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361 Ratings

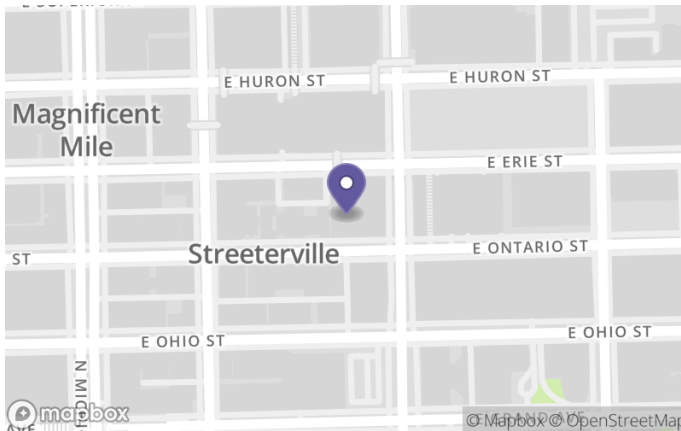
Darren M. Brenner, MD

Northwestern Medical Group

Primary Specialty

Gastroenterology

Locations



Northwestern Medicine Digestive Health Center

259 E Erie St Ste 1600
Lavin Family Pavilion
Chicago, IL 60611
📍 0.07 mi

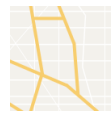
312.695.5620
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Northwestern Medical Group

676 N St Clair St Ste 1400
Arkes Pavilion
Chicago, IL 60611
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📍 0.1 mi



Northwestern Medicine Glenview Outpatient Center - Digestive Health/Hepatology

2701 Patriot Blvd
Glenview, IL 60026
847.535.6083

📍 17.83 mi

Insurance Accepted

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

Practice Groups and Affiliations

Medical Group	Northwestern Medical Group
Alignment Category	Northwestern Medicine Physician Network
On Medical Staff At	Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Education

Medical Education	MD, University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine - 2002
Residency	University of Michigan Health System - 2005
Fellowship	University of Michigan Health System - 2008

Board Certifications

American Board of Internal Medicine - Gastroenterology (Certified)

Practice Focus Areas

Anorectal Disease	Fecal Incontinence
Constipation	Irritable Bowel Syndrome
Dyspepsia	Motility Disorders
Pelvic Floor Disorders	
Scleroderma	

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

247 Reviews

AUGUST 31 2022

Dr. Brenner reviewed and commented on all my GI medical records. I felt he understood my medical needs.

AUGUST 31 2022

Knowledgeable

AUGUST 31 2022

He's great! He listens, he cares, and he treats the patient and all that entails, not just 2 thing.

AUGUST 29 2022

Super knowledgeable comprehensive, honest/real, compassionate, and made me feel comfortable

AUGUST 28 2022

Listened and responded well

AUGUST 28 2022

Dr. Brenner is an outstanding physician. He takes time to explain what needs to be done to correct the medical issue. He was patient and listened to my concerns. Dr. Brenner made time to explain his plan. He offered HOPE and I left his office feeling that I met a doctor that was extremely knowledgeable and hopeful.

AUGUST 25 2022

He's fine - easy to relate to. If my health improves, that would be the best.

AUGUST 25 2022

Dr. Brenner has went above and beyond to get meds and relief for my health issues, I have confidence he and his staff will get me figured out.

AUGUST 24 2022

Great educator on the possible root causes. Took time to ask all the questions and truly listened

AUGUST 24 2022

Very attentive

AUGUST 24 2022

He seemed caring patient and explained things to me.

AUGUST 24 2022

Expertise credibility and quality of advice

AUGUST 17 2022

Dr. Brenner is an outstanding physician. He took his time to explain to me what the cause(s) of the issues I am having. He was patient and understanding to the issues I have. Best of all •••• Dr. Brenner gave me HOPE that the issues I'm experiencing can at some point be repaired. Having hope is a very

good feeling. Thank you, Dr. Brenner.

AUGUST 16 2022

Dr. Brenner took the time to listen to what I was saying. I never felt like he was rushed unlike my GI doctor in Peoria who spends little time in the room with me. Dr. Brenner was able to quickly develop a plan based on my symptoms and the records I had sent to him prior to my appointment. He explained everything very well.

