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69 Ratings

Scott A. Strong, MD

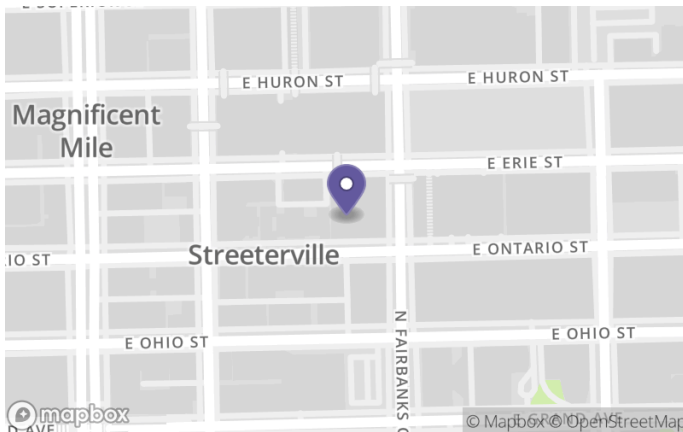
Northwestern Medical Group

Primary Specialty

Colon and Rectal Surgery

● Accepts New Patients

Location



Northwestern Medicine Digestive Health Center

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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

Education

Medical Education	MD, University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine - 1985
Residency	Spectrum Health/Michigan State University - 1990 Cleveland Clinic Foundation - 1992

Board Certifications

American Board of Colon and Rectal Surgery - Colon & Rectal Surgery (Certified)
American Board of Surgery - Surgery (Certified)

Practice Focus Areas

Colorectal Surgery

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

63 Reviews

AUGUST 29 2021

Competent , Professional , Friendly.

AUGUST 25 2021

He is very reassuring and friendly

AUGUST 25 2021

Knowledge and doesn't overreact. I have met some surgeons who want to jump into surgery without weighing options.

AUGUST 9 2021

Dr strong doesn't sugar coat any answers to any questions. Dr strong is very personable.

AUGUST 8 2021

Very able

AUGUST 6 2021

Great doctor with excellent skills and very caring

AUGUST 2 2021

very straight forward and compassionate

JULY 28 2021

Appointment was on time. Staff was very friendly. Both Dr Strong and his nurse Angela spent lots of time with me and answered my questions. Dr Strong has a clear communication style and is personable.

JULY 28 2021

He knows what he's doing. He always takes good care of me and answers all my questions. I know I have the best.

JULY 18 2021

Very descriptive on next steps before complicated parastomal hernia repair

JULY 14 2021

Was very forthcoming and explained my condition in terms I could understand. He was able to answer all the questions I had before I even asked

JULY 14 2021

Very qualified, personable and caring

JUNE 24 2021

Great doctor

JUNE 23 2021

Along with answering my questions about surgery he is very personable and makes you feel like he cares.

JUNE 23 2021

This was my first time meeting Dr. Strong and so far I am impressed by him. From what I can tell he really understands my health situation and the issues I have. He explained everything very clearly and thoroughly. He didn't jump straight to surgery and wants to do tests so he can see what is going on before he gives me his opinion on it, which I really appreciate.

JUNE 2 2021

Thorough, explained the treatment plan in detail,, took time to listen. I am thrilled and relieved to have him in my corner!

MAY 19 2021

He's great at conveying everything to you and feels like you're not just talking to a doctor but to a knowledgeable friend

MAY 19 2021

Dr Strong is a wonderful and thoughtful Surgeon. I feel so much better thank you!!

MAY 16 2021

Dr Strong goes right to the point. No BS or pleasantries. I like that.

MAY 14 2021

He makes the visit very satisfactory with his thoughtful yet efficient bedside manner. I had a follow up visit for anorectal abscess and he made sure that I did not feel exposed for unnecessarily long period of time during incision and drainage procedure. The entire procedure was very quick and as painless as possible. Cannot recommend Dr Strong enough

MAY 12 2021

Very professional but personal. He answer all my questions and addressed all my concerns.

