

# Combined Hip Preservation Surgery: Hip Arthroscopy and Osteotomy Pre-Operative Instructions

## **Surgery Scheduling**

- Our clinical liaisons will contact you to schedule your surgery date.
- Due to high demand, our surgeons' schedules typically book **2-3 months in advance**.
- If you do not hear from our scheduling team within **2 weeks**, please reach out to confirm your appointment.

### **Surgery Location**

- All procedures are performed at:
  - SkyRidge Medical Center
    Spine and Total Joint Center
    10101 Ridgegate Pkwy, Lone Tree, CO 80124

### **Health Clearance for Surgery**

- Medical clearance is required within 30 days prior to surgery.
- Contact pre-admission testing to schedule this appointment: 720-225-6188.
- If you are **outside the Denver-metro area**, you can get clearance from your **primary** care physician. Please have all documentation faxed to our team.

#### **Surgery Preparation**

 This is an inpatient procedure, and you will stay at the hospital for at least one night after surgery.

### What to Bring:

- Insurance card and photo ID
- List of regular medications and doses
- Comfortable clothing (e.g., sweatpants)



- Crutches and hip brace
- An extra bag for equipment and postoperative instructions

### **Pre-Surgery Guidelines:**

- Discontinue NSAIDs, vitamins, minerals, and supplements one week before surgery.
- Cancel dental appointments for 6 weeks before and after surgery.
- Stop taking oral contraceptives (OCPs) 4 weeks before surgery, as they increase the risk of blood clots.
  - **IUDs or Nexplanon** do not need to be removed.
  - You may resume OCPs 2 weeks after surgery.
- Stop semaglutide or tirzepatide (Ozempic/Mounjaro/Wegovy) one week before surgery.
- If you take **metformin** and are diabetic, consult with your **PCP/endocrinologist** about when to discontinue and resume the medication.
- Notify the surgical team if you have a bleeding or clotting disorder, or have been diagnosed with a blood clot. If under the care of a hematologist, inform them of your upcoming surgery.

For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.HipPreservation.org">www.HipPreservation.org</a> or contact our team directly.