

# A double-blind randomised controlled trial comparing porcine dermal collagen patch saphenoplasty with conventional saphenofermoral ligation to prevent recurrent saphenofemoral incompetence

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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**Protocol serial number**  
6006

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

A double-blind randomised controlled trial comparing porcine dermal collagen patch saphenoplasty with conventional saphenofemoral ligation to prevent recurrent saphenofemoral incompetence

**Study objectives**

The study aims to compare the use of porcine dermal collagen patch saphenoplasty with standard saphenofemoral flush ligation in primary and recurrent varicose vein surgery. Post-operative subjective and objective measures of presence and severity of varicosity recurrence shall be compared. This shall be the first study to establish the efficacy of Permacol™ in this setting, and shall use the following endpoints to test the given null hypothesis.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

MREC approved, ref: 06/Q1105/27

**Study design**

Multicentre non-randomised observational case-control study

**Primary study design**

Observational

**Study type(s)**

Diagnostic

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

Topic: Generic Health Relevance and Cross Cutting Themes; Subtopic: Generic Health Relevance (all Subtopics); Disease: Surgery

**Interventions**

1. Imaging investigations (non-radiation): Patients need to undergo a handheld Doppler ultrasound examination of the saphenofemoral junction to document the presence of radiologically apparent recurrence.
2. Other examinations: Patients shall be clinically examined for evidence of recurrent varicose veins
3. Questionnaire: A research nurse assessor, blinded to the technique used, shall administer a questionnaire at 1 and 5 years follow-up

**Intervention Type**

Procedure/Surgery

**Phase**

Not Applicable

**Primary outcome(s)**

50% reduction in the clinical presence of recurrence at 5 years.

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Annual clinical recurrence rates
2. Local complication rate - fistula, haematoma, groin wound infection
3. Radiographically demonstrable recurrence rates at 1 year and 5 years
4. Serious adverse event rates
5. 36-item short form health survey (SF-36) and EUROQOL questionnaire scores
6. Visual analogue pain scores

**Completion date**

09/07/2011

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

10/07/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

09/07/2011

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

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# Sponsor information

## Organisation

Northern Lincolnshire and Goole Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (UK)

## ROR

<https://ror.org/01ep18d71>

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Industry

## Funder Name

Tissue Science Laboratories PLC (UK)

# Results and Publications

## Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

## IPD sharing plan summary

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