

# Joe Goffney, PTA

Physical Therapy Assistant

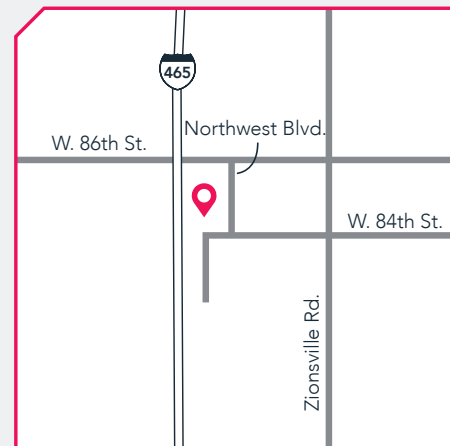


Joe Goffney is a physical therapy assistant who works with patients during their inpatient recovery following joint replacement surgery. His approach to care begins with patient safety, particularly as patients begin moving again after surgery. Before beginning treatment or helping a patient walk, he considers factors such as blood pressure and alertness to help ensure patients can participate safely. He also works closely with nurses, physicians, case management and other members of the

care team to support each patient's recovery and discharge plan.

For Joe, success means helping patients safely return to the appropriate living situation after leaving the hospital. An important part of that process is making sure patients, family members and caregivers understand what to expect at home and are prepared to follow their physician's protocols as recovery continues.

Joe was initially drawn to physical therapy because of the variety of settings available within the profession, especially inpatient care. He earned his bachelor's degree from Ball State University and completed his physical therapist assistant education at the University of Indianapolis.



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6am to 6pm