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## **Knee Injuries**

Pain management Options:
 If all of these fails
 Resting, icing, heat, bracing, PT cortisone injections, surgeries

Then what? What options do you have?

## **Knee Injuries**

- Whats' Next?
- KEY: Do you have the correct diagnosis?

- Is it a mechanical problem with the knee?
- Is it Osteoarthritis?
- Is it a nerve problem? Neuropathic vs neuroma. Is it CRPS?

## **Knee Injuries**

- Advanced Therapies:
- Viscous lubrication: Hyalgan, Synvisc.
- Platelet Rich Plasma and/or Stem Cells
- Therapeutic diagnostic blocks/Neuroma postsurgery/ trauma
- Genicular nerve blocks/Ablation for failed surgery
- Femoral nerve blocks
- Stimulator/spinal cord or DRG Stimulation.