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Joseph Lamantia  Chief of Operations for Population Health, Stony Brook Medicine

Joseph Lamantia is responsible for spearheading Stony Brook Medicine’s quest to become a national leader in the area of population health management and in meeting the goals of the New York State Medicaid Redesign program. Additionally, his oversight will include Stony Brook Medicine’s goal to achieve the status as an accountable care organization, which is a healthcare environment that would ensure delivery of effective preventive primary healthcare to all residents of Suffolk County.

Prior to joining Stony Brook, Lamantia served as an Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at South Nassau Communities Hospital for the past seven years. While at the 435-bed hospital, his operational leadership included strategic planning, oversight of daily operations, quality management and direction for programmatic growth. Lamantia worked for North Shore Long Island Jewish Health System for approximately 16 years in multiple capacities, including Executive Director for Franklin Hospital and Associate Executive Director for Plainview Hospital. Lamantia also worked as a manager for Ernst & Young’s national healthcare consulting practice for roughly 3 years.

Michael J. Edbauer, DO, MBA Chief Clinical Officer for Catholic Health and Chief Medical Officer for Catholic Medical Partners, IPA (CMP) in Buffalo, NY.

He is responsible for system wide care management and integration between Catholic Health and CMP and was integral in developing an ACO model for CMP/CHS. In addition to his years of experience in medical management and health care consulting, Dr. Edbauer is a board certified pediatrician maintaining clinical responsibilities.

Stephen Rosenthal  President and COO for, CMO The Care Management Company, LLC (CMO), a wholly owned for-profit subsidiary of Montefiore Medical Center, in addition to his role as Senior Vice President, Population Health Management for Montefiore’s Integrated Delivery System. Mr. Rosenthal has been a leader in the development of programs and initiatives in Care Management interventions. These programs for frail and vulnerable populations have supported the growth of Montefiore’s Integrated Delivery System, its 3,600 physicians, primary care network of over 500 providers, Home Health Agency, Rehabilitation Facility and seven Acute Care Hospitals. Mr. Rosenthal as Vice President of Montefoire’s Professional Services, developed, and managed Montefoire’s Faculty Practice of over 1,000 physicians. Prior to that he developed over a half a million square feet of ambulatory practice programs and maintains an active role and currently Chairs the implementation of Montefiore’s Ambulatory Clinical Information Systems, network wide. Mr. Rosenthal also spent a number of years practicing as a Clinical Audiologist.

Dr. Tucker Slingerland  is a family physician at Hudson Headwaters Health Network where he is lead provider at the Moreau Family Health and Fort-Edward-Kingsbury health centers. Dr. Slingerland has been deeply involved in Hudson Headwaters’ transformation to the Patient-Centered Medical Home model. As co-leader of the Patient Centered Medical Home Workgroup, Dr. Slingerland meets with other physicians and nurse leaders to design and implement the “nuts and bolts” practice changes that are occurring at Hudson Headwaters. In addition, Dr. Slingerland is a member of Adirondack Medical Home Governance Committee as well as the Board of Managers for Adirondacks Accountable Care Organization. In these roles he is actively engaged in ongoing provider-insurer negotiations as well as planning for future population health based models of providing care to patients living in the Adirondack region and surrounding communities.

Dr. Slingerland joined Hudson Headwaters Health Network in 2008 after completing a family medicine residency at the University of Vermont in Burlington, Vermont. Originally from Johnstown, NY, Dr. Slingerland attended Williams College and St. George’s School of Medicine. As part of his primary care practice at Hudson Headwaters, Dr. Slingerland provides clinical instruction to third-year Albany Medical School clerkships and is working to help establish a family medicine residency program based in Glens Falls. In 2014, Dr. Slingerland joined Hudson Headwater’s leadership team as Vice President of Strategy.

