



## **DENTAL POLICY:**

“Patients undergoing dental procedures that do (or do not) result in the manipulation of gingival or periapical tissues, or perforation of the oral mucosa, are not diabetic, and are without a history of periprosthetic or deep prosthetic joint infection that required an operation, **DO NOT REQUIRE ANTIBIOTICS AT ANY TIME AFTER A JOINT REPLACEMENT.**” (per the AAOS)

\* We do not prescribe antibiotics anymore. If there are any questions, please refer to your PCP.

The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) also has information.