

Eric Brown

Eric Brown is the President and CEO of the California Telehealth Network (CTN). CTN is the State of California's broadband network dedicated to health care designed to utilize broadband technology to improve access to the best quality health care with an emphasis on rural and medically underserved communities. Under his leadership, CTN was launched in late 2010 and has grown to become the largest FCC Rural Health Care Pilot Program in the nation with roughly 400 health care sites. In 2011, Eric initiated the consolidation of the California Telemedicine and eHealth Center (CTEC) into CTN where it now operates as the California Telehealth Resource Center, providing technical and programmatic assistance to health care providers statewide.

A 15 year veteran of the cable television industry, Eric served as President of the Western Division Operations for Charter Communications, serving over 1.2 million households in six states with annual revenues exceeding \$1.2 billion. During his tenure at Charter, Eric's team launched the first all digital cable system in the United States in Long Beach, CA in 2004.

In addition to his cable industry experience, Eric has extensive experience in consumer brand management with multiple consumer product companies, including The Procter & Gamble Company, H.J. Heinz, and Bumble Bee Seafoods.

Eric is also the past Chairman of the California Cable and Telecommunications Association (CCTA). He is a recipient of the prestigious National Cable & Telecommunications Association Vanguard Award for excellence in broadband operations and the cable industry's CTAM Chairman's Award for excellence in broadband marketing.

A graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA), with a Bachelor's degree in Political Science, Eric earned a Master's degree in Business Administration from the Darden School of Business Management at the University of Virginia.