Douglas Fish  joined the NY State Department of Health in January, 2015, as a Medical Director in the Division of Program Development and Management, the Office of Health Insurance Programs. He has been actively engaged in the early, Implementation Phase of New York’s DSRIP program. Prior to DOH, Doug worked at Albany Medical College for 21 years in the Department of Medicine, and was the Medical Director of the Division of HIV Medicine and AMC’s Designated AIDS Center from 1998 until January 2015. In that capacity, he oversaw the primary care, out-patient, co-located HIV services; in-patient HIV care; correctional Infectious Diseases healthcare; the HIV Quality Improvement program; a clinical research program for HIV and hepatitis; and HRSA-funded educational programs to update healthcare workers on the topics of HIV and hepatitis C. He is Board Certified in both Internal Medicine and Infectious Diseases, and maintains his affiliation with Albany Medical College as an Associate Professor of Medicine, participating in the Infectious Diseases’ weekend call rotation.

John A. Collins, MD, FACP  Dr. John Collins has worked as a practicing General Internist and a Medical Leader responsible for diverse Care Delivery venues. During 18 years of clinical practice, Dr. Collins assumed progressive administrative responsibility as Medical Director for a Massachusetts-based nine site multispecialty Medical Group working under a global budget.
Moving to the Capital District of New York State, Dr. Collins spent several years as Chief Medical Officer for a prominent not-for-profit regional Health Plan. Subsequently, he moved to an Integrated Delivery System where as CMO his duties included Hospital Medical Director, Behavioral Health oversight, Medical Practice leadership and responsibility for a comprehensive Long Term Care continuum including Senior Housing, Home Care, Skilled Nursing, Acute and Subacute Rehabilitation and Hospice. Following retirement in 2014, Dr. Collins has been interim CMO working with Regional Population Health products in the Capital Region of New York State.

**Linda Lambert, American College of Physicians** is Executive Director of the New York Chapter of the American College of Physicians based in Albany. New York ACP is the largest state specialty society in the country, representing more than 12,000 Internists. Linda is responsible for all management functions of the Chapter and serves as President of its for-profit subsidiary, IM Research and Service Corp. Linda also serves as the Chapter's lobbyist, coordinating all government relations activities, public policy initiatives and the activities of the Chapter’s 16 local districts. Prior to that Linda served Associate Director of the Division of Governmental Affairs for the Medical Society of the State of New York from 1988-1992, and as Director of the Committee for Physicians Health. Prior to affiliation with MSSNY, Linda served as Executive Director of the Orange and Ulster County Medical Societies. In 2013 Linda was awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award from the AMA for “substantial contributions to the goals and ideals of the medical profession”

**Josephine Wu, Advocate Community Partners** received her degree from the University of Southern California, School of Dentistry and completed a residency training program in Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology at Long Island Jewish Medical Center, NY. She maintained an active oral pathology practice in Long Island for over 10 years. In addition, Dr. Wu is admitted to practice law in the state of New York and the United States District Court for the Eastern and Southern Districts. Dr. Wu is a member of the New York State Bar Association’s Health Law Committee. Dr. Wu has worked in the healthcare field for more than 15 years to uniquely understand the needs of the patient and the rapidly changing landscape of the healthcare environment in New York.

**JUNE KEENAN, MS, MPH SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, DELIVERY SYSTEM TRANSFORMATION EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR REGIONAL HEALTHCARE INNOVATION**

As Senior Vice President of Delivery System Transformation and Executive Director, of the Center for Regional Healthcare Innovation, June is responsible for leading the WMCHealth Network’s multiple efforts to accomplish the goals of healthcare transformation under the New York State Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment (DSRIP) program. June has built her career as an innovator in community health and public policy and has lead a number of successful start-up companies and programs including HealthScope United, a management company that secured private venture financing to start several of New York State’s most successful Medicaid Managed Care Plans. June has been a management consultant to some of the largest hospitals and health systems in the metropolitan New York City region and also served as Senior Vice President for Community Health and Public Policy for the North Shore-LIJ Health System, where she founded Activity Works, a nationally deployed physical fitness and kinetic learning program designed to combat childhood obesity.

**Brenda L. Maynor, MS, RN, LNC**

Brenda is the interim Vice President of Clinical Integration for the Alliance for Better Health Care, LLC, where she oversees the planning and implementation of eleven projects over a six-county service area in the Capital Region and Mohawk Valley. She is also Administrator of Care Coordination at St. Mary’s Healthcare, a 100-bed not-for-profit hospital, an adjunct nursing instructor for first year nursing students at Fulton-Montgomery Community College and a veteran of the US Air Force. Brenda is a registered nurse and legal nurse consultant and holds an MS in nursing education from Sage Graduate School in Troy, NY. She is a member of the Mohawk Valley Nurses Association and serves on the boards of the Community Health Center in Johnstown as well as the Mohawk Hudson Area Health Education Center.

