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COASTAL ORTHOPEDICS WELCOMES PAIN MANAGEMENT PHYSICIAN

Bradenton, FL (July 14, 2010) — Coastal Orthopedics & Sports Medicine/Pain Management is proud to welcome Abraham Rivera, MD to their Pain Management practice. Dr. Rivera is renowned for his specialty in Implantation of Spinal Cord Stimulators and Intraspinal Infusion Pumps. He has trained hundreds of physicians worldwide and lectures routinely around the world in regard to this unique modality of therapy.

“Coastal prides itself on having physicians who are nationally recognized for being leaders in new procedures and technology in pain management and musculoskeletal care. Dr. Rivera’s reputation and advanced work in interventional pain medicine, will make him a tremendous asset to the Coastal team,” said Coastal Orthopedics Chief Executive Officer, Paul M. Duck.

In addition to Spinal Cord Stimulation and Intraspinal Infusion Pumps, Dr. Rivera’s specialties include: radio-frequency ablation and vertebral fracture cement repair. “I’m excited to join a group of physicians who have a long-standing reputation for offering preeminent care using sophisticated medical therapies, and share the common goal of giving patients back their life,” said Dr. Rivera.

Prior to joining Coastal, Dr. Rivera was a faculty member at Albany Medical Center in the Department of Anesthesiology in charge of training Anesthesiology residents in the field of pain management. He later moved to Florida to become Chief Medical Director for a multimillion-dollar surgery center and pain management practice in Tampa.

Dr. Rivera completed his residency in Anesthesiology and Pain Management at Albany Medical Center in Albany, NY and completed his Doctorate in the country where he grew up, at the University of Puerto Rico.

Dr. Rivera, who is Spanish/English bilingual, will work out of the Coastal Orthopedics center located at 1219 East Ave. S, Suite 103, Sarasota, FL.

About Coastal Orthopedics & Sports Medicine | Pain Management

Coastal Orthopedics & Sports Medicine | Pain Management has been serving the Sarasota-Bradenton area for over thirty years. Coastal Orthopedics is comprised of a group of over 15 specialty and sub-specialty trained orthopedic surgeons and pain management physicians focusing on the care and treatment of patients. Our pain management physicians work with patients to receive treatment focused on restoring activity through the reduction or elimination of pain associated with the musculoskeletal system through minimally invasive, interventional methods. For more information visit www.coastalorthopedics.com.

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