



AI in Hip Replacement Surgery

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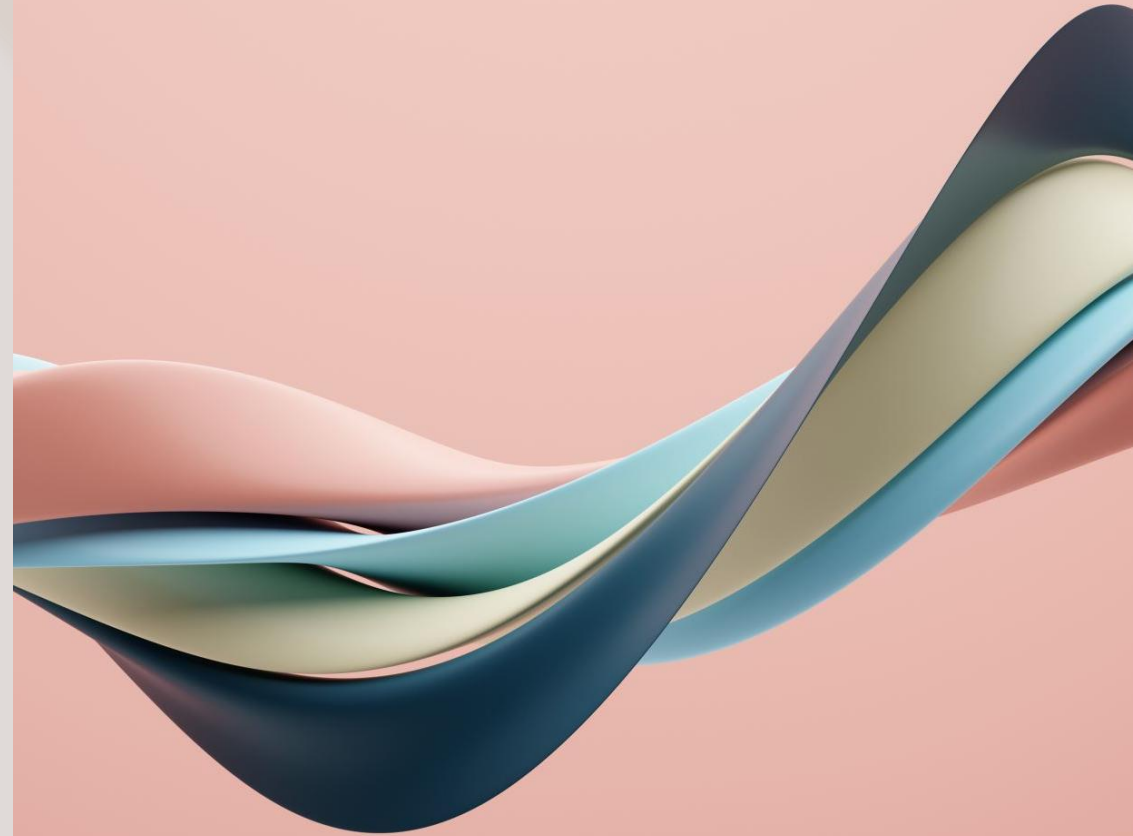
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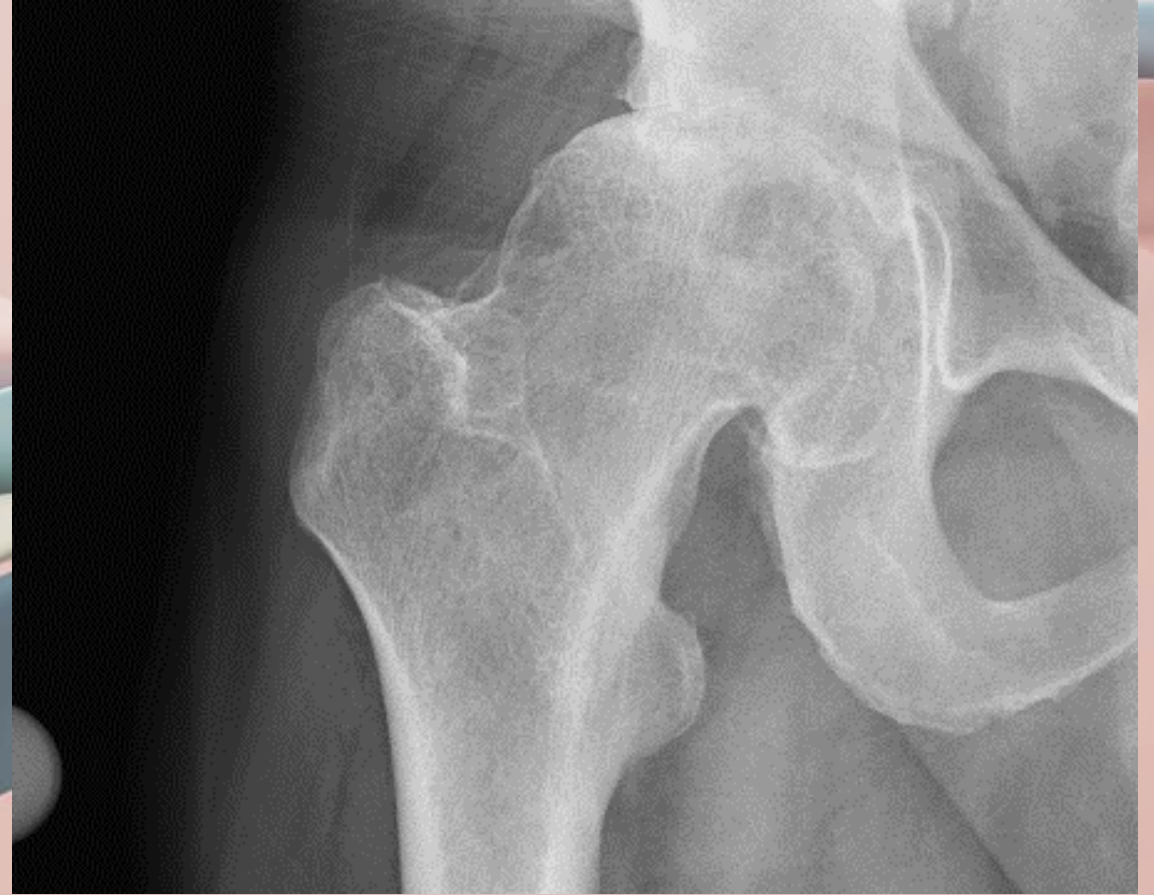
Goals of the presentation

- Describe Hip Replacement surgery in simple terms
- Define the important measures of implant placement
- Historic methods of implant placement
- Fluoroscopic Assistance
- Robotic Assistance
- Fluoroscopic Assistance with AI



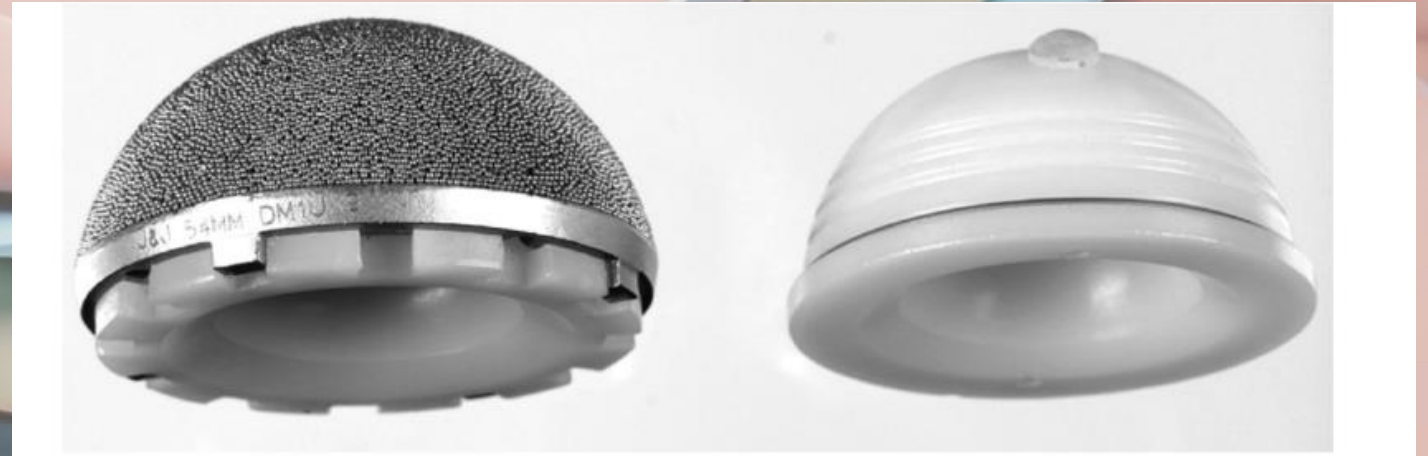
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 - What is a Total Hip?
 - Acetabular Component
 - Femoral Component
 - Bearing surfaces



