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2012 Plastic Surgery Statistics Report

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2012 Reconstructive Plastic Surgery Statistics

Reconstructive Procedure Trends

Top 5 procedures appear in bold

RECONSTRUCTIVE PROCEDURES	2012	2011	2000	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2011	% CHANGE 2012 vs. 2000
Dog bite repair [^]	27,752	29,863	43,089	-7%	-36%
Birth defect (congenital deformities)	27,626	39,207	40,076	-30%	-31%
Breast implant removals (reconstructive patients only) ^{****}	16,596	15,735	16,287	5%	2%
Breast reconstruction ^{****}	91,655	96,277	78,832	-5%	16%
Breast reduction (reconstructive patients only)	68,416	63,109	*	8%	*
Burn care	20,464	20,456	*	0%	*
Hand surgery (excluding microsurgical)	123,377	119,799	*	3%	*
Head and neck reconstruction ^{****}	27,161	26,116	*	4%	*
Laceration repair (other than facial) ^{^^}	291,244	302,800	358,666	-4%	-19%
Lower extremity reconstruction (including microsurgical) ^{****}	16,603	18,262	*	-9%	*
Maxillofacial surgery ^{^^^}	209,464	195,398	79,331	7%	164%
Scar revision	171,129	175,330	221,858	-2%	-23%
Tumor removal (including skin cancer)	4,211,134	4,171,416	*	1%	*
Other reconstructive procedures	309,928	301,399	376,270	3%	-18%
TOTAL RECONSTRUCTIVE PROCEDURES	5,612,549	5,530,789	*	1%	*

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****Counts of procedures performed by ASPS member surgeons only.

^In 2000 figure included all animal bites.

^^In 2000 figure includes facial laceration repair.

^^^In 2000 figure did not include facial laceration repair.

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