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Welcome! With the 2016 election behind us, we now must prepare for some new turns, twists, and a few swerves in the path ahead for American health care.

We don't know the details yet, but based on President-elect Donald Trump's pledge to "repeal and replace" Obamacare, and considering recommendations from GOP leaders over the past few years, we can sketch out a few of the broad principles of change ahead. These include:

- New kinds of subsidies for families to afford health insurance, likely tax credits;
- Elimination of the mandate for employer and individual purchase of health insurance;
- More state control over Medicaid benefits and eligibility;
- A phase-out of many or all state-based insurance marketplaces;
- Expansion and enhancement of health savings accounts as a tax-protected tool for consumers;
- Curtailment of certain regulations on health insurance, such as minimum benefits packages and rules against products that cross state lines;
- Maintenance of certain popular regulations, including laws forbidding insurance companies from discriminating against people with pre-existing conditions and requiring them to cover adult children up to age 26.

Three key principles are central to The Leapfrog Group's agenda in this new environment.

First, Leapfrog will continue to serve as the premier national voice for health care transparency, including transparency of quality, safety, and pricing information that consumers and purchasers need to make informed choices about health care. The leadership of our colleague organizations, like the National Quality Forum (NQF) and the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA), has been instrumental in advancing science and stakeholder consensus around measurement, allowing for valid comparisons among providers and plans as never before.

Still, important indicators of quality and cost-effectiveness remain largely unavailable, requiring the Leapfrog Hospital Survey, among other tools, to collect and report information critical to decision-making. The Leapfrog Board has also committed to ratings beyond the inpatient hospital setting in the future, beginning with outpatient surgery and ambulatory surgical centers.

Second, Leapfrog will advocate value-based purchasing, by CMS as well as the private sector. Programs under the Affordable Care Act calibrated Medicare payment for hospitals toward progress on readmissions, hospital-acquired conditions, and patient experience, and these have resulted in real and sustained progress in addressing longstanding quality problems. These payment programs originated with the Bush Administration, when Republicans championed value-based payment reform. We are confident the momentum will continue with the new GOP administration.

Payment reform by CMS coincides with parallel efforts by employers and other purchasers, as well as health plans, to tie payment to excellence, such as tiered networks, bundled payments, reference pricing, and other bold strategies that navigate away from the failed fee-for-service model. In addition to supporting many payors in using Leapfrog data as part of payment strategies, this year we unveiled the Leapfrog Value Based Purchasing Platform. The platform allows payors to scale payment to hospitals based on a composite of performance on the entire Leapfrog Hospital Survey. The Platform will be a focus of our support for regional and national purchaser campaigns for reform.

Third, Leapfrog will continue to make patient safety a national priority. When patients are in harm's way, even the most innovative and well-funded policy and payment strategies are doomed. An infection or an error nullifies the value of virtually any service, ruins well-designed tiered networks or ACOs, and dramatically inflates prices. A hospital's patient safety record also reveals critical aspects of its performance that should always be at the center: the extent to which the needs of patients come first, the dignity with which patients are treated, and the system-wide effectiveness of leadership, management, and clinical staff.

Given the paramount importance of patient safety, Leapfrog will continue to invest in accelerating the growth of the Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade, which in only four years has emerged as the one and only independent source of safety ratings for American hospitals, with thousands of media outlets covering our grade updates every six months. Our Safety Grades are a critical tool for consumers in selecting a hospital, for purchasers in structuring innovative purchasing strategies, and for hospital leaders inspiring change.

We look forward to navigating the path ahead in 2017 with all of you, our members and friends. Today we begin plotting the journey together. Let's find a shared destiny that makes a difference for all Americans.

Thank you for your support.