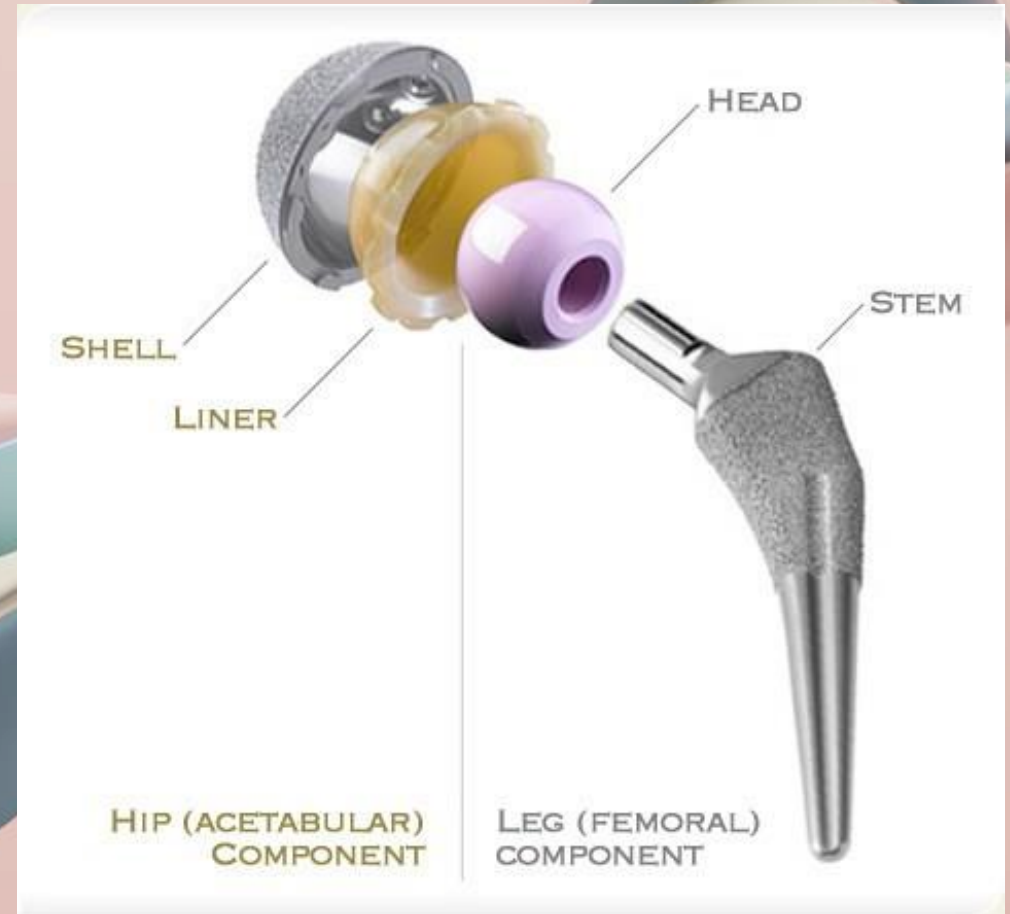
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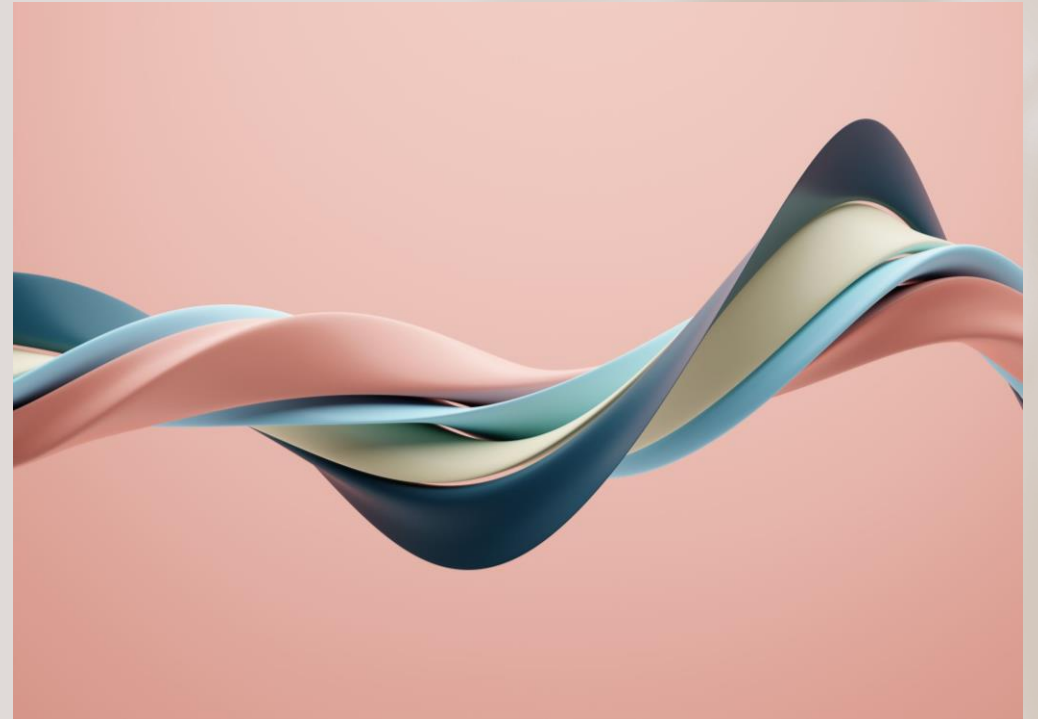
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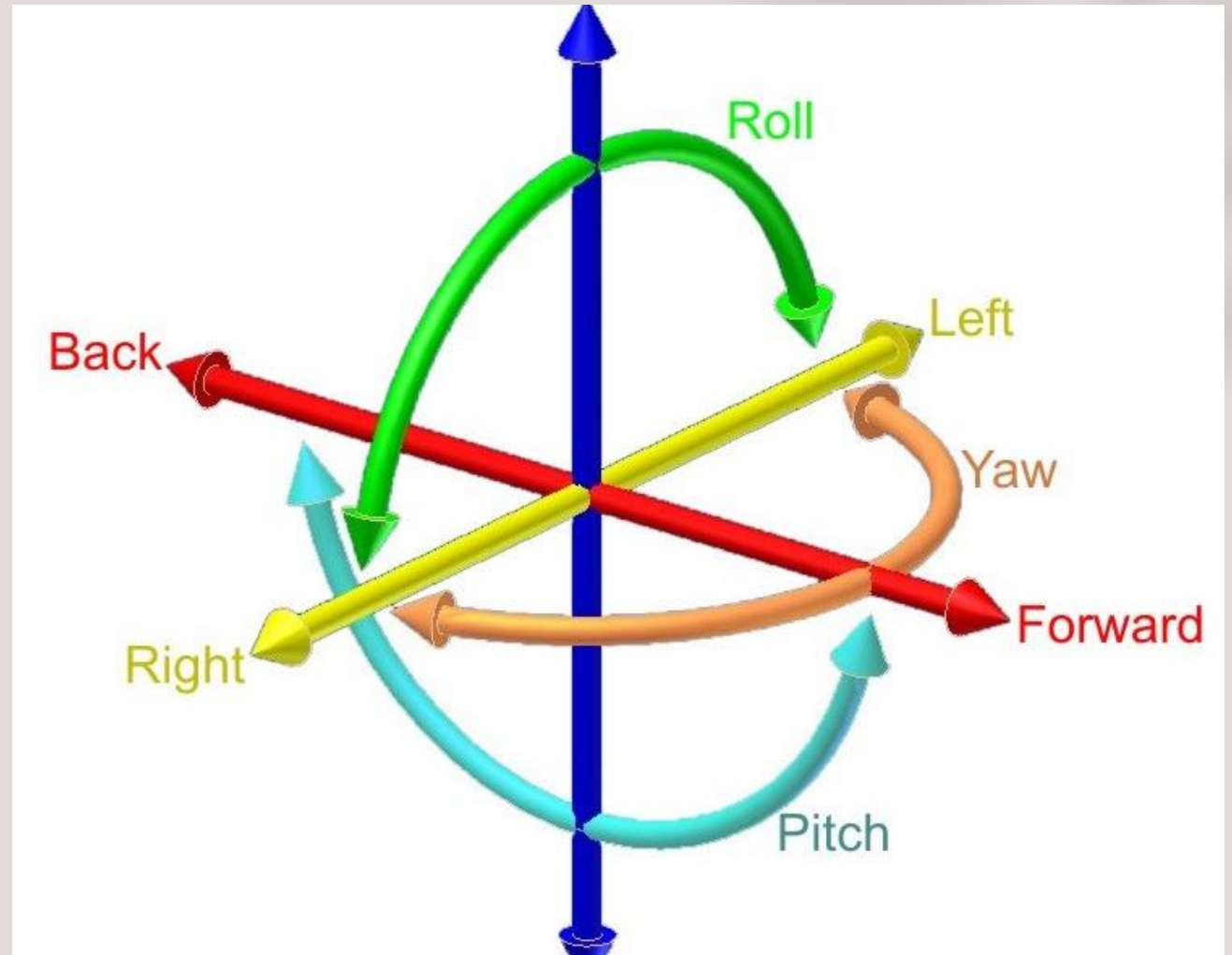
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- Component Placement
 - Where exactly do the components go?
 - How do we describe the position of the components?
 - Why do we care about the position of the components?



