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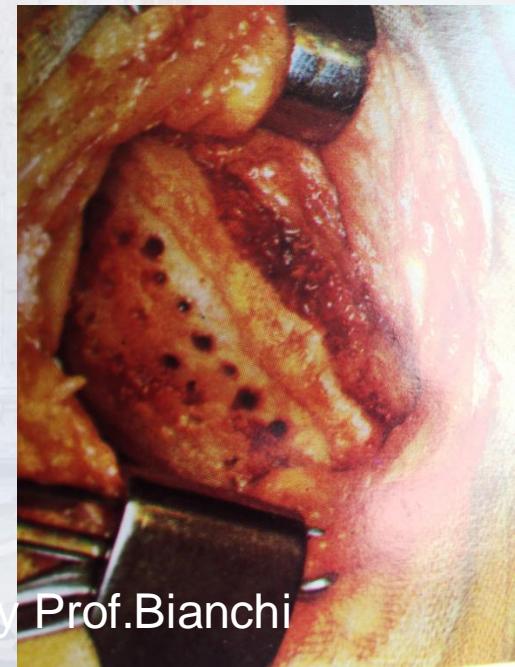
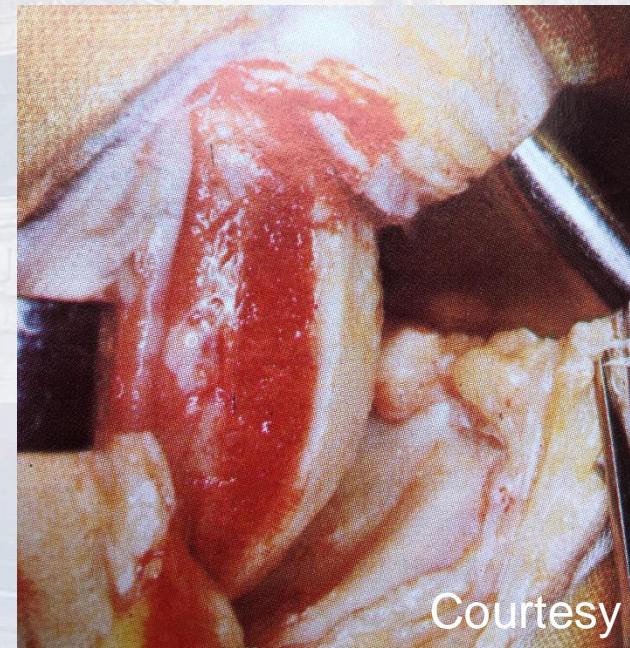
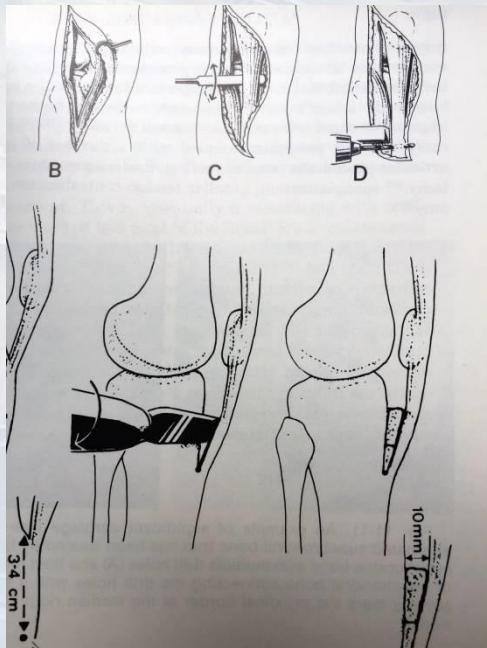
Il trattamento non protesico dell'artrosi di ginocchio

M. Berruto

1987

SURGERY OF THE ARTHRITIC KNEE

- Debridement by arthrotomy (ostephyses removal)
- Osteotomies
- Drilling by Pridie
- Maquet procedure (P-F arthritis)

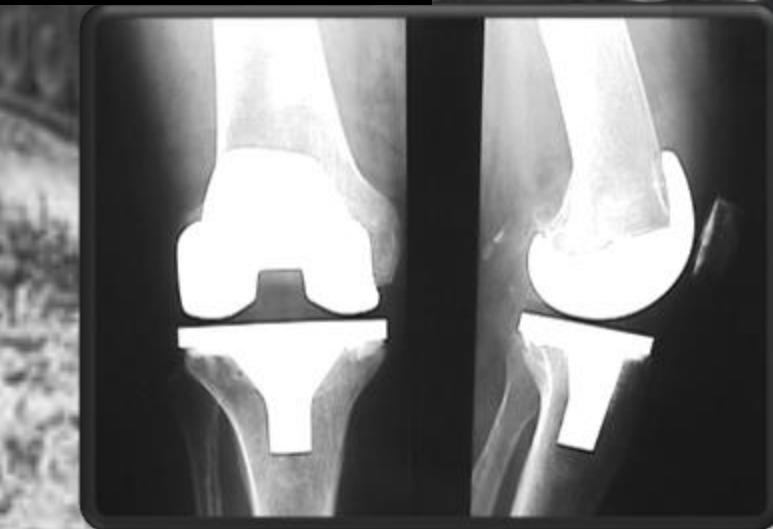


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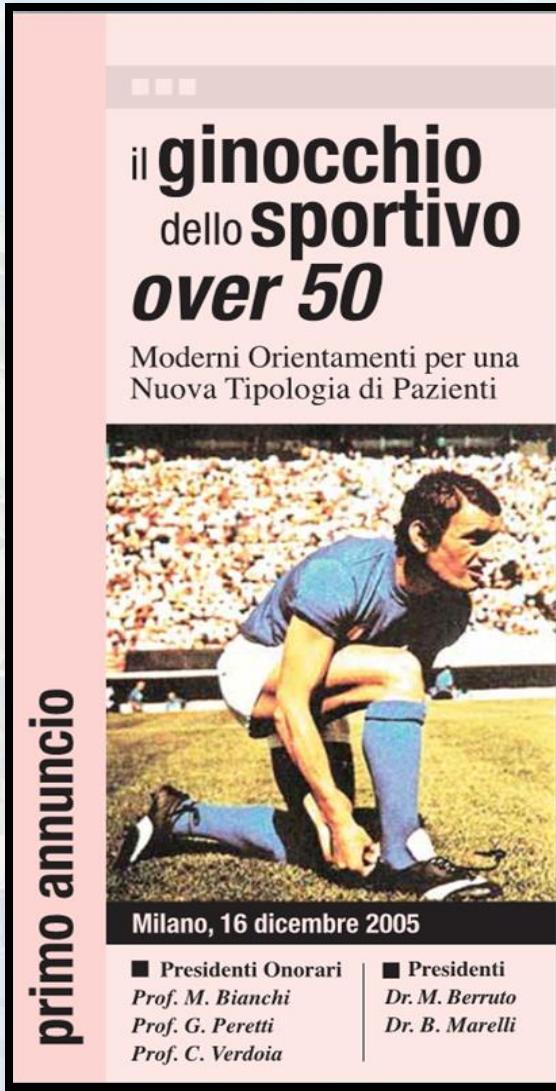


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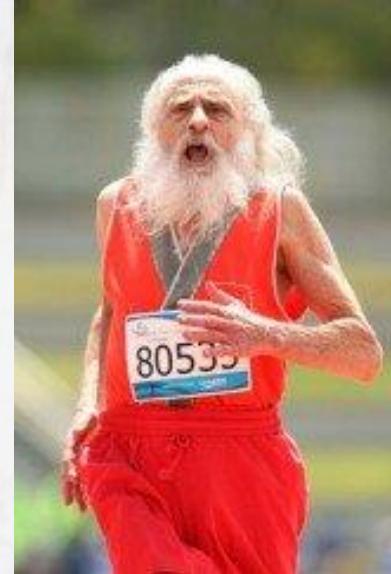


PATIENTS BECAME DIFFERENT

primo annuncio



- More Active
- Longer life expectancy
- Higher functional and activity level



New Concept Early osteoarthritis

Knee Surg Sports Traumatol Arthrosc (2016) 24:1753–1762
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KNEE

Early osteoarthritis of the knee

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Parametri clinici, imaging e artroscopici

ESSKA Consensus Meeting
EARLY OSTEOARTHRITIS:
All Around Biological Solutions

CAN WE DELAY
THE PROGRESSION
OF OSTEOARTHRITIS?

21-22 May 2015
Palazzo della Gran Guardia, Verona (Italy)

PROGRAM

ENDORSEMENTS

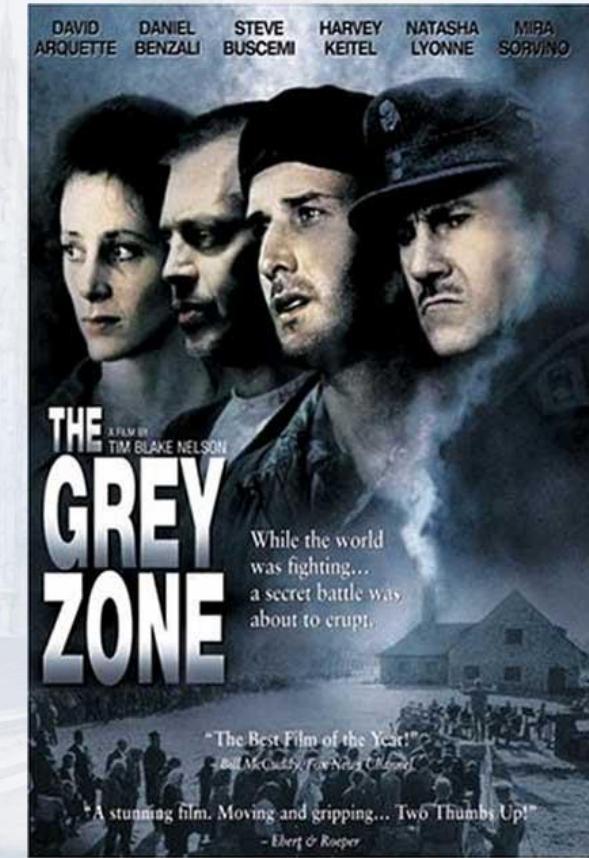





EARLY OSTEOARTHRITIS

Appropriate
Surgery ?

I'm NOT
ready for metal



ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES?

Arthroscopy

Osteotomies

Biological
Prosthesis
(ON)

Alternative
solutions

Mini
implants

ARTHROSCOPY

1

Notchplasty and anterior spur removal

2

DJD PACKAGE (Steadman)

3

Meniscal root injuries treatment

EARLY OSTEOARTHRITIS –EXTENSION LAG

The articular homeostasis is altered by the extension deficit leading to:

- Increasing pain
- OA progression
- Lameness



Notchplasty+ Anterior spur removal

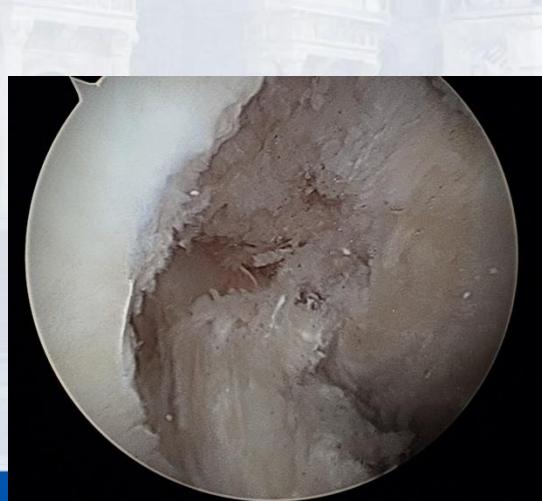
46 aa M
extension lag
in knee OA



Clinical case



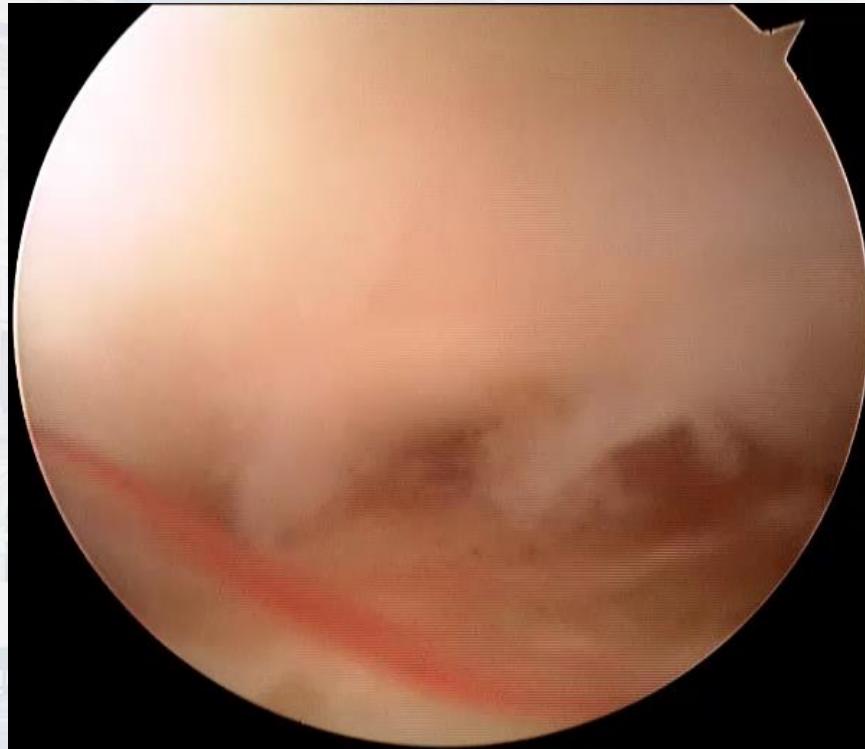
Full extension recover



Intercondylar notch debridement
using an arthroscopic shaver

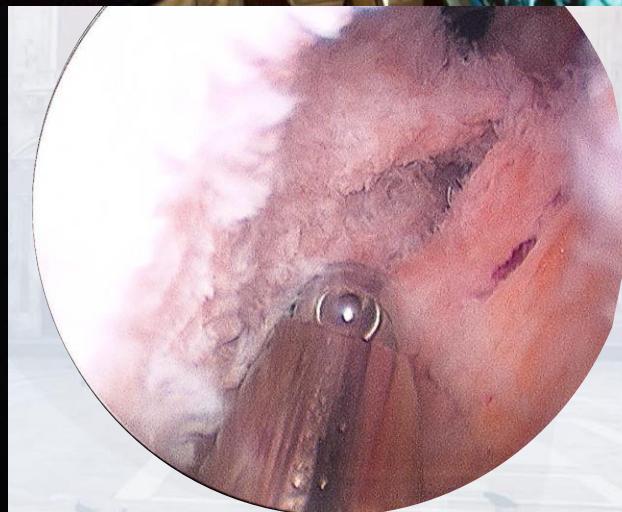
Notchplasty+ Anterior spur removal

Anvil' Osteophyte

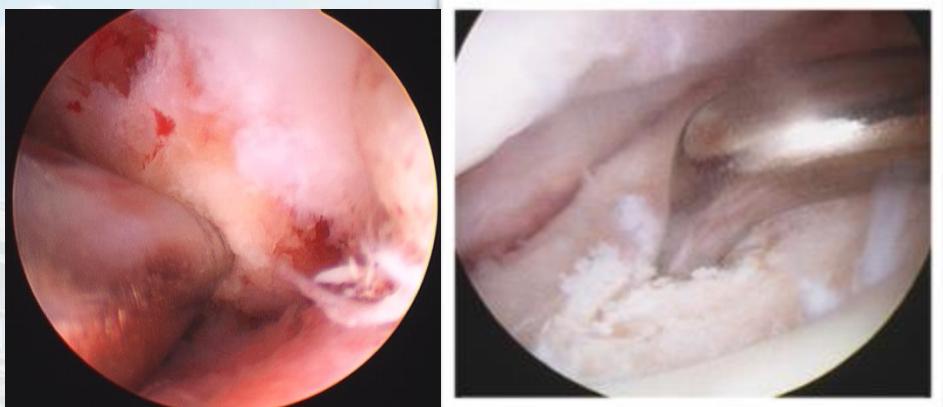


«DJD Package” (Steadman)

