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Comprehensive Periprosthetic Fracture Management of the Hip and Knee: Fracture Fixation and Revision Arthroplasty

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Goal
This course aims to maximize patient outcomes following periprosthetic fracture by improving the practicing surgeon's ability to recognize, classify, plan, and perform internal fixation and revision total joint arthroplasty procedures around hip and knee prostheses.

Target audience
Senior, experienced (more than 5 years) consultant/practicing surgeons:
• general orthopedic surgeons
• fracture-specialized surgeons
• arthroplasty-specialized surgeons
• surgeons experienced with both trauma and arthroplasty.

Course description
This 3-day educational event is delivered through lectures, case-based lectures, small group discussions, and hands-on practical exercises on fixation and revision around the hip and knee. The 5 modules of the course, delivered by faculty experienced in fracture fixation and arthroplasty are: general principles, fracture fixation with implant retention, revision arthroplasty around the hip, revision arthroplasty around the knee, and complications and outcomes.

Learning objectives
Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:
• Recognize the challenge of periprosthetic fracture management
• Explain the indications for internal fixation and revision arthroplasty (including intraoperative fractures)
• Apply techniques of internal fixation and revision arthroplasty
• Prevent and treat complications
• Follow up the patient and optimize patient satisfaction
• Analyze treatment failures and recognize possible pitfalls in treatment

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