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Interim CEO, officer leave hospital's staff

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The chief financial officer of Taos Health Systems was tapped to serve as interim chief executive officer last month.

Steve Rozenboom assumed the role after interim CEO Phil Lowe left the organization in September.

Lowe stepped into the post July 14 after the departure of Peter Hofstetter, who had led the nonprofit which includes Holy Cross Hospital since 2009.

Meanwhile, the search for a new CEO continues, chairman Ron Burnham told board members during a meeting Sept. 24.

Another interim CEO will likely be selected to lead the organization until a long-term replacement for Hofstetter is recruited, he later indicated.

One candidate, chief information and operations officer Spencer Hamons, is also leaving Taos Health Systems.

Following Hofstetter's departure, Hamons expressed hopes of serving as CEO but will take a job with a health care technology company. — *Andrew Oxford*