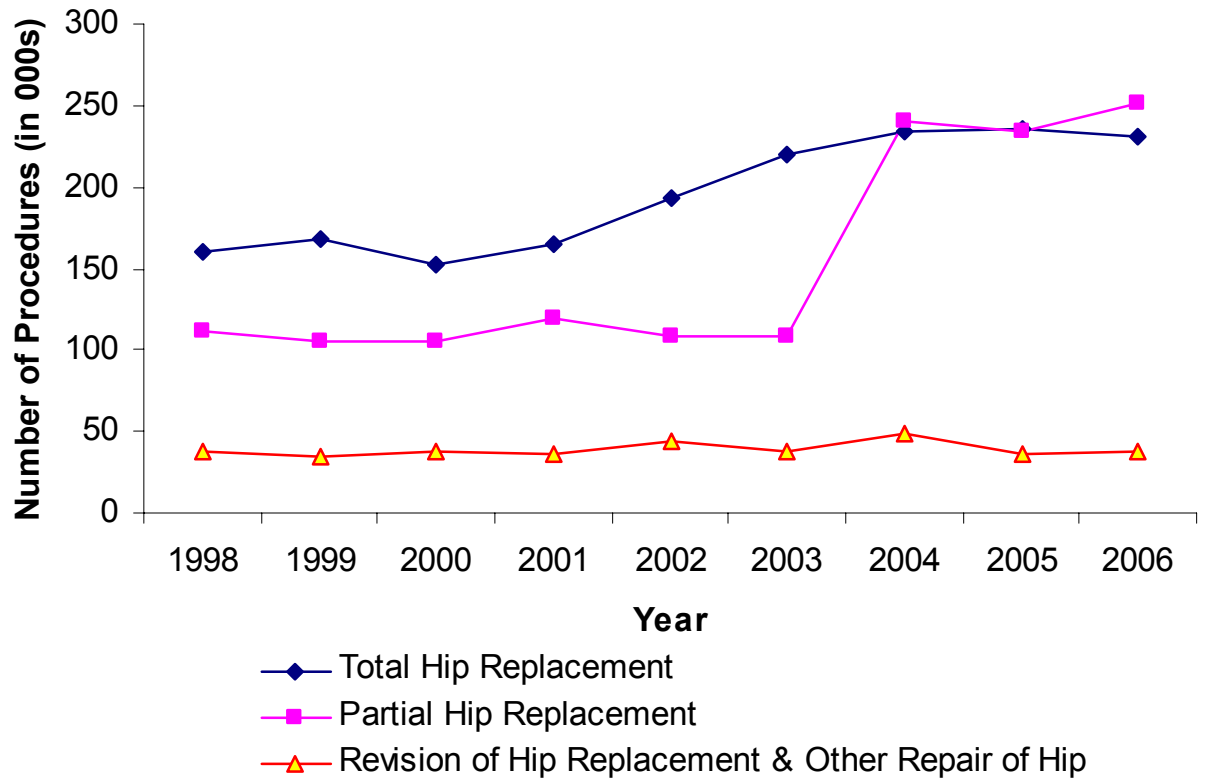


## Number of Procedures for Hip Replacements



**Note:** The graph refers to number of procedures for hip replacements in short-stay hospitals, United States.

**Source:** Hospitalizations - National Hospital Discharge Survey 1998-2006. Data obtained from: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; National Center for Health Statistics.