

New advanced management of chronic leg ulcer



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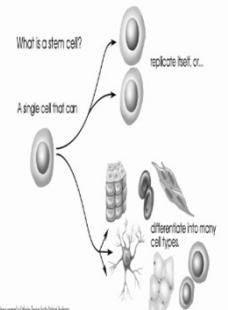


Role of Stem cells ??



Stem cell

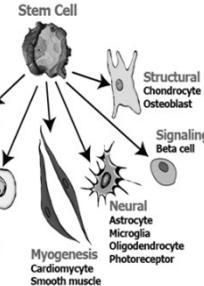
- Potential to develop into many different cell types
- Internal repair system
- Dividing essentially without limit



What is a stem cell?
A single cell that can...
replicate itself, or...
differentiate into many cell types.

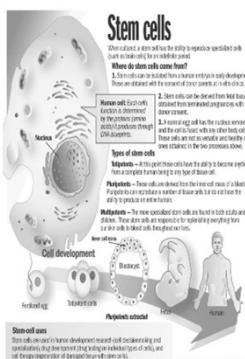
Stem cells

- Serve as a sort of internal repair system, dividing essentially without limit to replenish other cells as long as the person or animal is still alive



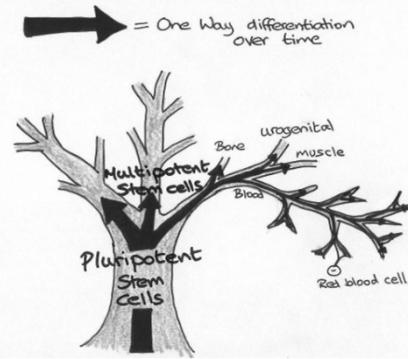
Differentiation potential of Stem cells

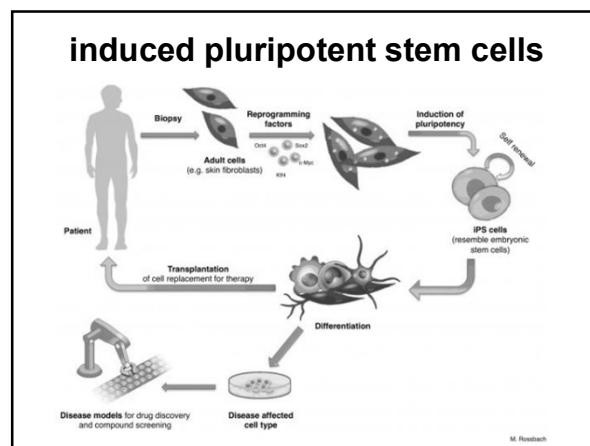
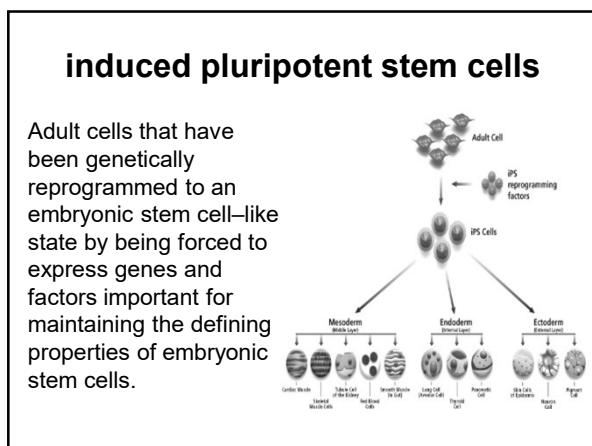
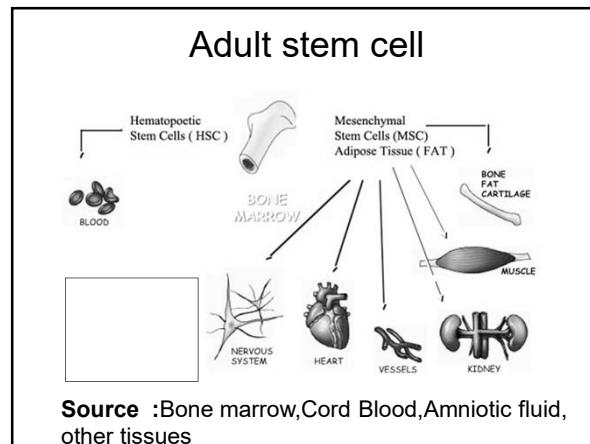
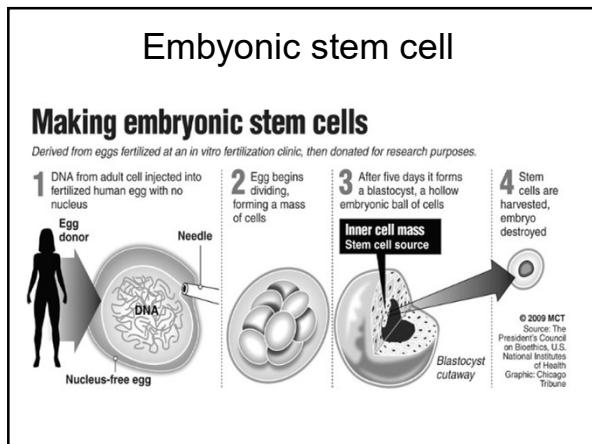
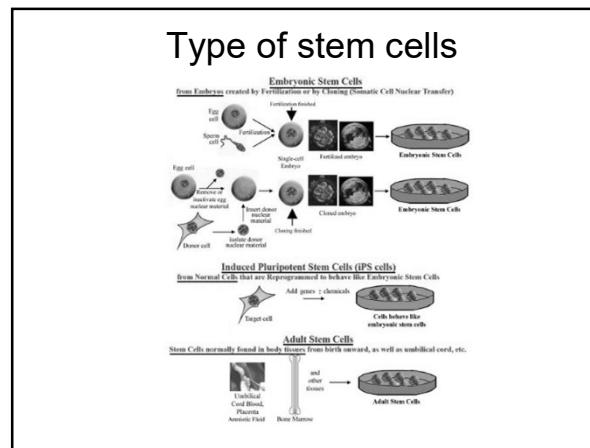
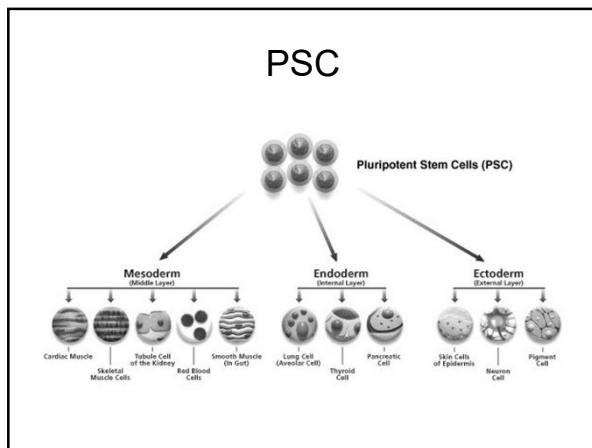
- Totipotent :**
 - Generate all cells and tissues
 - Can construct a complete entire human
- Pluripotent :**
 - Can differentiate into all 3 germ layer: : endoderm,mesoderm and ectoderm
- Multipotent :**
 - Can differentiate into a number of cells, but only those of closely related family of cells
- Unipotent :**
 - Can produce only one cell type



Differentiation potential of Stem cells

= One Way differentiation over time



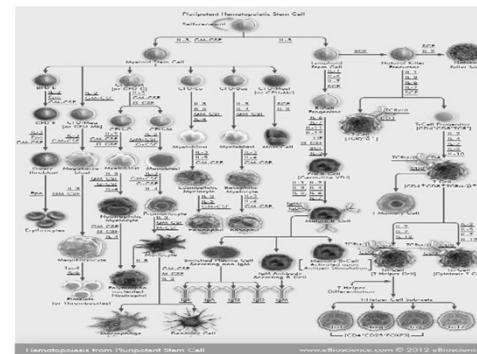


Nobel prize 2012

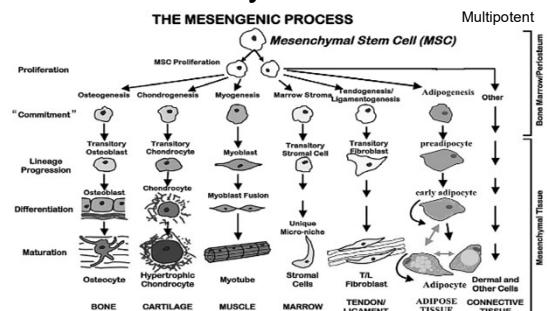


John B. Gurdon and Shinya Yamanaka

Hematopoietic stem cells



Mesenchymal stem cell



Source : Bone marrow, Placenta, Adipose tissue, Lung, Wharton's jelly from umbilical cord, teeth, Amniotic fluid



EMBRIOID BODIES

Induce initial differentiation and select precursors

Expand Precursors

Pancreatic Precursors

DOPAMINE AND SEROTONIN SECRETING NEURONS

INSULIN-SECRETING PANCREATIC ISLET-LIKE CLUSTERS

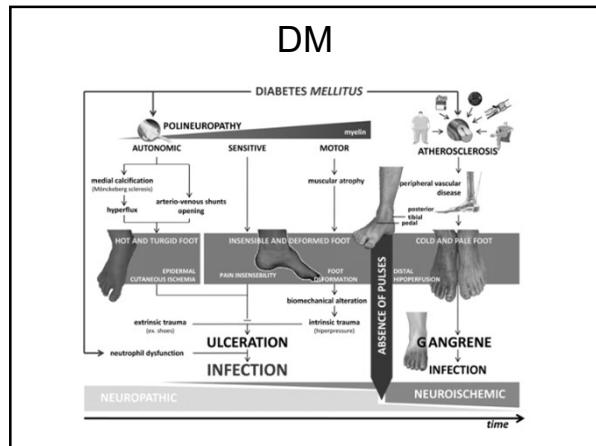


Stem cells



Regenerative medicine





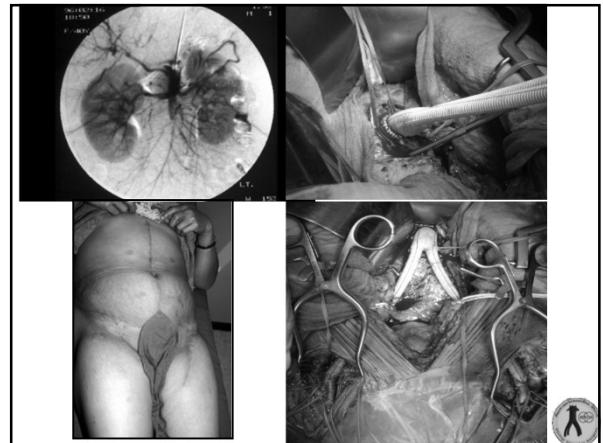
Important of DFU

- 15 to 20% of all individuals with diabetes
- The 5 year re-ulceration 70%
- Chance of losing the remaining limb within 3 years 50 %
- The 5-year mortality rate for bilateral amputees is high

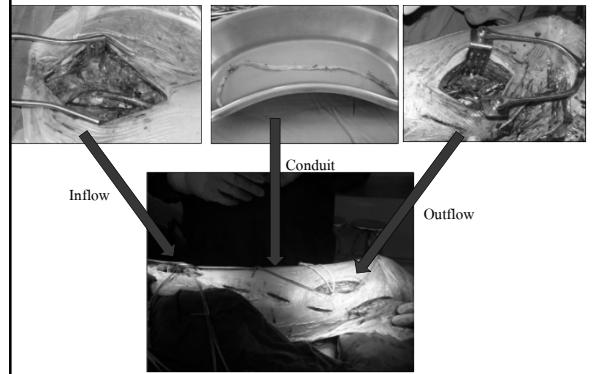


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Peripheral arterial disease



Reversed Vein Bypass



Endovascular stenting



No-option CLI

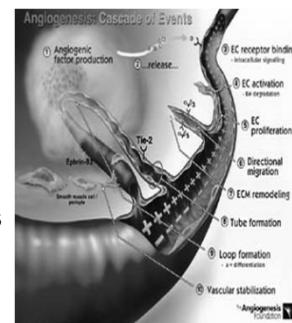


- Despite these advances in surgical and endovascular techniques, approximately 20% to 40% of patients with CLI will not be candidates for either of these approaches

