LEADING THE TRANSFORMATION IN HEALTH CARE: How Innovation Drives Change

Speaker Bios

JOHN R. BRUMSTED, MD
John R. Brumsted, MD, is president and CEO of Fletcher Allen Health Care and Fletcher Allen Partners. A 30-year veteran of the organization, Dr. Brumsted has served in many roles at Fletcher Allen, including chief medical officer, chief quality officer and interim CEO.

He also has served as a senior associate dean for Clinical Affairs at the UVM College of Medicine and medical director of The Vermont Health Plan and Vermont Managed Care. He has been a member of the Fletcher Allen medical staff since 1985, and has practiced medicine at Fletcher Allen since 1981 when he began as a resident.

JOHN M. COLMERS
John M. Colmers is vice president of Health Care Transformation and Strategic Planning for Johns Hopkins Medicine. Mr. Colmers works with leaders from the Johns Hopkins Health System, the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and related organizations to develop and implement a strategic plan consistent with the organization’s mission of research, education, and patient care and responsive to the new challenges of health reform and more value-demanding health marketplace.

From 2007 to 2011, John served as secretary of the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. This agency has a budget of $9 billion and is responsible for protecting, promoting and improving the health and well being of Marylanders through a broad range of programs including Medicaid, public health, behavioral health, state health facilities and regulatory oversight.

AL GOBEILLE
Al Gobeille is chair of the Green Mountain Care Board. He also owns and operates Gobeille Hospitality, a Burlington-based restaurant and hospitality business that employs 230 people at Shanty on the Shore, Burlington Bay Market and Café, Breakwater Café and Grill and Northern Lights Cruises.

Mr. Gobeille has served on the Town of Shelburne Selectboard. He is a past board member of the Visiting Nurse Association of Chittenden and Grand Isle Counties and served on the State of Vermont’s Payment Reform Advisory Committee. Mr. Gobeille is a graduate of Norwich University and has served as an officer in the United States Army. He lives in Shelburne.

JOE KIANI
Joe Kiani founded the Patient Safety Movement Foundation (PSMF) in 2013 with a mission to reduce preventable deaths in hospitals worldwide and eliminate the more than 200,000 preventable patient deaths that occur in U.S. hospitals every year. Under Mr. Kiani’s leadership, PSMF convened hundreds of leading clinicians, hospital CEOs and medical technology CEOs from around the globe at the first Patient Safety, Science & Technology Summit in January 2013 with President Clinton as the keynote speaker.

Mr. Kiani is also founder, chairman and CEO of Masimo Corporation, which specializes in noninvasive patient monitoring devices.