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**AMERICAN COLLEGE OF HEALTHCARE EXECUTIVES
ELECTS 32 NEW REGENTS**

CHICAGO, March 8, 2008—Thirty-two healthcare executives have been elected or appointed to serve as Regents for the American College of Healthcare Executives, an international professional society of more than 30,000 healthcare executives.

The Regents took office today at the Council of Regents Meeting during ACHE's 51st Congress on Healthcare Leadership in Chicago. All are board certified in healthcare management as Fellows of the American College of Healthcare Executives (FACHE®).

The Regents will serve three-year terms representing ACHE affiliates in their respective jurisdictions; interim Regents will serve one-year terms. Regents-at-Large represent ACHE affiliates in general, regardless of geographic location.

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Following are the new Regents and the jurisdictions they represent:

- **Arizona**—Marjorie H. Reiter, FACHE, manager, Ambulatory Specialty Services, Maricopa Integrated Health System, Phoenix
- **Army**—LTC M. Nicholas Coppola, PhD, FACHE, director and associate professor, Army-Baylor Graduate Program in Health & Business Administration, Fort Sam Houston, Texas
- **California—San Diego/Imperial Counties**—Michael H. Covert, FACHE, president and chief executive officer, Palomar Pomerado Health System, San Diego
- **California—Southern**—Christopher J. Williams, FACHE, vice president, Huntington Memorial Hospital, Pasadena
- **Canada**—Mimi P. Lowi-Young, FACHE, chief executive officer, Central West Local Health Integration Network, Brampton, Ontario
- **Florida—Eastern**—Kevin DiLallo, FACHE, chief executive officer/managing director, Wellington Regional Medical Center
- **Florida—Northern and Western**—Linda L. Lemon-Steiner, FACHE, chief operating officer, Doctors Hospital of Sarasota
- **Illinois—Metropolitan Chicago**—Douglas M. Silverstein, FACHE, president, ENH—Glenbrook Hospital, Glenview
- **Illinois—Southern**—John M. Snyder, FACHE, executive vice president and chief operating officer, Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana
- **Kentucky**—Lloyd K. Ford Jr., FACHE, chief executive officer, Muhlenberg Community Hospital, Greenville
- **Maryland**—Sunil K. Sinha, MD, FACHE, senior medical officer, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, DHHS, Baltimore
- **Michigan**—Joseph M. Tasse, FACHE, president, St. John Macomb-Oakland Hospital, Warren
- **Minnesota**—Lori L. Wightman, RN, FACHE, president, New Ulm Medical Center
- **Mississippi**—Trace Swartzfager, FACHE, vice president, Professional Services, St. Dominic—Jackson Memorial Hospital

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- **Missouri**—Donald L. Sipes, FACHE, vice president, Regional Services, Saint Luke's Health System, Kansas City
- **Montana**—Ted W. Hirsch, FACHE, administrator, Kalispell Regional Medical Center
- **Navy**—CDR Robert S. Fry, PhD, FACHE, Cherry Point, N.C.
- **New Jersey**—Terrence Cahill, EdD, FACHE, assistant professor, Seton Hall University, South Orange
- **New York—Hudson Valley/Adirondack Area**—Gino J. Pazzaglini, FACHE, president and chief executive officer, Seton Health System, Troy
- **North Carolina**—Fred T. Brown Jr., FACHE, senior vice president, Regional Facilities, Carolinas HealthCare System, Charlotte
- **North Dakota**—Paul J. Wilson, FACHE, chief executive officer, DMS Health Group, Fargo
- **Ohio—Northern**—Kevin J. Miller, FACHE, president and chief executive officer, Ashtabula County Medical Center
- **Ohio—Southern**—Timothy A. Ols, FACHE, executive vice president and chief operating officer, Greene Memorial Hospital, Xenia
- **Pennsylvania—Eastern**—James B. Burke, FACHE, chief operating officer, Hahnemann University Hospital, Philadelphia
- **Pennsylvania—Southern, Central and Western**—Dana S. Kellis, MD, FACHE, chief medical officer, Pinnacle Health, Harrisburg
- **South Carolina**—John C. Hales Jr., FACHE, chief executive officer, Williamsburg Regional Hospital, Kingstree
- **Texas—Central and South**—J. Mark McLoone, FACHE, chief executive officer, Methodist Children's Hospital and Women's Services, San Antonio
- **Texas—Southeast**—David J. Fine, FACHE, president and chief executive officer, St. Luke's Episcopal Health System, Houston
- **Vermont**—Thomas C. Crawford, FACHE, chief executive officer, Springfield Medical Care Systems/Springfield Hospital

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- **Regent-at-Large for District 1**—Warren L. Lyons, FACHE, chief operating officer Temple Physicians Inc., chief executive officer Temple Transport Team, Temple University Health System, Philadelphia
- **Regent-at-Large for District 2**—Bassam A. Kawwass, FACHE, chief executive officer, The Muasher Center for Fertility and IVF (Interim Regent), Fairfax, Va.
- **Regent-at-Large for District 6**—COL Kyle D. Campbell, FACHE, Germany

American College of Healthcare Executives

The American College of Healthcare Executives is an international professional society of more than 30,000 healthcare executives who lead hospitals, healthcare systems and other healthcare organizations. ACHE is known for its prestigious credentialing and educational programs and its annual Congress on Healthcare Leadership, which draws more than 4,500 participants each year. ACHE is also known for its journals, the *Journal of Healthcare Management* and *Frontiers of Health Services Management* and its magazine, *Healthcare Executive*, as well as ground-breaking research and career development and public policy programs. ACHE's publishing division, Health Administration Press, is one of the largest publishers of books and journals on all aspects of health services management in addition to textbooks for use in college and university courses. Through such efforts, ACHE works toward its goal of being the premier professional society for healthcare leaders by providing exceptional value to its members.

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