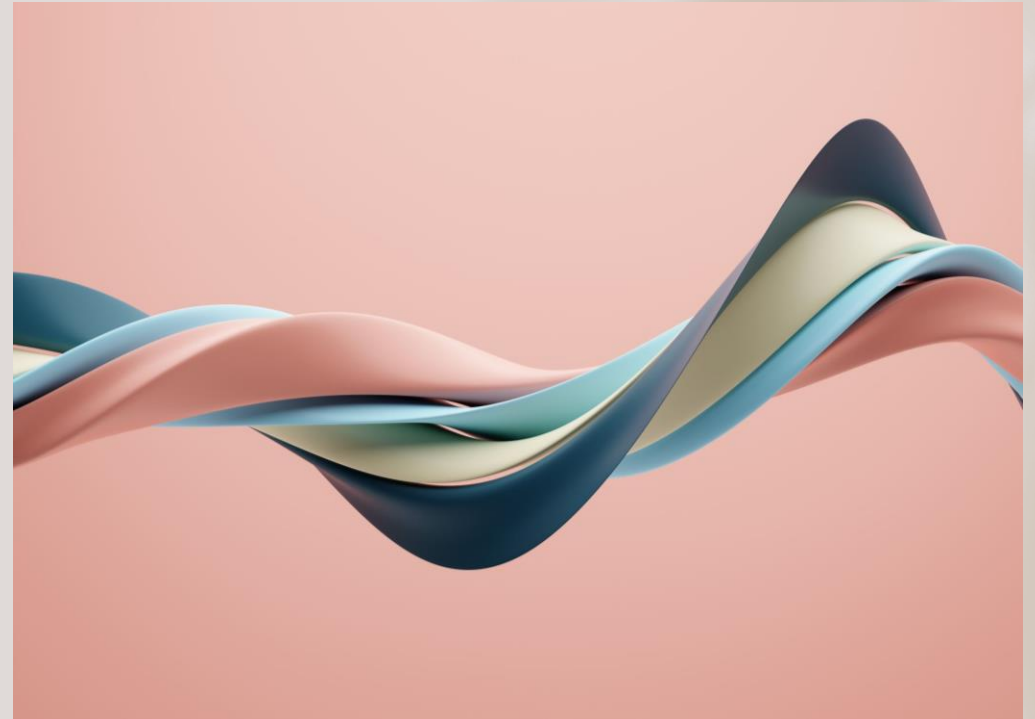
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- Any object has six determinants of its position



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- Components must be firmly set with in the bone. They must be attached by pressing into place or cementing into place. With either technique, they need to be placed well with in the bone.
- This more or less sets four of the six component position determinants.
- Leaving two determinants per component that the surgeon can vary

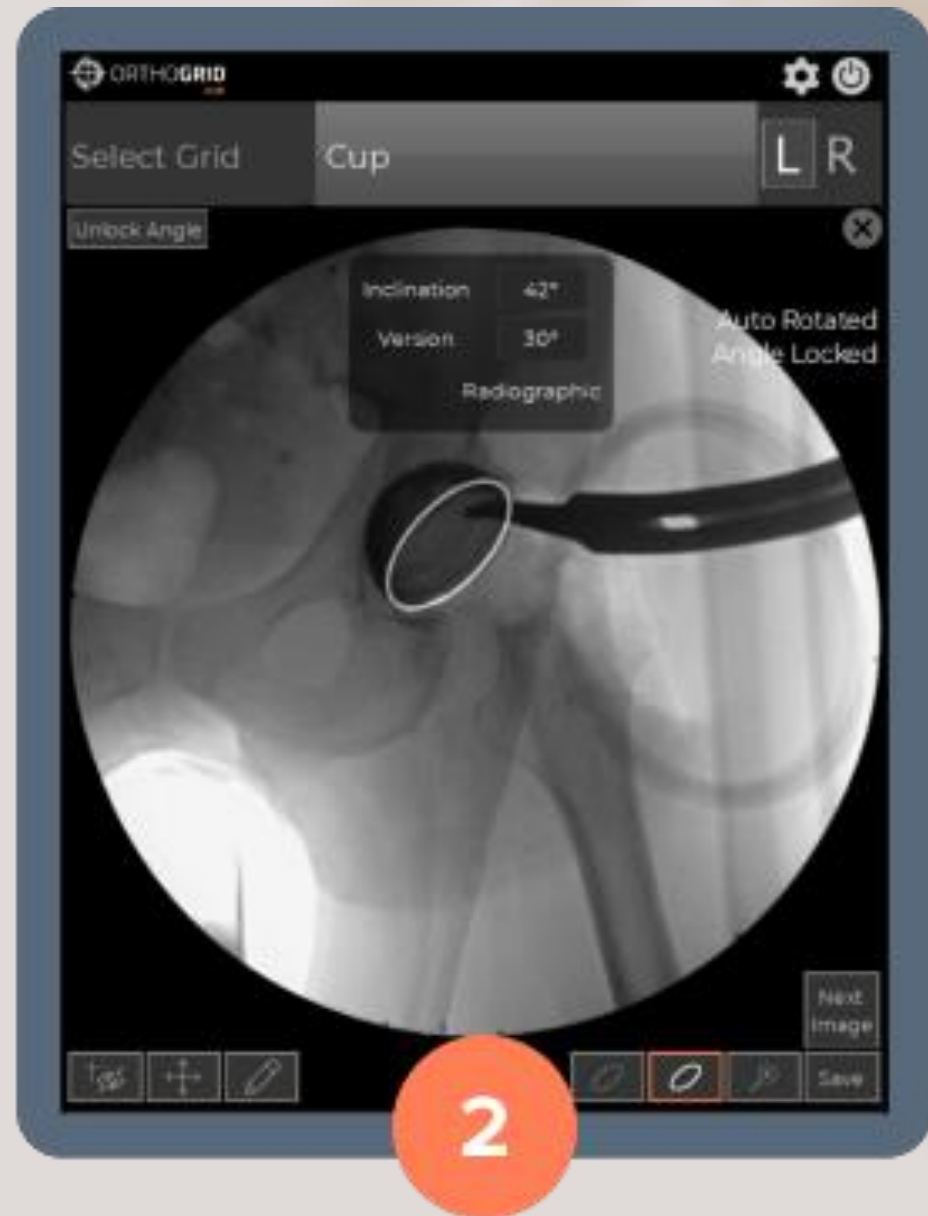


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The Acetabular component

Inclination

Anteversion



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- Femoral component
 - Leg length
 - Leg offset



