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Traitement orthopédique  
et traitement chirurgical  
dans la Paralyse Cérébrale (PC)

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# PLAN

- Généralités de prise en charge de ces enfants PC et leur famille

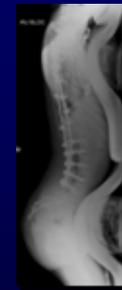
- Traitement des membres inférieurs

- chirurgical
- orthopédique



- Traitement du rachis

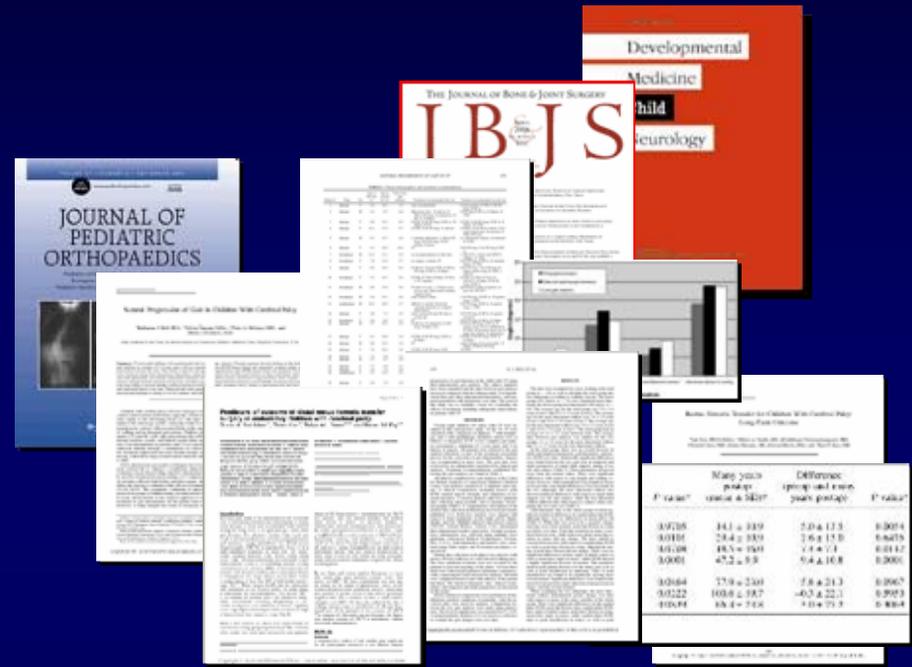
- chirurgical
- orthopédique



- Traitement des membres supérieur

# Généralités

- Publications scientifiques



- Comprendre des principes éprouvés pour appréhender ces patients, leurs familles et leur pathologie

# Généralités

Il ne s'agit pas de la correction chirurgicale d'une anomalie isolée mais du suivi à long terme d'un jeune patient.

Le chirurgien doit s'inscrire dans la séquence :

- Acceptation de la maladie
- Acceptation des thérapeutes (consultation multidisciplinaire)
- Acceptation des thérapeutiques

# Généralités

Donc éviter de proposer une intervention chirurgicale à la 1<sup>ère</sup> Cs:  
l'intervention orthopédique dans la PC n'est JAMAIS une urgence.



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# Généralités

- Qu'attend le patient de l'intervention

Qu'attendent les parents de l'intervention

- Résultats attendus

Principales complications potentielles

Suites opératoires

# Généralités

- Equipe multidisciplinaire.
- Chirurgien seul à faire face à la responsabilité chirurgicale.

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

- Spasticité
- Rétractions (allongement, ténotomie)
- Déséquilibres musculaires (transfert musculaire)
- Troubles architecturaux osseux et articulaires  
(troubles torsionnels, troubles d'axe, luxation de hanche)

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions

- La spasticité génère
  - réduction de 50% de la croissance en longueur des fibres musculaires
  - réduction de la surface de section donc force moins importante
  - Plus de fibres de type I (fibres lentes) - Contraction musculaire plus lent
- Temps de latence nerveuse périphérique plus lente



Muscle growth in normal and spastic mice  
*I. Ziv, N. Blackburn, M. Rang, J. Koreska*  
Dev Med Child Neurol 1984. 26: 94-99

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions

La rétraction est une déformation tertiaire faisant suite à la spasticité

→ La rétraction augmente la force passive

→ mais réduit la force active (longueur des fibres musculaires)

***Donc course réduite avec contraction plus lente pour une force réduite***

# Traitement chirurgical : Complexe musculo-tendineux

## Rétractions

- Allongement
- Ténotomie

## Anomalie d'activité +/- Rétractions

- Transfert tendineux

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions: Indication ténotomie

Ténotomie est utilisée pour :

- réduire une position vicieuse (marchant ou non marchant)
- neutraliser l'action d'un muscle délétère

Affaibli le muscle considéré :

- Attention aux enfants déambulants
- Attention aux muscles biarticulaires

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Indication allongement

Allongement est utilisée pour :

- *redonner une course normale à un muscle*
- conserver sa fonction

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Indications transfert musculaire

- Supprimer l'action délétère d'un muscle qui a une action inappropriée se contractant le plus souvent à un moment inopportun.
- Restituer
  - une position
  - ou un mouvement si le transfert est actif
- Le plus souvent chez l'enfant marchant
- Parfois aussi chez l'enfant non marchant

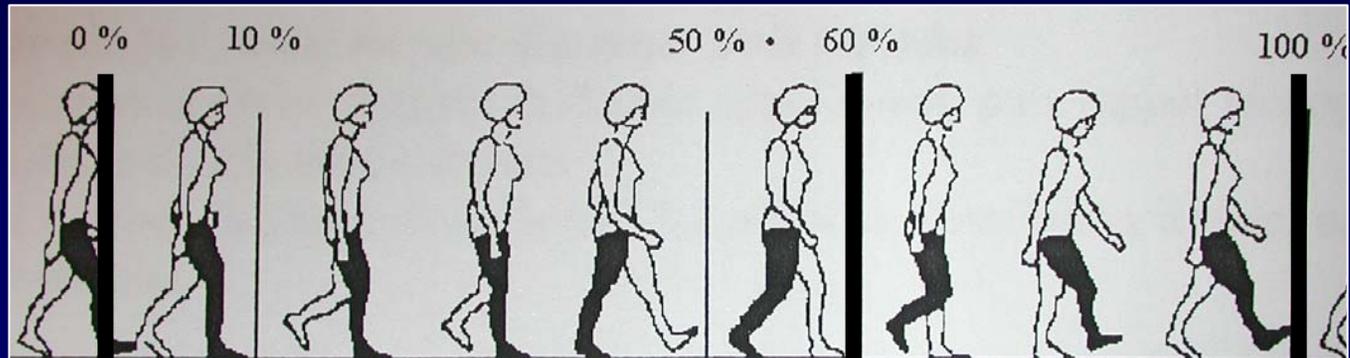
# Cheville - Triceps sural



Soléaire (genou fléchi)

