

My philosophy is "Do your best, learn in depth, care from your heart and let God do the rest."



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## **BRAIN AND SPINE NEUROSURGEON AND CARPAL TUNNEL SURGEON**

### **Neurosurgeon, Neuro-Intensivist, Anesthesiology, Neuro and Pain Specialist**

- Clinical Professor at University of Illinois at Chicago
- Apostolic Blessing Plaque from his Holiness Pope Benedict XVI of Vatican, Rome, Italy, 2006
- "America's Top Surgeons" Award 2007
- "America's Top Anesthesiologist" Award 2006
- Uniquely Qualified and Board Certified in Five Clinical Medical Specialties: Neurological Surgery, Anesthesiology Neurocritical care, Pain Management and Independent medical examiners.
- American Diplomat in the American Board of Neurological Surgeons, American Board of Anesthesiology and Independent Medical Examiners and in Pain Management and United Council of Neurological subspecialty for NeuroCritical care.
- Fellow of The American College of Surgeons (FACS) and Active Member of the American Association and the Congress of Neurological Surgeons and the American Society of Anesthesiology and Society for Neurosurgical Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine
- Author and Researcher to Hundreds of Presentations and Publications. Frequent Speaker and Course leader and lecturer for multiple neuroscience symposiums.
- Yearly Attendance at Nationwide Seminars and Courses.
- Pioneer Research in Neurophysiology and Motor Evoked Potentials
- Awards for "Best Neurosurgeon of the Year", "Best Patient and Family Partner" and numerous Honored Plaques
- American Heart and Stroke Hero Award for 2005, Former Chairman of Stroke Program at Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center, and Former Chair of the Medical Sub-committee for the western suburbs. The author of a reference tool for physicians entitled "Operations Stroke – Primary Kit to Physicians"
- Featured articles in major newspapers such as the: *Chicago Tribune* - "Miracle Worker"; *Herald News* in Joliet - "In the Master's Hand"; *Beacon News*, Aurora - "Truly a Miracle" and *Sun*, Fox Valley, Plainfield and Naperville – "The Mind, Body, and Spirit" as well as various appearances on television and radio
- Featured in "DOCTORS MAKING A DIFFERENCE" Cook Suburban/West Suburban, 2003.
- Rotary/One International and Rotary Club of Chicago since 2001.
- Founder/President for *The Ghaly Foundation for Neuroscience Care*; providing patients and family Neuroscience Awareness and empowerment. Leader in the community service for neuroscience care awareness and Numerous Case Testimonial Stories
- Author of Three Books, Publisher iUniverse (2007), [www.iuniverse.com](http://www.iuniverse.com) (1-800-288-4677), entitled:
  - Book I "Christianity and the Brain; Faith and Medicine in Neuroscience Care"
  - Book II "The Christian Brain and the Journey between Earth and Heaven"
  - Book III "The Christian Brain and the Journey to the Last Hour"
  - Book IV "Patients tell their stories"

### **EDUCATION:**

#### **HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS**

CENTRAL DUPAGE HOSPITAL, WINFIELD, IL  
JSH OF COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL, CHICAGO, IL  
ADVOCATE ILLINOIS MASONIC MEDICAL CENTER, CHICAGO, IL

#### **AMERICAN BOARD CERTIFICATIONS**

AMERICAN NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY (1998)  
NEURO-CRITICAL CARE (2008)  
ANESTHESIOLOGY (1993)  
PAIN MANAGEMENT (1997)  
INDEPENDENT MEDICAL EXAMINER (2008)

#### **RESIDENCY COMPLETED**

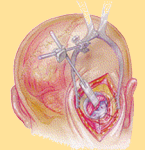
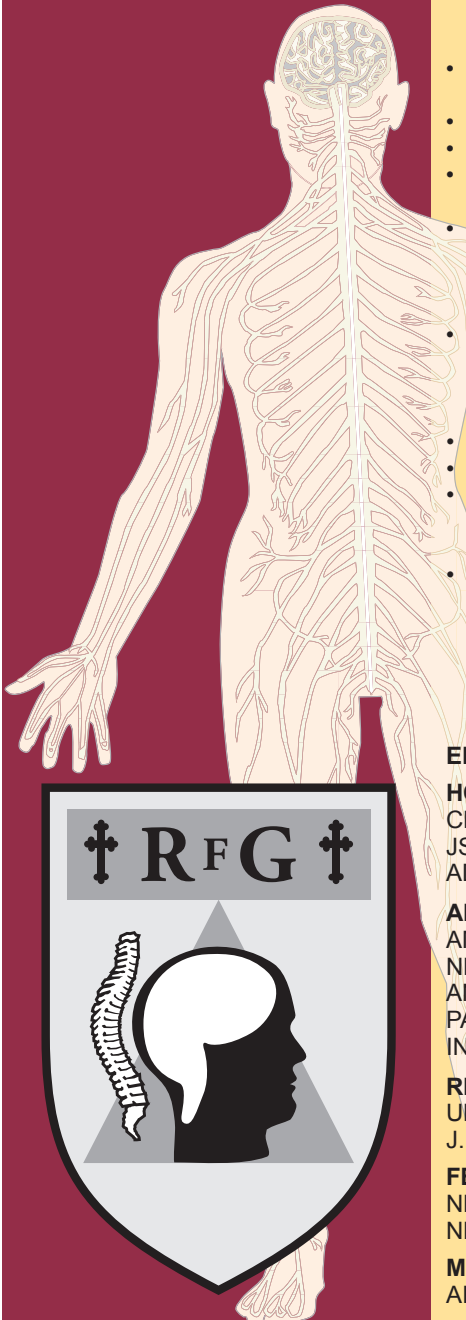
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO, CHICAGO, IL (1995)  
J. STROGER OF COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL (1990)

