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IN HEALTH

ROBERT ZEHR, M.D.

*Helping knees, hips and shoulders.*



**A**t the Zehr Center for Orthopaedics in Naples, doctors strive every day to make a difference in the lives of patients. This orthopaedic practice is decidedly preferred by patients with difficulties affecting their knees, hips and shoulders. These are the problem focused areas where the Zehr Center has its most extensive experience.

The hallmark virtues that the practice is founded on—wisdom, integrity, experience and compassion—inspire each member of the patient care team to reach beyond themselves to provide the highest quality in patient care, prudent counsel, clinical expertise and, most importantly, true concern for the patients, for whom we are honored to care.

Dr. Robert J. Zehr, the founder of the Zehr Center, has dedicated his professional education and career to the research, understanding and care of some of the most complex orthopaedic problems in the field. A nationally and internationally recognized author, lecturer and teacher, Dr. Zehr has been privileged to instruct dozens of U.S. and foreign surgeons who visit him in the operating room to observe various surgical techniques and rehabilitation protocols.

With the experience of more than 5,000 primary, revision

and complex joint reconstructions to call upon, Dr. Zehr brings the most up-to-date surgical techniques, patient safety and knowledge of rehabilitation to each patient's surgical problem. His mastery of minimally invasive surgical techniques, rapid recovery rehab protocols and shortened hospital stays has resulted in greatly improved surgical outcomes, fewer complications and highly satisfied patients. This depth of experience with the most complicated cases gives patients the confidence and encouragement needed when considering orthopaedic surgery.

After spending nearly 20 years with the world-renowned Cleveland Clinic Foundation, both in Cleveland and in Naples, Dr. Zehr has come to appreciate the high expectations of patients who sought the intensity, innovation and advanced care provided at this prestigious organization. In the wake of this institution's departure from Southwest Florida, a void was left for those who demand and deserve world-class care. The Zehr Center for Orthopaedics was created with the understanding, experience and willingness to reach farther to make a difference in the lives of our patients. This is the essence of world-class medical care. It remains the passion of our clinical team to focus our professional priority upon the most important purpose for our existence—the patient.

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