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New Chief Information Officer Named at University Physicians Healthcare

TUCSON, Ariz. (Feb. 5, 2010) – Kevin Christiansen has been selected as chief information officer of University Physicians Healthcare. Christiansen’s responsibilities include facilitating and managing the data processing needs of all UPH clinical locations including UPH Hospital . He also manages all UPH software applications, solves systems problems and supervises the information systems staff.

Christiansen joined UPH in 2000 as director of information systems. He has 35 years of health care industry experience and earned master’s degrees in health services administration and business administration from Arizona State University.

UPH is a nonprofit corporation created in 1985 as the medical practice of the physicians of the UA College of Medicine. Together, UPH, The University of Arizona, UPH Hospital and University Medical Center combine to care for patients, educate medical students, train young physicians and conduct clinical research. With over 350 physicians and 1,500 staff, UPH is Arizona’s largest physicians group.

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