A Preoperative Surgical Plan for Your Shoulder Replacement Procedure

Virtual Implant Positioning

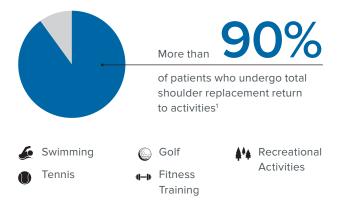
Preoperative Planning System





Get Back to Living Life Fully

Your surgeon has recommended shoulder replacement surgery to treat your shoulder disease/degeneration. This brochure provides information about the cutting-edge technology that will be used to carefully plan your procedure. Precision surgical planning with the VIP™ system can help relieve pain and get you back to performing everyday activities and living the active, healthy lifestyle you love.



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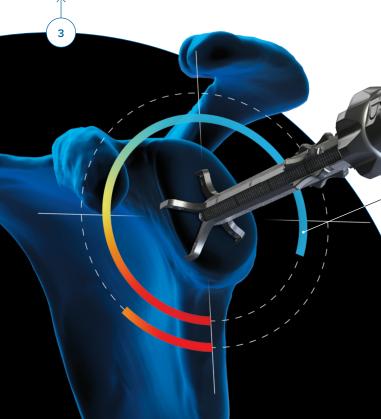
How Does the VIP™ System Work?



A CT scan is taken to get detailed pictures of your shoulder.

Your personalized surgical plan is developed by your surgeon.

In the operating room, your surgeon uses instrumentation with settings specific to your shoulder to place your preselected implant.



Similar to a pilot relying on an accurate flight plan for a smooth journey, your surgeon can depend on your personal VIP plan for a smooth surgical operation. Surgeons choose to partner with the VIP system to help give you the best chance of relieving pain and getting back to the activities you love.



82%

with **VIP Instrumentation**versus 7% without²

Aiming for Success

Your surgeon's expertise combined with using the VIP system may reduce complications such as unusual postoperative pain, improper implant positioning, decreased range of motion, and the potential for long-term implant failure. 2-8









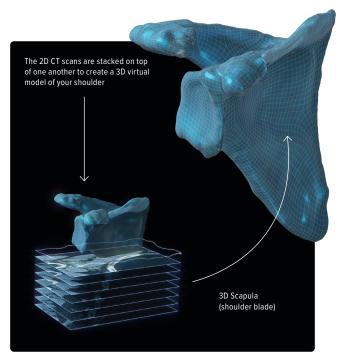
What Is the VIP™ System?

CT Scan

Before surgery, your surgeon will request a CT scan to get detailed, two-dimensional pictures of your shoulder.



They will then use an advanced software, the Virtual Implant Positioning™ (VIP) system, to create a three-dimensional image of your shoulder and virtually perform your operation. This exercise helps ensure your diagnosis is accurate and the best implant for your specific shoulder is selected.



Your virtual surgical plan is then transferred to your procedure with instrumentation settings specific to your shoulder, which helps your surgeon place the implant as accurately as possible.

Visit **ShoulderReplacement.com** for more information about the VIP™ system

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Important Patient Information: The Arthrex VIP System is a set of tools used by your surgeon to plan and guide shoulder replacement surgery. The system includes: an instrument to guide implant placement and a software component to create a pre-surgical plan based on a 3-dimensional virtual model of your shoulder made using your CT scan. Possible risks and limitations: the system is a planning tool and not a guarantee of surgical success; the system is not compatible with MRI scans; if the planned implant position is not suitable during surgery, your surgeon may adjust using standard tools.

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