

## When to answer MARCQI PRO?

Your doctor needs to know how your hip or knee is doing before and after surgery. Questionnaires answered before surgery and 1 year after surgery help your doctor see how much the surgery helped you.

### Before surgery

No more than 90 days before surgery



### After surgery

- 2-16 Weeks
- 4-6 Months
- 1-Year
- 2-Year
- 5-Year
- 10-Year

## About my MARCQI PRO

Before surgery, my doctor collects my questionnaire by:



After surgery, my doctor collects my questionnaire by:



2-16 Weeks \_\_\_\_\_

4-6 Months \_\_\_\_\_

1-Year \_\_\_\_\_

2-Year \_\_\_\_\_

5-Year \_\_\_\_\_

10-Year \_\_\_\_\_



**MARCQI**

*Making Michigan the best place in the world to have a joint replacement*

For additional information, please visit us at:

[MARCQI.org](http://MARCQI.org)



MARCQI Coordinating Center

Ann Arbor, MI 48105

[MARCQI.PROS@umich.edu](mailto:MARCQI.PROS@umich.edu)

Support for MARCQI is provided by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan and Blue Care Network as part of the BCBSM Value Partnerships program.



**Blue Cross  
Blue Shield  
Blue Care Network**  
of Michigan

Nonprofit corporations and independent licensees of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association



**MARCQI**

# Patient Reported Outcomes



**Understanding and improving outcomes after total hip and knee replacement surgery**

## What is MARCQI?

Michigan Arthroplasty Registry Collaborative Quality Initiative (MARCQI) is a group of doctors in Michigan who focus on hip and knee replacement surgery. They team up to make sure that the people getting these surgeries get the best care possible, both now and in the future. Your own doctor is part of this group and cares about continuing to improve the care they provide.

### What is MARCQI PRO?

MARCQI's Patient Reported Outcomes (PRO) wants to make it easy for you to share how your joints feel before and after your surgery. You will fill out some simple questionnaires that ask about:

- How well you are feeling
- How easily you can do everyday jobs
- How much pain you are having



### Who participates in MARCQI PRO?

- Your doctor wants all patients getting a hip or knee replacement to answer the simple questionnaires.
- If you fill out these forms, it helps your doctor learn more about the health of your joints, how to help you with your pain, and how well you might walk or move after getting your new hip or knee.

### Why MARCQI PRO?

Only you can share important information about how your hip or knee feel before and after your surgery:

**Before surgery**, what you tell your doctor helps them plan for your surgery.

**After your surgery**, what you tell your doctor help them know how well you are doing, follow your improvement, and help you heal.

### What happens to my responses?

- Your doctor will keep what you say just between the two of you.
- Your answers will be used, without your personal information like your name or date of birth, to help make joint replacement surgeries better for patients in Michigan in the future.

### How do I participate in MARCQI PRO?



After you set a date for your surgery, your doctor might ask you to answer your MARCQI PRO questions in one of these ways:



Email

- Look for an email from [marcqi@mailier.ortechsystems.com](mailto:marcqi@mailier.ortechsystems.com) with the subject "Important questionnaire from Dr. [doctor's last name]"
- Select the link in the email to complete the questionnaire



Tablet

- Usually done in your doctor's office



Paper

- Usually done in your doctor's office if there is no tablet
- You might get these in the mail to finish. After that, you can send them back in the mail.



Phone

- Your doctor's office calls you to ask you the MARCQI PRO questions