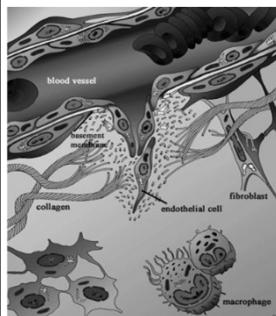
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Mechanisms of new blood vessel growth in adults

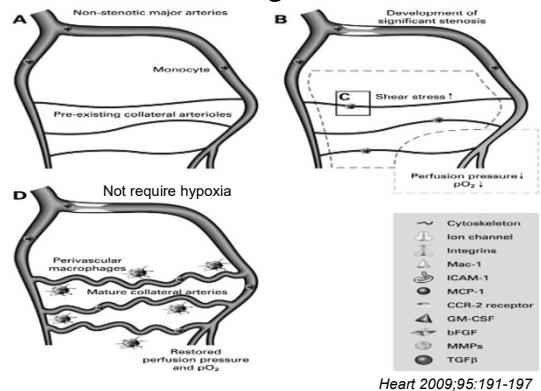
- Angiogenesis
- Arteriogenesis
- Vasculogenesis



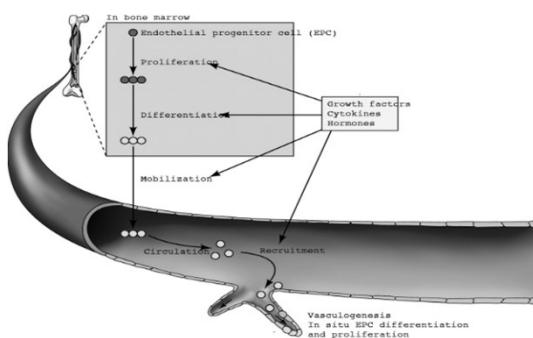
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Arteriogenesis

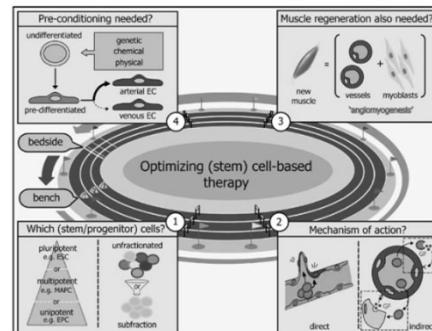


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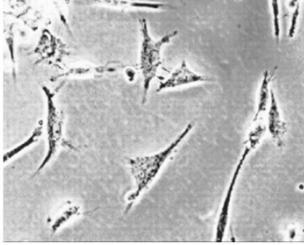
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Cell-based strategy



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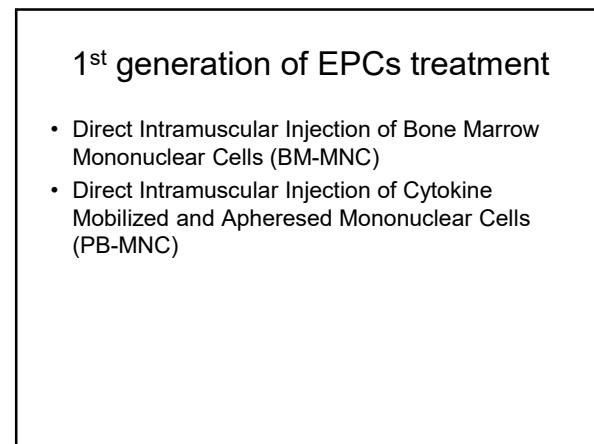
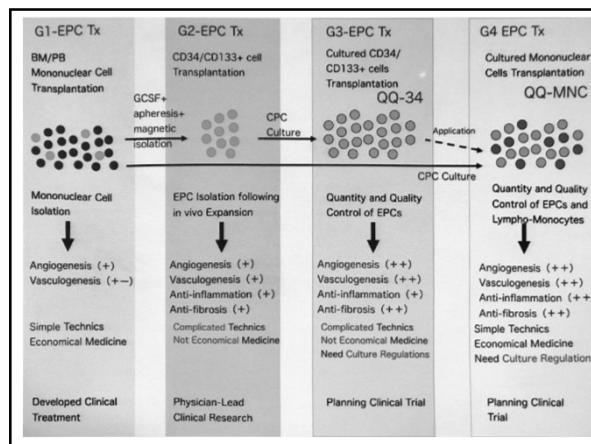
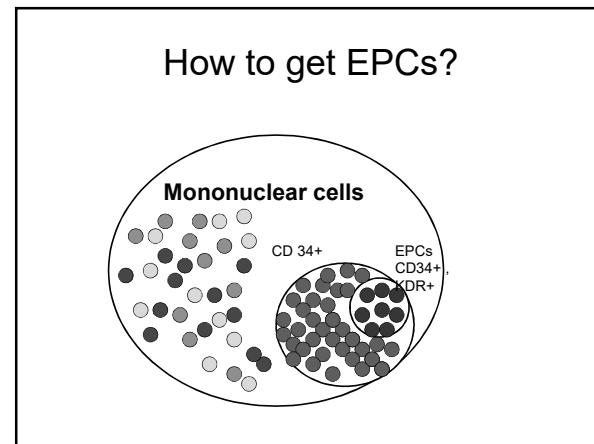
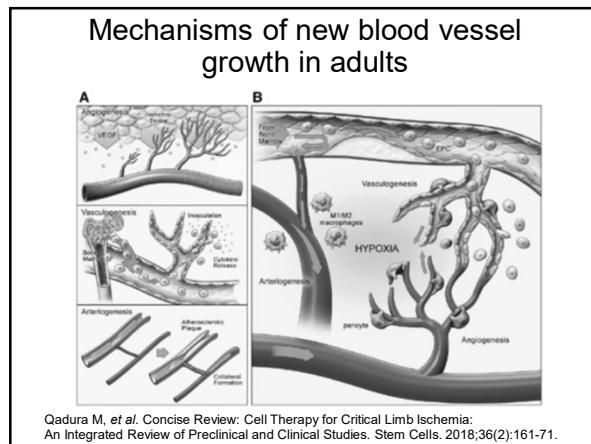
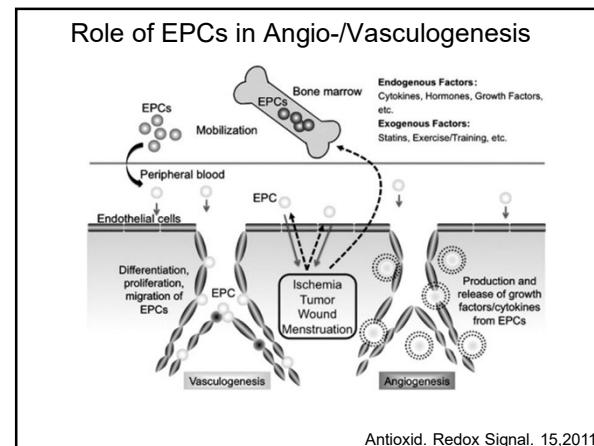
Endothelial Progenitor Cells (EPCs)

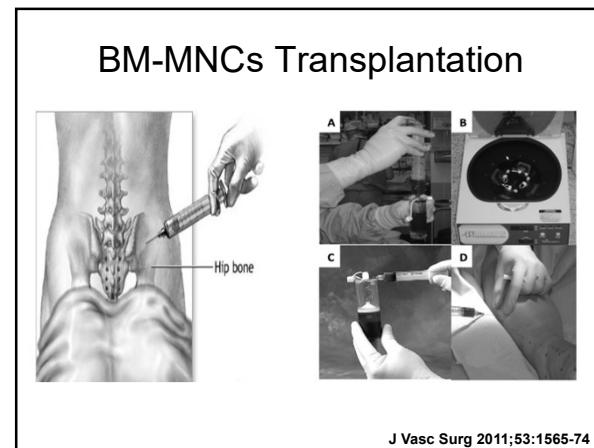
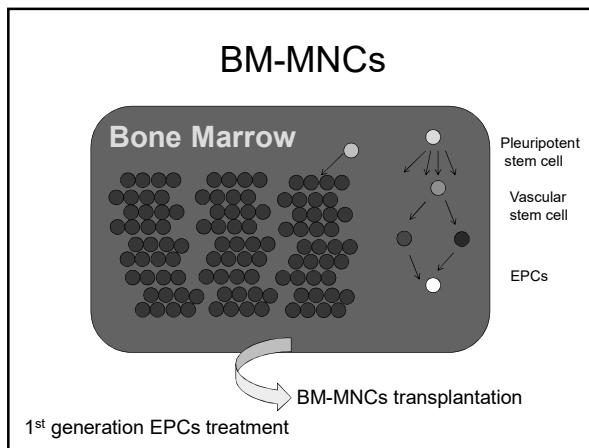


Endothelial Progenitor Cells for Vascular Regeneration
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Therapeutic Angiogenesis using Cell Transplantation(TACT) trial

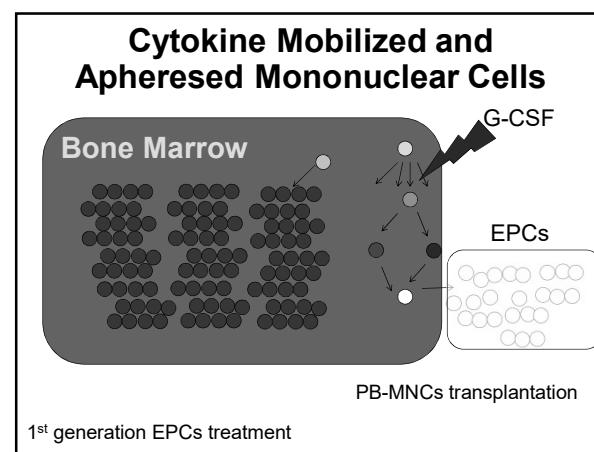
Variable (mean [SD])	Group A (unmasked, n=25)		Group B (randomised, double-blind, n=20)					
	Change from baseline	Difference (95% CI)	p	Change from baseline	Difference (95% CI)	p		
	BM-MNC	Saline		BM-MNC	PB-MNC			
ABI								
4 weeks	0.13 (0.1)	0.01 (0.02)	0.12 (0.09 to 0.16)	<0.0001	0.1 (0.05)	0.02 (0.02)	0.09 (0.06 to 0.11)	<0.0001
24 weeks	0.11 (0.1)	-0.01 (0.02)	0.11 (0.07 to 0.15)	<0.0001	0.1 (0.05)	0.02 (0.03)	0.09 (0.06 to 0.12)	<0.0001
TcO ₂ (mm Hg)								
4 weeks	19 (12)	0.5 (1.4)	17 (12 to 22)	<0.0001	17.4 (9.5)	4.6 (3.5)	13 (9 to 17)	<0.0001
24 weeks	18 (11)	1.4 (2.6)	16 (11 to 21)	<0.0001	16.6 (9.9)	4.8 (2.8)	12 (7 to 16)	<0.0001
Rest pain (+4 to 0)*								
4 weeks	-2.6 (1.1)	-0.25 (0.7)	-2.3 (-3 to -1.8)	<0.0001	-2.2 (1.1)	-1.4 (0.7)	-0.85 (-1.6 to -0.12)	0.025
24 weeks	-2.6 (0.9)	-0.25 (0.7)	-2.8 (-3 to -2)	<0.0001	-2.4 (0.8)	-1.4 (1.1)	-1.0 (-1.7 to -0.32)	0.0081
New collateral (+3 to 0)†								
4 weeks	1 (1)	0 (0)	1 (0.6 to 1.5)	<0.0001	1 (1)	0.3 (0.6)	0.85 (0.3 to 1.4)	0.025
Pain-free walking time (min)								
4 weeks	..	..	34 (27 to 42)	<0.0001	..	..	12 (0.7 to 17)	0.0001
24 weeks	..	..	35 (30 to 42)	<0.0001	..	..	14 (3.9 to 18)	<0.0001