Gastrocnémiens (genou tendu)

# Cheville - Triceps sural



réussir, par ce seul moyen, à effacer solidement les difformités dont il s'agit, tient à celle d'opérer ce même changement dans la nutrition des muscles; que, partout où il se prononce, on peut espérer d'y réussir, même après la période de l'enfance, comme nous pourrions en citer des exemples; que, si les effets de ce changement ne se manifestent pas bientôt, on ne peut rien espérer de l'extension seule, même à un âge peu avancé. C'est dans un cas de cette dernière espèce, que nous avons pratiqué avec succès la section du tendon d'Achille (1); opération dont il n'y avait encore qu'un autre exemple, et qui n'avait pas été érigée en méthode, ni soumise à des préceptes réguliers, et que nous persistons à regarder comme une ressource qui peut avoir son utilité (2). Ce

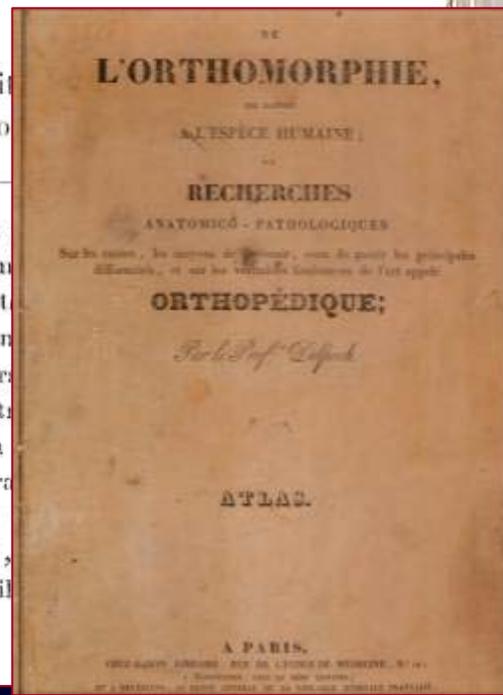
(1) Voyez Chirurgie clinique de Montpellier, Tom. I: Mém. sur les *Pied-bots*.

(2) Le rédacteur d'un journal de la Capitale, qui s'est refusé à insérer une réclamation de notre part sur l'inconvenance de son langage à notre égard, s'étonne que nous ayons sérieusement proposé cette opération. S'il s'était donné la peine de lire l'histoire que nous en avons publiée, il aurait vu

n'est donc pas par l'âge du sujet, mais bien par la possibilité de changer l'ordre de la nutrition dans les muscles trop courts, que l'on doit décider la question de la possibilité de guérir un *pied-bot* par la seule extension; de la nécessité de recourir à la section des tendons qui opposent une résistance invincible; et cette résistance doit être bien constatée par des épreuves suffisamment prolongées et puissantes, avant de décider, sans retour, la ressource à laquelle il convient de s'arrêter.

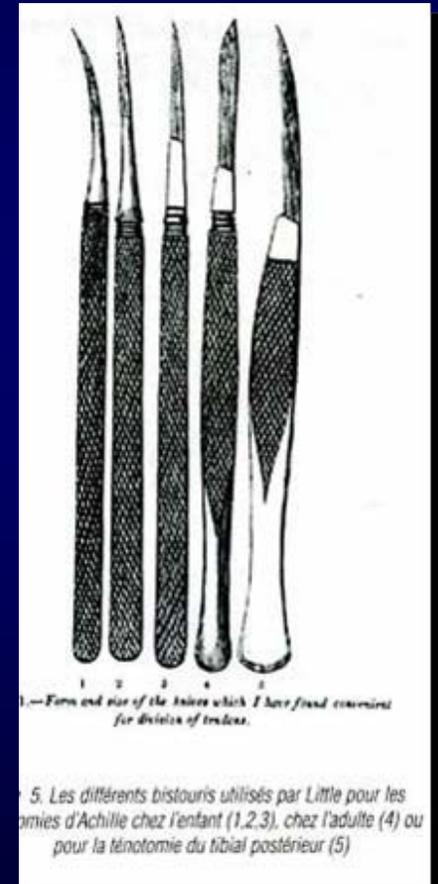
§. CCCXXVII. Si l'on croit de l'opération fondée sur de bo

que nous ne l'avons pas seulement encore pratiquée avec un succès complet. Les auteurs de la Revue médicale ont tenu que l'opération était une faute; mais ils en ont discuté le mérite. Nos collaborateurs nous pouvons leur assurer qu'il y a des cas qui sont d'insurmontables. Ces cas sont rares, nous pouvons, comme tout autre, nous en procurer plus de guérison à plus de 55 ans, nous pouvons recourir à cette ressource; mais, il y a des cas où elle sera précieuse.



# *Little 1810-1894*

- *Pied varus équin gauche*
- *Rencontre avec JM Despech*
- *Intervention par Strohmeyer (Hanovre)*
  - *Percutanée*
- *1ère ténotomie britannique :*
  - 20 février 1837*
  - *L'intervention ne dure pas plus « d'un quart de minutes »*



# Triceps sural

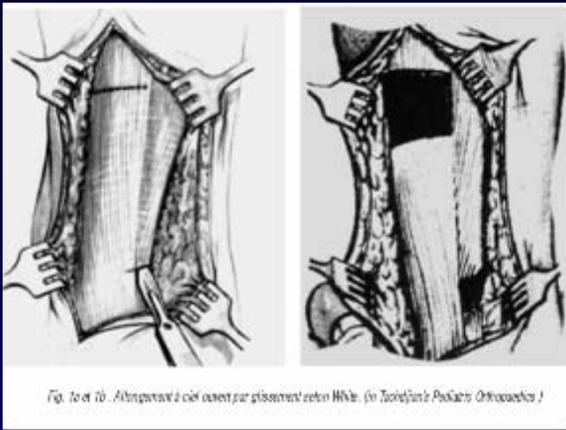


Fig. 1a et 1b. Allongement à ciel ouvert par glissement retro HNls. (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

