

# Summary of key facts about joint replacement during the 2016 calendar year

## Hips



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2003

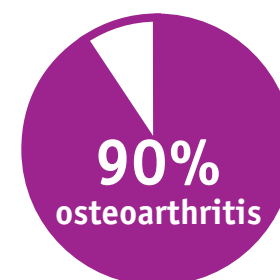
**101,651**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ **3.5%**  
(98,211 in 2015)

**60%**

average ages:

67.6 69.8



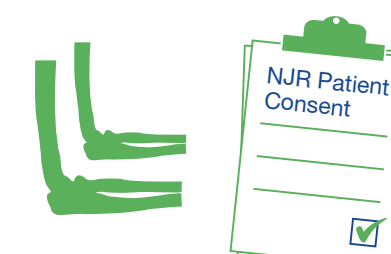
Diagnosis

average BMI

**28.8**

=  
'overweight'

## Elbows



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2012

**722**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ **10.2%**  
(655 in 2015)

**72%**

average ages:

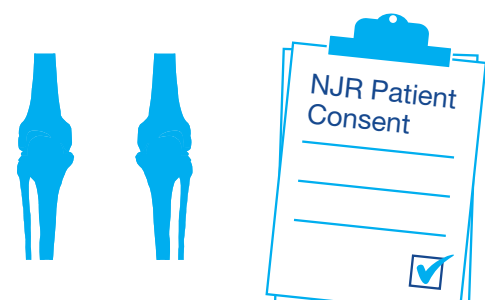
60.3 67.6

31%  
inflammatory  
arthropathy

19%  
osteoarthritis

Diagnosis ▲

## Knees



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2003

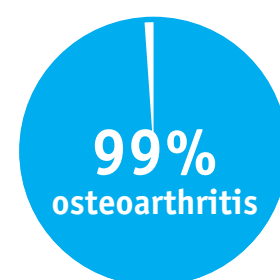
**108,713**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ **3.8%**  
(104,695 in 2015)

**56%**

average ages:

69.2 69.6



Diagnosis

average BMI

**31.0**

=  
'obese'

## Ankles



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2010

**839**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ **15.6%**  
(726 in 2015)

**61%**

average ages:

68.3 66.5

89%  
osteoarthritis

7%

rheumatoid arthritis and  
other inflammatory  
joint problems

Diagnosis ▲

## Shoulders



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2012

**6,967**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ **12.9%**  
(6,170 in 2015)

**70%**

average ages:

69.2 73.9



Diagnosis ▲