



## Peter Heinlein, MD

Chief, Ob/Gyn  
San Rafael

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Cecil Cutting  
Leadership Award

"I have a special interest in minimally invasive surgery and treatments that replace surgery," says Peter Heinlein, MD. But it's not just Dr. Heinlein's own patients who benefit from minimally invasive procedures – he champions their use throughout the Northern California region and beyond.

His leadership has helped grow the regional rate of minimally invasive hysterectomies to over 90%. An international expert on the Essure non-surgical permanent birth control procedure, he consults with other regions on its use.

Dr. Heinlein has held leadership positions on regional and national Kaiser Permanente Ob/Gyn technology committees. An accomplished author and researcher, he also sits on the editorial board of the Journal of Minimally Invasive Gynecology.

**“ Dr. Heinlein has an unrelenting focus on providing the best care to our members. ”**

– Gary Mizono, MD, Physician-in-Chief