



Enovis becomes first multi-registry industry sponsor of AAOS Registry Program

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Company expands its support from the American Joint Replacement Registry to include the Shoulder & Elbow Registry

ROSEMONT, Ill., Sept. 22, 2026 /PRNewswire/ -- The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) announced that [Enovis™](#) has expanded its support of the AAOS Registry Program, becoming the first industry partner to sponsor multiple AAOS registries. A longtime sponsor of the American Joint Replacement Registry (AJRR), Enovis will now also support the Shoulder & Elbow Registry (SER) through 2027.



WHY NOW? BUILDING A MORE COMPLETE PICTURE OF SHOULDER AND ELBOW CARE

Shoulder and elbow conditions can make everyday movement painful and difficult. Each year, nearly [2 million](#) people in the United States visit a physician because of rotator cuff tears alone, underscoring the need for reliable data on treatments and outcomes. The [2026 Annual Report](#) includes implant component-level data for the first time, giving clinicians more detail to evaluate treatment patterns and inform patient care. Support from partners like Enovis helps advance this work and strengthen the registry as a resource for the orthopaedic community.

WHAT THE LEADERS ARE SAYING

"As surgeons, we learn from the patient in front of us, but registry data allow us to see patterns across thousands of procedures," said Carolyn M. Hettrich, MD, MPH, FAAOS, chair of the AAOS Shoulder & Elbow Registry Steering Committee. "Industry partners help provide the resources needed to expand data collection and turn those insights into meaningful improvements in care. Enovis' support will help the SER continue to grow as a resource for understanding shoulder and elbow care and identifying where we can do better."

"At Enovis, we recognize the critical role registries play in advancing patient care and generating the clinical evidence needed to support innovation," said Damien McDonald, CEO of Enovis. "As the first industry partner with the American Shoulder & Elbow Registry, we are excited to work alongside registry leaders and surgeons to strengthen data quality, increase participation, and expand understanding of outcomes in shoulder arthroplasty. This collaboration reinforces our long-term commitment to evidence generation and to developing technologies that improve the lives of patients worldwide."

The SER includes representatives from the American Shoulder and Elbow Surgeons (ASES), the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine (AOSSM), the Arthroscopy Association of North America (AANA), and the American Society for Surgery of the Hand (ASSH).

AAOS Registry Program

The AAOS Registry Program's mission is to improve orthopaedic care through the collection, analysis, and reporting of actionable data. [The American Joint Replacement Registry \(AJRR\)](#), the Academy's hip and knee replacement registry, is the cornerstone of the AAOS's Registry Program, and the world's largest national registry of hip and knee joint replacement data by annual procedural count, with more than 5 million procedures contained within its database. Additional registries include the [Musculoskeletal Tumor Registry \(MSTR\)](#), the SER, and the [American Spine Registry \(ASR\)](#), a collaborative effort between the American Association of Neurological Surgeons (AANS) and AAOS.

About AAOS

With more than 39,000 members, the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons is the world's largest medical association of musculoskeletal specialists. AAOS is the trusted leader in advancing musculoskeletal health. It provides the highest quality, most comprehensive education to help orthopaedic surgeons and allied health professionals at every career level best treat patients daily. AAOS is the source of information on bone and joint conditions, treatments, and related musculoskeletal healthcare issues; and it leads the healthcare discussion on advancing quality.

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