Is Osteoarthritis a SERIOUS disease?

YES YES YES and THIS is why

OA is COMMON & GROWING

Affects 240 million people worldwide

2X more women than men

OA limits LIFE

25% cannot do normal activities

80% are limited with movement

Risk of cardiovascular disease, diabetes, hypertension & death

OA has NO CURE

While treatment can reduce pain,

NO approved drugs prevent OA

NO approved drugs slow progression

Surgery can REPLACE but does NOT RESTORE the natural joint

According to the experts...

EVERYONE should receive education to be active, exercise, & manage their weight

SOME may benefit from drugs or injections

FEW need surgery

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

Osteoarthritis: A Serious Disease
White Paper available at bit.ly/OASeriousDisease

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