## Acting Principal Executive Director Office of Acquisition, Logistics and Construction

## Philip W. Christy

Philip Christy is the Acting Principal Executive Director, Office of Acquisition, Logistics, and Construction. He was appointed to this position in March 2018 and oversees the Office of Acquisition and Logistics, the Office of Procurement, Acquisition and Logistics and the Office of Construction and Facilities Management, and serves as the Department's Chief Acquisition Officer.

As the advisor to the Deputy Secretary on acquisition, logistics, and construction issues he directs the development of policies, determines priorities, and establishes organizational goals and objectives for the acquisition and logistics, and construction and facilities management organizations. His responsibilities include overseeing Department-wide acquisition, contracting, contract administration, supply-chain processes, and the planning, design and construction of major facilities for VA.

Mr. Christy is a retired U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel, and he served in multiple senior acquisition, construction and logistics positions during his 20-year career, Mr. Christy is a native of Renton, Washington. He holds an Executive Juris Doctorate in Health Law from the Concord University of Law, a Master of Science in Health Care Administration from Central Michigan University, and a Bachelor of Arts in Spanish and Business from Washington State University. Mr. Christy also holds professional status as a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE), Certified Federal Contracts Manager (CFCM), Certified Materials and Resource Professional (CMRP), and as a Project Management Professional (PMP). Additionally, Mr. Christy holds Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act Level III Certifications in Program Management and Contracting.