AUGUST 15 2022

I am extremely likely to recommend Darren M. Brenner, MD for care because I have the utmost confidence in his knowledge, his thoroughness, his multifaceted team, his resourcefulness, his questioning and listening skills, his diagnosis, treatment and recommendations, his open minded attitude, not ruling out things that other doctors have, and his down to earth easy to communicate with manner.

AUGUST 10 2022

Dr Brenner gave me his full attention and offered helpful solutions to my issues. I know he is a very busy Doctor but I never felt he was rushing me. He was professional, compassionate and thorough in his explanations. I felt comfortable talking with him.

AUGUST 10 2022

Knowledgeable physician. Good bedside manner.

AUGUST 8 2022

He was very attentive to my needs Dr Brenner listen to what I had to say then he Explain to me the test that I should have done so he could know what's going on with me.

AUGUST 7 2022

The staff is very compassionate about what my issues are and will do whatever they can to help me. From getting meds approved to setting up Tests he deems are needed. I'm so happy to be a patient of Dr.Brenner/Northwestern. The Nurse always responds quickly I would/have recommended Northwestern.

AUGUST 4 2022

Very personable and professional. Answered all our questions and was very knowledgeable regarding the issue we were dealing with.

JULY 30 2022

Very responsive. Knowledgeable. Patient. A generally very positive visit.

JULY 30 2022

Good listener. Efficient

JULY 5 2022

very satisfied

IULY 3 2022

THE BEST!

JULY 3 2022

I have seen several Drs in this department and he came highly recommended. I was very frustrated by my experiences but Dr Brenner actually listened and directly answered my questions. He reassured me but didn't sugar coat the situation.

JULY 3 2022

He is understanding and takes time to listen. He is alsvrry knowledgeable and know how to approach his patients.

JULY 3 2022

Prospective patients would need to make certain that their condition matches Dr. Brenner's sub sub specialty.

JULY 2 2022

Knowledgeable. Friendly.

JULY 2 2022

He did the needful.

JUNE 29 2022

I liked him, but not easy to get an appointment.

JUNE 28 2022

Dr. Brenner had a great bedside manner, was a good listener and was very knowledgeable.

JUNE 22 2022

Wonderful doctor who clearly is knowledgeable and cares for his patients

JUNE 22 2022

Experience Expertise

JUNE 21 2022

Extremely compassionate, informative, and friendly. I've had GI issues for over 15 years and no one has made me feel more validated.

JUNE 21 2022

Professional-good reputation

JUNE 21 2022

He's great...you don't normally find a gastroenterologist with a sense of humor...

JUNE 20 2022

The go-to guy for NMH GI. Excellent

JUNE 17 2022

Dr. Brenner is knowledgeable and directs patients to finding solutions.

JUNE 14 2022

fine doctor and nice person

JUNE 10 2022

Great doctor with a great personality.

JUNE 8 2022

Dr. Brenner is wonderful! Nice and personable. Really cares about your concerns.

JUNE 7 2022

Clear communication. Excellent at making patient feel at ease prior to procedure.

JUNE 7 2022

Able to communicate very well.

JUNE 1 2022

Very ca and patient and thorough. Let me talk, and he listened

JUNE 1 2022

He listened and we finally feel after 8 different Gastro drs that we found the right one. He told us things that made so much sense and no one every said before!

MAY 25 2022

I appreciate his brilliant brain and clear communication. He articulates his clinical rationale to help his patients understand

MAY 25 2022

Took time. Was pleasant. Sis rush to give me drugs.

MAY 25 2022

This doctor really struck us as very knowledgeable. He was friendly and gave us enough time.

MAY 21 2022

Very personable and extremely smart and an expert in Scleroderma g.i. issues.

MAY 20 2022

Very comfortable to talk to.

MAY 18 2022

Such attention to detail. Recommendations to figure out the reason of my visit.

MAY 18 2022

Years of using this practice

MAY 18 2022

Dr Brenner has helped me to begin much needed physical and emotional experiences that can help me

Dr Brenner has helped me to begin much needed physical and emotional experiences that can help me heal and cope with my Physical limitations.

MAY 17 2022

Dr. Brenner is very knowledgeable and responsive, replying to my messages even on a weakened within minutes. He is a thinker and always looking for a solution to your health issue and trying to help with traditional and non-traditional approaches, such as physical therapy to help solve motility issues.

