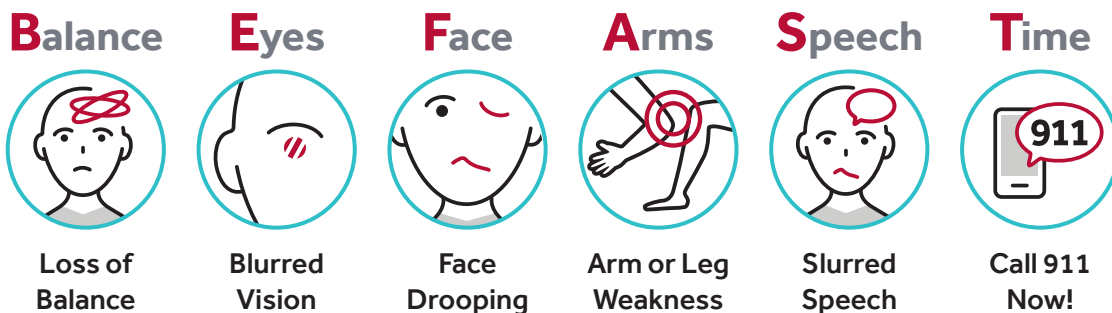


# Stroke waits for no one.

# BE FAST.



Stroke is an emergency. During a stroke more than 1 million brain cells are irreversibly lost each minute, so every second counts. If you or your loved one experiences any of these “BE FAST” warning signs, **call 9-1-1 immediately.**

**If you’re in Suffolk County, you can request to be taken to Stony Brook’s Comprehensive Stroke Center.**



We’ve been creating, innovating and offering advanced stroke procedures since 2007. Stony Brook is the only hospital in New York State, **nationally ranked in the top 5% in stroke care, 9 years in a row** by Healthgrades®.

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# Nobody chooses to have a stroke.

But you **can choose** where you're treated for one.



Did you know you can ask to be taken to the stroke center of your choice when you call 9-1-1 about a sudden loss of balance, blurred vision, face droop, arm or leg weakness, and slurred or garbled/nonsensical speech?

**If you're in Suffolk County when EMS arrives, tell them you want to go to Stony Brook's Comprehensive Stroke Center.**



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