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"We provide hope and healing."

## Arthritis of The Knee Joint

Dr. Haverbush is dedicated to the diagnosis of knee arthritis and its medical and surgical treatment.

While Dr. Haverbush's practice covers the entire range of orthopaedic surgery, he has placed special emphasis on knee arthritis.

This emphasis has taken several directions.

### PATIENT EDUCATION

"An educated patient is our best outcome."

Dr. Haverbush has an outstanding one hour presentation on the medical and surgical treatment of arthritis of the knee. The talk has been presented to several groups in the mid Michigan area. If you know of a group who would like to hear and see this colorful PowerPoint program of information, please contact the office for details. Dr. Haverbush would be pleased to present this informative program to your group.

The office website, Online Orthopaedics @ [www.orthopodsurgeon.com](http://www.orthopodsurgeon.com) is also packed with information about knee arthritis.

"LCS Total Knee Replacement. So much behind it. So far ahead."

## CORRECT DIAGNOSIS OF KNEE ARTHRITIS

Knee arthritis is a very specific condition that needs to be correctly diagnosed. To most of our patients and many doctors, anything in or around the knee that hurts is "arthritis". Not true. The knee is a very complex joint that requires careful and thorough examination, x-ray studies and sometimes laboratory testing.

Only after this process is completed can the diagnosis of knee arthritis be made. Our office prides itself on our efforts in the accurate diagnosis of knee arthritis.

## MEDICAL TREATMENT

There are many things on the menu for treating knee arthritis. Medical treatment should always be considered first and it is always placed first in Dr. Haverbush's office. Some, but not all medical treatments include medication, physical therapy, Hyalgan, and Osteo-Bi-Flex supplement.

## SURGICAL TREATMENT

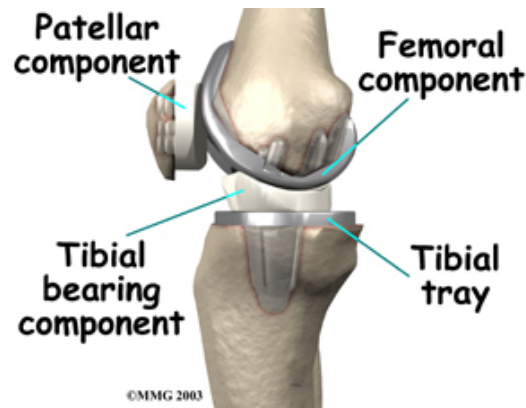
If medical management is not enough to control pain and symptoms, surgery may be considered. It is not our purpose to present in detail all of the surgical options in the treatment of knee arthritis. There are many options, only one of which is total knee replacement.



If knee replacement is indicated, LCS total knee replacement is the leader and very best total knee available.

Don't accept anything but the legend of total knee replacements, LCS total knee.

"Dedicated to excellence."



It is by far the best total knee available because of its unique design and the fact that 95% of LCS total knee replacements have been functioning for more than 20 years. No other total knee replacement can even come close to this record. It

functions very similarly to the natural knee joint and this is why its design is so unique. No other total knee replacement has this design.

All total knees are not the same. Why should you accept anything but the best?

Much additional information about LCS total knee replacement is available on the office website, Online Orthopaedics, [www.orthopodsurgeon.com](http://www.orthopodsurgeon.com).

Go to the Online Orthopaedics Library tree of knowledge and click on total joint replacement. There is a lot more to know about the benefits of LCS total knee replacement that you can access on the website.

All good things to you - - Good Health. Good Life.

Dr. Haverbush

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