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Welcome! In this month's issue we discuss the cost effectiveness of implants, a new surgery center near Asheville, NC, and joint replacement alternatives.

We'll be at AAHKS November 11-14th in Dallas. Will you? [Let us know.](#)

Clinical Impact of Device Placement in TKA

The Bone & Joint Journal

Malalignment does not appear to be a significant driver of patient dissatisfaction following TKA. However, [implant placement](#) has a moderate-strong relationship with implant survival.

Western Carolina Surgery Center is Opening

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[Western Carolina Surgery Center](#) is a state-of-the-art ambulatory surgery center with a highly trained team of medical professionals, opening early October. Compass is honored to partner with AdventHealth Hendersonville, Asheville ENT, WCSC ASCCarolina Ophthalmology, and Emerge Orthopaedics to launch the center. Keep an eye out for more news.

Joint Replacement Without Surgery?

The Wall Street Journal and CDC

One day, [new technologies](#) may stop cartilage degeneration and prevent the need for operation in some cases. However, the increase in non-surgical treatments for osteoarthritis may be offset by the growth in the prevalence of arthritis - [CDC predicts](#) 50% growth in arthritis by 2040. Will we see joint “replacement” without surgery?

The Cost Effectiveness of Implant Systems

Arthroplasty Journal

The [data continue to show](#) the cost-effectiveness of joint replacement vs. alternatives. Now we're curious whether a study could determine the cost-effectiveness of one implant system vs. another, considering many variables factor into implant cost. If you've seen a relevant study or have thoughts on this, [email us](#).

59% Reduction in Cost in an ASC

United Health Group

Shifting common outpatient procedures to ASCs can save patients \$684 on average per procedure. Read the [full report](#).

Compass News

Compass is sponsoring [Current Concepts in Joint Replacement](#) (CCJR) in Orlando, FL, December 8-11. Will you be there? Feel free to drop by and chat. Also, we'll be holding a casual happy hour for those interesting in chatting about ASCs, the future of orthopaedics, joint and spine in ASCs, or anything else on your mind.



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