

LONESTAR
Anesthesiology and Pain Professionals

PARTNER OVERVIEW · HOUSTON, TX

Anesthesia, built for Houston.

PHYSICIAN-OWNED SINCE 1995

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THE STAKES

Anesthesia is not a line item.

Buy anesthesia on price alone and the real cost shows up later: delayed starts, canceled cases, and surgeons who take their volume elsewhere.

WHAT FACILITIES LOOK FOR

What every facility asks of its anesthesia group.

It comes down to four things — and Lonestar is built to deliver all four.

01	**Reliable, quality, efficient**	Coverage holds, outcomes stand up, and the first case starts on time.
02	**Ease & flexibility of staffing**	A deep bench that flexes to your schedule and absorbs call, add-ons, and swings without drama.
03	**4th-room coverage**	The capacity to open and cover the extra room on demand, so surgeons never wait on anesthesia.
04	**It has to make financial sense**	A cost you can defend to your board, and a billing model where the math actually works for the facility.

WHAT SETS US APART

The Lonestar difference.

01	**Locally owned, no PE**	Physician-owned and independent since 1995, with no private equity. The decisions stay in Houston.
02	**Care-team efficiency**	Anesthesiologists medically directing a strong CRNA team, so your rooms stay covered.
03	**Safety and satisfaction**	A strong, actively measured patient-safety and satisfaction record.
04	**An owner you can reach**	When something needs fixing, you reach a Lonestar owner directly, not a PE call center.

OUR HOUSTON FOOTPRINT

We already run anesthesia across Houston.

Thirty years of coverage across the metro — The Woodlands to Sugar Land, Katy to Baytown.

30+
PHYSICIANS

50+
CRNAS

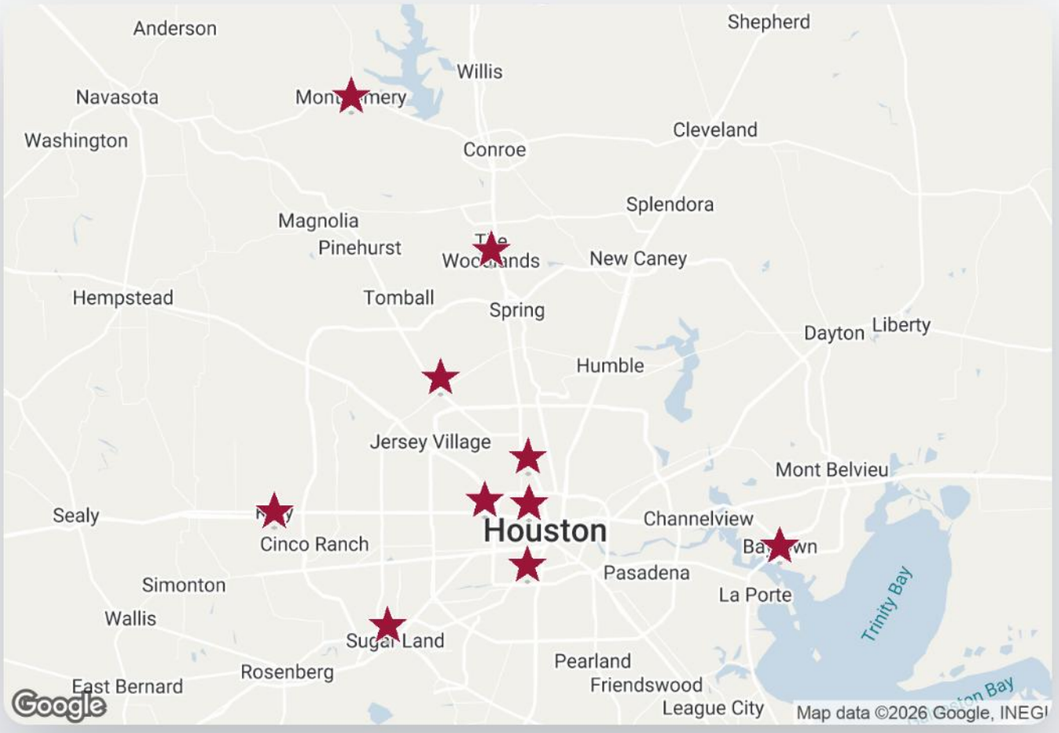
24/7
OR COVERAGE

TRUSTED ACROSS HOUSTON FACILITIES

CommonSpirit

United Surgical Partners International

OAKBEND



PHYSICIAN LEADERSHIP

Owned and led by the physicians in your ORs.

The partners who own Lonestar are the physicians who would staff your facility. Same people, start to finish, since 1995.

