CHICAGO SPINE CENTER AT WEISS OFFICIALLY OPENS TO PATIENTS

Leading surgeon Purnendu Gupta, M.D., heads state-of-the-art center

Weiss Memorial Hospital celebrated the grand opening of the Chicago Spine Center at Weiss with an open house and ribbon cutting on Nov. 1, highlighting its seven spine surgeons. Pictured (from left) are Frank Molinari, CEO of Weiss Memorial Hospital; Krzysztof Stelmachow; MD, orthopedic spine surgeon; Henry Finn, MD, medical director of the Chicago Center for Orthopedic at Weiss; Purnendu Gupta, MD, medical director of the Chicago Spine Center at Weiss; Laura Ruszkowski, RN; Theodore Fischer, MD, orthopedic spine surgeon; and Eldro Komlanc, MD, PhD, orthopedic spine surgeon.

The Chicago Spine Center at Weiss, part of the Chicago Center for Orthopedics at Weiss, is an innovative new facility with academic specialists in spine surgery, pain management, rehabilitation medicine, physical therapy and occupational therapy with comprehensive nursing care and case management. The center will treat people with all spinal disorders in need of either complex surgery or minimally invasive approaches. Medical Director Purnendu Gupta, MD, is an associate professor of surgery in orthopedics and rehabilitation medicine at the University of Chicago and is a proven leader in spine care and research.

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