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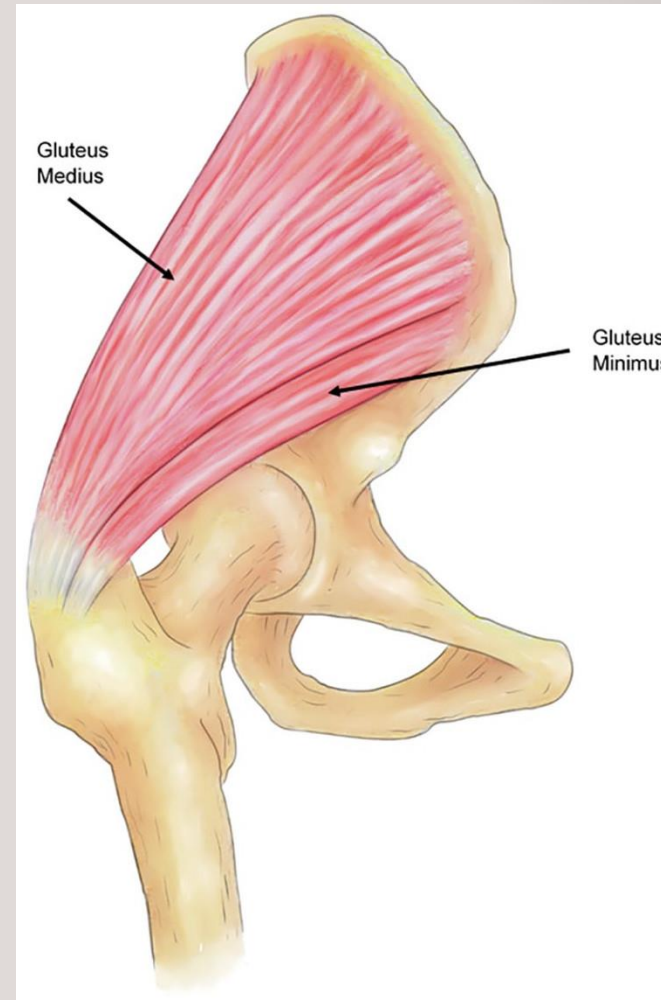
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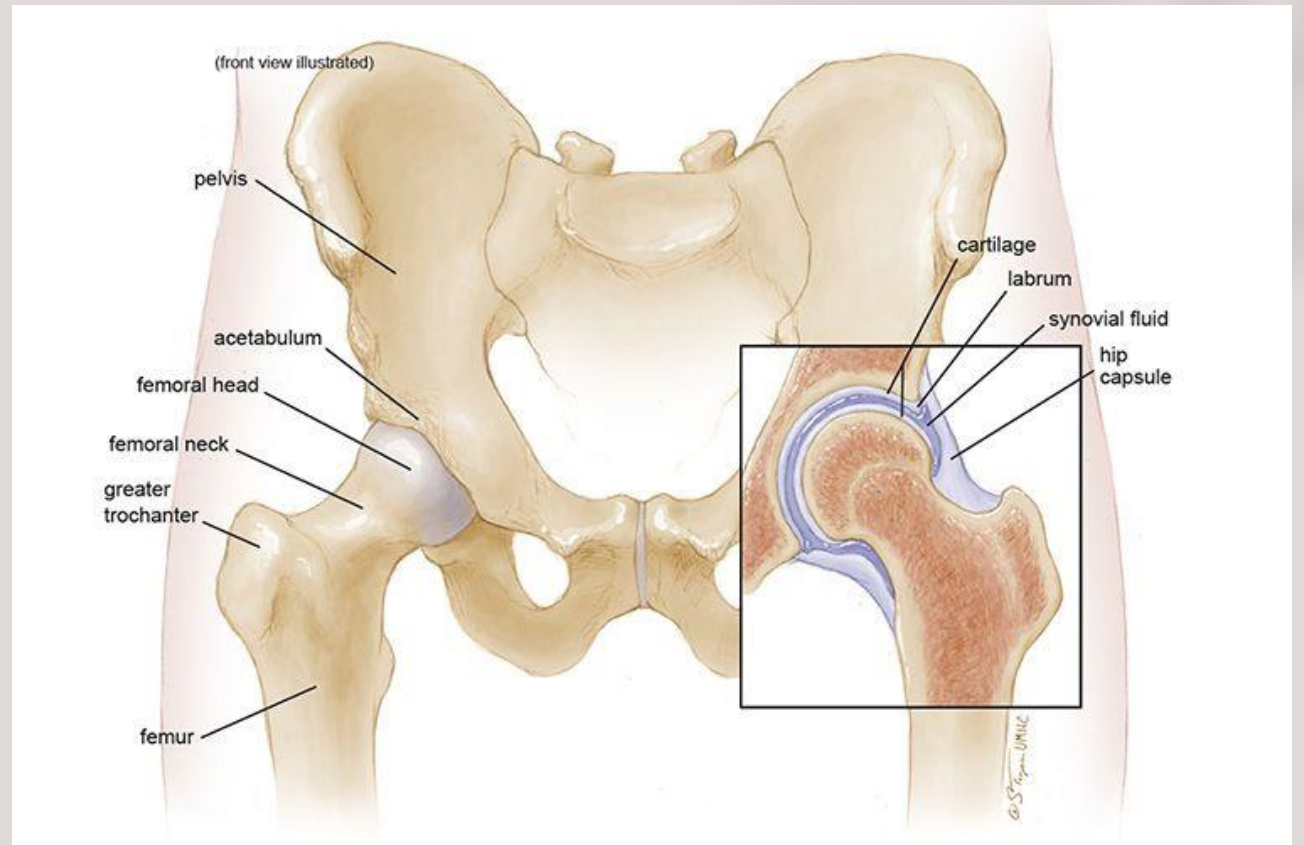
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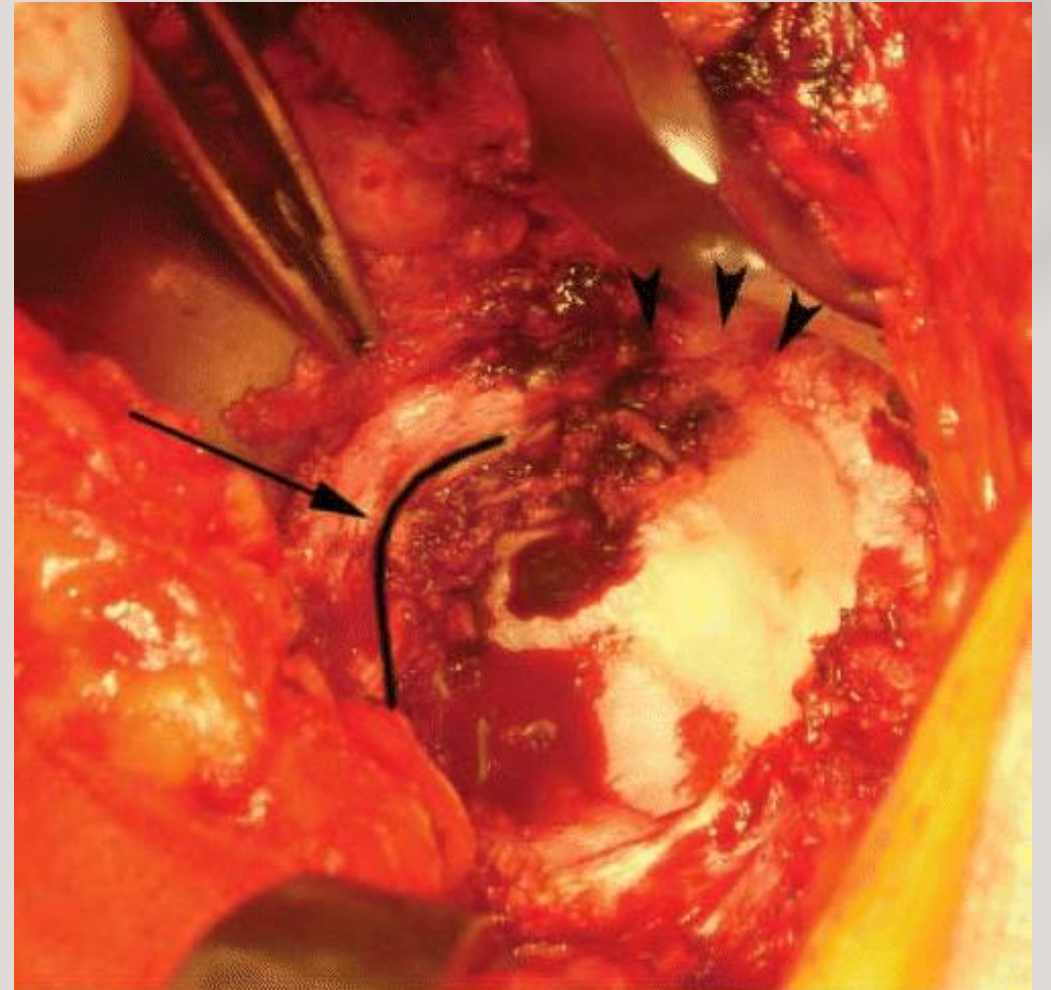
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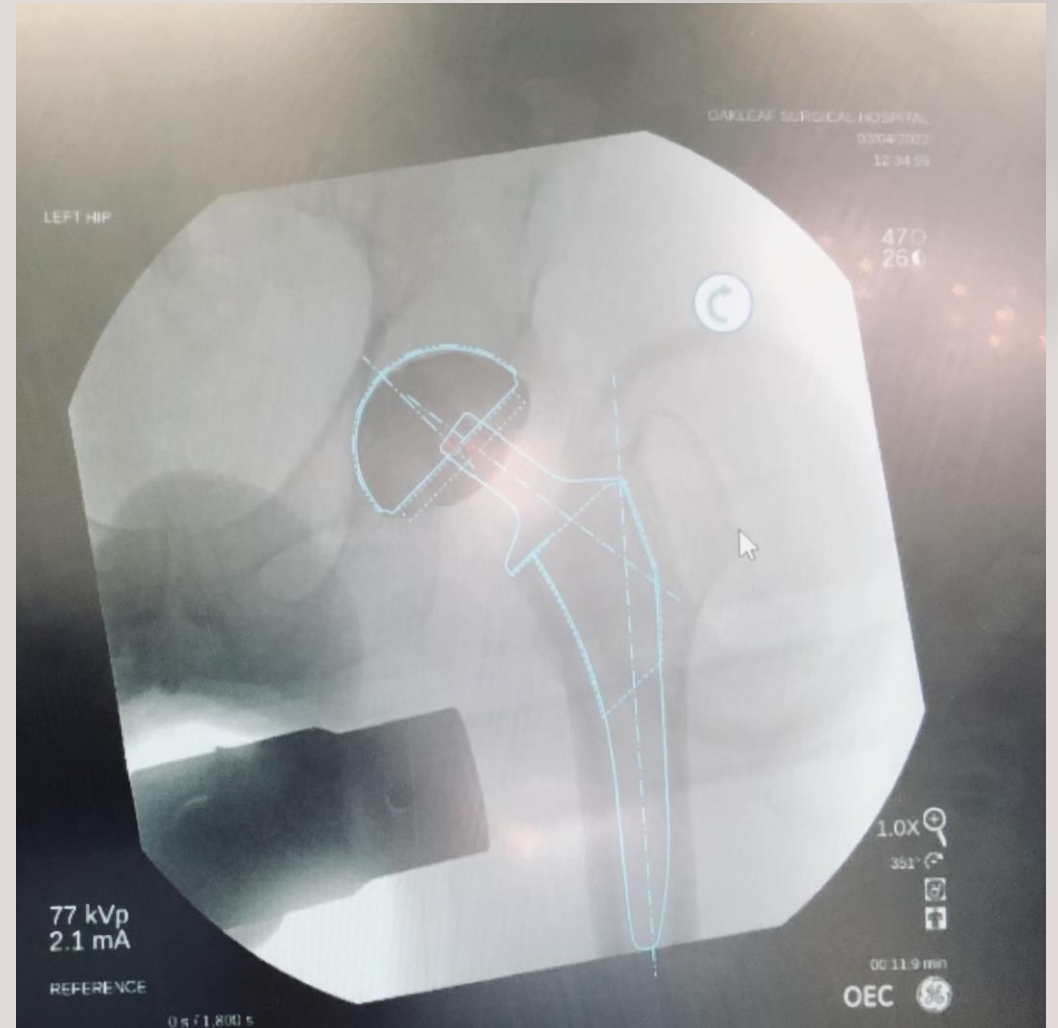
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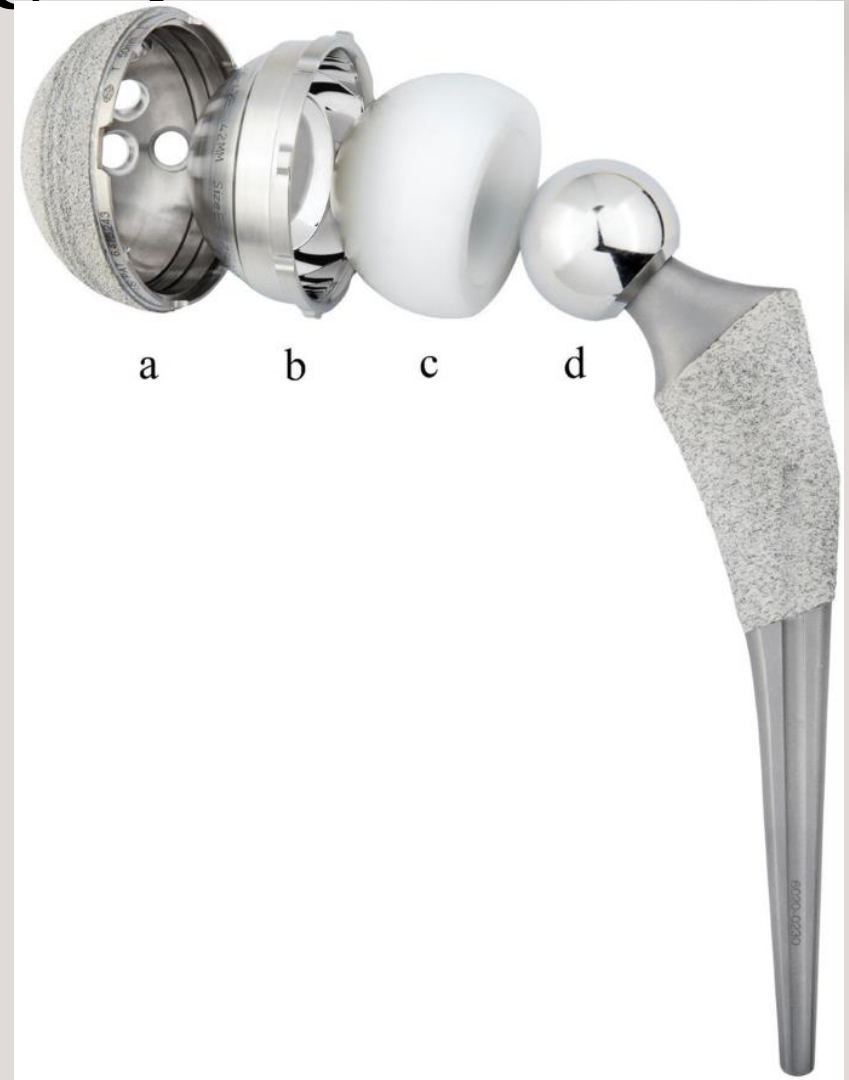
