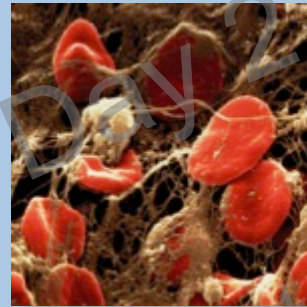
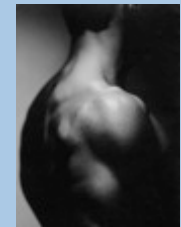


Scientific Principles of Rotator Cuff Repair: Biology?



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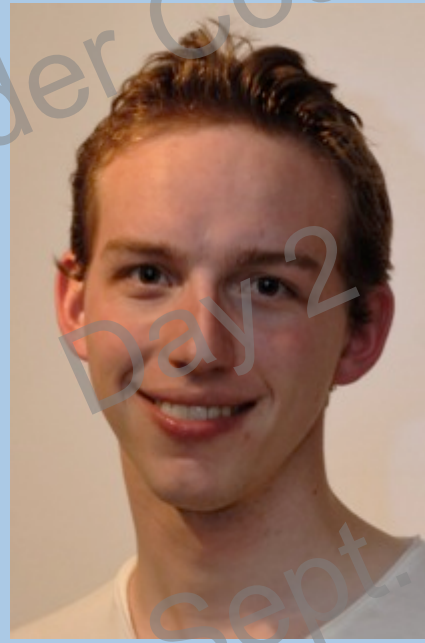
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TOP TEAM: TOP COLLABORATORS



B. Moor



M. Kuenzler



M. Schaer

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BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- ..the origin of a tear



- ...the healing rate after repair

FACTORS

Extrinsic

Intrinsic

to the muscotendinous chain

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BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient



Yamaguchi K, JBJS A: 2006

Galatz L, JBJS A: 2006

Boileau P, JBJS A: 2005

Lichtenberg S, KSSTA, 2006

BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient
- Smoking



Mallon WJ, JSES A: 2004

BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient
- Smoking
- **NSAID**

**NSAID decreases
the ultimate load
to failure**



Cohen DB, AJSM: 2006

BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient
- Smoking
- NSAID
- **Diabetes mellitus**
- **Hypercholesterolemia**

Bedi A et al. JSES, 2010

Abboud et al., Clin Orthop Rel Research, 2010

BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient
- Smoking
- NSAID
- Diabetes mellitus
- Hypercholesterolemia
- **Vit. D deficiency**



Angeline ME et al. AJSM, 2014

BIOLOGIC FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE...

- Age of the patient
- Smoking
- NSAID
- Diabetes mellitus
- Hypercholesterolemia
- Vit. D deficiency
- **Fluoroquinolones**

Fox AJ, Schaer M et al. AJSM, 2014

FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THE HEALING RATE

Extrinsic

Intrinsic

to the muscotendinous chain

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BIOLOGIC PROPERTIES

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2. Insertion & tendon
3. Muscle



