



FALL MEETING
OCTOBER 16 – 18, 2024

Sheraton Grand Nashville
Nashville, TN

*We are Proud to Announce our Confirmed Speakers
for Our Fall Roundtable:*

Ceci Connolly, President & CEO, Alliance of Community Health Plans (ACHP) – As a highly regarded Washington insider and one of the nation’s most respected thought leaders on the managed care industry, Ceci Connolly will share her insights and perspectives on current issues and challenges with the Medicare Advantage program. In addition, she will share observations on the impact of recently adopted, as well as pending, CMS rules and regulations on MA and how they will impact both health plans and hospitals.

Todd Roscoe, President & CEO Roscoe Managed Care – Based on his broad experience as a managed care contracting experience for organizations such as SCP Health, Tenet Healthcare, Amedisys, and CIGNA, Todd Roscoe will present a high-level discussion on the state of managed care contracting in general, and Medicare Advantage in particular. He will share strategies for ways that both physicians and hospitals can optimize payer relationships while improving reimbursement. He will also discuss recommendations, based on his personal experience with negotiating on behalf of both payors and providers, on ways that hospitals and physician organizations can build the expertise needed for successful managed care contracting.

Michael McMillan, Senior Vice President & Chief Managed Care Officer, Ascension Health and Jeff Price, Vice President, Value Based Contracting and Population Health, Ascension Health - Calling upon each of their varied experiences at organizations such as the Cleveland Clinic, Valent Health, Cancer Treatment Centers of America, NewHealth Collaborative ACO and Summa Health System, Michael McMillan and Jeff Price will jointly present on both successful and unsuccessful strategies they have witnessed when contracting with Medicare Advantage plans and national payors. They will also share observations and lessons learned about Value Based contracting and Population health initiatives based on their experience with value-based contracting at Ascension Health. Finally, they will share their thoughts, observations and recommended general strategies for contracting with large national MA plans both currently and in the future.

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Blair Childs, President & CEO, Childs and Associates, LLC; Senior Executive Advocacy Advisor, Premier – A frequent CEO Healthcare Roundtable speaker, Blair Childs will again share his *View From Washington*. Blair will present a deep dive into the policy outlook and activities in Washington which are driving the current and future direction of Medicare Advantage and the impact these policies and rules will have on payor contracting for our member organizations. He will also present an insider's view on the likely focus on healthcare issues and impact on our healthcare system depending upon the outcome of the upcoming November elections.

Samantha Platzke, President & CEO, Care Logistics – Using current client case study and other examples, CEO Healthcare Roundtable Corporate Member, Samantha Platzke, will share some of the innovative, unique and comprehensive operational solutions that Care logistics is implementing to help hospitals improve patient flow, operational efficiency and financial performance.

Friday Innovation Session

Ron Rerko, Director of Healthcare & Life Sciences, ONIX, will once again coordinate and facilitate our Friday morning **Innovation Session** which will continue our focus on Artificial Intelligence (AI) and the impact on care delivery and hospital operations for both current and future AI products and applications. In addition, based on his recent work with some of the nation's leading technology companies, Ron will be sharing observations and insights on the current state of cybersecurity and ways that hackers are targeting hospitals and physician organizations. Ron will facilitate the presentations during the Friday Innovation Session.

Dr. Ryan Vega, Chief Health Officer, Vantiq, and former Chief Innovation Officer, Veteran's Administration - Dr. Vega will share his experience with investigating and integrating AI into many areas, including quality improvement, throughout the entire VA system. He will also discuss his new role as Chief Health Officer at Vantiq, a company which is using Generative AI to convert real-time data into actionable intelligence and solutions for hospitals, physicians and other healthcare organizations.

Angela Adams, President & CEO, InfloHealth – CEO Healthcare Roundtable member Angela Adams, who has been actively involved in leadership roles with three AI start-ups, will share lessons learned on ways to successfully implement AI across the health system both clinically and operationally. She will also share pitfalls to avoid when evaluating and implementing AI based services and applications within a hospital or health system.

For more information or to make reservations, please contact Marty Hauser at Marty.Hauser@CEOAdvisoryNetwork.com