

## Texas Back Institute Doctors: Invested in Your Future

### *Industry Relationships*

As nationally recognized leaders in back and neck care, Texas Back Institute physicians are at the forefront of advancements designed for patients with disabling spine problems. For over 30 years, the Texas Back Institute's mission has included leadership roles in clinical research, new technological procedures, and helping to develop new medical products to improve patient care. As such, Texas Back Institute physicians are frequently sought out by medical device manufacturers to participate in product development, research and education.

Manufacturers and research organizations realize that surgeons are necessary contributors to the development and improvement of devices and instruments used in the treatment of many orthopedic and spinal conditions. Without contributions by surgeons, engineers working in the medical device industry would lack the real-life experience necessary to fully develop and improve their inventions and advancements in spine care.

Surgeons at the Texas Back Institute work with many companies, both large and small, to help create and improve products for patient care. As such, they are compensated for their intellectual efforts and for their time. This is a standard industry practice. They participate as Consultants, on Scientific Advisory Boards, and even on Boards of Directors. Compensation for such services may come in various forms including, but not limited to: (1) consulting fees for services provided by the orthopedic surgeons, (2) royalty fees for patents based on the sale of products for which the surgeons made important contributions, and (3) equity interests in the manufacturers or distributors of medical products. Some of the products or devices made or distributed by these companies may be used in your medical treatment. However, a doctor's decision as to which, if any, products or devices to be used in your care and treatment is made based upon what is in your best medical interest.

The following is a current list of companies with whom one or more TBI physicians have financial relationships. Please feel free to learn more about these companies from their websites, and to ask your TBI surgeon any specific questions or concerns you may have about a company, product, or your doctor's relationships with the company.

<b>Company Name</b>	<b>Website/Product</b>
4 Web, Inc.	
11A Investment, LLC	
Aeglea Biotherapeutics	<a href="http://www.aegleabio.com">www.aegleabio.com</a>
Aesculap	<a href="http://www.aesculapusa.com">www.aesculapusa.com</a>
Agada Medical	
AlignMed, Inc.	

Alphatec Spine, Inc.	<a href="http://www.alphatecspine.com">www.alphatecspine.com</a>
Asia Medical Investments, LLC	
Auctus Surgical, Inc.	
Baylis Medical	
Biowave	<a href="http://www.biowave.com">www.biowave.com</a>
BrainLab	
Centinel Spine	<a href="http://www.centinelspine.com">www.centinelspine.com</a>
Choice Spine	
Clariance	
Crocker Spinal Technologies, Inc.	<a href="http://www.crockerspinaltechnologies.com">www.crockerspinaltechnologies.com</a>
CrossTrees Medical	<a href="http://www.xtreesmed.com">www.xtreesmed.com</a>
Depuy Synthes (part of Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies)	<a href="http://www.depuysynthes.com">www.depuysynthes.com</a>
Episode Solutions	
European Spine Journal	
Excelsius Angel Partners, LLC	
FloSpine	
Fuse Medical	
FzioMed, Inc.	<a href="http://www.fziomed.com">www.fziomed.com</a>
Globus Spine	
Innovasis, Inc.	<a href="http://www.innovasis.com">www.innovasis.com</a>
International Spine & Orthopedic Institute, LLC	
K2M, Inc.	<a href="http://www.k2m.com">www.k2m.com</a>
Lattice Biologics, Inc.	<a href="http://www.latticebiologics.com">www.latticebiologics.com</a>
Longitude Capital Management	
Massively Parallel Technologies	
Medacta USA	
Medtronic, Inc.	<a href="http://www.medtronic.com">www.medtronic.com</a>
MiMedx	<a href="http://www.mimedx.com">www.mimedx.com</a>
Misonix	<a href="http://www.misonix.com">www.misonix.com</a>
Nanovis	
NeoSpine	
Nexus Medical Reviews	
Nocimed	<a href="http://www.nocimed.com">www.nocimed.com</a>
NuVasive	<a href="http://www.nuvasive.com">www.nuvasive.com</a>
Orthofix Spine (Orthofix Holdings, Inc.)	<a href="http://www.orthofix.com">www.orthofix.com</a>
Osprey Biomedical Corp.	<a href="http://www.ospreybiomedical.com">www.ospreybiomedical.com</a>

