# Results of tape locking screw device used in anterior cruciate ligament reconstruction: 2 years follow-up

Submission date	Recruitment status	Prospectively registered
02/04/2020	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
29/04/2020	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	Individual participant data
29/04/2020	Injury, Occupational Diseases, Poisoning	Record updated in last year

## Plain English summary of protocol

Background and study aims

The anterior cruciate ligament (ACL) is a tough band of tissue joining the thigh bone to the shin bone at the knee joint. ACL injuries can be treated with reconstructive surgery removing what remains of the torn ligament and replacing it with a tendon from another area of the leg, such as the hamstring. The aim of this study is to collect clinical follow-up data of the Tape Locking Screw™ (TLS™) technique in ACL reconstruction.

Who can participate?
Patients with an ACL injury

What does the study involve?

All patients undergo surgery with the Tape Locking Screw (TLS™) technique. There are clinical follow-ups at 1 and 2 years after the surgery, patients also filled in questionnaires.

What are the possible benefits and risks of participating?
Possible benefits include a stable knee. Possible risks are operative risks including infection.

Where is the study run from? Orton Orthopaedic Hospital (Finland)

When is the study starting and how long is it expected to run for? September 2007 to July 2012

Who is funding the study?
Orton research grants by the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health (Finland)

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# Additional identifiers

#### **EudraCT/CTIS** number

Nil known

#### **IRAS** number

## ClinicalTrials.gov number

Nil known

# Secondary identifying numbers

Nil known

# Study information

#### Scientific Title

Results of Tape Locking Screw™ in anterior cruciate ligament reconstruction: 2 years follow-up

# Study objectives

This study is collecting clinical follow-up data of the Tape Locking Screw™ (TLS™) technique.

# Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

# Ethics approval(s)

Approved 11/11/2015, The Hospital District of Helsinki and Uusimaa Operative Ethics Committee (Tynnyrintekijänkatu 1 C, Helsinki, Finland; +358 (0)50 428 7838; keskuskirjaamo@hus.fi), ref: 364/13/03/02/2015. TMK02 §219

# Study design

#### Single-centre prospective clinical trial

#### Primary study design

Interventional

#### Secondary study design

Non randomised study

#### Study setting(s)

Hospital

# Study type(s)

Treatment

#### Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use contact details to request a participant information sheet.

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

Anterior cruciate ligament injury

#### **Interventions**

137 consecutive patients with an ACL injury were enrolled to be operated on with the TLS™ technique. Every ACL reconstruction was performed by the same orthopedic surgeon (AH) during the time period of November 2007 to July 2012. The results of Lysholm score, Tegner score, laxity, Lachmann test and pivot-shift tests were recorded at 1- and 2- years of follow-up. Patients were allocated consecutively in a single-centre hospital Orton in Helsinki Finland between November 2007 and July 2012. Clinical controls were at 1 and 2 years postoperatively.

#### **Intervention Type**

Procedure/Surgery

#### Primary outcome measure

Stability of the operated knee measured with Lachman, pivot-shift, and anteroposterior knee laxity tests, preoperative and at 1- and 2-year follow-ups

## Secondary outcome measures

Patient satisfaction measured with Tegner, Lysholm, patellofemoral scores and IKDC questionnaires, preoperative and at 1- and 2-year follow-ups

# Overall study start date

30/09/2007

## Completion date

30/07/2012

# **Eligibility**

# Key inclusion criteria

Patients with ACL injury

## Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

#### Age group

Mixed

#### Sex

Both

# Target number of participants

The minimal target recruitment number was 120 patients

#### Total final enrolment

137

# Key exclusion criteria

Does not meet inclusion criteria

#### Date of first enrolment

01/11/2007

#### Date of final enrolment

15/07/2012

# Locations

#### Countries of recruitment

Finland

# Study participating centre Orton Orthopaedic Hospital

Tenholantie 10 Helsinki Finland 00280

# Sponsor information

## Organisation

**ORTON Orthopaedic Hospital** 

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#### Sponsor type

Hospital/treatment centre

#### Website

http://www.orton.fi

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Government

#### **Funder Name**

Sosiaali- ja Terveysministeriö

#### Alternative Name(s)

Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, Social- och Hälsovårdsministeriet

#### **Funding Body Type**

Government organisation

## **Funding Body Subtype**

National government

#### Location

**Finland** 

# **Results and Publications**

# Publication and dissemination plan

Planned publication in spring 2020.

# Intention to publish date

31/05/2020

# Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

The datasets generated during and/or analysed during the current study are/will be available upon request from Arsi Harilainen (arsi.harilainen@orton.fi).

# IPD sharing plan summary

Available on request