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Barbara Beckerman, M.B.A., has over 40 years of experience in government, business and industry, and education, including: business development; program and project management; research and development in biomedical informatics, biomedical engineering, telemedicine and healthcare information technologies; advanced communications technologies; information/privacy security, technology assessment & transfer; strategic planning and implementation; organizational change; and education/training.

She is currently Program Manager of Biomedical Engineering for the Computational Sciences and Engineering Division at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL). She is also the founder and director of ORNL's Biomedical Science and Technology Initiative (BSTI), a multi-disciplinary, inter-departmental, collaborative team of researchers with compatible biomedical interests. She has managed and served as either PI or Co-PI of multi-year, multi-million dollar projects with large multi-disciplinary and multi-organizational collaborative project teams, including the following biomedical programs: 1) National Digital Mammography Archive (NDMA) Phases I and II, with the Universities of Pennsylvania, Chicago, North Carolina and Toronto, funded by the National Library of Medicine (1999-2003); 2) Telemammography Feasibility Study, Phases I and II with the University of Pennsylvania (funded by DHHS Office on Women's Health) (1996-1999); 3) Personal Information Carrier electronic medical record, and the Virtual Flight Surgeon Office, funded by U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command/ Telemedicine and Advanced Technology Research Center (TATRC) (1998-2003); and 4) the Community-Wide Secure Information Sharing (CSIS) project, with the Advanced Technology Institute/South Carolina Research Authority, (funded by NIST) (1995-1999). She also served as the technical project manager for an \$8.5 million project for the Department of Homeland Security Office for Bombing Prevention (DHS/OBP), called the Bombing Prevention Capabilities and Analysis (BPCA) project (2007). In addition to providing technical support to the overall Principal Investigator (PI) and the entire team, she managed 6 of the 8 subcontracts for the project. She joined Martin Marietta Energy Systems in 1989, having previously worked at SAIC (1985-1987) and RJO Enterprises (1987-1989) in Oak Ridge as a subcontractor to DOE.

She received her B.A. in English, Cum Laude, from the University of Miami (1964), and the M.B.A in Organizational Design and Management from Clark University, Worcester, MA (1984). She is a member of the American Telemedicine Association (ATA). She also represented the Department of Energy's Oak Ridge Complex on the Multi-Agency Consortium for Improving Women's Health. She has over 25 publications, invited talks, and conference presentations on healthcare-related topics.