A Historical Look at Joint Registries

Mayo Clinic physician Mark B. Coventry, MD, establishes the first total joint registry

Research begins for the Swedish National Hip Registry.

The HealthEast Joint Replacement Registry (HJRR) is established.

The Norwegian Arthroplasty Register begins collecting hip replacement data.

The Danish Knee Arthroplasty Registry is initiated.

The Swedish Knee Arthroplasty Registry is established.

The Swedish National Hip Registry begins collecting hip replacement data.

The Australian National Joint Replacement Registry receives funding, and New Zealand's National Joint Registry begins a pilot study in Christchurch.

Kaiser Permanente forms the National Total Joint Replacement Registry for its member providers, and the Canadian Institute for Health Information establishes the Canadian Joint Replacement Registry.

The National Joint Registry of England and Wales is founded.

The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons began collecting data in the American Joint Replacement Registry, with HJRR as a participant.

The statewide Virginia Joint Registry launches.

International Society of Arthroplasty Registries is established.

The Food and Drug Administration launches the International Consortium of Orthopaedic Registries, including HJRR and other registries from around the globe.