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Brooks names Dr. Trevor Paris as Medical Director, Vice President

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JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – Brooks Health has named Dr. Trevor Paris as Medical Director for Brooks Rehabilitation Hospital and Vice President of Brooks Rehabilitation Specialists medical practice.

As Medical Director for the Hospital, Paris will provide medical leadership for the following:

- Development of best practice models for the delivery of medical/clinical care and utilization of ancillary services and other key resources. In this capacity Dr. Paris will also serve as chairman of the Quality Council and Utilization Management Committee.
- Development of quality goals and a related set of metrics to measure and monitor effective physician practice patterns and patient satisfaction.
- Advise and collaborate with leadership in the development of new programs, services and other strategic initiatives that will enhance the delivery of care.

As Vice President of Brooks Rehabilitation Specialists, Paris will provide direct supervision of the employed and contracted physicians and also lead the growth and expansion initiatives for the medical practice.

Prior to coming to Brooks, Paris served as Medical Director of Rehabilitation Services at Tennessee Christian Medical Center which included both a 52-bed acute rehab facility and outpatient services. He provided leadership in customer service, program development and quality care initiatives for the hospital. Paris also managed a private practice that included contract physicians, nurse extenders and other personnel that were involved in the delivery of care in inpatient, outpatient and SNF post acute levels of care.

Since joining Brooks three years ago, Paris has provided leadership in the establishment of an evidence based foundation for the delivery of stroke rehabilitation care. He has actively participated in several research projects and is co-principle investigator of the first Brooks initiated research project “Homeward Bound,” which has been accepted for presentation at the International Stroke Conference to be held this February in San

Diego. In his new role, Paris will continue to provide medical leadership for the Stroke Program.

Dr. Jeff Johns., Associate Medical Director, had temporarily filled the position prior to Paris during a transition period. Johns will continue in his role as Associate Medical Director.

About Brooks

Serving our patients for more than 35 years, Brooks has a long-standing tradition of providing quality inpatient and outpatient rehabilitation care to Florida and Southeast Georgia. Our 143-bed acute physical rehab hospital is unique in the region with a highly trained staff and an unmatched range of services. Brooks has an extensive network of 25 outpatient centers and an established home health services division, Brooks Home Care Advantage, which provides the best continuum of post-acute services possible to the communities served. Brooks currently conducts over 20 clinical trials in its sites and at a cutting-edge research facility. With an extensive array of preventive, educational, and community-based services such as adaptive sports, Brooks is deeply committed to improving the health of the community, especially for those living with a disability. Brooks is more than rehabilitation. It's about being you again. More information on Brooks can be found at www.brookshealth.org.