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Since 2006 Andrew has been the Health Industry Distributors Association's (HIDA) Vice President for Policy and Research. In this capacity he is responsible for leading and managing the government affairs, advocacy, communications, and research capacities of the association.

Prior to joining HIDA, Andrew spent six years at The Advisory Board Company, a public, for-profit hospital consulting firm based in Washington, D.C. As a Director, Andrew worked with hospital management teams and boards of directors to deliver, present, and implement financial, operational, and human resource based consulting work and research. In addition to his experience at The Advisory Board Company, Andrew spent two years at the United States Department of Labor where he focused on health care and unemployment insurance issues. Andrew also worked as a White House intern during the Clinton administration.

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