J Larry Tyler, FACHE, FHFMA, CMPE has enjoyed a 40 career in healthcare. Larry is a graduate of Georgia Institute of Technology with an undergraduate in management and from Georgia State University with a Master of Professional Accountancy degree. He was an auditor with Price Waterhouse & Co., a CPA and CFO for two different companies before he started Tyler & Company, a healthcare executive search firm in 1978. Over the next four decades, he became an accomplished writer, lecturer and consultant in the career development space. His activities include:

- Was selected to be the first Chairman of the ACHE Career Development Committee and was held over for a second term
- Taught ACHE's Resume Critiquing Service for 20+ years
- Wrote Tyler's Guide The Healthcare Executives Job Search for ACHE's Health Administration Press. The book has been one of HAP's best sellers and is now in its fourth edition
- Lectured on careers in numerous health administration programs including University of Alabama-Birmingham, Georgia State University, University of Colorado, Medical University of South Carolina, and many more.
- Written numerous articles on careers for Healthcare Executive magazine, Wall Street Journal, and other magazines.
- Has personally interviewed over 3,500 healthcare executives and conducted 185 CEO searches for both non-profit and for-profit healthcare organizations.
- In 2008, Larry was named by *Business Week* magazine as one of the 100 most influential executive search consultants in the world.
- Larry has the longest-running seminar at ACHE Congress. He has taught "Transitioning From Military to Civilian Healthcare" for 30+ years.
- Larry was ACHE Regent for Georgia from 2015-2018. Larry currently serves on the board of GAHE as Senior Advisor.
- In 2010, Larry received the President's Award from ACHE. The award has been given three times; he was the second recipient.

After selling Tyler & Company in 2013 and transitioning over the next two years, Larry has been involved in healthcare governance education through the Practical Governance Group and working with Wiederhold and Associates as Master Career Coach for Senior Players.