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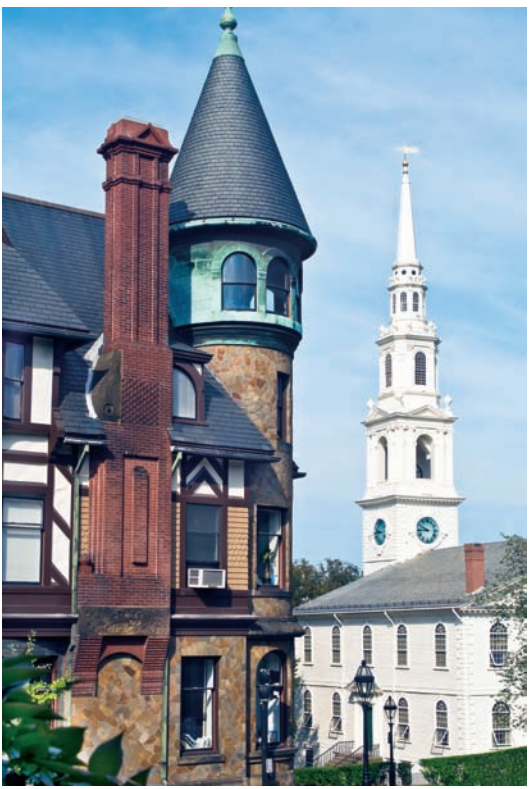
Total Joint Center at The Miriam Hospital

The Total Joint Center's Walking Trail

features photographs of various Rhode Island landmarks that serve as distance markers for patients during rehabilitation therapy. Photographs are approximately 22 feet apart, and all photographs were taken by our own Fred DeGregorio. The goal of the trail is to establish mobilization goals for patients that are both fun and realistic. For example, it may not be uncommon to say to a patient in the morning of the second post-op day, "you made it to Water-Fire last night, let's try to make it to Del's Lemonade today."



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Total Joint Center at The Miriam Hospital



- **Specialized surgery**, including total hip, knee and shoulder replacement, that restores function to damaged hips, knees and shoulders
- **Nationally recognized orthopedic surgeons**, most of whom are faculty members of The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
- **Personalized, caring clinical environment** within the context of an academic medical center
- **Focus on the patient experience**—from initial consultation through recovery
- **Continual communication** with patients about all aspects of surgery and recovery
- **Individualized patient treatment plans**
- **Customized pain management** that keeps pain well controlled, while assuring that each patient derives the greatest benefit from rehabilitative therapy



- **Integrated care** from a team of medical specialists, including surgeons, anesthesiologists, nurses, rehabilitation therapists and social workers
- **Spacious, comfortable and private patient rooms**, with the latest clinical technology located at the bedside
- **Rehabilitation therapy** fully integrated into the total care plan to restore function quickly
- **Nurse navigator** to guide patients throughout the process, from pre-surgical education through discharge
- **Excellent nursing care** provided by the hospital's Magnet-designated nursing staff
- **Advanced research** in tissue engineering, biologic enhancement of bone fusion, and cartilage growth and transplantation, among other subjects



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