

Nassau Academy of Medicine

Ellen J. Braunstein MD First Vice President



Dr. Ellen J. Braunstein is a board-certified physician, specializing in Neurology. She is currently in private practice in Woodmere, NY, providing all phases of neurological care.

She has been honored with numerous medical practice awards, including "America's Top Physicians," "Leading Physicians of the World," and "Top Doctor Award."

Dr. Braunstein has held various positions in multiple university healthcare systems throughout Nassau County, including Medical Director of the Multiple Sclerosis Center at Mercy Hospital of Catholic Healthcare Services. She is a past president of the Nassau County Medical Society, and ten years later, she still demonstrates the energy and commitment necessary to help steer its mission forward.

Through the years she has served the society as chairperson of the "Bylaws" committee and is an active member of the "Board of Censors," "Peer Review," and "Communication/Media" committees. She is a member of the House of Delegates at the state level and has helped to lead successful state committees on "Independent Practices" and "Health Systems Reform and Implementations." Dr. Braunstein crosses over into the public health sector as well, where she is the Chair of the Nassau County Department of Health. She is part of the Medical Reserve Corps, supporting all communities in Nassau County through 9/11, Super Storm Sandy, and Flu vaccination programs.

She is a graduate of Hofstra University, where she met her husband, and the Chicago Medical School. Dr. Braunstein completed her Internal Medicine Internship at the Mount Sinai Hospitals in New York City and the Neurology residency training program through Cornell University at North Shore University Hospital and Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, attaining chief residency status. Dr. Braunstein looks forward to many more years of service in our medical communities and embraces the challenges ahead.