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Spine Team Texas Named a 2009 'Best Place to Work' by Dallas Business Journal Spine Team Texas serves Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex with offices in Southlake and Rockwall

SOUTHLAKE, TX – September 1, 2009 – Spine Team Texas (<u>www.spineteamtexas.com</u>), a back and neck care center with locations in Southlake and Rockwall, Texas, was named to *Dallas Business Journal's* respected 'Best Places to Work 2009.'

This annual program, now in its seventh year, is a highly sought-after designation which recognizes the area's top employers. More than 400 companies in North Texas competed for the honor, which is awarded in the categories of small, midsize and large companies.

With 125 employees in its Southlake and Rockwall locations, Spine Team Texas is one of 37 midsize companies throughout the Dallas-Fort Worth area on this year's 'Best Places to Work 2009.' Winning companies were selected by the aggregate score of employee surveys as administered by the independent research firm Quantum Workplace. Companies that achieved best-practice scores, as determined by national industry standards, were selected as the *Dallas Business Journal*'s 'Best Places to Work.' All honoree companies will be recognized at a special awards luncheon on Thursday, September 17, when the rankings will be revealed.

"This is quite an honor. We feel privileged to have received this recognition as a result of our employees' perception with employment at Spine Team Texas," states Mark Hood, CEO of Spine Team Texas. "Our patients and employees are the two most important indicators of how we're doing things – good or bad."

About Spine Team Texas

A premier regional spine center of excellence, Spine Team Texas specializes in back and neck problems ranging from simple back or neck strains to the most complex spine surgery. Through its in-depth knowledge and team atmosphere, Spine Team Texas is dedicated to treating patients conservatively through education, physical therapy, non-surgical treatments, and minimally invasive spine surgery when necessary. The team of physicians specializing in non-surgical spine care, spine-specialized neurosurgeons, spine-focused physical therapists and on-site registered nurses strive to ensure that patients return to everyday activities. Established in December 2004, Spine Team Texas is headquartered in Southlake, Texas, and has an additional office in Rockwall, Texas. For more information about Spine Team Texas, visit www.spineteamtexas.com.

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