#### **FELLOWSHIP**

NEUROTRAUMA AND NEUROPHYSIOLOGY (1987)  
NEUROANESTHESIOLOGY AND CRITICAL CARE (1991)

#### **MEDICAL SCHOOL**

AIN SHAMS UNIVERSITY, CAIRO, EGYPT



## TYPES OF SURGERIES PERFORMED BY DR. GHALY

### LATEST TECHNOLOGY:

INTA OPERATIVE MRI  
IMAGE-GUIDED BRAIN SURGERY  
INTRAOPERATIVE IMAGING  
MICROSCOPIC SPINE SURGERY  
ENDOSCOPIC CARPAL TUNNEL RELEASE SURGERY

### BRAIN SURGERY FOR:

\*Tumors  
\*Hemorrhages  
\*Trigeminal Neuralgia and Microvascular Decompression  
\*Head Trauma, Brain Injury and Monitoring Brain Pressure

### PERIPHERAL NERVES

\*Endoscopic Carpal Tunnel Release Surgery  
\*Ulnar Nerve Decompression & Transposition,  
and Wrapping with Neural Tube Transposition

### PATIENT EDUCATION

\*Patient and Family are the Center and Focus of Care  
\*Patient Empowered Care is a Priority  
\*Provides Detailed Ongoing Education During Care Process.

### SPINE SURGERY FOR:

\*Neck and Back Pain  
\*Cervical and Lumbar Disc Herniation  
\*Spinal Stenosis  
\*Spinal Tumors

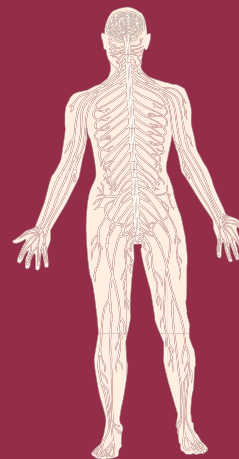
### SPINE INSTRUMENTATION SURGERY USING LATEST TECHNOLOGY

\*Spine Instrumentation for Cervical, Thoracic,  
& Lumbar  
\*Spine Reconstruction Surgery

### SURGICAL TREATMENT OF PAIN

### NEURO CRITICAL CARE MANAGEMENT

\*Comprehensive, Compassionate, Holistic Care  
\*Partners with Your Referring Physician  
\*Continuity of Care



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## WHAT OUR PATIENTS SAY- A SAMPLE OF UNSOLICITED NOTES RECEIVED:

"In Appreciation of Your Professionalism, Dedication, & Commitment to Practicing Medicine of the Highest Caliber. Thank You for Giving Michael Nutoni a Second Chance at Life With Much Gratitude From His Loving Family."

"Thank you so much for all of the time and loving care you took with our family. God gave you a wonderful gift not just with your hands but also with your heart. You are a special doctor and person and my father was grateful to you for taking on his special situation. Our family will be forever thankful that you came into our lives." (Melissa Forte)

"I can't believe I am alive, much less progressing as far as I have. I thank you for that. Words can't say what you have done for me over the last few weeks, we really appreciate all your attention and kindness. You certainly have a gift. Thanks for saving my life." (Connie Parish)

"Dr. Ghaly took the time to explain all procedures and was very helpful", satisfaction survey.

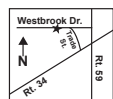
"There are no words to describe the compassion you gave my whole family during this past week's struggle with Dean's brain tumor situation. I have met neurosurgeons before and appreciate their skill; however you are like no other. Your skill is coming from your heart and not just your education as a surgeon. Please keep our family in your prayers and know that you will always have a special place in the hearts of the Abrahamson family." (Jayne)

"I really don't know how to express the gratitude that I feel with my care before, during, and after my surgery. I know that my surgery was not nearly as difficult or life threatening as what you often do, but to us it was serious. I thank God for dedicated doctors like you. My family was so impressed with all of your visits and phone calls you made to us the day of surgery and to our home that evening, and for my successful surgery. Thank you to you and your whole team. May God continue to bless you in your special calling." (Dean and Audrey Hodney)

"Simple goodness-what you see...what you feel... what you give to others. Thank you for taking extra time and caring about my health problem. I appreciate so much the kind consideration as you directed me in the right direction. May God bless you as you continue to bless others." (Carol Christian)

"No words can ever express my gratitude for saving the life of my mom. She is blessed with the care and continued concern you show for her recovery. I wish there were more doctors like you on this earth. You really care about your patient and we are honored to know you. God bless you." (Nada Voss)

"Thank you so much for such a wonderful experience with my surgery. You're such a talented and gifted surgeon, but more than that, you are a patient, caring and loving man. My family and I appreciate the personal attention you have given and continue to give. I'm so lucky to have you taking care of me." (Ken Brissa)



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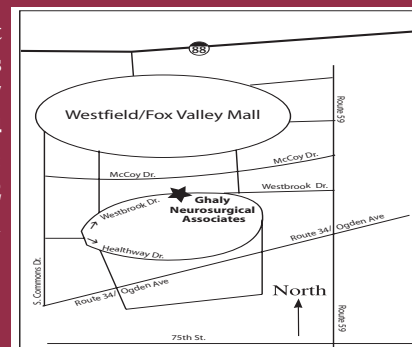
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## IMPORTANT REMINDERS FOR OUR PATIENTS

-Weekday appointments available.

-Please call our insurance departments HealthPCP at 708-532-6029 to verify your insurance coverage.

-If possible, arrive 30 minutes *before* your first appointment with us to complete forms

-Please bring all medical records and original (not CD) films with you. We believe in Comprehensive, holistic care, and knowing your entire medical condition allows us to better serve you.