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National Center for Healthcare Leadership Announces New Board Members

Chicago, June 26, 2012 — The National Center for Healthcare Leadership (NCHL) announced today that it has named the following individuals to its board of directors:

- Susan D. DeVore, president and chief executive officer, Premier, Charlotte, NC;
- Kathryn J. McDonagh, PhD, RN, vice president, Executive Relations, Hospira, Lake Forest, IL;
- Jeffrey D. Selberg, chief operating officer, Institute for Healthcare Improvement, Cambridge, MA
- David H. Klein, president and chief executive officer, The Lifetime Healthcare Companies, Rochester, NY;
- Bruce Siegel, MD, president and chief executive officer, National Association of Public Hospitals, Washington, DC.

“We are very pleased by both the scope and enthusiasm NCHL’s new board members represent, as they underscore how important NCHL’s mission is right now to the future of our healthcare system,” said Peter Butler, NCHL board chair, president and chief operating officer, Rush University Medical Center, and chairperson of the department of health systems management at Rush University, Chicago.

The new board members join Butler and the following individuals, who are continuing their service on the NCHL board:

- Andrew N. Garman, PsyD, NCHL chief executive officer and professor of health systems management, Rush University, Chicago;
- Kyle Grazier, PhD, chair, Department of Health Management and Policy in the University of Michigan School of Public Health, Ann Arbor, MI;
- Christy Harris Lemak, PhD, NCHL chief academic officer and associate professor of health management and policy and director of the Griffith Leadership Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI;

- R. Timothy Rice, president and chief executive officer, Cone Health, Greensboro, NC;
- Amir Dan Rubin, president and chief executive officer, Stanford Hospitals and Clinics, Stanford, CA.
- Patrick E. Connolly, president, Sodexo Healthcare, Gaithersburg, MD;
- Janet M. Corrigan, PhD, president and chief executive officer, National Quality Forum, Washington, DC;
- Joanne M. Disch, RN, PhD, director, Katharine J. Densford International Center for Nursing Leadership, University of Minnesota School of Nursing, Minneapolis;
- Michael J. Dowling, president and chief executive officer, North Shore-LIJ Health System, Great Neck, NY;
- Frederick Hessler, managing director, Citigroup, New York;
- Robert G. Riney, president and chief operating officer, Henry Ford Health System, Detroit;
- Gail L. Warden, president emeritus, Henry Ford Health System, Detroit.

“NCHL is extremely fortunate to be able to draw on the expertise of these outstanding leaders in our field,” says Garman, NCHL’s CEO. “Our board members position NCHL to play an important role in the future of healthcare leadership during this historical time of change for the industry. We are committed to supporting current and future healthcare leaders as they work to implement the necessary changes to pursue world-class health for our communities.”

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The National Center for Healthcare Leadership (NCHL) is a not-for-profit organization that is an industry catalyst to ensure the availability of accountable and transformational healthcare leadership for the 21st century. Its vision is to improve population health through leadership and organizational excellence. As an authoritative and objective source on healthcare leadership, NCHL conducts research on global best practices and tests new models for leadership excellence within its Leadership Excellence Networks (LENS). NCHL operates as a partnership between Rush University Medical Center and the University of Michigan. For more information please visit NCHL’s website at www.nchl.org.