Hattie Rees Hanley, MPP

Director and Co-Founder, Right Care Initiative, Center for Healthcare Organizational and Innovation Research, UC Berkeley School of Public Health

Ms. Hanley co-founded the Right Care Initiative in 2007 with the Deans of the University of California, Berkeley and UCLA’s Schools of Public Health, clinical experts, and State of California leadership to improve patient outcomes in high yield areas for preventing disability and death, where the science is clear, but the uptake is uneven. The Right Care Initiative is a public-private, charitably-funded collaborative effort that has thus far worked in the areas of prevention and better management of Hospital Acquired Infections (HAI), heart attacks, strokes, diabetes and heart failure. Ms. Hanley has directed the initiative since its inception, in close collaboration with leading experts in the field. The hallmark of her public policy career is bridging across the disparate arenas of business, government, health care delivery, science and academia. Ms. Hanley received her Master’s degree in Public Policy from Harvard University’s John F. Kennedy School of Government, after studying health economics and pre-medical coursework at UC Davis. Since that time, she has applied her background in science and public policy in the areas of clinical quality improvement, public health preparedness and improving laws to protect patients. She was instrumental in the negotiations and passage of the set of California laws known as the Patient Bill of Rights, which includes the right to a Second Medical Opinion and Independent Medical Review. The Right Care Initiative is a program within the UC Berkeley School of Public Health’s Center for Health Organizational and Innovation Research (CHOIR). Ms. Hanley has been invited by the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention to be a founding member of the National Hypertension Roundtable.
Eveline Oestreicher Stock, MD

Co-Chair, Right Care Initiative Silicon Valley University of Best Practices; Assistant Professor, Cardiology, School of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco; Cardiologist, Cardiovascular Care & Prevention Center, University of California, San Francisco

Dr. Stock’s expertise in Endocrinology and Cardiology at the University of California San Francisco have informed her exciting work in molecular cardiology. Dr. Stock is a leader in the field of lipoprotein metabolism, and the diagnosis and management of lipoprotein disorders for the prevention of atherosclerotic coronary heart disease. Her research interests include the role of lipoprotein subclasses as predictors of coronary artery disease and myocardial infarction. She is an Assistant Professor at UCSF, a practicing cardiologist and lipidologist, and a researcher at the Cardiovascular Research Institute at UCSF. She received her medical education at the Catholic University of Chile and completed her training in endocrine hypertension and residency at Harvard Medical School's Massachusetts General Hospital. She looks forward to continuing to work with the Right Care Initiative as a means of closing the gap between science and practice to get to zero heart attacks and strokes, especially in vulnerable populations.
Anne Peters, MD

Director, Clinical Diabetes Programs and Professor, Clinical Medicine Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California

Anne L. Peters, MD, is currently a professor of Clinical Medicine and Clinical Scholar at the Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California. She runs diabetes centers in Beverly Hills and in underserved East Los Angeles and works with the LA County Department of Health Services on county-wide diabetes care. She has been an invited speaker at hundreds of local, national and international medical conferences. Dr. Peters has authored four books on diabetes and over 200 articles appearing in peer-reviewed medical journals including JAMA, the New England Journal of Medicine, Annals of Internal Medicine and Diabetes Care. She served on the ABIM Endocrine Board, multiple American Diabetes Association (ADA) committees and ADA/European Association for the Study of Diabetes guideline writing committees for the treatment of type 1 and type 2 diabetes. Dr. Peters received the ADA Outstanding Physician Clinician Award and the Bernardo Houssay Award from the National Minority Quality Forum for her work with the underserved. She ran clinical diabetes programs at Cedars and UCLA before moving to USC. Dr. Peters has been a principal investigator on multiple clinical trials focusing on diabetes and diabetes prevention. She established the Community Diabetes Research Center in collaboration with Children's Hospital Los Angeles with funding from the Keck Foundation, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, ADA, National Institutes of Health, and the Helmsley Charitable Trust. She is the recipient of a 2021 Endocrine Society Laureate Award for Public Service. Dr. Peters earned her undergraduate degree from Wesleyan University and her medical degree from the Pritzker School of Medicine at the University of Chicago. She performed her internal medicine residency at Stanford University and a fellowship in endocrinology at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. She lives between Los Angeles and rural Montana.
William J. Bommer, MD, FACP, FACC
Statewide Chairman, Right Care Initiative University of Best Practices; Specialty Delegate, California American College of Cardiology and California Medical Association; Director, California ePCI Program; Director, Prevention Forward Program and Professor of Medicine, Division of Cardiovascular Medicine, University of California, Davis

Dr. Bommer’s service to the American College of Cardiology includes his current role on the California Executive Committee; as well as former roles as President, Vice-President, Governor, and Member of the Board of Governors. As an accomplished UC Davis Clinical Professor of Medicine, he directs UC Davis Cardiology's Noninvasive Services; directs the Cardiology Fellowship Training Program, and sees patients in the Coronary Critical Care Unit. As the longest-tenures UCD Training director, he has trained over 200 practicing cardiologists. Dr. Bommer has been the Principal Investigator or Co-Investigator of multiple NIH, NHLBI, and international research trials. He is a member of 50 international, national, state, and university education commissions and committees. Dr. Bommer founded and is a Board Member of numerous hardware and software startup companies and is an inventor of patents for xerography, color-flow ultrasound imaging, and contrast echocardiography. His public service includes quality improvement consulting with the State of California and directs multiple programs including CA Pilot Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI) (offsite) Program, CA Elective PCI (offsite) Program, and CA Cardiac Surgery and Intervention Outcomes Program. He has authored over 250 scientific publications, received over 100 Honors and Awards, presented over 1000 papers at International, National, and Statewide meetings, and coauthored California Legislation including SB 357 and SB 906. A Physics and Chemistry graduate of Cornell University, he received his medical degree from the State University of New York. He is an Honorary Lifetime Member of the British Cardiovascular Society and an accomplished marathon runner.
Edward M. Yu, MD, CMQ, CPPS, CPE

Chief Quality Officer, Palo Alto Medical Foundation

Dr. Edward Yu, MD, currently serves as the Chief Quality Officer of Palo Alto Medical Foundation. In this role, he directs clinical quality programs to promote evidence-based practices in the fields of preventive health, chronic disease management, population health, and health system innovations. Dr. Yu holds expertise in change management, strategic planning involving lean management systems and service line deployment. Dr. Yu has led multiple initiatives in population health management, value based care and evaluation sciences that have ultimately improved outcomes in clinical quality, patient experience, patient safety and clinic operations in multi-specialty group practice. In addition to his role as Chief Quality Officer, he is the current Chairman of the PAMF Regional Quality Improvement Steering Committee. Dr. Yu is Family Medicine Board Certified and completed his residency at the UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine.
Jamal S. Rana, MD, PhD, FACC

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Jamal Rana, MD, PhD, FACC is an award-winning heart researcher and cardiologist at Kaiser Permanente. He is chief of cardiology at the Kaiser Permanente’s Oakland Medical Center, and president-elect of the American College of Cardiology, California Chapter. During his research fellowship at Harvard Medical School, Dr. Rana explored the impact of risk factors such as diabetes and obesity on heart disease and stayed involved with research and clinical trials during his clinical cardiovascular fellowship at Cedars-Sinai Heart Institute in Beverly Hills. His continuing involvement in research has led to more than 125 peer-reviewed publications in scientific journals and numerous national and international presentations.