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Dr. Angood has provided senior executive leadership for all sizes and types of healthcare organizations. Since late 2011, he has been Chief Executive Officer and President of the American Association for Physician Leadership (AAPL). AAPL focuses on maximizing the potential of physician-led, interprofessional leadership to help create personal and organizational transformation that benefits patient outcomes, improves workforce wellness, and refines the delivery of healthcare internationally. Since inception nearly 50 years ago, AAPL remains the only healthcare organization solely focused on providing full-service professional development offerings, an array of information resources, leadership education, and management training oriented toward the physician workforce and the organizations where physicians work or represented. Thousands of physicians are trained annually, and membership is in over 35 countries.

Previously, Dr. Angood was the inaugural Chief Patient Safety Officer and a Vice-President for The Joint Commission (American healthcare's predominant accreditation agency) where he oversaw the National Patient Safety Goals and other enterprise-wide, international patient safety initiatives. He also completed a 2-year engagement with the National Quality Forum (American healthcare's predominant measurement agency) and National Priorities Partnership as Senior Advisor for Patient Safety before assuming the role of Chief Medical Officer with the Patient Safety Organization of GE Healthcare. During these engagements, Dr. Angood continued intermittent work with the World Health Organization's Patient Safety initiatives after helping lead early development of the WHO Collaborating Center for Patient Safety Solutions.

Earlier, after initially practicing surgery with hospitals of the McGill University system, Dr. Angood was subsequently recruited to surgery faculty and hospital administrative positions with institutions such as the University of Pennsylvania, Yale University, and Washington University in St. Louis. He completed his formal academic career as a Full Professor of Surgery, Anesthesia, and Emergency Medicine. Dr. Angood is a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons (Canada), the American College of Surgeons and the American College of Critical Care Medicine - which also recognized him as a Master of Critical Care Medicine. He has a history of active involvement with numerous advisory boards, professional organizations, and served as president for the Society of Critical Care Medicine. Dr. Angood's research interests have addressed leading-edge problems, he has authored over 230 publications of varying types, and is a well-recognized international speaker on the host of issues related to physician leadership. His recent book, *"All Physicians Are Leaders: Reflections on Inspiring Change Together for Better Healthcare"*, has been well received. Dr. Angood is often noted on Modern Healthcare's annual list of 150 *Most Influential Clinical Executives*.

Additionally, Dr. Angood is a Fellow of the Explorers Club in New York City, in addition to being a member of several outdoor-oriented organizations such as the Wilderness Medical Society, American Alpine Club, Alpine Club of Canada, Appalachian Mountain Club, and the National Geographic Society.

Dr. Angood received his medical degree from the University of Manitoba in Canada and completed his general surgery training at McGill University in Montreal, as well as fellowship training in trauma surgery and critical care medicine at the University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami.