
Memorial Health Care System



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Dr. Lee Jackson chosen among “Top Doctors”

Chattanooga, TN – A urological oncologist at Memorial Health Care System was named among the best doctors in the country by U.S. News and World Report.

Dr. Lee Jackson was selected to U.S. News and World Report’s 2011-2012 Top Doctor list based on a peer nomination process followed by a thorough review.

U.S. News Top Doctors was developed in collaboration with Castle Connolly Medical Ltd., publisher of *America's Top Doctors* and other guides, and was built upon data from *Castle Connolly's Top Doctors* with the goals of helping consumers find the doctors who can best address their needs and enlisting doctors across the country to share their awareness of who among their peers are the most worthy of referral.

“It is truly an honor to have a physician at Memorial as talented and as well respected among his peers as Dr. Jackson,” said James M. Hobson, president and chief executive at Memorial. “It is a real luxury and benefit to our patients knowing that they are getting the best care available right here in Chattanooga.”

Dr. Jackson received his medical degree from the University of Michigan in 1982 and is Board Certified in Urology. He typically employs some of the most advanced and minimally invasive techniques and equipment available such as the *da Vinci Si* robot, which is available in Chattanooga only at Memorial.

The U.S. News Media & World Report’s 2011-12 Best Hospitals and Top Doctors rankings are available online at www.usnews.com/besthospitals. The rankings, annually published by U.S. News for the past 22 years, also will be featured in the *U.S. News Best Hospitals* guidebook, which will be available August 30.

Memorial Health Care System is a not-for-profit, faith-based healthcare organization dedicated to the healing ministry of the Church. Founded by the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth and strengthened as part of Catholic Health Initiatives, it offers a continuum of care including preventative, primary and acute hospital care, as well as cancer and cardiac care, orthopedic and rehabilitation services. Memorial is a regional referral center of choice with 4,000 associates and more than 700 affiliated physicians providing health care throughout Southeast Tennessee and North Georgia. Memorial Health Care System is recognized as one of the nation's 100 Top Hospitals® by Thomson Reuters, the health care industry's leading source of information on hospital quality. To learn more, visit www.memorial.org.

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