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Michael H. Davidson, MD, is Professor of Medicine and Director of the Lipid Clinic at the University of Chicago. Dr. Davidson earned his medical degree from The Ohio State University College of Medicine in Columbus. He then completed his residency and fellowship in cardiology at Rush University Medical Center in Chicago.

An active researcher, Dr. Davidson's clinical research background encompasses both pharmaceutical and nutritional clinical trials. His extensive research on statins, novel lipid-lowering drugs, and non-pharmacologic risk factor reduction has established him as a key opinion leader in this area. A prolific author and lecturer on lipid disorders, nutrition, and atherosclerosis, Professor Davidson has coordinated more than 1,000 clinical trials in areas of preventive cardiology and published more than 350 articles for leading medical journals and has written 3 books on Lipidology.

Dr. Davidson is board-certified in internal medicine, cardiology, and clinical lipidology. He was President (2010-2011) of the National Lipid Association. Expertscape ranks Professor Davidson one of the top five lipid experts in the world; he has been named one of the *The Best Doctors in America* for the past 12 years and was named Father of the Year by the American Diabetes Association in 2010.