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 - Choice of implant shape (high or low offset)
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 - Manual assessment, side to side
 - Manual assessment, shuck test
 - Capsule length
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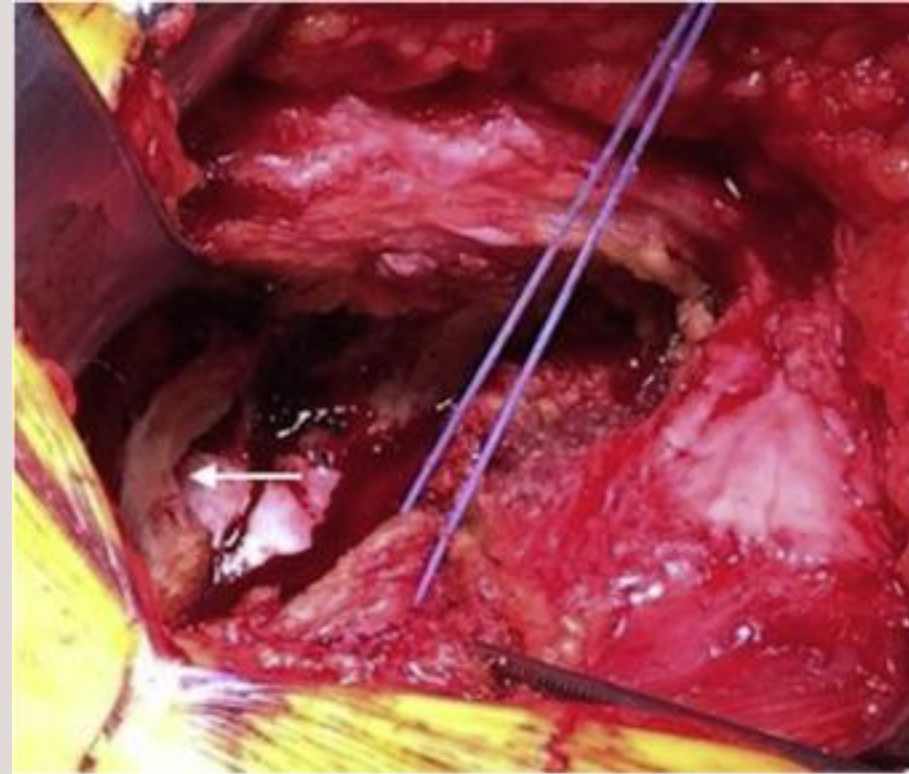
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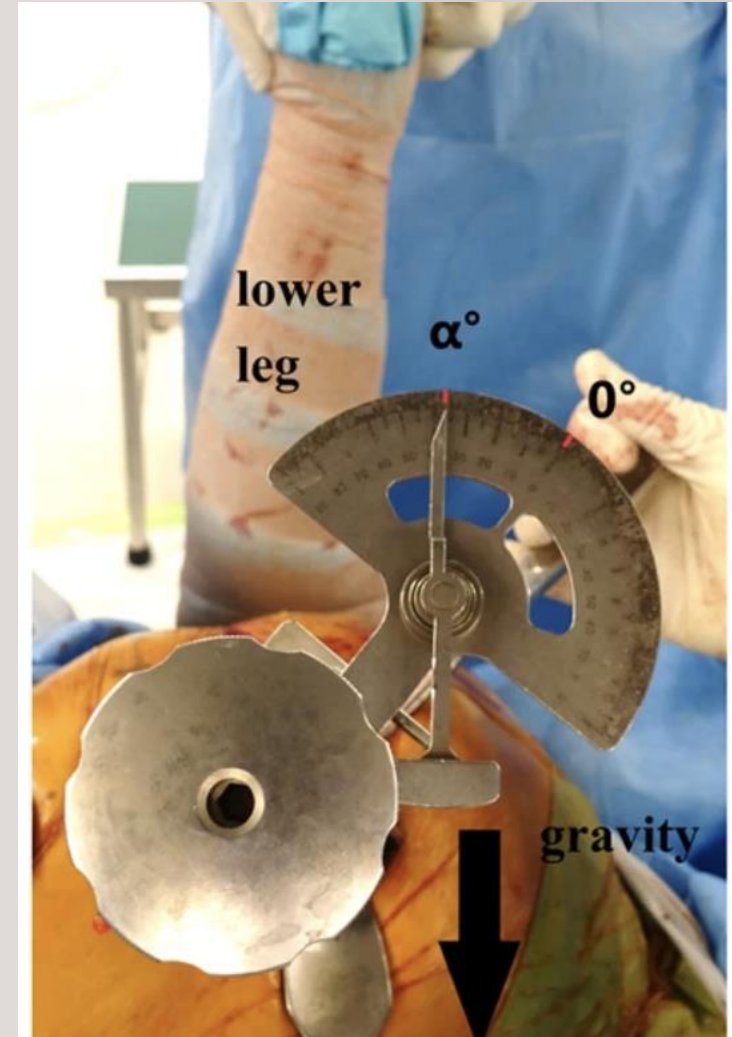


