### NORTH TEXAS HEALTH FORUM

# **Event Summary**

**Event Director:** Dr. Richard Kurz, Dean of School of Public Health

**Date of Event:** Tuesday, April 15, 2008 (see schedule below)

**Event Venue:** Fort Worth Community Arts Center <a href="www.fwcac.com">www.fwcac.com</a>

1300 Gendy St, Fort Worth (817) 738-1938

(At the corner of Camp Bowie Blvd and Montgomery St.)

**Admission:** The event is free and open to the public. Please click on the icon

below to register. Registration is not required but assists the

Forum in planning for the event.

### **North Texas Health Forum**

**Speaker:** Thomas C. Dolan, President & CEO

American College of Healthcare Executives

# Thomas C. Dolan, PhD, FACHE



Thomas C. Dolan, PhD, FACHE, CAE, is president and chief executive officer of the American College of Healthcare Executives, an international professional society of more than 30,000 healthcare executives who lead hospitals, healthcare systems, and other healthcare organizations. With comprehensive programs in credentialing, education, career counseling, publications, and research, ACHE works toward its goal of being the premier professional society for healthcare leaders by providing exceptional value to its members.

Before his appointment as president and CEO, Dr. Dolan served as ACHE's executive vice president. Prior to joining ACHE, he held a variety of teaching, research, and administrative positions at St. Louis University, the University of Missouri-Columbia, the University of Washington, and the University of Iowa.

He has served as chair of the Association of University Programs in Health Administration, the Association Forum of Chicagoland, and the Institute for Diversity in Health Management. He has also served as president of the Mental Health Association in Missouri and as a member of the board of trustees of Alexian Brothers

Hospital in St. Louis. Dr. Dolan currently serves as chairman of the American Society of Association Executives and is also on the board of the International Hospital Federation.

He is board certified in healthcare management and a Fellow of both the American College of Healthcare Executives and the American Society of Association Executives. Dr. Dolan is also a Certified Association Executive. He received his doctorate in hospital and health administration from the University of Iowa and his bachelor's degree from Loyola University Chicago.

#### **Schedule of Events**

- I. 12:00 PM Lunch with Dr. Dolan. Interactive discussion with questions from alumni and other invited guests.
- II. 2:30 PM Afternoon conversation with Dr. Dolan for a large group of UNT and other students providing an opportunity for students to interact with a leader in health services and public health.
- III. 6:00 PM Evening Forum with keynote by Dr. Dolan attended by media, representatives from sponsors, hospitals and health systems, public health agencies, voluntary agencies, community leaders, students, and the general public.
- IV. 7:15 PM Public Reception following Dr. Dolan's keynote speech.

#### **For Further Information**

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