



Here are the latest **NICE (National Institute for Health and Care Excellence)** guidelines related to **hip and knee replacements**:

1. Total Hip Replacement and Resurfacing Arthroplasty for End-Stage Arthritis of the Hip

- **NICE Guideline NG157**: Published in June 2020, this guidance provides recommendations on the use of **total hip replacement** and **hip resurfacing** for people with end-stage arthritis of the hip.
- NICE NG157 - Hip Replacement Guideline

2. Joint Replacement (Primary): Hip, Knee, and Shoulder

- **NICE Quality Standard QS149**: Published in June 2017, this standard covers care and treatment for adults undergoing **hip, knee, or shoulder joint replacements** and includes recommendations on pain management, rehabilitation, and patient outcomes.
- NICE QS149 - Joint Replacement Standard

3. Arthritis (Primary Hip and Knee Replacement)

- **NICE Clinical Guideline CG177**: Published in February 2014, this guideline covers the **diagnosis and management of osteoarthritis** and includes recommendations for **hip and knee replacements** as treatment options for patients with severe osteoarthritis.
- NICE CG177 - Osteoarthritis: Care and Management

4. Total Knee Replacement and Partial Knee Replacement for Osteoarthritis

- **NICE Technology Appraisal TA304**: Published in February 2014, this appraisal covers the use of total and partial knee replacement in treating **osteoarthritis** and compares their effectiveness.
- NICE TA304 - Knee Replacement Appraisal

These guidelines provide recommendations on the use of **hip and knee replacements**, the decision-making process for surgery, the choice of implants, patient care before and after surgery, and the expected outcomes for patients.