Lois Quam to Lead U.S. Global Health Initiative

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Lois Quam, the former CEO of the Medicaid and Medicare division of UnitedHealth Group, will lead the U.S. State Department's $63 billion Global Health Initiative (GHI), the *Star Tribune* reports. GHI, which includes the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR), combats HIV, tuberculosis and malaria around the world. Secretary of State Hillary Clinton described GHI as a "crucial component of American foreign policy." Quam was one of Clinton's top advisors on rural health issues from 1993 to 1994.

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