

Integrated Solutions Health Network has appointed Dr. Ian Bushell to the position of chief clinical integration officer for ISHN and president/CEO of AnewCare Collaborative.

Since forming CrestPoint Health insurance company and AnewCare Collaborative - the region's first community-based accountable care organization - back in 2012, ISHN has been making strides in building a better health care network.

Dr. Bushell will be responsible for the medical leadership of AnewCare. He'll manage clinical integration initiatives while further developing relationships between physicians, hospitals, payers and the respective quality improvement programs.

"I'm very proud to be joining an organization that's so focused on improving the health of the people in the region," says Bushell. "I am passionate about improving the patient experience and dedicated to unlocking the full potential of provider partnerships to deliver high value health care."

Bushell is joining ISHN with more than a decade of experience in leadership roles with major health care organizations. He also founded his own medical practice, which he successfully ran as the CEO.

"Ian brings a collaborative spirit and forward thinking qualities to the position," said Rob Slattery, president and CEO of ISHN. "His experience will be vital to ISHN as we continue to work with our provider partners to improve health outcomes, consumer satisfaction and affordability. Ian's leadership roles at health plans in Tennessee and Virginia will be invaluable to our organization at a time of rapidly changing consumer expectations."

Dr. Bushell comes to ISHN from BlueCross BlueShield of Tennessee, where he served as the corporate medical director and was an integral part of the management team. During his time at BCBSTN, Dr. Bushell became one of three clinical subject matter experts on their Blue Health Solutions, supporting their 78 largest national and regional self-funded customers, and their population health strategies.

Bushell also held the title of senior medical director for Virginia and West Virginia at Coventry Health Care Inc. At Coventry, Bushell was responsible for all population health management program components for two statewide health plans, and was able to successfully engage community physicians to build collaborative relationships and reduce appeals volume.

Dr. Bushell began his career as a family physician and has continued patient care by volunteering his services to Crossroads Medical Mission in Bristol, a non-profit organization dedicated to providing primary medical care to the underserved residents of rural Northeast Tennessee and Southwest Virginia.

Bushell graduated from Oglethorpe University, received his medical degree from Mercer University School of Medicine, and completed his residency in family medicine at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Dr. Bushell then went on to earn his Master of Health Sciences in clinical leadership at Duke University School of Medicine.

Dr. Bushell is board certified by the American Board of Family Medicine, a certified physician executive by the American College of Physician Executives, and has active medical licenses in Tennessee, Virginia, North Carolina and Maryland.

He will begin his new role in July.