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******Dr. Albert Owens, leading oncologist, to visit campus as Gifford-Hill Visiting Professor of Medicine.*

DALLAS--Dr. Albert H. Owens Jr., director of the Oncology Center and professor of Oncology and Medicine at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, will visit The University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas the week of Feb. 16 as the 14th annual Gifford-Hill Visiting Professor of Medicine. He will present the Gifford-Hill lecture on "Myeloma Nephropathy" at Internal Medicine Grand Rounds on Thursday, Feb. 19, at 11 a.m. in Room D1.502 on the health science center campus.

The Gifford-Hill lectureship, which brings a distinguished medical scholar to the campus for one week each year, is made possible by a grant to the center's Department of Internal Medicine by the Gifford-Hill companies.

A leading specialist in the field of oncology, Dr. Owens is physician-in-charge of the Oncology Clinic and associate physician-in-charge of the Medical Clinic at the Johns Hopkins Hospital. He is also associate physician-in-chief of Medical Service Oncology for the Baltimore city hospitals.

The author of numerous publications on metabolism and oncology, Dr. Owens is a consultant for the National Cancer Institute and is president-elect of the Association of American Cancer Institutes. He is also president-elect of the Maryland Division of the American Cancer Society and chairman of its Research Grants Committee.

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A member of the Cancer Special Program Advisory Committee of the National Cancer Institute, he is on the boards of directors for the Harford County Unit and Maryland Division of the American Cancer Society. He is a part of the Medical Oncology Committee of the American Board of Internal Medicine and on the board of directors of the American Society of Clinical Oncology, Inc.

He is currently on the editorial boards for the Year Book Medical Publishers, Inc., and the Williams & Wilkins Company.

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