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Dr. Thomas McInerny is Professor of Pediatrics and Associate Chair of Clinical Affairs in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Rochester Medical Center. He is a graduate of Dartmouth and Harvard Medical schools and received his pediatric training at Cincinnati and Boston Children's Hospitals. Over the past 38 years, he has authored or co-authored over 30 articles and is Editor-in-Chief of the *American Academy of Pediatrics' Textbook of Pediatric Care* and Pediatric Care Online. He has been a member of the American Academy of Pediatrics' Steering Committee on Quality Improvement and Management for three years.

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Vice President, Clinical Policy, American College of Physicians Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dr. Amir Qaseem is Vice President of Clinical Policy and the Center for Evidence Reviews at the American College of Physicians (ACP). He is responsible for leading the ACP's evidence-based medicine and clinical practice guidelines program, one of the oldest programs in the United States, including writing of the clinical guidelines. Dr. Qaseem is also in charge of directing the ACP's Physician Performance Measurement Committee. He chairs the High Value Care Task Force evaluating and publishing the benefits, harms and costs of various overused, misused, and underused diagnostic tests, and therapeutic interventions. His work includes the development and implementation of ACP's quality improvement and educational programs.

Committee Members

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Senior Director, Health Equity Research & Policy, Association of American Medical Colleges Washington, District of Columbia

Dr. Philip M. Alberti, PhD, is the Senior Director of Health Equity Research and Policy at the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) where he supports efforts of academic medical centers to build an evidence-base of programs, protocols, policies, and partnerships effective at eliminating inequities in health and healthcare. Dr. Alberti trained as a psychiatric epidemiologist with a research focus on inequities in mental health service utilization, and prior to joining AAMC, led research, evaluation, and planning efforts for a bureau within the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene that

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works to promote health equity between disadvantaged and advantaged neighborhoods.

Jayaram Brindala, MD, MBA, MPH

Chief Medical Officer for Population Health, AdventHealth Maitland, Florida

Dr. Jayaram Brindala serves at AdventHealth as Chief Medical Officer for the Population Health Services Organization. He leads and coordinates value-based care models across the multistate system of 50 hospitals. Dr. Brindala began his career in health policy as Senior Advisor for the Obama Administration and then as Senior Advisor for the Columbia University think- tank, CASAColumbia. Dr. Brindala then transitioned to physician executive roles within integrated healthcare systems, including Highmark Health and the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center. Dr. Brindala is board certified in preventive medicine with medical education and training from the University of Pennsylvania and Stanford University.

Ron Bialek, MPP, CQIA

President, Public Health Foundation Washington, District of Columbia

Ron Bialek is President and CEO of the Public Health Foundation (PHF). Under his leadership, PHF has focused its efforts on developing and implementing innovative strategies for improving performance of public health agencies and systems. Initiatives include developing performance management and quality improvement tools and training for public health professionals; developing the consensus set of Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals through the Council on Linkages Between Academia and Public Health Practice; creating the nation's most comprehensive public health learning management system—TRAIN—linking together 26 states, three tribes, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Veterans Health Administration, the U.S. Medical Reserve Corps, and other organizations; and developing consumer-oriented county health profiles— the Community Health Status Indicators initiative—for all counties in the U.S. Mr. Bialek served as one of the editors and chapter authors for the new book *Solving Population Health Problems Through Collaboration and Public Health Quality Improvement Handbook*.

Gigi Chawla, MD, MHA

Chief of General Pediatrics, Children's Minnesota Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dr. Gigi Chawla is a pediatrician and Hospitalist, Chief of General Pediatrics at Children's Minnesota and Reach Out and Read Minnesota's Medical Director. She has responsibility for the primary care clinics, behavioral health clinics, and rehabilitation services. She is often called upon by the media for her pediatric expertise and is a regular contributor for Minnesota Parent's magazine column and WCCO's television news segment *Ask the Pediatrician*. She is also involved in internal efforts to better integrate primary care with behavioral health and social support services for families as well as through external advocacy, including service on Mayor Hodges' Cradle to K Cabinet and Governor Dayton's Interagency Coordinating Council on Early Childhood Intervention. She's been consistently named to Minneapolis St. Paul Magazine's Top Doctors annual list.

