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Richard J. Gray, M.D., is CEO of Mayo Clinic in Arizona, the No. 1 hospital in the state as ranked by U.S. News & World Report for eleven consecutive years. Dr. Gray works with Roshanak Didehban, chief administrative officer, to provide leadership, define and implement Mayo Clinic's strategic plan and expand Mayo Clinic's position as the transformational health care leader in Arizona and the Southwest.

Prior to being appointed CEO in 2019, Dr. Gray worked as a surgical oncologist, specializing in treating patients with breast cancer, melanoma and sarcoma. He served as chair of the Mayo Clinic Cancer Center in Arizona, chair of Mayo Clinic's Breast Specialty Council and vice chair of the Department of Surgery in Arizona.

Dr. Gray is a professor of surgery at Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science and served as program director of the General Surgery Residency program for ten years. Dr. Gray was selected as Mayo Clinic Distinguished Educator of the Year in 2013, and he has published more than 160 research manuscripts.

Dr. Gray attended Lake Superior State University and earned his medical degree from the College of Human Medicine at Michigan State University.