



The ***Office of the Assistant Under Secretary for Health for Operations (15)*** is pleased to announce the detail of ***Dr. Lisa Arfons***, as Acting Deputy to the Executive Director for Access effective March 9, 2021.

Dr. Arfons' prior role in the Office of Veterans Access to Care was as a Senior Medical Advisor facilitating and managing national initiatives to improve Veterans access to care. Dr. Arfons received her Doctor of Medicine degree from Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland, OH. She completed her residency and chief residency in Internal Medicine and fellowship in Hematology and Medical Oncology at University Hospitals Case Medical Center in Cleveland, OH. Upon completion of her fellowship she joined the Cleveland VAMC as a staff physician. She then served as the Chief of the Hematology/Oncology Section until joining OVAC in 2018. Dr. Arfons is certified with the American Board of Internal Medicine for Internal Medicine, Hematology and Medical Oncology.