.S. with distinction, Nebraska Wesleyan University (Phi Kappa Phi)
1969 – M.D., UNMC College of Medicine (Alpha Omega Alpha)
1969-1971 – UNMC, internal medicine internship and residency
1971-1972 – UNMC, fellowship in gastroenterology
1972-1974 – New Jersey Medical School, fellowship in hepatology and nutrition

UNMC key positions

1976-1980 – Assistant professor, internal medicine
1980-1990 – Associate professor, internal medicine
1984-1991 – Section chief, digestive diseases and nutrition
1990-2009 and 2013-present – Professor, internal medicine
1998-2005 – Vice chair and director of clinical operations, internal medicine
1997-2000 – Chief of staff, Nebraska Medicine
2013-present – Director, faculty mentoring program
2016-present – Associate vice chancellor for planning
2018-present – Associate vice chancellor for academic affairs

Creighton University School of Medicine

2009-2012 – Dean
2013-present – Dean emeritus

Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System (Veterans Affairs)

1976-2009 – Held variety of positions; provided care to veterans from six different wars
1976-1983 – Chief, gastroenterology-liver service
1983-1986 – Associate chief of staff for research
1998-2002 – Chief, medicine service
2000-2009 – Chief of staff, veterans affairs

Military service

1974-1976 – Walter Reed Medical Center, gastroenterology service

Honors/awards/professional organizations

1978 – Nebraska Academy of Family Practice, Outstanding Teaching Award
1982 – Sir William Osler Teaching Award, UNMC Department of Internal Medicine
1983-1991 – Digestive Diseases: Current Concepts in Research & Practice, editor
1991-1997 – American Journal of Gastroenterology, editor
1990-1992 – American College of Gastroenterology, governor, Nebraska Chapter
1996-1997 – American College of Physicians, chair, board of governors
1996-2017 – American Medical Association, held several positions including chair, Council on Legislation
2000-2001 – American College of Gastroenterology, president
2002-2003 – Metropolitan Omaha Medical Society, president
2006-2007 – Nebraska Medical Association, president
2016-2018 – Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education, chair
2013 – Nebraska Medical Association, Distinguished Service to Medicine Award
2015 – American College of Physicians, Nebraska Chapter Centennial Legacy Award

Won four major awards from American College of Gastroenterology

Research

20 research grants; 142 articles in peer-reviewed journals; 80 abstracts; 48 online publications;
25 book chapters; 246 presentations at scientific conferences