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Anthony (Tony) Harrell is the Director of Information Security & Information Technology, and the Senior Information Security Officer at SGMC Health. With more than 25 years in healthcare IT and cybersecurity, he focuses on protecting patient data, maintaining operational resilience, and keeping hospitals out of the news for all the wrong reasons.

Tony is known for translating complex risk and technology challenges into plain English, applying common sense where policy alone fails, and using humor, with a measured dose of snark, to keep people engaged during conversations about things that actually matter.

Side note: most geek clichés apply. Tony proudly claims Apex Geek status and considers it an occupational requirement.