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Dr Knebl has been a faculty member at UNTHSC since 1988 and established the Center for Older Adults that provides clinical care and services to older adults throughout the continuum of care within an ambulatory geriatrics clinic, house calls, assisted living and nursing facilities. She has specialized in care of persons with dementia diagnosis and support for their caregivers. Dr Knebl is the Medical Director for the JWest Dementia Care Center and also the Stayton at Museum Way's skilled nursing, assisted living and memory care facilities.

She has been involved in medical student, resident and health professions student geriatrics education and the developer of innovative models of service-learning programs such as the Seniors Assisting in Geriatrics Education where health profession students participate in assessments on older adult volunteers in their homes. She was appointed to the MAEMSA Board of Directors by Mayor Betsy Price in fall of 2017 and currently the Chairman since 2021. Dr Knebl is passionate about in home care and the mobile health care and emergency services that the MedStar team members provide to the older adults in the community.