

# Endovenous laser ablation (EVLA), radio frequency (RF), foam sclerotherapy and stripping for treatment of varicose veins

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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# Study information

## Scientific Title

A randomised controlled trial of endovenous laser ablation (EVLA), radio frequency (RF), foam sclerotherapy and stripping for treatment of varicose veins

## Acronym

SOL

## Study objectives

Endovenous laser ablation (EVLA), radio frequency (RF), foam sclerotherapy and stripping for the treatment of varicose veins all have equal outcomes.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Regional ethics committee approved of this trial prior to first patient enrolment.

## Study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a patient information sheet

## Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Varicose veins

## Interventions

1. Surgery: high ligation and stripping plus stab phlebectomies
2. Endovenous laser ablation plus phlebectomies
3. Radiofrequency ablation plus phlebectomies
4. Ultrasound guided foam sclerotherapy plus phlebectomies

Duration of treatments: 1 hour

Duration of follow up: 5 years

**Intervention Type**

Other

**Phase**

Not Applicable

**Primary outcome measure**

Recurrent varicose veins after surgery (REVAS), measured at baseline, 1 month, 12 months, yearly thereafter for a total of 5 years.

**Secondary outcome measures**

Measured at baseline, 1 month, 12 months, yearly thereafter for a total of 5 years:

1. Quality of life
2. Varicose vein severity score (VVSS)

**Overall study start date**

01/01/2007

**Completion date**

01/01/2012

**Eligibility****Key inclusion criteria**

1. Varicose veins due to greater saphenous vein (GSV) insufficiency
2. Aged greater than or equal to 18 years, to an upper limit of 75 years, either sex

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

500

**Total final enrolment**

500

**Key exclusion criteria**

Aged below 18 and above 75 years

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/2007

**Date of final enrolment**

01/01/2012

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

Denmark

**Study participating centre**

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**Organisation**

Danish National Health Insurance (Denmark)

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**Sponsor type**

Government

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Government

**Funder Name**

Danish National Health Insurance (Denmark)

# Results and Publications

## Publication and dissemination plan

Not provided at time of registration

## Intention to publish date

## Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

## IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/08/2011	11/07/2019	Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/10/2013	11/07/2019	Yes	No