PDP Holdings, LLC & Episode Solutions	<a href="http://www.pdpholdings.com">www.pdpholdings.com</a>
Pingadr/Medelinc	
PorOsteon, Inc.	
Premia Spine	
ProTransit Nanotherapy	<a href="http://www.protransitnanotherapy.com">www.protransitnanotherapy.com</a>
Providence Medical	
Quadrant Biosciences	
Reiley Pharmaceuticals	
Relievable Medsystems, Inc.	<a href="http://www.relievable.com">www.relievable.com</a>
Replication Medical, Inc.	<a href="http://www.replicationmedical.com">www.replicationmedical.com</a>
RTI Surgical	
Safe Orthopedics	
SeaSpine	
SI Bone, Inc.	<a href="http://www.si-bone.com">www.si-bone.com</a>
Silony Spine	
Silver Bullet Therapies	
Simplify Medical	
Sites Medical	
SMC Biotechnology, Inc.	
Spinal Kinetics, Inc.	<a href="http://www.spinalkinetics.com">www.spinalkinetics.com</a>
Spinal Simplicity	
SpineUp	
SpineWelding AG	<a href="http://www.spinewelding.com">www.spinewelding.com</a>
St. Jude Medical, Inc.	<a href="http://www.sjm.com">www.sjm.com</a>
Stimwave	
Stratera Spine	
Stryker Spine	<a href="http://www.stryker.com">www.stryker.com</a>
Tenon Medical, Inc.	
Texas Health Rockwall MOB 2	
Theracell, Inc./DermOQ	<a href="http://www.theracellinc.com">www.theracellinc.com</a>
Theragen	
Titan Spine	
TRAK Surgical, Inc.	
Vertebral Technologies, Inc.	
Woven Orthopedic Technologies	<a href="http://www.wovenorthopedics.com">www.wovenorthopedics.com</a>
Zimmer Biomet	<a href="http://www.zimmerpine.com">www.zimmerpine.com</a>

We hope this helps clarify the nature of our involvement in research and development leading to advances in neck and back care. We are very proud to be leaders in technological innovation that results in better patient care.

## **Texas Back Institute Doctors: Invested in Your Care**

### *Facility Relationships*

Many of the physicians at the Texas Back Institute have financial interests in facilities and providers in North Texas. These facilities and our physicians are committed to providing clinical excellence to our patients in a safe, high quality environment. Their financial interest in these facilities often provides them a voice in administration and in clinical and operational policies. This involvement helps to ensure the highest level of patient care and customer service. Patients of the Texas Back Institute always have the option of utilizing an alternate health care facility or provider. Please ask one of our representatives for a list of alternate facilities. TBI physicians welcome any questions regarding this aspect of their patient's care.

The following is list of providers with whom TBI, a TBI affiliate, or one or more TBI physicians have a financial interest:

- Baylor Scott & White Medical Center at Frisco
- Baylor Scott & White Medical Center at Uptown
- Baylor Scott & White Surgicare of Denton
- Enter Health
- Legacy Physiatry
- Mansfield Surgery Plaza, LLC
- Medical City Denton
- Medical City Plano
- Methodist McKinney Hospital
- Oak Point Surgical Suites
- Patient Physician Network
- Plano Medical Center, LLP (same as Texas Health Center for Diagnostics & Surgery)
- Rockwall Regional (same as Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital of Rockwall)
- Syzygy Medical, Inc.
- Texas Health Presbyterian Plano Center for Diagnostics & Surgery (same as Plano Medical Center)
- Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital of Flower Mound
- Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital of Rockwall (same as Rockwall Regional)
- Texas Health Surgery Center Rockwall
- United Surgical Partners
- Up and Open Imaging

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Please sign below acknowledging receipt of this disclosure:

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Patient's Signature

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Date