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Bon Secours Charity Health System CEO Named Regional Hospital Association Chair

Hauppauge, NY (March 30, 2022) Mary P. Leahy, MD, MHA, CEO of the [Bon Secours Charity Health System](#), a member of the Westchester Medical Center Health Network (WMCHHealth), and a resident of Rockland County, was named chair of the [Northern Metropolitan Hospital Association](#) (NorMet). Her two-year term expires January 2024. NorMet represents hospitals in seven counties in the Hudson Valley. It advocates for reasonable and rationale healthcare regulation and legislation. NorMet is affiliated with the [Suburban Hospital Alliance of New York State](#) (SHANYS), which oversees lobbying activities for NorMet and its sister organization on Long Island, the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council.

Dr. Leahy began her career more than 30 years ago as a board-certified internist.

In 2012, she became senior vice president of physician operations for Bon Secours Medical Group. One year later she was named CEO of Bon Secours Charity Health System. Her efforts and leadership as CEO played a key role in facilitating the joint venture between Bon Secours and WMCHHealth.



Mary P. Leahy, MD, MHA, CEO of
Bon Secours Charity Health System

Dr. Leahy received her medical degree from the University of Rome and a master's degree in Healthcare Administration from Boston College. She is a member of the board of directors of the Healthcare Association of New York State and sits on the American Hospital Association's Regional Policy Board. She also serves on the boards of Catholic Charities of Rockland County, Rockland Business Association, Catholic Medical Mission, and Dominican College. In 2017, she was named one of 16 winners of the Hudson Valley Magazine Sixth Annual Women in Business Awards and received the Rockland Business Association's Pinnacle Award for Outstanding Achievement by a Woman in Business.

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About the Suburban Hospital Alliance of New York State

The Suburban Hospital Alliance of New York State advocates on behalf of hospitals in the Hudson Valley and Long Island regions. It engages key lawmakers and regulatory decision-makers in Albany and Washington to ensure reasonable and rational health care policy prevails.

About the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council (NSHC)



The [Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council](#) represents the not-for-profit and public hospitals on Long Island. It works in conjunction with the [Suburban Hospital Alliance of New York State](#) to advance legislative and regulatory priorities. NSHC serves as the local and collective voice of hospitals on Long Island.

About the Northern Metropolitan Hospital Association (NorMet)



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