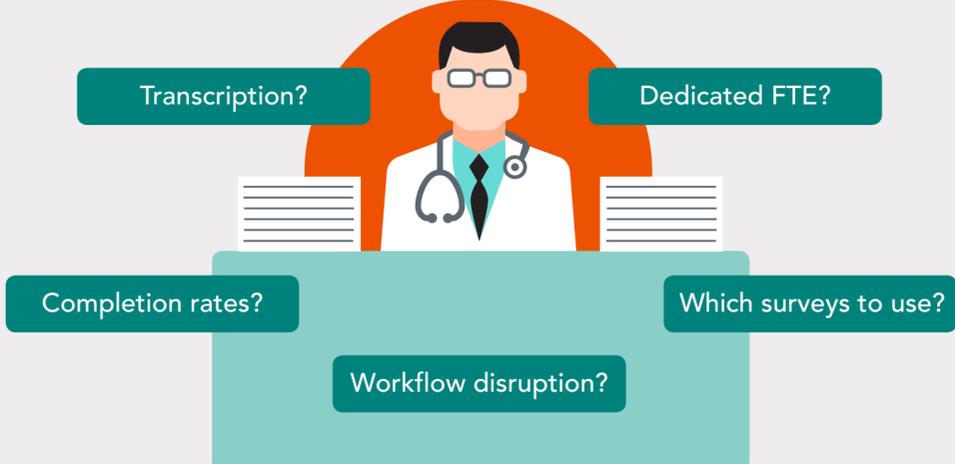


Patient-Reported Outcomes in Orthopaedics

How to collect PROs for workflow and patient compliance

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Eliminate the paper, reduce the errors.



Until now, collecting patient reported outcomes has been a complex process in orthopaedics. But it doesn't have to be. Learn how —

- Ask the right questions
- Minimize impact on clinical workflow
- Boost patient completion rates

HOW TO BEGIN

Ask the right questions

Use AAOS recommended surveys to collect the right data from the beginning. CMS metrics are the same as AAOS, so you can use these measures to optimize reimbursement.



AAOS recommends

- ✓ Open access to the PROM, with no cost for the instrument itself
- ✓ Patient-reported outcomes only, without data entered by the surgeon
- ✓ Multiple entry platforms available, including digital and paper
- ✓ Approximately 20 questions or fewer
- ✓ Clinically meaningful
- ✓ Use of one generic quality of life PROM
- ✓ No more than 3 joint or disease specific PROMs
- ✓ CAT version available (preferable)

Specialty Survey + Quality of Life Measure

- Foot and Ankle
- Knee (ACL)
- Knee (Osteoarthritis)
- Hip (Osteoarthritis)
- Shoulder
- Shoulder (Instability)
- Elbow
- Wrist
- Hand
- Spine



MINIMIZE IMPACT ON WORKFLOW



Use any device connected to the internet.

Patients complete surveys at home, or in the waiting area on a tablet or kiosk.



Patients log their own information.

Surveys take less than 15 minutes to complete, and are administered before surgery, and after surgery at 1 week, 6 weeks, 3 months and 1 year. Plus, annual post-op intervals as required.



Complete!

Data goes directly into the registry in real-time. Providers have access to a patient summary report showing PRO survey results over the duration of the treatment plan. Share with patients to help drive future survey compliance.



You own the data.

View your data to make real-time, informed decisions about patient care.

Use your report as the PRO half of your report to CMS for CJR bundled payments. (Your EMR will have complications, readmissions and HCAHPS data to complete the report required).

OPTIMIZE COMPLETION RATES



High completion rates makes data more meaningful. Take these steps to increase patient participation.



Ask for brief facts

Beware of patient fatigue and keep surveys brief, as recommended by AAOS. Completion rates improve when practices balance their need for data with the patient's willingness to give it.



Start early

A recent journal article reported that patients completed surveys more often when they were required to complete a survey before surgery.



The surgeon's voice

The report also found that surgeons who talk to their patients about the importance of PRO survey completion have stronger patient participation.

Ready to get started?



You're only 2 weeks away from an affordable, streamlined solution.

Learn more about patient-reported outcomes by Ortech at www.ortechsystems.com/PROM

Visit OrtechSystems.com for more information.

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