

## Department of Veterans Affairs Office of Inspector General

## NICHOLAS (NICK) DAHL DEPUTY ASSISTANT INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR AUDITS AND EVALUATIONS U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Mr. Dahl was appointed as the Deputy Assistant Inspector General for the Office of Audits and Evaluations, Field Operations, in October 2016. As the Deputy Assistant Inspector General for Field Operations, he is currently responsible for leading, directing, and monitoring eleven regional field offices. These divisions are geographically dispersed and represent a workforce



of approximately 150 auditors, management analysts, contract specialists, and information technology specialists.

Mr. Dahl provides oversight of the OIG's independent audits and evaluations of VA's activities in order to ensure the integrity of its programs and operations. His work products report on current performance and accountability of such diverse areas as healthcare, financial management, information technology, procurement, major and minor construction, and identification of potential fraud in VA programs. During his VA OIG career, he has successfully played a leadership role on projects that have received national attention, such as the review of state variances in VA disability compensation payments, issues related to the loss of VA information involving the identity of millions of veterans, mismanagement of VA conferences, and the misuse of position by two senior VBA officials.

Mr. Dahl began his Federal career in 1989 and previously served as the Director of the Bedford Audit Operations Division for over 10 years. He earned a Master of Business Administration degree from Rivier University in Nashua, NH and a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree from the University of New Hampshire in Durham, NH.

Mr. Dahl is a Certified Government Auditing Professional and a Certified Fraud Examiner. He also completed the Federal Executive Institute's Leadership for a Democratic Society course. He is married and has three children.