

There are big variations in care for people receiving orthopedic services in the NHS – orthopedics covers conditions involving the musculoskeletal system including hip and knee replacement surgery. We are evaluating the Getting it Right First Time programme – or GIRFT – which aims to improve services and make sure people get more consistent care across the whole NHS.

Part of our evaluation involves asking two sets of people –

**i) patients over 60 who have had orthopaedic surgery in the last two years**

and

**ii) people over 60**

about their views on orthopaedic surgery and improving outcomes.

We're running focus groups in March

**People who have had a hip or knee replacement in a NHS hospital within the last two years Aged over 60**

21st March – UCL Farr Institute, 222 Euston Road, London, NW1 2DA

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**People over 60**

19th March – UCL Farr Institute, 222 Euston Road, London, NW1 2DA

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