

Total Knee Replacement Incision 3 to 5 Inches

Methodist Healthcare will host a live surgical Webcast at the Methodist North Hospital Total Joint Center on Thursday, April 27, 2006, 4 p.m., CST, showcasing a total knee replacement, with an incision measuring only 3 to 5 inches in length. The Webcast will feature Michael Lynch, M.D., performing the surgery, with Blake Ragsdale, M.D., narrating the surgery. Both orthopaedic surgeons are with Memphis Orthopaedic Group.

In addition to watching Dr. Lynch perform the live knee replacement surgery, viewers will learn more about total knee replacement surgery and hear from a patient who has undergone total knee replacement surgery with Dr. Lynch as their surgeon. Viewers will also be able to email questions to the surgeon who is narrating the surgery.

Dr. Lynch is board-certified by the American Board of Orthopaedic Society and is a Fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. The Methodist Total Joint Center located at Methodist North Hospital is the only dedicated joint center in the region and provides a unique orthopaedic unit focused on delivering super care to patients undergoing total knee or hip replacements. The center offers easy access, education, in-house rehab, and a specially trained multidisciplinary staff.

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