

## **Yitzhak Peterburg Biography**

Yitzhak Peterburg is a Milken Institute Senior Visiting Fellow focusing on health information technology and knowledge transfer within large-scale, fragmented networks.

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He was previously President and CEO of Cellcom, the leading Israeli cellular company. As the CEO of Clalit Health Services, the leading health-care provider in Israel, considered to be the second-largest HMO in the world, he led the health IT reform of Clalit services. Before heading Clalit, Peterburg was the Director of Soroka University Medical Center, Beer-Sheba.

He holds a medical degree from Hadassah Medical School at Hebrew University of Jerusalem and is board certified in Pediatrics. He has also a doctorate in health services administration from the Columbia University School of Public Health in New York and a master's degree in information systems from the London School of Economics.