



Biography

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Mr. Chris Rheney is the Assistant Surgeon General for Resources, Infrastructure, and Strategy for the Office of the Surgeon General (OTSG) and Deputy Chief of Staff G-8/9, U.S. Army Medical Command. He serves as a key staff advisor to The Surgeon General for all policies, procedures and management related to healthcare resourcing, manpower, facilities management, program analysis and evaluation, and strategy management for Army Medicine. Mr. Rheney provides management oversight for the planning, programming, budgeting and execution of the Army Medicine budget of over \$7B; the manpower management of over 69,000 healthcare personnel; the finance and accounting operations for over \$60B in assets; integration of facilities life-cycle management for Army Medical facilities; and the enterprise analytics, modeling, systems optimization, and business strategy in support of Army Medicine's mission. The G-8/9 is a critical enabler in providing resources and infrastructure for sustained health services and research in support of the Total Force in order to enable readiness and to conserve the fighting strength while caring for our Soldiers and their families.

Career Chronology:

- May 2020 – Present: Deputy Chief of Staff for Resources, Infrastructure, and Strategy (G-8/9), US Army MEDCOM/OTSG, JBSA, San Antonio, TX
- 2019 – 2020: Acting Deputy Chief of Staff for Resources, Infrastructure, and Strategy (G-8/9), US Army MEDCOM/OTSG, JBSA, San Antonio, TX
- 2018 – 2019: Deputy G-8 and Chief, Program & Budget, US Army MEDCOM/OTSG, JBSA, San Antonio, TX
- 2015 – 2017: Budget Officer and Chief, Budget Execution, US Army MEDCOM/OTSG, JBSA, San Antonio, TX
- 2014 – 2015: Associate Chief Operating Officer, Mission Trail Baptist Hospital, Tenet Healthcare, San Antonio, TX
- 2013 – 2014: Chief, Cost Management Analysis and Partnerships Division, G8, US Army MEDCOM, JBSA, San Antonio, TX
- 2011 – 2013: Commander, Vilseck Health Clinic, Bavaria, Germany
- 2009 – 2011: Chief Operating Officer, Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, Ft. Belvoir, VA
- 2007 – 2009: Chief Financial Officer, DeWitt Army Community Hospital, Ft. Belvoir, VA
- 2004 – 2007: Chief Financial Officer and Chief Business Operations Division, Keller Army Community Hospital, West Point, NY
- 2003 – 2004: Budget Officer, Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. Sam Houston, TX
- 1993 – 2003: Army Medical Department Center & School, Officer Basic Course Instructor and TOE Assignments to include 1st Infantry Division, Germany, 168th Medical Battalion, Korea and 24th Infantry Division, Ft. Stewart, GA.

Education / Certifications:

- MHA, Baylor University
- MBA, University of Texas at San Antonio
- BS, Biology, Wheaton College
- Command and General Staff College
- Combined Logistics Officer Advanced Course
- Medical Logistics Course
- AMEDD Officer Basic Course
- Fellow, American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE)
- Certified Defense Financial Manager (CDFM)
- Department of Defense Financial Management Certification, Level 3 (DODFMC3)

Awards / Honors:

- Legion of Merit (1 Oak Leaf)
- Order of Military Medical Merit (O2M3)
- Executive Board, South San Antonio Chamber of Commerce
- 2017 MEDCOM HQ Employee of the Year
- German Sportsmanship Badge (Gold)
- Expert Field Medical Badge
- Parachutist Badge
- Air Assault Badge