Lancet. 2002 Aug 10;360(9331):427-35

Bone marrow-derived mononuclear cells

Study level	# Subjects	ABI	TcPO ₂	Pain	Amp.	+/-
2002 Tateshi-Yokama (59)	1b	45, PAD, DM	↑	↓	↓	+
2002 Esoto (28)	4	8, PAD, TAO	↑	..	↓	+
2004 Saigusa (129)	4	8, PAD, DM	↑	↑	↓	+
2004 Higuchi (130)	4	8, PAD	↑	↑	↓	+
2004 Miyamoto (131)	4	12, PAD, CLI	↑	..	↓	+
2005 Nizankowski (132)	4	10, TAO, CLI	↑	↑	↓	+
2006 Durdu (133)	1b	28, TAO	↑	↑	↓	+
2006 Bartosch (134)	4	10, PAD, CLI	↑	↑	..	+
2006 Miyamoto (108)	4	8, TAO, CLI	..	..	..	+
2007 Kajiguchi (135)	4	7, CLI, TAO	→	(↑)	?	++
2007 Huang (136)	2	74, PAD, DM	↑	↑	..	+
2007 Hernandez (137)	4	12, PAD, DM	↑	↑	↓	+
2008 Gu (138)	4	16, PAD/CLI	↑	↑	↓	+
2008 Chodola (139)	4	28, CLI, PAD	↑	↑	↓	+
2008 Wester (140)	8, CLI	..	..	..	..	+
2008 Van Tongeren (141)	4	27, PAD	↑	↑	?	+
2008 De Vries (142)	4	16, PAD	→	↑	↓	++
2009 Amann (143)	4	51, CLI	↑	↑	↓	+
2009 Prabhakar (56)	4	37, CLI, DM	↑	↑	..	+

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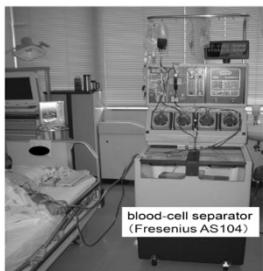


Cytokine Mobilized and Apheresed Mononuclear Cells

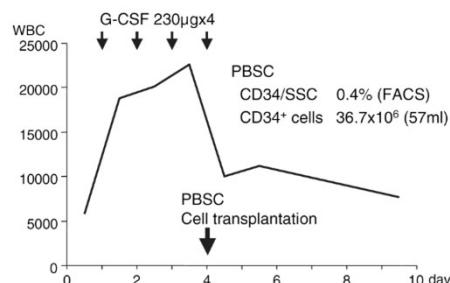
After 4-5 days of G-CSF 5-10 µg/Kg/day SC
When the white blood cell count reached 20,000–40,000/mm³,

Collection of peripheral-blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs)

Ten liters of peripheral blood was processed and 180 ml of cell suspension was collected. Then further concentrated to 20ml.



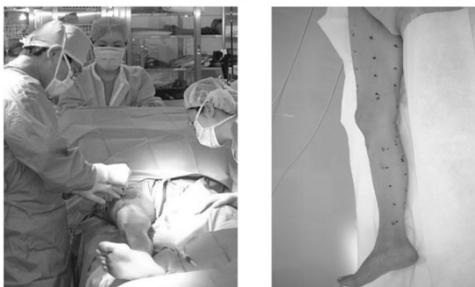
PB-MNCs Transplantation



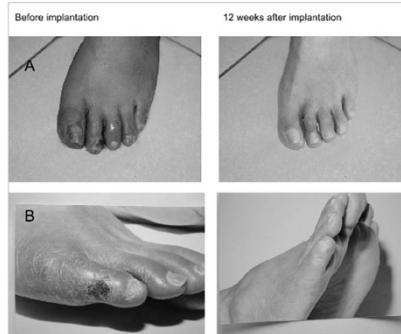
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PB-MNCs IMPLANTATION

Cell Transplant (0.5ml X40 sites)



PB-MNCs Transplantation



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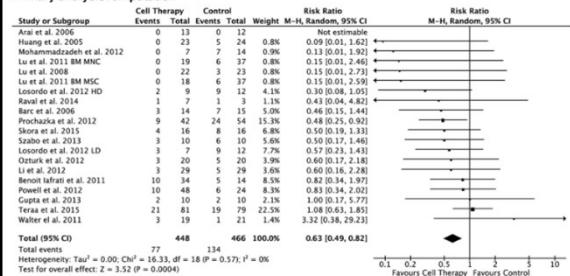
Mobilised peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMNC)

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2005 Kawamura [45]	4	30, PAD, CLI	↑ ↑ ↓ ↓		+	
2005 Lenk [46]	4	7, CLI	↑ ↑ ↓ ?		+	
2005 Huang [47]	2	28, CLI, DM	↑ ↑ ↓ ↓		+	
2005 Ishida [48]	4	6, TAO	↑ ↑ ↓ ?		+	
2006 Kawamura [49]	4	75, CLI	↑ ↑ ↓ ↓		+	
2007 Huang [36]	2	76, PAD	↑ ↑ ↓ ?		+	

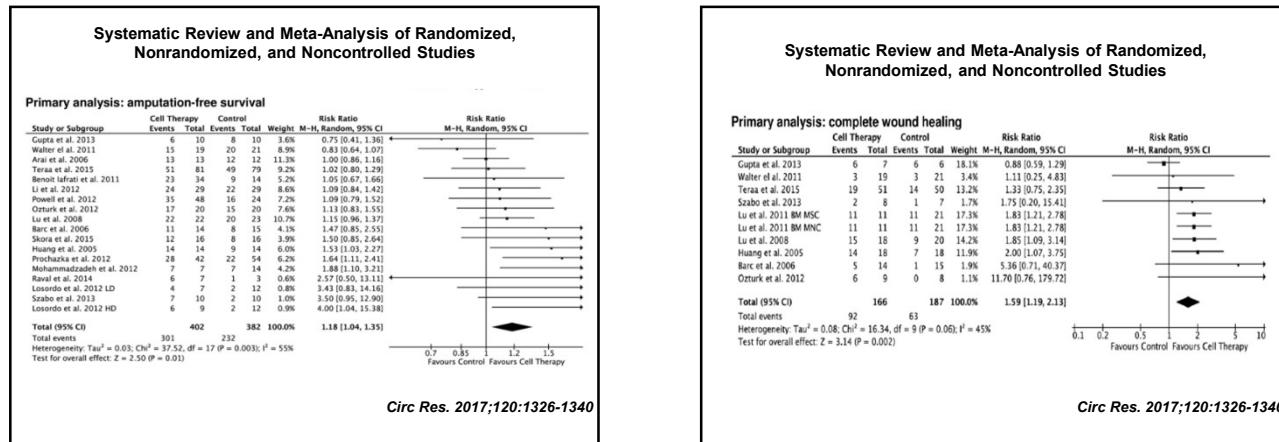
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Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of Randomized, Nonrandomized, and Noncontrolled Studies

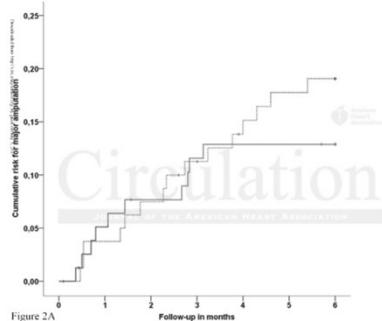
Primary analysis: amputation



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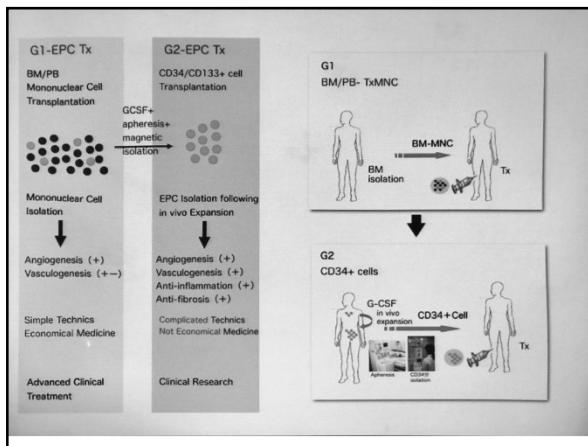
JUVENTAS study



BM-MNCs vs PB-MNCs

		Amputation (RR)	Amputation-Free Survival (RR)	Death (RR)	Complete Wound Healing (RR)	ABI	TcO ₂ mm Hg	Pain Score (0-10)	Pain-Free Walking Distance
Study design and quality	Nonrandomized	0.17 (0.08-0.34)	2.12 (1.48-3.03)	0.77 (0.36-1.64)	3.36 (1.13-9.99)	0.15 (0.06-0.21)	20.8 (16.4-25.2)	-2.12 (-3.64 to -0.69)	419.7 (194.3-643.1)
	Randomized versus standard care	0.47 (0.31-0.71)	1.31 (1.04-1.64)	0.69 (0.26-1.85)	1.05 (1.40-3.02)	0.12 (0.06-0.19)	8.22 (4.27-12.2)	-0.83 (-1.36 to -0.36)	173.2 (122.2-228.3)
	Low risk of bias	1.00 (0.64-1.56)	0.99 (0.81-1.21)	0.69 (0.40-1.84)	1.05 (0.61-1.78)	0.09 (-0.05 to 0.22)	3.7 (-3.0 to 10.4)	1.00 (-0.06 to 2.08)	N/A
Route (RCTs)	Intramuscular	0.54 (0.39-0.76)	1.22 (1.05-0.42)	0.76 (0.32-1.79)	1.59 (1.19-2.13)	0.12 (0.06-0.16)	13.5 (7.2-19.5)	-0.74 (-1.14 to -0.33)	N/A
	Intra-arterial	0.86 (0.40-1.88)	1.08 (0.75-1.56)	0.85 (0.45-1.66)	1.30 (0.76-2.21)	0.04 (-0.03 to 0.10)	3.1 (-2.90 to 9.00)	-0.8 (-1.55 to -1.55)	N/A
Cell type (RCTs)	BM-MNCs	0.68 (0.46-1.01)	1.11 (0.93-1.32)	0.83 (0.46-1.48)	1.68 (1.20-2.29)	0.09 (0.04-0.19)	7.57 (0.68-14.5)	-0.75 (-1.40 to -0.09)	N/A
	BM-MSCs	0.43 (0.11-1.72)	1.00 (0.63-1.57)	5.00 (0.27-92.6)	1.42 (0.82-2.46)	0.14 (0.03-0.20)	21.8 (18.2-27.4)	-0.59 (-1.45 to 0.24)	173.5 (121.1-225.9)
	PB-MNCs	0.42 (0.23-0.79)	1.62 (1.11-2.34)	0.91 (0.12-6.74)	3.22 (0.57-18.2)	0.11 (0.05-0.21)	12.0 (4.2-19.5)	-0.85 (-1.50 to -0.36)	N/A

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At Siriraj Hospital

- Direct Intramuscular Injection of Cytokine Mobilized and Apheresed Mononuclear Cells (PBMNC)
- Pilot Study (under Thai Medical Association)
- 8 cases

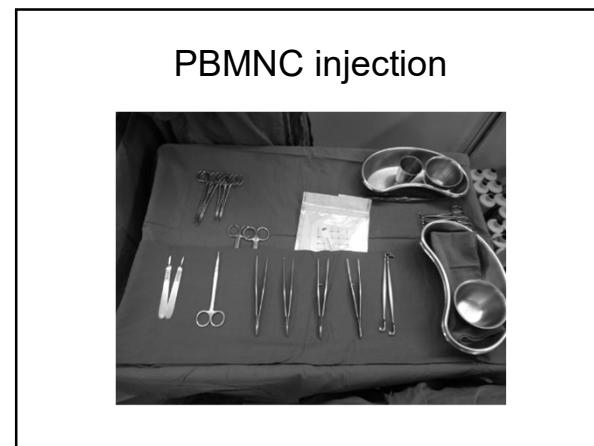
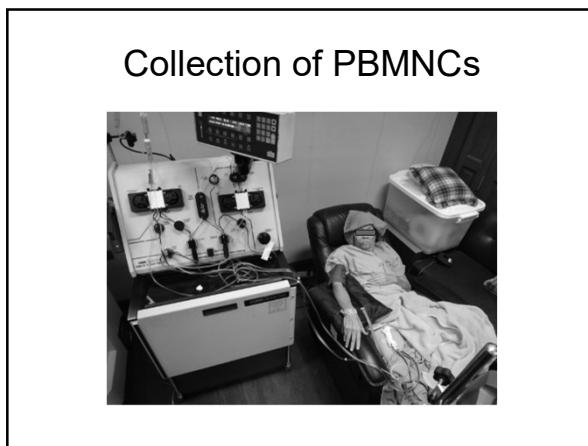
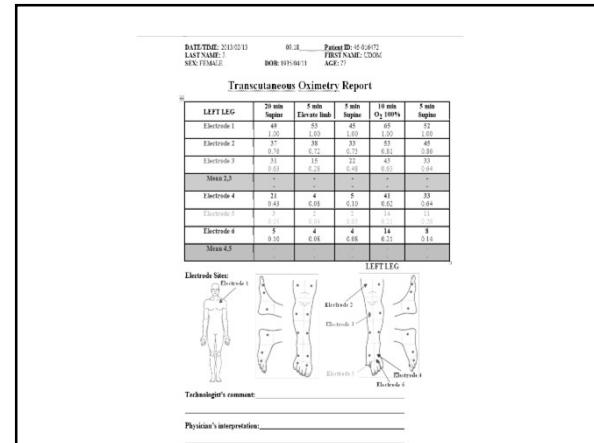
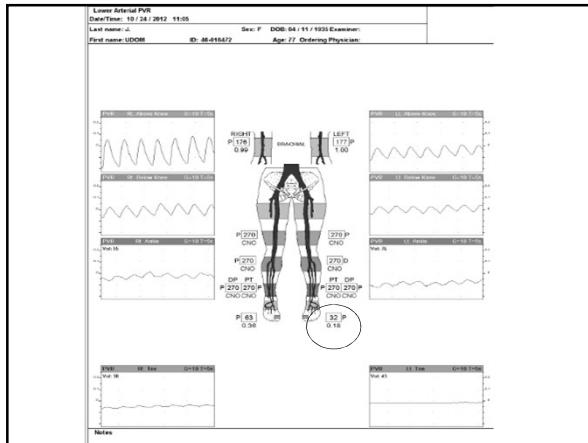
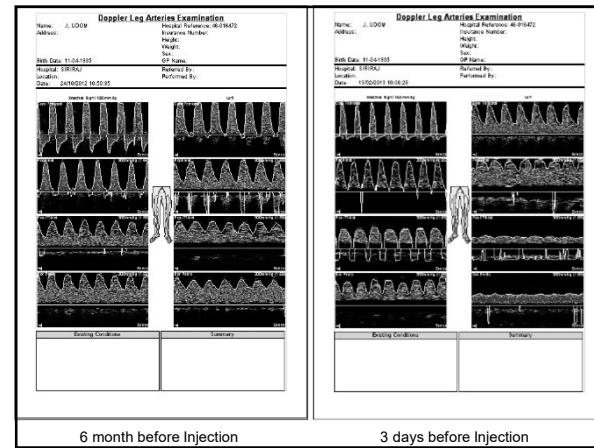
Stem cell injection



