

Headline:

New Uncemented Hip Resurfacing Now Available at Sauk Prairie Memorial Hospital & Clinics

Body:

Sauk Prairie Memorial Hospital & Clinics has expanded its orthopedic services to include Biomet's **uncemented** hip resurfacing system. **Uncemented** resurfacing has been available in the United States since 2007. SPMHC is one of the first in the Midwest to perform this procedure.

In standard hip resurfacing—the bone-preserving alternative to total hip replacement—acetabular components are uncemented; the femoral components are routinely cemented to bone. The new prosthesis, however, is not cemented to the femur. Instead, a porous ingrowth technology is used.

An implant that is affixed to bone by an ingrowth surface may result in fewer complications; the occurrence of thermal necrosis of bone from the curing of cement may be avoided. Because of this, an uncemented prosthesis may last longer.

Your patients may experience many benefits from hip resurfacing compared with hip replacement:

- Bone preservation
- Less activity restriction
- Restoration of normal anatomy
- Reduced dislocation
- Less pain
- Less blood loss during surgery
- Less risk of blood clots

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At SPMHC, your patients can expect state-of-the-art orthopedic treatments delivered in an environment of compassionate care.

For more information or to make a referral, please call one of our orthopedic surgeons:

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Graphics:

Hip resurfacing
Surgeons

Sidebar:

The following SPMHC orthopedic surgeons received training to perform hip resurfacing. Their lengthy track record for superior clinical outcomes in orthopedics has contributed to their unsurpassed reputation.

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