

Parkview Ortho Hospital



The Parkview Ortho Hospital opened in 2002 as the first specialty hospital in northeast Indiana devoted entirely to orthopaedic care.

Joint pain and restricted movement can drastically affect the level of enjoyment an individual experiences from work and play. When pain and limited movement become chronic conditions that prevent completing the tasks of daily life, it's time to explore how orthopaedic services can provide relief.

In a joint venture with the surgeons from Ortho NorthEast (ONE), the entire staff of the Parkview Ortho Hospital is dedicated to the recovery of patients with orthopaedic conditions. From diagnosis and patient education to physical therapy and surgical treatment, the Parkview Ortho Hospital provides care that is second to none.

Club Ortho

When surgery is required, the Club Ortho program at Parkview guides patients through every step. Club Ortho is a free program created especially for active adults who require total joint or spine surgery. Designed to make the participant as comfortable as possible, Club Ortho members are encouraged to have a family member serve as coach to assist them with activities and therapies.

The member and coach are provided the opportunity to attend education sessions in which information addresses all aspects of the member's surgery and rehabilitation. Participants and coaches are encouraged to ask questions during all Club Ortho events.

Once the surgery is complete, members return to their regular daily activities as soon as possible. Nurses and therapists, in conjunction with the member's orthopaedic physician, coordinate pain medication based on the individual's activity level. Club Ortho members are often able to leave the hospital on their third day following surgery. More than 8,500 orthopaedic patients and family members have participated in Club Ortho.

Orthopaedic Reunion

Those who have experienced surgery look forward to an annual celebration of their recovery. At the Orthopaedic Reunion on the Parkview North campus, former patients are reunited with the orthopaedic surgeons who restored their ability to function and enjoy their daily lives.



Students from Huntington High School and many area high schools have observed orthopaedic surgeries with the use of telemedicine technologies available at the Parkview Ortho Hospital.

Training Future Caregivers

To ensure that northeast Indiana communities continue to have access to outstanding orthopaedic services, Parkview uses telemedicine technologies for training healthcare professionals. At the Parkview Ortho Hospital, telemedicine allows physicians and nursing staff to view, by remote

broadcast and interact with the surgical team, without compromising the sterile surgical environment. Telemedicine also encourages students in the area to consider careers in healthcare. Many of the area's high school science and anatomy classes have observed orthopaedic surgeries.

Designations

The Parkview Ortho Hospital has received several accolades from HealthGrades, a leading provider of health care ratings, including:

- Best Rated in Fort Wayne Area for Joint Replacement
- Best Rated in Fort Wayne Area for Overall Orthopedic Services
- Best Rated in Fort Wayne Area for Total Hip Replacement
- Only Five-Star rated Hospital in Fort Wayne Area for Total Hip Replacement
- Five-Star Rated for Total Hip Replacement Four Years in a Row (2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)
- Five-Star Rated for Hip Fracture Repair Five Years in a Row (2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)
- Top 10 in Indiana for Overall Orthopedic Services Five Years in a row (2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)

Orthopaedic services provided at the Parkview Ortho Hospital include breakthrough technologies, advanced orthopaedic surgeries and treatment, and expert physical and occupational therapy for:

- Arthritis
- Fractured bones and joints
- Joint replacement surgery
- Foot deformities
- Chronic pain of the neck and back
- Spine surgery
- Work-related injuries
- Sports injuries



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