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Broward Sheriff's Office Detective
MAURY HERNANDEZ

“Memorial saved my life!”

During a routine traffic stop on August 6, 2007, BSO Detective Maury Hernandez had his worst nightmare become a chilling reality. Shot in the head by an unknown assailant, Maury was left for dead.

Paramedics and police rushed Maury to Memorial Regional Hospital in Hollywood where he clung to life in critical condition as his family and friends prayed for a miracle. Maury and his family experienced Memorial's special brand of extraordinary healthcare – delivered by a team devoted to patient- and family-centered care.

Nearly 12 weeks after he was shot in the head, Maury was ready to leave the hospital.

“Memorial is a place where miracles happen, because you're not treated as a patient, but as a friend,” says Maury. “I owe my life to Memorial – the best healthcare system in the nation.”

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