- Suprapatellar pouch dilatation and patellar mobilization
- Microfractures
- Regularization of the unstable cartilaginous lesions
- Loose bodies removal
- Anterior osteophytes removal
- Synovectomy



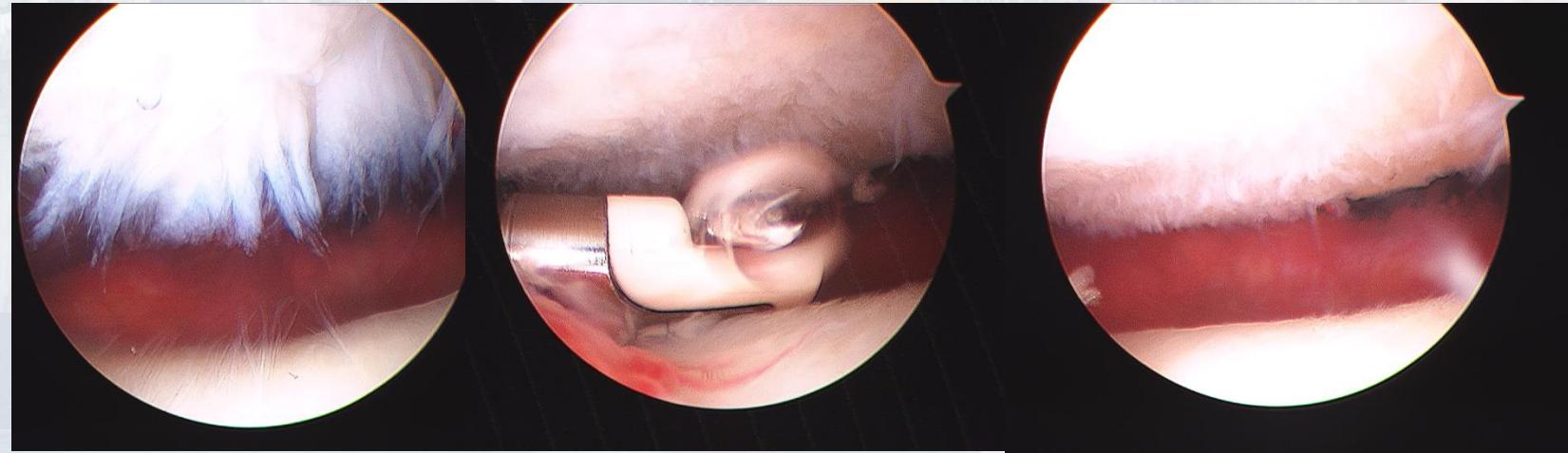
«DJD Package” (Steadman)



Microfractures



Loose Body Removal



Regolarizzazione Unstable Cartilage flaps

MENISCAL ROOT LESIONS

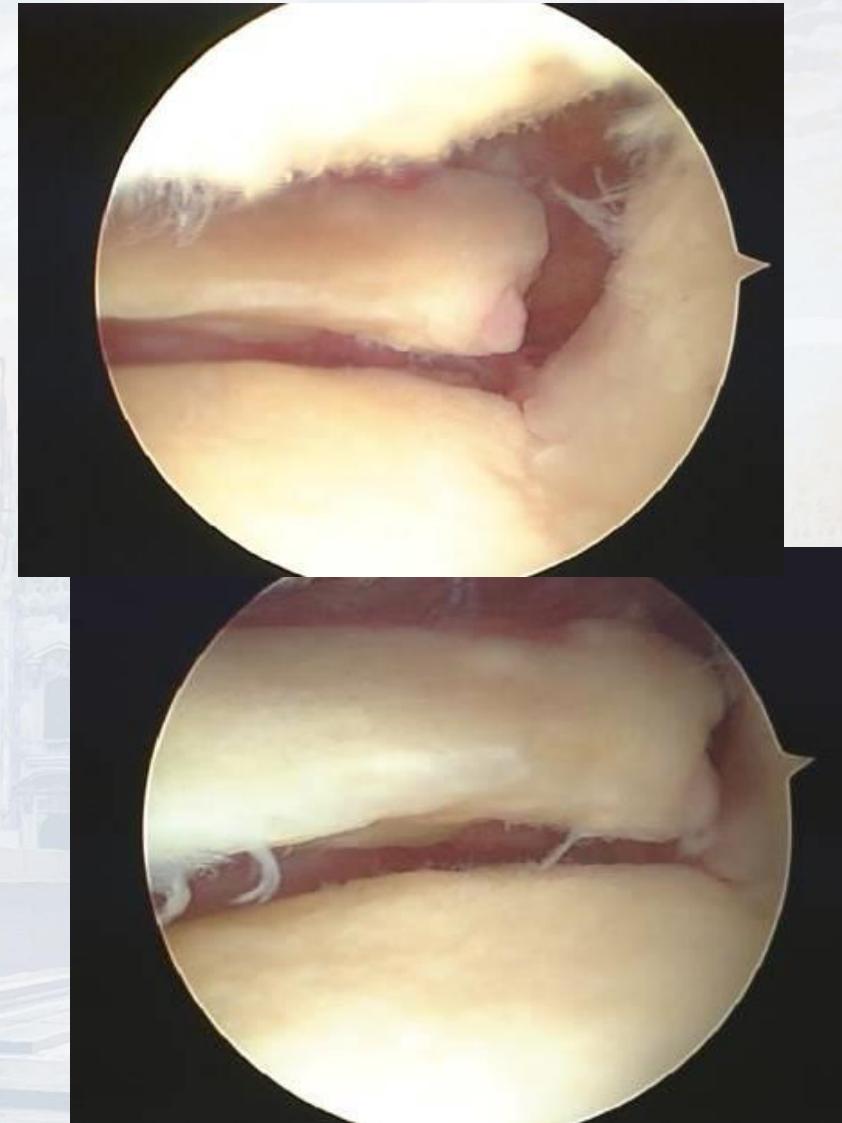
Firstly described in 1991
(*Pagnani Arthroscopy*)

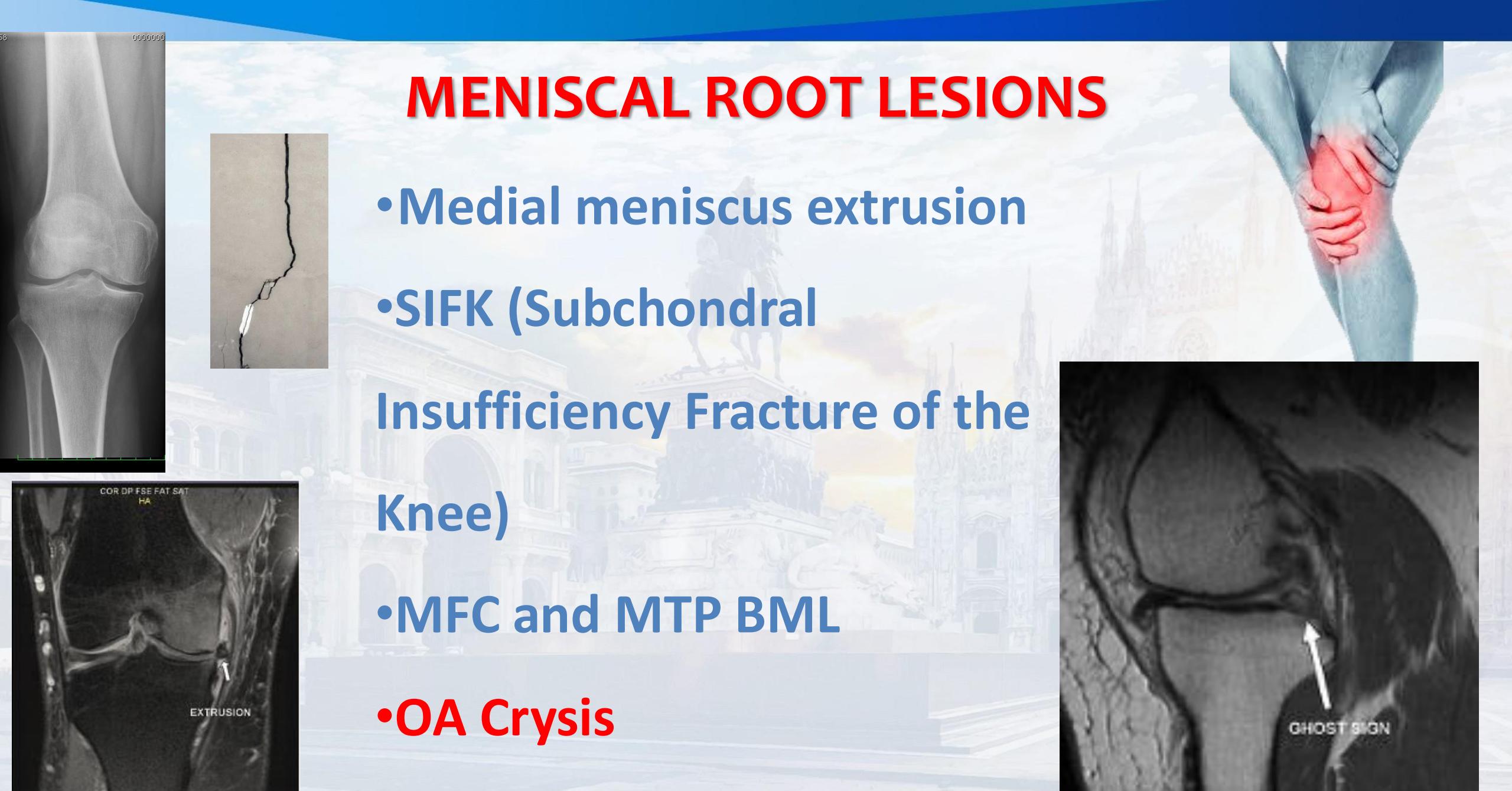
Meniscal insertion avulsion from the tibial plateau

Most commonly the posterior horn of he medial meniscus

Traumatic: often associated to ACL/PCL and MCL lesions, more common in young patients

Degenerative: more common, characterized by the extrusion of the medial meniscus posterior horn

