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New Technology Breaks Care Barrier

Delivering expert neurosurgical support on-demand

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Kijabe Hospital

<http://kijabehospital.org>

Kijabe Hospital is a non-profit 285-bed hospital owned and operated by Africa Inland Church of Kenya as part of a network of five hospitals and 45 dispensaries located throughout the country. The goals of the hospital are excellent medical care, evangelism training in medical professions and disciplining of staff and students.

The pediatric neurosurgery service at Kijabe Hospital is well known and patients come from throughout Kenya and from neighboring countries as well as from West African countries and islands in the Indian Ocean to be treated there. More infants with spina bifida are seen at KH than at any other center in the world. They operate on approximately 1,200 patients each year, 95% of them children.

Greenville Neuromodulation Center (GNC)

www.greenvilleneuromodulationcenter.com

The mission of the Greenville Neuromodulation Center (GNC) is to advance Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) and other neuromodulation therapies through research, education and clinical care. GNC is a nonprofit organization based in Greenville, Pennsylvania.

Through ongoing research and development of the tools and techniques used to treat Movement Disorders, GNC has developed Distance Expert® –Medical and –Surgical, emerging technology for medicine. GNC is breaking down the barriers to care by expanding the capabilities to nonexpert healthcare professionals to overcome the current and projected expansion of physician shortages.

FHC

www.fh-co.com

FHC has served the neuroscience community for more than 40 years advancing cranial microTargeting worldwide. With a guiding principle of innovation through collaboration, FHC designs, manufactures and internationally markets leading and trusted products that provide customizable and pioneering solutions for neuroscientists and neurosurgeons. Headquartered in Bowdoin, Maine, FHC operates offices globally with over 100 employees.

Thiel College

www.thiel.edu

Founded in 1866, Thiel College is an independent liberal arts, sciences and professional studies institution located on a 135-acre campus in Greenville, Pa. just 90 minutes from Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Erie. Committed to combining the best of the liberal arts tradition with career and life skills, the Thiel College faculty offers a high quality undergraduate education to more than 1,100 students across more than 60 majors and minors in 19 discipline areas that inspire, challenge and prepare students to succeed.