**Katherine (Kathy) G. Alonge-Coons LCSW-R** serves as the Commissioner of Mental Health in Rensselaer County. She was appointed to serve as the Commissioner in January 2013 after working in the Rensselaer County Department of Mental Health since 1987, where she worked as: the Director of Children’s Services, Intensive Case Manager for Children and Youth; and a clinician in the children’s outpatient clinic. In her capacity as the Director of Children’s Services, Kathy took on the role of Director of Program Operations for the county operated Mental Health services, which included oversight of: the Department’s Management Information System Unit and the launching of electronic health records; corporate compliance program development and implementation, as well as directed services of case management and outpatient clinic services. Kathy has been active in the development of the Capital Region Health Connections Health Home. Kathy serves as the Chair of the Conference’s Child and Family Subcommittee. She serves on the Board of Managers for the Alliance for Better Health Care PPS. Kathy is an Episcopal priest and is Vicar at Grace Church in Waterford, NY.

**Al Hammonds** is the Executive Director of Millennium Collaborative Care. He previously served as Chief Operating Officer at the Community Health Center of Buffalo, a federally qualified health center that provides primary care, dental and behavioral health services. Prior to CHCB, Al was the University at Buffalo’s assistant director of outreach for the Office of Economic Development.
Hammonds previously served as Deputy County Executive and was also a senior project director at the Center for Industrial Effectiveness at the University at Buffalo. A certified Six Sigma Black Belt practitioner, he also served as an adjunct professor for the Empire State College FORUM Management Program. A graduate of Purdue University with a degree in industrial management and industrial engineering, he also graduated from the UCLA/Johnson & Johnson Health Care Executive Management Program.

**Dr. Gale Burstein** is the Erie County Commissioner of Health and a Clinical Professor of Pediatrics at the SUNY at Buffalo School Medicine. Dr. Burstein attended SUNY at Buffalo School of Medicine; completed a pediatric residency at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio; received Adolescent Medicine fellowship training at the University of Maryland; completed an STD Prevention fellowship and a Master's in Public Health at John's Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland; and worked on adolescent sexual health programs and policy as a Medical Officer at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Dr. Burstein is currently working on Erie County strategies to expand sexual health care services access; improve naloxone availability to prevent opioid overdose deaths; and to foster Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis use by high-risk persons to prevent HIV infection. Dr. Burstein is also an active member of the New York State Ending the AIDS Epidemic Task Force. Dr. Burstein has been published in scientific journals, including JAMA, Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Clinical Infectious Diseases, and MMWR.

**Marc Berg** leads KPMG’s national Government Health Care Transformation group, and is Global Center of Excellence member for Value-Based Contracting, Outcome Measurement and Payment Reform. He currently leads the DSRIIP Support Team work for the State of New York, and has supported the development of the NYS Medicaid Value Based Payment Roadmap. He is a former Professor of Health Policy and Management.

David L. Cohen, M.D., M.Sc. is the Executive Vice President for Clinical Affairs and Affiliates at Maimonides Medical Center. Dr. Cohen received his B.A. and M.D. degrees from the University of Pennsylvania and a M.Sc. in Epidemiology and Health from McGill University where he was a Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar. After completing his fellowship, he joined the faculty of Case Western Reserve University where he was appointed Chief of the Division of General Internal Medicine at Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital. In that position he helped to develop the “firm system” as a model for patient care, clinical education, and health services research. He subsequently served as Director of Ambulatory Care and Associate Dean for Graduate Medical Education at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York, Vice President for Medical Operations for the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation, Deputy Dean for Clinical Affairs at the City University of New York Sophie Davis Medical School, and Medical Director at Bellevue Hospital Center before joining the staff at Maimonides.

**Virna Little** is a Senior Vice President with the Institute for Family Health, the largest community health center network in New York State. Dr. Little also speaks and teaches nationally on topics around integrated care and development of behavioral health services in community health settings.

