

December 11, 2007

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Ref: Jerry A. Mako Plasty Procedure 10/31/2007

Dear Ms Adelung and Ms Greer,

As top executives of Foundation Surgical Hospital, I am writing you to inform you of my progress and thankfulness over the Mako Plasty procedure my surgeon, Dr Stefan Kreuzer, performed on my right knee 10/31/2007. His great skill, the Mako Surgical Mako Plasty computer and the wonderful staff and medical environment of Foundation Surgical Hospital made the outcome for me better than I could have ever imagined. I feel that my recovery will continue as it has over the last six weeks and for this I will be eternally grateful.

I have shared this information with family and friends around the country and my Rotary District Governor of Rotary International (www.rotary.org) plans to put the information on our district web site. We have over 4000 Rotarians in this district. I have attached a copy of my letter to the Rotary District Governor.

I appreciate all who have helped me achieve the results I have made so far. I hope that I will not need your services in the future, but it is of great comfort to know that the Mako Surgical computer, your hospital and Dr Stefan Kreuzer will be there for me or any other patient when the need arises.

Regards,

Jerry A.

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Honorable Jeff Tallas
District Governor Rotary District #5890
Rotary International

Reference: Arthritis – Successful Computer Aided Knee Surgery Report

Dear Governor Jeff,

I am sharing the following information on my successful knee surgery performed 6 weeks ago. I waited to share this great information with our fellow Rotarians, their family and friends until 6 weeks went by so I could determine that this procedure passed all four parts of the ROTARY 4 Way Test. I am most happy to say that it does. Please have this posted to our district web site for all to benefit. I do not own stock in the medical equipment manufacture, or receive any compensation from the great doctor or the hospital. My reward is in knowing that others can benefit from my experience.

On 10/31/07 I had a partial knee replacement operation. I walked (sort of) in like a duck, & at 9-30 they took me to the OR & I was back in my room by 1:00. At 1:30 a nurse came & said it was time to walk. I walked without a limp, cane or knee pain. The arthritic knee joint cannot have gone past a certain stage, but if a person is there it is like a miracle. If you would like to see this computer driven surgery info go to <http://www.makosurgical.com/makoplasty.htm> . My surgeon, Dr Stefan Kreuzer (<http://www.adultjointreconstruction.com>), was very skilful and more than great, and the Mako Surgical computer controlled the boundaries of the drill so the hole for the implant was perfect. If a person could use this procedure, that would be wonderful. There are only 5 of these machines in the world, one of which is here in Houston at Foundation Surgical Hospital (www.foundationssurgery.com) and there only two surgeons in Houston certified to use the machine. I know in my heart that my doctor is the best! There are a lot of Rotarians as well as others with arthritis in the 40 to 70 age group that could benefit.

Please note that I do daily exercises and take walks to strengthen my leg and get the range of motion in my knee back. It is great to walk without pain (I get very emotional about this!). I also lost 26 pounds which I needed to do anyway, but good physical shape improves the outcome of anything.

Regards,

Jerry A