

# **Matt Ewend, M.D.**

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Dr. Matthew G. Ewend is Chair of the Department of Neurological Surgery at UNC. He joined the faculty in 1997 after completing medical school, a neurosurgery residency, and a brain tumor fellowship at The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and The Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Dr. Ewend's clinical interests lie in the fields of brain tumors and endoscopic skull-base surgery. He specializes in treating patients with brain metastases, meningioma, pituitary adenoma glioma as well as trigeminal neuralgia, Chiari malformation, hydrocephalus and pediatric neurosurgery. Along with open and endoscopic surgery, Dr. Ewend has a busy practice in CyberKnife® radiosurgery.

In addition to these roles, Dr. Ewend is the Group Leader for NeuroOncology in the UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center. His research interests are in neuro stem cell-based therapy for brain tumors, treatment of brain metastases, and outcomes for endoscopic neurosurgery.

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**Education/Learning, Research, Health and Wellness**

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Neuroscience, Brain Tumors, Brain Metastases, Trigeminal Neuralgia, Radiosurgery, Chiari Malformation, Hydrocephalus, Pediatric Neurosurgery, Brain Imaging, Outcomes for Endoscopic Neurosurgery, CyberKnife, Skull Base Surgery

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**The Johns Hopkins Hospital**

Residency Neurosurgery

**The Johns Hopkins Hospital**

Fellowship Neuro-Oncology

**The Johns Hopkins Hospital**

Internship Surgery

**Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine**

M.D. Medicine

**Kalamazoo College**

B.A. Mathematics & Health Sciences

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**Board Certified in Neurological Surgery**

2001 (Recertified 2011)

**H. Fleming Fuller Award (2015)**

Awarded by the University of North Carolina Health Care board of directors.

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