**Judith A. Feld, MD, MPH, MMM, DFAPA Medical Director, Population Management and Provider Engagement**

Dr. Feld has served in the Medical Director's Department at Independent Health for the past six years and is currently leading initiatives in the integration of behavioral health into the medical home model.

Dr. Feld has more than 20 years of experience in clinical practice and built the largest private psychiatric group practice in Western New York. She earned a Masters in Medical Management at the University Of Southern California Marshall School Of Business, a Masters in Public Health from the State University of New York at Buffalo, and her Doctor of Medicine from the University Of Pennsylvania School Of Medicine. She completed her residency in psychiatry at George Washington University in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Feld is a Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association, a past president of the Western New York District Branch of the American Psychiatric Association and is a Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Dr. David Flomenhaft is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with a doctoral degree in Clinical Social Work from New York University. He has 30 years of professional experience. As Director of Mercy Medical Center Outpatient Behavior Healthcare Services he manages clinical operations and administrative services for NYS Licensed Mental Health Clinic, Partial Hospital Program, and Chemical Dependency Clinic. The clinic has received grants in 2011 from NYSOMH Geriatric Mental Health Act to established co-located primary care services. In 2013 the agency in conjunction with SAIL received a grant from NYS OASAS to establish Permanently Supported Housing for substance dependent adults.

**Chip Barnes** is the Medicaid Analytics Performance Portal (MAPP) Program Manager. In this capacity, Chip serves as the project manager overseeing the coordination of the various technology vendors building the MAPP solution. Chip is a Healthcare Practice Area Manager with New York State Technology Enterprise Corporation (NYSTEC), a not-for-profit consulting firm, involved with various technology initiatives with the NYS Department of Health. In addition to project management, NYSTEC provides quality assurance for the MAPP technology projects.

**Mary-Sara Jones** is a Health and Human Services Subject Matter Expert in IBM’s Government Center of Competence (CoC). She provides strategic direction to government organizations developing and delivering approaches to improve services and optimize outcomes. With the introduction of the Affordable Care Act, Ms. Jones has focused on proactive approaches to address vulnerable populations through improving collaboration and access to information across health and social care programs.
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Susan Lepler is Vice President for Salient HHS and leads Salient’s engagements with NYS DOH and the Medicaid stakeholder community. Susan is responsible for understanding the business and information needs of Salient clients and ensuring that Salient software products and services enable improved performance. Since joining Salient in 2007, Susan has been leading the implementation of Salient’s NYS Medicaid Enterprise System to meet NYS DOH’s goal of providing unprecedented data access to manage the Medicaid program and priority Medicaid Redesign Team initiatives. Susan has 30 years of experience working with and for government to improve the quality, efficiency, and effectiveness of health and human services. She was a Director at the Center for Governmental Research, co-founder of Meridian Consulting Services, and held a variety of New York State government policy and budget positions. She holds an MSW and MPA from Syracuse University and a BA from Cornell University.

Matthew Sorrentino is a Manager with Public Consulting Group, Inc. and has 13+ years of experience in assisting Medicaid state agencies, local units of government, and healthcare providers in providing healthcare financial management services. Mr. Sorrentino is a Medicaid policy and reimbursement expert and has worked with states across the country to perform and implement delivery system and payment transformation efforts. Furthermore, Mr. Sorrentino has spearheaded the development and deployment of web-based applications in order to automate and streamline Medicaid reporting requirements.

Todd Ellis, DHA, is a KPMG Managing Director with 15 years’ experience in the payor and provider sectors. Certified in several managed care and clinical applications, his strengths include understanding large scale IT transformation, ARRA meaningful use standards, computerized provider order entry (CPOE), IT/IS program management, project management, provider configuration, sales, system testing, HIPAA assessments/implementations, meeting facilitation and business process design. He has developed, directed, and delivered a broad range of consulting engagements focusing on fiscal, operational and clinical optimization. He is skilled in client relationship management, clinician engagement, project planning and management, and team leading and facilitation.