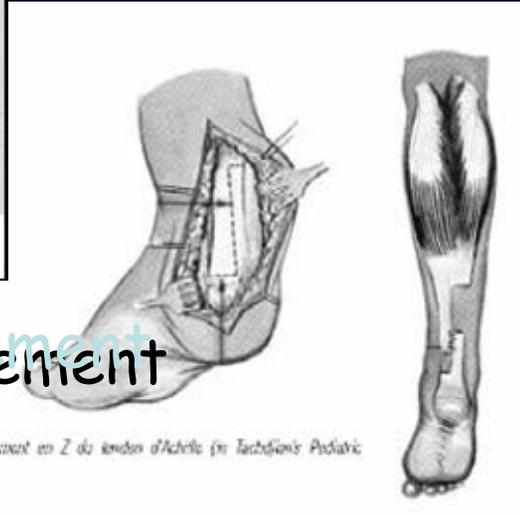


Fig. 2. Allongement en Z du tendon d'Achille (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

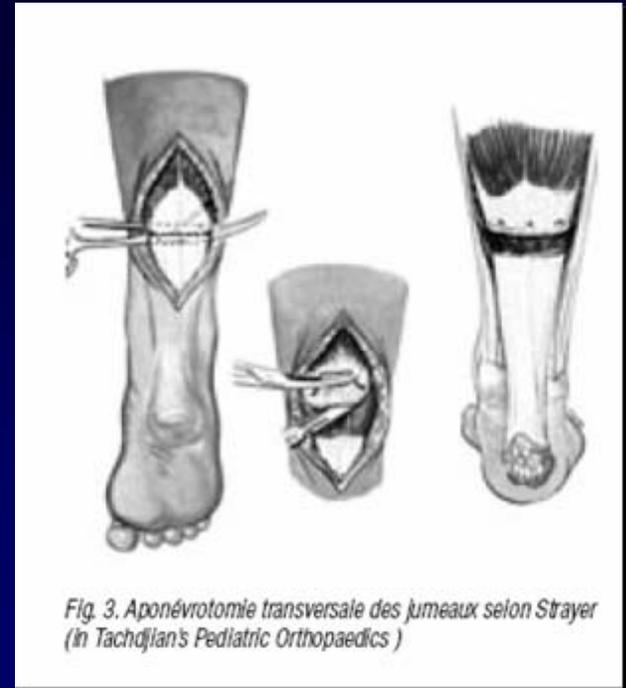


Fig. 3. Aponévrotomie transversale des jumeaux selon Strayer (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

Rétractions: Allongement



Fig. 5 : Aponévrotomie en chevron de Volpius, avec section du raphé médian du muscle soléaire (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

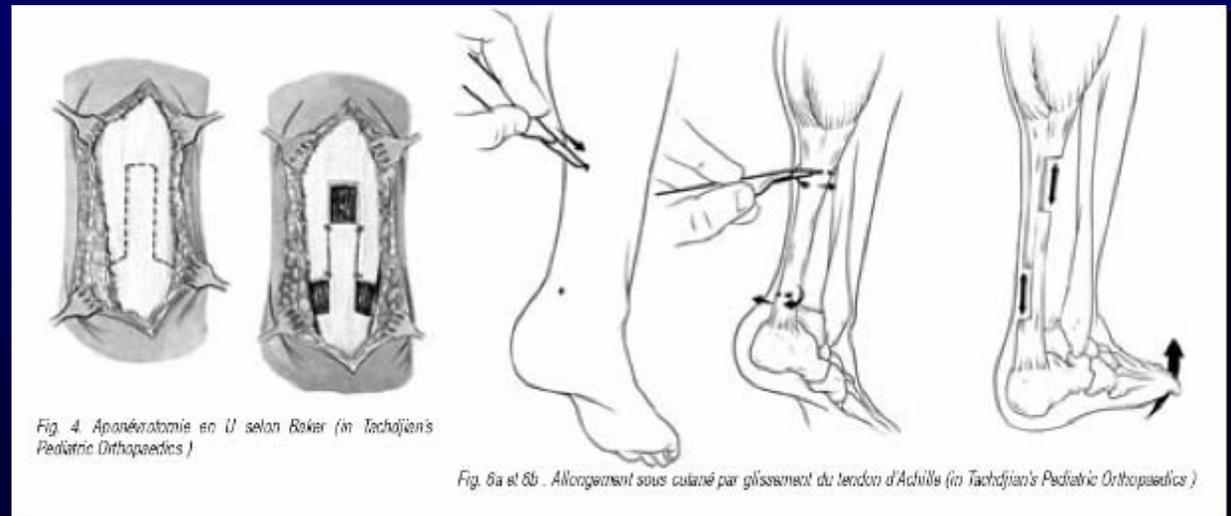


Fig. 4. Aponévrotomie en U selon Baker (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

Fig. 6a et 6b. Allongement sous cutané par glissement du tendon d'Achille (in Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics.)

