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Scott Flinn, MD, is Regional Medical Director, Provider Performance, Blue Shield of California, where he focuses on improving the value of care delivered to Blue Shield members. Dr. Flinn is also a volunteer leader of CDC's National Hypertension Control Roundtable. Previously, Dr. Flinn was the Chief Medical Officer at Arch Health Partners medical group, and served 22 years in the US Navy. Highlights included two tours with the Navy SEALs as an Undersea Medical Officer; Medical Director for Primary Care at Naval Hospital San Diego; and Force Surgeon for Naval Surface Forces in charge of the health care for all Navy ships worldwide. A graduate of the University of Pittsburgh Medical School, Dr. Flinn is a member of the American Academy of Family Practice and the American College of Physician Executives, becoming a Certified Physician Executive in 2013. He is board certified in Family Practice with a CAQ in Sports Medicine. Dr. Flinn is a member of the Right Care Technical Expert Group; Co-Chair, Right Care University of Best Practices; and Co-Founder of the Bay Area Silicon Valley University of Best Practices. He formerly co-chaired the Right Care Initiative's 1st University of Best of Practices in San Diego.