Dr. Kallanna Manjunath, MD, CPE serves as Secretary and Director at Healthcare Information Xchange of New York (HIXNY). Dr. Manjunath serves as Chief Medical Officer of Whitney M. Young Jr., Health Centers. Dr. Manjunath, who in addition to his duties as Chief Medical Officer is also one of Whitney Young’s staff pediatricians, completed his medical training at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore, India, and was trained in pediatrics at Blackburn and Burnley Hospitals in the United Kingdom. In 1991, he joined St. Peter’s Hospital Ambulatory Care Network as a staff pediatrician and seven years later assumed the role of the Medical Director for the network. In 2002, Dr. Manjunath joined the Whitney Young staff in the positions he currently holds. He is also Fellow of American Academy of Pediatrics and Diplomate of the American Board of Pediatrics. He completed his pediatric residency training at Albany Medical College, Albany, NY, where he served as Chief Resident from 1986 to 1988. After completing the residency training program, Dr. Manjunath worked as a staff pediatrician at Albany Medical Center.

Jon Dionisio is the Director of Information Technology at ACP.

Lara Kassel is the Coordinator of Medicaid Matters New York (MMNY), a statewide coalition of over 140 organizations representing the interests of New Yorkers served by the Medicaid program. In her role as Coordinator, Ms. Kassel organizes all of the activities of this diverse coalition, which works to ensure that Medicaid consumer interests are included, understood and met in any and all discussions on Medicaid in New York. She was a member of the Health Reform Advisory Panel and the original Medicaid Redesign Team, and in January 2015, she was appointed to the DSRIP Project Approval and Oversight Panel. Ms. Kassel has been recognized by peer organizations for her role as an effective consumer advocate, including the Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Association and Health Care for All New York. Prior to joining MMNY, she served as legislative staff to Assembly Health Committee Chair Richard Gottfried for nearly seven years, working on a wide range of health issues.

Joseph A. Stankaitis, MD, MPH is the Chief Medical Officer of YourCare Health Plan in Western New York and the Monroe Plan for Medical Care, a healthcare management organization in Rochester, New York. He is a Fellow of the American College of Physicians and the American College of Physician Executives and Clinical Associate Professor of Family Medicine at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry. He is an active reviewer and past Chair of the Review Oversight Committee for the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) and is the President of American Diabetes Association (ADA) Rochester Volunteer Leadership Board, currently serving as a member of the ADA’s National Professional Practice Committee. Dr. Joe Stankaitis received a bachelor’s degree in biology from Boston College, his MD from the University Of Connecticut School Of Medicine and completed his residency and chief residency in the Primary Care Program in Internal Medicine at the University of Rochester. As a Kellogg Foundation Fellow at Harvard University, he received a Master’s degree in Health Policy and Management.

Sharen I. Duke, MPH Executive Director/CEO ASCNYC

Sharen I. Duke is the founding Executive Director/CEO of ASCNYC (AIDS Service Center/Allied Service Center), a pioneering HIV service organization founded in 1990. Under her leadership, ASCNYC has grown from a three-person agency into one of New York City’s premier multiservice community organizations. Each year, ASCNYC’s comprehensive services enable more than 14,000 New Yorkers to make positive changes toward health, housing, recovery and self-sufficiency.
Amy Boutwell, M.D., M.P.P., founded Collaborative Healthcare Strategies to pursue work aligned with the opportunities created by the Affordable Care Act, the CMS Center for Innovation and the Partnership for Patients, specifically with the goal of engaging thousands of communities across the nation to work across settings and sectors to improve healthcare delivery. With the creation of Collaborative Healthcare Strategies, Dr. Boutwell works at the intersection of all best practices and approaches to improve care transitions, without exclusive adherence to one particular model – taking the best from what is known to be effective, practical and efficient in improving care transitions. Dr. Boutwell is the co-founder of the STAAR (State Action on Avoidable Rehospitalizations) Initiative of the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI). Since 2008, Dr. Boutwell has been deeply immersed in the clinical, operational, policy, payment and political aspects of approaches to reduce avoidable rehospitalizations and improve care transitions. The STAAR initiative currently engages over 150 hospitals in four states, over 500 community providers through “cross-continuum teams” and over 75 state-level public and private-sector leadership entities through state steering committees. In her former role as the co-principal investigator of the $5 million STAAR grant at IHI, Dr. Boutwell was responsible for the state strategy, policy, clinical integrity and thought leadership for the program. As a result of her work, Dr. Boutwell has served as an expert panelist or advisor to CMS, the National Governor’s Association, and the Academy Health State Quality Improvement Institute.

