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Policy:

The continuity care of the total joint replacement patients throughout the continuum of care at Thompson Health ensures safe transitions of care, quality of care, and patient/resident safety.

Lippincott Procedures:

Hip Arthroplasty Post-Procedure Care

<http://procedures.lww.com/lnp/view.do?pId=742483&hits=hip>

Knee Arthroplasty Post-Procedure Care

<http://procedures.lww.com/lnp/view.do?pId=742591&hits=knee>

Continuous Passive Motion (CPM) Device Use

<http://procedures.lww.com/lnp/view.do?pId=742295&hits=passive,motion,continuous,cpm>

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