Case no.1



- Female 70 year old.
- Rest pain/ Gangrene
- Bilateral femoropopliteal occlusive disease
- Failed bypass surgery
- Gangrene extend to forefoot area
- HT, DM, Dyslipidemia



PBMNCs



PBMNC volume 60 cc.
CD34+ cells 1.16×10^6 / cc

PBMNC injection



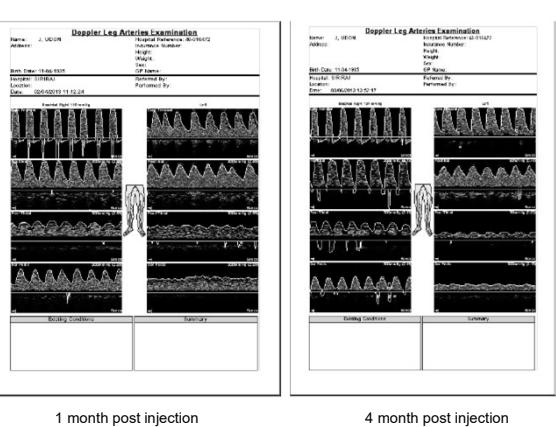
PBMNC injection



Post injection Day 1 (Feb 16 2013)

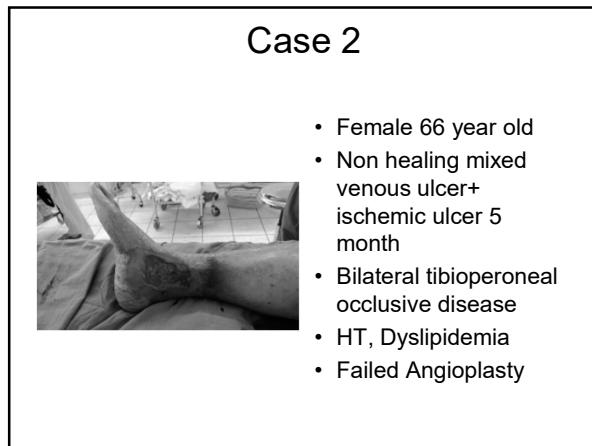
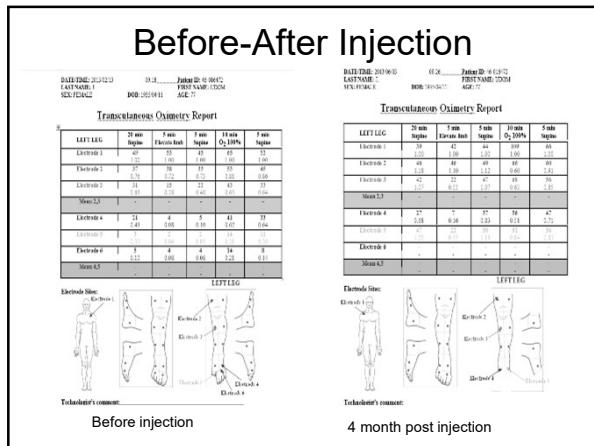


2 month after injection



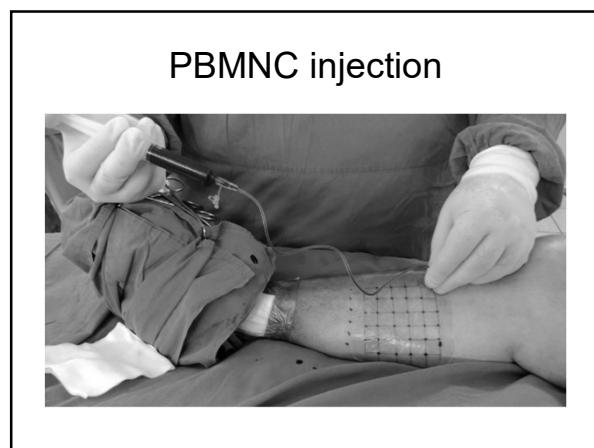
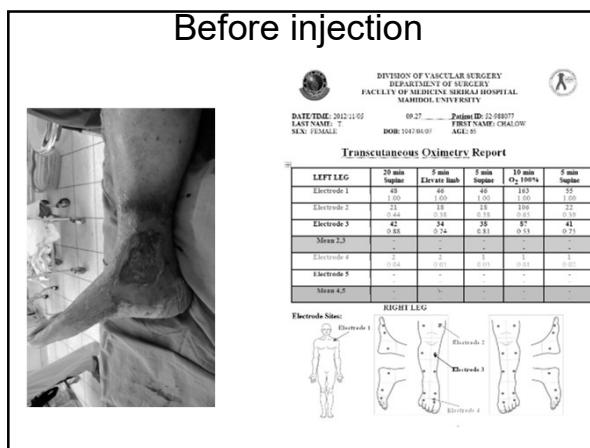
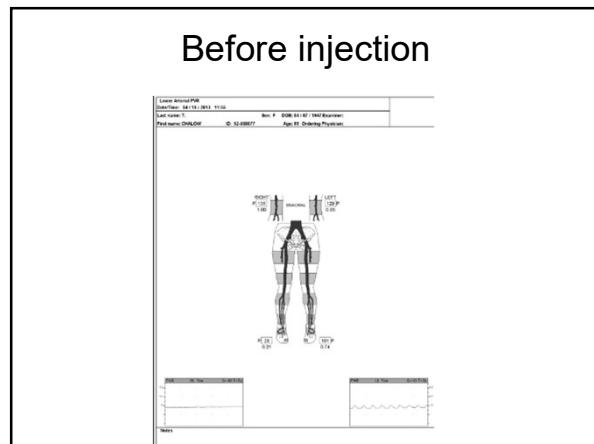
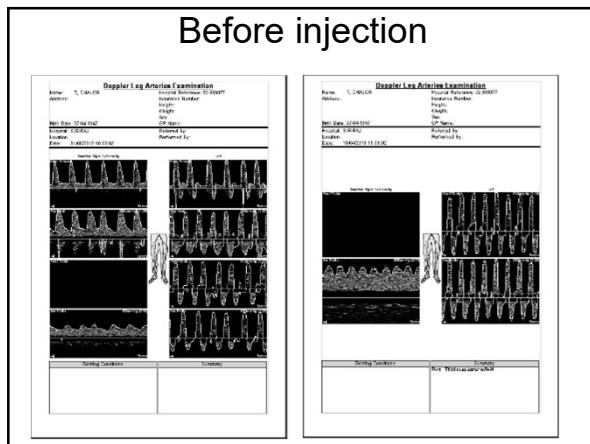
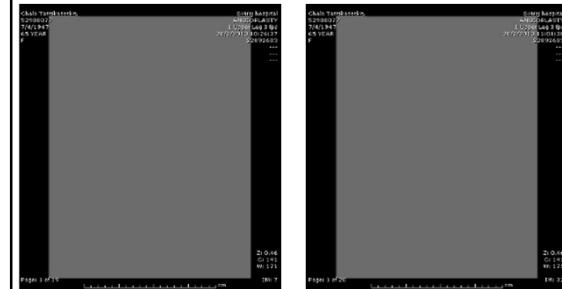
1 month post injection

4 month post injection

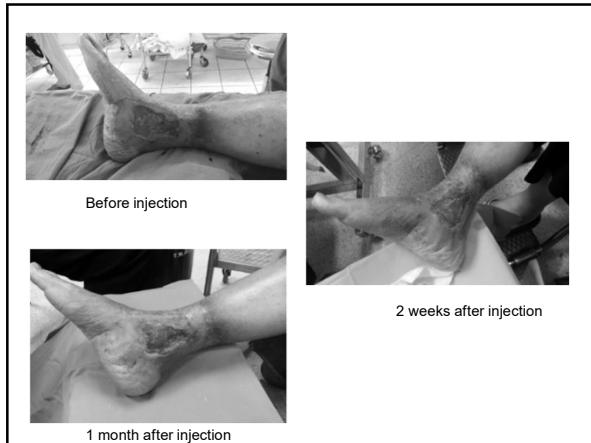
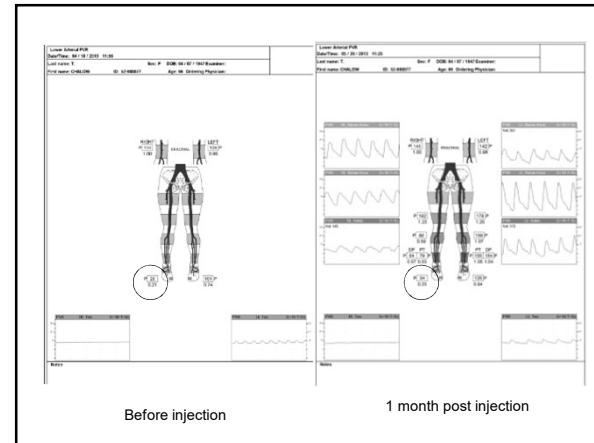
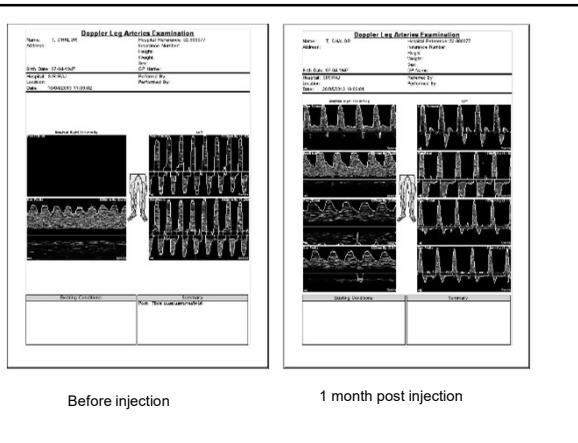
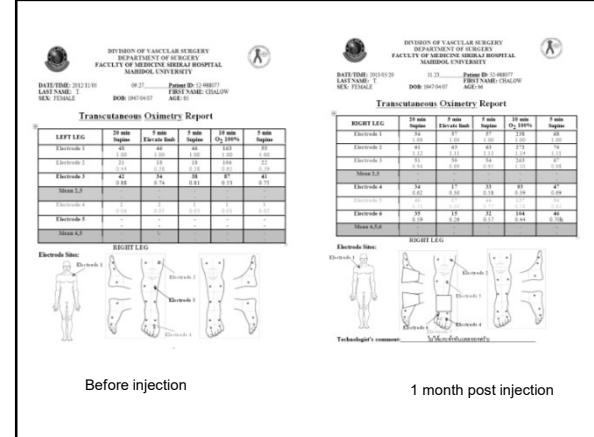




