

# Seven Neurological Surgery, P.C. Physicians Again Recognized As 'Top Doctors' In New Directory

*A small number of physicians are recognized with this honor each year – approximately 6,500 of the 55,000 or so licensed physicians in the tri-state area.*

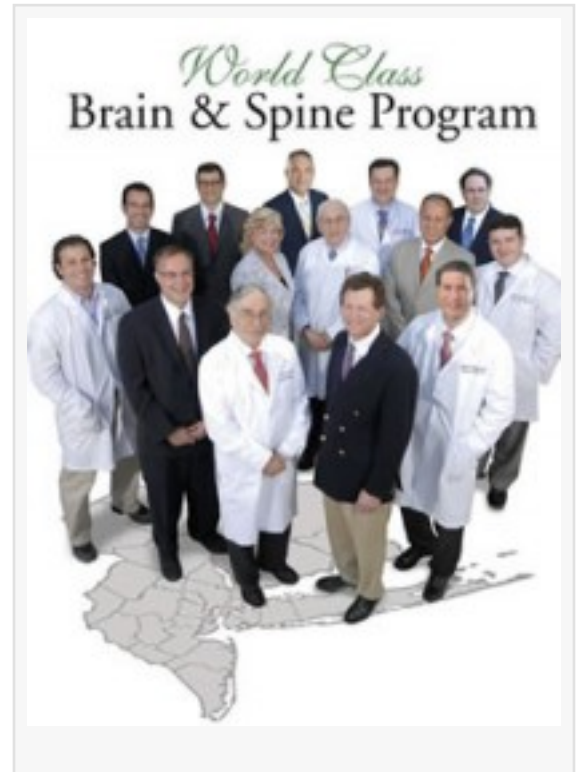
ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY, USA, February 24, 2015 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Seven physicians from the [Neurological Surgery, P.C.](#) (NSPC) private practice, which has offices throughout Nassau and Suffolk Counties, have been recognized again as leading physicians in their fields in the 18th Edition of Castle Connolly Top Doctors: New York Metro Area. All [NSPC physicians](#) on the list were also listed in the previous edition of the directory.

NSPC physicians named to this list include:

- Jonathan L. Brisman, M.D., neurosurgeon specializing in cerebrovascular and endovascular conditions;
- Jeffrey A. Brown, M.D., F.A.C.S., neurosurgeon specializing in the treatment of trigeminal neuralgia, brain tumors and pain surgery;
- Alan B. Ettinger, M.D., M.B.A., neurologist specializing in the treatment of epilepsy;
- John A. Grant, M.D., F.A.C.S., who specializes in pediatric neurosurgery;
- Robert N. Holtzman, M.D., neurosurgeon specializing in cranial, spinal and peripheral nerve surgery;
- Stephen T. Onesti, M.D., F.A.C.S., neurosurgeon specializing in spine surgery; and,
- John Pile-Spellman, M.D., F.A.C.R., interventional neuroradiologist.

"Our practice has among the most physicians on the "Top Doctors" list of any across the entire metro New York region," said Michael H. Brisman, M.D., F.A.C.S, CEO, Neurological Surgery, P.C. "This helps confirm that our patients get the best specialized care available anywhere."

Castle Connolly bases its "Top Doctors" selections on peer nominations. All licensed physicians are invited to participate in this online process. Castle Connolly directly contacts more than 50,000 physicians and health care executives nationwide in order to solicit these nominations.



Physicians can nominate other doctors they feel are the most outstanding in their [medical specialties](#), in any area of medicine and any part of the country, indicating also whether they believe the physician is among the best in the region or the best in the nation. A physician can not nominate him/herself.

The Castle Connolly physician-led research team makes tens of thousands of phone calls each year, talking with leading specialists, chairs of clinical departments and vice presidents of medical affairs, seeking to gather further information regarding the top specialists for most diseases and procedures. Each year, Castle Connolly receives nearly 100,000 nominations via this process. The credentials of every physician considered for inclusion are also carefully reviewed.

About Neurological Surgery, P.C.

Neurological Surgery, P.C. is one of the New York City area's premier neurosurgical groups, offering patients the most advanced treatments of brain and spine disorders. These include minimally invasive procedures such as stereotactic radiosurgery (Gamma Knife<sup>®</sup>, CyberKnife<sup>®</sup> and Novalis Tx<sup>®</sup>), aneurysm coiling, neuro-endoscopy, spinal stimulators, carotid stents, interventional pain management, microdiscectomy, kyphoplasty, and other types of minimally invasive spine surgery. The practice's physicians represent a range of surgical and nonsurgical specialties, combining compassionate care with highly specialized training. They are leaders in the region's medical community, with appointments as chiefs of neurosurgery in some of Long Island's best hospitals. NSPC offers nine convenient locations in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. For more information, call 1-800-775-7784 or visit [www.NSPC.com](http://www.NSPC.com).

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