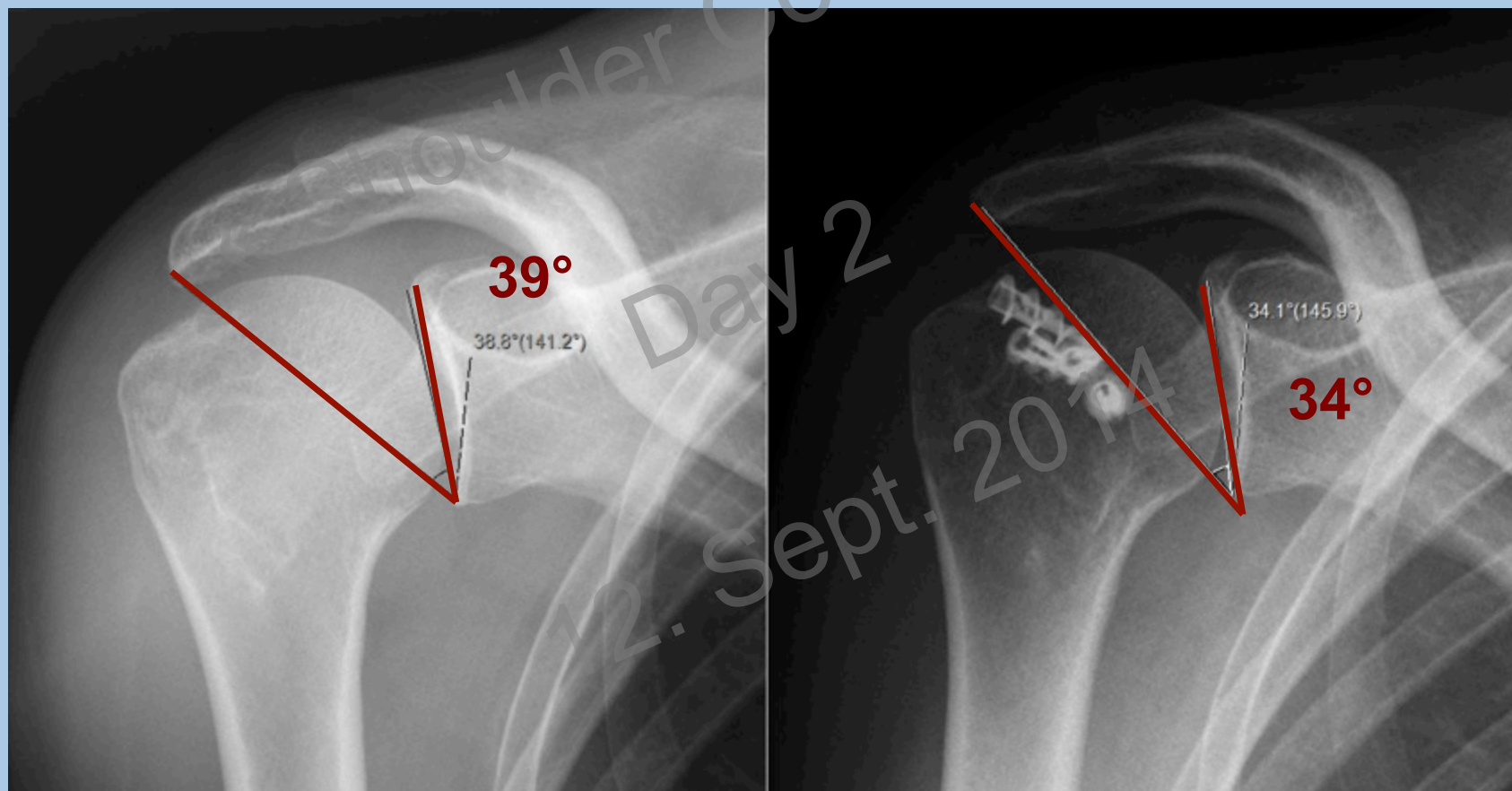
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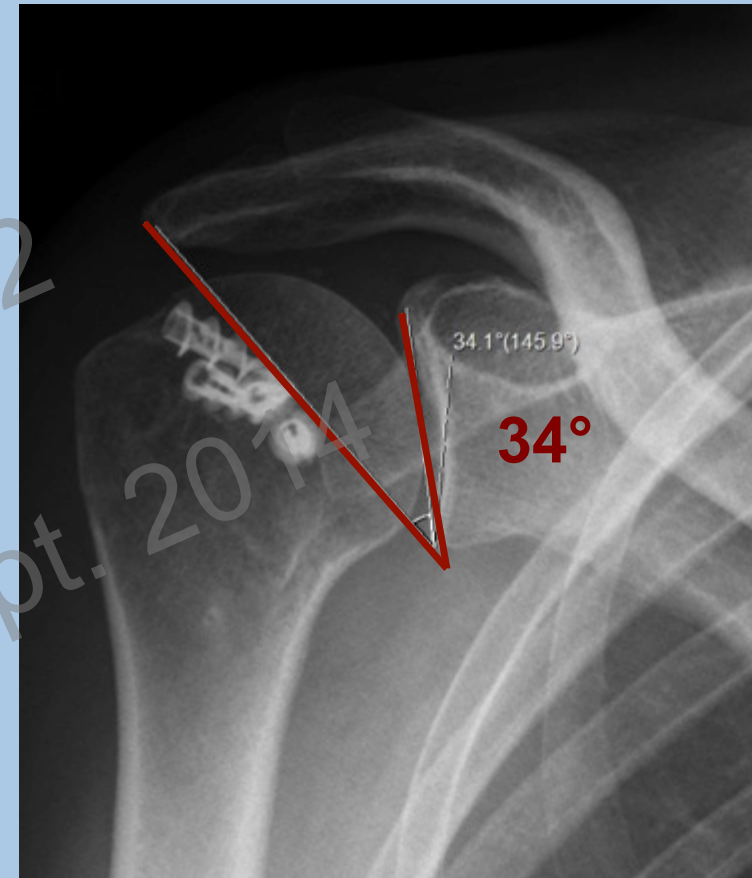
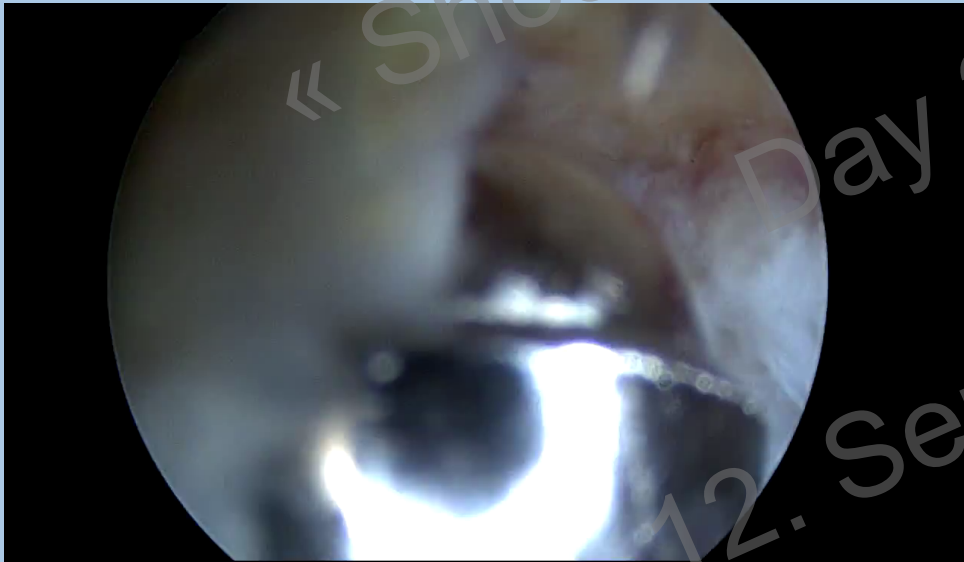


BONE MORPHOLOGY: CRITICAL SHOULDER ANGLE



Moor BKM et al. BJJ, 2013

BONE MORPHOLOGY: CRITICAL SHOULDER ANGLE



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BONE QUALITY IN TEARS VS INTACT CUFFS IN MICRO CT

1. Bone volume

- BV
- BV/TV

2. Bone Surface Properties

- Surface (=BS)
- Turnover (=BS/BV)
- Mech Properties (=BV/TV)

3. Trabecular structures

- Lattices (=TbPf)
- Rods & plates in 3D (SMI)
- Trab. thickness (=TbTh)
- Trab. number (=TbN)

5 mm
10 mm
15 mm



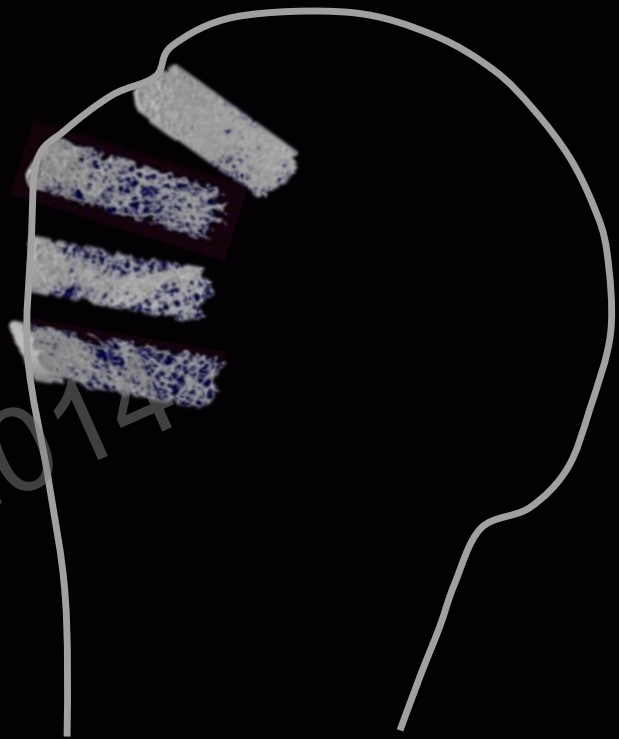
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Meyer DC et al. JSES, 2004