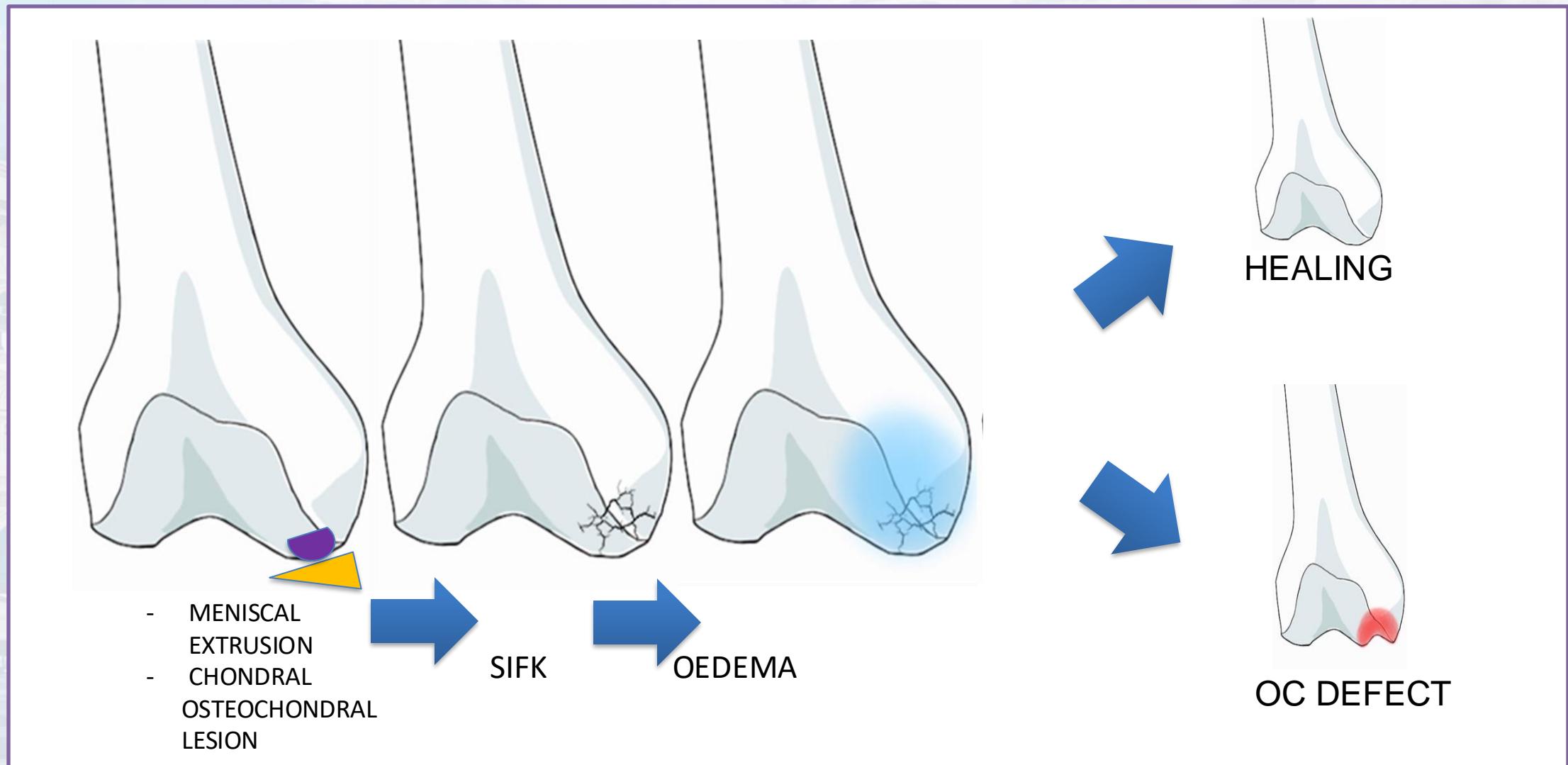




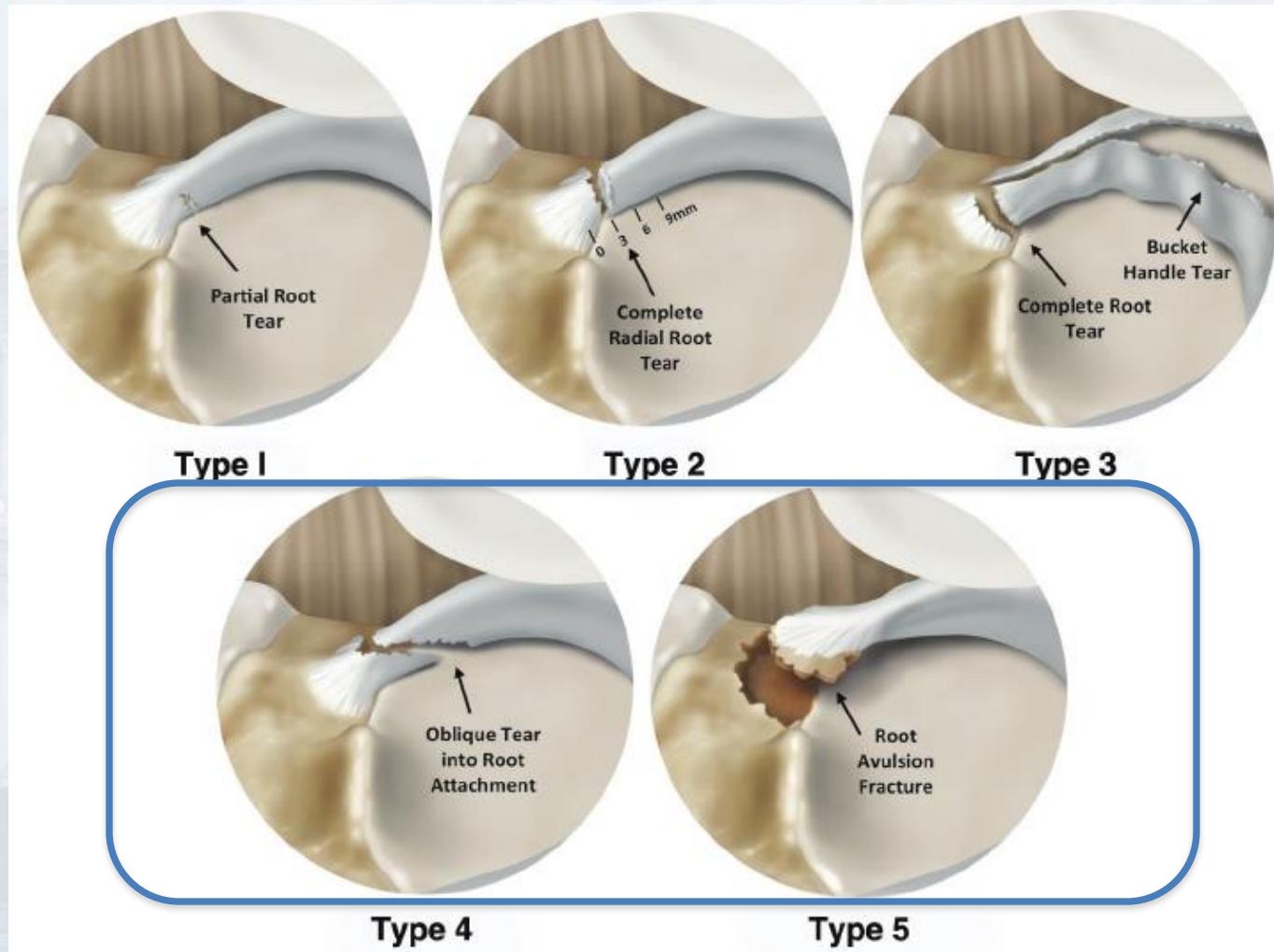
MENISCAL ROOT LESIONS

- Medial meniscus extrusion
- SIFK (Subchondral Insufficiency Fracture of the Knee)
- MFC and MTP BML
- OA Crysis

BML - SIFK



MENISCAL ROOT LESIONS, CLASSIFICATION



La Prade AJSM 2015

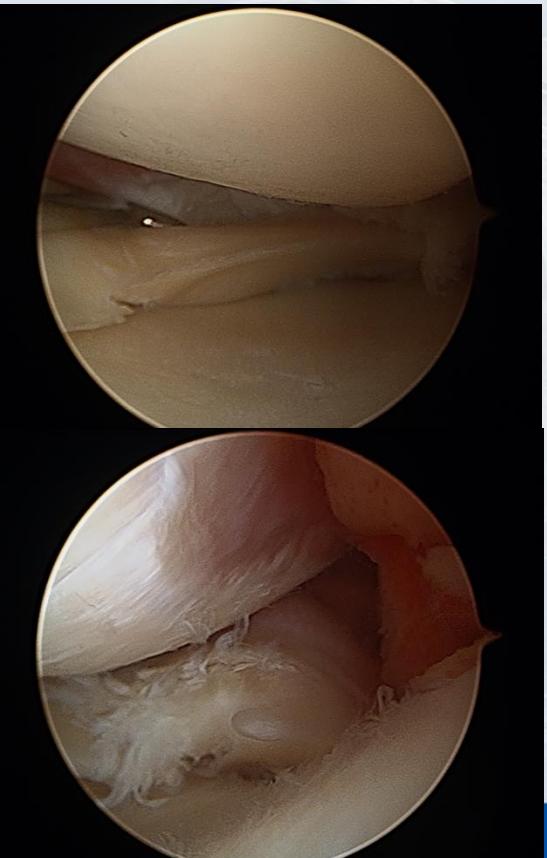
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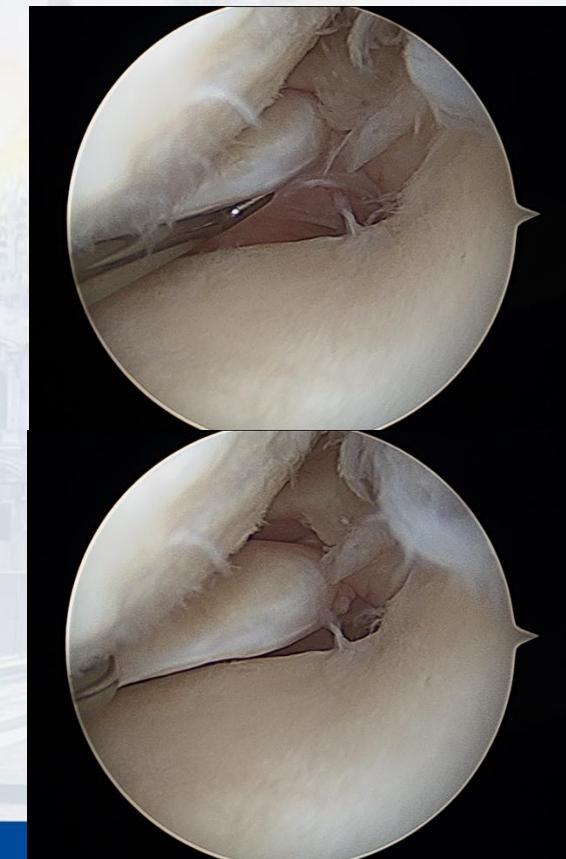
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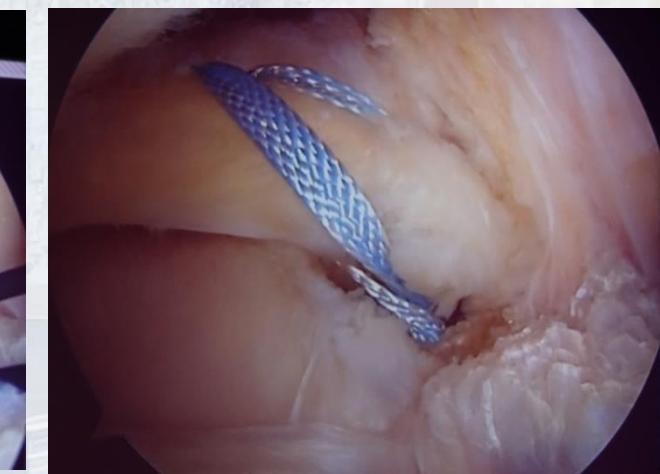
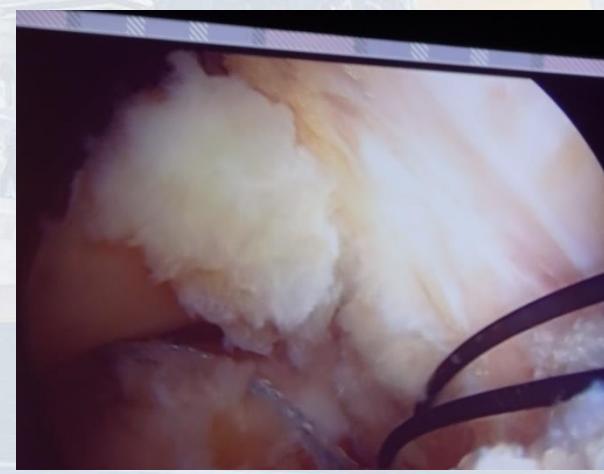
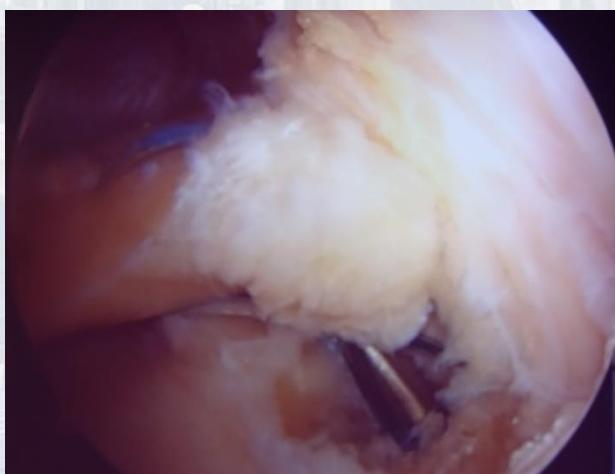
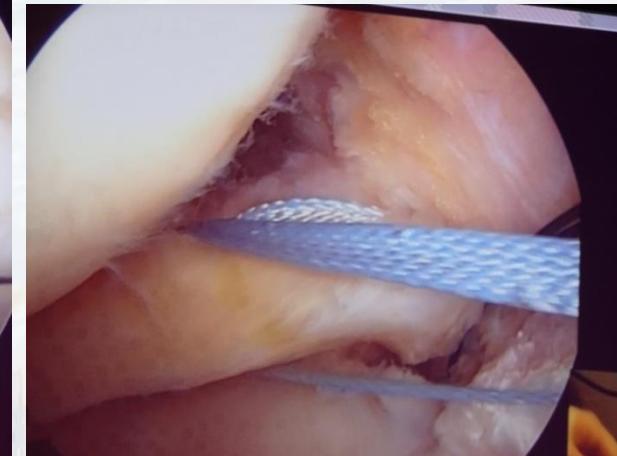
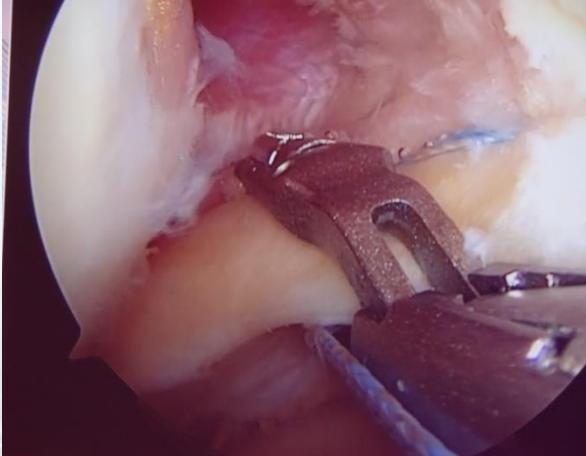
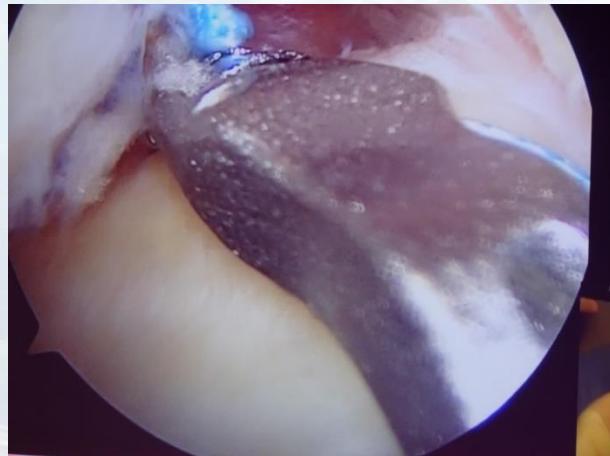
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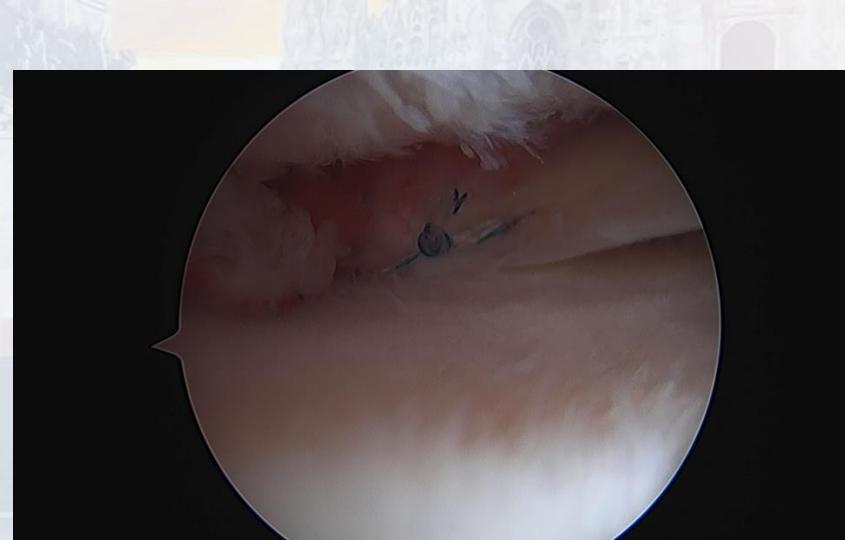
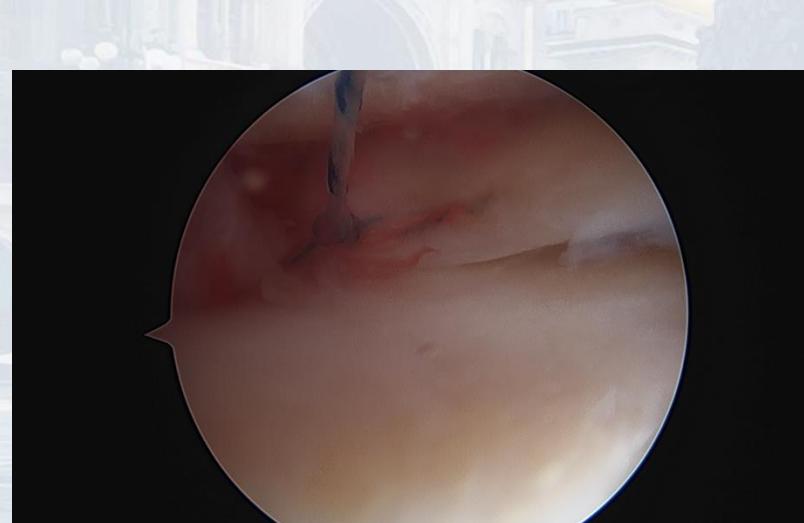
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MENISCAL ROOT REPAIR