Dr. Boutwell serves as a senior physician consultant to the National Coordinating Center for the CMS QIO Care Transitions Theme and is thus engaged in community-based care transitions mobilization efforts in all 50 states. Additionally, Dr. Boutwell is co-leading an AHRQ-funded effort to test and adapt best practices to improve transitions to ensure applicability to the Medicaid/safety-net population. Dr. Boutwell was a founding board member of the Long Term Quality Alliance, and co-chaired the development of the Long Term Quality Alliance’s Innovative Communities Initiative. She is an active advisor to health systems in the United Kingdom and the United States on designing and/or updating strategies to improve care across settings and reduce avoidable rehospitalizations.

Dr. Boutwell is a graduate of Stanford University, Brown University School of Medicine and the Harvard Kennedy School of Government, where she received a master’s degree in public policy and the Robert F. Kennedy Award for Excellence in Public Service. Dr. Boutwell is a practicing physician at Newton-Wellesley Hospital, attends on the medicine teaching service at Massachusetts General Hospital and is an Instructor in medicine at Harvard Medical School.

Michael J. Gatto, MPA, CMPE, EMTCC is the Vice President of Administration/Transitions of Care at Nassau University Medical Center (NUMC) and the Senior Hub Leader for the Nassau-Queens PPS (NQP). He has dedicated much of his career toward population health management and the safety net environment in support of care coordination. He has led many successful initiatives including Level III NCQA Patient Centered Medical Home (PCMH) designation, grant/outreach center of excellence and key service line initiatives emphasizing the coordination and continuity of care.

The integration of Nurse Case Management, Social Work and the Care Coach has made the Transition of Care program at Nassau University Medical Center a model for effective population health/self-management while ensuring the reduction of avoidable hospital admissions.

Bonnie Mohan has worked in non-profit and international development for over ten years, with particular expertise in the intersection and integration of health care and housing services for vulnerable populations. Bonnie has worked as a program developer at BronxWorks and at Bronx Lebanon Hospital Center, where she served as the Assistant Director of the Bronx Health Home during its implementation. In 2011, Bonnie helped found and is now the Director of the Bronx Health & Housing Consortium, a collaborative network of health, housing, government and community organizations in the Bronx, which organized to develop practical approaches to serving people with complex health and housing needs.

Dr Adriana Matiz is an Associate Professor of Pediatrics at Columbia University Medical Center. She is also the medical director of the New York Presbyterian Community Health Worker and Patient Navigator program. She developed and directed the original WIN for Asthma program, a nationally recognized CHW program to strengthen community-wide asthma management for children in N. Manhattan. More recently she has worked on expanding the CHW model to adult conditions and children with special health care needs in an effort to decrease health disparities and to expand the delivery of culturally competent care.

Patricia Peretz, MPH is the Manager of Community Health and Evaluation at NewYork Presbyterian Hospital where, for the last 8 years, she has worked alongside health care providers, program staff, and community partners to design, implement, and evaluate community health initiatives aimed at reducing the burden of chronic illness in the local community. In this capacity, Patricia leads the peer-based community health worker and emergency department-based patient navigator programs designed to improve the health and well-being of patients and their caregivers through culturally sensitive education, on-going support, and links to clinical and social resources. In addition, Patricia leads multiple evaluation and strategic planning initiatives. Prior to this role, Patricia worked at the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene where she refined and evaluated strategies to improve the delivery of care for children with special needs and where she conducted research on the prevalence of overweight and obesity amongst low-income, preschool aged children in New York City. Patricia is a graduate of the Mailman School of Public Health at Columbia University.
Joey Marie Horton is the Executive Director of the North Country Family Health Center, a Federally Qualified Health Center serving Jefferson and Lewis Counties of Northern New York. Prior to joining the Health Center, Joey Marie held the position of Deputy Director of Fort Drum Regional Health Planning Organization (FDRHPO). Joey Marie has a Master's of Business Administration in Health Services Management and a Bachelor of Arts Honors degree in Psychology and Health Studies.

