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Allan Baumgarten is an independent analyst whose work focuses on health care policy, finance and local market trends and strategies. For nearly 30 years, he has published *Minnesota Health Market Review*, a nationally recognized annual report analyzing key trends and competitive strategies for health plans and provider systems in that market. He currently publishes *Health Market Reviews* in seven other states: Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Texas and Wisconsin. He has contributed data analysis to studies of the New York insurance market published by the United Hospital Fund and, with support from health care conversion foundations, prepared market studies for Arizona, California and Kentucky in the 2000s.

He consults to a variety of organizations to help them analyze market competition and policy issues and to develop business strategies to meet the challenges of dynamic markets and health reform. His clients include foundations, investment firms, health plans, provider organizations and manufacturers of pharmaceuticals and other health products and services. He prepared an analysis of new provider-sponsored health plans for the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation in 2017 and completed an analysis of provider strategies in New Jersey for the Foundation in 2015. Links to his foundation reports and to samples and excerpts from his state market studies are found at www.AllanBaumgarten.com

In the past year, he has presented his research to organizations like Minnesota Community Measurement, the Government Financial Officers Association, chapters of the Healthcare Financial Management Association and the Minnesota Health Action Group.

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