



Save the Date: Visionary Ball 2013

The Visionary Ball raises critical funds and awareness in support of our patients who face the most complex neurological disorders of this era. Millions of Americans battle disorders of the brain and spine each year, and these disorders have become the #1 cause of disability and loss of life in the nation. [Learn more »](#)



NERVS Project

Dr. Nancy McLaughlin was recently awarded a \$250,000 grant for a three-year project to deliver value-based neurosurgery care and enhancing communication for risk prevention. [Learn more »](#)



Hemispherectomy Treatment for Extreme Seizure Disorders

Dr. Gary Matherne, professor of neurosurgery and director of the UCLA Pediatric Epilepsy Program at Mattel Children's Hospital UCLA, was recently interviewed NBC health on hemispherectomy procedures for severe seizure-prone pediatric patients. [Learn more »](#)



Doctor's Orders

David Hovda, professor of neurosurgery and director of the Brain Injury Research Center, was featured in an ESPN segment about the NFL's concussion program. [Watch video »](#)



UCLA BrainSPORT Program

The UCLA BrainSPORT program aims to make sure athletes, parents, coaches and trainers receive vital care, education and research to help them better understand how to prevent concussions. [Learn more »](#)

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