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His primary focus throughout his professional career has been on surgical education, gastrointestinal surgery, and caring for patients with complex nutritional issues. He has won numerous teaching awards and continues to mentor young physicians and investigators and publish. He is the author of over 250 publications, including peer reviewed articles, review articles, chapters, several medical educational videos, as well as being the coeditor of a textbook dealing with surgical and critical care nutrition. His research interests include clinical academic surgery, abdominal wall reconstruction, surgical metabolism, and nutritional modulation of the immunity.

Dr. Martindale is on numerous professional committees at the local, national, and international level. He is on the editorial board for several surgical and nutritional journals, as well as an editorial reviewer for over 15 peer reviewed journals.

Upon completing his Army commitment, he joined the faculty at the Medical College of Georgia, where he held many distinguished positions, including Chief, of General Surgery Service at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Augusta, Georgia, Director of Nutrition Support Service at the Medical College of Georgia, and Chief of the Division of Gastrointestinal Surgery at the Medical College of Georgia. While at the Medical College of Georgia, Dr. Martindale also served as the Surgical Residency Program Director for several years.

In 2005, Dr. Martindale moved to Portland, Oregon, and began his tenure at Oregon Health & Science University, where he is currently a Professor of Surgery and the Chief of the Division of General Surgery. He also serves as the Medical Director for Hospital Nutrition Services.