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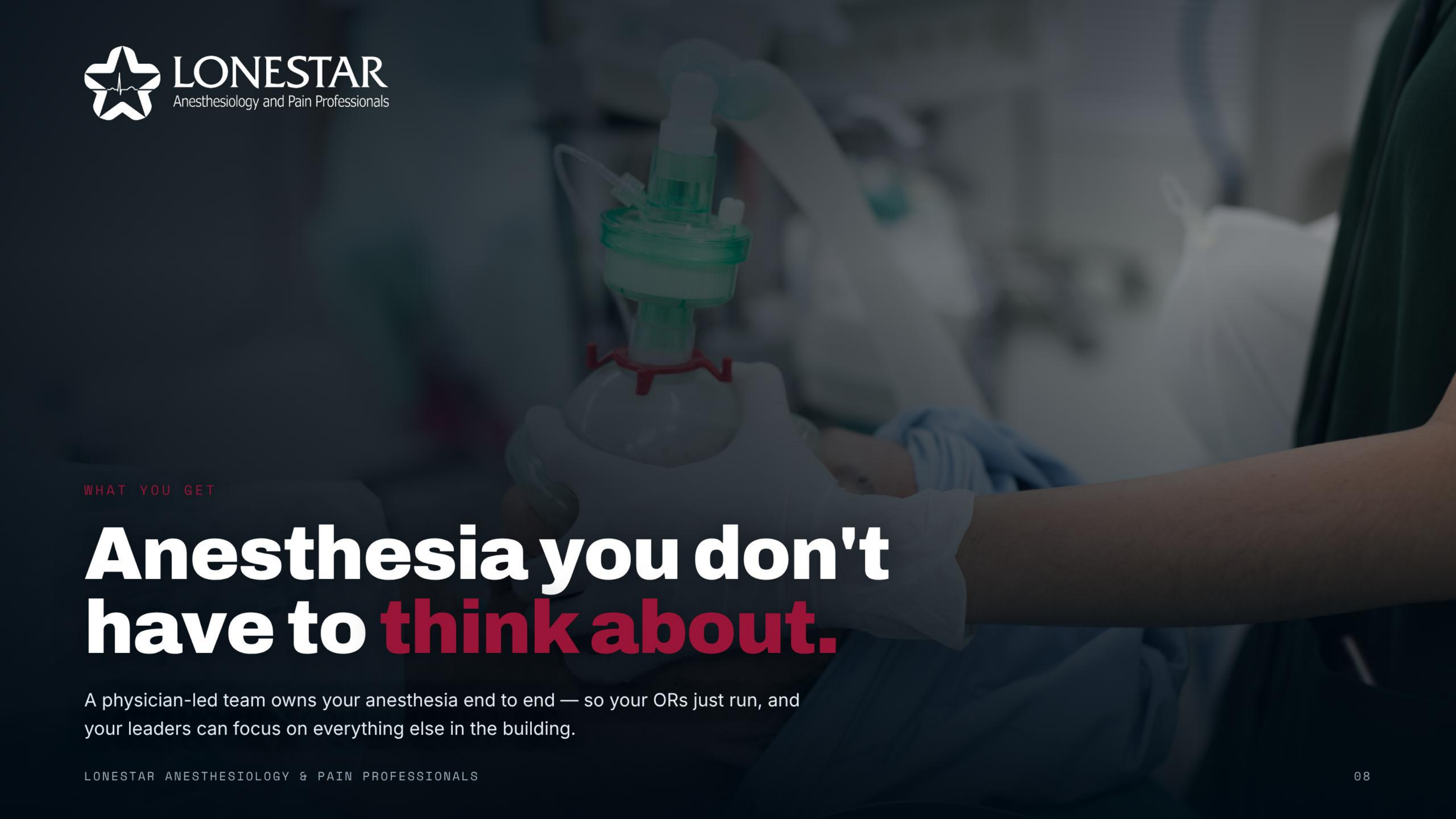
Our physicians serve as American Board of Anesthesiology examiners, Texas Society of Anesthesiologists delegates, and facility surveyors — with subspecialty depth across the full range of cases your ORs run.

HOW WE COMPARE

The scale of a national group. The accountability of a local one.

	National roll-ups (USAP, NAPA, NorthStar)	Small local groups	Lonestar
Physician-owned, decisions made in Houston	× PE-backed	✓	✓
Independent Houston group since 1995	By acquisition	Varies	✓ 30 yrs
Full subspecialty depth (cardiac, OB, peds, regional)	✓	Limited	✓
Deep, reliable staffing bench	✓	× Thin	✓
On-site physician leadership & accountability	Corporate team	✓	✓
Long-term continuity (not contract-flipping)	× Churn risk	Succession risk	✓

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WHAT YOU GET

Anesthesia you don't have to think about.

A physician-led team owns your anesthesia end to end — so your ORs just run, and your leaders can focus on everything else in the building.

