

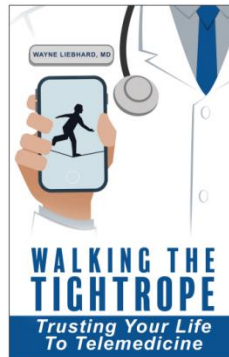
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Physicians have a moral and ethical duty to provide their patients with care that is both safe and appropriate, despite any outside pressures they may face. Given the current dominance of government and corporate-run medicine, are physicians still in a position to be able to honor their ethical duty when it comes to the appropriate use of telemedicine? Or have their employers now taken control of what patients are offered when it comes to options for their care?

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