The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) Fracture & Trauma Registry (FTR) captures national data on five of the more common fractures: Ankle, Distal Femur, Distal Radius, Hip and Proximal Humerus. As of April 2024, national representation of more than 17,000 procedures have been submitted by hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers and private practice groups.

Participation in the FTR provides actionable information to guide clinical decision making to improve the quality of care, patient safety and treatment outcomes.

**Quality & Outcomes Insights**
- Monitoring intraoperative and post-discharge complications to enhance surgical approach and ensure patients stay safe and recover well.
- On-demand reports from the RegistryInsights® platform feature insights that help doctors enhance their surgical approach and ensure patient safety.
- The Patient-reported Outcome (PRO) Dashboard lets you track linked PROMs and average scores over time and compare rates to the national average. Surgeons and quality teams can filter data by patient demographics, procedure setting and procedure type, resulting in opportunities to improve PROMs compliance pre- and post-operatively.

**Address Gaps in Patient Care & Identify Best Practices**
- A diverse, national data set helps identify gaps in patient care based on demographics, and procedure and diagnosis types. These gaps create the need for tracking, new or updated performance measures, and improvement at various health care levels.
- Surgeon dashboards enable quick understanding of fracture distribution and characteristics within the patient population. This insight facilitates tailored treatment plans, selecting appropriate surgical techniques and implants based on fracture type and severity.
- Benchmarking against national standards and peer institutions offers insights into performance and can identify best practices.

ENROLL TODAY, IMPACT TOMORROW.
Now is the time to enroll in the Fracture & Trauma Registry. With national data at your fingertips through the RegistryInsights® platform, you can compare your results to performance across the country, supporting highly-informed decision making and quality improvement.

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The AAOS Registry Program includes the FTR, the American Joint Replacement Registry, the Musculoskeletal Tumor Registry, the Shoulder & Elbow Registry, and the American Spine Registry, a collaboration with the American Association of Neurological Surgeons.

**Demonstrate Excellence & Quality**

- Participating in the FTR fulfills up to 10 self-assessment exam (SAE) credits per year.

- As the FTR grows, we anticipate being able to support advanced certifications by providing robust and comprehensive data insights. This will enable participating sites to meet requirements for advanced certifications in the future.

**Contribute to the Orthopaedic Community**

- The national data set encourages comparative effectiveness studies, with outcomes providing evidence for potential clinical practice guideline updates.

- Tracking post-operative outcomes and component data guides surgeons in choosing effective approaches, elevating care for various injuries.

For more information, including an overview of data elements that are collected, scan here.