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Summit County Prosecutor Announces Indictment Against Dr. James Bressi

Pain clinic doctor accused of sexually assaulting female patients

AKRON, OHIO – **August 29, 2013** – Summit County Prosecuting Attorney Sherri Bevan Walsh today announced a 23-count indictment against Dr. James Bressi, 59, of Victoria Parkway in Hudson. Dr. Bressi is accused of sexually assaulting female patients he was treating at Summit Pain Specialists in Stow.

The indictment includes:

- Rape, a felony of the first degree
- 11 counts of Gross Sexual Imposition, felonies of the fourth degree
- 11 counts of Sexual Imposition, misdemeanors of the third degree

"These women put their trust and faith in a medical professional to alleviate their pain," said Prosecutor Walsh. "Instead of finding relief from chronic pain, they were sexually assaulted. My office will work to ensure Dr. Bressi is held accountable for his actions."

An arraignment date has not been set.