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Relief for Sufferers of Chronic Pain Pinnacle Pain Medicine

Chronic pain is a major medical problem. Nearly 80 million Americans suffer from a chronic pain condition such as lower back pain or experience pain due to cancer, a spinal cord injury or multiple sclerosis.

Fortunately, new medical breakthroughs to control pain have drastically improved the quality of life for many people.

As the largest pain group in Dallas/Fort Worth, Pinnacle Pain Medicine has treated thousands of patients using state-of-the-art technologies to effectively reduce or substantially eliminate their pain. Pinnacle Pain providers offer comprehensive pain medicine services in offices conveniently located across the Dallas/Fort Worth metroplex.

When choosing a physician to manage your pain or perform a procedure to relieve your pain, experience and knowledge make a difference. The physicians of Pinnacle Pain Medicine were trained at some of the nation's best training programs including Harvard, Johns Hopkins, Yale and Texas Tech. All are board certified in anesthesiology by The American Board of Anesthesiology (ABA) and board certified by the ABA with Added Qualifications in Pain Management (ABA-PM) or the American Board of Pain Medicine (ABPM) or board-eligible in pain medicine.

The Painful Facts

Suffering and disability caused by chronic pain are enormous. Every year, pain deprives society and its workers of an estimated four billion workdays, which add up to \$55 billion in lost productivity for full-time workers. Persons living with persistent pain are four times more vulnerable to depression and anxiety than pain-free individuals.



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Expert Physicians and Treatments

Pinnacle Pain Medicine is dedicated to improving the care of patients through the evaluation, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of painful disorders. When a patient first comes to Pinnacle, he or she receives an extensive consultation with a pain specialist to aid in the development of a treatment plan. A combination of medication, rehabilitation therapy, injection procedures or further diagnostic testing is usually recommended.

"We believe that we are experts in virtually every leading-edge pain technology and treatment available," says Jeffrey Wasserman, M.D., Co-Director of Pinnacle Pain Medicine. "We offer a variety of procedures, ranging from conservative to invasive. We specialize in providing solutions for unusual and difficult pain disorders."

Some of the practice's most common procedures include epidural steroid injections, spinal cord stimulation, nerve blocks, Botox injections for pain and non-surgical disc repair procedures for

disc tears and herniations. Other services include discograms, intrathecal pump therapies, trigger point injections, neuroablation and many others.

Leading Researchers

"Pinnacle Pain Medicine actively supports clinical research as a way to improve pain medicine and provide patients with new and improved

treatments and devices." says Aaron Lloyd, M.D., Co-Director of Pinnacle Pain Medicine.



The physicians of Pinnacle Pain Medicine are often invited to lecture nationally about their expertise in pain medicine. Certain physicians in the group also serve as consultants to medical device and pharmaceutical companies.

Pinnacle Pain Medicine works to ensure a better quality of life for patients. A specialist is always on call, 24 hours a day. To find a Pinnacle Pain Medicine location convenient to you, call 972-715-5000.

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