APRIL 25 2021

He was very thorall and he definitely took time to review my medical records before seeing me.

APRIL 21 2021

He is the best!

APRIL 15 2021

Es muy claro en sus explicaciones respecto a mi problema.

APRIL 15 2021

He has the winning formula for beating colon cancer. He is calm and confident - made me feel the same.

APRIL 14 2021

Listened to our joint concerns

APRIL 2 2021

Doctor Strong was very pleasant and took his time to explain my test results and answered any question that I had.

MARCH 21 2021

Very helpful and calming.

MARCH 18 2021

Very thorough, explained the situation, took time to speak with me

MARCH 17 2021

Extremely knowledgeable and very caring for my health needs.

MARCH 11 2021

MARCH 11 2021

Dr Strong is a great doctor. He made me feel comfortable from the first moment and eased concerns about surgery and the diagnosis. I would recommend anyone to go to Dr Strong.

MARCH 10 2021

Dr. Strong answered all of my questions and addressed all of my concerns completely. He put my husband and I at ease.

MARCH 10 2021

Dr. Strong was very knowledgeable and seemed skilled at what he does.

MARCH 7 2021

He's a very good doctor.

FEBRUARY 28 2021

Nice

FEBRUARY 18 2021

Dr. Strong was informative and answered any questions I had.

FEBRUARY 18 2021

Professional, caring and knowledgeable.

FEBRUARY 15 2021

Nice bedside manner & knowledge and availability.

FEBRUARY 11 2021

He is good at calming patients. Recommended best evidence based interventions

FEBRUARY 10 2021

Extremely knowledgeable and compassionate

FEBRUARY 8 2021

He is very experienced and well educated. He told me upon my questioning, he has been with Northwestern Medicine and before that the Cleveland Clinic. He did not rush to a surgical solution and wants more research and examination to be done first and then make a decision.

FEBRUARY 3 2021

Dr Strong is a highly intelligent and talented surgeon with a heart of gold. I am so grateful to have had the honor of his care.

FEBRUARY 3 2021

Dr. Strong and team are brilliant, caring, compassionate, and have the recipe for surgical success

JANUARY 24 2021

Professionalism, care, and skill.

JANUARY 19 2021

He's the best kindest Dr. I've ever had. He's very competent, very skilled, he cares. He has a plan and all he asks from you, is that you follow the plan.

JANUARY 15 2021

He is accessible. He listens to my concerns. The success of my surgery and recovery are important to him.

JANUARY 14 2021

He's a very good surgeon

JANUARY 13 2021

He's straightforward, knowledgeable and caring.

JANUARY 13 2021

Very detailed and explained clearly issues.

DECEMBER 30 2020

Took his time with me

DECEMBER 28 2020

Very skilled and knowledgeable. Throughout the situation, he seemed to be able to answer all imaginable questions before I was able to ask them. Makes you feel confident and reassured.

DECEMBER 28 2020

The doctor is simple clear , precise and professional He made me feel like my condition was not a death sentence

DECEMBER 16 2020

Straight to the point.

DECEMBER 6 2020

Very good doctor , answer questions, explain procedure and why.

DECEMBER 6 2020

Dr Strong very intelligent, he knew a lot about me before my first appointment

DECEMBER 4 2020

He is personable and provided a much more thorough plan of treatment than other doctors I spoke with

NOVEMBER 29 2020

Very professional. Explained procedures that you could understand. Let you ask questions.

NOVEMBER 29 2020

Bright individual.

NOVEMBER 25 2020

Poor relationship management and organization

NOVEMBER 25 2020

He explained everything about the problem and also tell you what he's doing. He cares about your health!

NOVEMBER 24 2020

Dr Strong was informative, communicated well and was concerned for me as a patient

NOVEMBER 22 2020

A good doctor, explained everything clearly

NOVEMBER 21 2020

his Nurse, Angela, super helpful on the phone and easy to communicate with.

NOVEMBER 18 2020

He's highly rated and knowledgeable.

NOVEMBER 12 2020

He explained everything very clearly.