BEST BONE QUALITY ? MICRO CT



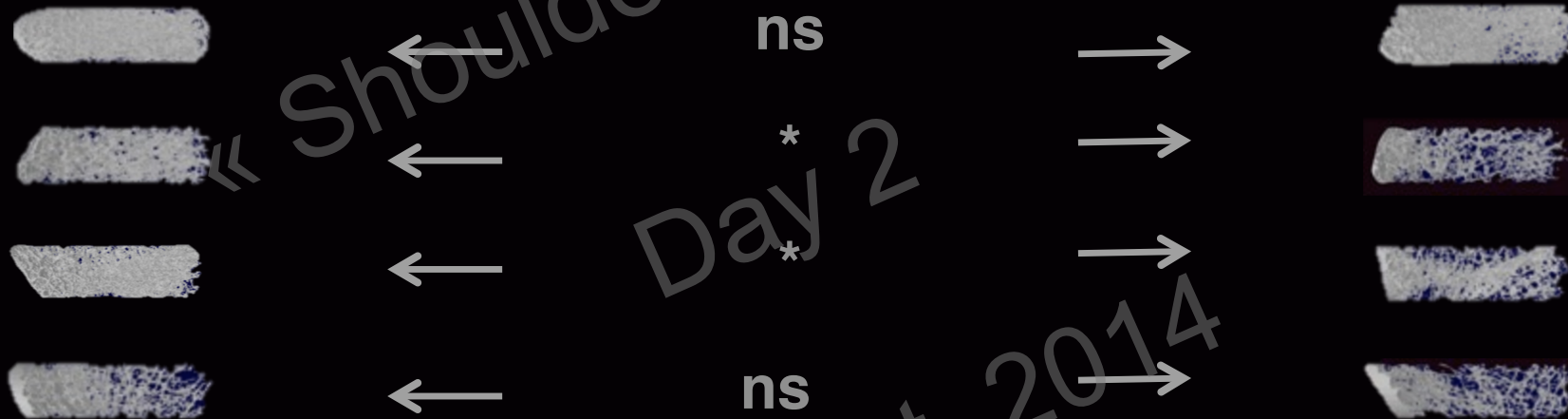
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Torn cuff

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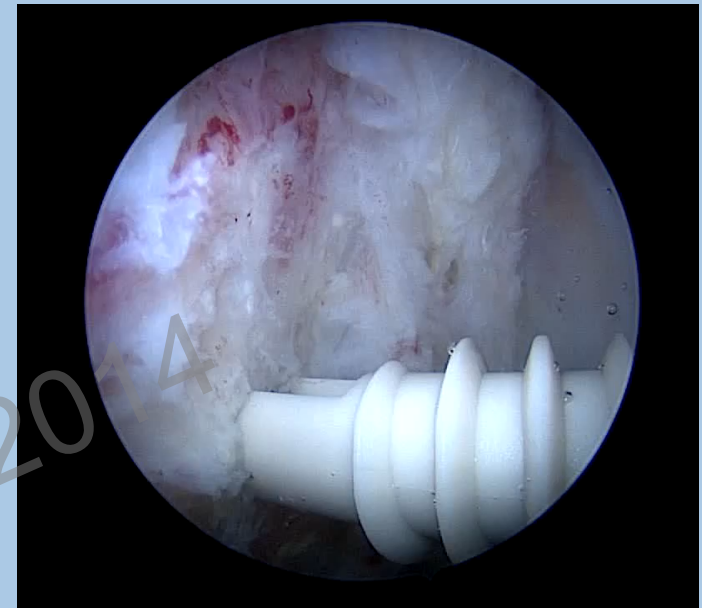
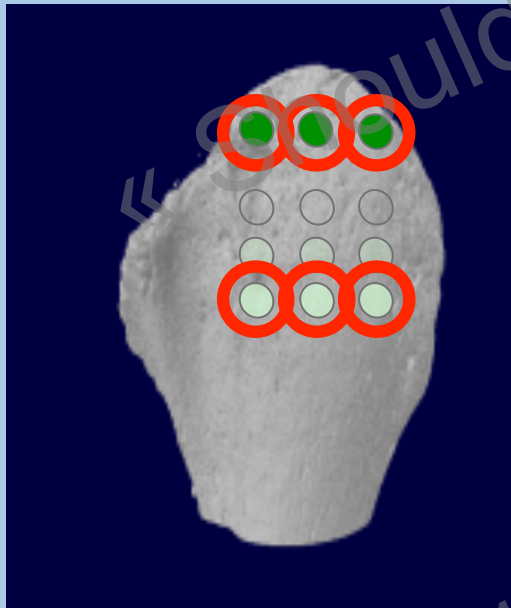
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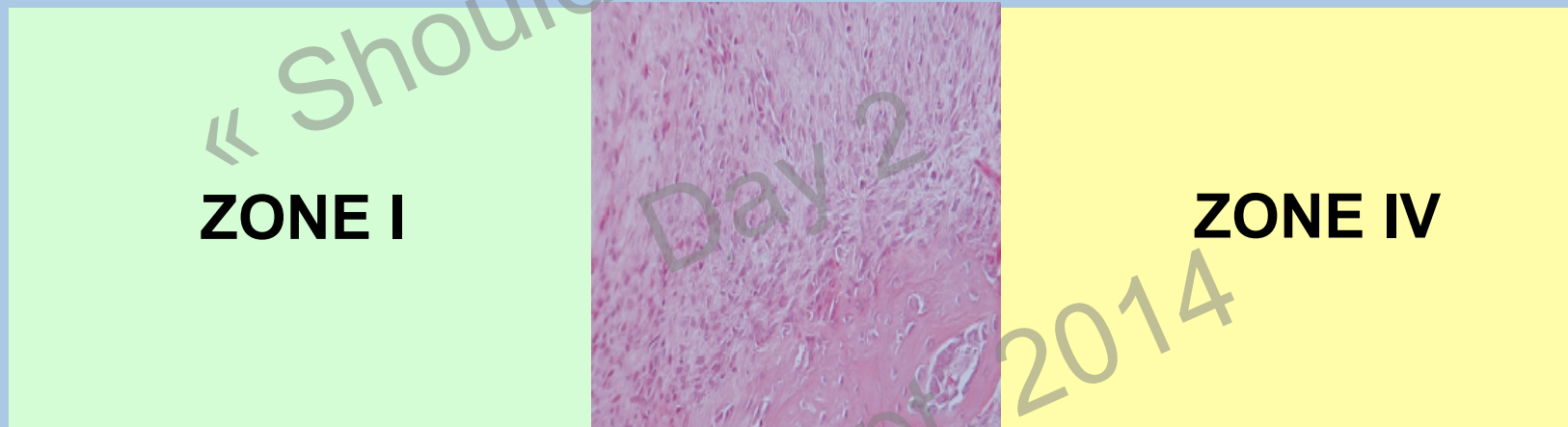


