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All,

I am excited to share with you that UF Health Jacksonville has received two prestigious awards and has been ranked as one of the top hospitals in multiple areas of care in the latest report released by Healthgrades. Among those achievements are clinical quality awards in cranial neurosurgery and critical care. We are the only hospital in Northeast Florida to receive those distinctions.

This recognition demonstrates that our dedication to helping our patients continues to improve. And with our ongoing efforts, we will make the patient experience even better.

The Healthgrades 2019 evaluation of the nation's hospitals reveals the importance of consumer access to high-quality care and analyzes the performance of nearly 4,500 hospitals nationwide, as measured by risk-adjusted mortality and complication rates. This analysis identifies the top-performing hospitals — namely those whose outcomes are statistically significantly better than expected.

UF Health Jacksonville achieved 5-star ratings from Healthgrades in the following categories:

- Esophageal/stomach surgery
- Heart failure
- Respiratory failure
- Sepsis
- Stroke

This is an amazing achievement, and I could not be more proud.

Thanks,

Steven Wylie
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