

# *Len Nichols, Ph.D*

## charles w. bodemer lecture

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**4 - 5 p.m.**  
**Health Sciences T-625**

*Reception to follow*

**Dr. Len Nichols** is Professor of Health Policy and Director of the Center for Health Policy Research and Ethics at George Mason University. He continues the work he began at the New America Foundation, bridging the worlds of health economics and health services research for health system stakeholders and clinical leaders, elected and appointed policy officials and journalists. He founded and directed Health CEOs for Health Reform, a group that was pivotal in helping policy makers see that delivery system reform and health insurance reform are necessary and feasible complements.

He is frequently interviewed and quoted by major media outlets including the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Congressional Quarterly*, *National Journal*, *NPR*, *Lerher News Hour*, the *BBC*, *NBC Nightly News*, *ABC News Tonight*, and *CBS Evening News*.

## *“The Physician Leadership We Need”*

**With all the focus on cost pressures, insufficient attention has been devoted to the leadership role that physicians must play if the transformation of health systems is to be successful.**

*The CHARLES W. BODEMER Lecture honors Dr. Bodemer’s groundbreaking labors in the development of medical history and ethics at the University of Washington.*

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