PROPERTIES NATURAL INSERTION

TENDON

FIBROCARILAGE

BONE



ZONE I

ZONE IV

Woo SL. CORR: 1999

Galatz LM, J Orthop Res: 2006

Thomopoulos S, J Orthop Res: 2002

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- **REGULATORS**
 - Cytokines, growth factors
 - Pharmacological products

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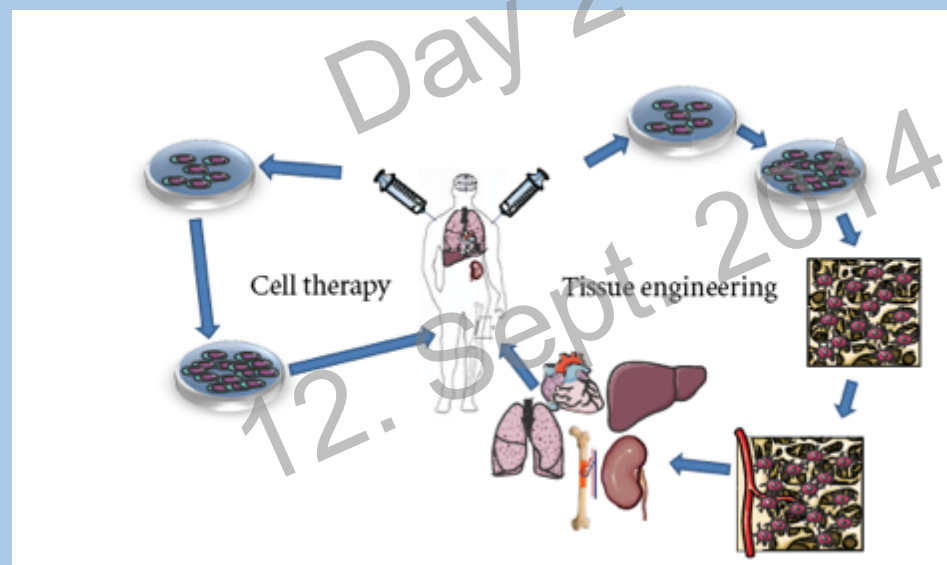
STEM CELL TREATMENT

Cell therapy

Cells were injected into tissue

Cell tissue engineering

Cells seeded on an matrix and differentiated through signal



Schmitt A, Stem Cell Int: 2012

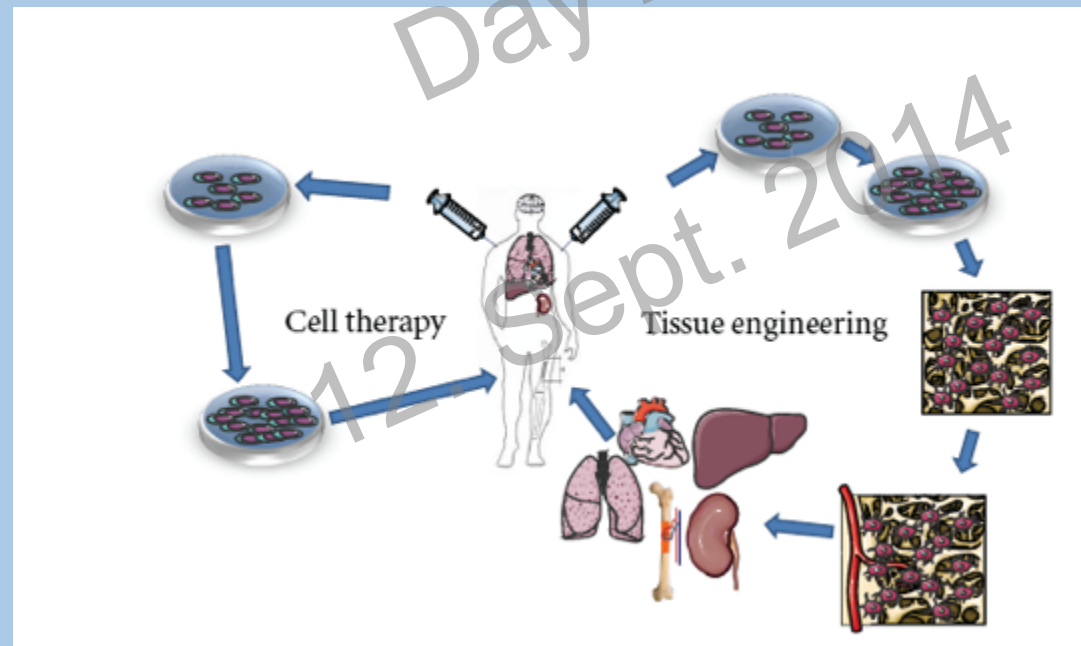
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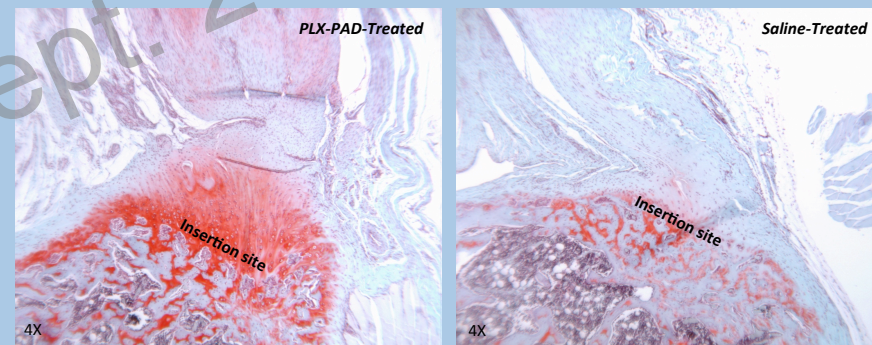
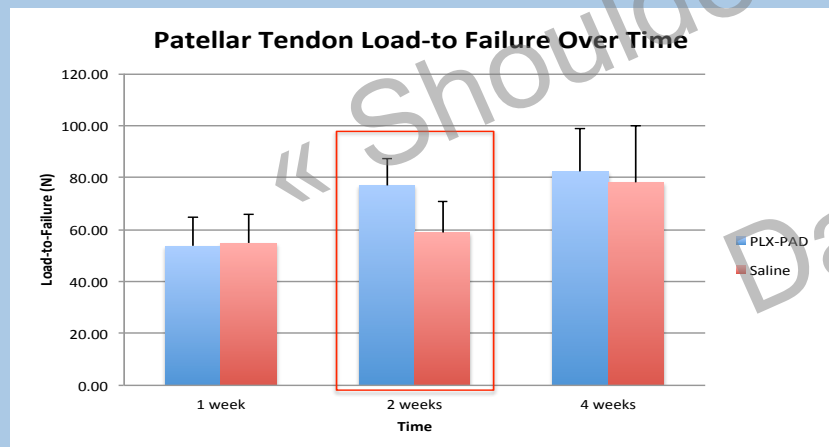
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„YOUNG“ ADULT MSC THERAPY