Failed Angioplasty



PBMNC injection



Case No.3



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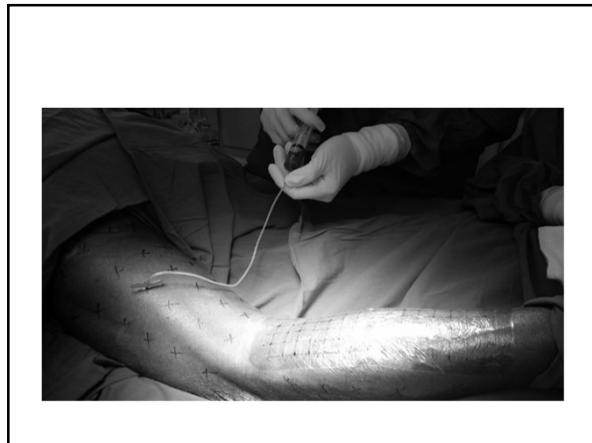
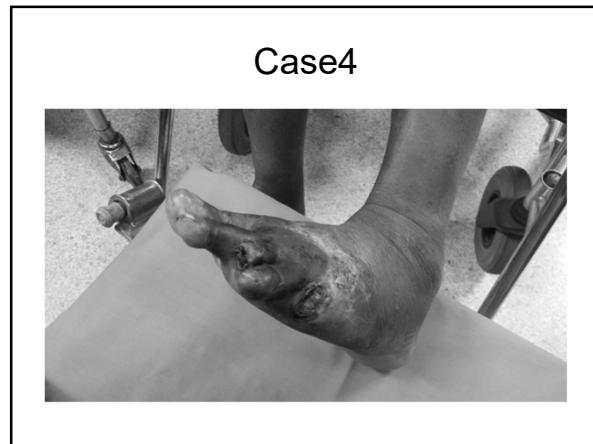


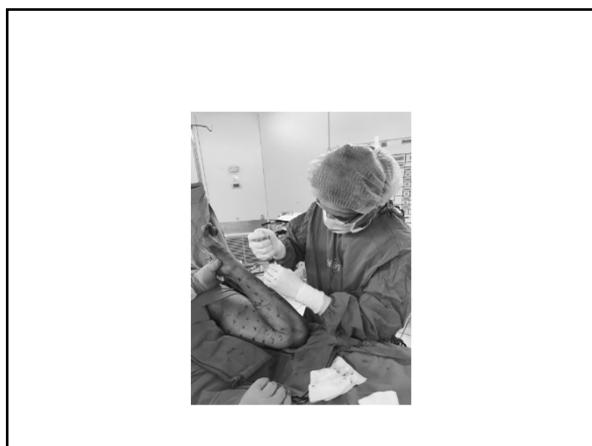
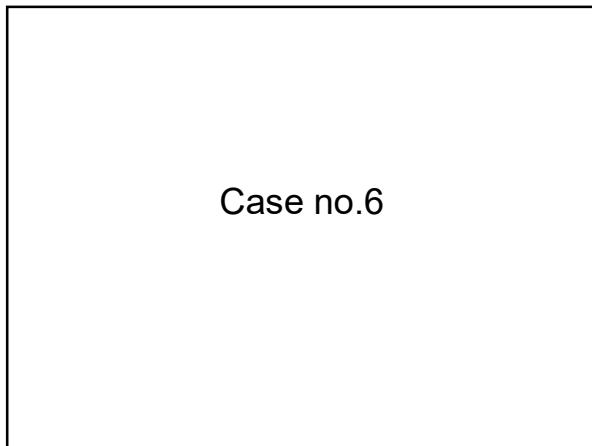
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After 2nd stem cell injection





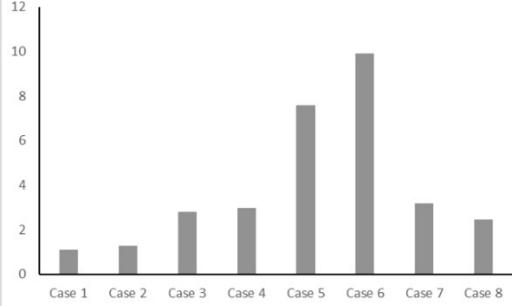
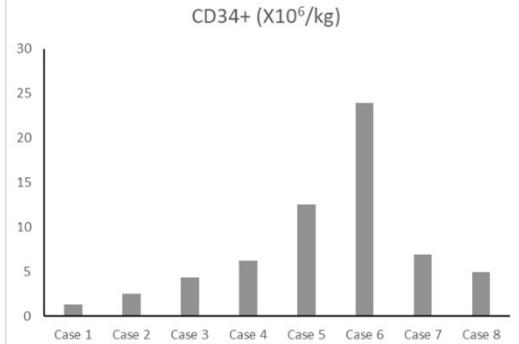


Patients characteristic : DM+Smoking

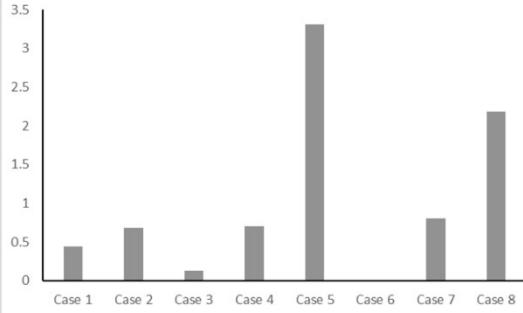
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2	66	F	Yes	No	No	Yes	Rt	105	1.28	2.53	0.68	1.35
3	62	M	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Rt	120	2.80	4.34	0.13	0.20
4	71	M	No	Yes	No	No	Lt	120	2.97	6.24	0.70	1.56
5	62	M	Yes	Yes	Yes	Rt	128	7.57	12.52	3.31	5.47	
6	71	F	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Both	123	9.91	23.91	NA	NA
7	72	F	Yes	No	No	Yes	Lt	123	3.19	6.97	0.80	1.74
8	66	M	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Lt	120	2.47	4.97	2.18	4.21

Patients characteristic :

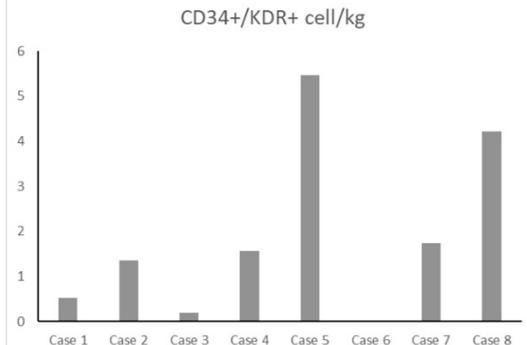
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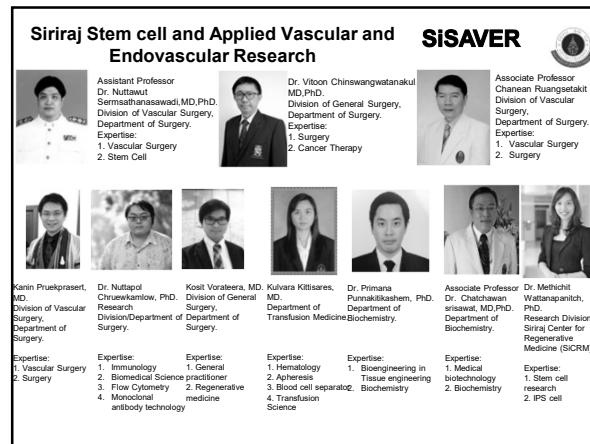
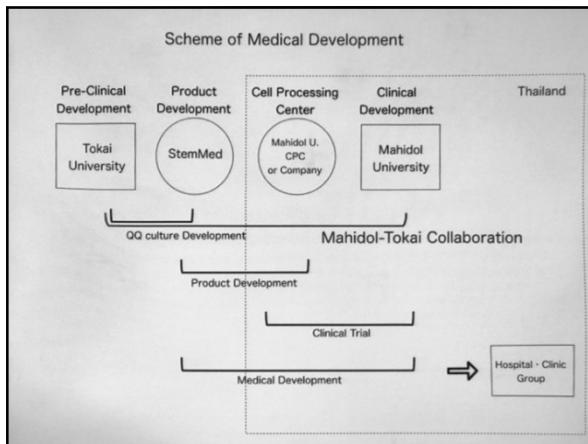
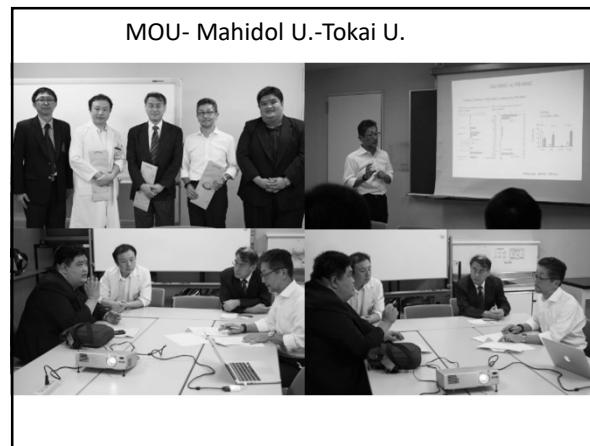
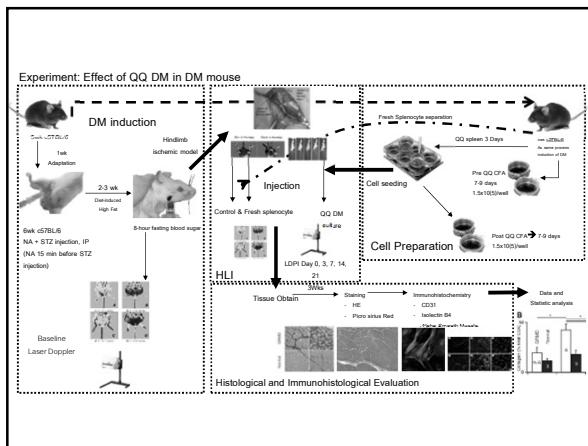
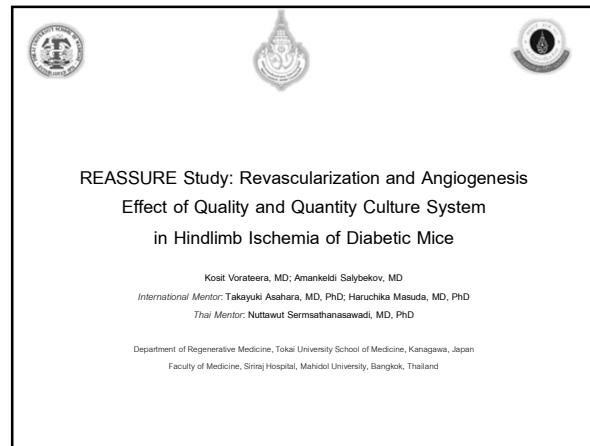
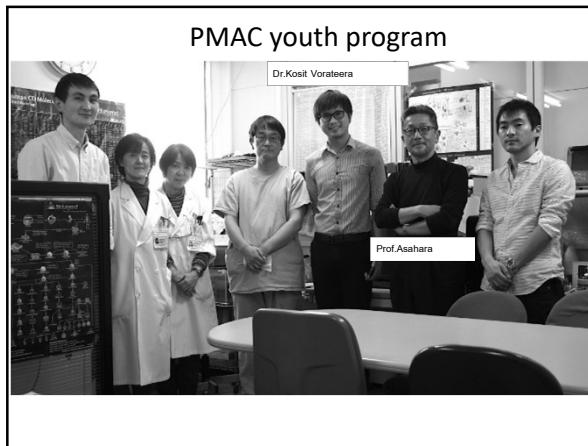
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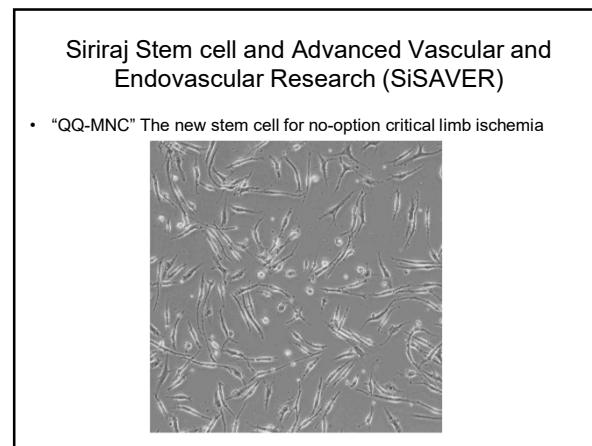
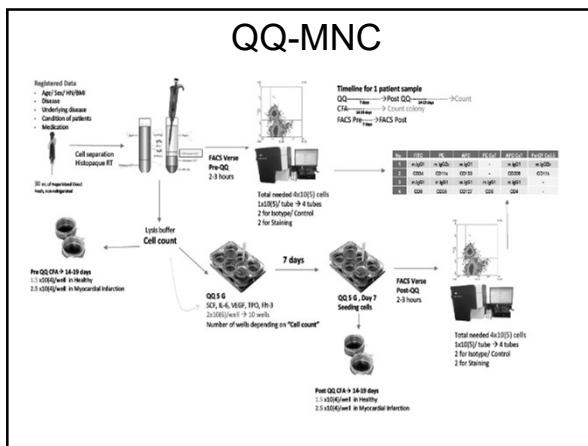
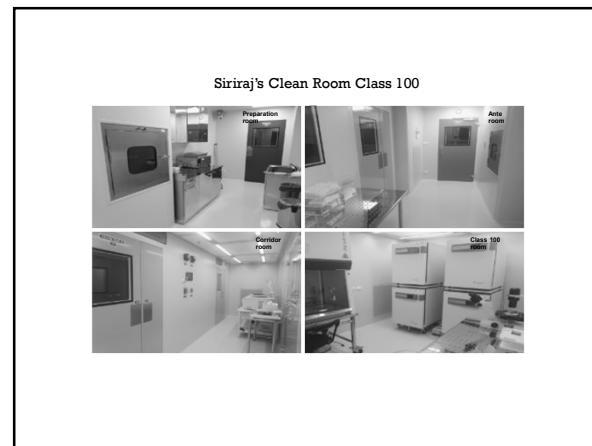
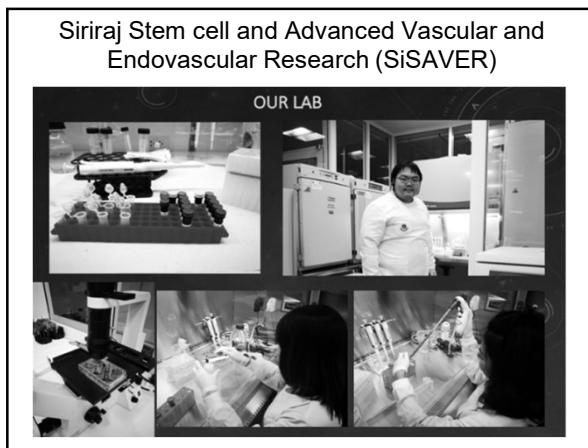
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CD34+/KDR+ cell/kg







