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Vitals Names Top 10 Patient-Rated Dermatologists In New York City

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Dermatologists are responsible for treating the body's largest organ – the skin – as well as the hair, nails, and scalp. The number of conditions affecting these areas of the body are both varied and numerous, ranging from a simple case of dandruff and aesthetic issues to the deadliest forms of skin cancer, or melanoma.

While many people come for treatments like mole removal, scar diminishment, botox injections, and face lifts, the American Academy of Dermatology recommends visiting a dermatologist annually for a skin cancer screening, as early detection greatly increases the survival rate. So, in an effort to encourage the public to schedule what should be a routine appointment for maintaining good health, Vitals has released the list of the Top 10 Patient-Rated Dermatologists in New York City.

Vitals' Top 10 Patient-Rated Dermatologists are those doctors who've been rated the highest in qualities that patients value: a good bedside manner, accessibility, adequate follow-up, ease of appointment, diagnosis accuracy, time spent with the patient, office wait time, and staff courtesy.

The list was derived by analyzing the ratings of New York City's 325 patient-rated dermatologists on Vitals.com, along with other quality measures. The ratings section of Vitals is the most viewed section of the doctor profile, and more than 35,000 patients each month leave doctor reviews.

Below are the Top 10 Patient-Rated Dermatologists in New York City, as featured on Vitals:

1. Dr. Bruce Heller, New York, NY
2. Dr. Alan Kling, New York, NY
3. Dr. Gary Goldenberg, New York, NY
4. Dr. Judith Hellman, New York, NY
5. Dr. Sherry Shieh, New York, NY
6. Dr. Sherwin Parikh, New York, NY
7. Dr. Joshua Fox, New York, NY
8. Dr. Rosemarie Ingleton, New York, NY
9. Dr. Lewis Feder, New York, NY

For more information about these dermatologists, or to find other specialty or primary care physicians in your area, visit Vitals.com.