

Characteristic Types of Pain Following Total Knee Arthroplasty

	Possible Reasons for Failure
Pain at night and rest	Infection Joint effusion or neurogenic related
Starting pain	Loose components
Weight-bearing pain	Unspecific Mainly mechanical cause Infection
Pain on full extension	Anterior soft tissue impingement Posterior tightness, posterior osteophytes, flexion-/extension gap mismatch
Pain on full flexion	Post impingement (offset/osteophytes) Patella impingement or tightness, malrotation
Pain on descending	Flexion gap instability
Stairs and chair raising	Femur malrotation