

Bio for Jonathan E. Fielding, MD, MPH

Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H., M.B.A., M.A. has served in various public health leadership positions for over 40 years, the last 16 of which as Los Angeles County Director of Public Health and Health Officer. Dr. Fielding is responsible for all public health protection and disease control functions for the County's 10 million residents. He leads nearly 4,000 staff with an annual budget exceeding \$850 million. Dr. Fielding also serves on the First 5 L.A. Commission, which funds health and development programs for children 0-5. He is a Distinguished Professor in the Schools of Medicine and Public Health at UCLA.

Nationally, he has chaired the HHS Secretary's expert advisory group on the 2020 Healthy People Project and currently chairs the U.S. Community Preventive Services Task Force. Dr. Fielding is Editor of the Annual Review of Public Health and on the Board of the American Legacy Foundation. He is a Presidential appointee to the national Advisory Group on Prevention, Health Promotion, and Integrative and Public Health. He is an elected member of the Institute of Medicine.

Dr. Fielding has authored over 300 original articles, commentaries and editorials on public health topics. He received medical, public health and history of science degrees from Harvard University and an MBA from the Wharton School of Business.