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2016 Annual Meeting Agenda

December 6, 2016 | Marriot Marquis Washington, DC

1:30 pm

Welcome

Laurel Pickering, Board Chair, The Leapfrog Group

1:35 pm

Leapfrog: The Year in Review & The Year Ahead

Leah Binder, President and CEO, The Leapfrog Group

2:05 pm

Welcome Keynote

ePatient Dave, Author and Patient Engagement Advocate

2:50 pm

Break

3:15 pm

Passing the Baton: A Political Roundup

Pat Mastors, Patients' View Institute, Moderator

- Elisabeth Rosenthal, Kaiser Health News
- Dan Diamond, POLITICO
- Melanie Evans, Wall Street Journal
- Betsy McCaughey, author and former New York Lieutenant Governor

4:30 pm

100 Years of Flight: Honoring the Boeing Company

Laurel Pickering, Board Chair, The Leapfrog Group

Leah Binder, President and CEO, The Leapfrog Group

4:45 pm

Patients' View Impact Awards

Pat Mastors, Executive Director and Co-Founder, Patients' View Institute

Leah Binder, President and CEO, The Leapfrog Group

5:00 pm

Closing Keynote

Neel Shah, Assistant Professor, Harvard Medical School, Associate Faculty, Ariadne Labs for Health Systems Innovation

5:45 pm

Closing Remarks and Announcement of 2017 Bruce Bradley Fellows

Leah Binder, President and CEO, The Leapfrog Group

Cristie Travis, Board Member, The Leapfrog Group

6:00 pm

Cocktail Reception

7:00 pm

Top Hospitals Dinner and Awards Ceremony



Bruce Bradley Fellowship



The Bruce Bradley Fellowship is a year-long education and training program sponsored by The Leapfrog Group for corporate-health professionals who want to take an active role in steering employees and their families to safer, higher-quality

hospitals and health systems. Fellows will become recognized leaders, facilitating and promoting employers' selection of higher-quality, safer hospitals and health systems locally, regionally and nationally.

The Fellowship is named for Bruce E. Bradley, who was a founding member and past chair of The Leapfrog Group Board of Directors. Highly regarded for the knowledge, energy and commitment he brought to Leapfrog, Bruce has spent most of his career working to promote health care quality improvement, including his efforts in developing and using the Health Employer Data and Information Set (HEDIS), performance measurement and accountability processes.

“Employers, both public and private, working together can provide a powerful and constructive force in driving improvement in patient safety, quality, cost and population health through transparency combined with incentives and support. With more employers engaged using consistent measures and expectations these efforts will achieve a higher level of success. I hope the fellowship will play a valuable role.”

-Bruce Bradley

Thank You To Our 2016 Fellows!

Lorrie Marquis

Michelle Probert

General Dynamics - Bath Iron Works

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And congratulations to our incoming 2017 Fellows!

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Wendy Wooden

Honorable Mention:

Roberta Carson

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Maine Health Management Coalition
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Nevada Business Group on Health
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New Jersey Health Care Quality Institute
Northeast Business Group on Health
Pacific Business Group on Health
South Carolina Business Coalition on Health
St Louis Area Business Health Coalition
The Alliance
The Economic Alliance for Michigan
Virginia Business Coalition on Health
WellOK, the Northeastern Oklahoma Business Coalition on Health
Wyoming Business Coalition on Health

Experts

Under the guidance of the nation's leading quality and patient safety experts, Leapfrog continually advances its two hospital ratings programs: the Leapfrog Hospital Survey and the Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade. The measures included in these initiatives are predicated on the latest science and harmonized with other national reporting entities.

Leapfrog could not do its work without the dedication of its passionate, volunteer Expert Panelists. We thank them for their work in ensuring that Leapfrog remains the leading independent voice for health care transparency.

Leapfrog Expert Panelists

Jennifer Bailit	Tejal Gandhi	Christina Michalek
Anne Bane	Valerie J. Gooder	Arnold Milstein
David W. Bates	Kimberly D. Gregory	Peter Pronovost
Debra Bingham	Richard J. Holden	Patrick Romano
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Jeffrey Ecker	Elliott K. Main	Marisa L. Wilson
Jane Dee Englebright	Matthew D. McHugh	

Partners

Increased transparency and an aggressive push for value are changing health care as we know it. Leapfrog partners with organizations that share our vision for better health care, so that together, we can build a legacy for all Americans of the safest, highest-quality health care in the world.

The Partners Advisory Committee has helped Leapfrog grow our campaign to reduce early elective deliveries, introduce critical new measures to the Leapfrog Hospital Survey, pilot a new system of validating our data, and much more.

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2016 Annual Meeting Speakers



Dave deBronkart, known on the internet as e-Patient Dave, is the author of the highly rated *Let Patients Help: A Patient Engagement Handbook* and one of the world's leading advocates for patient engagement. After beating stage IV kidney cancer in 2007 he became a blogger, health policy advisor and international keynote speaker. He is today the best-known spokesman for the patient engagement movement and has also testified in Washington for patient access to the medical record. A co-founder and chair emeritus of the Society for Participatory Medicine, e-Patient Dave has appeared in many news outlets and medical journals.

