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Curriculum vitae

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Dr. Wulf-Dietrich Leber is a German health economist. He was the long-time head of the "Hospitals" department at the National Association of Statutory Health Insurance Funds (GKV-Spitzenverband) in Berlin (Feb 2008 – Feb 2025). After studying economics (Aachen, Kiel), he initially worked for four years (1987 – 1990) at the Advisory Council for the Concerted Action in Health Care (Sachverständigenrat für die Konzertierte Aktion) and earned his doctorate in Hanover on the topic of "Risk Structure Compensation". Following German reunification, he held positions in Berlin (head of the AOK Federal Association's Dependence) and in Magdeburg (head of the policy department at the AOK State Association of Saxony-Anhalt). In 1996/97, he was the project manager of the AOK Family Doctor Model (Frankfurt) and worked in the areas of disease management and physician networks. From 1998 to 2004, Wulf-Dietrich Leber headed the "Inpatient Services, Rehabilitation" department at the AOK Federal Association. From 2004 to 2008, he was the head of the "Health" division, responsible for the traditional contract areas such as outpatient and inpatient care, pharmaceuticals, and long-term care insurance.