



## Michael Frederich, MD

Dr. Frederich has more than 35 years experience in palliative medicine and practiced that specialty exclusively full-time for twenty years prior to coming to Las Cruces in 2010. Dr. Frederich currently practices as a family physician with Rio Grande Medical Group, is an assistant professor at Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine, Medical Director with Mountain View Palliative Care, and Medical Director of Hospice of the Southwest. He is one of the founding members of the Academy of Hospice Physicians and served on the Board of Directors of the American

Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine.

### **Medical School and Family Medicine Residency:**

- University of Missouri School of Medicine, Columbia, Missouri

### **Certificate of Added Qualifications:**

- Hospice and Palliative Medicine

### **Fellow:**

- American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine

### **Services Include:**

- Complex symptom management  
Eg. dyspnea, nausea and vomiting
- Complex pain management  
Eg. neuropathic pain
- Chronic disease management  
Eg. CHF, COPD
- Patient and family conferences  
Eg. goals of care, advance care planning, conflict resolution
- Interdisciplinary care  
Eg. suffering, psychosocial and spiritual issues