

## **Thomas F. Patterson, MD, FACP, FIDSA**



Dr. Thomas F. Patterson received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Baylor University, in Waco, Texas and his Medical Doctor from the University of Texas Medical School at Houston, Texas. He completed his internship and residency at Vanderbilt University Medical School, in Nashville, Tennessee and Yale-New Haven Hospital, and a fellowship in infectious diseases at Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut where he also served as an Assistant Professor of Medicine.

Dr. Patterson joined the faculty at UTHSCA in 1993 currently is a Professor of Medicine and has since 2008 has been Chief, Division of Infectious Diseases and Director of the San Antonio Center for Medical Mycology. He recently was appointed Vice-Chair for

Faculty Development in the Department.

He has extensive experience in invasive fungal infections. His clinical and research interests focus on the diagnosis and treatment of fungal diseases particularly in immunocompromised hosts. He has been involved in developing new antifungal drugs and in clinical trials of new antifungal compounds. He has been extensively funded by NIH and industry for grants and contracts on drug and diagnostic development since his arrival to the HSC.

Dr. Patterson has published and lectured extensively on fungal infections with over 300 peer reviewed publications, chapters, books and reviews. He has served as member of the American Board of Internal Medicine, Subspecialty Committee for Infectious Diseases and is a Fellow of the American College of Physicians and the Infectious Diseases Society of America, Past-President of the Texas Infectious Disease Society, and immediate past-President, International Immunocompromised Host Society.