Patient referrals, transfers and consults are critically important, and we want to make it easy for referring providers and their staff. To refer your patient for a clinic appointment, call our Clinic Concierge at **855.312.4190**.
Ochsner's longstanding tradition of bringing physicians together to improve health outcomes continues today. Our goals are to work together with our referring providers to serve the needs of patients and to provide coordinated treatment through partnerships that put patients first. We have automated physician-to-physician patient care summaries for hospital encounters and enhanced the patient experience by giving patients the ability to schedule appointments online.

Close coordination and collaboration begin with transparency and access to the data you need to make informed decisions when advising your patients about care options. OchsnerOutcomes, a compilation of clinical data, represents only part of our efforts to better define the quality of Ochsner’s care and to share that information with you.

Trusted, independent organizations give the highest marks to Ochsner’s quality. Ochsner Medical Center was the only healthcare institution in Louisiana to receive national rankings in six specialties from U.S. News & World Report for 2015–2016. Additionally, CareChex® named Ochsner Medical Center, Ochsner Baptist, a Campus of Ochsner Medical Center and Ochsner Medical Center – West Bank Campus among the top 10% in the nation in 17 different specialties and, for the fourth year in a row, Ochsner was named #1 in the country for liver transplant. Ochsner was also recognized, again for the fourth year in a row, as one of “100 Great Hospitals in America,” by Becker’s Hospital Review.

Additionally, Ochsner Health System was named an honoree for the 2015 American Medical Group Association (AMGA) Acclaim Award. Among just four organizations nationwide to receive this recognition, Ochsner was acknowledged for our work to measurably improve quality and value of care, improve patient experience and outcomes, improve population health and promote continuous learning and innovation.

Ochsner is the first hospital in the United States – and perhaps even the globe – to partner with Apple and Epic to create a platform that can directly affect patient care in real time. We are utilizing the Apple Watch as an agent for behavioral change for patients with chronic disease, starting with patients who have uncontrolled high blood pressure.

Ochsner consistently earns the respect of independent evaluators. We do not rest on these achievements, but use them as a benchmark to continuously improve. We will continue to share the data you need to care for your patients, provide services you may not have in your community and develop the collaborative relationships essential to ensuring the best outcomes for every patient, every time.
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Letter from the Chairman

The Ochsner Department of Orthopedics offers comprehensive musculoskeletal treatment, employing the latest techniques and technology for even the most challenging cases. Patients of all ages receive care that is unparalleled in the Gulf South and has been recognized by the following respected organizations:

- Rated 5 stars by Healthgrades® for Total Knee Replacement, Hip Fracture Treatment, Back Surgery and Spinal Fusion Surgery.
- Ochsner Medical Center was also named in the top 5% nationwide for overall orthopedic services and spine surgery and in the top 10% in joint replacement.
- U.S. News & World Report ranked Ochsner Medical Center #41 in the nation for orthopedics – the only orthopedic department in Louisiana and Mississippi.

We have successfully recruited both promising young surgeons and well-established experts to bolster our department of more than 20 orthopedic surgeons and highly trained advanced practice clinicians who provide care throughout the New Orleans metropolitan area, Baton Rouge, Covington and Slidell. We are committed to offering prompt access to patients and referring physicians to our subspecialized department with expertise in:

- Joint Replacement
- Hand, Wrist, Shoulder and Elbow
- Sports Medicine
- Trauma
- Oncology
- Adult and Pediatric Spine and Scoliosis
- Foot and Ankle
- Pediatric Orthopedics

We conduct both clinical and basic science research to enhance the quality of care we deliver to our patients. Our research has also been published in peer-reviewed medical journals and has been presented internationally, with several studies winning awards. Our surgeons serve in leadership roles for their orthopedic societies and organizations.

The Ochsner Department of Orthopedics continues to be a trusted referral center because of the level of care we provide, and our relationships with our referring providers are of the utmost importance.