Larry Curley

Executive Director, National Indian Council on Aging Albuquerque, New Mexico

Larry Curley is a member of the Navajo Nation with over 40 years of experience working in the aging and healthcare fields to develop programs affecting elder American Indians. His signature achievement was the successful passage of Title VI of the Older Americans Act. With a master's degree in public administration, Mr. Curley has served as a gerontological planner, nursing home administrator of a tribal, long-term care facility, hospital administrator, college instructor, and assistant dean. Most recently, he has served as the director of program development for the Rehoboth McKinley Christian Health Care Services.

Favio Freyre, MD

Clinical Quality Care and Revenue Cycle Manager, EazyDoc Brooklyn, NY

Dr. Favio H. Freyre graduated from medical school in Argentina where he specialized in aesthetic medicine. He has transitioned his career to healthcare administration and is aiming for a master's degree in the field. He is currently serving as the clinical quality care and revenue cycle manager at a full-service practice management company located in Brooklyn, N.Y. Dr. Freyre is passionate about helping people, and he believes that every individual deserves equitable care and clinical outcomes.

Barry-Lewis Harris, II, MD

Regional Medical Director, Corizon Health Memphis, Tennessee

Dr. Barry-Lewis Harris is a recognized leader with academic acumen and professional expertise in various facets with a demonstrated history of working in the health wellness and fitness industry. He has been responsible for improvements in clinical care delivery, quality metrics, development, health information management with product system go-live implementation, and patient-centered medical home establishment (PCMH). He is skilled in clinical research, medical education, business process improvement, the U.S. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), and relationship building. He is a strong business development professional with a doctor of medicine from East Tennessee State University. He is a caring and compassionate executive that possesses essential experience in leadership, advocacy, health policy, culturally competent medical care, and organizational excellence.

Catherine Hill, DNP, APRN

Chief Nursing Officer/Director of Quality and Clinical Outcomes, Texas Health Resources Frisco, Texas

Dr. Catherine Hill, Nurse Practitioner, became a board-certified gerontologist in August 1994. She cares for seniors in the community and various facilities using evidence-based medicine and nursing techniques. Prior to joining the medical staff at Presbyterian North Village, Dr. Hill provided advanced practice nursing care to patients at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Kaiser Permanente of Texas, and Texas Health Resources. Since 2009, she has also directed patient quality and safety activities for a large north Texas physician group. Dr. Hill has offered advice to many university students learning about elder care through her 12 publications and 33 lectures since 1994. Hill, C. A. (2009).

Amy Nguyen Howell, MD, MBA, FAAFP

Chief Medical Officer, America's Physician Groups Los Angeles, California

Dr. Amy Nguyen Howell is a board-certified family practice physician. She leads the clinical and educational programs as the Chief Medical Officer at America's Physician Groups (APG) and supports the advocacy and leadership pillars of excellence at APG through legislative and networking events throughout the country. Additionally, she contributes to the Measures Application Partnership Clinician Workgroup at the National Quality Forum; Technical Expert Panel (TEP) for the MACRA Measurement Development; TEP for the Medicare Advantage Star Ratings Program ; Steering Committee on the Core Quality Measures Collaborative; Healthcare Payment and Learning Action Network (LAN) Population-Based Payment Work Group; and Population Health Management, Clinical Programs, and Patient-Centered Specialty Practice Advisory Committees at the National Committee for Quality Assurance. By participating on these national committees, Dr. Nguyen offers guidance, structure and strategy around innovation, quality, and technology to risk-based coordinated care delivery models, focusing on payment reform and integrated person-centric care. Dr. Nguyen is an adjunct faculty member at University Southern California (USC) Sol Price School of Public Policy and teaches quality of care for the master's in health administration program and continues to serve as a family physician at Cedars-Sinai Medical Network.

Julia Logan, MD, MPH

Associate Medical Director, California Department of Health Care Services Sacramento, California

Dr. Julia Logan is the Chief Quality Officer at the California Department of Healthcare Services (DHCS), which administers California's Medicaid program, serving 14.5 million Californians. She is responsible for advancing evidence-based policies and serves as a clinical and policy expert for the Medi-Cal program. She is currently working on several national and statewide initiatives in the areas of opioid safety, maternal health, and quality measurement. She is board certified in preventive medicine and family medicine. She continues to practice clinical medicine at Davis Community Clinic, a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) in Davis, CA.

