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Lead by Example: Dr. Bill Ventres's Rx for Improving Global Health



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Dr. Bill Ventres is a seasoned family physician and medical anthropologist. Clinically, he has more than 30 years' experience as a community -based family doctor working in both ambulatory and hospital settings. His work has focused on the care of underserved and minority populations in safety-net clinics, corrections health settings, and attending principally to economically poor and socially marginalized patients. Outside of clinical practice, he has been a leader in the international development of family medicine, physician-patient communication, and using qualitative methods to explore research questions in generalist practice. He has written extensively on topics related to social determinants of health, ethics in global health practice, and social accountability in medical education.