

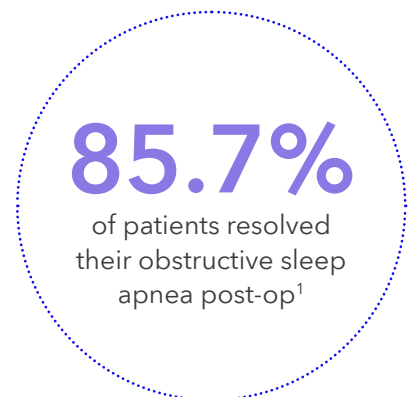
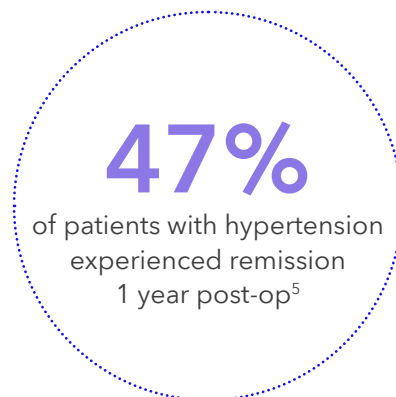
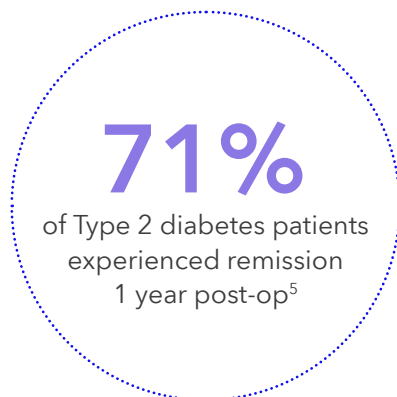
The wins of weight loss surgery

For people living with obesity, weight loss surgery can be one of the most effective therapeutic procedures to improve or resolve obesity-associated comorbidities^{1,2} and increase mobility and quality of life.³

Surgery addresses not only the disease of obesity but other underlying conditions like diabetes, heart disease, and high blood pressure. Delaying treatment can cause related health conditions to worsen.⁴

Explore the benefits of having weight loss surgery earlier in the progression of the disease.

Measurable improvements†



Life-changing gains

Mortality



increased survival rate⁶

Cardiovascular disease



reduced risk of cardiovascular
disease-related deaths⁷

Cancers



reduced risk of obesity-related
cancer deaths⁷

2X reduced risk of microvascular complications
(vision loss, kidney damage, or nerve damage)⁸

1.5X reduced risk of cardiovascular events
(heart attack or stroke)⁹

Quicker recoveries. Fewer complications.

For most patients: **87.2%**
have a hospital stay ≤ 2 days¹⁰

97.2%
do not experience major complications^{10,‡}

†Results from a survey of 3,000 patients.

‡Refer to next page for the full extent of complications and side effects.

Make your move.

Visit weightlossmovement.com for more information.



Start a conversation.

Speak to your physician to understand the full extent of side effects and complications,¹¹ including:

- Infection, bleeding, or leaking at suture/staple lines
- Blockage of intestines or stomach pouch
- Dehydration
- Blood clots in the legs or lungs
- Vitamin and/or mineral deficiency
- Protein malnutrition
- Incisional hernia
- Irreversibility, or difficulty reversing some procedures
- Revisional procedure(s) sometimes needed
- Death

Please consult your doctor to see if weight loss surgery is right for you.



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