Patricia McKane, DVM, MPH

State MCH Epidemiologist and Director Lifecourse Epidemiology and Genomics, Michigan Department of Health and Human Services Lansing, Michigan

Dr. Patricia McKane is the Senior MCH Epidemiologist with the Michigan Department of Community Health in the Lifecourse Epidemiology and Genomics Division. She is the Primary Investigator for Michigan State's Monitoring Assisted Reproductive Technologies (SMART) collaborative, the coordinator for the State's System Development Initiative Grant and the epidemiologist for Title X Family Planning Program. She has a BS in microbiology, doctor of veterinary medicine—both from Michigan State University—and an MPH from the University of Minnesota. Dr. McKane is currently part of cohort IV of the MCH Public Health Leadership Institute.

Lisa Nichols, MSW

Asst. Vice President, Community Health, Intermountain Healthcare Salt Lake City, UT

Lisa Nichols has 25 years of experience with underserved communities as a CEO of an FQHC and administrator of Title X programs. As the Assistant Vice President of Community Health for Intermountain Healthcare, she leads initiatives to improve mental well-being, preventable diseases, and air quality, along with initiatives to address social needs in collaboration with community partners, health systems, and health plans. She served as adjunct faculty at the University of Utah teaching courses with a focus on underserved populations and policy. She has an MSW from the University of Utah and a healthcare executive program certificate from UCLA.

Patricia Quigley, PhD, APRN, CRRN, FAAN, FAANP, FARN

Associate Director, Nurse Consultant Tampa, FL

Dr. Patricia Quigley's entire career as a rehabilitation nurse spans 45 years, grounded in clinical practice advancing the well-being, functional ability, and quality of life for persons at risk and living with chronic disease, disability, vulnerability, and frailty across settings of care. She has an extensive portfolio of influencing national health policy, evidence-based programs through population-based research, and creation and deployment of national performance measures—predominantly function, safety, and quality of life. As a result of her leadership in patient safety, she was awarded membership to the National Quality Forum (NQF) to serve on the Patient Safety Complications Steering Committee, 2011-14, the Patient Safety Standing Committee, 2014-16, and the Patient Safety Measures Committee, 2016-17, without interruption. Experienced in the scientific rigor and deliberation of the NQF measure selection and renewal criteria, she seeks the opportunity to extend her service to NQF beyond patient safety measures to include prevention and health promotion measures, working with committee members. NQF scientists, and clinicians.

Anita Ravi, MD, MPH, MSHP, FAAFP

Founder & Clinical Director, PurpLE Health Foundation; Ryan Health New York, NY

Dr. Anita Ravi is a family physician and public health scientist who delivers care to underserved communities and patients with complex care needs. Dr. Ravi founded and directed "The PurpLE Clinic," a pioneering primary care clinic for survivors of abuse, violence, and exploitation nested within an FQHC in New York City and is the co-founder/ CEO of PurpLE Health Foundation, which advances healthcare access for gender-based violence survivors. Dr. Ravi regularly writes and speaks at events across the country on how the healthcare system must adapt to address healthcare disparities and needs of underserved communities.

Carol Siebert, OTD, OT/L, FAOTA

Principal/Solo Practitioner, The Home Remedy

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Carol Siebert is an occupational therapist with over 30 years of clinical experience. She is the founder and owner of The Home Remedy, a private practice providing consultative services focused on health and environmental interventions for at-risk populations. As a clinician working in the home environment of patients, she has a unique perspective into population health and the social determinants of health affecting patients. She has utilized her clinical skills to address patient needs in their home environment. In addition, Dr. Siebert has experience serving on committees that address outcome measures related to population health.

Jason Spangler, MD, MPH, FACPM

Executive Director, Medical Policy, Amgen, Inc. Washington, District of Columbia

Dr. Jason M. Spangler is the Executive Director of International Health Policy and Population Health at Amgen, Inc., where he serves as the lead in representing the company on value policy, healthcare quality issues, and engagement with federal payer agencies in the United States. Prior to joining Amgen, Dr. Spangler was the chief medical officer at Partnership for Prevention, a national nonprofit health policy research organization, and a public health and health policy consultant with the Public Health and Policy group at Pfizer Inc. Dr. Spangler is a fellow of the American College of Preventive Medicine (ACPM) and serves as the ACPM's alternate delegate to the American Medical Association. He represents Amgen on multiple councils and committees of both national quality organizations and organizations assessing healthcare value. He also serves on the Advisory Board of the University of Michigan Center for Value-Based Insurance Design.