ANSWERING YOUR ASK

Reliable. Quality. Efficient.

Reliability, quality, and efficiency sit at the center of what every facility asks. Here is how Lonestar proves each one.

Reliable

Stable, employed Houston clinicians with real subspecialty depth — a consistent team your surgeons get to know, not a rotating roster.

Quality

Board-certified physicians, ultrasound-guided regional, and ERAS opioid-sparing pathways, with PONV, complication, and patient-experience outcomes reviewed every quarter.

Efficient

On-time first-case starts, fast turnover, staffing matched to your schedule, and an on-site physician lead as your single point of contact.

PERFORMANCE & ACCOUNTABILITY

We hold ourselves accountable.

We set clear service levels with your team and review them with you in a standing quarterly Quality & Outcomes Review — so you always know where things stand.

Service levels, set together

On-time starts, turnover, coverage reliability, and patient experience, agreed with your team and tracked openly.

A standing quarterly review

Your leadership and ours meet every quarter for a Quality & Outcomes Review, so you always know where things stand.

We own the result

When a number slips, you hear it from us first — with a plan to fix it already in motion.

PARTNER SERVICES

Anesthesia and pain, one physician-led group.

A full service line for every facility type across Houston. Everything from surgery to ongoing pain care stays under one group, a pathway most competitors split across separate practices.

Hospitals

Anesthesia and OR management with a consistent, well-staffed team around the clock.

Surgery Centers

Safe, efficient anesthesia and OR management, with responsive staffing for busy schedules.

Office-Based

We set up and run office-based anesthesia programs: staffing, equipment, and compliance.

Pain Management

Integrated practice management and billing, built on decades of pain operational experience.

COVERAGE ACROSS EVERY SPECIALTY

General · Cardiac · Obstetric · Pediatric · Neuro · Orthopedic · Plastics · Ophthalmic · ENT · Pain

STANDARDS & COMPLIANCE

Credentialing and compliance, handled.

We carry the compliance load so your administration doesn't have to.

Clinical credentials

Board-certified physicians, subspecialty-verified. Credentialing, privileging, and payer enrollment managed for every provider.

Facility accreditation

Support for Joint Commission and CMS Conditions of Participation and Conditions for Coverage, plus ASC accreditation (QUAD A, formerly AAAASF, and AAAHC).

Compliance & reporting

HIPAA-compliant documentation, quality reporting, and the audit trail your administration needs.

HOW WE ENGAGE

Two roads to partnership.

However you want to structure it, Lonestar takes anesthesia off your plate.

Road 01 · Professional Services Agreement

We run your anesthesia service under contract. You keep your structure, we carry the work.

- Lonestar staffs, schedules, and bills
- Reliable coverage with a defined, defensible subsidy
- Less anesthesia risk and overhead on your books

Road 02 · Acquisition & full integration

We take on the full anesthesia service line as your long-term partner.

- Complete staffing, scheduling, and billing
- Anesthesia EMR and quality reporting built in
- One accountable, physician-led group

PROOF

Trusted by patients and facilities.

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Lonestar stabilized our OR coverage and brought our premium-labor spend back under control within the first year.

[Client name, title] · [Facility]

WHAT PATIENTS SAY

"The anesthesiologist team were each fantastic and transparent from start to finish."

"The nurses and Dr. Youngblood were loving, calming, and understanding of their little patient's needs."

"LOVE the doctors and CRNAs here. Always given the utmost care."

RISK REVERSAL

The switch is on us.

We take the risk out of changing anesthesia groups, and we put it in writing.

- **No-gap coverage guarantee**
  Coverage continues without a single interruption through the entire transition.
- **Performance SLAs, reported quarterly**
  Measurable service levels you can hold us to, with part of the subsidy at stake.
- **We keep your proven providers**
  We retain the anesthesia team your surgeons already trust, wherever possible.
- **A fair, defined out-clause**
  Clear termination and transition terms. If we don't deliver, you're never trapped.

YOUR PATH FORWARD

From conversation to coverage.

A clear, low-risk path. Most facilities go from first call to signed in [60-90] days.

1

Spend & coverage review

A 30-minute, no-obligation review of your current coverage, cost, and risk.

WEEK 1

2

Custom proposal & model

A facility-specific coverage grid and a defensible, FMV-backed subsidy model.

WITHIN [10] DAYS

3

References & review

Reference calls with peer facilities, and review with your CFO and committee.

WEEKS 3-6

4

Transition & go-live

Credentialing, a zero-gap switch, and one physician point of contact.

ON YOUR TIMELINE

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LET'S TALK

Let's talk about your ORs.

Start with a 30-minute review of your anesthesia spend. We'll show you where the money and risk sit today, and the model we'd put in their place.

YOUR FIRST CALL

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