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Press Release

Double Hip Replacement Performed First Time In Jammu

ESIC Model Hospital Bari Brahmana achieved a new milestone by doing a difficult surgery **Bilateral Total Hip Replacement** on a patient aged 31 years and is a first in Jammu.

The patient was suffering from Ankylosing Spondylitis which is an inflammatory arthritis affecting the spine and large joints. The bones of the patient were fused together resulting in rigid spine with severe secondary osteomyelitis of both hip joints. This is a difficult surgery as the patient is young and with a crippling disease and the procedure lasted for more than 4 hours. The procedure could have done in two sittings but as the patient is in great pain and was suffering the **Sr. Orthopedic Surgeon ESIC Model Hospital, Dr Nirdosh Mahajan** took it as a challenge to operate both sides in one sitting thus reliving the patient from symptoms.

The case was assisted by Dr Surinder Kumar (S.r Ortho), and Mr Parvez Kumar (Nursing sister).

Dr Tilak Raj (Sr Anesthetist) and his team was instrumental in ensuring the pain free process for the patient.The patient got the treatment free of cost as he is an ESIC beneficiary.

Dr. Om Prakash (Medical Superintendent) and Dr Bharat Bhushan (D.M.S) guided the team and ensured the smooth process in achieving the goal and Dr Om Prakash who is a strong administrator is taking ESIC Model Hospital, Bari Brahmana to greater heights.

With Regards,

Dr Saurabh Sadhotra,

Public Relations Officer.

ESIC Model Hospital, Bari Brahmana, Jammu.

