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Mark Meyer is a Family Medicine physician in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He has worked with at risk and lower income patients for most of his career, first at a faith-based nonprofit community health center, and now at Shadyside family health center. Mark is an assistant professor of family medicine at the University of Pittsburgh school of medicine, but his primary role is teaching within the family medicine residency programs at UPMC. Throughout his career, he has been involved in international medical work. For the past 15 years his focus has been on facilitating improved health in a mountainous region of Honduras. This community oriented primary care project, now called Shoulder To Shoulder Pittsburgh / San Jose, has facilitated the growth of a global health track within the three UPMC family medicine residencies. In the process of trying to find solutions in a low resource setting, Mark and his colleagues have used various technologies to facilitate health care delivery, and improve health outcomes. His work with family medicine residents, pharmacy students and professionals, medical students, and other health professionals, revolves around the idea of trying to find transferable solutions for use in similar low resource settings.