Rush offers an atrial fibrillation clinic where electrophysiologists focus exclusively on managing and treating patients to help modify risk factors and slow down progression of this chronic disease. Our providers treat newly diagnosed, paroxysmal, persistent and permanent atrial fibrillation. Our dedicated team of experts coordinate patients’ care before, during and after treatment, tailoring a multidisciplinary treatment plan that specifically meets their needs.

Our Treatments

Treatments for atrial fibrillation aim to restore a normal heart rate, reduce symptoms associated with atrial fibrillation and improve patients’ quality of life. Treatments include the following:

- Catheter ablation
- Hybrid ablation
- Medications
- Anticoagulation clinic
- Pacemakers
- Left atrial appendage closure device (Watchman)

Providers in the atrial fibrillation clinic work closely with primary care providers and referring providers to detect early signs of atrial fibrillation. Recent studies (CASTLE AF, ATTEST, and EAST AF-NET) suggest that early treatment of atrial fibrillation can reduce cardiovascular complications associated with atrial fibrillation. Rush electrophysiologists will partner with you to improve both patient and clinical outcomes.

Nationally Ranked Care

U.S. News & World Report ranked Rush University Medical Center among the best in the nation for cardiology and heart surgery care.

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