# Rétractions: Allongement

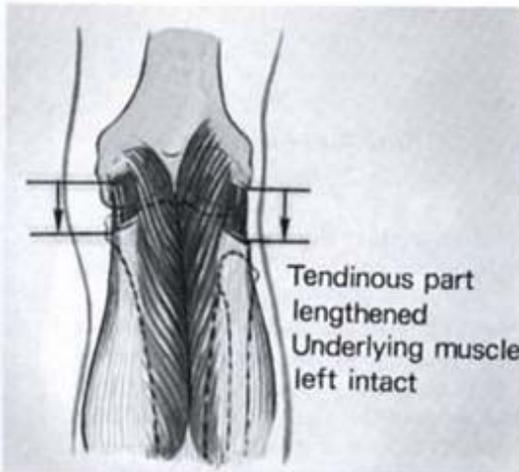
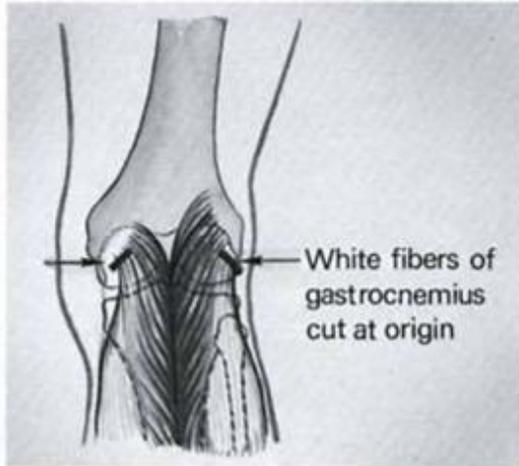
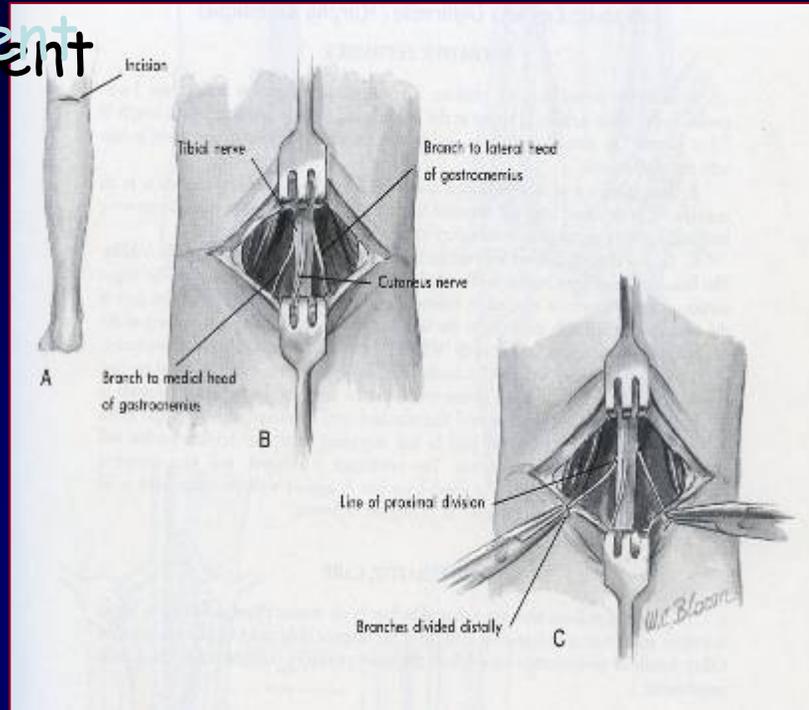
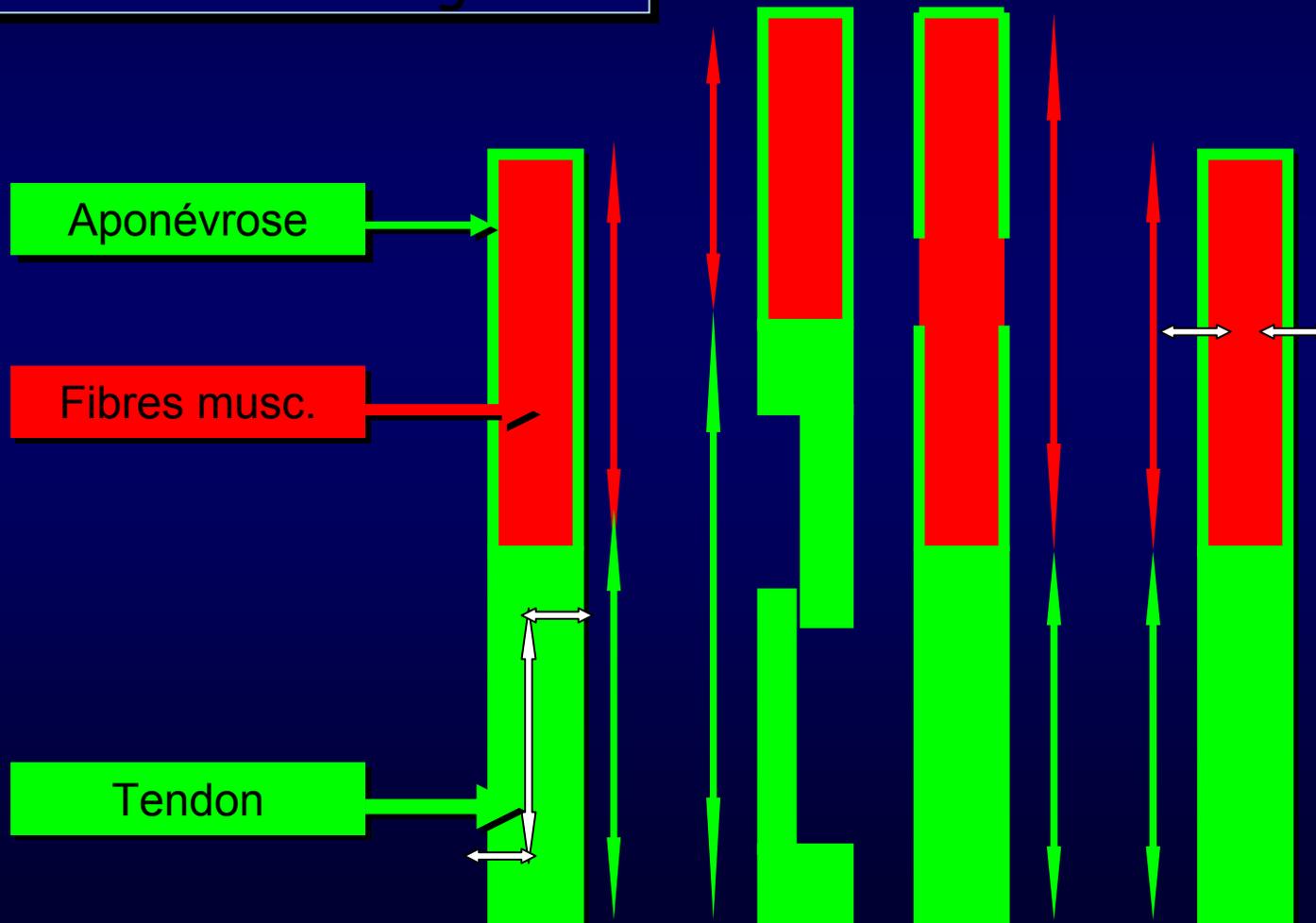


FIGURE 5-41. Proximal (above-knee) recession of gastrocnemius, technique of Green (1942) and Baker (1954).