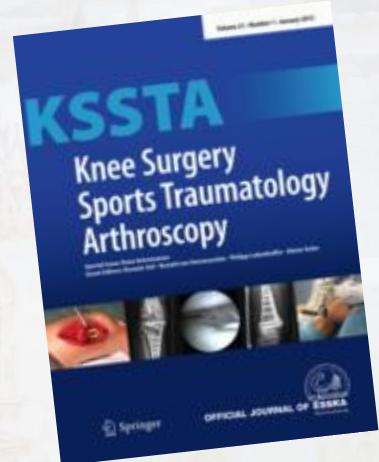


ALL-INSIDE / SIDE TO SIDE REPAIR



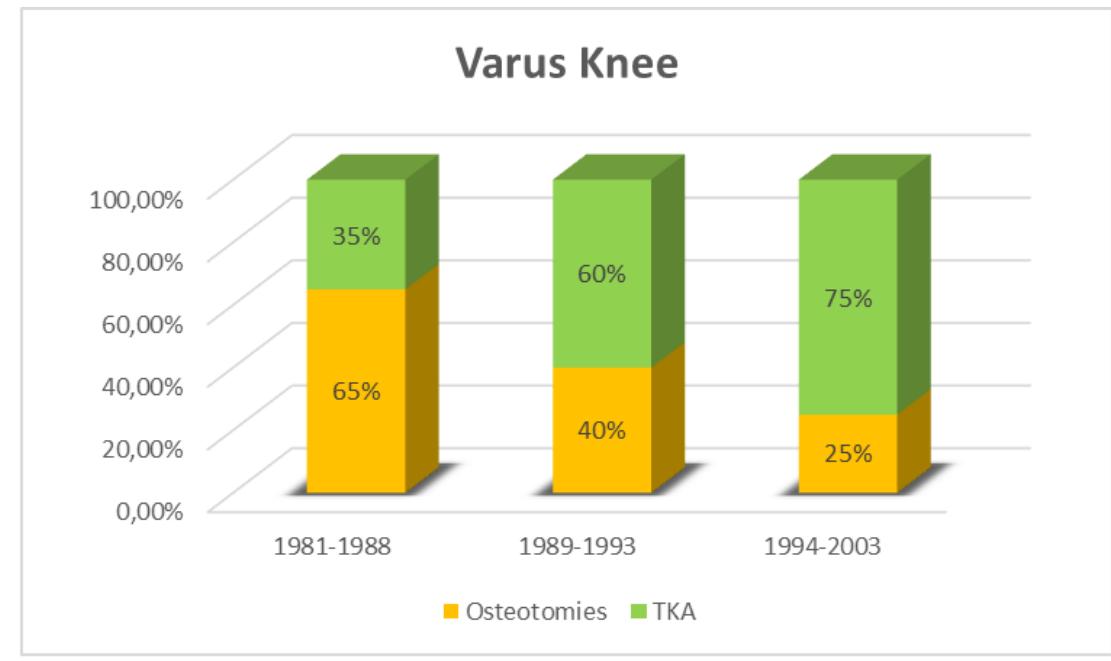
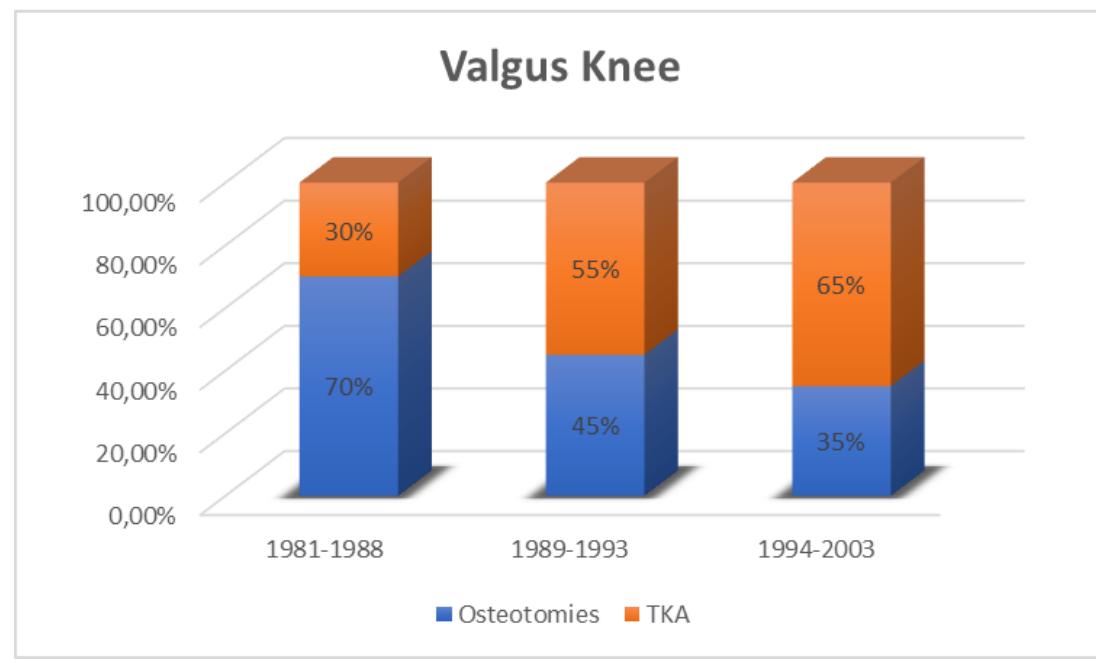
THE “RENAISSANCE” OF OSTEOTOMIES

The screenshot shows the PubMed search interface with the query "Knee osteotomy". A blue circle highlights the search bar. Another blue circle highlights the "Search results" section, which displays "Items: 1 to 20 of 3928". A third blue circle highlights the "Results by year" chart, showing a significant increase in publications over time. The page also includes a "Search Tip" box and various filtering options.



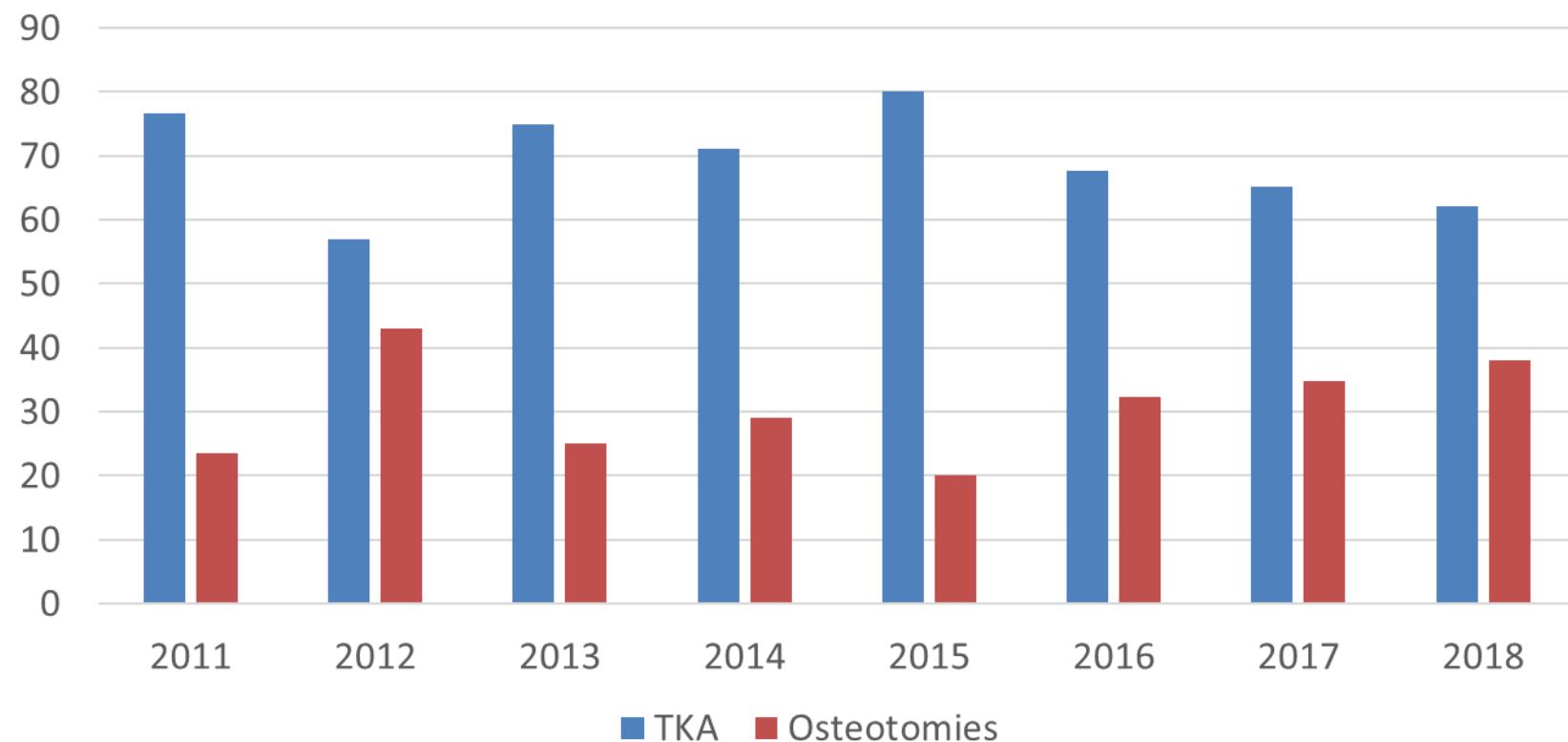
The advertisement features the logo for the "SCHOOL OF SIGASC OST OSTEOTOMY". It highlights three courses: "PERCORSO DI FORMAZIONE SULLE OSTEOTOMIE DI GINOCCHIO" (2° corso su preparato anatomico) in Verona on January 19-20, 2018; "1° Corso Teorico-Pratico sulle Osteotomie di Gino" at Istituto Ortopedico Rizzoli in Bologna on April 1, 2016; and "2° Corso Teorico-Pratico sulle Osteotomie di Gino" in Pavia on September 15, 2017. The "3° Corso Teorico-Pratico sulle Osteotomie di Ginocchio" is scheduled for December 15, 2018, in Napoli, organized by Centro Congressi Federico II. The program includes "Lesson 1: Osteotomy in the knee joint" and "Relieve pressure in the knee joint". Logos for SAKOS and other sponsors are visible.