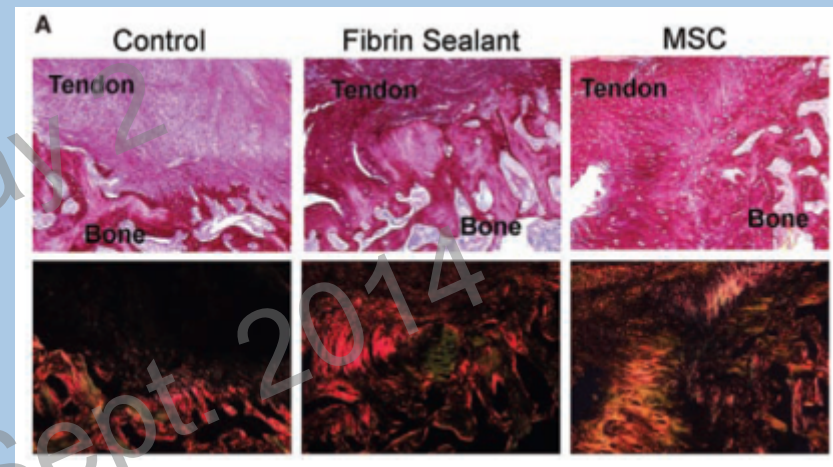
- Placenta Derived Stem Cell Therapy



Ma, Schaer, Rodeo; unpublished data

„OLDER“ ADULT MSC THERAPY IN THE ROTATOR CUFF TENDON INSERTION

... did not improve the structure, composition, or strength of the healing tendon attachment site in rats



CAVE acute tear!

Gulotta LV, AJSM: 2009

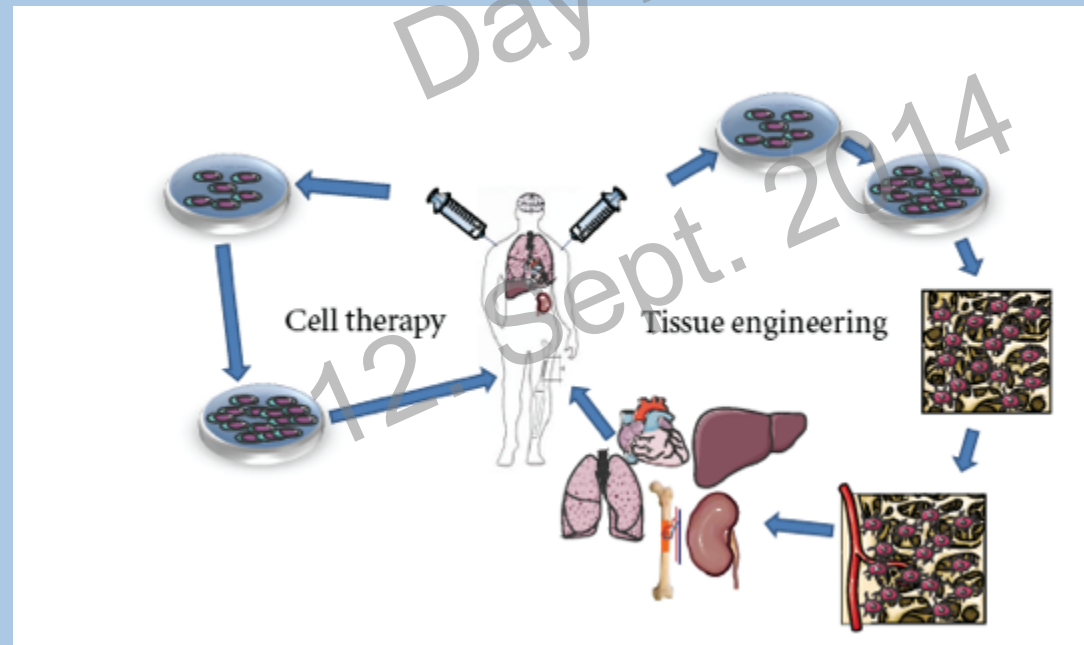
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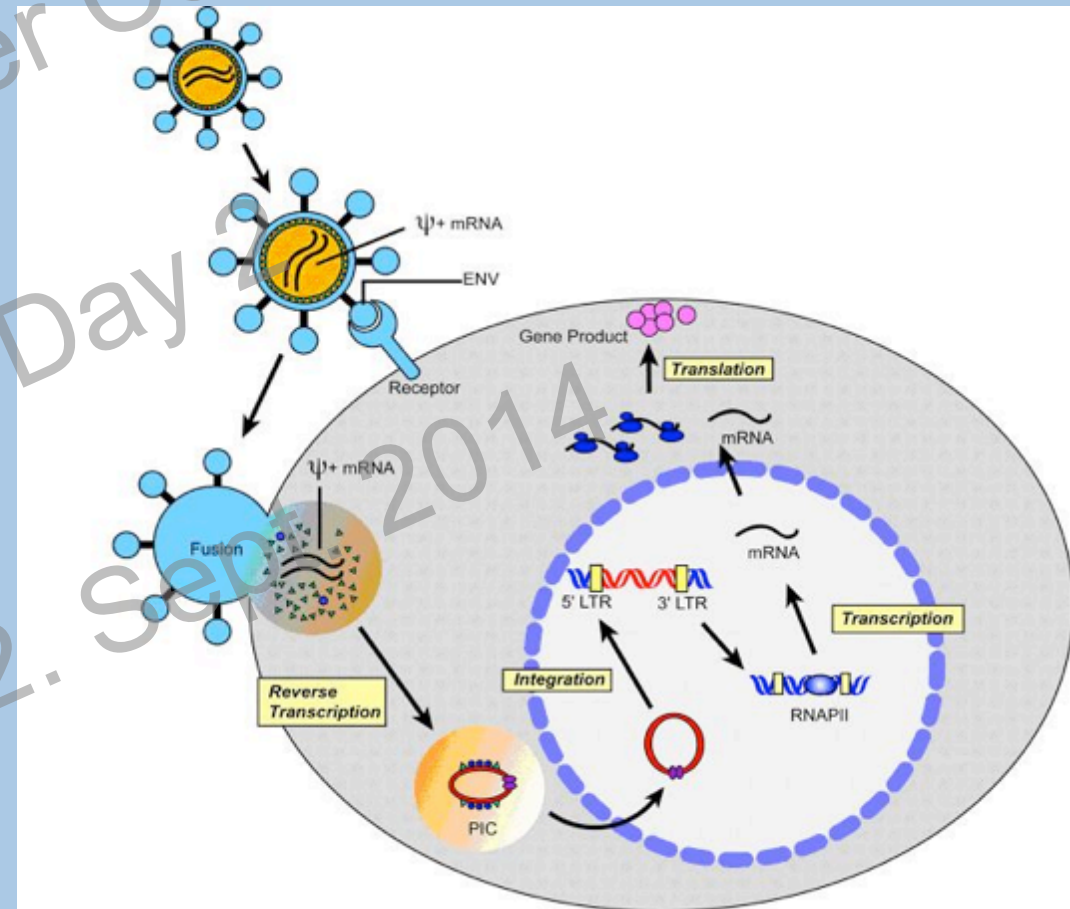
MSC TISSUE ENGINEERING TRANSFECTION OF STEM CELLS

