



Senior Vice President, Health Finance and Policy

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In his capacity as Senior Vice President, Health Finance and Policy, Mr. Speil manages the Federation's broad portfolio of payment policy issues. He serves as the association's chief liaison with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly the Health Care Financing Administration) and the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission. Working closely with the senior finance and policy executives in the Federation's member companies, Mr. Speil develops and carries out both issue-specific and general strategic plans designed to advance the finance and payment-related regulatory and legislative interests of the Association where they matter most - in the dynamic healthcare marketplace.

Prior to joining the Federation, Mr. Speil served as Associate Vice President, Policy Coordination and Communication, for the Health Industry Manufacturers Association (now AdvaMed), the national trade group representing the medical technology industry. Before moving to Washington, Mr. Speil held a succession of increasingly responsible management and policy positions in Massachusetts, including Legal Counsel to the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Counsel for the Executive Office of Health and Human Services, Executive Director of the Disabled Persons Protection Commission, and Legal Counsel and Policy Director in the Office of State Health Planning. Mr. Speil also taught health law and policy as an Assistant Professor at Simmons College Graduate Program of Health Administration.

His federal experience includes service in the Food and Drug Administration's Office of Legislative and Congressional Affairs, and the Environmental Protection Agency's Office of General Counsel.

Mr. Speil earned a J.D. degree from American University's Washington College of Law; a Masters in Public Health degree in Health Administration from the University of North Carolina School of Public Health; and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Anthropology/Zoology from the University of Michigan.