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Questions & Answers for Dr. Salin's Patients:

1. *Do I have to call my insurance company for authorization prior to my surgery?*
 - a. KCBJ and your specific surgery facility will do all the necessary authorizations needed for your surgery. You should be called from our bookkeeping department once this is complete. You may be responsible for any deductible that has not been met prior to surgery.
2. *Do I need to start an iron supplement prior to surgery?*
 - a. If you currently take iron and it does not upset your stomach, you may continue. This is not a requirement for Dr. Salin's patients.
3. *Should I start the exercises in the book prior to surgery?*
 - a. It is always best to try the exercises prior to surgery, but if this increases your pain you do not have to continue
4. *Do I need to schedule a pre-op appointment with Dr. Salin?*
 - a. If we have scheduled your surgery, then you have met this requirement for Dr. Salin. If you have an extensive medical history, it is always best to contact your primary medical doctor for clearance. The hospital will call you about 1-2 weeks prior to surgery for any pre-op labs and testing needed prior to surgery.
5. *Do I need to donate blood prior to my surgery?*
 - a. Dr. Salin does not recommend that you donate blood prior to surgery. With the minimally invasive approach and techniques there is little blood loss during your surgery
6. *When will I find out my correct arrival time before surgery?*
 - a. The surgery facility will confirm your arrival time the day before surgery
7. *How long will I be in the hospital?*
 - a. On average, patients stay 1-2 nights after surgery. Depending on how you do during your recovery, you could be there longer or shorter
8. *What equipment will I need to purchase prior to my surgery?*
 - a. Depending on your surgery facility, you may have to purchase a walker or crutches.
9. *Will I have long term restrictions after surgery?*
 - a. You will not have any long-term restrictions post-surgery. Please follow your specific post-operative instructions.
10. *How long should I take antibiotics after my joint replacement?*
 - a. Dr. Salin's recommendation that antibiotic pre-meds should be taken for life prior to any dental cleanings or surgical procedures