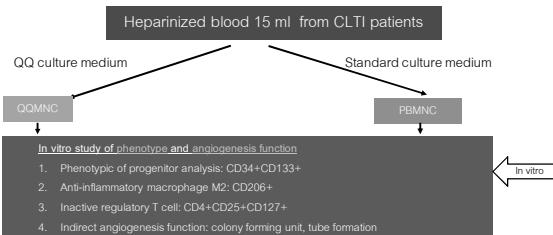
QQ-MNC from CLI patients

- To study the efficacy of QQMNC from critical limb ischemic patient
- To study the safety of QQMNC in animal model
- The ultimate goal of this study is to find the efficacy and safety evidence *in vivo*, in order to pave the way to the clinical trial of using autologous QQMNC in human as a next step.

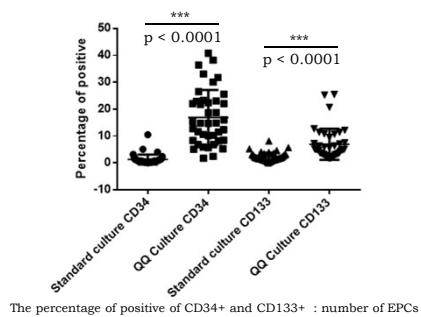
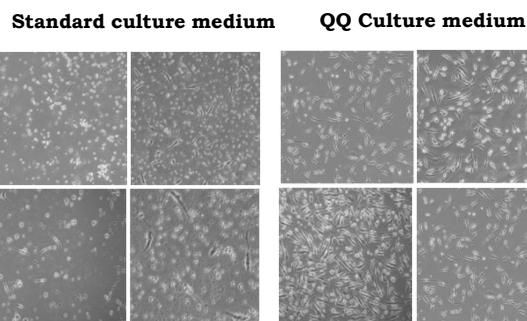
Study populations

Number of cases	22
Ages	65 +/-8
Male (n)	19
Female (n)	3
Gangrene (n)	13
Non-healing ulcer (n)	9
Diabetes mellitus type II (n)	14

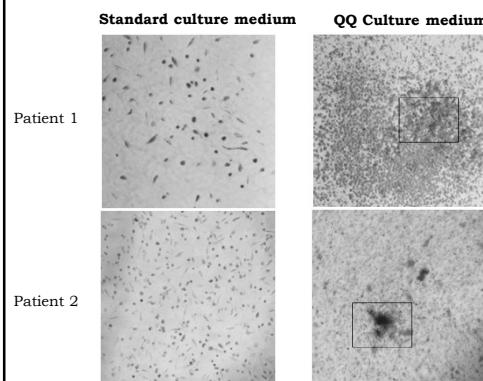
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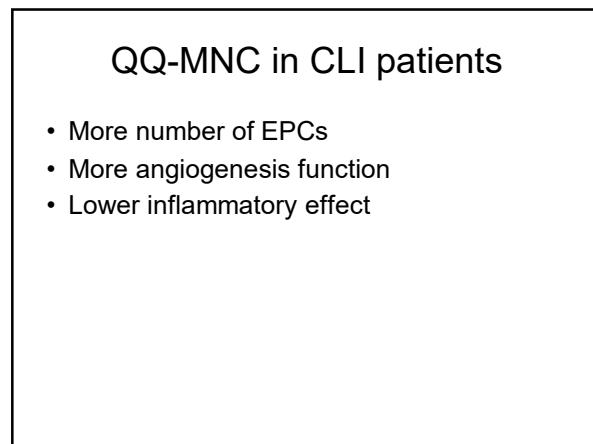
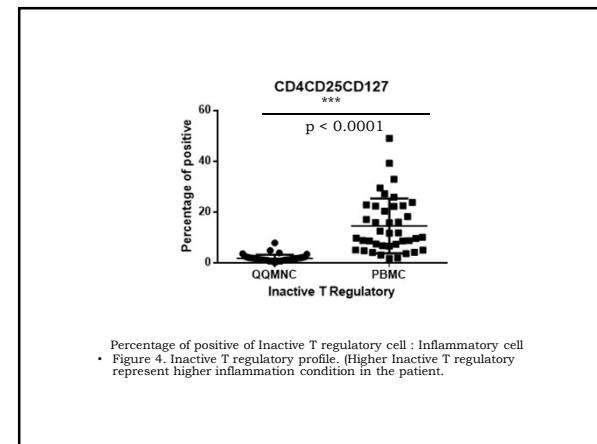
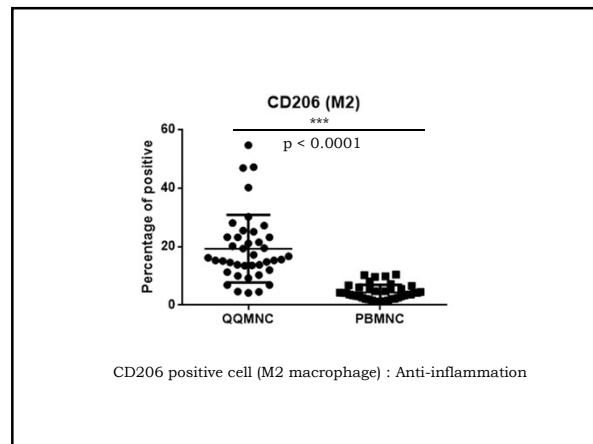
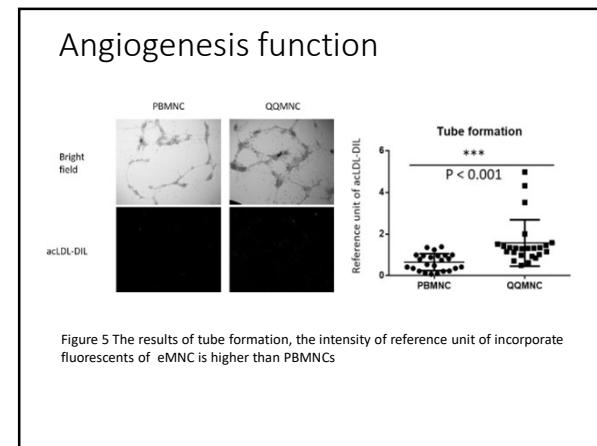
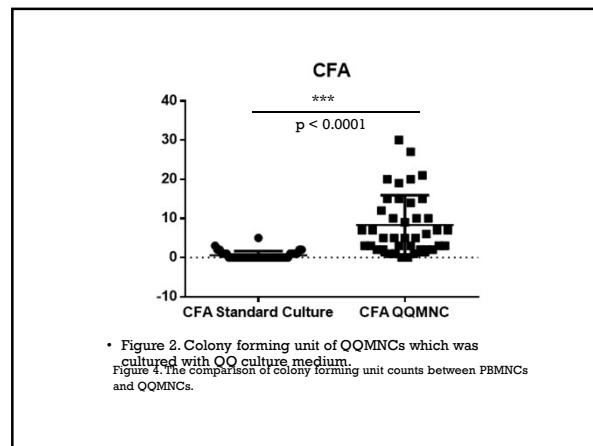


QQ-MNC FROM CLI PATIENTS



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EFFICACY AND SAFETY STUDY OF QQ-MNC IN CRITICAL LIMB ISCHEMIC ANIMAL MODEL

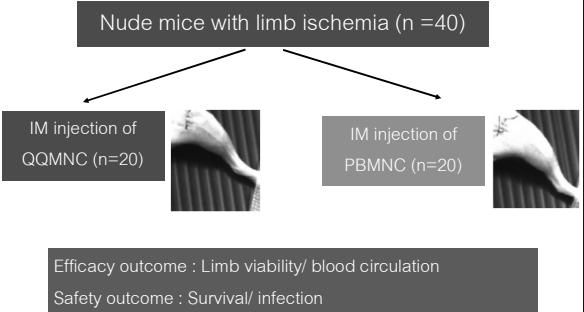
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IN VIVO STUDY

Pilot cross-sectional study



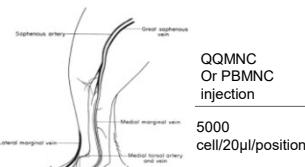
QQ-MNC injection in Animal ischemic model

- Nude mice
 - BALB/cAJcl-nu/nu
 - Lacking of T cell
 - Proper for Xeno-transplantation

