



5.0 ★★★★★

47 Ratings

## Nausheen Akhter, MD

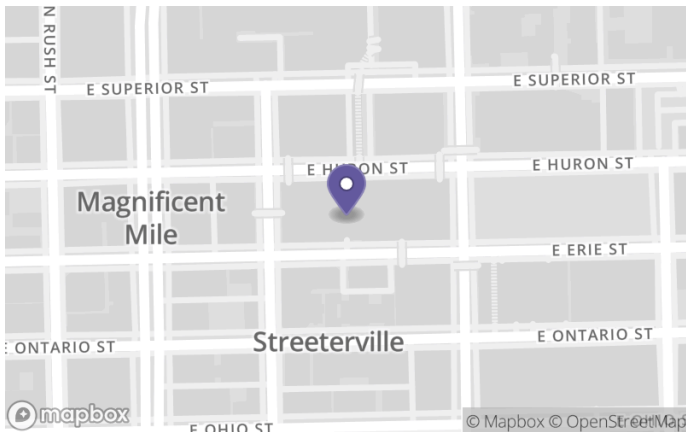
Northwestern Medical Group

Primary Specialty

**Cardiology**

● Accepts New Patients

### Location



#### Bluhm Cardiovascular Institute of Northwestern

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### 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

Physician Category

Northwestern Medicine Physician Network

On Medical Staff At

Northwestern Memorial Hospital

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## Education

Medical Education	MD, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine - 2002
Residency	Indiana University School of Medicine - 2005
Fellowship	University of Illinois College of Medicine at Chicago - 2008

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## Board Certifications

American Board of Internal Medicine - Cardiovascular Disease (Certified)

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## Practice Focus Areas

Cardiac Oncology  
General Cardiology

Echocardiography

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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

5.0



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#### Reviews From Patients

49 Reviews

NOVEMBER 9 2020

**Dr. Akther is intelligent, knowledgable, and compassionate. She listens and she cares.**

NOVEMBER 9 2020

**I had open heart surgery at Northwestern performed by Dr. McCarthy. My cardiologist is Dr. Akhter. I think both of them and all of those who have assisted me in this endeavor have been expert, dedicated, compassionate, and caring people. I am alive because of them. I thank them from the bottom of my still beating heart!**

NOVEMBER 9 2020

**She is an extremely good cardio oncologist and is in a highly specialized field. I trust her judgement and advice in earnest. I appreciate her as my newer cardiologist.**

NOVEMBER 9 2020

**Dr. Akhter is superb and the Blume Institute is excellent.**

NOVEMBER 8 2020

**Thorough exam and clear explanations**

NOVEMBER 8 2020

**Knowledgeable and she is very good in explaining treatments**

NOVEMBER 8 2020

**Very professional department**

NOVEMBER 4 2020

**She explained everything beautifully**

NOVEMBER 2 2020

**Always available. Explains my situation well and options.**

NOVEMBER 2 2020

**Very professional and caring.**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Very personable and caring. Takes time to understand patient issues. Willing to try different approaches for medications.**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Good doctors**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Dr Akter is a fine Cardiologist whom I trust**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Its fine reputation is well deserved**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Good bedside manner, easy to talk to, knowledgeable, professional, personable.**

OCTOBER 25 2020

**Professional, courteous, knowledgeable, easy to talk to.**

OCTOBER 7 2020

**Dr Ahkter is so sweet. Very thorough and has a very good bedside manner.**

SEPTEMBER 21 2020

**Smart, compassionate, caring**

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

**Caring and intelligent**

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

**Very thorough and knowledgeable**

SEPTEMBER 4 2020

**She is a wonderful doctor that listens to everything you say.**

SEPTEMBER 2 2020

**She was amazing and thoughtful. I felt she really cared and understood my cancer to heart situation**

SEPTEMBER 2 2020

**My dr was amazing and thorough on my topic of cancer and heart health.**

SEPTEMBER 2 2020

**She is not only completely knowledgeable, but she's also such a kind person.**

SEPTEMBER 2 2020

**I've received wonderful care from every person I've encountered. All the personnel are concerned with the whole patient, not just my heart.**

SEPTEMBER 1 2020

**She takes her time to discuss all reasons for testing and she is down to earth and very personable. She is my favorite doctor.**

AUGUST 31 2020

**Good, quality care.**

AUGUST 31 2020

**Dr Akhter is very detail in explaining, so that I could understand. She's also caring and knowledgeable in what what she does. A GREAT doctor!!**

AUGUST 28 2020

**1st visit she's a good listener. That means a lot.**

AUGUST 28 2020

**I trust their knowledge & level of care.**

AUGUST 28 2020

**Dr. Akhter is an excellent physician. I feel so fortunate to be in her care. She is professional, very thorough, and so very knowledgeable. Dr. Akhter is very pleasant. .All in all, she is a wonderful doctor.**

AUGUST 24 2020

**Very professional and knowledgeable.**

AUGUST 24 2020

**Knowledgeable, professional, personable.**

AUGUST 24 2020

**Whereas in the past I had a cardiologist who was mediocre at best, I feel that Doctor Akhter is a highly knowledgeable and professional cardiologist. Her demeanor is very pleasant and I feel that she comprehensively addresses all issues and questions. Yes, I would definitely recommend her to anyone seeking top notch heart care.**

AUGUST 21 2020

**Dr. Akhter is a wonderful physician. She makes the patient very comfortable and explains clearly what is going on.**

AUGUST 17 2020

**I love how Dr. Akhter takes a personal interest when she interacts with me. She takes time to answer any questions I have. She also explains things in a way I can understand. Her language is not so technical to the point I can't understand as some doctors.**

JULY 13 2020

**Very though and easy to understand**

JULY 13 2020

**Very personable and took plenty of time with me to answer my concerns.**

JULY 3 2020

**Dr. is very thorough and explains things clearly.**

JULY 1 2020

**Warm, caring, thorough and intelligent.**

JULY 1 2020

**A very thorough and thoughtful evaluation.**

JUNE 30 2020

**This was my first time meeting with Doctor Ahkter. She made me feel very at ease all in all it was a great visit.**

JUNE 27 2020

**Dr. Akhter is very professional & knowledgeable & down to Earth. She also answers my questions.**

JUNE 27 2020

**Very professional, knowledgeable and caring.**

JUNE 22 2020

**Dr. Nausheen Akhter was very helpful and informative. She was very related, personable and made me feel comfortable.**

JUNE 22 2020

**Very professional.**

JUNE 19 2020

**Friendly, explains results very well, easy to ask questions to, you just feel like she's a good person who cares about you**

JUNE 19 2020

**Nice, efficient, caring**

JUNE 1 2020

**I like the Cardiologist I spoke to. She seemed very competent and caring. Good use of technology.**

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## **Languages Spoken**

Spanish

Urdu

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## **Website**

<http://heart.nm.org>

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## **Faculty Profile**

<http://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/faculty-profiles/az/profile.html?xid=17987>