MSC

Virus



overexpression of
proteins



EMBRYOLOGIC TENDON BONE HEALING

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MSC

Scleraxis

Runx2

Sox 9

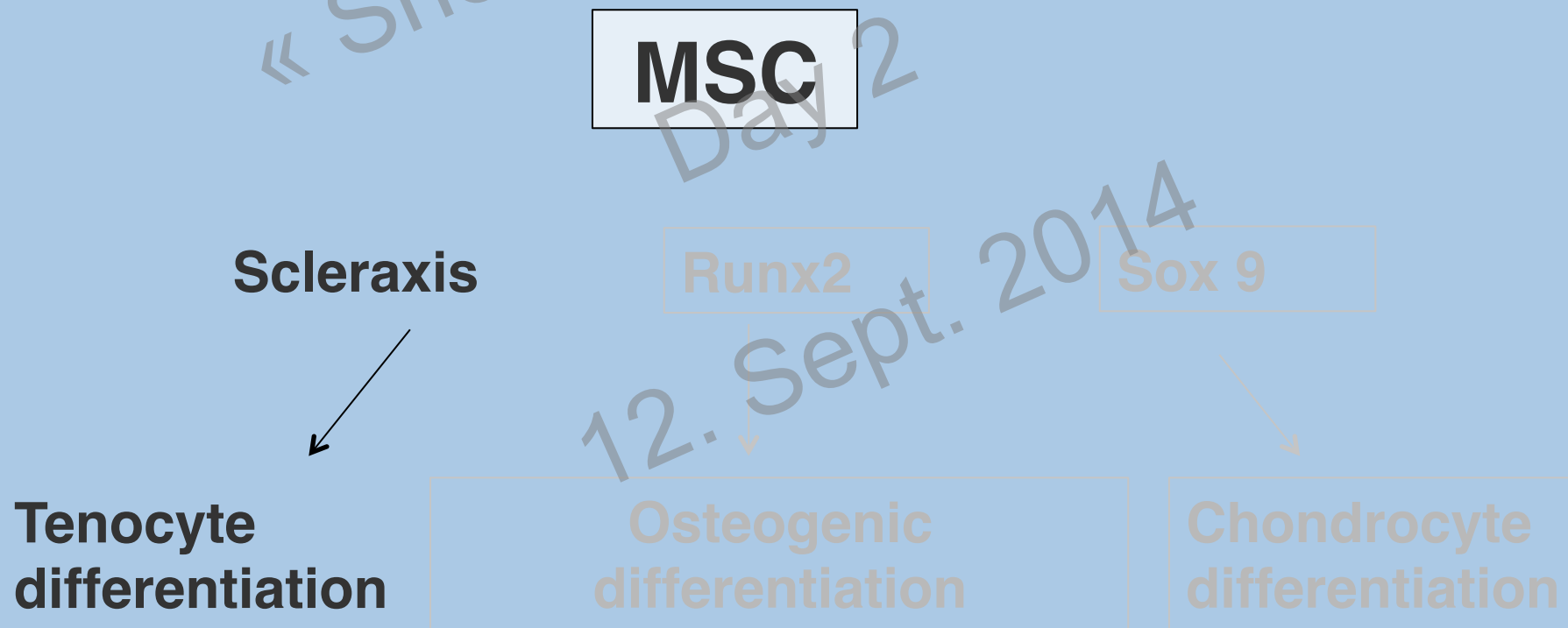
**Tenocyte
differentiation**

**Osteogenic
differentiation**

**Chondrocyte
differentiation**

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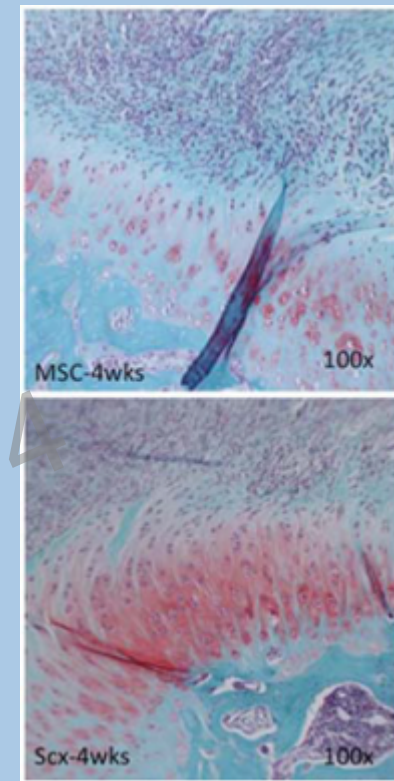
MSC TISSUE ENGINEERING FOR EMBRYOLOGIC TENDON BONE HEALING



