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Dr. Eran Bellin is the Vice President of Clinical IT Research and Development at Emerging Health Information Technology, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Montefiore Medical Center. Boarded in Internal Medicine and Infectious Disease, and trained in Clinical Epidemiology at the Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars program at Yale, Dr. Bellin served as Director of Infectious Disease Services at Montefiore's Rikers Island Health Service from 1989 through 1994. He was responsible for the Infectious Disease Care for the over 100,000 unique inmates seen annually. He developed and supervised a 140 bed negative pressure respiratory isolation facility for TB care on Rikers, developed protocols and supervised the directly observed TB therapy and HIV care program. In 1994, Dr. Bellin became the program director and supervised the medical and psychiatric service composed of 1,100 Montefiore clinicians and administrators and lead the program ultimately to JCAHO certification with commendation in 1997.

With more than 350 people trained and a commitment by the Montefiore Medical Center to include its use in its quality process and in its training program of internal medicine, Clinical Looking Glass has become an integral part of the process of change in quality care evaluation and Institutional Review Board approved Research at Montefiore. Dr. Bellin is an Associate Professor of Epidemiology and Population Health at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine where he mentors fellows in the Clinical Research Training Program.