



Our MDO Training Team

Dr. Robert Kadlec

Dr. Kadlec spent 26 years as a career officer and physician in the U.S. Air Force, including time spent detailed to CIA, where he assisted in targeting foreign bioweapons programs. In the White House Homeland Security Council, Dr. Kadlec was Director for Biodefense and Special Assistant to President George W. Bush for Biodefense Policy from 2007 to 2009. Dr. Kadlec was Deputy Staff Director for the U.S. Senate Select Committee on Intelligence and from 2017 to 2021 was Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, an office within Health and Human Services. In January 2018, Dr. Kadlec testified to the U.S. Congress that the US was dangerously unprepared for a pandemic.