

# DECISION QUALITY WORKSHEET

## TREATMENTS FOR KNEE OSTEOARTHRITIS

### Instructions

This survey has questions about what it was like for you to make decisions about treating your knee osteoarthritis.

Please check the box  to answer each item.

Your answers will tell us two important things:

1. What matters most to you?
2. How well did we do our job of giving you information?

Thank you!

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## Section 1: What Matters Most to You

1.1. Which treatment did you want to have to treat your knee osteoarthritis?

- Knee replacement surgery
- Non-surgical treatment options
- I am not sure

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## Section 2: Facts About Knee Osteoarthritis

This set of questions asks about some facts doctors think are important for patients to know about knee osteoarthritis. The correct answer to each question is based on medical research. Please do your best to answer each question.

2.1. Which treatment is most likely to provide relief from knee pain caused by osteoarthritis?

- Surgery
- Non-surgical treatments
- Both are about the same

2.2. If 100 people have knee replacement surgery, about how many will need to have the same knee replaced again in less than 15 years?

- More than half
- About half
- Less than half

2.3. If 100 people have knee replacement surgery, about how many will have less knee pain after the surgery?

- 20
- 40
- 60
- 80

2.4. Serious complications happen after knee replacement surgery including life-threatening blood clots, infections, heart attacks, and even death.

If 100 people have knee replacement surgery, about how many will have a serious complication within 3 months after surgery?

- 4
- 10
- 14
- 20

2.5. After knee replacement surgery, about how many months does it take most people to get back to doing their usual activities?

- Less than 2 months
- 2 to 6 months
- 7 to 12 months
- More than 12 months

**The End.  
Thank you.**

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