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

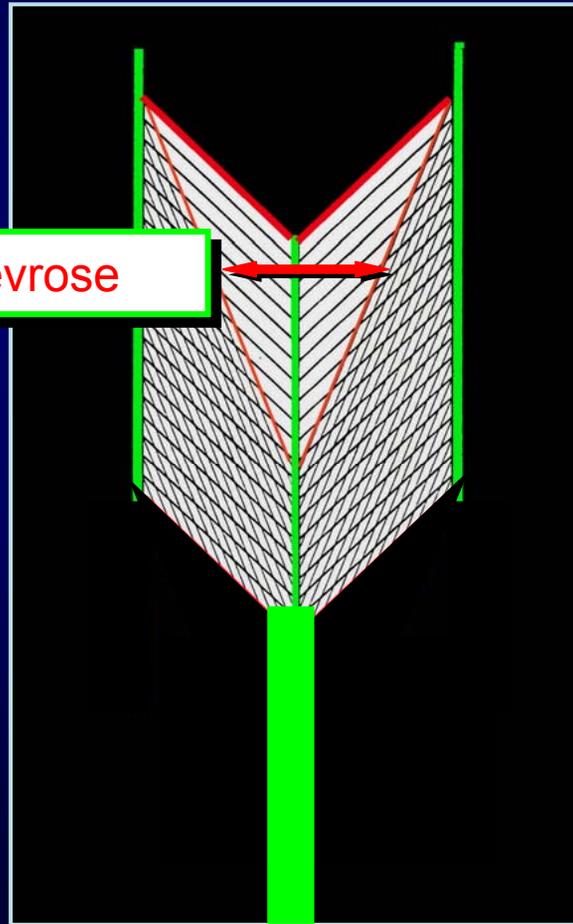
Rétractions: Allongement



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Rétractions: Allongement

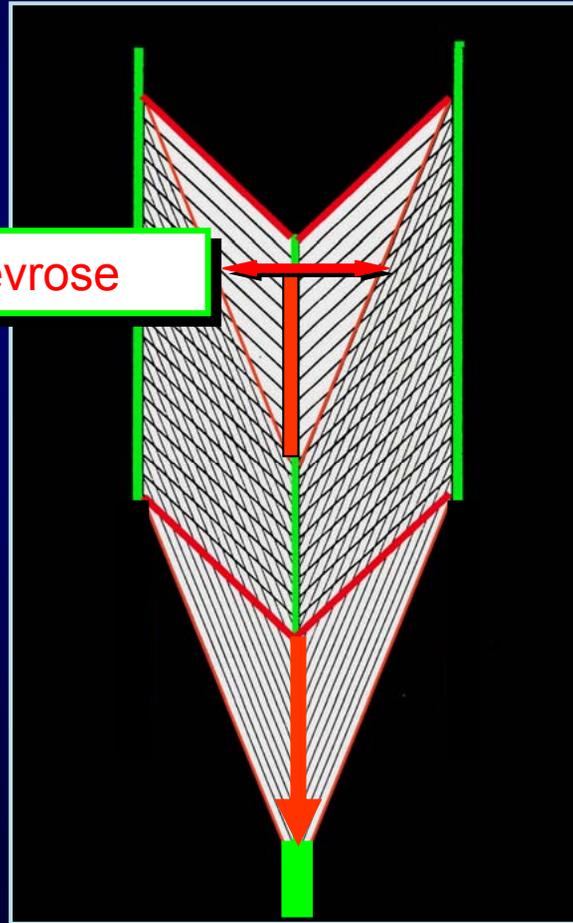
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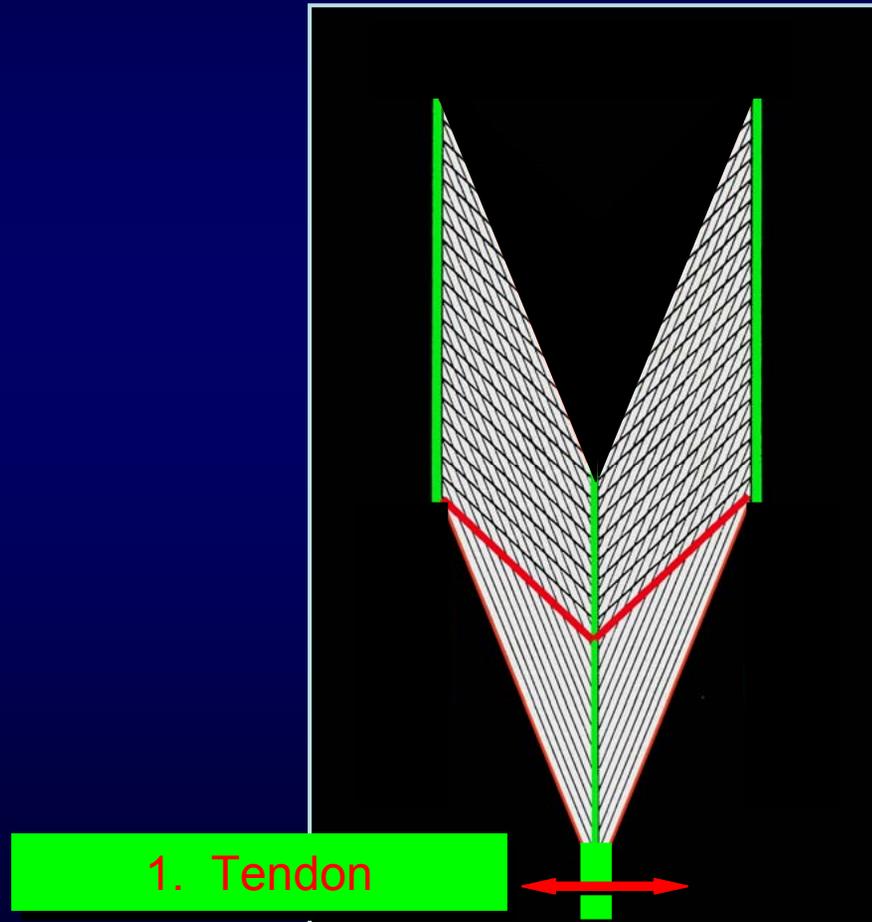
Rétractions: Allongement

1. Aponévrose



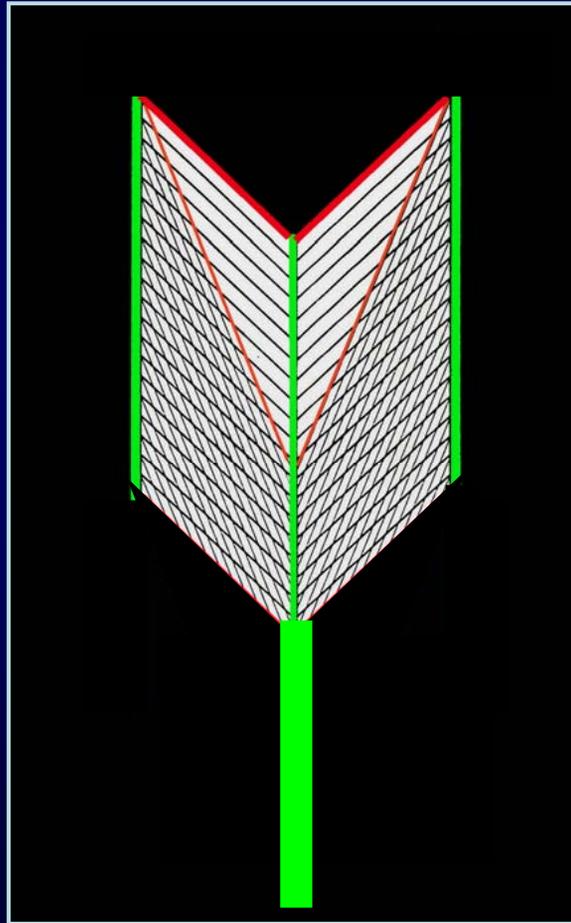
# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Allongement