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Valgus knee



OSTEOTOMY INDICATIONS



- Varus/Valgus knee
- Age (range 40 – 60-65)
- High activity level
- Deformity ($< \theta = 12^\circ - 15^\circ$)
- ROM $</= 5^\circ -> 120^\circ$
- OA $</= 3$ Ahlback
- Pain (varus)
- Pain and/or instability (valgus)



Noyes Classification



PRIMARY VARUS

- Constitutional varus
- +/- loss of medial substance (meniscal or chondral)



DOUBLE VARUS

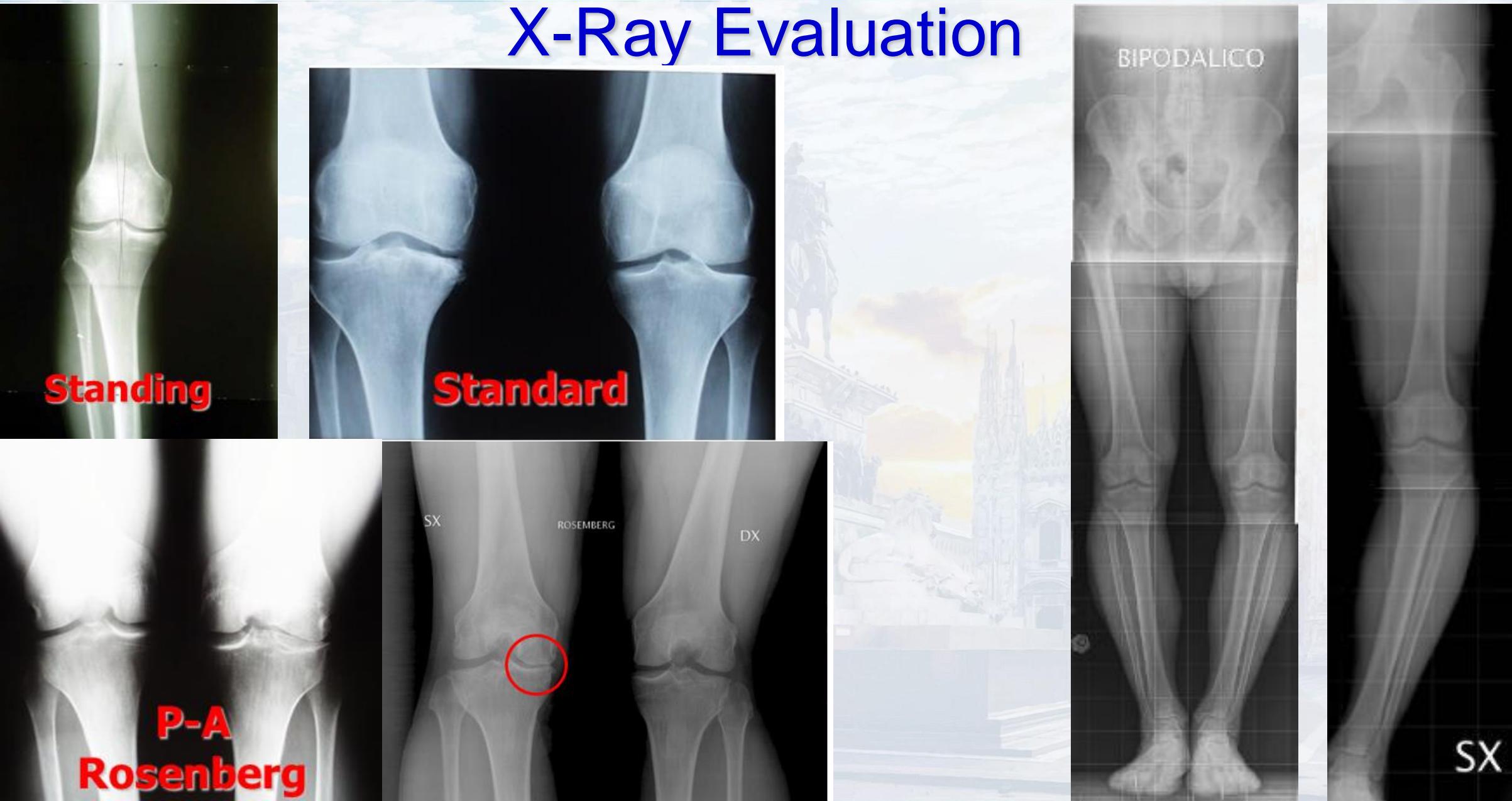
- Constitutional varus
- ACL rupture
- Separaration of the lateral compartment owing to the absence of lateral soft tissues



TRIPLE VARUS

- Constitutional varus

X-Ray Evaluation



HTO

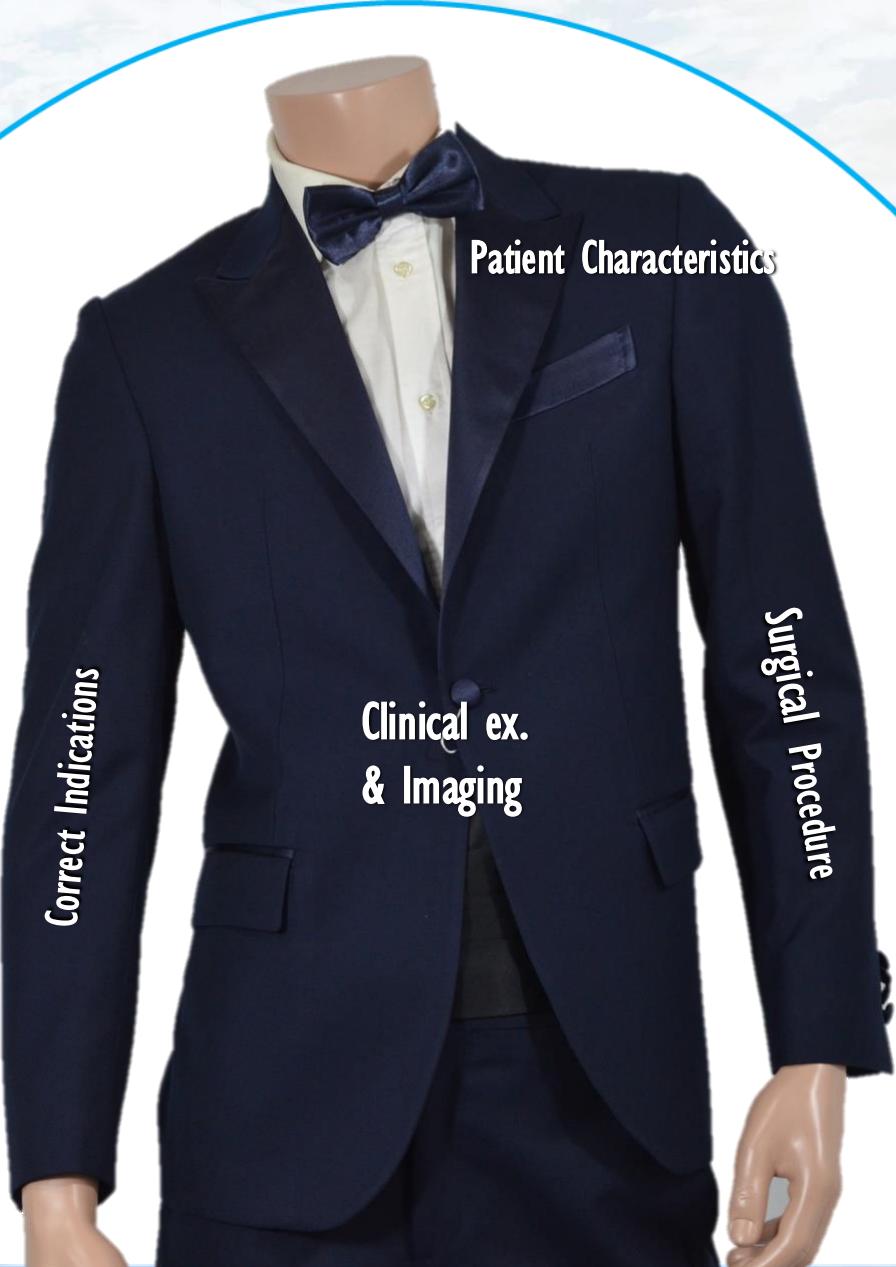


Correct Indications

Clinical ex.
& Imaging

Patient Characteristics

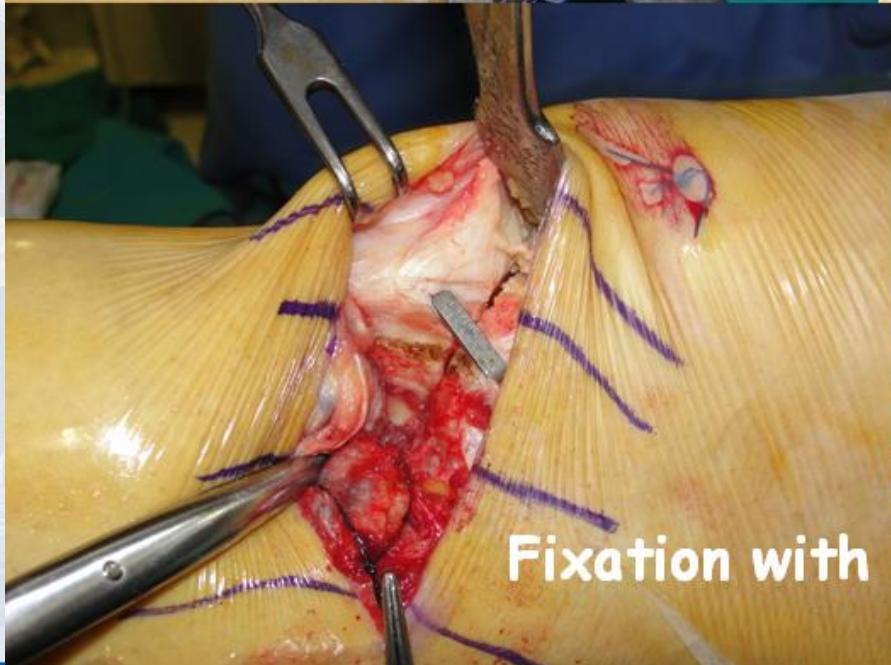
Surgical Procedure







Tibial Osteotomy



Fixation with double staple



CW – Correction accuracy



GOOD CORRECTION



BORDER-LINE



IPOCORRECTION

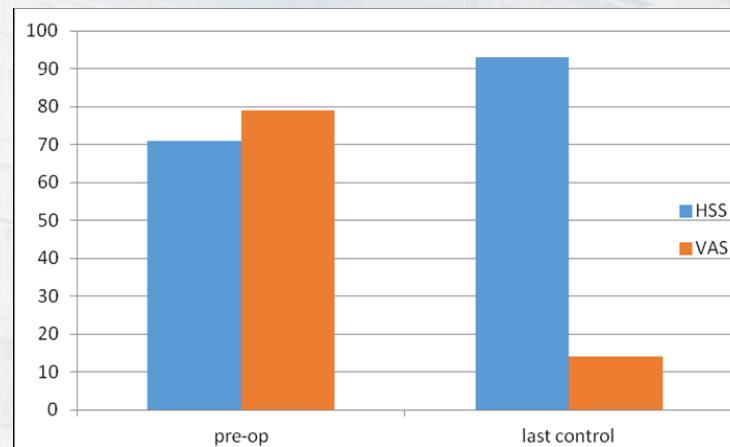
Closing Wedge – Our results

166 selected patients

82 (35 F e 47 M) evaluated patients

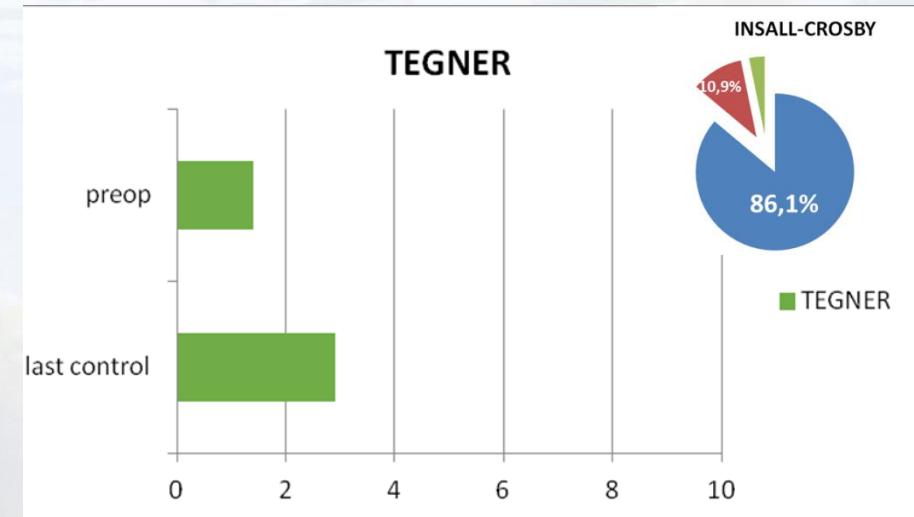
Mean age 55.32 yrs (45-73)

Mean-FU 11,96 yrs (4-28)

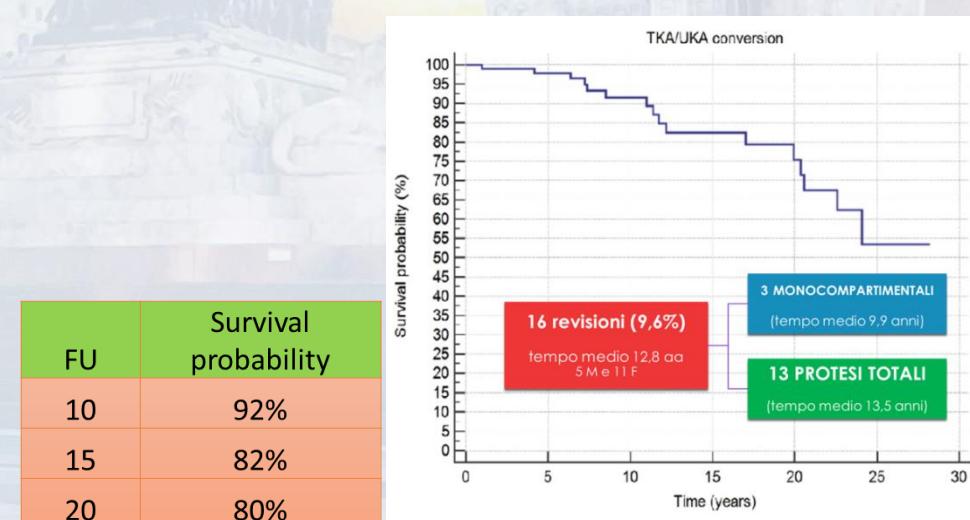


HSS: $70,87 \pm 9,3$ → $93,27 \pm 5,46$ ($p<0,05$)

