

PRESS RELEASE

AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER HISTORY MADE IN MICHIGAN

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Dearborn, MI — History was made on January 9th, 2023 in the State of Michigan. The first Coronary Catheterization and Pacemaker procedures were performed safely in an ambulatory surgery center (MOVI ASC) by Dr. Elias Kassab, Dr. Sonela Blaceri, and Dr. Subrahmanya Yellai.

Our team started this uncertain, and obstacle filled journey 4.5 years ago. We spent many days and months working successfully side-by-side with our State Government, the Certificate of Need Commission, the Cardiac Cath Advisory Council, MOCA (Michigan Outpatient Cardiovascular Association) and MGS Consultants.

With our partners we collectively built the framework for ambulatory cardiac care that is safe, cost effective, and provides patients with increased access and convenience.

I want to thank Dr. Elias Kassab for his vision and leadership, and our entire staff here at MOVI ASC for their dedication to our mission and their unwavering support for our patients.

– Kyle Sheiko, Treasurer of MOCA

