

# GRANITE HEALTHCARE — NETWORK —

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## **GRANITE HEALTHCARE NETWORK NAMES MEDICAL DIRECTOR**

**Concord, NH---** Granite Healthcare Network (GHN), a joint venture organization involving five New Hampshire hospitals, is pleased to announce that Greg Baxter, MD has been named the Medical Director. In this role, Dr. Baxter will serve as a resource to the GHN Chief Medical Officers to promote better care for patients, better health for communities, and lower costs across the system.



Dr. Baxter is currently serving as the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) for Elliot Health System. He has been with Elliot for nine years working both as an emergency medicine physician in the trauma center as well as in various administrative roles prior to becoming CMO including Senior Vice President of the Medical Staff, and Director of Emergency Medicine.

During his nine years at Elliot, Dr. Baxter has been instrumental in Elliot's success in achieving meaningful use, leading physicians in the change to clinical documentation and physician order entry making Elliot fully electronic and paperless.

"I am excited to welcome Dr. Baxter to Granite Healthcare Network as medical director. His depth of clinical skills and breadth of leadership experience will be instrumental in our mission to provide better, more seamless, and less expensive health care." explained Rachel Rowe, Executive Director, GHN.

"I am honored to be given the opportunity to collaborate with such a talented group of medical staff leaders to create a sustainable healthcare delivery system focused on patient health while improving the value of the care we provide," said Greg Baxter, MD, CMO, Elliot Health System.

Rowe added, "Everyone at Granite Healthcare Network is proud to welcome Dr. Baxter to this new leadership role."

*Granite Healthcare Network includes Concord Hospital, Elliot Hospital, LRGHealthcare, Southern New Hampshire Medical Center and Wentworth-Douglass Hospital. The mission of GHN is 'to lead the transformation of healthcare delivery in the communities served by the organizations.'*

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