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Allongement



## Rétractions: Allongement

- Fibres de type I : UM lente
  - Métabolisme oxydatif +++
  - Contraction lente, continue, sans fatigue
  - Fibres de petit  $\emptyset$  : peu de force
- Fibres de type IIa, IIb : UM rapide ou très rapide
  - Métabolisme anaérobie prédominant
  - Contraction rapide, forte, fatigable

# Triceps

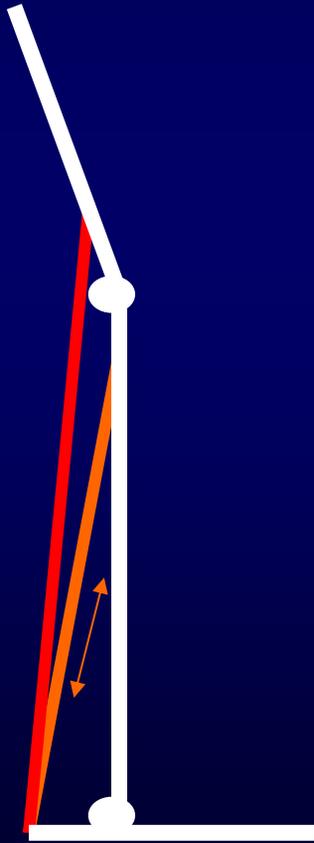
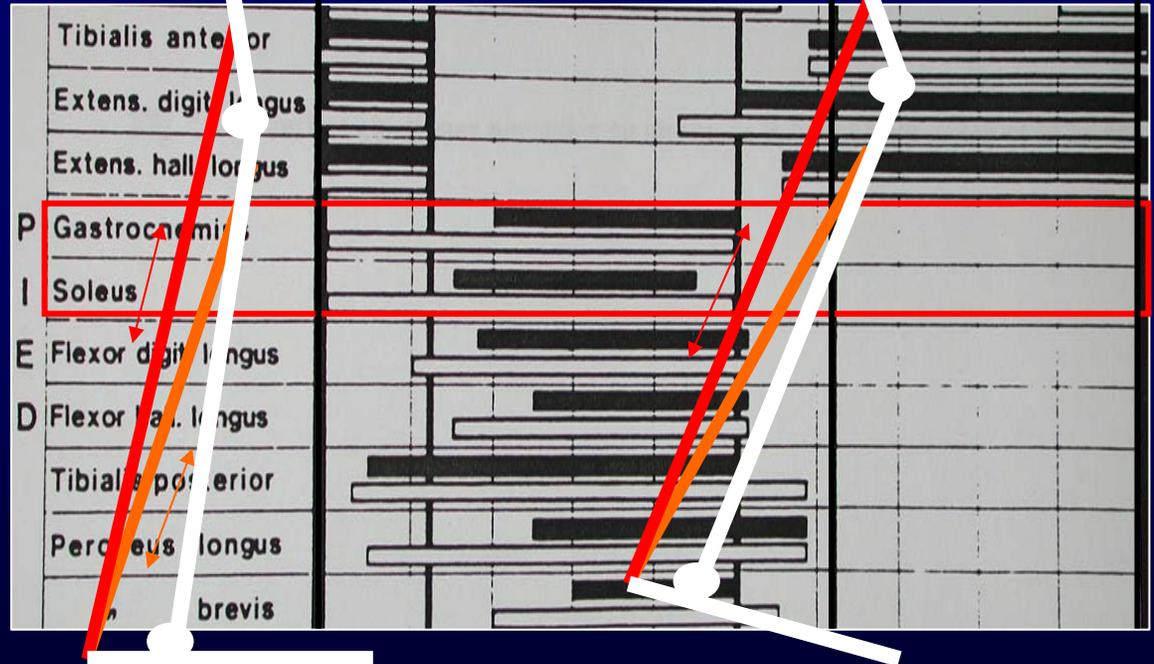
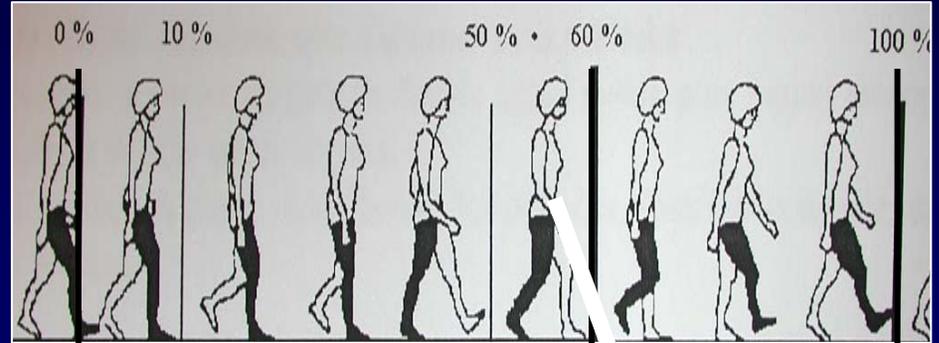
## Rétractions: Allongement

- *Soléaire:*
  - Fibres de type I
  - Contraction lente, continue, sans fatigue
  - Fibres de petit Ø : peu de force
- *Gasctrocnémiens:*
  - Fibres de type II
  - Contraction rapide, forte, fatigable



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Allongement



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions: Allongement



- Privilégier +++ l'allongement aponévrotique
- Allongement tendineux
  - Eventuellement si très bonne force musculaire (ado)
  - Jamais chez le sujet avec force musculaire faible
  - Ne pas faire chez le petit enfant

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Ténotomie

Ténotomie peut être utilisée pour :

- Droit fémoral



# Rétraction - Droit fémoral



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Ténotomie

Quadriplégique grabataire:

*Flexum de hanche (Proximale)*

Diplégique marchant \*

*Flexion de genou en phase d'oscillation  
(Stiff knee gait)*



Attention: le muscle n'est pas une « ficelle rétractile »

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris

L'action inappropriée du rectus femoris est transférée pour améliorer la flexion du genou en phase oscillante.



