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OVERLOOK HOSPITAL DENTIST, BRIAN SILVERMAN, RECEIVES FELLOWSHIP AWARD

Summit, NJ, October 23, 2007 – Overlook Hospital's Dr. Brian Silverman, director of Dental Education and program director, General Practice Residency in Dentistry, was awarded Fellowship status in the American College of Dentists on September 27, 2007 during its Annual Meeting and Convocation in San Francisco, California. Less than 3.5% of dentists nationally are Fellows of the American College of Dentists.

Dr. Silverman is a member of the Union County Dental Society, component of the New Jersey and American Dental Associations, where he chairs the committee on Post-Doctoral Education, as well as serves as a local delegate to the New Jersey Dental Association. Dr. Silverman is also a registered Examiner for Dentistry's Northeast Regional Board, a governing body involved with dental licensure in 15 states and the District of Columbia.

Dr. Silverman has been on the medical staff at Overlook Hospital in Summit since 1990, serving as the director of Dental Education and program director of General Practice Residency in Dentistry for the past 13 years. Dr. Silverman also directs a faculty practice at Overlook Hospital as well as maintaining a private practice in Cranford.

The American College of Dentists is the oldest national honorary organization for dentists. It was founded in 1920 to recognize dentists who have made significant contributions to the advancement of dentistry. The mission of the American College of Dentists is to advance excellence, ethics, professionalism, and leadership in dentistry. Fellowship in the college is by invitation only, and based on demonstrated leadership and contributions to the dental profession and society.

Part of Atlantic Health, atlantichhealth.org, Overlook Hospital is a 504-bed not-for-profit community teaching hospital located in Summit, NJ with more than 1,200 attending physicians. Overlook provides adult and pediatric emergency care, with specialties in emergency cardiac angioplasty and stroke response. Overlook's Neuroscience Institute is the State's leader in stroke and brain tumor treatments as the primary provider of the revolutionary Merci® Retriever and CyberKnife®. Overlook Hospital is the first State-designated Comprehensive Stroke Center, and has a Bariatric Surgery Center of Excellence, a Minimally Invasive Surgery Program, and Comprehensive Cancer Center and Breast Center. Other areas of expertise

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include dedicated centers for women's health, concussion management, epilepsy, memory disorders and brain tumors, pain management, diabetes, wound healing and hyperbaric medicine. Overlook offers state-of-the-art maternity and baby services, with private, customized care and a Neonatal Intensive Care Unit staffed with the largest pediatric surgery group in New Jersey.

Overlook Hospital is a research Partner with The Cancer Institute of New Jersey and is accredited by The Joint Commission. Atlantic Health is the primary academic and clinical affiliate in New Jersey of Mount Sinai School of Medicine and The Mount Sinai Hospital.

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