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398 Ratings

Robert F. Kushner, MD

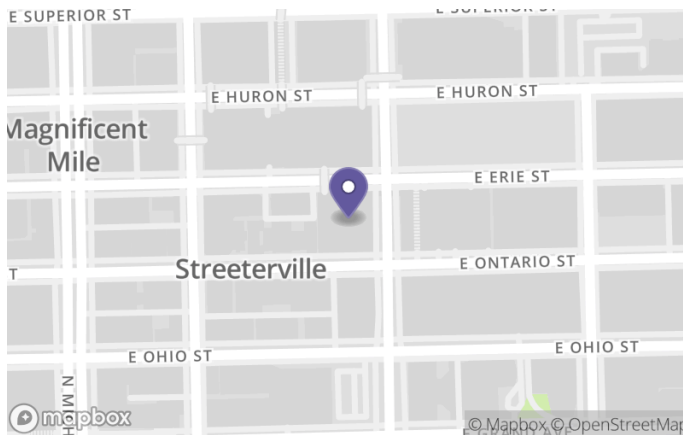
Northwestern Medical Group

Primary Specialty

Internal Medicine

● Accepts New Patients

Location



Center for Lifestyle Medicine

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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

Alignment Category

Northwestern Medicine Physician Network

On Medical Staff At

Northwestern Memorial Hospital

Education

Medical Education	MD, University of Illinois at Chicago College of Medicine - 1979
Residency	McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University - 1982
Fellowship	University of Chicago - 1984

Board Certifications

American Board of Internal Medicine - Internal Medicine (Certified)

Practice Focus Areas

Obesity Medicine

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

4.8



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Reviews From Patients

212 Reviews

MARCH 25 2022

He is excellent make you feel so comfortable and that's what I love !

MARCH 23 2022

Dr. Kushner is a courteous professional who is very skilled in his field. His collaboration with me was very helpful and productive.

MARCH 22 2022

He's top in the field, good bedside manner, and his explanations are clear and easy to understand.

MARCH 16 2022

He is an excellent doctor who is caring and informative yet professional.

MARCH 14 2022

Extremely compassionate, informative and made me feel at ease. Easy to talk too.

MARCH 14 2022

Dr. Kushner took his time getting to know my background in order to make the best recommendation for my personal situation, which I appreciate. He seemed to be very knowledgeable and did not push one solution over another. Overall, I am very satisfied.

MARCH 4 2022

Professional knowledge

MARCH 4 2022

He is the best there is when it comes to obesity understanding, help, and control.

FEBRUARY 25 2022

Dr. Kushner takes time to learn of patient habits and genuinely cares about patient health, lifestyle and provides proper solutions to weight gain.

FEBRUARY 21 2022

He's a great doctor. He was the only one to cheer me on for my weightloss.

JANUARY 29 2022

Knowledgeable and detailed subject

JANUARY 10 2022

Dr. Kushner is very skilled and helpful, he relates with me in a positive, professional and courteous manner and engages me in finding solutions to my health issues.

JANUARY 6 2022

He's really helped me make big changes in my life and health.

DECEMBER 20 2021

Kind and professional. Expert knowledge.

DECEMBER 20 2021

Dr. Kurshner took the time to review my history and gather information to ensure the appointment was personalized to meet my needs. He was also very personable and knowledgeable.

DECEMBER 14 2021

He is a good listener and responds to my needs.

DECEMBER 13 2021

He's top in his field so he's easy to recommend. Plus, he has a good rapport with patients.

DECEMBER 6 2021

Great doctor, understanding and kind. What an assert he is to Northersten.

DECEMBER 6 2021

I trust him and know I am in good hands!

NOVEMBER 29 2021

Great doctor. I felt like he really worked to understand the full scope of my health and personal story. Definitely knew his stuff!

NOVEMBER 23 2021

He is a good doctor who listens and asks good questions

NOVEMBER 19 2021

He's a model provider.

NOVEMBER 15 2021

Very kind Physician. Very personable and shows he really does care.

NOVEMBER 8 2021

He is very knowledgeable. Easy to talk to

NOVEMBER 2 2021

I felt Dr. Kushner was both patient and thorough.

OCTOBER 29 2021

Dr. Kushner was very thorough and recommended appropriate follow-ups for each issue we discussed.

OCTOBER 29 2021

He is very knowledgeable.

OCTOBER 26 2021

Dr. Kushner is extremely responsive and knowledgeable. I've been his patient for almost 20 years and think he's fantastic.

OCTOBER 25 2021

Dr Kushner made me feel very comfortable. I appreciated that he researched my medical records and knew my history.

OCTOBER 22 2021

Excellent practitioner Dr. Kushner

OCTOBER 19 2021

He listened and helped me.

OCTOBER 19 2021

Supportive and always on time!

OCTOBER 15 2021

Very knowledgeable, and explains things with clarity,

OCTOBER 13 2021

Dr. Kushner prove to be quite skilled and knowledgeable

OCTOBER 13 2021

He identifies solutions that are customized for me

OCTOBER 5 2021

Very much so. He is detail oriented and very friendly .

SEPTEMBER 14 2021

He listens and gives alternatives for treatment.

SEPTEMBER 14 2021

He is best in biz. He sticks to facts and helps you deal with reality.

SEPTEMBER 14 2021

Very attentive and caring. Quite amazing considering how busy he is.

