# Comparison of fasciotomy with fasciectomy in the treatment of Dupuytren's contracture

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12/09/2003 No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
12/09/2003 Completed	Results
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### Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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### Type(s)

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### Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

N0237086821

### Study information

### Scientific Title

### Study objectives

To compare the long term outcomes of treatment of palmar bands with metacarpophalangeal joint (MCPJ) contracture by fasciotomy with fasciectomy.

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Not provided at time of registration

### Study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Study setting(s)

Not specified

### Study type(s)

**Not Specified** 

### Participant information sheet

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

Musculoskeletal Diseases: Dupuytren's disease

#### **Interventions**

Patients will be randomised to undergo either fasciotomy or fasciectomy. Both procedures will be performed under general anaesthetic with an upper arm tourniquet as a day case, unless contraindicated, in which case admission will be arranged. Both procedures will be performed through 'zig-zag' palmar incisions ensuring identification and protection of the digital nerves.

### Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

**Not Specified** 

#### Primary outcome measure

There are currently no prospective studies comparing fasciotomy with fasciectomy for patients requiring surgery for palmar Dupuytren's with MCPJ contracture. Currently both procedures are

performed in our unit according to the surgeons preference. Previous retrospective studies have shown benefits of fasciotomy for MCPJ contracture.

Study endpoints: 5 year follow-up observing any disease recurrence and the degree of improvement of MCPJ contracture.

### Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

### Overall study start date

01/01/2001

### Completion date

31/12/2008

### **Eligibility**

### Key inclusion criteria

Recruitment will be from new referrals from out patient clinics. Patients will be included if they are >35 years with palmar Dupuytren's causing contracture at the metacarpophalangeal joint (MCPJ) which interferes with hand function.

### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

### Age group

Adult

#### Sex

**Not Specified** 

### Target number of participants

Not provided at time of registration

### Key exclusion criteria

Not provided at time of registration

#### Date of first enrolment

01/01/2001

### Date of final enrolment

31/12/2008

### Locations

### Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

## Study participating centre Consultant

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### Sponsor information

### Organisation

Department of Health (UK)

### Sponsor details

Richmond House 79 Whitehall London United Kingdom SW1A 2NL

### Sponsor type

Government

### Website

http://www.doh.gov.uk

### Funder(s)

### Funder type

Government

### Funder Name

St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

### **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