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NO MATTER HOW MUCH research you do, the science of determining which doctors are a region's best is an inexact one. And digging through the thousands of physicians in the Bay Area would be a Herculean task, too big for any one magazine to take on. So we did what any good patient does—we turned to a specialist: Castle Connolly Medical Ltd., a healthcare research and information company that has made it its mission to guide patients to the finest physicians and hospitals in the country.

How does Castle Connolly do it? The company asks doctors to nominate their own. (And no, doctors can't nominate themselves, nor can they pay to be included.) After sifting through nearly 1,600 nominees in eight Bay Area counties—Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, and Sonoma—Castle Connolly's team of researchers narrowed the list of top docs down to 449 names. They're all cataloged in the pages that follow, along with details about their primary hospital affiliations, their specialties, and where you can find them.

TOP DOCTORS 2016

THE BAY AREA'S FINEST PHYSICIANS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY (pups not included)

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