

Speaker

KYU (“Q”) RHEE

President and Chief Executive Officer

National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC)



DR. KYU (“Q”) RHEE, MD, MPP, joined NACHC in 2023 to lead efforts to advance health equity and support the mission of community health centers, which provide high-quality, affordable, transdisciplinary primary care services to more than 31.5 million people at over 14,000 sites across the nation.

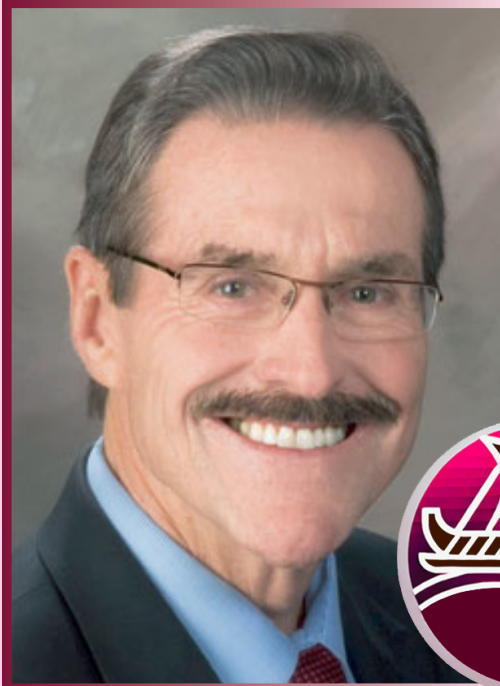
As a purpose-driven physician executive, scientist, teacher, and entrepreneur, Dr. Rhee has a reputation synonymous with leadership, innovation, and transformation across the nonprofit, public, and private sectors. Throughout his career, Dr. Rhee has actively worked to advance primary care, public health, and health equity for underserved populations.

Before joining NACHC, Dr. Rhee held the position of Senior Vice President and Aetna Chief Medical Officer at CVS Health. He led a team of over 1,500 doctors, nurses, pharmacists, and other health professionals in the integration and delivery of clinical and population health solutions to improve the health and deliver the “Quintuple Aim” for up to 65 million people via commercial, Medicare, Medicaid, behavioral health, digital health, student health, vision, dental, and voluntary health plans. Dr. Rhee served for a decade as the Chief Health Officer at IBM, where he and his team led IBM’s global efforts to transform health using data, analytics, artificial intelligence, services, and research.

During the time of the Affordable Care Act, Dr. Rhee held the office of Chief Public Health Officer at the Health Resources and Services Administration. Dr. Rhee also worked at the National Institutes of Health as the Director of the Office of Innovation and Program Coordination.

Prior to his public service, Dr. Rhee was Chief Medical Officer at Baltimore Medical System and worked as a National Health Services Corps primary care physician and Medical Director for Unity Health Care.

Dr. Rhee was Chief Resident and completed his medical residency training in both internal medicine and pediatrics at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles with dual-board certification. He earned his medical degree from the Keck School of Medicine at the University of Southern California. Dr. Rhee also holds a master’s in health care policy from Harvard University’s John F. Kennedy School of Government. He has a Bachelor of Science degree from Yale University in Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry.



Speaker **JOHN C (JACK) LEWIN** Administrator

**Hawaii State Health Planning & Development Agency
(SHPDA)**

JOHN C (JACK) LEWIN, MD, is currently the Administrator of the Hawaii State Health Planning and Development Agency (SHPDA) in Honolulu. Appointed by Governor Josh Green, he is charged with developing a state health system reform plan and implementation strategy to achieve universal access, improved quality of care, patient and population outcomes, equity, and sustainable and affordable health care costs. Previously, he founded Lewin and Associates LLC is a health innovation and health management consulting firm focused on value-based care, population health, and health access located in New York City. He was Chairman of the National Coalition on Health Care (NCHC) from 2015 to 2023. NCHC represents 90 national organizations and 150 million Americans as the oldest and most respected advocacy organization promoting expanded access, higher quality, and affordability of health care in the US.

Lewin recently served as President and CEO of the Cardiovascular Research Foundation (CRF) from October 2013 to the January 2017. CRF, a 25-year-old non-profit foundation with over \$56 million in annual revenues.

Lewin served a combined 16 years as CEO of two of the nation's most prestigious medical societies, the California Medical Association and the American College of Cardiology. He served 8 years as Hawaii's state public health director, managing a \$1+ billion and 6500 staff agency that included being CEO of a 12-facility hospital system and spearheading implementation two statewide successful health insurance programs, making Hawaii the first state with near-universal coverage. In addition to many years as a practicing physician; he was a Commissioned Physician Officer for 7 years in the US Public Health Service, where he founded and led the Navajo Nation's first tri-state health agency. He also was founder and President of the \$200 million Physicians Foundation quality of care philanthropy.

Speaker **ABBY SEARS**

President and Chief Executive Officer
OCHIN



ABBY SEARS, is the President and CEO of OCHIN, a nonprofit leader in health care innovation and a trusted partner to a rapidly growing national provider network. As a business leader and community advocate, Abby has been with OCHIN since its inception, stewarding its growth from a \$7 million organization focused on hosting electronic health records for 20 Oregon health centers to a \$250 million national consultancy.

Today, OCHIN supports more than 300 independent community health organizations in 41 states, with over 2,000 care delivery sites on OCHIN Epic. The organization provides clinical insights, practice-based research, and tailored technologies to help more than 7 million rural and medically underserved patients access quality, comprehensive health care. Under Abby's leadership, OCHIN now employs a virtual workforce of over 1,200 technologists, clinicians, data scientists, and innovators across 49 states.

A prominent speaker and HIT advisor with over 20 years of health care expertise, Abby is a member of many regional and national boards. In 2023, Abby was recognized as one of the Top 50 Women Leaders of Oregon. She holds an MBA and MHA, both from the University of Minnesota.



Speaker
ASHISH ABRAHAM
President and Co-Founder
Foresight Health Solutions

DR. ASHISH ABRAHAM, MD, is an entrepreneur and a healthcare management executive with more than 20 years of diversified experience in clinical care, healthcare operations, technology, data analytics and strategic consulting for government and commercial clients.

Dr. Abraham is currently the President and Co-founder of Foresight Health Solutions, a machine learning and AI healthcare analytics company. He also is the owner and principal of Abraham Strategic Health Consulting, a boutique firm that offers consulting services in the areas of organizational strategy, health technology, telehealth, health program design, operations, quality measurement and analytics.

In 2007, Dr. Abraham co-founded Altruista Health, an industry-leading, person-centered care management technology and analytics company and served first as the CEO and then as the President and Chairman of the board and is still actively involved as a board director under its new ownership. The company today serves clients in 35 states across a population of 50 million individuals.

Prior to founding Altruista Health, Dr. Abraham served as the Chief Medical Officer and Senior Vice President of United Health Group's Medicaid Management Services Division. As the head of this organization, he successfully led health plans and programs for vulnerable and chronically ill patients



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