NOVEMBER 12 2020

Every one was very nice.

NOVEMBER 11 2020

Dr strong is very knowledgeable and was able to give me a diagnosis that another doctor couldn't. Very good bedside manner and talked me through my options. Nurse was very kind as well.

NOVEMBER 8 2020

Very knowledgeable and professional

NOVEMBER 3 2020

Dr. Scott Strong is amazing and very knowledgeable.

NOVEMBER 1 2020

Dr. Scott Strong, and his care team are the reasons. Most professional and attentive

OCTOBER 28 2020

Made me feel comfortable while experiencing an uncomfortable situation.

OCTOBER 28 2020

Very friendly all around. Great bedside manner.

OCTOBER 28 2020

Very intelligent, very friendly and very good at what he does

OCTOBER 28 2020

Extremely helpful, clear and high quality staff and doctors

OCTOBER 25 2020

Very skilled surgeon and a great guy! He is caring and hard working with a good bedside manner. Dr. Strong is good at explaining complicated medical procedures and terms in a way that anyone can clearly understand. NM is lucky to have him on staff!

OCTOBER 25 2020

Dr. Strong and his entire staff are great!

OCTOBER 22 2020

Very knowledgeable and solid manner to easily communicate the issues that I am having That is not easy IMO

OCTOBER 22 2020

I have very good treatment from NW hospital in the past In current case Dr Strong has treated me well but unfortunately I have to have surgery to fix my problem Dr Strong has answered all my Qs and I have confidence in his recommendation

OCTOBER 21 2020

Dr. Strong read thru my medical records going back 20 years in order to familiarize himself with my medical history. He asked in depth questions and conducted a thorough physical examination. He gave me a detailed explanation of his plan corr me.

OCTOBER 21 2020

Thorough research into my medical records as well as a very complete exam.

OCTOBER 18 2020

Dr. Strong was knowledgeable and to-the-point.

OCTOBER 18 2020

Northwestern's medical resources are top-tier

OCTOBER 5 2020

Dr. Strong was professional and experienced. He also listened to questions with patience.

OCTOBER 5 2020

Staffs such as nurses, registration were professional and helpful. Waiting area and exam rooms were spacious were well equipped.

SEPTEMBER 21 2020

I've me with Dr. Strong twice. He speaks to me in language I understand. Listens to my concerns. And makes sure I'm comfortable with the information provided.

SEPTEMBER 21 2020

I've only met with the team twice. I'm impressed so far but would like to see what happens long term.

SEPTEMBER 20 2020

Excellent surgeon. I wish he was more specific with detailed answers to questions. though.

Excellent experience! With me was more specific than detailed answers to questions, enough...

SEPTEMBER 20 2020

Very professional environment. Nice people.

SEPTEMBER 16 2020

Professional

SEPTEMBER 16 2020

Everyone was friendly, efficient, and professional.

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

He cares about me

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

Good that's he is helping me out

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

World class

SEPTEMBER 9 2020

It is truly exceptional with top of the line everything, I am just a little far so I can't give it a 10 necessarily for someone that lives 4 hours away. but I can definitely tell them that if that's okay it's well worth the drive

SEPTEMBER 7 2020

My doctor is wonderful

SEPTEMBER 7 2020

Dr. Strong was experient and professional. He was especially patient in listening and answering questions.

SEPTEMBER 7 2020

The staffs were courteous and professional.

SEPTEMBER 6 2020

Since I have only had an initial meeting with Dr. Strong,I would qualify my recommendation. However, he was concerned, patient and listened to me.

SEPTEMBER 6 2020

I've only had an initial experience with the practice at this point. However, what I have experienced has been very impressive. The staff is professional and efficient. They are concerned about me, considerate of me and take the time to explain things and answer my questions. There was very little or no wait time.

SEPTEMBER 2 2020

Dr Scott strong, Angela and Brittany made me feel like I am their only concern!

Website

<http://dhc.nm.org>

Faculty Profile

<http://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/faculty-profiles/az/profile.html?xid=31701>