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As a physician executive, Todd B. Taylor, MD, is responsible for Microsoft Corporation's worldwide healthcare provider communications for the Microsoft Health Solutions Group and its enterprise family of products called Amalga. These efforts are part of Microsoft's commitment to helping the health industry realize its potential for improved productivity, quality and safety.

Taylor has more than 20 years of clinical and academic medicine experience combined with a variety of healthcare information technology activities. He also has healthcare administrative experience as former Medical Director for Emergency Professional Services, PC and as Founder & President of CompuGraphics. Before joining Microsoft he was chief medical officer for MediServe Information Systems, Inc. in Tempe, Arizona where he helped develop and market a variety of information systems products.

After receiving his Doctor of Medicine from Indiana University School of Medicine, he completed an emergency medicine residency in Detroit. He is board certified by the American Board of Emergency Medicine and serves as a fellow of the American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP).

Taylor is an internationally recognized advocate for healthcare IT, which began with his contribution to the groundbreaking ACEP Emergency Department of the Future Project in 1992. He is the author of several informatics publications and served as chair and newsletter editor for the ACEP Section of Emergency Medical Informatics.

Areas of special interest include medical informatics and automation; hospital and emergency department efficiency and throughput; billing, coding and reimbursement management; and healthcare policy related to legislative and regulatory advocacy.