This quarter you will investigate a common medical procedure and present pertinent information to the class.

Research and discuss

The goal of the procedure.

What is done before, during, and after the procedure.

Conditions, injuries, diseases, etc. that may make the procedure necessary

What are possible side effects of the procedure?

How long is the recovery period? What is the prognosis for the patient after the procedure?

List of Medical Procedures

1. Coronary artery bypass graft surgery (CABG)
2. Free skin graft
3. Hysterectomy
4. Inguinal Hernia repair
5. Partial colectomy
6. Spinal Fusion
7. Percutaneous Coronary Angioplasty (PTCA) or (PCI)
8. Arthroplasty of knee
9. Arthroscopy of knee
10. Cesarean section
11. Cardiac catheterization
12. Thoracentesis
13. Chemotherapy
14. Blood Transfusion
15. Upper gastrointestinal endoscopy
16. Hemodialysis
17. Vasectomy
18. Shock Wave Lithotripsy
19. Appendectomy
20. Colonoscopy
21. Cardioversion
22. Cardiac Ablation
23. Bone Marrow Transplant
24. Lasik Eye Surgery

<https://stanfordhealthcare.org/medical-treatments/g/general-surgery/procedures.html>

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