



## Charles L. Nelson, MD *Surgeon*

**Administrative Title**

Chief, Joint Replacement Service

**Faculty Appointment**

Associate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

**Affiliation**

Penn Medicine

**Specialty**

Orthopaedic Surgery

**Board Certification**

Orthopaedic Surgery, 2000

### *Areas of Interest*

- ▶ complex revision hip replacement
- ▶ complex revision knee replacement
- ▶ hemophilic arthropathy
- ▶ hip arthroscopy
- ▶ hip resurfacing
- ▶ joint-preserving alternatives to hip and knee replacements
- ▶ knee replacement - unicompartmental
- ▶ periprosthetic fractures
- ▶ total hip replacement - minimally invasive
- ▶ total knee replacement - minimally invasive

### *Educational Background*

**Medical School**

*University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine*

**Residency**

*Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania*

**Fellowship**

*Hospital for Special Surgery*

### *Awards/Notes*

Recognized in Philadelphia Magazine's May 2002 Top  
Recognized by Best Doctors in America - 2013-2014

### *Memberships*

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons  
American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons  
American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery  
American Orthopaedic Association  
Medical Society of Eastern Pennsylvania  
Philadelphia Orthopaedic Society

### *Practice Locations*

**Penn Orthopaedics**

Pennsylvania Hospital  
1 Cathcart  
800 Spruce Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107  
800-789-PENN (7366)

**Penn Orthopaedics**

Orthopaedic Surgery  
Penn Medicine Radnor  
250 King of Prussia Road  
Radnor, PA 19087  
800-789-PENN (7366)

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**Penn Musculoskeletal Center**

Penn Medicine University City  
8th Floor  
3737 Market Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19104  
800-789-PENN (7366)

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