***Business Beat: Dr. Brett Kettelhut, Allergy, Asthma and Immunology Associates***

Ridges resident Dr. Brett Kettelhut, MD was raised in Ralston, Nebraska and has resided in West Omaha for the past 11 years. He completed his undergraduate studies at the University of Nebraska Omaha; his graduate degree at the University of Missouri; and he studied medicine at the University Nebraska College of Medicine in Omaha, Nebraska. Dr. Kettelhut completed a Pediatric Internship/Residency program at Children’s Hospital Medical Center in Cincinnati, Ohio and an Allergy/Immunology Fellowship (Adult & Pediatric) at the National of Health in Bethesda, Maryland.

His family includes his wife, Valeriya, who works in the transplant center at for the University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC). Together, the Kettelhuts have three children. Their son Vlad will attend Arizona State University this fall; their daughter Aaron is a freshman at Hanover College; and Erika is graduating from Xavier University.

Dr. Kettelhut is a practicing physician and he partners with Drs. Roger Kobayashi, MD and James Tracy at Allergy, Asthma and Immunology Associates in the Lakeside Hills Plaza in West Omaha. With many years of experience, this clinic provides relief to both children and adults, with allergy. Asthma and recurrent sinus infections that are not well controlled with oral medications.

While his practice and family keep him busy, Dr. Kettelhut also enjoys music and fishing. Additionally, he serves as a volunteer faculty member at both UNMC and Creighton University.

Dr. Kettelhut has multiple Board Certifications and has had numerous awards and accomplishments in his career, including authoring countless articles in medical journals. He is a member of the Joint Council of Allergy and Immunology, the Nebraska Medical Association; and a previous President for the Nebraska Allergy Asthma and Immunology.

When questioned about why he chose his current professional position, Dr. Kettelhut states “My interest in medicine began with my pediatrician, while my interest in allergy was due to my own allergies.”

One unique difference in Dr. Kettelhut’s practice is that he is “board certified in pediatrics, allergy/asthma and diagnostic immunology.” Caring for both children and adults allows for all family members to be treated within one facility and with one care provider who can coordinate the care for all family members with allergies as well as asthma.

Location and phone for the clinic are:

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