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TO: Cook County Health & Hospitals System Board Members
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FROM: William T. Foley 
Chief Executive Officer
Cook County Health & Hospitals System

RE: Roles and Responsibilities of New CCHHS Leadership

I'd like to clarify roles and responsibilities of some of the new CCHHS leadership team, the appointments of each I announced last week. Please refer to the attached organization chart.

Chief Operating Officer: Dr. Tony Tedeschi is responsible for all of the organizational entities of the health system listed on the chart with the exception of the Department of Public Health. Dr. Steve Martin reports directly to me. Effective 9/1/09, Procurement/Purchasing will report to Dr. Tedeschi as well.

Chief Administrative Officer: David Small serves as CAO until his departure from CCHHS on or before 11/30/09. David is responsible for several special projects in the following areas: revenue cycle management with Med Assets, performance improvement with Navigant, IT and ERP installation with ACS (David continues to chair the IT Steering Committee), and assisting Pitt Calkin and the Finance team with preparation of our FY2010 budget.

Chief Clinical Officer: Roz Lennon begins her duties as CCO on Monday 7/27/09. Roz will be primarily responsible for nursing, laboratory and pharmacy services across the System. The entity CNO's will have a dual reporting relationship to Roz and their respective COO's. Additionally, Roz will be responsible for quality (working in partnership with the CCHHS CMO), patient safety and patient satisfaction/service excellence.

Director of Performance Improvement: Jeanene Johnson serves as Director of Performance Improvement. She is responsible for organizing and facilitating all performance improvement activities across CCHHS including revenue cycle, the performance improvement assessment, IT and ERP installation. The consultants from Med Assets, Navigant and ACS are accountable directly to Jeanene for their work.

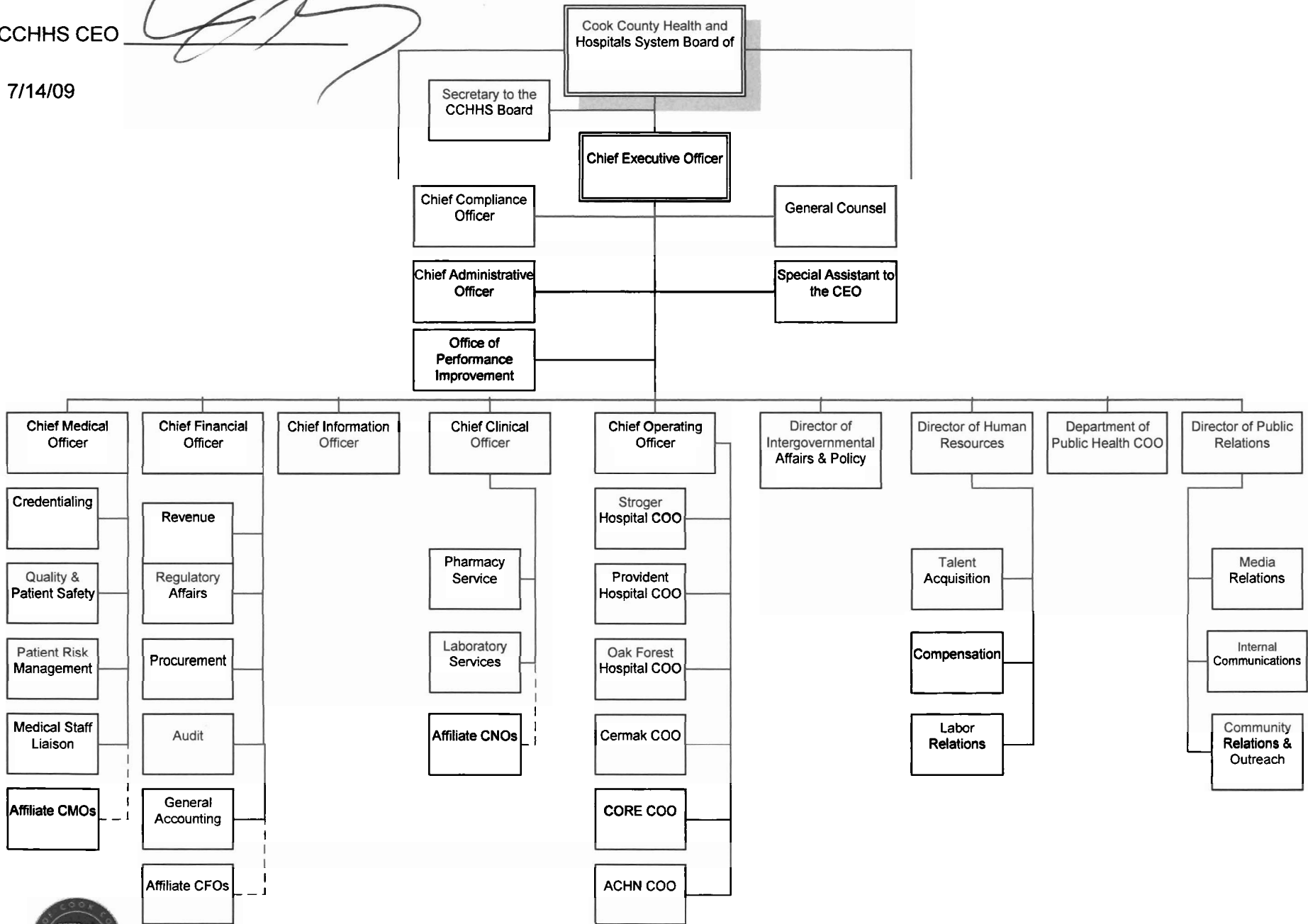
Special Assistant to the CEO: Joy Wycowski assumes this position on 8/3/09. Effectively, Joy will serve as the "chief of staff" to my office responsible for multiple projects related to strategic planning and performance improvement implementation, organizing my office and serving as my representative to the County and external organizations for certain activities and functions

Chief Financial Officer: Michael Ayres begins his duties as CFO on 9/1/09. Pitt Calkin will remain as Interim CFO through the end of September to help transition Michael.

Recruitment is in process for the CCHHS **Chief Medical Officer, Chief Information Officer** and **Chief Compliance Officer**. Our goal is to have incumbents selected for these positions by 8/31/09.

CCHHS CEO

7/14/09



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