Rosalyn Carr Stephens, RN, MSN, CCM

Clinical Director, Population Health, AmeriHealth Caritas Washington, District of Columbia

A pediatric nurse practitioner by training, Rosalyn Carr Stephens's 35-year clinical journey has included inpatient, home health, research, care management, and leadership positions working with high risk pediatric, maternity subpopulations and well as adults with chronic physical and behavioral health conditions. As a health care executive with 20 years of health plan operations experience, she is a change agent in aligning clinical operations with bottom line goals. She is data-driven, results-oriented, and experienced in population health best practices which drive quality of care for vulnerable populations in several urban regions.

Matt Stiefel, MPA, MS

Senior Director, Center for Population Health, Care Management Institute, Kaiser Permanente Oakland, California

Matt Stiefel directs the Center for Population Health in Kaiser Permanente's (KP) Care Management Institute (CMI). He was a 2008-09 fellow with the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI), and continues as a faculty member for various IHI initiatives, including 100 Million Healthier Lives. Mr. Stiefel joined KP in 1981 as a medical economist, and later held management positions in KP Northwest, directing planning, marketing, and medical economics. He joined the Care Management Institute as the director of measurement in 1998 and became the associate director of CMI in 2000. Prior to KP, he served as a policy analyst on the Carter Administration Domestic Policy Staff and in the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, and as a local health planner in the San Francisco Bay Area. Mr. Stiefel completed an M.S. in epidemiology from the Harvard School of Public Health in 2013, holds an M.P.A. from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, and a B.A. in psychology from Stanford University.

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Michael Stoto, PhD

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Dr. Michael A. Stoto is a Professor of Health Systems Administration and Population Health and an Adjunct Professor of Biostatistics at Harvard School of Public Health. A statistician, epidemiologist, and health services researcher, his research includes methodological topics in population health assessment and performance measurement as well as substantive topics in public health practice (especially emergency preparedness), the evaluation of public health interventions, infectious disease policy, and ethical issues in research and public health practice. Dr. Stoto received an AB from Princeton and a PhD from Harvard in statistics and is a Fellow of the American Statistical Association.

Arjun Venkatesh, MD, MBA

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Dr. Arjun Venkatesh is an Associate Professor and Chief of the Section of Administration in the Department of Emergency Medicine at Yale University. He is also a Scientist at the Yale Center for Outcomes Research and Evaluation. He has been funded by the National Institutes of Health, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), and the Emergency Medicine Foundation to study health system outcomes and efficiency, and he is supported by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services as Co-Principal Investigator of the Emergency Quality Network (E-QUAL) and for the development of the Overall Hospital Quality Star Ratings. He has received over \$6 million in grant funding and published over 80 peer-reviewed papers. He is the senior editor of The Evidence book series. He is national leader within ACEP and SAEM and he serves on expert panels for the National Quality Forum (NQF), AHRQ and CMS. His work is also funded by the National Institute of Drug Abuse and the Addiction Policy Forum to advance the quality and delivery of emergency and acute care for opioid use disorder.

Renee Walk, MPH

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Renee Walk joined the Department of Employee Trust Funds in 2016 as the Strategic Policy Advisor. In this role, she has led the revision of the health plan quality report card, and has most recently been leading the effort to revise the quality credit applied to health program contracts. Prior to working at ETF, she served as a policy analyst on the Wisconsin Medicaid program, working on physician, dental, and laboratory services coverage, and as a product manager at WEA Trust Insurance Corporation. She received her bachelor's in philosophy in 2006 and her master's in public health in 2012 from UW-Madison.

Ruth Wetta, RN, PhD, MPH, MSN

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Dr. Ruth Wetta is the lead clinical researcher at the Cerner Corporation and an adjunct associate professor at the University of Kansas School of Nursing. She is a registered nurse holding master's degrees in nursing administration and public health. She has PhDs in community psychology and nursing informatics. Her career has spanned more than 40 years, including clinical nursing, quality improvement,

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health services/health behaviors/public health research, and informatics. Her current role is in the application of advanced statistics to registry measures leveraging determinant of health data and facilitating strategy for collection, storage, exchange, and use of determinants of health within the electronic health record.

Whitney Bowman-Zatzkin, MPA, MSR

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Whitney Bowman-Zatzkin is a passionate community architect obsessed with connecting the dots of healthcare to provoke change for the greater good. Born with asthma and allergies, and living with the experience of being an end-of-life caregiver and mom-by-adoption to two girls with chronic conditions, Whitney has participated in global conversations about the voice and value of the patient and caregiver experience. She leverages this knowledge to shape policy, design health systems and clinics, and ignite new passion for change in clinicians and community leaders.