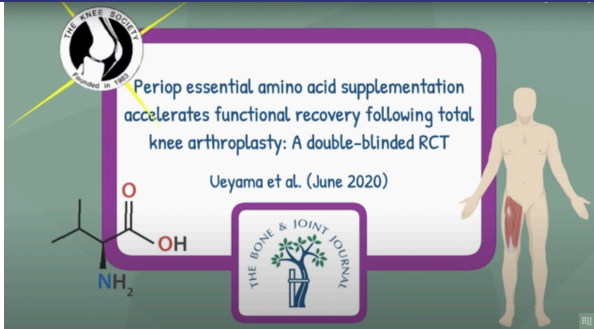




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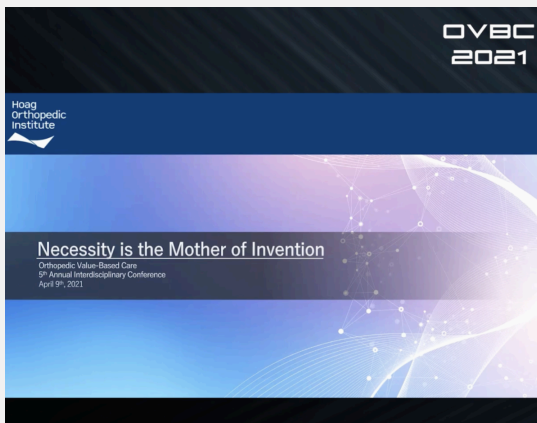


## Insight of the Week!

The issue of nutrition in the orthopedic perioperative space has been gaining recognition but wide adoption is still lacking. This week, we want to introduce an article that discuss the scientific basis for perioperative supplemental essential amino acids and related beneficial outcomes. As we move forward, we have to emphasize even more the value of recovery from the surgical insult beyond the first 24 hours and focus on return to normal daily activity.

[Read HERE!](#)

You can also check out the [Youtube Video of the lecture!](#)



## Lecture of the Week!

Watch the fascinating lecture discussion on "Necessity is the mother of invention - Solving the challenges of outpatient joint replacement through innovative design" from the OVBC 2021 conference. This lecture was given by Dr. James T. Caillouette the Chief Strategy Officer for the Hoag Orthopedic Institute! [WATCH NOW.](#)

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## OVBC 2023 Highlight of the Week: Financial, Operational, and Clinical Aspects of an Innovative Orthopedic Practice

Dr. Michael Suk (Chief Physician Officer, Geisinger System Services), Dr. Michael Wang (Professor of Neurosurgery and Rehab Medicine, University of Miami), Leslie Basham (President & CEO, Surgical Directions), Dr. Bruce Cohen (CEO, OrthoCarolina & President, AOFAS Board of Directors) will all be discussing the Featured Track Lectures on Financial, Operational, and Clinical Aspects of an Innovative Orthopedic Practice! You won't want to miss out on this at the 7th Annual OVBC 2023 Conference taking place in Las Vegas, NV on January 26 - 28, 2023!

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