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67 Ratings

## Colin K. Franz, MD, PhD

Shirley Ryan AbilityLab

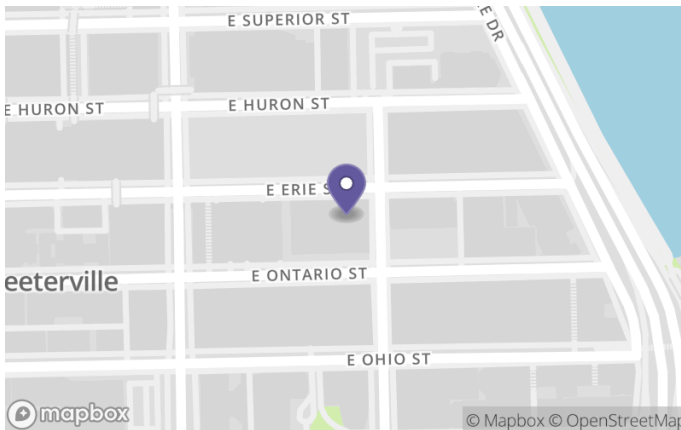
Primary Specialty

**Neuromuscular Medicine**

Secondary Specialties

**Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation**

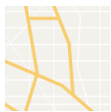
### Locations



#### Regenstein Center for Neurological Care

259 E Erie St Ste 1900  
Lavin Family Pavilion  
Chicago, IL 60611  
📍 0.07 mi

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#### Shirley Ryan AbilityLab

355 E Erie St  
Chicago, IL 60611  
312.238.1417

📍 0.16 mi

### Insurance Accepted

Insurance plans are subject to change. View insurance plans accepted at each hospital and by each NMHC physician

group.

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## Practice Groups and Affiliations

Medical Group	Shirley Ryan AbilityLab
Alignment Category	Independent Practitioner Northwestern Medicine Physician Network
On Medical Staff At	Northwestern Memorial Hospital

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## Education

Medical Education	MD, University of Calgary Cumming School of Medicine - 2012
Internship	McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University - 2013
Residency	McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University - 2017
Fellowship	McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University - 2018

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## Board Certifications

American Board of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation - Neuromuscular Medicine (Certified)  
American Board of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (Certified)

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## Ratings & Reviews

At Northwestern Medicine, our patient's feedback is important to us. While different care providers have their own unique strengths, we strive to be as transparent as possible with our quality of care. [Read more](#)

### Care Provider Ratings

#### Overall rating

4.9



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#### Reviews From Patients

44 Reviews

MARCH 18 2022

**He paid attention to my concerns, is friendly, listens very well and answers questions clearly. He seems to have an excellent grasp of the scientific and medical details that matter**

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MARCH 17 2022

**Friendly and personable not rushed appointment**

FEBRUARY 17 2022

**Thorough, kind, competent, and very knowledgeable about my condition.**

FEBRUARY 3 2022

**Dr Franz is excellent and spends a lot of time with me explaining my situation and what he thinks we need to do**

JANUARY 20 2022

**I like how he ask me, how I am doing and I like how he explain things to me he is a good doctor he don't mind getting what you need.**

JANUARY 11 2022

**Dr Franz is attentive and engaged in conversations and creative in searching for solutions to problems.**

DECEMBER 22 2021

**He is a very good Doctor!**

DECEMBER 21 2021

**He took his time with me and asked a lot of questions.**

DECEMBER 2 2021

**He's terrific- he really listens and he explains well too. I couldn't be happier with his care - all the staff is great.**

NOVEMBER 14 2021

**Very caring. Always helping and trying to figure out my daughters complex medical history.**

NOVEMBER 5 2021

**Once again he is an excellent listener with good & honest advice**

OCTOBER 17 2021

**He's the best. His bedside manner can not be beat.**

OCTOBER 12 2021

**Listens attentively to all concerns. Gives plenty of time to address everything at visit.**

OCTOBER 5 2021

**I have a very complex situation, and I brought a friend to help. He listened to the inputs from both of us and spent time going over me and ordered more tests and will see me in a couple of weeks for the next course of action.**

OCTOBER 3 2021

**Listens to patients**

SEPTEMBER 9 2021

**Very thorough. Explains in understandable terms. Caring.**

AUGUST 29 2021

**Dr. Franz actually listened and looked at me during my visits. That means a lot to me!**

AUGUST 25 2021

**responsiveness**

JULY 16 2021

**Very nice Very thoughtful and an expert!**

JUNE 9 2021

**He is a very good doctor and I am very happy that he is my doctor.**

MAY 2 2021

**Kind and attentive**

MARCH 29 2021

**Professional, knowledgeable and personable. Willingness to explain what was being done and recommendations for future.**

MARCH 19 2021

**Made me feel at ease, took time to listen to all my concerns and questions, and was very good in explaining everything.**

MARCH 10 2021

**I just met him today over a telemedicine call, but he met all my expectations of a NM Neurologist.**

MARCH 10 2021

**Explains everything to me--kind and very competent doctor.**

FEBRUARY 19 2021

**My first meeting with him was today. He was very thorough and explained what is going on with me. I am very impressed with him**

FEBRUARY 19 2021

**He understands my situation and communicates very well**

JANUARY 27 2021

**I feel like he is truly trying to help me with my health issues**

JANUARY 19 2021

**Extremely alert to my conditions and symptoms.**

JANUARY 19 2021

## **Caring, Consistent and Knowledgeable**

JANUARY 13 2021

**Very responsive to questions**

DECEMBER 23 2020

**He is a very good doctor and I trust him very much.**

DECEMBER 9 2020

**Dr. was very professional and nice! Explained everything that was happening in the tests and then some of the results to me, and gave me detailed follow up instructions.**

NOVEMBER 10 2020

**I have had 2 pleasant experiences w Dr. Franz thus far**

NOVEMBER 8 2020

**Spent the time to review my medications and recommended new doseages.**

OCTOBER 2 2020

**The Dr. was very patient and thorough with his exam and clearly presented the next steps forward to receive care!**

SEPTEMBER 22 2020

**Dr. Franz is very thorough, answered all my questions, and is very knowledgeable.**

SEPTEMBER 22 2020

**Very knowledgeable doctors and staff and provide excellent care. Courteous, too!**

SEPTEMBER 22 2020

**Dr. Franz is a great Dr.**

SEPTEMBER 22 2020

**I was highly satisfied with my care.**

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## **Faculty Profile**

<http://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/faculty-profiles/az/profile.html?xid=32998>

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