



**At Large Board Member: Wayne Mathews, MS, PA-C, DFAAPA**

Wayne has been as certified Physician Assistant for 41 years, both clinically active and academically active as a PA program faculty, currently at the rank of Associate Professor at University of Nebraska Medical Center. He earned a Master of Public Health Epidemiology and Biostatistics at the University of Illinois. In addition to 25 years of clinical practice in Emergency Medicine, he earned a Certificate of Added Qualification in Emergency Medicine. He was Director of a critical access Emergency Department at Kirby Hospital in Monticello, Illinois from 1994 to 2011. He has also practiced in Family Medicine, Occupational Medicine and Urgent Care. Wayne has served as an expert witness for 30 years, both for plaintiff and defense. He currently holds Nebraska and Kansas licenses. Wayne is active as a volunteer peer support counselor in the Kansas City VA system.