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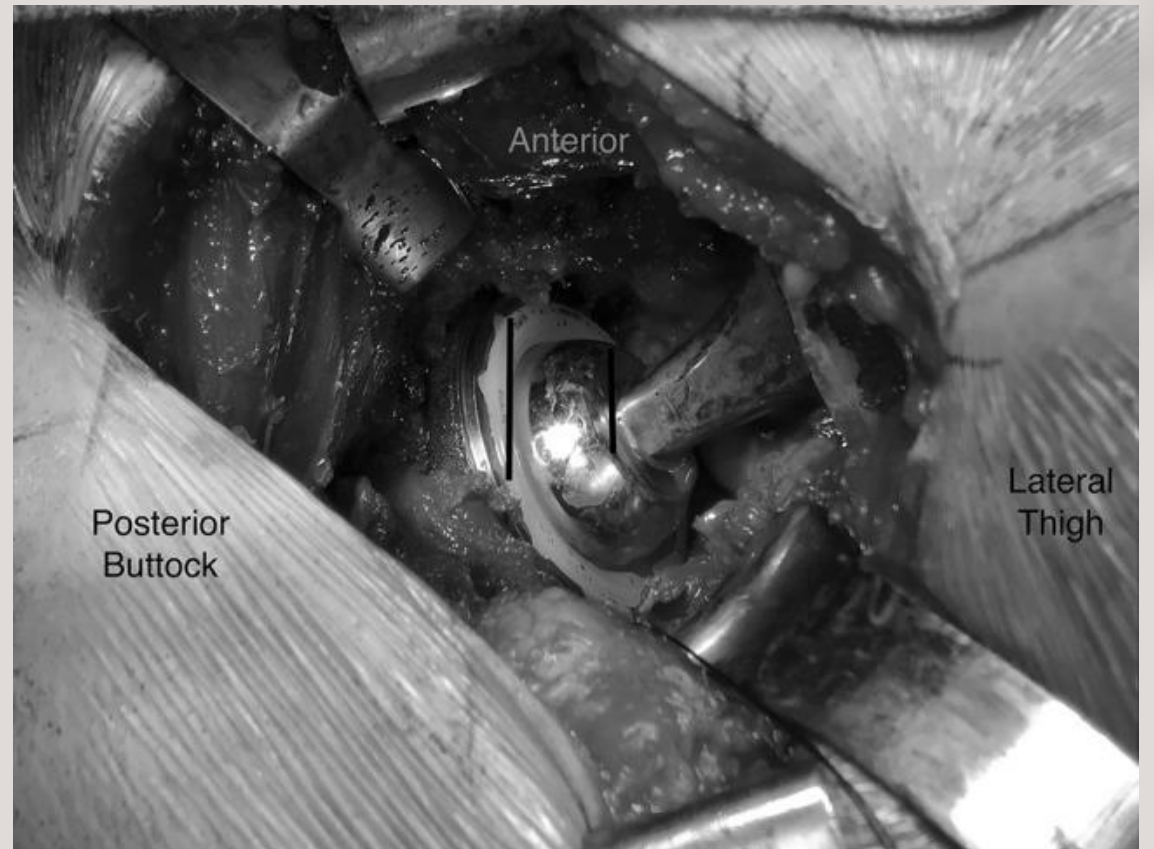
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- 90 90 test
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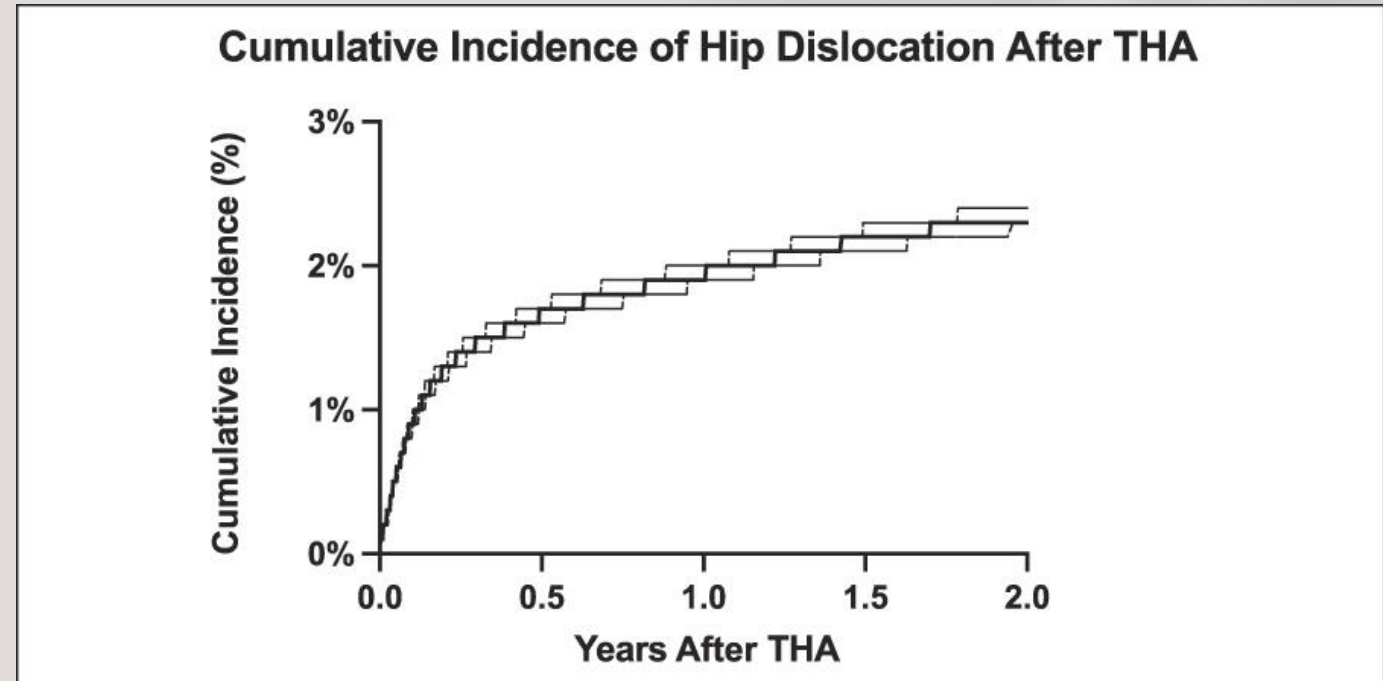
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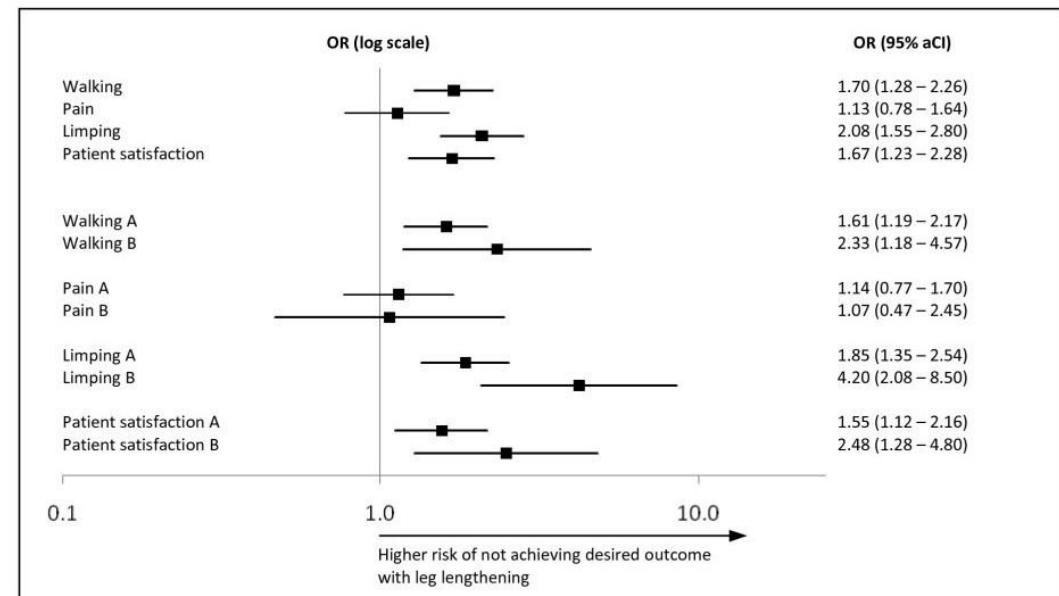
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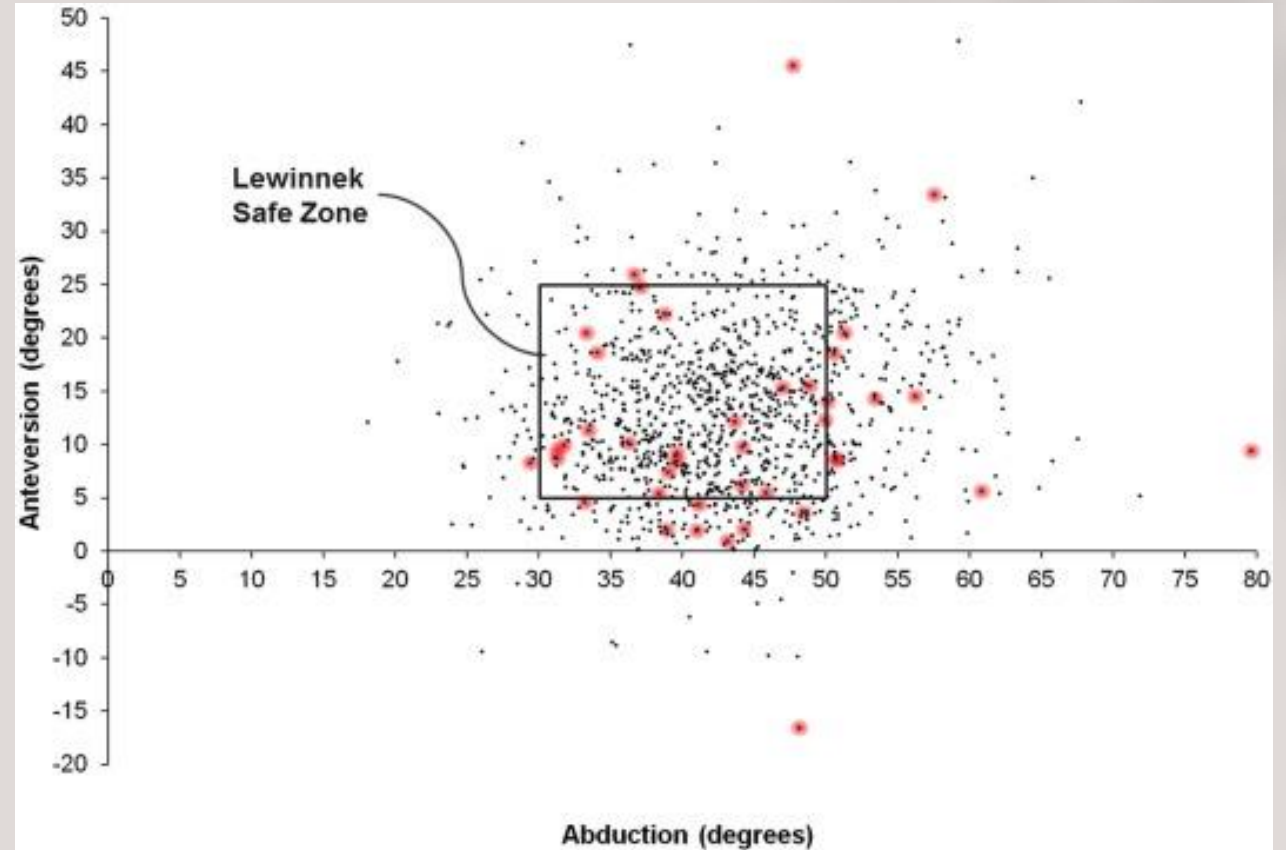
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- Fluoroscopic Intra operative component assessment was adopted to improve accuracy
- C arm, and its issues
 - Orientation
 - Lateral position (posterior approach)
 - Supine position (anterior approach)
 - Parallax
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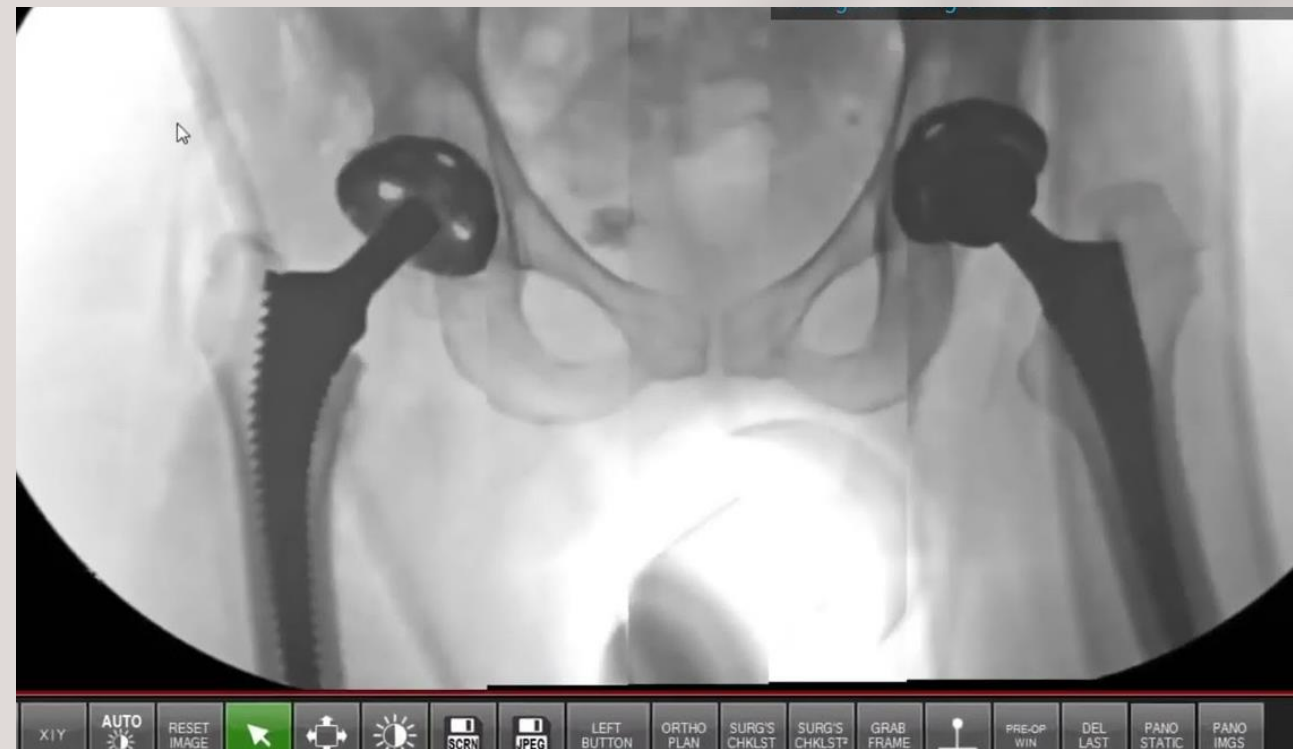
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 - Comparing results of fluoroscopic posterior and fluoroscopic anterior THA

