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*****Dr. Fritz Barton new chairman of Plastic Surgery Division at Southwestern Medical School.

DALLAS--Dr. Fritz E. Barton, professor and former acting chairman of the Division of Plastic Surgery at Southwestern Medical School, has been named chairman of that Division. The appointment was announced by Dr. William Fry, professor and chairman of Southwestern's Department of Surgery.

Chief of Plastic Surgery Service at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas, Dr. Barton has been a long-time clinical faculty member at the medical school. With a field of expertise in cancer reconstructive surgery, Barton received his medical school training at Southwestern, general surgery training at Parkland Hospital and plastic surgery training at the Institute of Reconstructive Plastic Surgery at New York University.

Dr. Barton is managing editor of "Selected Readings in Plastic Surgery," which is receiving national recognition as packaged teaching material for plastic surgery residents. Beginning in the fall, this reading material will be sent out to resident programs on a monthly subscription basis.