VAS: $7,92 \pm 1,79$ a $1,64 \pm 1,38$ ($p<0,05$)

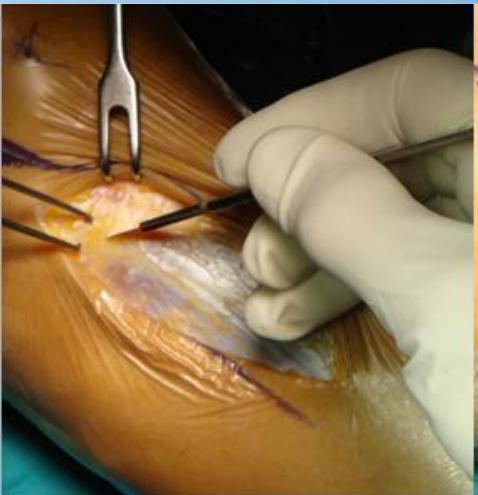


TEGNER: $1,37 \pm 0,77 \rightarrow 2,84 \pm 1,13$



Complications 5%:

- 2 delayed union
- 1 hardware removal
- 1 temporary ESP deficit



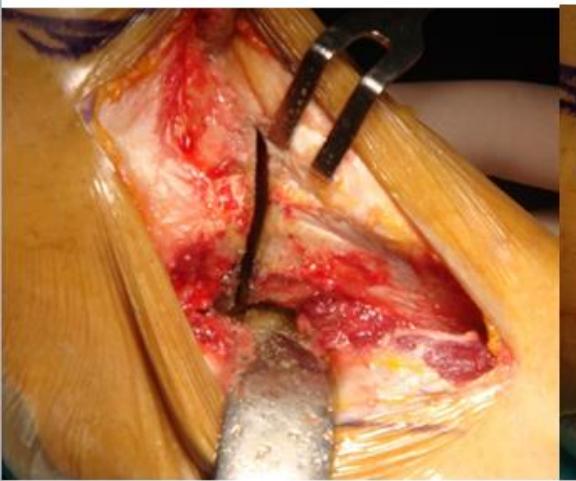
Medial Longitudinal
Skin incision



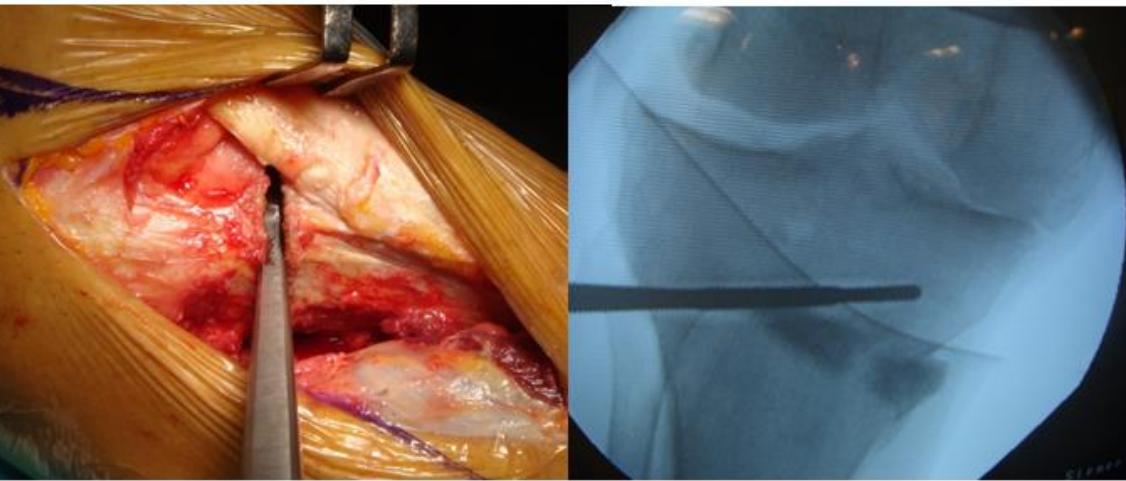
Oblique K wire positioning from medial to lateral
under fluoroscopy



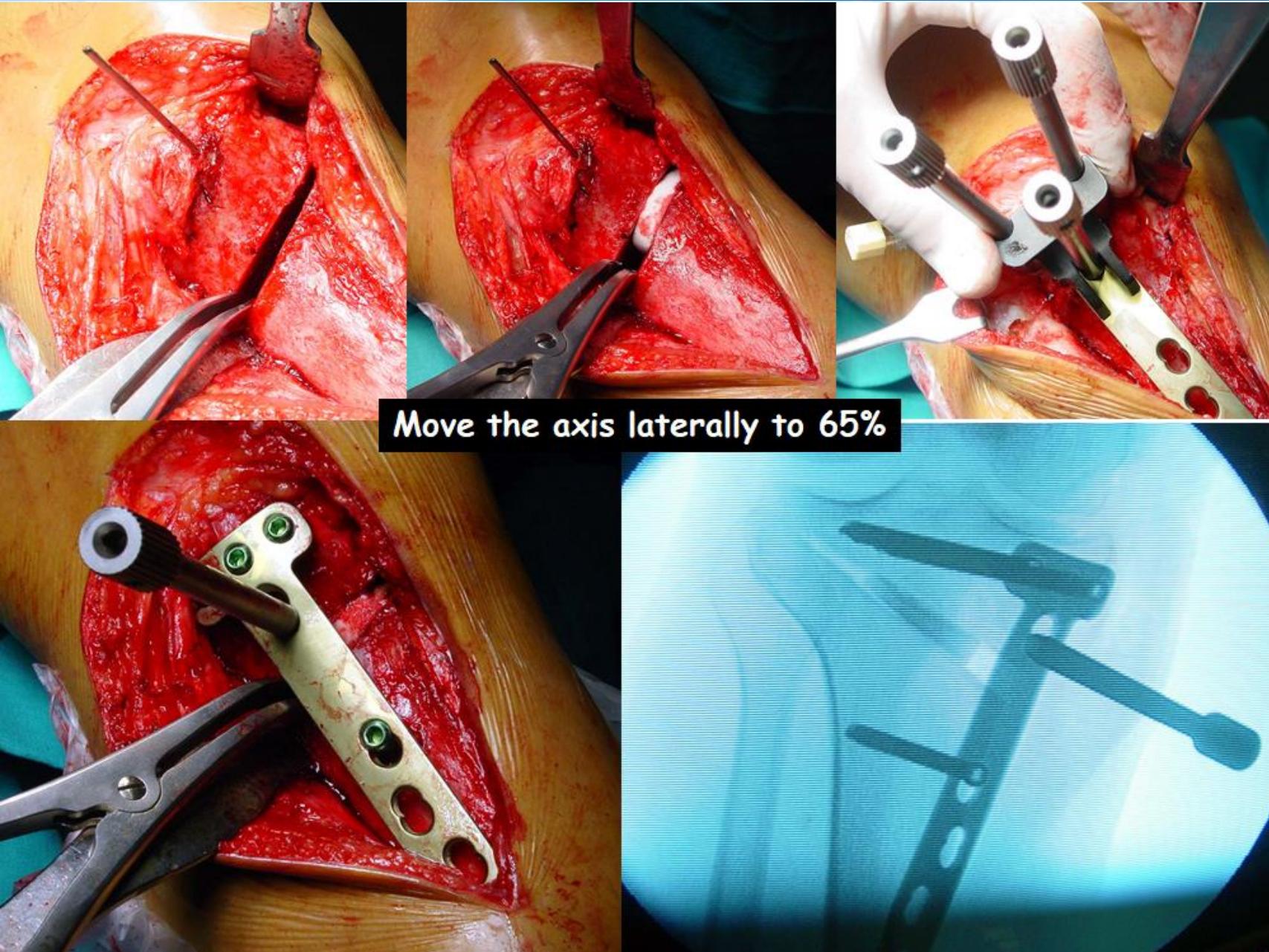
OW- Surgical technique



Osteotomy
Maintaining MCL integrity



Complete osteotomy by osteotome
under fluoroscopy maintaining lateral hinge



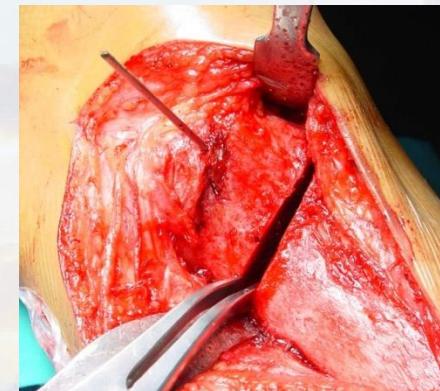
HTO in varus knee – Our indications



CW



OW



- Single-Double Varus (Noyes Classification)
- Metaphyseal varus
- Patella baja (CD<0.6)
- Excessive poster tibial slope(>10°)

- MCL laxity
- Varus Thrust (Triple Varus)
- Nomal PTS and Patellar height
- In association to other procedures (ACL reconstruction, meniscal transplant...)



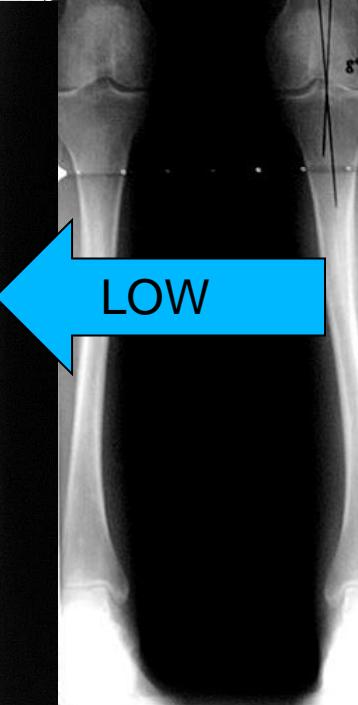
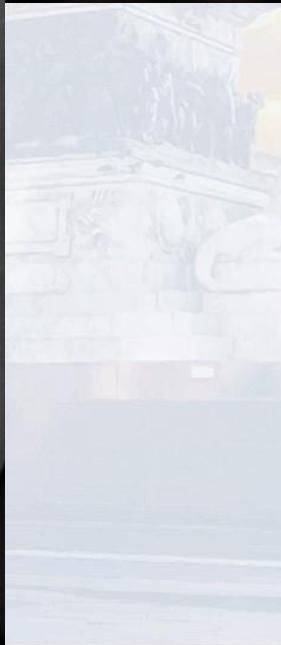
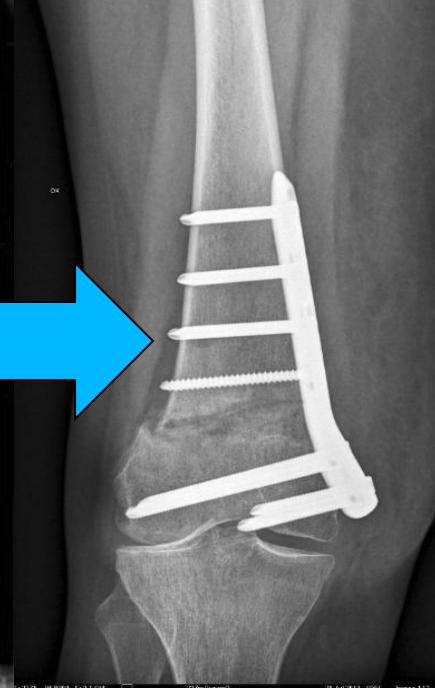
Femoral Osteotomy

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DX

MCW



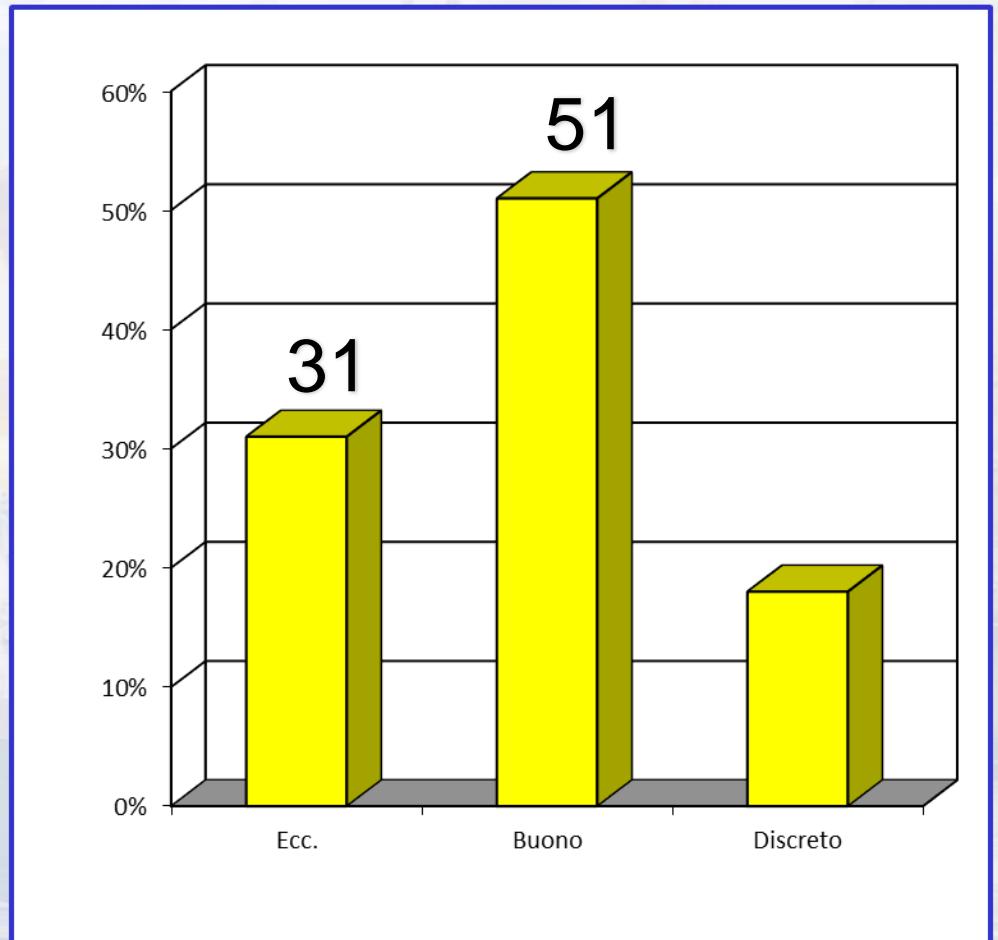
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1983 - 1993 MCW FEMORAL OSTEOTOMIES : 50

