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Ortholllinois' surgeon named to Castle Connolly Top Doctors list

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ROCKFORD — Castle Connolly Medical Ltd. recently selected OrthoIllinois' Dr. Brian Bear for inclusion in its selective list of Castle Connolly Top Doctors for the fourth straight year.

Only 4-5 percent of doctors in America earn the honor. The doctors are selected by Castle Connolly Medical Ltd. after being nominated by peer physicians. Nominations are open to all board-certified medical doctors and doctors of osteopathic medicine.

Bear's practice at OrthoIllinois is focused on shoulder, elbow, hand, microvascular, traumatic and reconstructive surgery. He is an associate professor at University of Illinois College of Medicine in Rockford and assistant clinical professor of orthopedic surgery at the Rush University Medical Center in Chicago, and he serves as a faculty member of the Orthopedic Learning Center in Rosemont. Bear also is a reviewer for the Journal of Shoulder and Elbow Surgery, is actively involved in clinical research and has published numerous journal articles.

For information: castleconnolly.com/doctors.