

Come join us for the next in-person Face to Face education event!

Where: Calhoun's On the River, 400 Neyland Dr, Knoxville, TN 37902

When: March 15th – networking and dinner begins at 5:30pm, panel discussion at 6pm.

Cost: \$10 for ACHE member, \$15 for non-members

This event offers 1.5 Face to Face education credits.



COVID-19: What We Learned: Supply Chain

Description: Emergency management efforts are often coupled with changes to normal utilization of supplies and equipment. The COVID-19 outbreak created an increased demand for commonly used equipment and supplies. Panelists will provide insights on what their respective organizations were able to accomplish to protect their employees and to optimize care delivery for their patients and community, in direct response to the COVID-19 outbreak.

Topics:

- A general debrief and discussion of how different organizations managed the COVID-19 pandemic in terms of supplies and equipment.
- Timeline of the pandemic and local/governmental events and the challenges with organization policies/procedures regarding supply chain: distribution, shortages, and product availability/restocking.
- Federal, state, and community assistance that was provided for supplies and equipment.
- Key take-aways for the audience to replicate at their organizations.

Moderator:

Lora L Johnson - Associate Vice President, Supply Chain Services, Vizient Inc.

Lora brings more than 30 years of experience in the healthcare industry. Prior to joining Vizient, Lora spent 9 years in Supply Chain Management and over 23 years in clinical settings including surgical, emergency and home health services.

Lora's areas of expertise and professional skills include value analysis, physician and clinician engagement, supply chain management, project facilitation and team building.

Lora received her MBA and bachelor's in nursing from East Tennessee State University. She holds both a Certified Maintenance & Reliability Professional certification and Fellow of the Association of Healthcare Resource and Materials Management designation.

Panelists:

Stephen Boyles - District Director of Supply Chain Management at Fort Sanders Regional Medical Center

Stephen is the District Director of Supply Chain Management at Fort Sanders Regional Medical Center. He has 19 years of experience with healthcare supply chain management. His expertise includes establishing value analysis frameworks, developing data tools to measure and monitor utilization/availability, creating enterprise supply chain strategic plans, managing system requests for process. He was instrumental in helping achieve over \$23 million in cost avoidance.

Stephen earned a master's degree in public administration from Florida Atlantic University and a bachelor's degree in management from Wesleyan University.

Tim Knisley – Chief Financial Officer DeRoyal

Tim joined the DeRoyal team in 2016 and is the Chief Financial Officer. Tim handles all aspects of company financials and has leadership oversight for the following areas: Risk Management, Manufacturing, Supply Chain, Property Management, Sterilization, Transportation and Logistics. He is a certified CPA, CMA and CGMA. He is a graduate from Bowling Green State University with BSBA in Accounting/Management Information Systems and earned an MBA Finance/Operations Management from The Ohio State University. Prior to joining DeRoyal, he worked with Penn Central Corporation, Great Lakes Chemical Corporation and AAVIN equity.

Ron Collins - Vice President Supply Chain Management, UT Medical Center

Ron Collins is the Vice President of Supply Chain Management at The University of Tennessee Medical Center (UTMC) in Knoxville, TN. He is responsible for the strategic planning and quality of supply chain functions for UTMC's nine Centers of Excellence, Perioperative Services, Special Procedures, Emergency Services, Acute and Critical Care. Earlier in his career, he served as Director of UT Home Care Services. He is a graduate of Sanford University with a BS in accounting and holds an MBA from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

This program has been developed and is presented locally by ETHEA. The American College of Healthcare Executives has awarded 1.5 ACHE Face-to-Face Education hours to this program. To receive credit for this program, your name MUST appear on the Sign-In Sheet.

Please RSVP by March 1st by signing up on our website:

<https://myethea.com/meetinginfo.php>

For any questions regarding this event, please contact Chris McCracken at chrismccracken629@gmail.com

See you there!