

Biography



Kenneth E. Brown, MD, MBA, FACOG, FACHE

Dr. Brown received his medical degree from Howard University School of Medicine in Washington, DC, and completed a residency at Louisiana State University, Charity Hospital. He received a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Dr. Brown maintained a solo private practice in Lafayette, Louisiana, for 28 years and served as Medical Director, Vice President for Medical Affairs, and Chief Medical Officer of Woman's Hospital in Baton Rouge, LA. He is an Associate Clinical Professor in Obstetrics-Gynecology at LSU Health Science Center Residency Programs and served as Department Head and Chief of Obstetrics-Gynecology at University Medical Center in Lafayette. He received his undergraduate degree from Dillard University in New Orleans, LA.

Dr. Brown presently consults on matters of Healthcare and Quality Improvement. He is Senior Executive Vice President for Risk Management and Patient Safety for Louisiana Medical Mutual Insurance Company (LAMMICO).

Following a solo private practice, he entered hospital administration at Our Lady of Lourdes Regional Medical Center and served as Medical Director, Vice President of Medical Affairs, Vice

President of Patient Care Services, and Senior Vice President/Chief Medical Officer.

Dr. Brown is a Diplomate and Fellow of the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology. He represented the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) as a Primary Care Fellow at the U.S. Public Health Service and Department of Health and Human Services in Washington, DC. He is a Diplomate and Fellow of the American Board of Quality Assurance and Utilization Review Physicians (with certification in Healthcare Quality and Management) and is a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives. He is also a Diplomate of the American Board of Medical Management.

He was a member of The Joint Commission's Technical Advisory Panel on Quality Measures. He served as Vice Chair of ACOG's Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Committee. As a member and Team Leader of the ACOG Voluntary Review of Quality of Care Program, he evaluated over 30 hospitals nationwide. He is a member of the Board of Directors of LAMMICO, where he serves as Chairman of the Risk Management and Patient Safety Committee and the Compensation Committee. He is the author of several monographs and videos offered through LAMMICO's educational programming.

He is a founding physician of Women's and Children's Hospital in Lafayette, Louisiana, has served as Treasurer and Chair of the Finance Committee. He is a past President of the Woman's Foundation, Inc., in Lafayette, LA. He is a member and past President of the Lafayette Parish Medical Society. A member of the National Medical Association, he also served as parliamentarian of the national OB/GYN Section. He served as the Community Impact Committee Chair of the United Way of Acadiana and was its first Policy Council Chairman for Early Childhood Development. He presently serves on the state Board of the March of Dimes, is a consultant to DHH, Region 4 Office of Public Health, and serves on the State's advisory commission on Maternal Mortality and Morbidity and the Louisiana Perinatal Quality Collaborative Advisory Council. He is a steering committee member of the LA Public Health Institute (LPHI) Doula Coordination Community of Practice.