MAY 17 2022

He is by far the best GI doctor I've ever had. Always responds to my inquiries in a timely manner.

MAY 14 2022

Dr. Brenner was very detailed with his responses to my questions.

MAY 14 2022

Dr. Brenner clearly understands how a person's digestive system works and provided much insight to my wife and I.

MAY 13 2022

because is the best

MAY 13 2022

He is very easy to talk with and listens to my concerns and provides options to make me feel better. He is very caring.

MAY 11 2022

Dr Brenner came into the meeting having already reviewed my history, asked a lot of good questions, listened to my concerns and came up with a plan to help me.

MAY 9 2022

Knowledge for my IBS-C is obvious. Works well with me, explains the approach in a way I can understand.

MAY 8 2022

Friendly .

MAY 5 2022

Professional and clear.

MAY 5 2022

Efficient, caring and thoughtful

MAY 4 2022

He's v personable and made me feel at ease

MAY 3 2022

Excellent gastroenterologist...thorough and efficient

MAY 2 2022

He's such an expert, and answers questions in Mychart on a timely basis! But, you need more doctors, his caseload is insane and it can be 9 mos. wait to get an appointment.

APRIL 23 2022

I have recommended him to my sister which is going to see him soon for her colonoscopy. He is very caring and very thorough in his job.

APRIL 19 2022

Caring

APRIL 19 2022

He is a caring patient focused and extremely knowledgeable physician.

APRIL 18 2022

Very likable and knowledgeable. Explained my situation so I could understand.

APRIL 17 2022

Dr. Brenner is very informative and intelligent.

APRIL 15 2022

Makes you feel at ease when talking about your symptoms.

APRIL 13 2022

He was very helpful.

APRIL 13 2022

Great doctor , first time that that someone explain what is wrong with my stomach and which treatment and medication is good for me

APRIL 13 2022

He is seriously not only a great doctor but a great human being. I am privileged to call him my doctor.

APRIL 11 2022

He listens, tries to help, great bedside manner

APRIL 8 2022

He took his time to explain me what the next step should be and promptly I could get an appointment with the oncologist.

APRIL 7 2022

He was extremely kind, good listener and validated concerns.

APRIL 7 2022

Very. Attentive to detail knowledge caring

APRIL 6 2022

I stated above what a wonderful doctor he is. He was very attentive to our questions and concerns. He

spent about an hour with us and answered every question. He put me at ease with my problems!

APRIL 6 2022

He makes you feel at easy & explained everything

APRIL 6 2022

I gave that score cuz I dont know if he can help my situation or not and I only seen him once but I'll give a better score when I know more about my issues.

APRIL 5 2022

Dr. Brenner was very personable, he listened to what I had to say and was able to answer all of my questions. He made me feel validated and set me up with a plan for future goals.

APRIL 1 2022

Dr. Brenner made me confident in his ability throughout with his knowledge, skill and professionalism.

MARCH 30 2022

Explained problems clearly and listened to my comments. Friendly conversational approach. Efficient solution to problem.

MARCH 26 2022

Informative, collaborative, encouraging, obviously up on the latest in his field.

MARCH 23 2022

Dr. Brenner was very patient and listened and answered all of my questions to my satisfaction.

MARCH 23 2022

Nice, didn't rush,

MARCH 23 2022

Listens, answers questions, personable, helpful.

MARCH 22 2022

I have recommended several people and they could not get an appointment. So yes, I absolutely recommend him.

MARCH 22 2022

Mona Lalezari, MD and Darren Brenner, MD definitely earned my confidence with their thorough explanations and course of action plans.

MARCH 16 2022

Very nice, easy to talk to, explained everything throughly. I'm so pleased.

MARCH 6 2022

friendly, knowledgeable

FEBRUARY 26 2022

Very thorough and very knowledgeable

FEBRUARY 25 2022

Know how to explain things.

FEBRUARY 24 2022

Dr Brenner was great

FEBRUARY 23 2022

Great explanations of aspects, concerns and recommendations. Willing to listen to me and field questions that I had.

FEBRUARY 23 2022

The whole care team worked well together and Dr. Brenner seemed very knowledgeable in his specialty.

FEBRUARY 23 2022

Thoughtful and professional care.

Website

<http://dhc.nm.org>

Faculty Profile

<http://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/faculty-profiles/az/profile.html?xid=17999>