

CASES OF INTEREST

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Taxotere

A chemotherapy drug used to prevent cells from growing and dividing- linked to permanent hair loss.



Bair Hugger

A warming blanket used during surgeries that can spread contaminated air over open wounds- linked to deep joint infections and need for revision surgery.



Xarelto

A blood thinner medication that has been linked to uncontrollable bleeding.



PPI (Includes Nexium, Prilosec, and Prevacid)

Used for heartburn and acid refluxlinked to bone fractures and Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)



Stryker Rejuvenate/ ABG II Hip Stem

Modular hip stems- linked to corrosion at stem/ neck juncture leading to elevated metal levels in the bloodstream, necrosis, and revision surgery.



Metal-on-Metal Hips

Models include DePuy ASR, DePuy Pinnacle, Zimmer Durom Cup, and others- linked to implant loosening, pain, high metal levels in the blood, and need for revision surgery.



Vaginal Mesh

Used to hold organs in place and treat urinary incontinencelinked to scarring, infection, damage to the organs, and revision surgery.



Talcum Powder/ Baby Powder

Talc-based powder used for many purposes-linked to ovarian cancer when used for female hygiene in the genital area.



Viagra

Treats erectile dysfunction- linked to a doubling of melanoma risk (deadly form of skin cancer).



Personal Injury

Any injury to a person including automobile accidents, dog bites, premise, and product cases.