Dave's TED Talk *Let Patients Help* went viral, and for years was in the top half of the most viewed TED Talks of all time with over a half million views. In 2012 the National Library of Medicine announced that it's capturing his blog in its History of Medicine Division, and he was the Mayo Clinic's 2015 Visiting Professor in Internal Medicine.



Dr. Neel Shah, MD, MPP is an Assistant Professor at Harvard Medical School, and associate faculty at the Ariadne Labs for Health Systems Innovation. He is an expert in designing, testing, and spreading system interventions that improve the safety, affordability, and experience of patient care and a practicing OB-Gyn at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

Prior to joining the faculty, Dr. Shah founded *Costs of Care*, a global NGO that curates insights from clinicians to help delivery systems provide better care at lower cost. He has been profiled by the *New York Times*, CNN, the *New England Journal of Medicine*, and other outlets for his efforts to demonstrate how over-treatment can harm patients.

In 2015, Dr. Shah co-authored the book *Understanding Value-Based Healthcare*, which Don Berwick has called "an instant classic" and Atul Gawande called "a masterful primer for all clinicians."



Dan Diamond is the author of "POLITICO Pulse," the must-read morning briefing on health care politics and policy. He's also the creator of PULSE CHECK, the popular podcast that features weekly conversations with some of the most interesting and influential people in health care.

Before joining POLITICO, Diamond edited the Advisory Board Daily Briefing, served as the Advisory Board's senior director of news and communications and created and hosted the popular Weekly Briefing health care podcast. He also covered health care policy, business, and strategy for FORBES. His work has appeared at Vox, Kaiser Health News and other publications.

Diamond is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and has been a guest on NPR, BBC, NBC Nightly News, the Dan Patrick Show, KQED's "Forum" and other programs. He was recently named a 2015-2016 fellow of the Association of Health Care Journalists.



Melanie Evans is the hospital reporter for The Wall Street Journal. Previously, she was the New York bureau chief at Modern Healthcare, a weekly magazine covering U.S. healthcare business and policy. She began her career at the Duluth (Minn.) News Tribune, where she covered healthcare and nonprofits.



Betsy McCaughey, former Lt. Governor of New York State, is the author of the New York Times bestseller, *Beating Obamacare*, and its sequel, *Beating Obamacare 2014*. McCaughey is also a syndicated columnist and weekly columnist for the New York Post, where she has strongly endorsed Donald Trump's policy positions.

In 2004, McCaughey founded and is now Chairman of the Committee to Reduce Infection Deaths (also known as RID), a nationwide educational campaign to stop hospital-acquired infections. RID has won legislation in over 34 states for public reporting of infection rates.

Betsy McCaughey is the author of over three hundred scholarly and popular articles. She has taught at Vassar College and Columbia University, and produced prize-winning studies at the Manhattan Institute and later the Hudson Institute. She is currently a senior fellow at the London Center for Policy Research.



Elisabeth Rosenthal joined Kaiser Health News in September 2016 after 22 years as a correspondent at the New York Times, where she covered a variety of beats from healthcare to environment to reporter in the Beijing bureau. While in China she covered SARs, bird flu and the emergence of HIV/AIDS in rural areas. Libby's two-year-long New York Times series "Paying Till it Hurts" (2013-14) won many prizes for both health reporting and its creative use of digital tools. Her book "An American Sickness: How Healthcare became Big Business and How You Can Take it Back" is being published by Penguin Random House in April 2017. She is a graduate of Stanford University and Harvard Medical School and briefly practiced medicine in a New York City emergency room before converting to journalism.



Pat Masters is Executive Director and Co-Founder of the Patients' View Institute (GoPVI.org), a nonprofit dedicated to gathering, supporting and amplifying the patient voice in healthcare. PVI's unique approach combines the power of patient stories with the power of data to provide unprecedented, actionable insight into what patients want, need, and have the right to expect.