- 48 patients
- females 34 / males 15
- age :min. 59 years (range 39-77)
- preop valgus : 12° (range $5-23^\circ$)

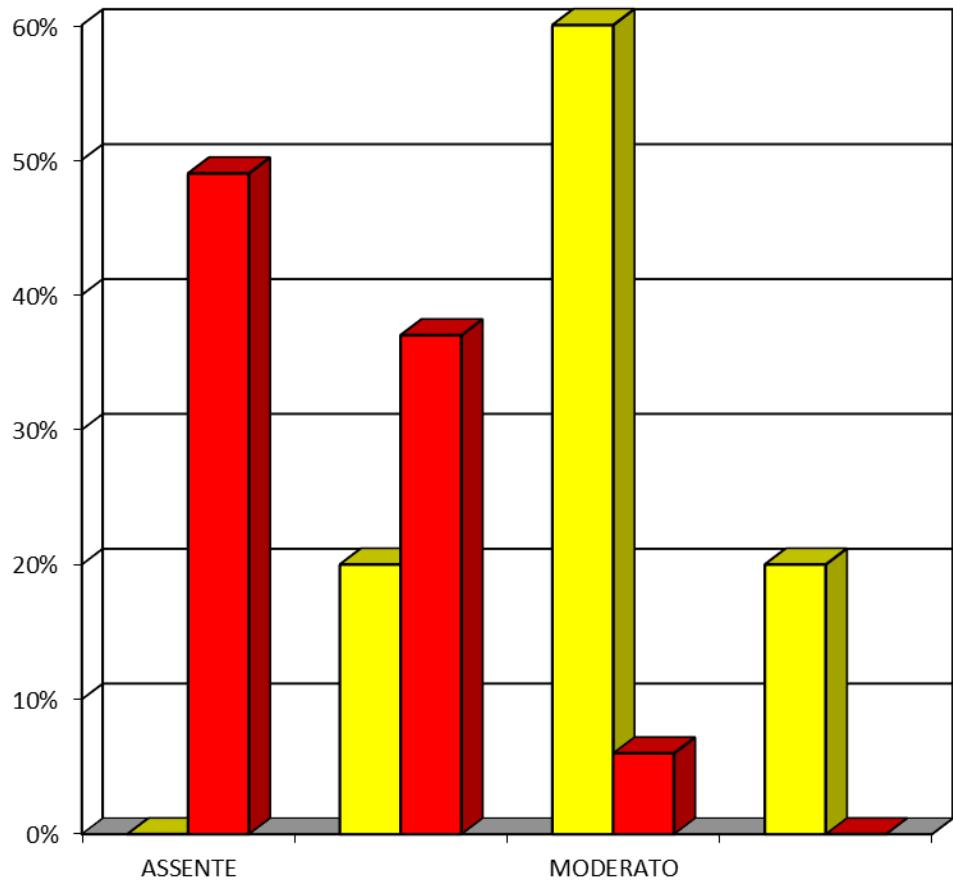
Mean Follow-Up : 8 yrs (5 – 15)

- Mean Preop HSS: 61 pt.
- Mean Postop HSS: 83 pt.



Berruto M. , Bianchi M. , Laurà G. , G.I.O.T , 1993

Results: Knee Pain and survivorship



Less pain in 83% of patients in comparison to the preoperative evaluation

■ PREOP ■ FOLLOW-UP



25 Patients FU 20 yo

- Unvaried : 5
- Worsened : 12
- TKA: 8

1994-2014

MCW FEMORAL OSTEOTOMIES : 51

- 49 patients
- females 34 / males 15
- age :mean 36 years (range 16-60)
- preop valgus : 10° (range 3-19°)

Mean Follow-Up : 7 yrs (5 – 15)

LastFU HSS: 83 pt

LastFU IKDC: 60

LastFU KOOS: 78.7

LastFU HKA :
 2.75° valgus

LastFU KSS: 88

LastFU NRS11: 4.2



Berruto M., Travi. M

S.D. (F)
42 y.o.

**11 yo - patella fracture and right femur fracture,
conservative treatment**

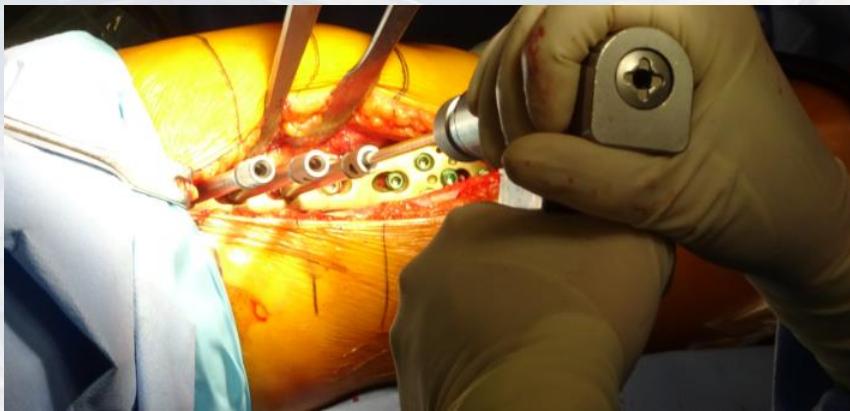
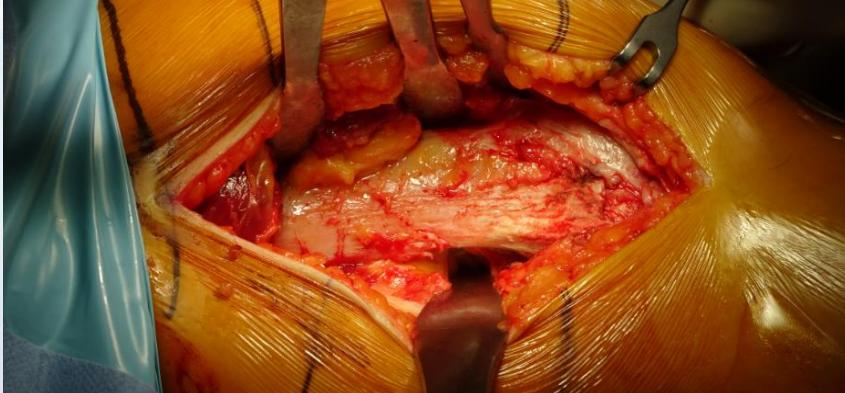
Multiples episodes of patella dislocation, lateral knee pain

**41 yo - arthroscopic lateral release
Lateral knee pain and OPI deterioration**

**Right knee: ROM 5-0-120, asymmetric
valgus, apprehension test -, J sign +,
reducible patellar tilt, no AP and varus-
valgus stress laxities**

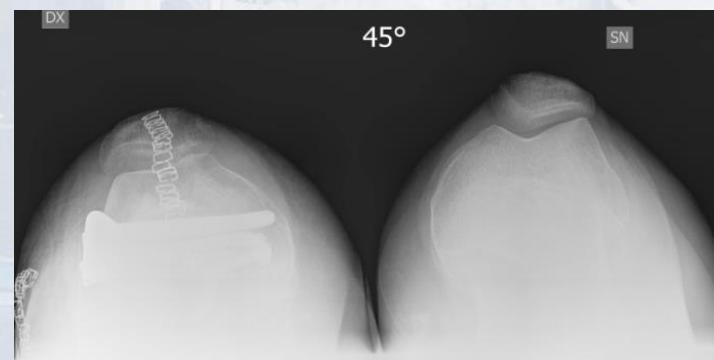


Laterl femoral osteotomy – opening wedge



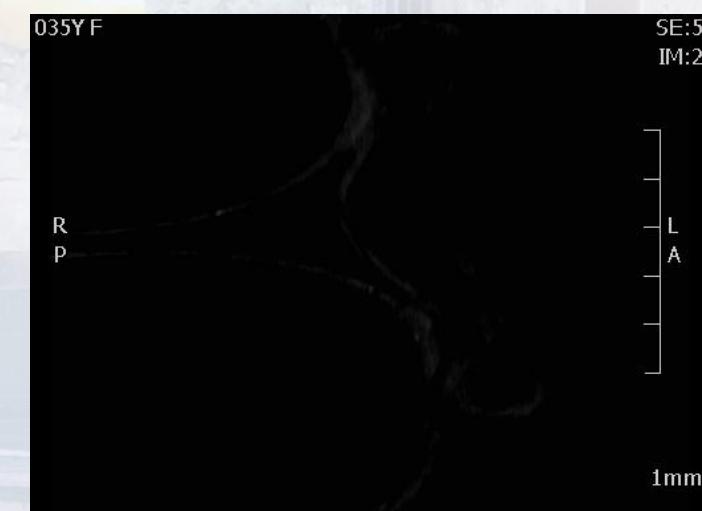
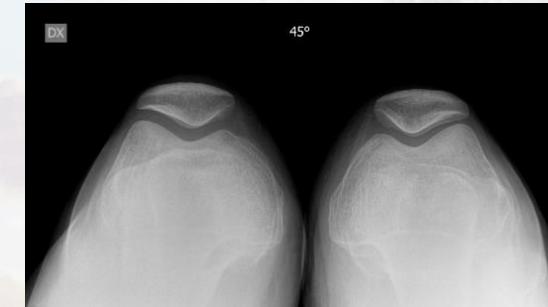
MPTL reconstruction





A.F. (F)
35 yo

Post-traumatic valgus. Right knee: 15,0° Left knee: 1,2 °
Lateral knee pain, lameness, medial compartment laxity



HTO closing wedge medial osteotomy



**Asymptomatic
Tegner 4**

Valgus:

- Right $\rightarrow 2^\circ$
- Left $\rightarrow 1^\circ$

Early osteoarthritis: medial overload

NUSURFACE

- The implant is made from polycarbonate-urethane (PCU)
- When medial meniscus wall is present
- Meniscal replacement redistributing loads transmitted across the knee joint
- Promising preliminary results



Spontaneous osteonecrosis of the knee (SPONK)

FANS (Lotke)

Available therapeutic approaches.

Magnetotherapy (Marcheggiani Muccioli)

Bisphosphonates (Jureus, Breer)

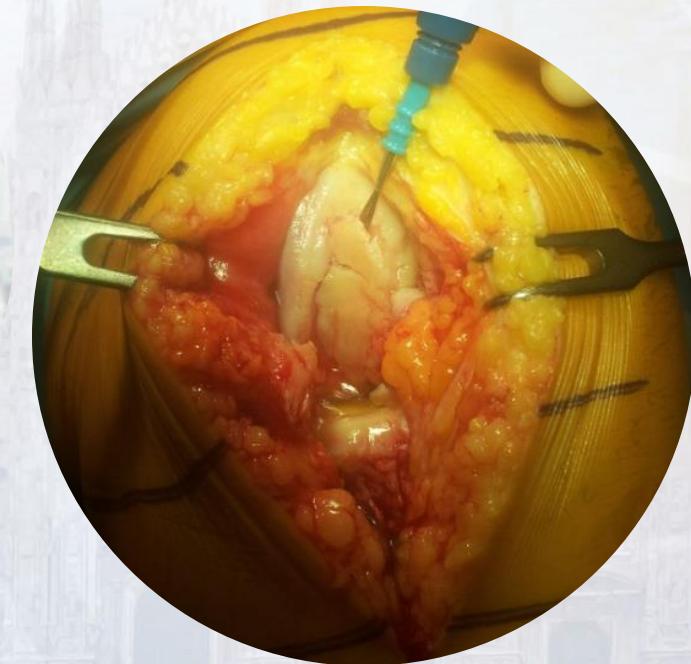
Microfractures (Akgun)

Core decompression (Forst)

OATS/Allograft (Duany, Sherman)

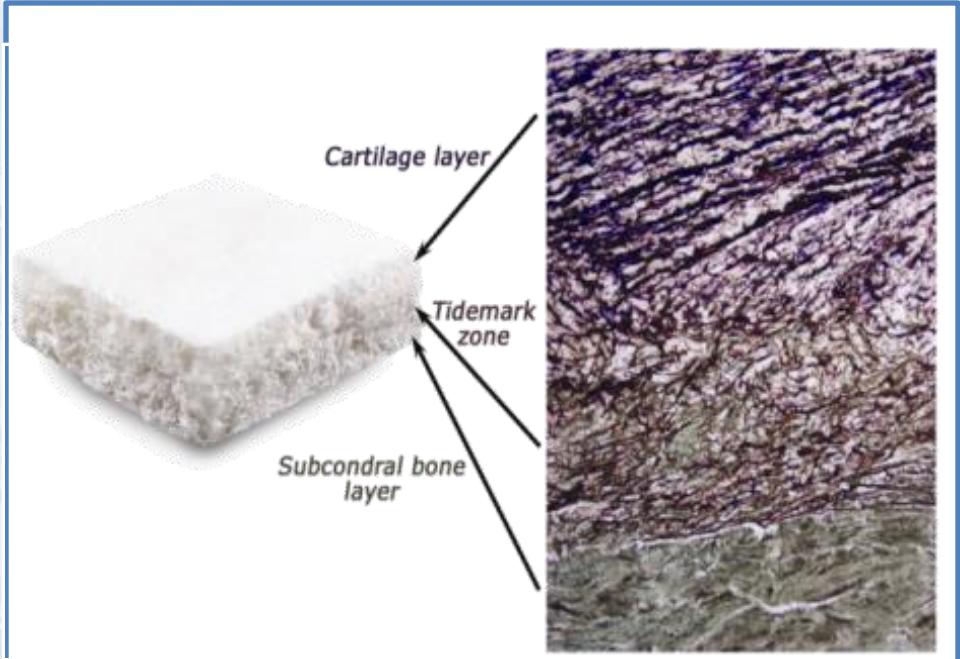
+ Tibial osteotomy (Aglietti, Takeuchi)

Uni/Total Knee Arthroplasty (Radke)



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BIOLOGICAL PROSTHESIS as ALTERNATIVE TO UNI (ON)



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OSTEONECROSIS MEDIAL FEMORAL CONDYLE

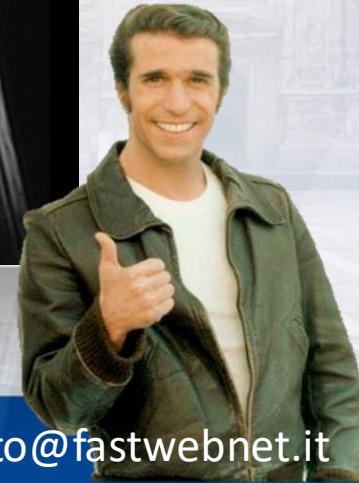
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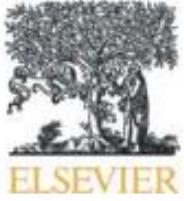


- M.P.
- Male – 50 yo
- Manager – Tegner 1
- Area $2,9 \times 1,8$
- Lysholm 53
- IKDC 22
- VAS 8

OSTEONECROSIS MEDIAL FEMORAL CONDYLE

- FU 40 / 84 /120 MONTHS
- Lysholm 100
- IKDC 90
- VAS 0





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The Knee



Can a biomimetic osteochondral scaffold be a reliable alternative to prosthetic surgery in treating late-stage SPONK?



