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# Diagnostic Knee Arthroscopy

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#### Diagnostic Arthroscopy Introduction

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#### Doctor's Personal Note: A Message From Dr. Pevny

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#### Incision

Small incisions (portals) are made around the joint. The scope and surgical instruments will go into these incisions.



#### Visualization

The scope is inserted into the knee. Saline solution flows through a tube (cannula) and into the knee to expand the joint and to improve visualization. The image is sent to a video monitor where the surgeon can see inside the joint.

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#### Diagnosis

Using the video monitor as a guide, the surgeon can make a diagnosis. A variety of surgical instruments like this probe can be inserted through other incisions to treat specific problems.



#### End Of Procedure

The surgical instruments are removed and the procedure is completed.

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