

# Summary of key facts about joint replacement (2015/2016)

## Hips



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2003

**98,211**  
replacement  
procedures

↓ -0.1%  
(98,279 in 2014)

**60%**

average ages:

67.3 69.8



Diagnosis

average BMI

**28.7**

=  
'overweight'

## Elbows



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2012

**655**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ 12.2%  
(584 in 2014)

**68%**

average ages:

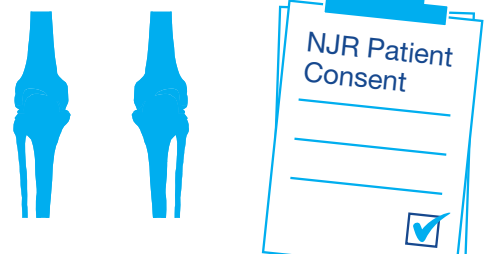
64.3 69.3

32%  
inflammatory  
arthropathy

21%  
osteoarthritis

Diagnosis

## Knees



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2003

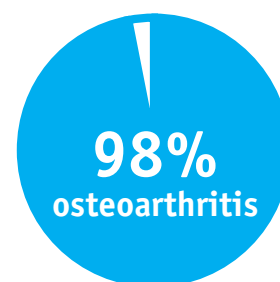
**104,695**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ 1.5%  
(103,126 in 2014)

**56%**

average ages:

69.1 69.5



Diagnosis

average BMI

**30.9**

=  
'obese'

## Shoulders



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2012

**6,170**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ 9.1%  
(5,657 in 2014)

**71%**

average ages:

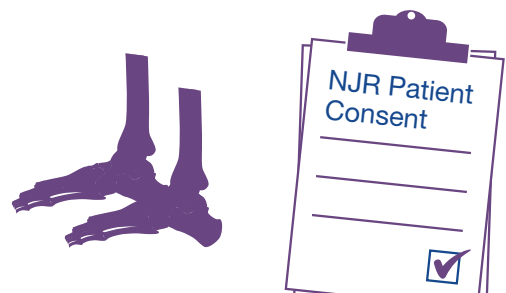
68.8 73.6

55%  
osteoarthritis

26%  
cuff tear  
arthropathy

Diagnosis

## Ankles



recorded on the NJR  
since April 2010

**726**  
replacement  
procedures

↑ 19.6%  
(607 in 2014)

**60%**

average ages:

68.5 67.5

89%  
osteoarthritis

10%  
rheumatoid  
arthritis  
and other  
inflammatory  
joint problems

Diagnosis

average BMI

**29.1**

=  
'overweight'