

Knee Designs: A Primer - A Guide To A Surgeon Starting Practice And Choosing A Knee

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The simplest way of approaching this problem may be to ask why do knees fail or function below expectation? What prosthesis can I choose commensurate with my level of expertise that will help me avoid failure or below average function?

To do this we need to look at the following:

- Each component of the prosthesis
- The range of sizes
- The biomechanics of the joint
- The ability to resist wear
- The ease of use of the instruments
- The ease of sterilizing and packaging
- The ease of scrub nurse management