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Population

Inclusion criteria: Active patients, under 65yo, ON Koshino grade III-IV.

Exclusion criteria: Low functional demand patients, over 65yo, secondary ON.

Minimum follow-up: 3 years (surgery procedures between 2009-2012)

SPONK group MFC: 9 patients; 5F, 4M; **52yy \pm 9** (range 35-64)

Control group OCD MFC: 14 patients; 11M, 3F; **22yy \pm 7** (range 15-43)*

** In previous studies the best results were obtained in this category*

Results

Short and medium term results are satisfactory, comparable as efficacy and safety with those obtained from the control group of patients with OCD disease, for which Maioregen was originally designed.

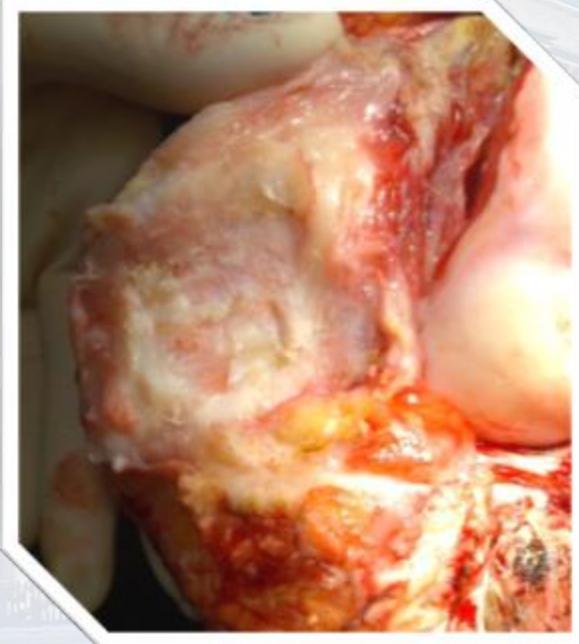
PATELLO-FEMORAL ARTHRITIS



AMIC: technique

CHIRURGIA RIGENERATIVA *Autologous Matrix Induced Chondrogenesis*

- Micro -Fx associated with a collagenic membrane stabilizing and protecting the super-clot (one step)
- Arthrotomic technique
- Possibly arthroscopic for trochlear lesions (Hyalofast)



*Exposition and preparation
of the lesion*



*Sizing of the
membrane*



Microfractures



*Implant of the
scaffold*

AMIC: surgical indications

- Patella (chondral-osteochondral) > 2,5 cm²
- Symptomatic lesions non responding to conservative treatment
- Post-traumatic (chondral)
- Lateral facet or distal pole localizations
- In symptomatic PPI (very selected cases) (associating anatomic factors correction)
- In OPI already treated for instability with residual pain related to chondral lesion
- In treating concomitant OPI and cartilage lesions (???)
- OCD (rare)



AMIC: Material and methods

10 patients: 3 females, 7 males

- **Isolated symptomatic chondral lesion of the patella**
- 5 posttraumatic
- 3 related to instability
- 2 overuse/degenerative

Associated procedures:

- 1 lateral release
- 1 tibia osteotomy
- 1 Maioregen LFC + MPFL reconstruction (LARS)

Mean age: 41,90 years(36-49)

Mean FU: 4,43 years (1,68-8,84)

Mean Lesion Area: 4,61 cm² (0,81 -6,00)

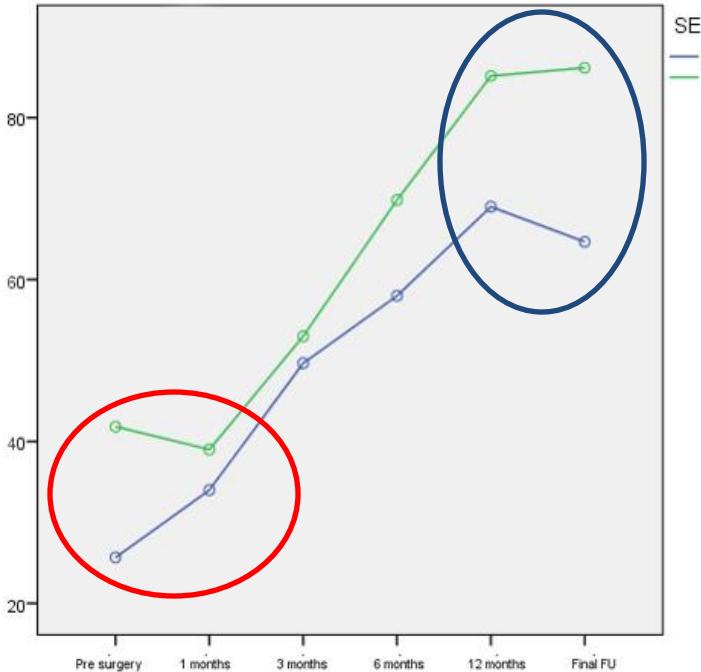


Inclusion criteria:

- FU> 18 months
- No previous patellar cartilage surgeries
- Age min 16 ; max 50
- ICRS stage 3-4 isolated patellar lesion

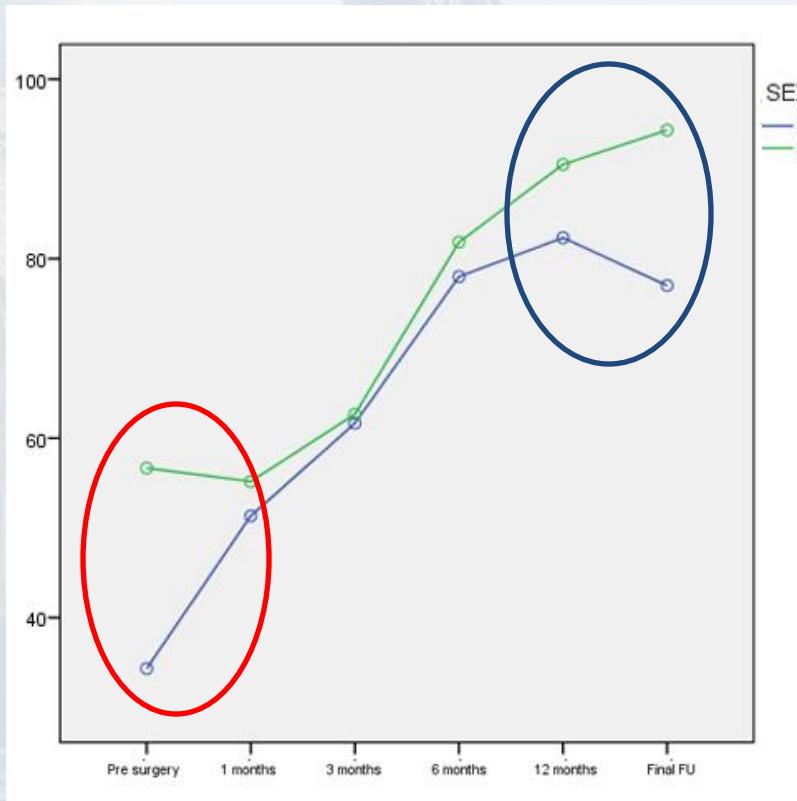
AMIC: sex subgroup analysis

IKDC score

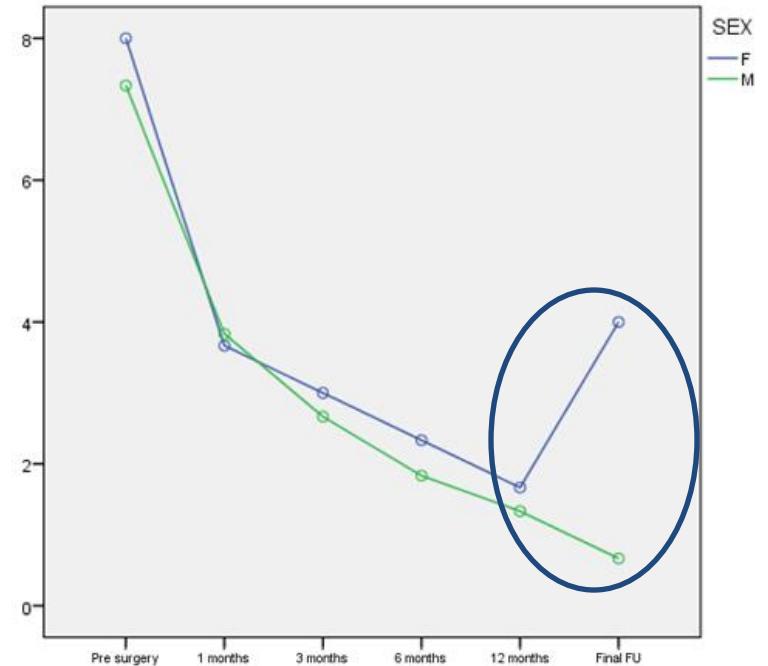


Significant lower score in females

Kujala score



VAS score



No significant difference, but worse trend in female patients

Risultati

Berruto et. al (2017)



Dhollander et. al (2014)



Sadlik et al. (2017)

All-Arthroscopic Autologous Matrix-Induced Chondrogenesis-Aided Repair of a Patellar Cartilage Defect Using Dry Arthroscopy and a Retraction System

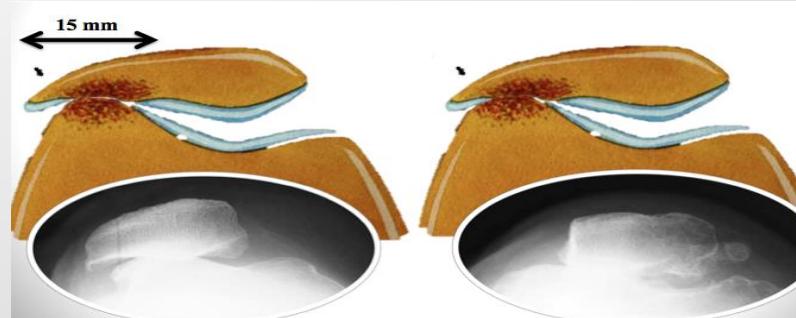
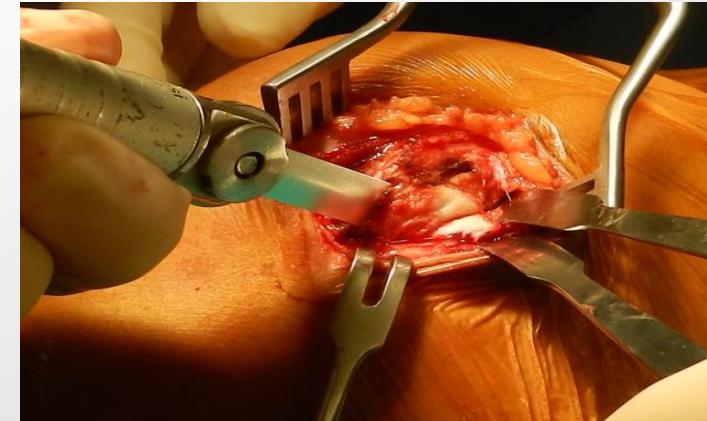
Population			
• N. cases	10	10	12
• Age (years)	41,90 +4,72	37,2+ 7,1	36 (22-52)
• Sex	7 M ; 3 F	8 M ; 2 F	7 M ; 5
• Lesion size (cm ²)	4,62 + 2,01	4,2 + 1,9	/
• Localization	10 patella	8 patella 2 trochlea	12 patella
• FU (years)	4,68 (1,68-8,83)	2	3 (2-6)
• Surgical techniques	Microfractures + Chondro-gide (fibrin glue)	Microdrilling + Chondro-gide (sutures)	Microfractures + Chondro-gide (fibrin glue) Dry-arthroscopy
• Scores	Mean Kujala pre-op: 48.60 + 14.82 Mean Kujala F-FU: 88.56 + 14.32 Mean VAS pre-op: 7.67 + 1.43 Mean VAS F-FU: 2.33 + 2.22 Mean IKDC pre-op: 36.10 Mean IKDC post-op: 79.00	Mean Kujala pre-op: 41.9+15.1 Mean Kujala F-FU: 59.8+21.2 Mean VAS pre-op: 7.39 + 2.08 Mean VAS pre-op: 3.94+2.88 /	/



CHIRURGIA NON PROTESICA

FACCETTECTOMIA VERTICALE ESTERNA

- *Yercan, CORR 2005:* 11 pazienti con buon risultato clinico a 14 anni-KSS da 150 a 176
- *Paulos, Arthroscopy 2008:* 66 ginocchia- 80% dei pazienti migliorati a 5 anni (+allungamento LPFL)
- *Wetzel, Knee 2012:*
50% di mantenimento scores clinici a 10 anni (155 pazienti)



CHIRURGIA PONTE



- **Biology**
- **Prevention**
- **Less aggressive in indications (surgery cannot resolve all the problems)**
- **Less invasive and more anatomical surgery**
- **Be carefull in the choice of materials**
- **And never forget**



There is no problem
that cannot be made
worse by surgery.

Jack C. Hughston, M.D.

