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Philosophy of Care I will always put you, my patient(s), at the center of any care plan thru compassion and honesty.

Clinical Interests Dr. Chi is a nationally recognized vascular medicine expert with clinical expertise in non-invasive management of venous, arterial and lymphatic disorders.

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