Trial Description

Title
Supplementary arthrolysis of the proximal interphalangeal joint of fingers in operative treatment of Dupuytren's contracture

Trial Acronym
arthrolysis of the proximal interphalangeal joint

URL of the trial
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Brief Summary in Lay Language
Clinical follow-up of 33 patients with Dupuytren's flexion contracture of fingers who were treated operatively between January 2012 and December 2014 by supplementary arthrolysis of the proximal interphalangeal (PIP) joint beside fasciectomy. The current joint position of the PIP joint will be measured with a goniometer, satisfaction with the result will be documented on a visual analogue scale (0-10 points) and the DASH (Disabilities of the Arm, Shoulder and Hand) score will be calculated. The data will be compared to preoperative data retrospectively.

Brief Summary in Scientific Language
In the surgical treatment of Dupuytren's flexion contracture of the finger in some cases a flexion contracture of the proximal interphalangeal (PIP) joint remains after removal of the diseased connective tissue. This is a consequence of chronic flexion and is caused by shortening, shrinkage and bonding of the surrounding joint structures. So far, there are few studies that deal with the results for a supplementary arthrolysis of the PIP joint [1-7].

33 patients with Dupuytren's flexion contracture, in which a supplementary arthrolysis of the PIP joint was performed beside partial fasciectomy will be followed up clinically for an average of 22 months.

References

Organizational Data

- DRKS-ID: DRKS00008564
- Date of Registration in DRKS: 2015/05/20
- Date of Registration in Partner Registry or other Primary Registry: [---]*
- Investigator Sponsored/Initiated Trial (IST/IIT): yes
- Ethics Approval/Approval of the Ethics Committee: Approved
- (leading) Ethics Committee Nr.: 15-124, Ethik-Kommission der Medizinischen Fakultät der Universität zu Köln

Secondary IDs

- ICD10: M72.0 - Palmar fascial fibromatosis [Dupuytren]

Health condition or Problem studied

- Arm 1: Observational study: Clinical follow-up of 33 patients with Dupuytren’s flexion contracture of fingers who were treated operatively between January 2012 and December 2014 by supplementary arthrolysis of the proximal interphalangeal (PIP) joint beside fasciectomy after an average of 22 months. The current joint position of the PIP joint will be measured with a goniometer, satisfaction with the result will be documented on a visual analogue scale (0-10 points) and the DASH (Disabilities of the Arm, Shoulder and Hand) score will be calculated. The data will be compared to preoperative data retrospectively.

Interventions/Observational Groups

- Study Type: Non-interventional
- Study Type Non-Interventional: Observational study
- Allocation: Single arm study
- Blinding: [---]*
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Blinding: [--]*
- Who is blinded: [--]*
- Control: **Uncontrolled/Single arm**
- Purpose: **Treatment**
- Assignment: **Single (group)**
- Phase: **N/A**
- Off-label use (Zulassungsüberschreitende Anwendung eines Arzneimittels): **N/A**

**Primary Outcome**

Measurement of the current joint position of the PIP joint with a goniometer.

**Secondary Outcome**

Documentation of satisfaction with the result of the operation by a visual analogue scale (0-10 points); calculation of the DASH (Disabilities of the Arm, Shoulder and Hand) score; comparison of the data to preoperative data.

**Countries of recruitment**

- **DE Germany**

**Locations of Recruitment**

- University Medical Center **Köln**
- Medical Center **Elbe Klinikum Stade, Stade**

**Recruitment**

- Planned/Actual: **Actual**
- (Anticipated or Actual) Date of First Enrollment: **2015/06/02**
- Target Sample Size: **33**
- Monocenter/Multicenter trial: **Multicenter trial**
- National/International: **National**
Inclusion Criteria

- Gender: Both, male and female
- Minimum Age: 18 Years
- Maximum Age: no maximum age

Additional Inclusion Criteria

33 patients with Dupuytren's flexion contracture of fingers who were treated operatively between January 2012 and December 2014 by supplementary arthrolysis of the proximal interphalangeal (PIP) joint beside fasciectomy.

Exclusion criteria

none

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Status

- Recruitment Status: Recruiting complete, follow-up complete  
- Study Closing (LPLV): 2015/06/30

Trial Publications, Results and other documents


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