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NORTH CYPRESS MEDICAL CENTER RECEIVES RECOGNITION FOR ACID REFLUX PROCEDURE

Cypress, TX, 4/20/10- North Cypress Medical Center and Dr. Bradley Waggoner, General Surgeon at North Cypress Medical Center, have been recognized as a Distinguished TIF (Transoral Incisionless Fundoplication) Center-Silver. TIF, Transoral Incisionless Fundoplication, is an innovative new surgical procedure performed through the mouth, without incisions, for the treatment of GERD. It serves to reconstruct the body's natural barrier to reflux. This recognition is a result of exceptional outcomes, a high level of clinical experience, and consistent procedure volume. The Distinguished TIF Center designation further allows patients to choose their providers and hospitals who are experienced and committed to offering the best possible clinical outcomes for patients.

This distinguished accomplishment by North Cypress Medical Center and Dr. Waggoner sets them apart as the first surgeon or hospital program to have reached this high level of distinction in the greater Houston area. Dr. Waggoner was one of the first specialists in the Northwest Houston area trained to perform the TIF procedure.

Dr. Waggoner will be hosting a Free Seminar on Thursday, July 26, 2011, at 7:00pm to explain how the new TIF Incisionless Surgery may help cure your chronic heartburn or acid reflux. For more information or to register for the seminar, please call 832.912.3734.

North Cypress Medical Center is located at the corner of Hwy 290 at Huffmeister. For more information on the TIF Procedure, please call Dr. Bradley Waggoner's office at 281.640.8373.

North Cypress Medical Center is a 150-bed acute care hospital located in Cypress (northwest Houston area), Texas. The hospital offers patients state-of-the-art medical care and technology in an upscale, five-star hotel-like atmosphere. Medical services include Cardiology, Critical Care, Emergency Care, Orthopedics including a Total Joint and Spine Center, Cancer care including Radiation Oncology, and Surgical Weight Loss. Visit our website at ncmc-hospital.com for more information.

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