MSC TISSUE ENGINEERING INDUCE EMBRYOLOGIC PATHWAY

Scleraxis (SCX) transduced MSC's

- ... a significantly improved histologic outcome
- Increased fibrocartilage
- greater strength at the tendon-bone insertion site at 4 weeks
- less than normal insertion



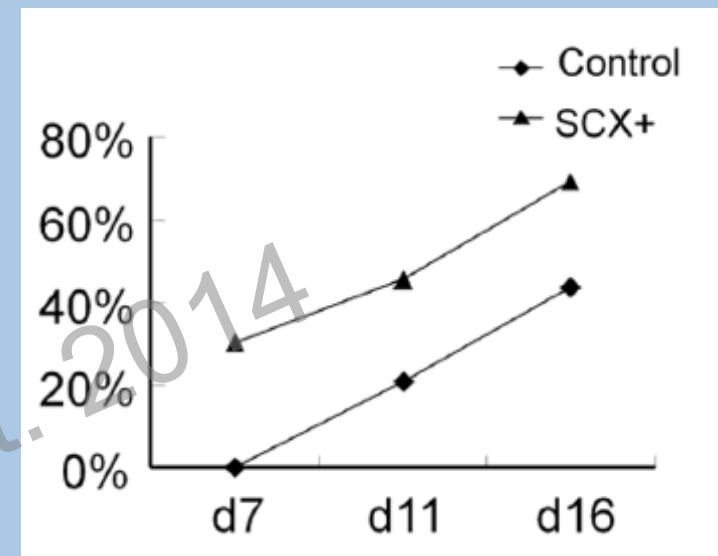
- **CAVE acute tear!**

Gulotta LV, AJSM: 2011

MSC TISSUE ENGINEERING INDUCE EMBRYOLOGIC PATHWAY

SCX induced MSC's coupled with force transmission

- SCX augments differentiation of MSC's into tenocytes
- ... synergistically promotes tendon maturation



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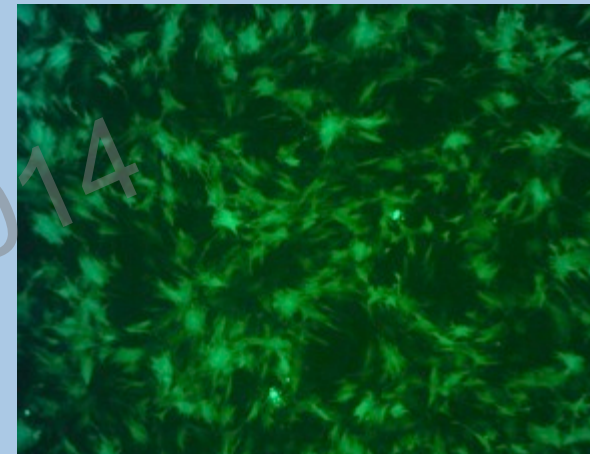
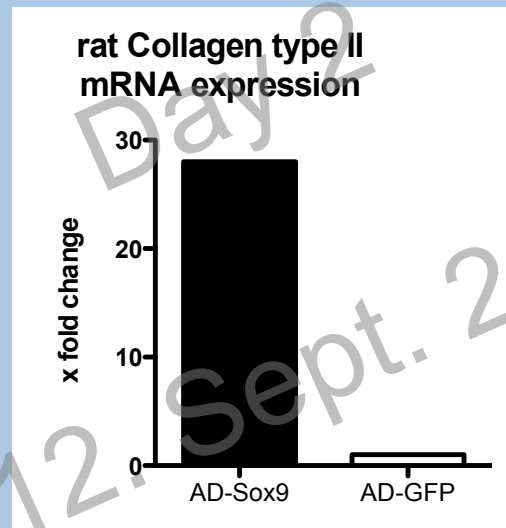
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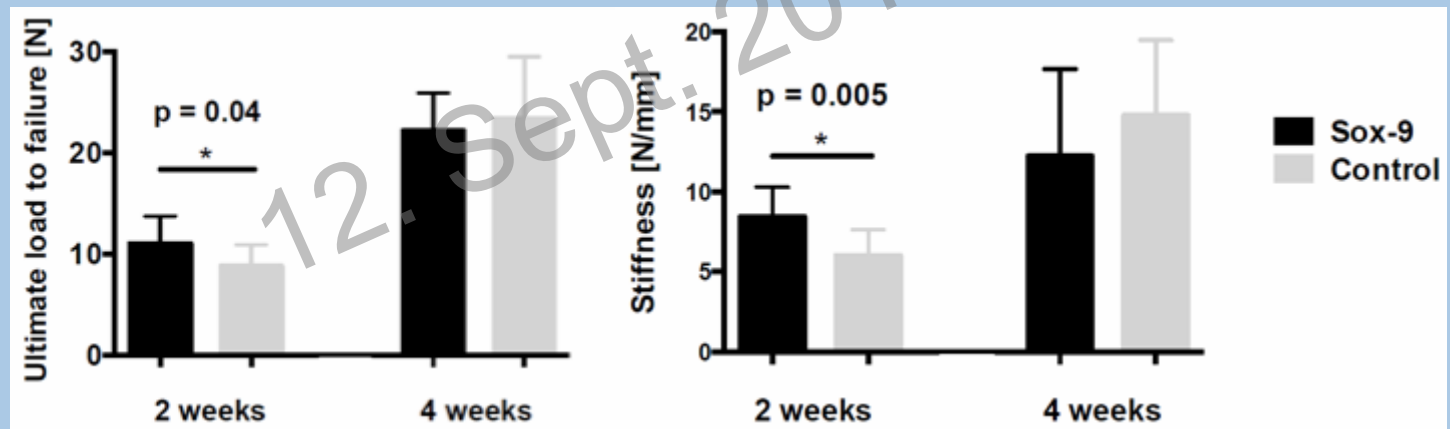
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PLATELET ± LEUCOCYTE CONCENTRATES: CLASSIFICATION

