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# WESTCHESTER



**2018**

## Top Doctors

682 of the region's best physicians, as chosen by their peers in 63 specialties



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## OPHTHALMOLOGY

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**Q. What is the focus and scope of your practice?**

**A.** For more than 40 years, the physicians at Westchester Eye Associates have been recognized leaders in providing world-class medical and surgical eye care for patients in New York and surrounding areas. Today, Westchester Eye Associates is considered the largest eye-care specialty practice in the county and one of the largest in New York. Known for their extensive experience, our award-winning doctors have a proven record in treating their patients with unsurpassed care and passion.

**Q. Who are the eye-care experts on your practice team?**

**A.** Providing patients with the best care in sight is the shared goal of the practice's comprehensive team of talented practitioners. They include Bruce Gordon (founder), MD; Allen Greenbaum, MD; Seth Potash, MD; Neil Katz, MD; James Gordon, MD; and Smitha Voleti, MD, who are all board certified and members of the American Academy of Ophthalmology. We are also excited to have Ophthalmologist Nitasha Gupta, MD, join our team. Completing the team is AnnMary Abadir, OD, a highly trained optometrist, and our experienced and personable ophthalmic technicians.

**Q. Can you give some examples of the range of treatment provided?**

**A.** The practice's dedicated and highly experienced ophthalmological surgeons use

state-of-the-art diagnostic equipment and the most advanced surgical techniques for cataract, glaucoma, refractive errors (LASIK, PRK), strabismus, cosmetic eyelid, as well as non-surgical facial procedures (BOTOX®, Fillers, Laser Skin Resurfacing, MicroNeedling, Plasma Rich Platelets, Liquid Facelift, and PDO Threading).

**Q. Does your full-service practice also include eyewear?**

**A.** With convenience as a hallmark of its service, the practice makes ordering eyewear easy for patients. An on-site optical shop, staffed with experienced, licensed opticians and equipped with its own lab, carries a comprehensive selection of designer eyeglasses and sunglasses, as well as contact lenses, specialty lenses for computer use, and safety eyewear for sports.

**Q. Are there other benefits patients can expect?**

**A.** The relocation to a new facility in Harrison has provided the growing practice with added space, comfort, ample parking, and most importantly, advanced leading-edge technology. Patients also benefit from a new state-of-the-art surgery center conveniently located next to our Harrison office. Evening and Saturday appointments are always available and the optical shop is open Monday through Saturday. Operating from two locations in Harrison and Yonkers enables the practice to fully serve the needs of the Westchester community.

**Pictured, top row, left to right:**  
Neil Katz, MD  
James Gordon, MD  
Seth Potash, MD  
Bruce Gordon, MD  
Allen Greenbaum, MD

**Bottom row, left to right:**  
Smitha Voleti, MD  
Nitasha Gupta, MD  
AnnMary Abadir, OD

# Congratulations to our 2018 Top Doctors

Samuel Beran, MD  
Seth Biser, MD  
Gregg Cavaliere, MD  
James Gordon, MD

Allen Greenbaum, MD  
Joshua Greenwald, MD  
Anthony Maddalo, MD  
Hyman Ryback, MD

Bradley Scharf, MD  
Michael Tarlowe, MD  
Gary Turer, MD

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in their chosen specialties.



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- Accredited by the Association for Ambulatory Healthcare (AAAHC) ▪ Highly trained clinical staff
- Certified by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services ▪ Four spacious operating rooms
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