Meet Your Neurologist

Barry Jay Riskin, MD



The investigation and treatment of neurological diseases requires patience, insight, and judgment, all of these come from expert training and years of experience.



We listen. We care.

A Holistic Approach

"Neurological diseases often impacts not only the patient's level of function, but also the patient's life at home, work, and even interpersonal relationships. I take a holistic approach and help my patients and their families navigate through these and other aspects of their life."

Fellowship

Rush Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center, Chicago, IL, Epilepsy/EEG

Residency

Rush Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center, Chicago, IL, Neurology

Internship

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

MD

Rush Medical College, Chicago, IL

BS

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Genetics and Development

Certification

Board Certified by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology Illinois Certified

National Board of Medical Examiners

Professional Memberships

American Academy of Neurology

American Epilepsy Society, American Medical Society

American Heart Association

Chicago Neurological Society

Illinois Medical Society

International Society of Hypertension

Awards

Bronze Tablet from University of Illinois

Medical Interests

Multiple sclerosis (Designated as an MS Partner in Care through the National Multiple Sclerosis Society), neuromuscular disease, dementia and Parkinson's disease.

Department of Neurology

In the Department of Neurology, Dr. Riskin specializes in the diagnosis and treatment of disorders of the central and peripheral nervous systems, which include the brain, spinal cord and outlying nerves in the body.

Section Chief: Christie Clinic Neurology, Bloomington

Leadership/Community Involvement

Clinical Associate Professor, Carle Illinois College of Medicine Adjunct Associate Professor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Exercise Neuroscience Laboratory, Department of Kinesiology and Community Health

Dr. Riskin enjoys exercise, travel, cooking and gardening.

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