Pure-Platelet-rich Plasma (P-PRP) Autologous Conditioned Plasma (ACP™) Arthrex Inc. Preparation Rich in Growth Factors (PRGF) Biotechn. Institute	Platelet-Leukocyte-rich Plasma (L-PRP) SmartPreP®2 Harvest Technologies GPS® III Biomet Biologics Magellan™ Arteriocyte Medical Systems Symphony™ II Depuy Platelet Concentrate Collection System (PCCS® II) Angel® Sorin Group GenesisCS EmCyte Cell Saver® 5 Haemonetics	Pure Platelet-rich Fibrin (P-PRF) Cascade® Musc Transpl Foundation PRGF Scaffold Biotechnology Institute FIBRINET® PRFM Cascade Medical	Leukocyte and Platelet-rich Fibrin (L-PRF) Choukroun's PRF
		<p>Dohan DM, Trends Biotech: 2010</p> <p>Zumstein MA, Op Tech Sports Med: 2011</p>	

CONCLUSION PLATELET CONCENTRATES

- No scientific benefit of **L-PRF**

Zumstein MA, JSES: 2014

- No scientific benefit of **P-PRF**

Castricini R, AJSM: 2011 Rodeo S, AJSM: 2012

- Some scientific benefit of **L-PRP?**

Randelli P, JSES: 2010 Gumina S, JBJS Am: 2012

- Some scientific benefit of **P-PRP**

Jo CH, AJSM: 2011 Jo CH, AJSM: 2013

COCHRANE DATABASE



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.... insufficient evidence to support the use of Platelet-rich therapies for treating musculoskeletal soft tissue injuries.

-> There is need for standardisation of PRP preparation methods.

Moares VY, Cochrane Database Sys Rev: 2014

PHARMACOLOGICAL PRODUCTS

- **Mechanical stimulation reduced tissue degeneration**



Gerber C, JSES: 2009

- **Pharmacological use of nandrolone or IGF does not improve tendon quality**

Wieser K, KSSTA: 20014

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MUSCLE ATROPHY AND FATTY INFILTRATION



Goutallier D, CORR: 1994

REVERSIBILITY OF MUSCLE ATROPHY AND FATTY INFILTRATION

Goals:

- A. Reversion of architecture ✓
- B. Stereoids prevented fatty infiltration ✓
- C. Decrease of fat and connective tissue ✗
- D. Hypertrophy of muscle substance ✗

Gerber C, Zumstein MA, JSES: 2009

Gerber C, JBJS Am: 2011

Frey E, Zumstein MA et al, JOR: 2009

Schmutz S, Zumstein MA et al. CORR: 2008

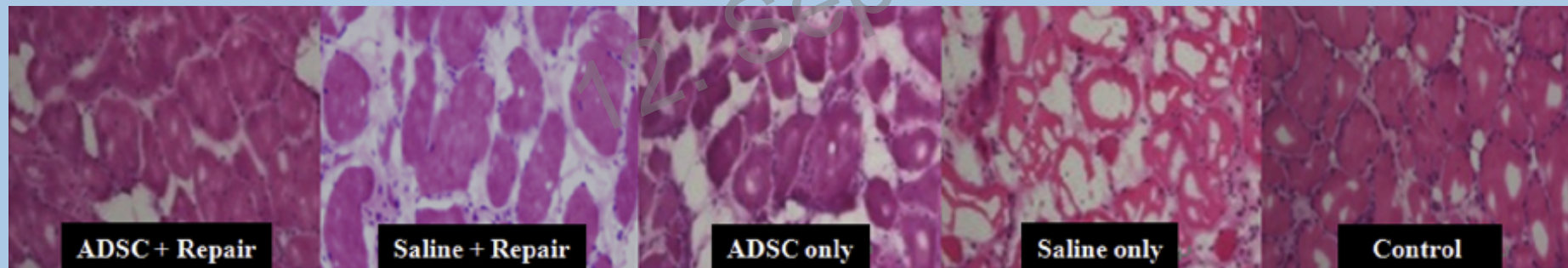
ADIPOSE DERIVED STEM CELLS (AD-MSCs) THERAPY

- chronic tear model
- Rabbits' SSC
- Injection of AD-MSC's into the muscle

-> Improved muscle function

-> Less fatty infiltration

Oh S, JSES: 2013



BIOLOGIC AUGMENTATION IN CUFF REPAIR: WHERE WE ARE IN 2014?

NOT THERE



BIOLOGIC AUGMENTATION IN CUFF REPAIR: WHERE WE ARE IN 2014?

Not yet there

BUT WHERE TO GO?



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TAKE HOME MESSAGES: EXTRINSIC



- Age of the patient
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TAKE HOME MESSAGE BONE

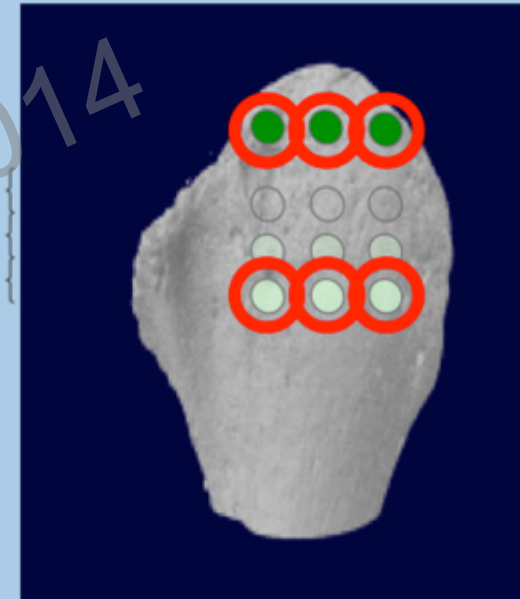


- **Critical Shoulder Angle**
— Assessed and reduced



- **Best anchor position**

5 mm
10 mm
15 mm



TAKE HOME MESSAGE INSERTION + MUSCLE



- **Growth factors (PRP's)**
 - L-PRP, P-PRP in massive tears
- **Progenitor - Stem cells**
Cell Therapy:
 - Placenta derived Stem Cells
 - „Simple“ MSC's
Cell Tissue Engineerig:
 - Transduced stem cells

X
√?

√?
X √?

√?

FUTURE



- **Understand the early and late pathological process of...**
 - **Tendon: Apoptosis, inflammation & degradation**
 - **Muscle: Atrophy, inflammation & fatty infiltration**
- **VISION: Interfere in this pathways using pharmacological products**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!



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