



## IN FOCUS

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We are fortunate to have Dr. Wayne Manness, Dr. Joseph P. Alenghat and Dr. Liyuan Yu on the GRC team, providing comprehensive neuroradiology services to your patients.

When a patient is referred to GRC for imaging of the brain, spinal cord, head or neck, it often triggers tremendous stress on them and their family. At GRC, we appreciate the opportunity to work with our referring physicians to provide educational tools to help your patients understand the procedures you order. We also believe it is beneficial to offer information that helps clarify who our radiologists are, how they work with you and details of their specialized training.

All three GRC locations utilize advanced CT and MRI technology and we continue to provide comprehensive interventional radiology services and advanced studies of the brain and spine. We have a dedicated physicians referral number if you have any questions about our neuroradiology services. Please call 847-599-1GRC to discuss your needs.

### **GRC Build-Outs Accommodate New MRI**

GRC in Gurnee, is undergoing all the final preparations to accommodate a new Toshiba America Medical Systems 1.5T Vantage Atlas MRI. We anticipate a January 2008 completion date.

The new MRI system represents a breakthrough in clinical diagnostics and patient care. With the most advanced magnetic resonance imaging technology available, it provides unprecedented comfort for faster, more efficient scans.

In addition to the MRI installation, the Gurnee location front entrance repairs have been completed.

### **BlueCross BlueShield Still Accepted**

All three GRC locations continue to accept BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois and we are happy to help those who have recently been affected by this change from other area providers. Visit our 'Patient Forms' page at [GRCimagingcenters.com](http://GRCimagingcenters.com) for our complete list of accepted insurance. Your patients can also access our pre-registration forms online which helps to expedite their visit to GRC.

### **GRC Launches New Heart Health Program with Libertyville Fire Dept.**

Sadly, over the last 30 years, statistics have shown that heart disease contributes to 45% of the deaths of on-duty firefighters. GRC has vowed to help reduce these numbers by creating a program called, *Helping the Hearts of Those Who Care for Lake County*.

The program's objective is to proactively identify firefighters and Police Officers at risk of heart disease. With the help of Dr. Larry Kaskel, Medical Director of the Heart Attack Prevention Center, GRC presented a series of educational programs for members of the Libertyville Fire & Police Departments. An estimated 20 participants will soon undergo a comprehensive screening with Dr. Kaskel. From this group, those who have been identified to be at greater risk, will undergo CT Coronary Angiography at the GRC Libertyville location.

GRC is donating their services for this pilot program. "Because statistics show that the greatest risk to firefighters on the job is heart attack, we hope to provide these fine men and women serving the community with

important insight into their own heart health. We're grateful for Fire Chief, Rich Carani and his enthusiasm for the program," offers Dr. Jeffrey Rosengarten, Medical Director of GRC.

GRC will continue working toward expanding the program to all of the Fire Departments and Emergency Response agencies in Lake County.

### **Introducing CfMRI**

GRC is proud to announce our new clinical fMRI (CfMRI) program. Now, right here in the heart of Lake County, is the convenience of a complete CfMRI screening facility.

We offer a team of radiologists and neuroscientists ready to help whether you are familiar with the procedure or just beginning. By calling our "Fast Track" number (847) 968-2GRC, you can order exams or speak to a team member for further information. If you prefer, we can meet to discuss a customized CfMRI program and exam paradigms to best fit your needs.

With a 24 hour turnaround time, and easy to order specialty pads, GRC's CfMRI convenient program is the first in Lake County and Chicago's North Shore.

GRC is committed to this important outreach and we believe many patients will benefit from this program. We take pride in offering you this advanced level of screening.

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