Mary Zelazny is the CEO of Finger Lakes Community Health, a rural FQHC in upstate New York. During Mary’s tenure, Finger Lakes’ has opened 7 additional health center sites, as well as expanding FLCH’s Migrant Voucher Program into 42 counties of NYS. As the leader of an organization with PCMH Level III recognition, Mary has promoted the incorporation of a high level of cultural competency of staff, as well as integrating care coordination and technology into primary care that has created new collaborative relationships. This effort has resulted in expanded access for patients by addressing the many barriers to care that are inherent in rural communities of New York State.

Hope Plavin, M.P.H., is the Director of the Division of Quality and Patient Safety at the NYS DOH, of which she oversees policies and programs driving high quality care. She is currently leading NYS’s development of the State Health Innovation Plan that seeks to achieve the Triple Aim, including the Advanced Primary Care model. Ms. Plavin holds degrees from SUNY Stony Brook, and Rockefeller College of SUNY at Albany, in Economics, and Public Administration, respectively.

Marietta Angelotti, MD, is the Associate Medical Director of the Office of Quality & Patient Safety in the NYS DOH, and a Medical Director of IPRO. She provides clinical and policy consultation for DOH teams that include Patient-centered Medical Homes, and Advanced Primary Care initiatives. Dr. Angelotti was trained in Family Medicine at MCP/Hahnemann University, Philadelphia, and is certified by the American Board of Family Physicians.

Arthur A. Gianelli is President of Mount Sinai St. Luke’s, part of the Mount Sinai Health System. He served since 2006 as President and Chief Executive Officer of NuHealth (the Nassau Health Care Corporation), a publicly run healthcare delivery system that provides high-quality care to Nassau County’s most vulnerable populations and offers first-rate training to hundreds of medical professionals. He also served as the organization's Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer. Prior to joining NuHealth, Mr. Gianelli held senior executive positions over a 10-year period for two Long Island municipalities. He was Deputy County Executive for Budget and Finance for Nassau County, and Director of Operations for the Town of North Hempstead. He has served or currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Long Island Association, Island Harvest, and Regional Policy Board 2 of the American Hospital Association. He also serves on the Executive Committees of Healthfirst and America’s Essential Hospitals (formerly the National Association of Public Hospitals and Health Systems).

Father Frawley is the President and CEO of Fidelis Care, where he has worked since 1996. Having first served as its Chief Operating Officer, he has led Fidelis Care’s expansion from its licensure in 10 zip codes in Brooklyn into all 62 counties of the State, with a special focus of service to the poor and medically underserved. Prior to Fidelis Care, Father Frawley was the Associate Executive Director of Mary Immaculate Hospital in Jamaica, NY and also was Vice Chair of the Board of St. Vincent Catholic Medical Center. In the social service arena, he is a Corporate Member and a Director of the Board of Catholic Charities of Brooklyn and Queens.

Eileen F. Wood, RPh, MBA Vice President, Clinical Integration and Chief Pharmacy Officer Capital District Physicians’ Health Plan, Inc. (CDPHP®)
With more than 30 years of experience as a pharmacist and health care industry leader, Eileen Wood plays an integral role in the CDPHP mission of providing greater access to high-quality, affordable health care. Eileen joined CDPHP in 2005 and currently serves as vice president of clinical integration and chief pharmacy officer. Eileen is focused on moving the company’s Enhanced Primary Care initiative, a patient-centered medical home model, toward achieving the Triple Aim and delivering health care value to stakeholders. In her role, she also is responsible for the pharmacy benefit, clinical pharmacy programs, health care performance management, and quality management teams. Eileen began her career in an independent community pharmacy practice, and her experience includes progressive hospital pharmacy and management experience in oncology, surgery, laboratory, cardio-pulmonary, medical imaging, and other clinical services management.

Ms. Patricia Wang, also known as Pat, J.D, has been Chief Executive Officer of Healthfirst Inc. since March 2008 and served as its President. Ms. Wang serves as the Chief Executive Officer of Managed Health, Inc. She joined Healthfirst in March 2008. She has an extensive experience in New York's healthcare system. She served over 16 years as a Senior Vice President at the Greater New York Hospital Association (GNYHA), a 300-member trade association.