REDEFINING ORTHOPEDICS

CHICAGO CENTER FOR ORTHOPEDICS AT WEISS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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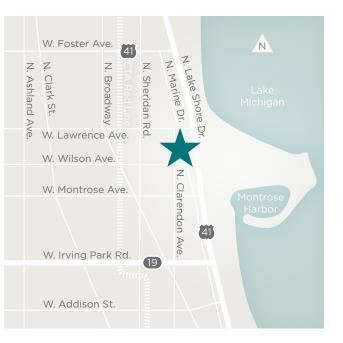


VISIONARY CARE ON CHICAGO'S NORTH SIDE

When it comes to orthopedics, Weiss Memorial Hospital has done something extraordinary.

We've gathered experts in every orthopedic specialty to create the Chicago Center for Orthopedics (CCO). From hips to hands, from spine to feet, our specialists offer surgical and nonsurgical care.

These physicians are pioneers in orthopedics. They have designed the prosthetics and tools surgeons use, created innovative techniques to repair damaged tissue and discovered new ways to get patients moving again. They take on routine procedures, as well as cases that are referred by other orthopedic surgeons. Their areas of expertise are varied, but they all share one philosophy: to provide quality care for all types of orthopedic problems and revisions.



THE CHICAGO CENTER FOR ORTHOPEDICS AT WEISS IS A FULL-SERVICE ORTHOPEDIC CENTER



Our full line of services now includes a community orthopedic clinic located on the 8th floor, Elevator C. From injury through treatment, physicians are onsite during the week to provide quality care for all types of orthopedic problems.

PHYSICIAN OFFICES

The Lakeshore Medical Center is a beautiful facility attached to the hospital that houses physician offices. An atrium area and a Walgreens drug store are part of this Wi-Fi equipped space. Valet parking is available at the main hospital entrance.

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

An accurate diagnosis often requires X-rays, MRIs, CAT scans, vascular imaging or other technology. CCO is proud to offer all this digital diagnostic technology on site for fast access. Patients often can have imaging done immediately following their initial consultation.

PHYSICAL AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Physical and occupational therapy is often the first treatment prescribed. We have both inpatient and outpatient programs located in the hospital. The therapy team includes physiatrists, physical and occupational therapists, rehabilitation nurses and case managers.

CARE COORDINATOR

CCO physicians have access to a personal care coordinator for their orthopedic patients. Often called the orthopedic concierge, the care coordinator is the "safety net" for each patient's care.

INPATIENT JOINT REPLACEMENT UNIT

CCO offers a dedicated inpatient unit for orthopedics, with private rooms overlooking Lake Michigan. The recently remodeled unit has its own physical therapy gym, providing an environment that is pleasant and conducive to healing.

A TEAM OF CARE PROFESSIONALS

The nurses, therapists and other professionals at CCO all have extensive experience working with orthopedic patients and help to provide a comfortable and caring environment.

206 BONES – 100 PERCENT COVERED

By pinpointing the top physicians for each of the body's 206 bones, we've built a team of experts in orthopedic care with a depth and breadth of experience that few other hospitals can match. The Chicago Center for Orthopedics (CCO) handles the full spectrum of orthopedic cases.

FOOT AND ANKLE

CCO specialists focus on the diagnosis and treatment of conditions affecting the foot and ankle. Our specialists are uniquely qualified to detect the early stages of diseases that exhibit warning signs in the lower extremities, as well as manage those foot conditions that can pose an ongoing threat to a patient's overall health. They provide innovative techniques in both conservative and surgical treatment in foot and ankle care.

Common cases include:

- Tendonitis
- Joint reconstruction
- Ankle arthroscopy
- Fracture care and trauma

HAND

Hand surgery is among the most demanding and precise procedures. Whether the problem is the result of a medical condition, such as rheumatoid arthritis, or a traumatic injury, CCO has the necessary experts, including surgeons trained in both orthopedic and plastic surgery. Follow-up occupational therapy is often critical to an excellent patient outcome and part of this specialty.

Common cases include:

- Carpal tunnel syndrome
- Congenital hand deformities
- Micro-vascular procedures
- Traumatic injuries

HIP

Some hip problems can be treated successfully with arthroscopic procedures rather than conventional surgery. If total hip replacement is deemed necessary, surgeons make the smallest incision needed to garner the best results and the quickest recovery possible. And our Joint University program encourages a supportive "coach" approach, which helps to accelerate healing.

Common cases include:

- Total hip replacement
- Hip revision
- Arthroscopy
- Cartilage restoration
- Hip traumatic disorders

KNEE

As baby boomers age, more people are experiencing knee pain. Physical therapy and other conservative treatments can often bring dramatic pain relief. CCO is home to Joint University, a joint replacement program that emphasizes minimally invasive, rapid-recovery techniques, patient education and family involvement.

Common cases include:

- Total knee replacement
- Knee revision
- Limb salvage
- Cartilage restoration
- Latest arthroscopic procedures



Weiss Memorial Hospital is the first in the Chicago area to receive The Joint Commission's gold seal of approval for hip and knee joint replacements.

SPINE

CCO specialists have the skill and knowledge patients are seeking for any situation, from complex spinal conditions (including complicated adult deformities and cancer) to chronic neck and back pain. Typically, we begin with non-surgical options to treat the patient. If these methods don't bring relief, we review surgical treatment and thoroughly discuss with the patient the risks, benefits and recovery time.

Common cases include:

- Spinal degenerative disorders
- Adult scoliosis
- Herniated disc
- Spinal trauma

SPORTS MEDICINE

The sports medicine specialists at CCO treat everyone from professional athletes to weekend warriors and see every type of injury. Our conservative approach begins with noninvasive treatment options, and if surgery is needed, we use outpatient and minimally invasive procedures when possible. The goal is to get you back in the game as quickly as possible.

Common cases include:

- Torn cartilage or ligaments
- Advanced techniques in cartilage preservation
- Minimally invasive procedures with accelerated rehabilitation
- Sports injury prevention

UPPER EXTREMITY (SHOULDER & ELBOW)

Innovations in shoulder surgery enable more people to repair damage done by years of activity or wear and tear. Physical therapy and other nonsurgical procedures are the first line of treatment. In case of surgery, the recovery period is often faster now because of new surgical techniques.

Common cases include:

- Advanced arthroscopic procedures
- Shoulder replacement
- Overuse and repetitive injuries
- Traumatic injuries

IT'S TIME TO GET MOVING AGAIN

Pain isn't a given. There are treatments and procedures that can make a difference. The pioneering physicians at the Chicago Center for Orthopedics are at the leading edge, providing advanced care often not available anywhere else.

Not only do patients come here from across the country and around the world, but also physicians and surgeons travel here to learn about bone and joint replacement techniques, prosthetic devices and new treatment protocols.

We've set out to create a convenient, supportive experience for orthopedic patients. From an easily accessible location to a care coordinator, the focus is on making patients feel comfortable while providing them state-of-the-art orthopedic care.

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