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Orthopaedic Surgery

Arthritis affects 10 percent to 13 percent of the population over 60. It is the most common reason for joint pain. My practice focuses on restoring patient motion through hip and knee replacement. There are several components that are compulsory for having a perfect knee or hip replacement: component position, pain management, and physical therapy. I employ the latest techniques in anesthetizing the hip joint and knee joint and in reducing blood loss to help decrease postoperative swelling. I use a multimodal technique with different types of pain medications and regional blocks that keep you alert and ready to move right after surgery. I employ the latest technology in performing both total knee and total hip arthroplasty. Component position is integral to having a natural-feeling knee or hip joint. With the use of the robot, I put the components in perfect position every single time so that your joint replacement feels natural. In the South Bay, I am the first to employ this technology.

I was born and brought up in Southern California, and my exposure to orthopedics began with following my dad around the hospital as a child. My father has been practicing orthopedics for the last 39 years and I was impressed by how his patients, after total joint arthroplasty, were able to resume their activities. It inspired me to follow him in a career in medicine. I went to undergrad at Cornell and graduated cum laude in neurobiology and computer science. I went to medical school at New York Medical College. I completed my residency in orthopedics at Stanford University and went for fellowship in total joint replacement at the prestigious Massachusetts General Hospital. After fellowship, I returned back to Los Angeles to join my father's practice.



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