SEPTEMBER 13 2021

TOP DOCTOR IN FIELD GOOD 'BEDSIDE MANNER'

SEPTEMBER 8 2021

There doesn't seem to be any compassion. He just takes a patient in and goes through the appointment with the information and gets them out. Basically leaving them on their own to decide what to do without professional input.

SEPTEMBER 5 2021

Expert in his field

SEPTEMBER 4 2021

Not a friendly, kind or understanding man. You need to feel heard by your doctor whether he can help you or not.

SEPTEMBER 3 2021

I have lost 55 pounds since surgery...should have followed his recommendation years ago.

AUGUST 31 2021

thorough listens provides materials to review what works for you

AUGUST 31 2021

Just a very supportive person and honest

AUGUST 30 2021

He's always get straight to the truth. It's a lifestyle change.

AUGUST 27 2021

Dr. Kushner truly cares about his patients.

AUGUST 25 2021

He listens and takes the time to find out what is going on with you.

AUGUST 23 2021

Dr Kushner was informative and insightful. To the point and direct. As a patient this was exactly what I needed. He was truthfully optimistic at a time when I needed honest answers. I look forward to his support and treatment of my health and well-being.

AUGUST 7 2021

Dr. Kushner has opened up some doors to help me improve my quality of life and set the path to positive gains in weight loss.

JULY 29 2021

Really care about the patient

JULY 29 2021

He listened to me and he heard what I was saying to him

JULY 28 2021

Just met him this appointment, but he seems fantastic.

JULY 22 2021

He is very professional and tries to come up with an individualized plan.

JULY 20 2021

He was caring, efficient and answered all my questions. He also gave me a plan going forward that considered my entire care team. Grateful for that admonishment.

JULY 12 2021

Compassionate, caring, and pro active

JULY 12 2021

I don't want to have to compete with other new patients for limited appointments at this point.

JULY 6 2021

He explain things to you detail by detail and in away that you understand

JUNE 24 2021

Very thorough & expressed a willingness to make my visit worthwhile & helpful.

JUNE 23 2021

Dr. Kushner was concerned about the best way for me to achieve my goal of managing my weight and even suggested some new goals.

JUNE 20 2021

JUNE 20 2021

Listened to me and patient

JUNE 15 2021

I always recommend him to all my friends. I'm beyond pleased with his patient care.

JUNE 10 2021

He's an expert in his field

JUNE 3 2021

Knowledge, bedside manner, thoughtful, accommodating

JUNE 2 2021

I felt that the plan and information provided by Dr. Kushner was very beneficial and would lead to a positive outcome for me

MAY 28 2021

He cares!!!!

MAY 27 2021

Easy to talk to, was concerned with giving me complete information and learning about me and my behaviors. Understood insurance limitations as a factor in my decisions.

MAY 27 2021

Patient, goal oriented and concerned

MAY 24 2021

First visit. He seemed genuinely interested in getting to know me and my weight loss journey.

MAY 19 2021

Very compassionate

MAY 19 2021

Felt good after consultation

MAY 13 2021

After listening to me, I believe he was spot on with his assessment.

MAY 11 2021

Excellent physician and efficient practitioner

MAY 10 2021

Dr.Kushner was patient, thorough and honest.

MAY 3 2021

He took much time with me, checked me out. He is very kind.

MAY 1 2021

Dr Kushner is very knowledgeable and frank in our discussions

APRIL 27 2021

He is very attentive and a great doctor

APRIL 13 2021

Extremely knowledgeable and helpful

APRIL 12 2021

He is an excellent physician and has always provided me the highest quality care. I am extremely grateful for all he has done.

APRIL 10 2021

Highly qualified, helpful, encouraging, knowledgeable!

APRIL 9 2021

Dr Kushner is always thorough and on-point!

APRIL 5 2021

So far, Dr. Kushner is living up to his outstanding reputation. And he has impressed me as a kind and caring person

APRIL 5 2021

Bad bedside manner. Doctor was very condescending, super defensive and extremely unhelpful. He was not aware of drug interactions and had not thoroughly read my chart. The appointment was a waste of time.

MARCH 29 2021

Patient/ very considerate.

MARCH 29 2021

Dr. Kushner, was very tentative to my needs. I explained everything I was going through and how my weight has had traumatic impact on my health.

MARCH 23 2021

#100 overall

MARCH 22 2021

I felt like I was being judged I was told to call for dietician and psychologist appointment, but was not informed about the courses that need to be done before that

MARCH 20 2021

Compassionate care. Great "bedside" manner.

MARCH 19 2021

It took an extremely long time to get the call.

MARCH 15 2021

I had a good appointment but like previously need more interaction before I can say I would recommend.

MARCH 13 2021

He has helped my through this.

MARCH 13 2021

Friendly and informative

MARCH 12 2021

He was very empathetic and listened to me!! I am sorry I won't be working with him. He inspired me.

MARCH 5 2021

He demonstrates legitimate care and concern about my wellbeing.

FEBRUARY 23 2021

Very helpful, friendly and shows concern for patients

FEBRUARY 22 2021

First of all, he was on time. Second of all, he came to greet me in the waiting room. WOW!! This has never happened. He was very professional and very knowledgeable and most of all kind. This world needs more people like him and it will be about a place.

FEBRUARY 19 2021

Great manner Very professional caring concerned

FEBRUARY 18 2021

He listens. He tells me what to anticipate in regard to outcomes and evaluates my satisfaction.

FEBRUARY 9 2021

He was very kind and honest. He understands what people are going through and helps them make a plan for their goals.

Faculty Profile

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