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Elizabeth Brinkley is a Principal with the national healthcare strategy and planning firm The Innova Group. Recognized for her knowledge of healthcare planning and operations, and her skills in facilitation and systems thinking, Ms. Brinkley leads healthcare facility, operational and strategic planning, programming, research, and data assessment engagements. She provides implementable, innovative solutions within the healthcare industry and is fiercely committed to planning for healthier communities.

Elizabeth's career in healthcare planning includes long tenures in consulting and architecture firms, where she has shepherded domestic and international projects, authored articles on health district planning, urban planning, and NICU facility models, as well as moderated virtual panels for the Georgia Association of Healthcare Executives (GAHE). She presented on *Systemwide Facility and Capital Planning* at the Pediatric Environment Network in Philadelphia and at 2023 ACHE Congress.

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