We thank you for your continued support.
The Ochsner Department of Orthopedics cares for patients of all ages, employing the latest techniques and technology available to treat a wide spectrum of orthopedic problems.

The department’s more than 15 fellowship-trained board-certified and board-eligible physicians have subspecialty expertise in joint replacement, sports medicine, orthopedic oncology, pediatrics, spine, trauma, foot and ankle, hand, wrist, elbow and shoulder treatments. A talented and experienced team of physician assistants and nurse practitioners work with the physicians to provide patients with the best possible outcomes.

The department enjoys an excellent reputation and is pleased to have been awarded the Blue Cross Blue Shield Destination Center Designation and to be a Blue Distinction Center for spine surgery and for knee and hip replacement. U.S. News & World Report ranked Ochsner Medical Center #41 in the nation for orthopedics – the only orthopedic department in Louisiana and Mississippi.

From a dedicated Back and Spine Center to a Hand Center, Ochsner Orthopedics has the specialty focus that patients need to enjoy peace of mind in a specialized atmosphere.

Ochsner is the premier referral center for joint replacement in the Gulf South and beyond. Ochsner surgeons have been performing total hip and knee replacements for more than 30 years and continue to build upon and refine our techniques. We perform nearly 800 joint replacements a year. A comprehensive program of medical management and rehabilitation has created the Ochsner Joint Replacement team, whose efforts have made the recovery from joint replacement surgery faster and more complete. Our multidisciplinary team coordinates the physicians (surgeon, internist and anesthesiologist), physical therapists, nurses and social services for each patient for the best possible diagnosis, treatment and recovery.

Orthopedics Case Volume
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

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Joint Replacement

Ochsner Medical Center has special operating rooms, medications, surgical staffing, anesthesia techniques and equipment dedicated to joint replacement surgery. The total joint surgeons use special blood preservation techniques and have a very low transfusion rate following surgery. Ochsner is experienced in all the major techniques for joint replacement, including minimally invasive robotically assisted MAKO techniques.

In 2015, Ochsner’s highly specialized team took care of more hip replacement revision patients than the national average and performs as many knee replacement revisions as the national average.

MAKOplasty®: Robotically Assisted Surgery

Ochsner’s Total Joint Team was an early adopter of robotically assisted surgery and was the first in the area to use the RIO® robotic arm. MAKOplasty® Partial Knee Resurfacing is an advanced treatment option. It is powered by the RIO® Robotic Arm Interactive Orthopedic System, which allows the surgeon to perform surgery accurately through a smaller incision relative to manual procedures. By selectively targeting the part of the knee damaged by osteoarthritis (OA), surgeons can resurface the knee while sparing the healthy bone and ligaments surrounding the damage. This technique permits optimal prosthesis positioning, less pain, a more natural feeling knee following surgery, a more rapid recovery and a shorter hospital stay compared to traditional total knee resurfacing surgery. Total hip surgery is also improved by using the robotic arm, permitting more accurate placement of the hip prosthesis, which can reduce the likelihood of hip dislocation and provide more consistency in leg length, potentially decreasing the need for a shoe lift and the risk of impingement and dislocation.

In addition, use of the robotic arm may improve the life expectancy of the hip replacement. The Ochsner Orthopedic Total Joint Team has performed more than 300 robotically assisted joint surgeries since 2013.

A New Treatment Model for Joint Replacement Surgery

In 2015, Ochsner’s Orthopedics and Anesthesiology Departments worked together to improve patient outcomes and reduce length of stay by implementing a new care model for hip replacement patients.

