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Grant joined Beaumont in 2015 to oversee the nursing practice for the 10,000 nurses across Beaumont. She came from Emory Healthcare in Atlanta, where she served as chief nurse executive and chief patient services officer since 2006. Under her leadership, Emory adopted patient- and family-centered care as its approach to care delivery in partnership with more than 150 patient and family advisors and two of Emory’s hospitals achieved Magnet designation. Grant also served on the system executive team managing the successful admissions and communications related to the first two patients with Ebola virus disease treated in the United States. In addition, she served as interim dean of the Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing at Emory University and associate dean for clinical leadership.

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Beaumont Health is Michigan’s largest health care system and is most preferred for health care in Southeast Michigan, according to NRC Health survey data. The not-for-profit organization was created to provide patients with greater access to compassionate, extraordinary care, every day. Beaumont has a total net revenue of $4.7 billion and consists of eight hospitals with 3,429 beds, 145 outpatient sites, nearly 5,000 physicians, 38,000 employees and 3,500 volunteers. In 2018, Beaumont had 178,196 inpatient discharges, 17,790 births and 572,597 emergency visits. For more information, visit beaumont.org.