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## Notice of Disclosure

The following disclosures may apply to the treatment you receive at Midwest Spine & Brain Institute (MSBI). Please contact your MSBI physician or Administration if you have any questions about any of the following disclosures.

### **Disclosure of Ownership in Ambulatory Surgery Centers**

If you MSBI physician refers you to Ridges Surgery Center or Greenway Surgery Center, the following disclosure applies:

Your health care provider is referring you to a facility or service in which your health care provider has a financial or economic interest. The MSBI physicians who are listed below have an ownership interest in these ambulatory surgery centers. You are free to choose a different ambulatory surgery center. If you would like to do so, please notify your physician and we will be happy to accommodate your request.

This disclosure applies to the following MSBI Physician for Ridges Surgery Center: Stefano M. Sinicropi, MD

This disclosure applies to the following MSBI Physicians for Greenway Surgery Center: Stefano M. Sinicropi, MD; Glenn R. Buttermann, MD; David T. Chang MD PhD

### **Disclosure of Industry Relationships**

If you are scheduled to receive a neurosurgical or orthopedic implant, biologic product or device during your surgical procedure, it is possible that your spine surgeon may have a financial relationship with the manufacturer. Your surgeon will be glad to discuss the reasons for his/her choice of implant/product. You have the right to choose another facility or provider for your procedure. Glenn R. Buttermann, MD holds multiple patents. He has designed and/or developed products for Solco FG, DIO Medical, Globus Medical, and Nexxt Spine LLC. He also owns shares in Nexxt Spine LLC.

### **Disclosure of Reimbursement for Medication Dispensing**

MSBI can directly provide eligible patients with certain medications prescribed by MSBI providers. Please note that if you choose to receive your prescription directly from MSBI, your physician will receive a profit interest from the dispensing of such prescription. You are not required to receive your medications from MSBI; you are free to choose a different provider to fill your prescription. If you wish to use a different provider, please let us know, and we will be happy to accommodate your request.

### **Insurance Coverage for Other Facilities**

Some facilities may be out of network for certain health plans. Please contact the facility as well as your insurance plan for details regarding your coverage. These facilities may include, but are not limited to: Greenway Surgery Center and Woodbury Surgery Center.

Patient Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_