

What's Right in Health Care®

From Pressure to Progress

Fort Worth, TX · August 4–6, 2026 · All times Central Time (CT) · Eligible for CE credits

Day 1 Tuesday, August 4

7 – 8:30 a.m.	Registration & Badge Pick-up · Breakfast
8:30 – 9:45 a.m.	GENERAL SESSION · CONFERENCE KICKOFF Transforming Lives: The Heart and Soul of Health Care Allison Massari, Renowned Healthcare Speaker, Burn Survivor
9:45 – 10 a.m.	Break
10 a.m. – Noon	CONCURRENT FOCUSED TRACKS · MORNING SESSION Select one track for the morning session C-Suite Strategy · Clinical Leadership · Revenue Innovation & Financial Performance · Growth, Access & Physician Enterprise · Leadership & Culture Transformation <i>Select your track when registering. Descriptions on the last page.</i>
Noon – 1 p.m.	Lunch
1 – 4 p.m.	CONCURRENT FOCUSED TRACKS · AFTERNOON SESSION (CONTINUED) C-Suite Strategy · Clinical Leadership · Revenue Innovation & Financial Performance · Growth, Access & Physician Enterprise · Leadership & Culture Transformation
4 – 6 p.m.	Networking Reception Appetizers, cocktails, and engaging conversation to close out the day.

Day 2 Wednesday, August 5

6 – 7 a.m.	Orangetheory Fitness Session · Optional Early Bird Workout
7 – 8 a.m.	Breakfast
8 – 9 a.m.	GENERAL SESSION · DAY TWO KICKOFF Accelerating Progress: Shaping the Future Together Shawn Kanungo, Globally Recognized Innovation Strategist and Best-Selling Author
9:30 – 10 a.m.	Break
10 – 11 a.m.	CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS · CHOOSE ONE Growing Stronger Together: Leading Transformation to Expand Access and Strengthen Communities - Hartford HealthCare One Team, One Access Strategy: Transforming Patient Access Across a Complex Health System - UVA Health Modernizing Supply Chain with Workday: Lessons from Implementation - Carilion Clinic
11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Lunch

12:15– 1:15 p.m.	CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS · CHOOSE ONE Built to Last: How Johns Hopkins Is Transforming Its Operations Without Losing Its Mission - Johns Hopkins Transforming the Revenue Cycle to Enable the Future of Care - UC Davis Health Driving Workforce Productivity in a Changing Care Environment - Bassett Healthcare Network
1:15 – 1:30 p.m.	Break
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS · CHOOSE ONE Advancing Clinical Excellence and Patient Safety at Scale - Franciscan Health Optimizing Revenue Cycle Performance for Sustainable Growth - Emerson Health Building Stronger Leaders: Modern Approaches to Emerging Leader Development - Community Medical Center
2:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Break
3 – 4:45 p.m.	GENERAL SESSION · CLOSING The AI Imperative in Healthcare: From Burning Platform to Proven Transformation AI expert Rob Whiteman and Jared Staal, Executive Director of Intelligent Automation & AI, Mayo Clinic Takeaways and Closing Remarks
5:15 – 8:15 p.m.	EVENING EVENT River Ranch Stockyards Welcome Reception Texas flair, great conversation, and Fort Worth hospitality.

Day 3 Thursday, August 6

6:30 – 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast
7 – 7:45 a.m.	EARLY BIRD SESSION From Scarcity to Abundance: Agentic AI for Access, Equity & Care at Population Scale Learn how health systems leverage agentic AI to improve access, personalize care, and drive better outcomes.
8 – 9:15 a.m.	GENERAL SESSION · DAY THREE KICKOFF Leading from Pressure to Progress: Executive Panel Healthcare leaders share real-world strategies for building resilience and leading through change. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Okey Agba, EVP & CFO, Hartford HealthCare • Doris Tetz Carpenter, Chief Culture & Transformation Officer, Adventist Health • Amir K. Jaffer, MD MBA SFHM, Regional CMO, SSM Health • Michael Richards, MD MPA, EVP, UNM Health Sciences & CEO, UNM Health System • Christine Schuster, RN MBA, President & CEO, Emerson Health
9:15 – 9:30 a.m.	Break
9:30– 10:30 a.m.	CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS · CHOOSE ONE Expanding Access Through Community-Focused Care Models - UNM Health System The Reliability Journey: Aligning Leadership, Culture, and Patient Safety - Methodist Health System From Fragmentation to Alignment: How Supply Chain Partnerships Drive Better Decisions and Better Outcomes - Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children’s Hospital of Chicago
10:30–10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m. – Noon	GENERAL SESSION · CLOSING KEYNOTE The Mental Game of Winners: How to Get Unstuck, Out of Your Head, and Thrive Charles Clark, former professional athlete, mental wellness and resilience expert Closing Remarks
Noon	Conference Adjourned · Grab & Go Lunches Available

Day One Focused Track Descriptions

Select the track of your choice when registering.

C-Suite Strategy · CEO, COO, CFO, CIO & Enterprise Chiefs Only

An executive-only peer forum focused on enterprise strategy, financial performance, digital and AI-enabled transformation, and the future direction of healthcare organizations. Sessions center on bold decision-making, competitive positioning, financial health, and leading enterprise-wide transformation in a rapidly evolving healthcare landscape.

Clinical Leadership · CMOs, CNOs & Clinical Executives

Designed for CMOs, CNOs, physician and nursing leaders, and clinical stakeholders focused on quality, capacity, digitally enabled care models, and care delivery transformation. Sessions highlight innovative clinical models, workforce optimization, and the integration of technology and data to improve patient outcomes, operational performance, and caregiver satisfaction.

Revenue Innovation & Financial Performance

For CFOs and VP-level Revenue Cycle leaders. Sessions focus on optimizing end-to-end revenue performance while expanding into adjacent areas including reimbursement, revenue integrity, denial management and prevention, financial health, and digital enablement. Explores strategies that strengthen margin, improve operational resilience, and leverage technology and AI for sustainable financial outcomes.

Growth, Access & Physician Enterprise Leadership

For executives accountable for ambulatory performance and enterprise growth. Explores how to unlock scalable expansion through digitally enabled access, consumer-centered engagement, and physician alignment. Discussions focus on operating models, service line optimization, and data-informed decision-making to expand market reach, improve access, and enhance enterprise value.

Leadership & Culture Transformation

For leaders shaping strategy, talent, culture, and organizational performance. Conversations focus on change leadership, leadership development, workforce resilience, and creating high-performing cultures in an increasingly AI-enabled healthcare environment.