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Neurosurgeon Joins Sacred Heart Medical Group

PENSACOLA, Fla. – Neurosurgeon Dr. Ann Carr has joined Sacred Heart Medical Group’s regional physician network. Dr. Carr will practice at Sacred Heart Hospital Pensacola, located at 5153 N. Ninth Avenue, Suite 404.

Dr. Carr specializes in using minimally invasive surgery to treat conditions of the brain and spine, including injuries, strokes, tumors and neurological issues.

Dr. Carr joins the office of Sacred Heart Medical Group neurosurgeons Dr. Maria Toledo and Dr. Juan Ronderos, as well as pediatric neurosurgeon Dr. Matthew Pearson. She is accepting new patients and most major insurance plans. For information or to schedule an appointment, call 850-416-2250 or visit sacredheartmedicalgroup.com.

Dr. Carr graduated with her medical degree and completed her general surgery residency training at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. She then completed a residency in neurosurgery at West Virginia University.

She comes to Sacred Heart from Capital Regional Medical Center in Tallahassee, where she has held the positions of chief of surgery and president of the medical staff. She currently serves as a member of the clinical faculty for the Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Dr. Carr has a special interest in neurological injury resulting from motorcycle and ATV collisions. She has presented her research to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and to the annual meetings of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons, the Congress of Neurological Surgeons and the Neurological Society of the Virginias. She has been published in national, peer-reviewed journals, including “Neurosurgery” and “Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise.” She is a member of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons.

Sacred Heart Medical Group offers the largest network of primary care and specialty physicians in Northwest Florida, with more than 80 locations and 300 providers from 25 specialties along the Gulf Coast from Gulf Shores, Ala., to Apalachicola, Fla. The Medical Group is supported by the hospitals and resources of Sacred Heart Health System. To find a physician and request an appointment, call 850-416-2337 or visit www.sacred-heart.org/medicalgroup.

About Sacred Heart Health System

On the Gulf Coast, Sacred Heart Health System based in Pensacola, Florida, and Providence based in Mobile, Alabama, are part of Ascension. Together, these Ascension healthcare facilities have served Gulf Coast communities for more than 160 years and they employ more than 6,600 associates. Across the region, Ascension provided more than \$113 million in community benefit and care of persons living in poverty in fiscal year 2016. Ascension is a faith-based healthcare organization committed to

delivering compassionate, personalized care to all, with special attention to persons living in poverty and those most vulnerable. Ascension is the largest non-profit health system in the U.S. and the world's largest Catholic health system, operating 2,500 sites of care – including 141 hospitals and more than 30 senior living facilities – in 24 states and the District of Columbia. For more on Sacred Heart Health System, visit www.sacred-heart.org.

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