

# The Role of Healthcare Supply Chain in Bending the Cost Curve

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# Basis for Comments

- 10 years of research on the health care supply chain.
- Extensive analysis of health care purchasing models in the US and Europe.
- Understanding of supply chain purchasing strategies across multiple industries.
- Understanding of global sourcing and contracting.
- Founder and Co-Director of the Health Sector Supply Chain Research Consortium (<http://wpcarey.asu.edu/hsrc-asu/>)

# Leading Text on Health Sector Supply Chain Management

"Strategic Management of the Health Care Supply Chain" provides students, faculty, managers, and researchers with a clear understanding of the health care supply chain and its role in health care strategy. It builds on fundamental concepts including sourcing of materials, forecasting demand, selecting and employing distribution models, and assessing risks, showing how they aid in the pursuit of supply management excellence in the health sector.



# First Major Handbook on Supply Chain Strategy

The Handbook is the first substantive, multidisciplinary academic work to make coherent analysis of supply systems from the perspective of purchasing and supply, operations management, logistics, supply chain management, service management, industrial or relationship marketing, and interorganization networks.

