CHARACTERIZING ACCELERATED KNEE OSTEOARTHRITIS

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

• To review the importance of identifying a subset of osteoarthritis that is characterized by an accelerated onset of disease.
• To identify the unique characteristics of accelerated knee osteoarthritis based on anatomical characteristics, biomedical factors, certain types of instigating pathology, and distinct pathological processes.

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