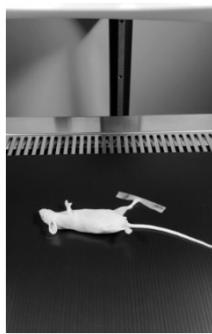


Ischemic mice model

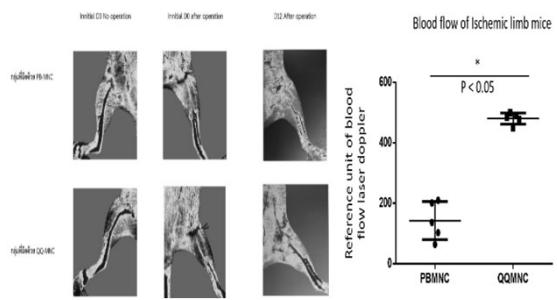
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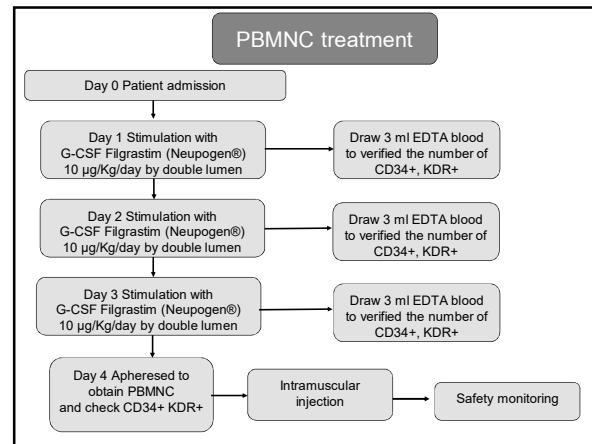
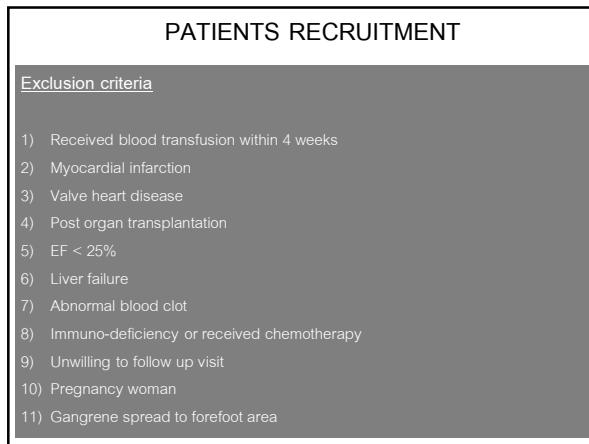
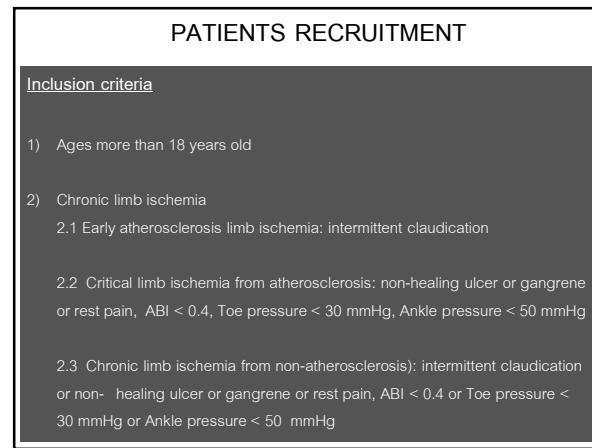
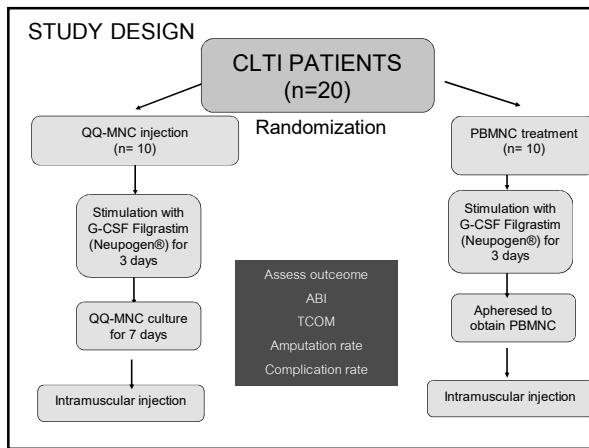
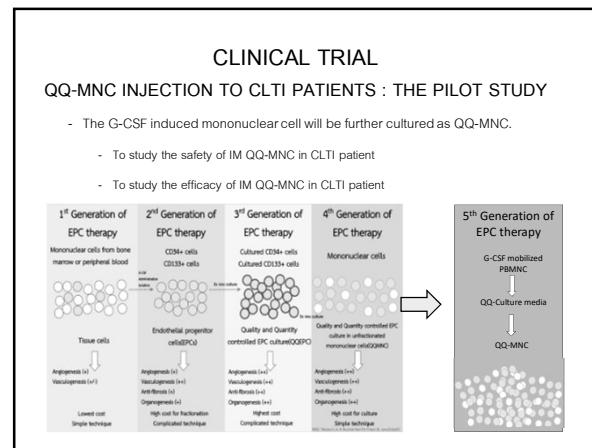
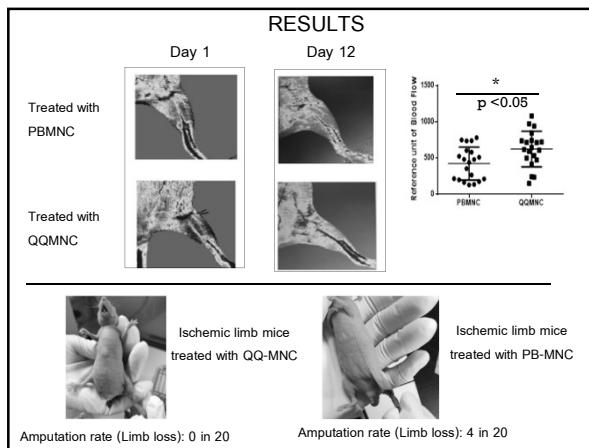


Blood flow measurement



The comparison of blood flow :PBMNC vs QQMNC



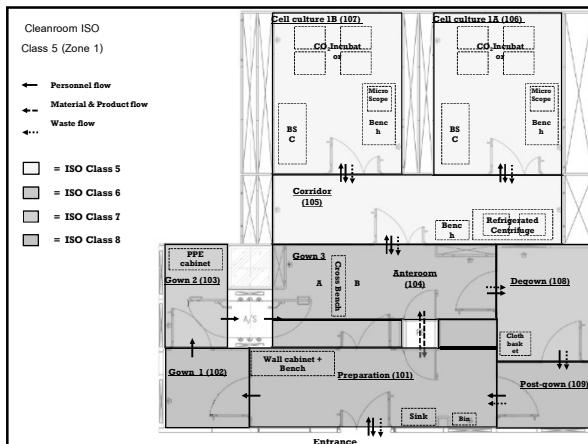
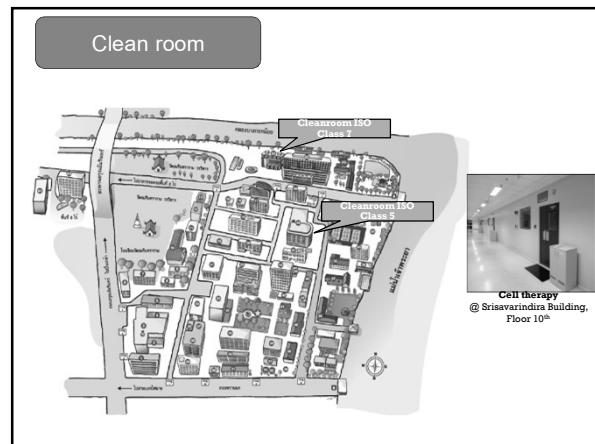
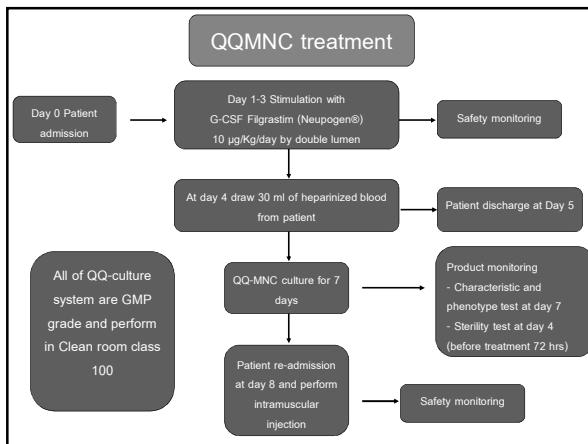


POSSIBLE COMPLICATION

- 1) Edema, swelling, diarrhea, oral pain, vomiting as complication of Neupogen.
- 2) Pneumonia hemothorax as possible complication from double lumen method.
- 3) Infection at injection site.

SAFETY MONITORING

- 1) Injection location (Bruise, infection)
- 2) Blood test
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PHENOTYPE AND STERILITY MONITORING

Phenotypic monitoring

- 1) CD34+, CD133+
- 2) CD206+
- 3) CD3+CD4+CD25+CD127

Sterility monitoring

Contamination	Method	Frequency/timing	Assessor	Reference
Microorganism contamination negative	Microscopy observation Culture supernatant with Agar test plate	Every day Day 4 (72 hrs before injection)	In house Department of Microbiology Faculty of Medicine Siriraj	Masuda, et al. USP <71>
	Real time PCR	Day 4 (72 hrs before injection)		ISO 17025
Mycoplasma contamination negative		Day 4 (72 hrs before injection)	Division of Research Faculty of Medicine Siriraj	
	Culture supernatant with LAL Assay		Division of Research Faculty of Medicine Siriraj	USP <85>, <161>

Pseudotoxin level < 0.2 EU/ml Assay

OUTCOME MEASUREMENT

Efficacy

- ABI, TCOM
- Amputation rate
- Monitor at 1, 3, 6, 12 month

Safety

- Infection rate
- Complication rate
- Monitor at 1, 3, 6, 12 month

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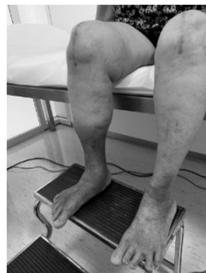
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Atrophie blanche**Lipodermatosclerosis****Corona phlebectatica****Management of C_{6,S}**

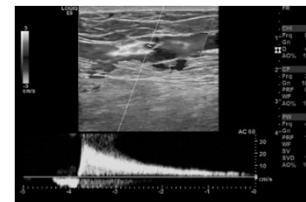
- Arterial pulse examination and measurement of ankle-brachial index
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 - assess for venous reflux and obstruction
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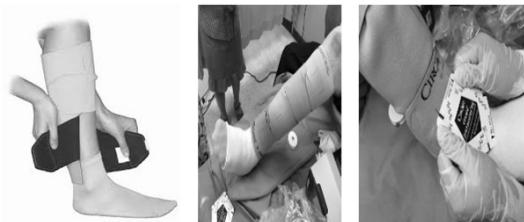
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- Medication for healing ulcer: MPFF ; Pentoxifylline, Sulfodexide
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 - Correct ICVO
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 - UGFS/ RFA
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 - In case of nonhealing ulcer after superficial, perforator ablation
- Recalcitrant VLU
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 - Hb spray

Compression therapy in Thailand

- Single component bandaging (elastic bandage)
- Multicomponent bandaging
- Elastic compression stockings



Velcro Compression Stocking



Spiral elastic bandaging technique



Stretch 50%, Overlap 50%
Adequate target sub bandage pressure
Resident 25%
Patient (self performed) 33 %

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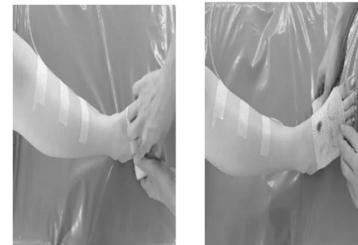
CPG-EB

- CPG-EB
 - improve efficacy of compression bandaging
 - Reusable
 - Cheap
 - Adjust desired sub-bandage pressure



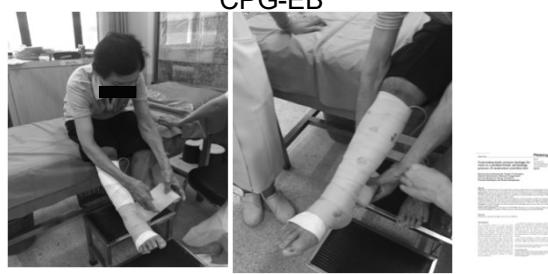
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Compression for treatment of venous ulcers

- Intermittent pneumatic pressure (IPC)
- in patients who cannot or will not use an adequate compression dressing system (Level I)



Wound Rep Reg (2006) 14 649–662

Dressings applied to venous ulcers in addition to compression

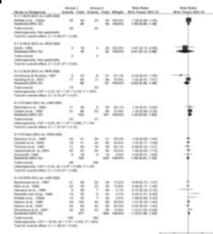
- Dressings promote moist wound healing



BMJ 2007;335:244
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Dressings applied to venous ulcers in addition to compression

- No one dressing type has been shown to be superior when used with appropriate compression therapy
- Consider dressing based on
 - Wound characteristic
 - Dressing property



Dermatol Online J. 2016 Aug

Selection of wound dressing

- Manage venous leg ulcer exudate
 - Absorb wound exudate produced by the ulcer
 - Protect the perulcer skin.
 - Maintain a moist, warm wound bed
- Based on wound location, size, depth, moisture balance, presence of infection, allergies, comfort, odor management, ease and frequency of dressing changes, cost, and availability



J Vasc Surg 2014;60:3

Selection of wound dressing

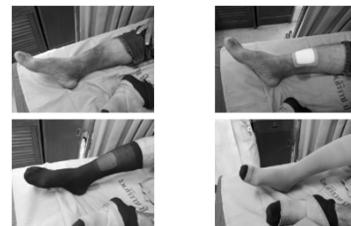
- Depend on compression method
 - Multilayered wrapped dressings
 - Can change wound dressing every 7 days
 - Foam
 - Compression Stocking/ Customized Bandage/EB/Velcro Stocking
 - Can change wound dressing any time
 - Any wound dressing depend on wound characteristic*



