

STROKE CENTER OF EXCELLENCE



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COMBINING THE BEST OF ACADEMIC-FOCUSED MEDICINE, TRAINING AND RESEARCH

Stroke is a prominent concern in global health care that has a notable impact on people, their families and communities around the world. The influence of a stroke on an individual's health can result in a range of physical, cognitive and emotional limitations that differ based on the seriousness and site of the stroke. To address the impact of stroke on individuals and communities, it is crucial to focus on prevention, early detection and effective medical treatment. Investing in stroke prevention, treatment and rehabilitation can help lessen the impact of stroke on individuals and communities, enhance the well-being of survivors and foster healthier communities in general.

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT OUR MISSION

"THE BEST CARE FOR STROKE IS ACHIEVED IN STROKE CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE. TOGETHER WITH OUR PARTNERS IN STROKE NEUROLOGY, NEUROLOGICAL ICU AND INTERVENTIONAL NEURORADIOLOGY, WE OFFER STATE OF THE ART CARE WITH THE NEWEST TECHNOLOGIES. THE NEXT STEP IS TO ENHANCE OUR COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND RESEARCH TO PREVENT STROKE WHEN POSSIBLE AND IMPROVE OUTCOMES AND QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ARIZONIANS WHO DO SUFFER A STROKE. THIS INITIATIVE NOT JUST ADDRESSES A CRITICAL HEALTHCARE NEED FOR OUR COMMUNITY BUT ALSO POSITIONS OUR TEAM AS A LEADING SITE FOR INNOVATION AND WORLD CLASS TRAINING."

-JULIE G. PILITSIS, MD, PHD, MBA,
DEPARTMENT CHAIR OF NEUROSURGERY

OUR PURPOSE

The Stroke Center of excellence is committed to preventing stroke and delivering top-notch care for individuals who have suffered a stroke, aiming to ensure their well-being through a holistic approach. The center's primary objective is to achieve optimal results through bold innovation, collaborative research and training the next generation.

SUSTAINING DEPARTMENT GOALS – NOW AND IN THE FUTURE

Philanthropic investment raised will support:

- State-of-the-art facilities to ensure evidence-based treatments
- Stroke prevention and education
- Research and clinical trials

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