Mako Volume
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015
Multidisciplinary Team

- Surgeons
- Anesthesiologists
- Physical and Occupational Therapists
- Case Managers
- Nutritionists
- Transition Navigators
- Post-acute Care Team
- Administrators
Hip Revision Rate by Year
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

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Hip Replacement Length of Stay (in Days)
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The Ochsner Joint Replacement Program manages the most complex surgical cases because of our outstanding outcomes. People who have had hip replacement surgery elsewhere and are in need of revision surgery are often referred to an Ochsner specialist. Ochsner’s highly specialized team annually manages 5 to 10 percent more hip revision surgeries than the national average.
Knee Revision Rate by Year
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

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Knee Replacement Length of Stay (in Days)
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Joint Replacement Mortality
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015
Joint Replacement Complications
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

Increased Complications

Expected Complications

Decreased Complications

Joint Replacement Length of Stay (in Days)
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015
The Ochsner Perioperative Surgical Home

Approximately 1 million patients each year undergo knee or hip replacement surgery in the United States. In many cases, the care provided is costly, results in extended hospitalization and unnecessarily delays the patients’ return to normal activity. Outside the operating room, the nation has embraced the concept of multidisciplinary coordination of care for a group of patients through the increasingly prevalent “Medical Home.” This is a collaboration among primary care physicians, health coaches, data specialists, nutritionists and midlevel providers, focused on helping a well-defined group of patients – referred to as a “panel” – control their chronic diseases (e.g., diabetes, heart disease, kidney failure). Before now, nothing like this existed for patients requiring surgery. A handful of innovative groups have established “Perioperative Surgical Homes” to better help these patients navigate the previously lengthy pathway from the decision to have surgery to complete recovery.
These are collaborations of surgeons, anesthesiologists, nurses, physical therapists, case managers, administrators and nutritionists focused on groups of patients having particular kinds of procedures, such as total joint replacement, prostatectomy and others. These physician-led, tightly coordinated care collaborations have been highly successful, achieving the Triple Aim of Healthcare Reform – better healthcare, better health and lower cost.

At the forefront, Ochsner Medical Center has been caring for patients using this new Perioperative Surgical Home model for the last 12 months. Led by the chairs of orthopedic surgery and anesthesiology, the Ochsner Surgical Home has already been recognized for providing care that is better than the national benchmarks for hip and knee replacement patients. Patients in the program have excellent mobility and pain relief following replacement of their hip and knee joints, as measured by specific patient- and surgeon-reported outcome scores. Patients achieved these results through better preparation and conditioning leading up to surgery and by spending far less time in the hospital. This shortened hospitalization results in a much lower risk for deconditioning, sleep deprivation and what has been referred to as the “post-hospital syndrome.” Instead, as many as 67% of patients undergoing joint replacement surgery at Ochsner go home the day after their surgery.

Total cost of hospitalization has been reduced substantially, but patients are also spending less on postacute care. It is no surprise then that Ochsner’s Perioperative Surgical Home patients rate their care as 94% perfect, based on a nationally validated rating scale. This new model of care has recently been recognized by the American Society of Anesthesiologists National Surgical Home Collaborative in Chicago and at the plenary session of Annual Practice Management Conference in Atlanta.

Total Hip Replacement Length of Stay (in Days)
Ochsner Medical Center, 2014–2015
Total Hip Replacement Discharge Mix
Ochsner Medical Center, 2014

- Home Health Organization: 70%
- Skilled Nursing Facility: 18%
- Home Self-Care: 12%

Total Hip Replacement Discharge Mix
Ochsner Medical Center, 2015

- Home Health Organization: 83%
- Skilled Nursing Facility: 11%
- Home Self-Care: 4%
- Rehab Facility/Unit: 2%
Total Knee Replacement Length of Stay (in Days)
Ochsner Medical Center, 2014–2015
Total Knee Replacement Discharge Mix
Ochsner Medical Center, 2014

- Home Health Organization: 60%
- Skilled Nursing Facility: 24%
- Home Self-Care: 11%
- Rehab Facility/Unit: 5%

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Total Knee Replacement Discharge Mix
Ochsner Medical Center, 2015

