

Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, December 11, 2024

Time – 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. EST

Location – Kentucky Hospital Association or via Zoom

2501 Nelson Miller Parkway, Louisville, KY 40223

Website - www.kahcr.org

Agenda

10:00 Welcome and Social Time

10:30 Timonthy Gaillard, VP, Strategic Workforce Initiatives at UK Healthcare – The Urgent need to grow our workforce

11:30 Lunch

11:40 Business Meeting

**11:50 Sara Tracy, Senior Workforce Development Project Manager
Kentucky Chamber Foundation Update**

12:10 Kathi Eldridge, AVP Talent Acquisition at Baptist Health – Turning Crisis into Opportunity

Attendees: Please [click here](#) to register for the event; you will have the choice of in-person or via Zoom

Speaker(s)/ Topics :

[Tim Gaillard is Vice President of Strategic Workforce Initiatives at UK Healthcare](#)

The Urgent Need to Grow our Workforce –

This is a newly created position since February 2024 initiated out of the need to significantly increase the UK workforce as we open new facilities to treat more Kentucky patients. Prior to this assignment, Tim was Vice President of Administration for the Medical Group and Ambulatory Services at UK Healthcare. He came to UK in February 2021. Prior to UK Healthcare, he was COO at Augusta University Medical Center, COO at University of Wisconsin in Madison, and CAO at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics. He is a Fellow in ACHE since 2007.

[Kathi Eldridge, Associate Vice President, Talent Acquisition at Baptist Health](#)

Turning Crisis into Opportunity -

Turning Crisis into Opportunity, How Baptist Reduced Contract Labor amid a Historic Nursing Shortage. Sharing Baptist's firsthand experience with vendor selection, policy, procedure, technology alignment to drive significant cost savings.