## City of Hope holds Spirit of Life reception

Facial plastic surgeon Gordon honored with award for philanthropic support

City of Hope Cancer Center recently held a Spirit of Life Award reception in Palm Beach to honor Dr. Neil A. Gordon for his philanthropic support of the organization.

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Gordon, a facial plastic surgeon and noted author, is recognized for his expertise in the most sophisticated techniques of face lifting, eyelid and brow lifting and nose surgery.

Gordon is a clinical instructor of surgery in the department of surgery at Yale University School of Medicine, where he also serves as coordinator for residency education in the Division of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

He also is the chairman of the Committee on Patient Safety and Accreditation for the American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

City of Hope Cancer Center, located in California, is one of the world's leading research and treatment centers for cancer, diabetes, HIV/AIDS and other lifethreatening diseases.

Named by *U.S. News* & *World Report* as one of America's best medical centers for cancer treatment, City of Hope is a Comprehensive Cancer Center, the highest designation bestowed by the National Cancer Institute, and a founding member of the National Comprehensive Cancer Network.



From left: Renee Friedman, Spirit of Life Honoree Dr. Neil A. Gordon and his father, George Gordon

Founded in 1913, City of Hope is a pioneer in the fields of bone-marrow transplantation and genetics. City of Hope's scientific knowledge is shared with medical centers locally and globally, helping patients battling life-threatening diseases.

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