Pat serves as a voice for patients' perspective for many national organizations including NQF and the Partnership for Patients. An award-winning broadcast journalist prior to her work in patient engagement, she worked successfully to pass two patient safety laws in her home state of Rhode Island, developed a patented bedside tool to empower patients to have better experiences, and is author of a critically acclaimed book on how the health care industry can better partner with patients to drive positive change in health care.

2016

TOP HOSPITALS

Serving as examples to their peers of how a dedication to transparency and the quest for excellence can lead to improved care for patients.

Since 2006, Leapfrog has recognized the highest performing hospitals on the Leapfrog Hospital Survey with its prestigious Top Hospital award.

Over the last ten years, hundreds of hospitals have been named a Leapfrog Top Hospital, with many achieving the accolade several years in a row. Top Hospitals have better systems in place to prevent medication errors, higher quality on maternity care and high-risk procedures, and lower readmission rates.

The award is not given to a set number of hospitals, but rather, to all hospitals that meet the high standards defined in each year's Top Hospitals Methodology. Top Hospitals are recognized in four categories: Top Children's Hospital, Top General Hospital, Top Rural Hospital, and Top Teaching Hospital.

Leapfrog congratulates the 2016 Top Hospitals and commends these facilities for their commitment to patient safety and quality!



TOP TEACHING HOSPITALS

CALIFORNIA

Kaiser Foundation Hospital - Fremont
Kaiser Foundation Hospital - Vacaville
Kaiser Foundation Hospital - Roseville
Kaiser Permanente Foundation Hospital,
Downey Medical Center
Kaiser Foundation Hospital - Vallejo
Eisenhower Medical Center
Kaiser Foundation Hospital - San Francisco
California Pacific Medical Center - California Campus
Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Orange County - Irvine
Kaiser Permanente Fontana Medical Center
Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Orange County - Anaheim
Loma Linda University Surgical Hospital

COLORADO

Saint Joseph Hospital

FLORIDA

Orlando Health Winnie Palmer Hospital
for Women and Babies

ILLINOIS

University of Chicago Medical Center
Rush-Copley Medical Center
Presence Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center

LOUISIANA

Tulane Lakeside Hospital

MICHIGAN

Metro Health Hospital
University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers

MISSOURI

SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital - St. Louis

NEW JERSEY

Morristown Medical Center
Saint Barnabas Medical Center
Virtua Voorhees Hospital

OREGON

Providence Portland Medical Center

RHODE ISLAND

Rhode Island Hospital

SOUTH CAROLINA

Greenville Memorial Hospital

VIRGINIA

Virginia Hospital Center - Arlington
Health System

WASHINGTON

Virginia Mason Medical Center

ARIZONA

Page Hospital

CALIFORNIA

Mark Twain Medical Center

COLORADO

Colorado Plains Medical Center

ILLINOIS

Richland Memorial Hospital

KENTUCKY

Manchester Memorial Hospital

MAINE

Stephens Memorial Hospital

Pen Bay Medical Center

Charles A. Dean Memorial Hospital

Bridgton Hospital

Mayo Regional Hospital

Sebasticook Valley Health

LincolnHealth

MICHIGAN

MidMichigan Medical Center - Gladwin

Spectrum Health Gerber Memorial

Spectrum Health Reed City Hospital

OHIO

Ohio Health - Marion General Hospital

Ohio Health Shelby Hospital

TENNESSEE

Milan General Hospital

TEXAS

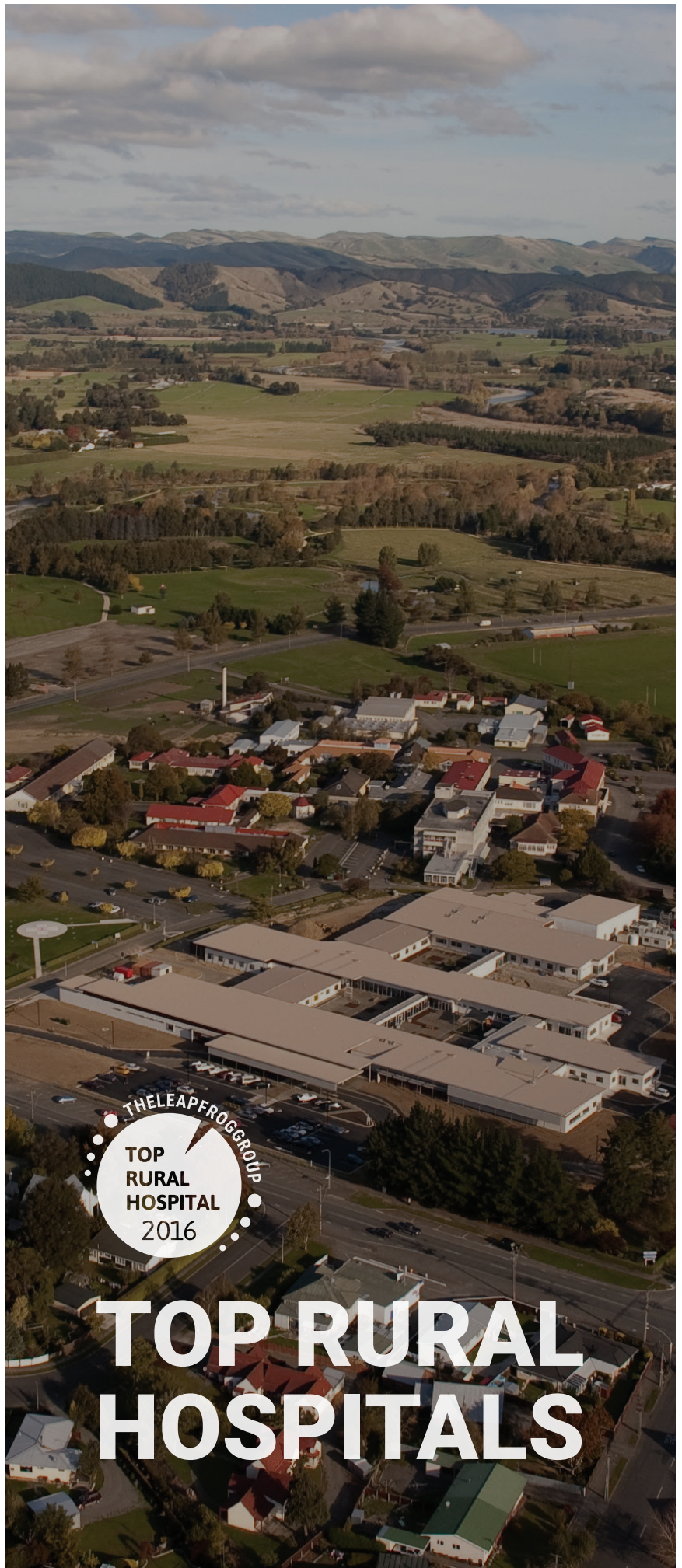
Pampa Regional Medical Center

WISCONSIN

Beaver Dam Community Hospitals, Inc.

WYOMING

Torrington Community Hospitals





TOP CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS

"Leapfrog Top Hospitals are a shining example of the safe, high quality care that all patients deserve when they visit a hospital."

Laurel Pickering

*Chair, Leapfrog Board of Directors and
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CALIFORNIA

Children's Hospital of Orange County

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Children's National Health System