Variables	Intraoperative fluoroscopy	Postoperative standing AP X-ray	<i>t</i> value	<i>P</i> value
DAA				
Inclination	42.32±1.91	42.98±1.81	1.354	1.181
Anteversion	22.30±1.41	22.88±1.38	-1.618	0.111
PA				
Inclination	36.80±3.72	39.29±4.58	2.174	0.022
Anteversion	25.60±3.64	21.31±4.04	4.389	<0.001

DAA direct anterior approach, *PA* posterior approach

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- Robotic (MAKO) THA represented a possibly more accurate way to place components
 - Pre-operative CT scan
 - Registering the patient to the CT
 - Robotic arm to place the Acetabular component
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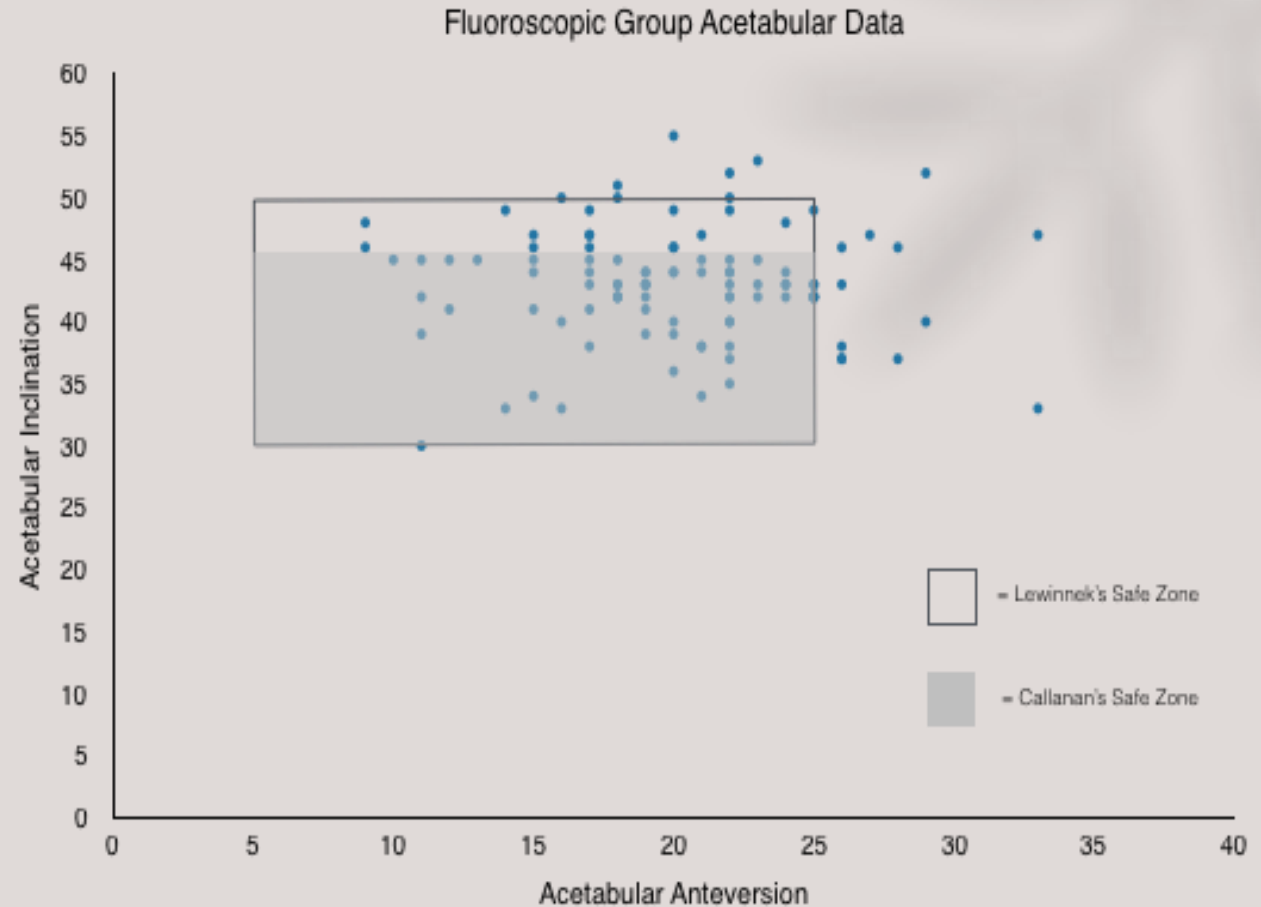
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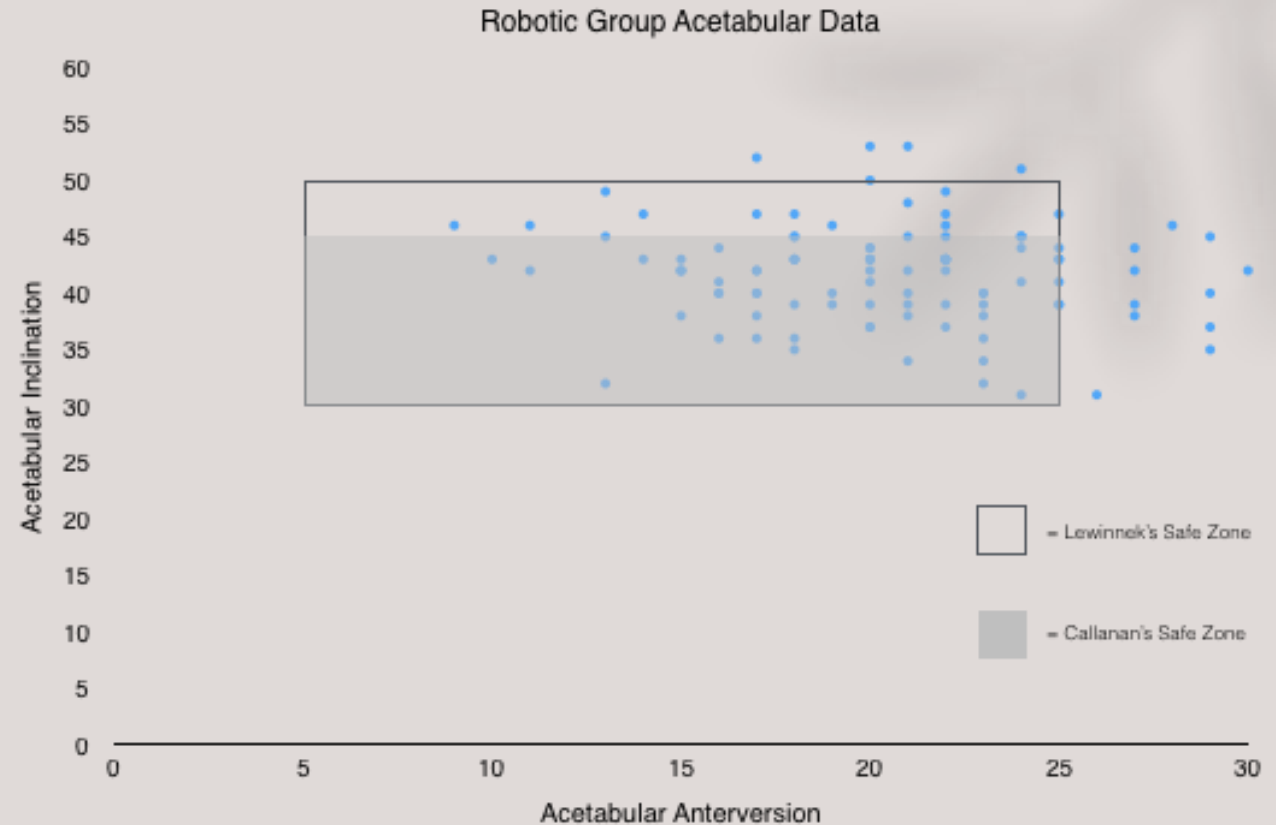
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- Robotic (MAKO) THA
 - Comparing Robotic THA with Fluoroscopic Anterior THA
 - Accuracy measures
 - Reliability measures



