Symposium II

Lessons Learned from Effective Models of Joint Replacement Care in the United States

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Objectives:

1. A variety of effective joint replacement care delivery models are currently employed in the US. Participants should understand the development and evolution of individual care models and the primary driving forces for development of each model.

2. Differing strengths and weaknesses are evident within each model of joint replacement care. Participants should gain appreciation for the unique relationships between institutions and care providers within each model of care.

3. Each model of care has importantly and primarily emphasized improvement of the overall patient experience within individual systems. Participants should gain appreciation for the processes and mechanisms each model has utilized in improving the patient experience with joint replacement.

Outline:

Focusing on Value in an Academic Environment: The Utah Experience, Christopher E. Pelt, MD

Maximizing Physician-Hospital Alignment: The Rothman Experience, William J. Hozack, MD

Outpatient-Focused Joint Replacement is the Future: The Midwest Center for Joint Replacement Experience, Michael E. Berend, MD

Joint Replacement in a Capitated Single-Payer System: The Kaiser Experience, Monti Khatod, MD