Are You Ready For a Total Shoulder??

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Outline

History Physical Exam

Imaging

Conservative Management When to Refer for Surgery Reverse versus Anatomic

Pre-Op/Intra-Op Consideration Follow up and Complications



Physical Exam

Arthroscopy. 2015 Sep;31(9):1702-7. doi: 10.1016/j.arthro.2015.01.029. Epub 2015 Mar 29.

The Incidence of Propionibacterium acnes in Shoulder Arthroscopy

Michael J Chuang ¹¹, Jason J Jancosko ², Vivian Mendoza ³, Wesley M Nottage ²

- 51 patients undergoing shoulder arthroscopy
 80% had pre-op positive c. acnes culture before prep/drape
- 20% had positive deep c. acnes cultures after procedure

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Conservative Options

- Physical Therapy CPGs Prehab: No studies to support of refute (save for postop? Increase
- pain?) Post-op Home exercises vs formal PT: Low quality study saying no difference
- Regular updates (post-op complications)? Compliance (too much/not enough)?
- Post-op PT timing: immediate ROM vs 4-week delayed ROM No difference in outcomes at 3 months (4% vs 19% subscap failure)

Improve scapulothoracic ROM

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Conservative Options

Other injectables? Visco vs Biologics

Data is significantly lacking

Efficacy of Ultrasound-Guided Glenohumeral Joint Injections of Leukocyte-Poor Platelet-Rich Plasma Versus Hyaluronic Acid in the Treatment of Glenohumeral Osteoarthritis: A Randomized, Double-Blind Controlled Trial

In conclusion, both LP-PRP and HA were associated with improvements in pain, disability, and functional impairments related to glenohumeral OA in this cohort of patients, and there were no differences between treatments.

















Post-Op Follow up – First Visit

Post-op Hematoma – Hx of blood thinners Infection – Previous sx, pain, fevers - Labs (ESR, CRP, WBC, Aspiration? Synovasure?) Wound Breakdown – nutrition, smoking Dressing or Prep Reaction - Cortisone Block related (numbness, shortness of breath)

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Nerve injury











