

COMMON INDICATIONS FOR MSK US

1	Shoulder	Triangular fibrocartilage complex tear	Sciatic nerve entrapment
	Rotator cuff tendinopathy/tears	Ulnar nerve entrapment at tunnel of Guyon	Heterotopic ossifications
2	Calcific tendinopathy		Morel-Lavallee lesion
	Subacromial-subdeltoid bursitis	4 Hand	7 Knee
	Subacromial impingement	Metacarpal, volar plate, and other fracture	Joint effusion/synovitis
	Biceps long head tendinopathy/tenosynovitis	Joint effusions, synovitis	Osteoarthritis
	Biceps long head dislocation	Collateral ligament injury with or without instability	Prepatellar bursitis
	AC joint pathology	Tendon tear, tenosynovitis	Extensor mechanism pathology
	Cysts, masses	Trigger finger	Baker cyst, other popliteal mass
	Pectoralis Major muscle/tendon tear	Ganglion or other mass	Medial collateral ligament sprain
	Quadrilateral space syndrome	Pulley tears	Lateral collateral ligament sprain
		Thumb UCL tears, Stener lesion	Osgood-Schlatter's disease
2 Elbow and Forearm		Guyon canal	Calcifications
	Common flexion tendon pathology		Meniscal cysts
	Common extensor tendon pathology	5 Hip and Pelvis	8 Foot and Ankle
	Distal biceps pathology	Joint effusion/synovitis	Ankle ligament sprain/tear
	Medial/lateral epicondylitis	Adductor tendinopathy	Tendon tears, tenosynovitis
	UCL injury	Iliopsoas tendinopathy, bursitis	Plantar fasciitis
	LCL injury	Gluteus medius/minimus tendinopathy, trochanteric pain/bursitis	Plantar fibroma
	Ulnar neuropathy	Proximal hamstring tendinopathy	Cysts, soft tissue masses
	Medial nerve entrapment at elbow	Distal rectus abdominus and/or aponeurosis tear	Achilles' pathology/heel pain
	Olecranon bursitis	Rectus femoris tendinopathy, muscle injury	Tarsal tunnel syndrome
3 Wrist	Triceps tendon pathology	Osteitis pubis	Neuromas (Morton's)
	Effusion	Adductor longus muscle/tendon tear	Stress injury
	Median neuropathy/carpal tunnel	Proximal iliotibial band pathology	9 Rheumatology
	1 st carpometacarpal osteoarthritis	Tensor fascia latae pathology	Inflammatory arthritis/synovitis
	Ganglion or other mass	Sartorius pathology	Bursitis
	Tenosynovitis	Lateral femoral cutaneous pathology	Enthesitis
	Stenosis tenosynovitis (DeQuervain's)	Ischiofemoral impingement	Crystal deposition (gout, CPPD)
	Tendinopathy	Snapping/clicking hip	Tenosynovitis
	Fractures	Hoffa's fat pad	Erosions/bony contour changes
	Proximal and distal intersection syndromes	6 Thigh	10 Other
		Hamstring muscle tear	Foreign body localization
		Quadriceps muscle contusion/tear	Occult superficial fracture
			Soft tissue mass characterization