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ILLINOIS

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OHIO

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

Nationwide Children's Hospital

TENNESSEE

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ARIZONA

Banner Heart Hospital

CALIFORNIA

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Natividad Medical Center

Kaiser Permanente Panorama City Medical Center

Dominican Hospital

Marin General Hospital

Sutter Maternity & Surgery Center of Santa Cruz

Kaiser Foundation Hospital - Baldwin Park Medical Center

Kaiser Permanente Ontario Medical Center

GEORGIA

Wellstar Douglas Hospital

ILLINOIS

Elmhurst Memorial Hospital

OSF St. Joseph Medical Center

AMITA Health St. Alexius Medical Center
Hoffman Estates

Rush Oak Park Hospital

Northwestern Medicine Delnor Hospital

INDIANA

Parkview Regional Medical Center

The Women's Hospital



GENERAL HOSPITALS

COLORADO

Medical Center of Aurora

FLORIDA

Florida Hospital North Pinellas

Florida Hospital Waterman

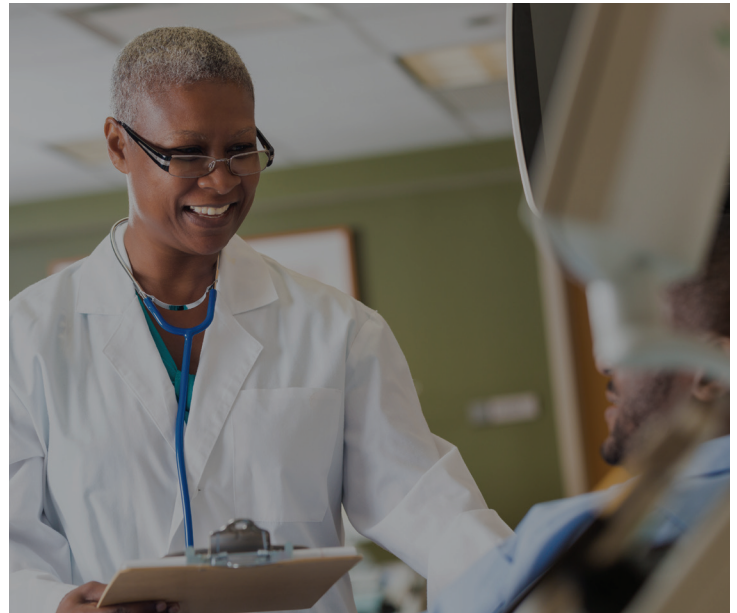
Fort Walton Beach Medical Center

Florida Hospital Fish Memorial

Cape Coral Hospital

Northwest Medical Center

Orlando Health South Seminole Hospital



“It takes leadership, teamwork,
and absolute dedication to
patients to achieve this award.”

Leah Binder

President and CEO, Leapfrog Group



LOUISIANA

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MASSACHUSETTS

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Holy Name Medical Center
Shore Medical Center
Kennedy University Hospital - Stratford

NEW YORK

Catholic Health - Kenmore Mercy Hospital

OHIO

Grady Memorial Hospital
Dublin Methodist Hospital

OREGON

Kaiser Sunnyside Medical Center

PENNSYLVANIA

Pinnacle Health West Shore Hospital
Grand View Health
Doylestown Hospital

TEXAS

Medical City Lewisville
Dallas Regional Medical Center
Medical City McKinney
Las Palmas Medical Center

UTAH

Lone Peak Hospital
Salt Lake Regional Medical Center

VIRGINIA

Bon Secours St. Mary's Hospital of Richmond
Henrico Doctors' Hospital
Retreat Doctors' Hospital
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WISCONSIN

Bellin Memorial Hospital







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John Engler, President
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In Memoriam: Reva Winkler, MD, MPH

Dr. Reva Winkler was a senior director for quality measurement at the National Quality Forum who led the NQF's first perinatal project. As a result of her expertise in perinatal measurement and quality improvement, Reva was invited and served as a valued member of The Leapfrog Group's Maternity Care Expert Panel from 2014 until her unexpected passing on September 24, 2016. During her tenure on Leapfrog's Maternity Care Expert Panel, Reva helped to shepherd through the addition of NTSV Cesarean Section Measure to the Leapfrog Hospital Survey, resulting in the first ever national publication of cesarean rates by hospital.

The Leapfrog Group, our board and members, along with the Maternity Care Expert Panel, thank Dr. Winkler for her commitment to improving the safety and quality of healthcare for patients and families.

Leapfrog Champions

HCA salutes each one of our hospitals receiving 2016 Top Hospital recognition and the work they do each day to advance our mission. "Above all else, we are committed to the care and improvement of human life.

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Las Palmas Medical Center

Medical City Lewisville

Medical City McKinney

Northwest Medical Center

Parham Doctors' Hospital

Retreat Doctors' Hospital

Tulane Lakeside Hospital

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We're transforming health care by creating innovative payment models across the country. These models encourage quality, affordable care and the best customer experience. We focus on providers who are committed to payment strategies based on value, not volume.

We continue to educate our employees, members and providers about Leapfrog and its Hospital Safety Grade program.

Northeast Business Group on Health is proud to support The Leapfrog Group and its critical mission to drive giant leaps forward in the quality and safety of American health care. We salute its leadership in building a transparency movement. Congratulations to Boeing on 100 years of aerospace innovation. Boeing's constant pursuit of employee health and excellence in the healthcare system is a model for employers nationwide.

Resources From The Leapfrog Group

Find a Safer Hospital

Use our consumer-friendly letter grade system to find a safer hospital in your community. We have lots of patient resources to help you stay safe in the hospital.

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