Periprosthetic Joint Infection

CE SEMINAR



WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

Periprosthetic joint infection (PJI) is the most challenging complication associated with total joint arthroplasty in the 21st century.

PJI following total joint arthroplasty is potentially a limb and life-threatening condition, which becomes even more difficult to treat when bacteria form a biofilm on the implant and adjacent tissue. Because traditional irrigation and debridement results in unsatisfactory outcomes, two-stage revision surgery has become the treatment of choice in most institutions in the United States.

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DESCRIPTION

This continuing education activity is intended for registered nurses and other healthcare professionals who want to learn more or need to gain knowledge and skills in periprosthetic joint infection.

ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Explain how periprosthetic joint infection (PJI)
 affects patients and the healthcare system.
- 2. List risk factors for PJI and actions that can be taken to reduce those risks.
- 3. Discuss the properties of biofilms and why they are particularly challenging to treat.
- 4. Identify ways to diagnose PJI.
- 5. Describe prevention and treatment options for PJI.