Selection of wound dressing

	No infection	Infection
No exudate	Film	-
Low Exudate	Hydrogel Hydrocolloid	Ag paste/ SZD/ cadexomer iodine
Moderate exudate	Hydrofiber	Hydrofiber/alginate /foam +Ag
High exudate	Alginate/ Foam	Alginate + Ag Foam + Ag

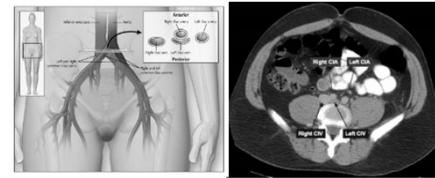
Foam Hydrofiber +GCS



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May-Thurner syndrome



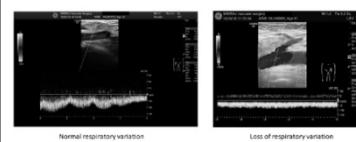
Rt common iliac artery === Lt common iliac vein



Patients with CEAP C4b C5 and C6 : >50% ICVO by CTV 28.1%

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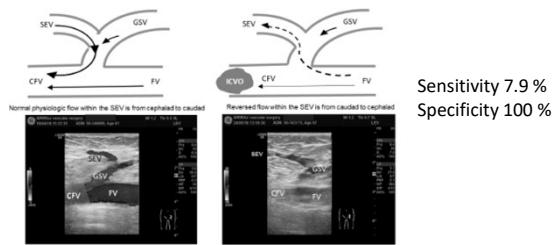
Loss of resp variation in CFV



Sensitivity 23.7%
Specificity 100%

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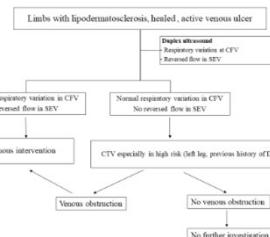
Reversed flow in SEV



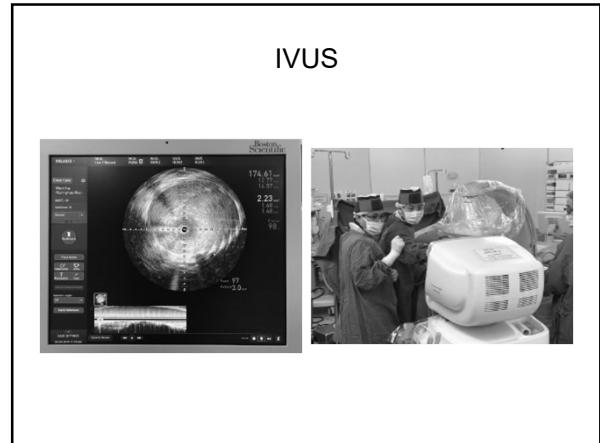
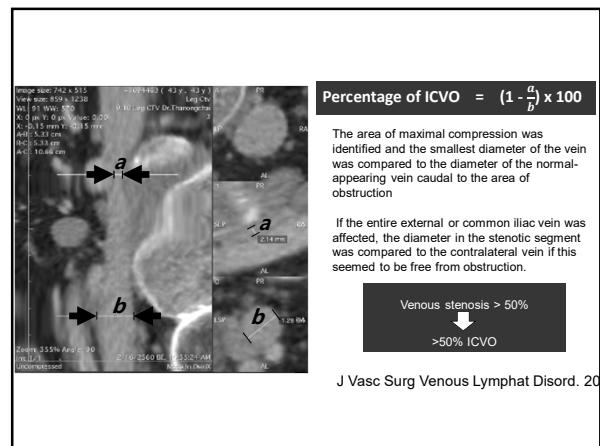
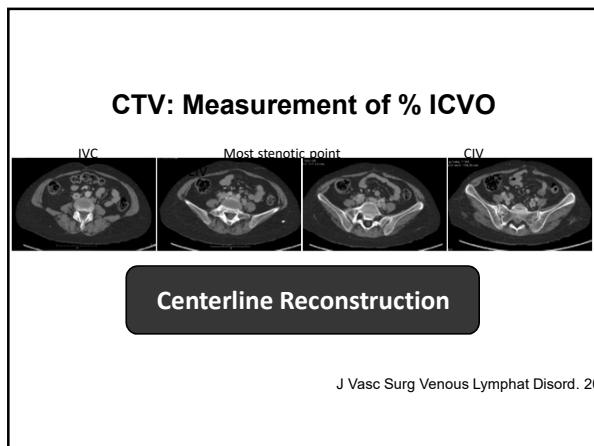
Sensitivity 7.9 %
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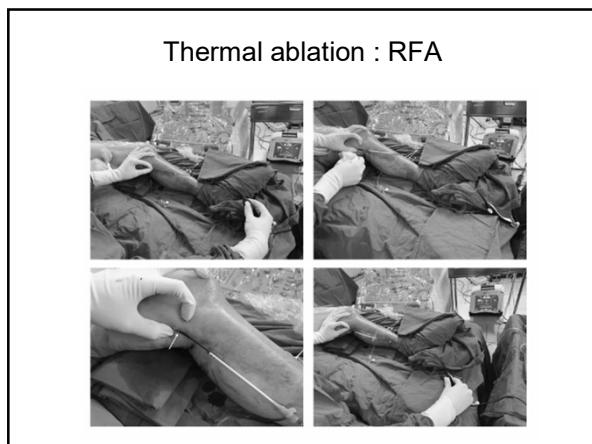
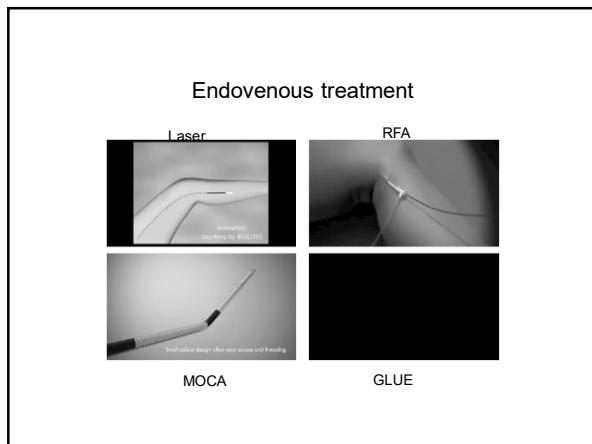
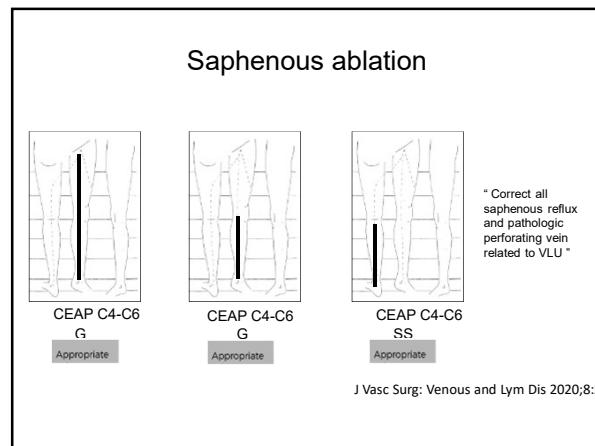
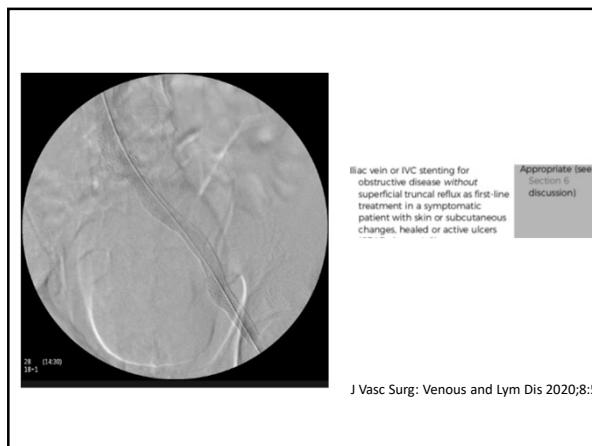
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ICVO algorithms



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Venaseal of SSV



Early saphenous ablation : Increase healing

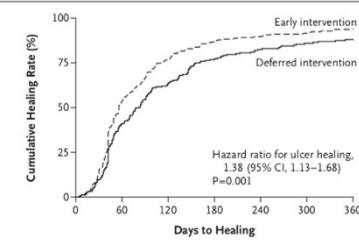
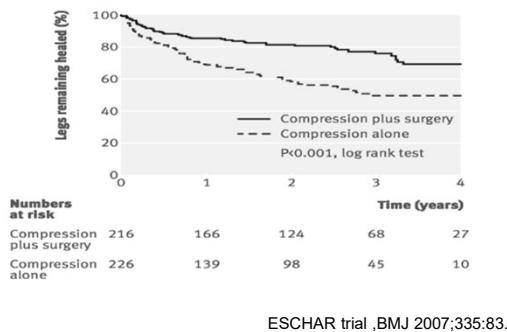


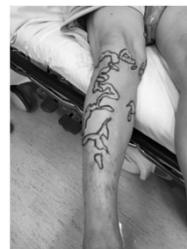
Figure 2. Kaplan-Meier Curves for Time to Ulcer Healing in the Two Treatment Groups.

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Saphenous ablation : Prevent recurrence



How to manage varicosity below knee level in CEAP C6 ?



Phlebectomy
Foam sclerotherapy

Appropriate

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Phlebectomy



Venous reflux surgery

- Superficial vein surgery
 - High ligation+ Venous stripping
 - Ambulatory phlebectomy
 - UGFS
 - Ablation: radiofrequency, laser/MOCA/ GLUE
- Perforator veins surgery
 - Perforator ligation
 - UGFS
 - LASER/RFA
- Deep vein surgery
 - Axillary valve transplantation
 - Valve repair (Vulvuloplasty)

Perforator incompetence



Perforator vein treatment of veins with high outward flow and large diameter directed toward affected area in a symptomatic patient with skin or subcutaneous changes, healed or active ulcers (CEAP classes 4-6)

Appropriate (see section 5 discussion)

Pathologic perforating vein

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Factors that influence venous leg ulcer healing and recurrence rate after endovenous radiofrequency ablation of incompetent saphenous vein

Abstract
Objective: To evaluate risk factors for failure of endovenous radiofrequency (RF) ablation of incompetent saphenous veins (SVs) in patients with chronic venous disease (CVD) and venous leg ulcers (VLUs).
Methods: We performed a retrospective study of 100 consecutive patients with VLUs who underwent RF ablation of incompetent SVs. All patients had CVD and were evaluated according to the Clinical, Etiological, Anatomical, Pathophysiological (CEAP) classification. The primary outcome was the presence of VLU at 1-year follow-up. Secondary outcomes included the number of VLUs per patient, the number of patients with VLUs, and the number of patients with recurrent VLUs.

Results: Of the 100 patients, 80% had class 3 CVD and 20% had class 4 CVD. The mean age was 61 years (range, 30–85 years). The mean number of VLUs per patient was 1.2 (range, 1–5). The mean number of patients with VLUs was 1.2 (range, 1–5). The mean number of patients with recurrent VLUs was 0.5 (range, 0–2). At 1-year follow-up, 70% of patients had no VLU, 20% had one VLU, and 10% had two VLUs. The mean number of VLUs per patient was 0.5 (range, 0–2). The mean number of patients with VLUs was 0.5 (range, 0–2). The mean number of patients with recurrent VLUs was 0.2 (range, 0–1). The mean number of patients with recurrent VLUs was 0.2 (range, 0–1).

Conclusion: RF ablation of incompetent SVs is effective in curing VLUs. However, the risk of recurrence is high, particularly in patients with class 4 CVD. Further studies are needed to identify risk factors for VLU recurrence.

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Infrainguinal deep venous reflux

- C4b,C5,C6
 - Primary valve repair [GRADE – 2C]
 - Valve transposition or transplantation [GRADE – 2C]
 - Autogenous valve substitute [GRADE – 2C]
 - Don't ligation of the femoral or popliteal veins as routine [GRADE – 2C]



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VLU and Venous surgery

Looking for ICVO and treat first in C4b, C5 ,C6

- GSV reflux
 - For C2,C3,C4a : Above knee GSV ablation is enough
 - For C4b,C5,C6 - To lowest part of GSV reflux
- Branch varicosity : UGFS/Phlebectomy
- Pathologic perforator reflux: UGFS/RFA/Laser



Treat deep vein reflux if other causes were corrected (C5,C6 only)




Thank you