- Home Health Organization: 73%
- Skilled Nursing Facility: 16%
- Home Self-Care: 7%
- Rehab Facility/Unit: 4%
Sports Medicine Institute

The Ochsner Sports Medicine Institute provides comprehensive, state-of-the-art sports medicine care to individuals in a timely, effective manner, allowing your patients to return to their desired activity level. Ochsner Sports Medicine is committed to providing quality service to the community through its team of more than 40 athletic trainers at local colleges, high schools and middle schools, promoting injury prevention and wellness.
Sports Medicine Mortality
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

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Sports Medicine Complications
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Ochsner Sports Medicine Institute works closely with all levels of athletes – from weekend warriors to high school to college and professionals.

Sports Medicine Length of Stay (in Days)
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

2013: 3.3
2014: 2.8
2015: 2.9
Hip Fracture Treatment

According to the CDC, there are at least 258,000 hospital admissions for hip fractures among people aged 65 and older annually and, by 2030, the number of hip fractures is projected to reach 289,000, an increase of 12 percent.

A large proportion of fall deaths are due to complications following a hip fracture. One out of five hip fracture patients dies within a year of their injury. Treatment typically includes surgery and hospitalization, usually for about one week, and is frequently followed by admission to a nursing home and extensive rehabilitation. In both men and women, hip fracture rates increase exponentially with age. People 85 and older are 10 to 15 times more likely to sustain hip fractures than are those aged 60 to 65.

Hip fracture patients at Ochsner benefit from having a dedicated hospitalist team working alongside the orthopedic surgeon to treat the entire patient, leading to best-in-class outcomes and survival from these injuries.
**Hip Fracture Treatment Volume**  
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

- 2013: 88
- 2014: 115
- 2015: 113

**Hip Fracture Treatment Length of Stay (in Days)**  
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

- 2013: 6.2
- 2014: 6.1
- 2015: 6.3
The Back and Spine Center at Ochsner Baptist brings together some of the nation’s top orthopedic and spine specialists in one state-of-the-art facility to focus solely on providing comprehensive care and relief to patients suffering from any type of spine or back pain or discomfort. At the center, our team employs a treatment approach customized for each patient, as no two individuals’ back pain is the same.
Spinal Procedures Mortality
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015

Spine Surgical Volume
Ochsner Medical Center, 2013–2015
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Spinal Procedures Length of Stay (in Days)
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Pediatric Orthopedics

When you bring your child to a pediatric orthopedist, you have questions. At Ochsner Hospital for Children, we believe knowledge is peace of mind, so we make time to listen and provide answers. You will find the Ochsner Pediatric Orthopedic Team to be approachable, thorough and friendly. We judge ourselves not just on how well we treat our patients, but on how well we treat their families. Like you, we believe only the very best will do for your child.

Why Ochsner Hospital for Children for orthopedic care?

Here at Ochsner, your child will be treated by a passionate, world-renowned team composed of fellowship-trained, board-certified physicians, a nurse practitioner and dedicated medical assistants. Together, we treat a complete range of acquired and congenital orthopedic conditions – both common and rare – in children from infancy through age 18. We specialize in pediatric spine surgery, scoliosis and ankle surgery and in the treatment of children’s fractures and dislocations, as well as in infections and tumors of the spine and extremities.

Ochsner Hospital for Children offers innovative procedures that are not available anywhere else in the region. For instance, fewer than a dozen centers in the world offer spine growth modulation – a minimally invasive procedure that helps the spine heal itself.

We also offer a new device called the MAGEC (MAGnetic Expansion Control) System for use in children with severe spinal deformities. The implanted MAGEC spinal rod braces the spine to minimize the progression of scoliosis.

Shorter hospital stays. Less pain.

Whenever possible, the Ochsner pediatric orthopedic team opts for minimally invasive procedures that result in less pain and shorter hospital stays. Our rapid discharge protocols allow many of our surgical patients to go home to their families in two to three days instead of the standard four to five. When appropriate, we offer nonoperative options, including exercise and physical therapy.