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Primary Hip

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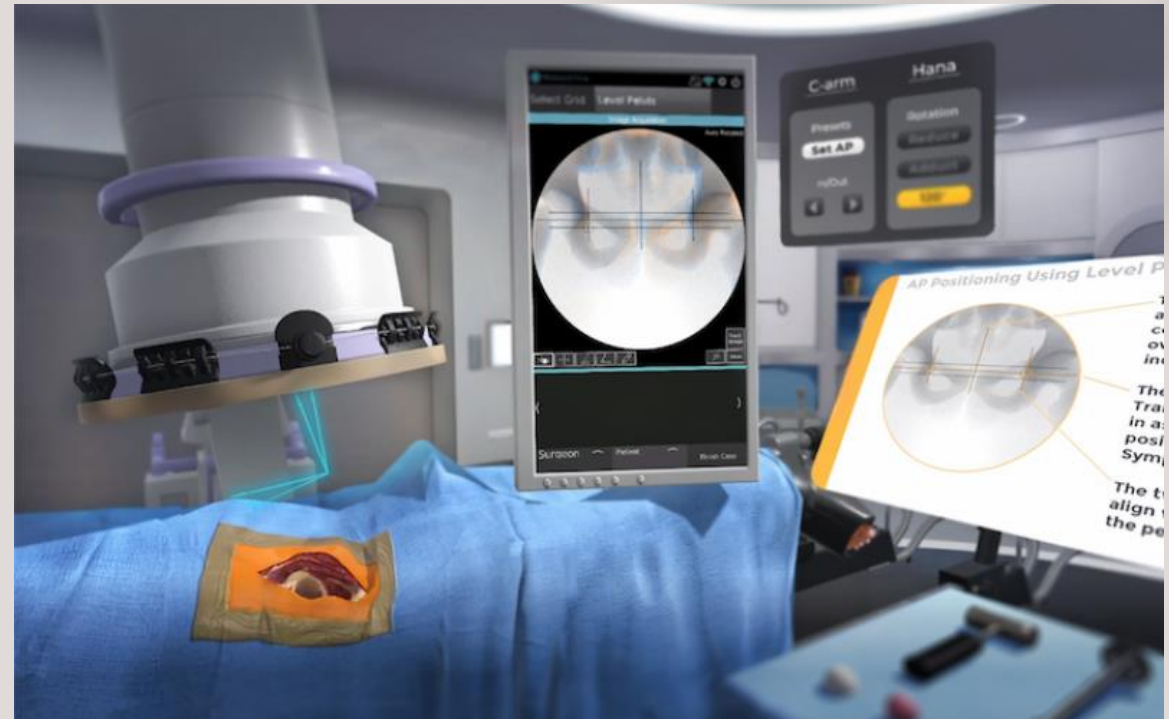
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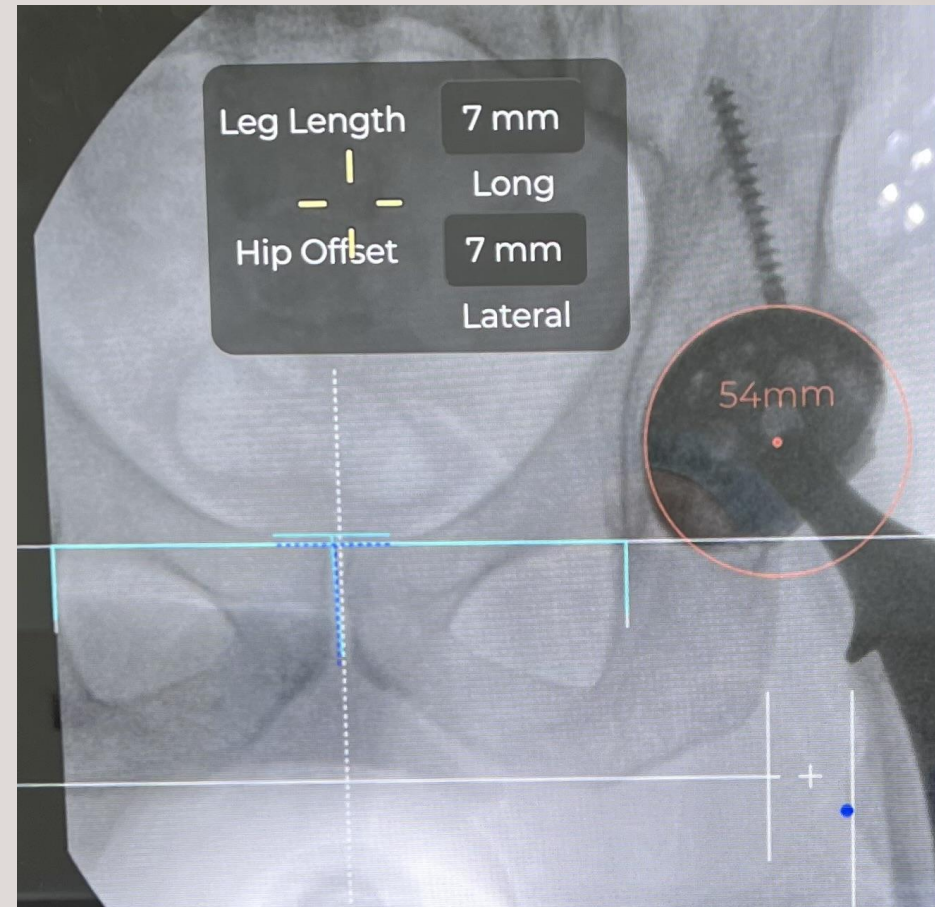
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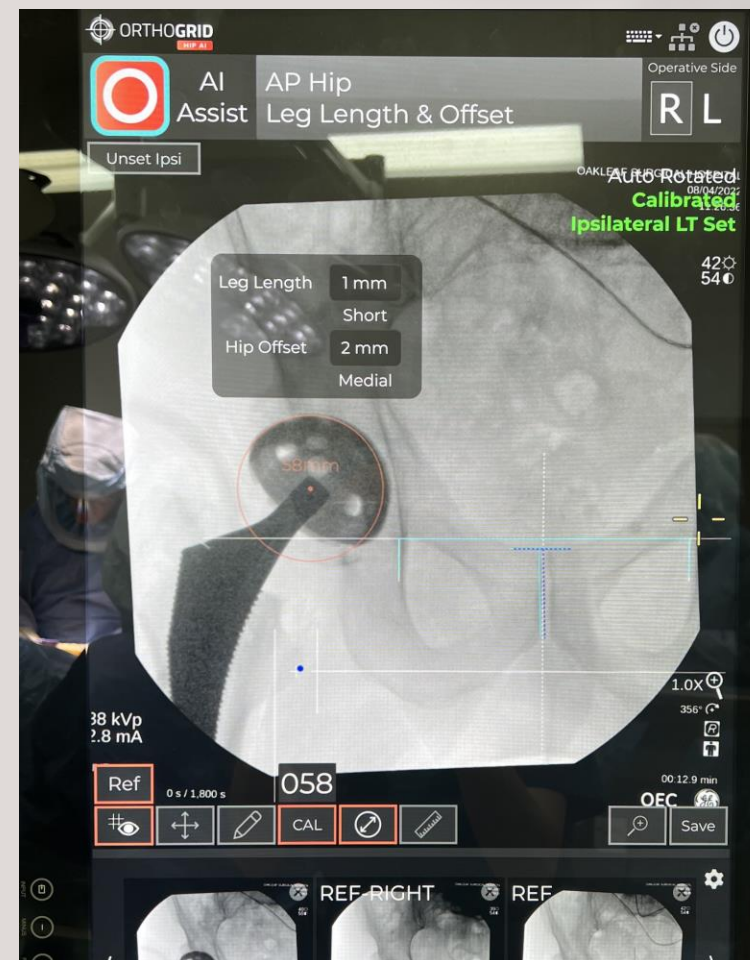
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- What is the state of the art today?
- Efficiency is certainly higher with AI
- Accuracy, at this point, seems at least to be comparable to un-aided fluoroscopy
- As the first center to use AI for total hips, we are in the process of documenting the accuracy as compared to MAKO and un-aided fluoroscopic guidance.



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I want to thank all the members of Oakleaf Hospital and the members of my team for making AI adoption smooth and seamless.

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