



## Delaware Healthcare Association

### Delaware Healthcare Association Names Suzanne E. Raab-Long, Executive Vice President

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*Alfred I. duPont Hospital for  
Children*  
Thomas P. Ferry, CEO

Suzanne E. Raab-Long has been named Executive Vice President at the Delaware Healthcare Association (DHA). She is the number two executive at DHA and has been an employee at the Association since 1982.

*Bayhealth, Inc.*  
Dennis E. Klima,  
President

“I am pleased to announce the excellent work of our Delaware Healthcare Association's Suzanne Raab-Long is being recognized. Executive Vice President Raab-Long will continue to make an outstanding contribution to our members at the Association and to the constant improvement of healthcare delivery in Delaware,” President and CEO Wayne Smith stated.

*Beebe Medical Center*  
Jeffrey M. Fried  
President & CEO

*Christiana Care Health  
System*  
Robert J. Laskowski,  
MD, MBA, FACP  
President & CEO

Mr. Smith went on to add, “Suzanne has long been a back bone of the Association having started her work here in 1982. I know that everyone who has worked with Suzanne appreciates her knowledge, work ethic, and spirit of collegiality. People just enjoy working with her and appreciate her professionalism. Those are important qualities that we value.”

*Nanticoke Memorial Hospital*  
Steven A. Rose, RN, MN  
President & CEO

At the Association, Ms. Raab-Long has focused, among other areas, on health care quality issues and emergency preparedness. She also produces DHA's weekly news letter for the membership. Ms. Raab-Long is also a member of several national health care forums and groups including, the American Hospital Association's Quality Forum, the American Hospital Association's Allied Groups on: Emergency Preparedness, Public Relations, and Information Technology. She is also a member of the American Society of Healthcare Risk Managers.

*St. Francis Hospital*  
Julie A. Hester, MPM,  
BSN, RN  
President & CEO

*Select Specialty Hospital*  
Mark Stepanik  
CEO

*Veterans Affairs Regional  
Medical & Office Center*  
Charles M. Dorman,  
FACHE  
Executive Director

#### ***About the Delaware Healthcare Association***

*The Delaware Healthcare Association is a statewide trade and membership services organization that exists to represent and serve hospitals, health systems, and related health care organizations in their role of providing a continuum of appropriate, cost-effective, quality care to improve the health of the people of Delaware.*

*Delaware Healthcare  
Association*  
Wayne A. Smith  
President & CEO