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Patient Experience

Ochsner Orthopedics is dedicated to delivering the best outcomes surrounded by the best possible experience for patients and their families. Reported Patient Experience Measures are shared with caregivers and used to identify opportunities to improve care.

Hospital Survey – Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems
Ochsner Medical Center, 2015
Outpatient Office Visit Survey – Clinician and Group Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems
Ochsner Medical Center, 2015

85.2%
79.9%
90.9%
94.0%
77.9%

Recommend this Provider Office
Access to Care
Physician Communication Quality
Office Staff Quality
Care Coordination

PATIENT EXPERIENCE
## Research

### Dr. Chimento’s Open Studies

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### Dr. Meyer’s Open Study

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Sports Medicine In-House Studies

Principal Investigators: Deryk Jones, MD; Misty Suri, MD; Scott Montgomery, MD

Prospective/Retrospective Chart Review of Perioperative Intra-Articular/Intra-Capsular Local Anesthesia

Retrospective Chart Review of Perioperative Intra-Articular/Portal Site Local Anesthesia (HIP)

Retrospective Chart Review of Hip Function After Platelet-Rich Plasma Injection in Hip Arthroscopy

Survey of Dry Needling Practices In the National Football League

Meniscal Allograft Transplantation: Survivorship and Patient Outcomes

A Comparison of Clinical Outcomes between Arthroscopic Intra-Articular and Arthroscopic Suprapectoral Biceps Tenodesis Techniques

Retrospective Chart Review of Hip Function After Arthroscopic Iliopsoas Tenotomy in Patients with Total Hip Arthroplasty

Minimum 1-Year Outcomes After Medial Patellofemoral Ligament Reconstruction for Recurrent Patellar Instability

Osteochondral Allograft Transplantation for Femoral Trochlear Dysplasia – A Case Report

Union of Opening Wedge High Tibial Osteotomy Using a Locking Titanium Wedge Plate

Sponsored Research Studies

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Care Team and Locations

**Care Team**

**Pediatric Orthopedics**
Lawrence Haber, MD  
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Sean F. Waldron, MD

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Renee Ross, PA-C
Lynsey Shaffer, PA-C
Daryl Stanga, PA-C
Colleen Story, NP
Anna Strahan, NP

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- **Ochsner Medical Center**
  504.842.3970

- **Ochsner Medical Center – Baton Rouge**
  225.761.5200

- **Ochsner Health Center – Covington**
  985.875.2828

- **Ochsner Hospital – Elmwood**
  504.736.4800

- **Ochsner Medical Center – Kenner**
  504.443.9500

- **Ochsner Medical Center – North Shore**
  985.639.3777

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For patient referral and transfer information, please see page 38.
Patient referrals, transfers and consults are critically important. We make it easy for referring providers and their staff. To refer your patient for a clinic appointment, call our Clinic Concierge at 855.312.4190. To initiate a transfer to any Ochsner hospital, call our Regional Referral Center, staffed 24/7 by clinicians, at 855.OHS.LINK (647.5465).

For patients needing to schedule their own appointments, please call 866.OCHSNER (624.7637).
Healthgrades® awarded Ochsner hospitals a combined total of 29 Five-Star Rankings in 16 categories in 2015, including neurosurgery, total knee replacement, coronary interventional procedures and for treatment of stroke, heart attack and respiratory failure.

U.S. News & World Report ranked Ochsner Medical Center as one of the nation's top hospitals in six specialties, including ear, nose and throat, gastroenterology & GI surgery, nephrology, neurology & neurosurgery, orthopedics and pulmonology.

CareChex® ranked Ochsner Medical Center as one of the nation's top hospitals for Medical Excellence in 17 specialties, including #1 for liver transplants, #4 for trauma care and #8 for overall hospital care in 2015.