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Questions and Discussion

- Trends with outpatient spine
- Transitioning inpatient cases to outpatient ASC
- Impact of minimally invasive technology
- Relationship with health plans, contracting
- New techniques, best practices
- Cost of instrumentation, implants and supplies
- Role of SNFs and Recovery Care Centers
- Suggestions for those who want to add spine to their multispecialty ASC