**Treatment of stiff-knee gait in cerebral palsy: a comparison by gait analysis of distal rectus femoris transfer versus proximal rectus release.**

*Sutherland DH, Santi M, Abel MF.*

*J Pediatr Orthop 1990 Jul;10(4):433-41.*

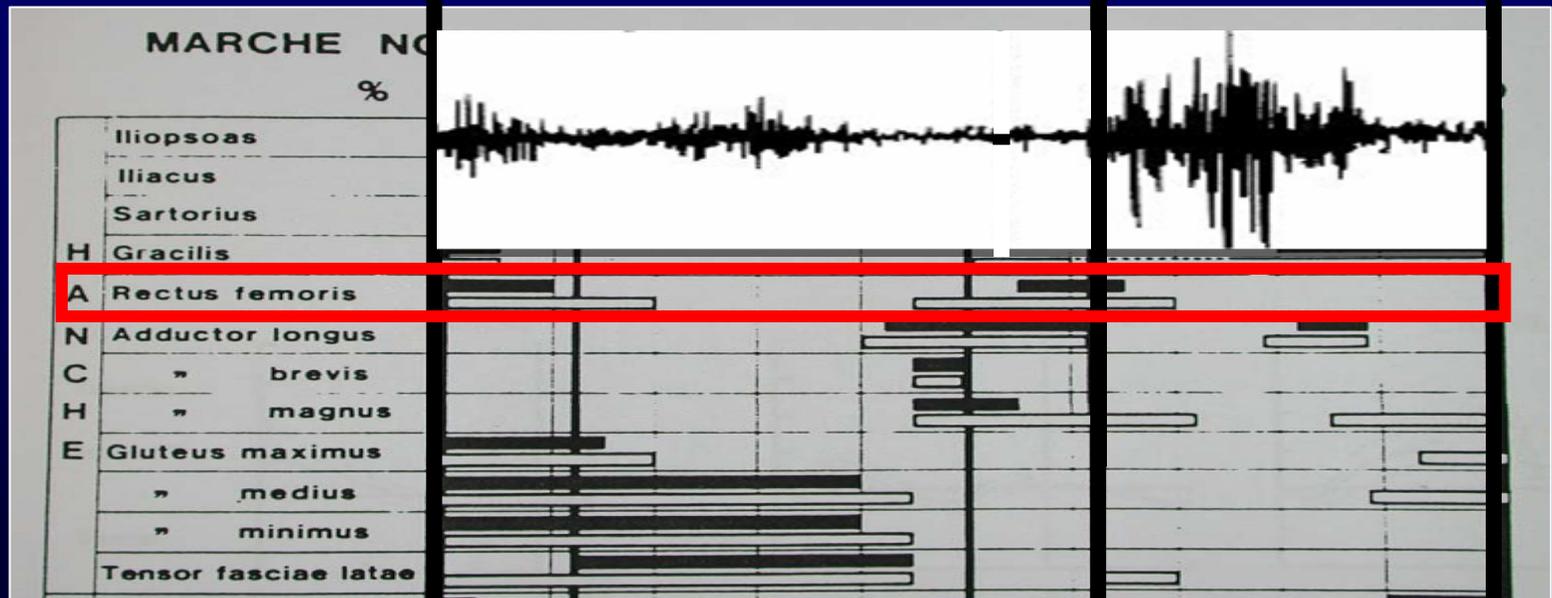
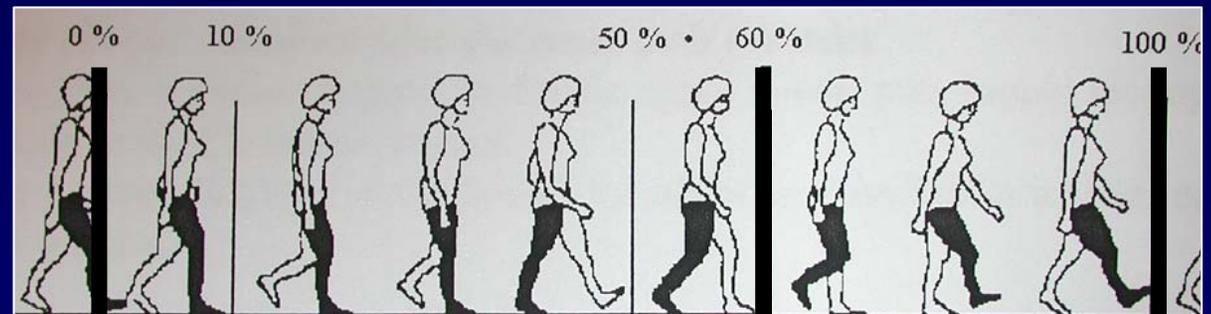
**Rectus femoris surgery in children with cerebral palsy. Part II: A comparison between the effect of transfer and release of the distal rectus femoris on knee motion.**

*Ounpuu S, Muik E, Davis RB, III, Gage JR, DeLuca PA.*

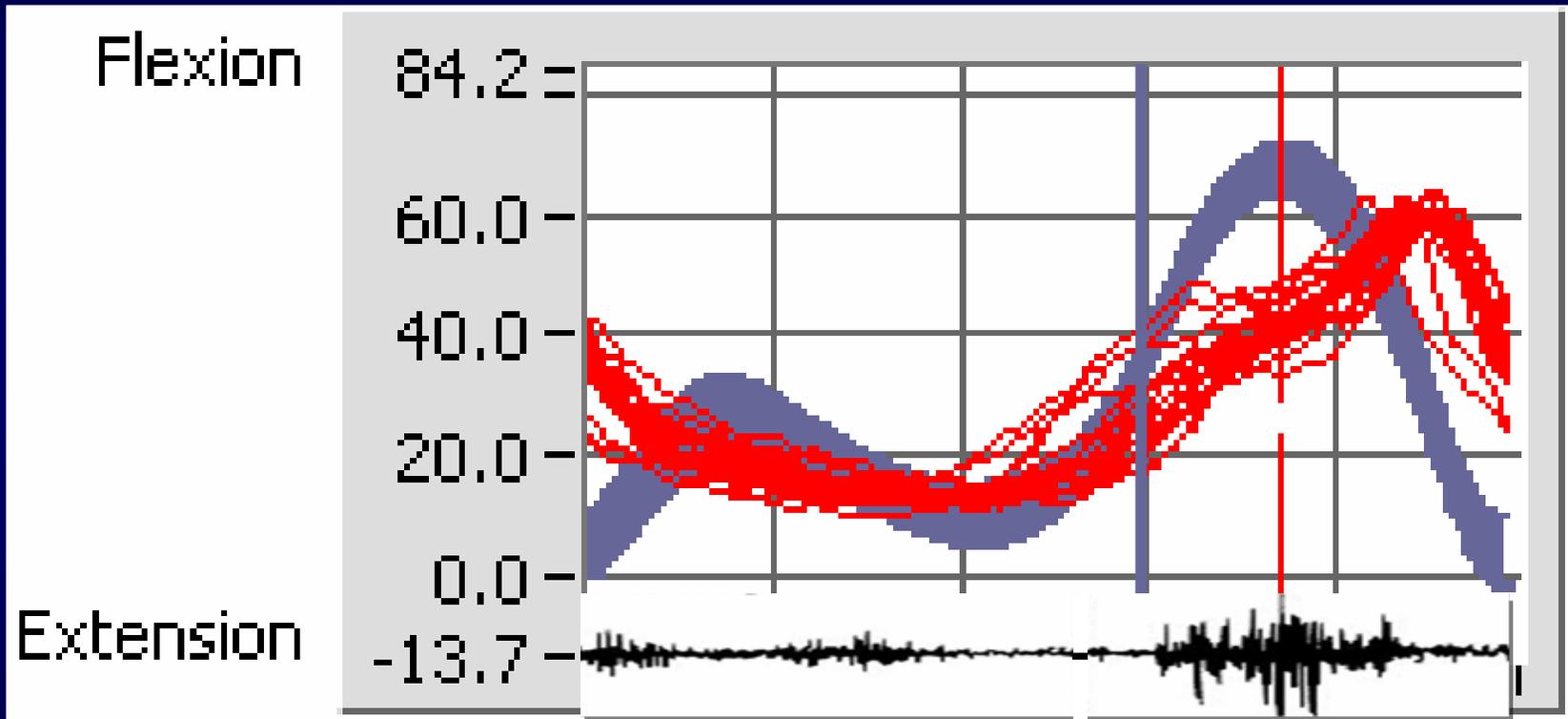
*J Pediatr Orthop 1993 May;13(3):331-5.*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris



# Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris



Cinématique

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

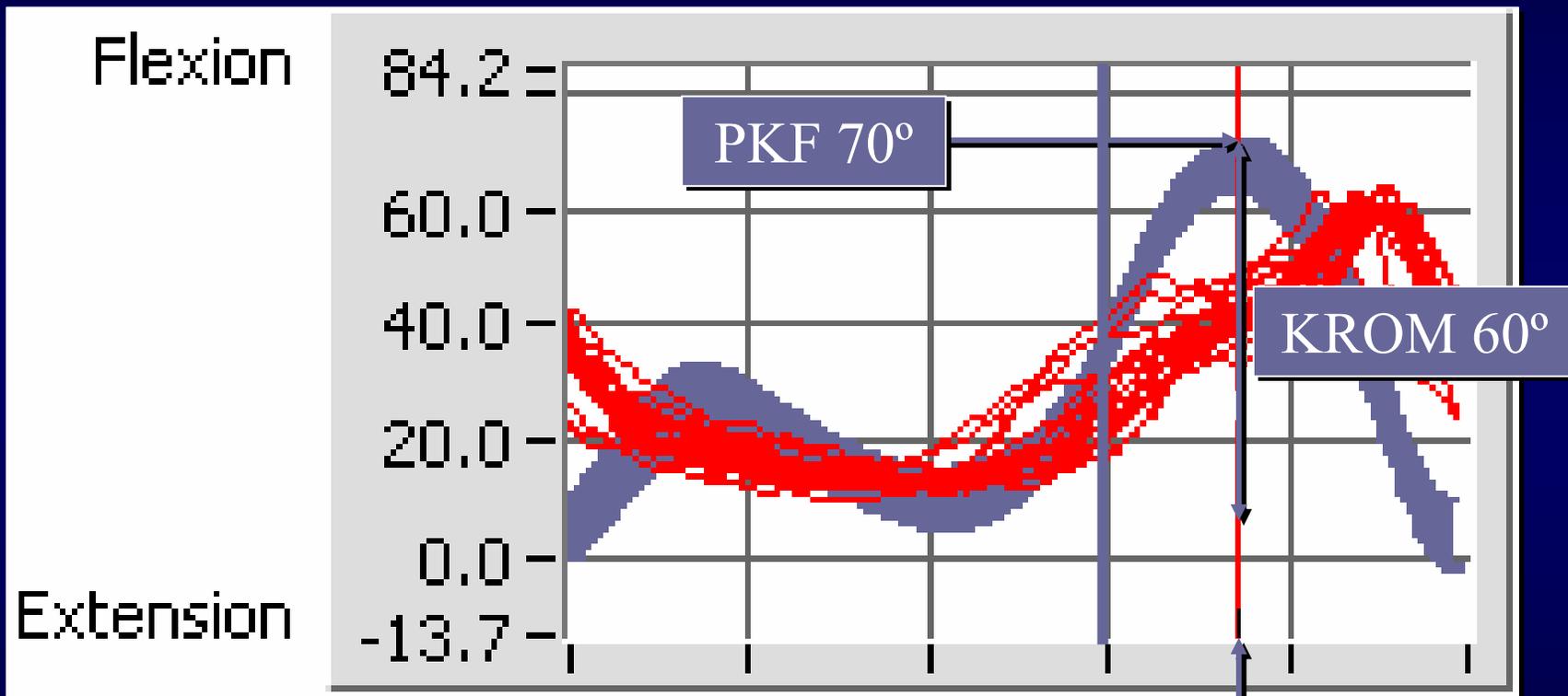
Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris

Améliorer la clairance du pied

Evite en particulier l'accrochage du pied et les chutes lors de la marche sur terrain irrégulier lors de la montée d'une marche...

**Clinique**

# Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris



Cinématique

TiPKF 75%

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris

Très bonnes indications pour les groupes I et II

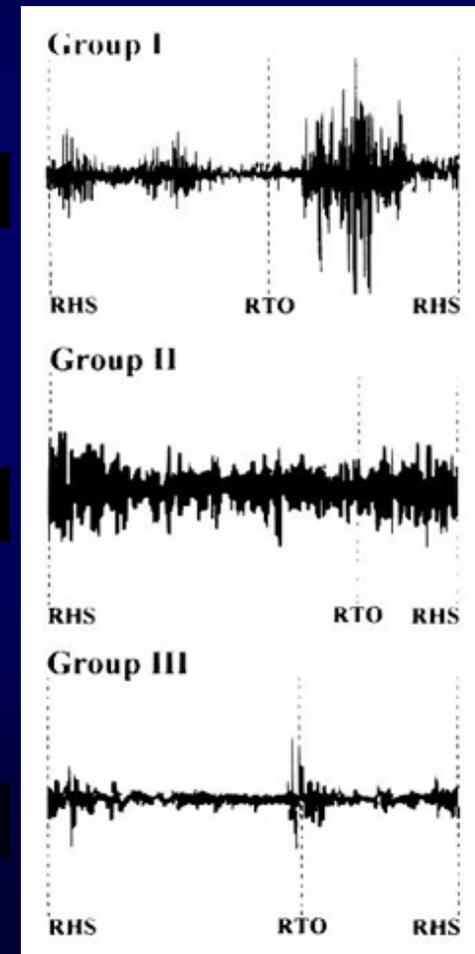
# EMG

The effect of rectus EMG patterns on the outcome of rectus femoris transfers.  
Miller F, Cardoso DR, Lipton GE, Albarracin JP, Dabney KW, Castagno P.  
J Pediatr Orthop 1997 Sep;17(5):603-7.

26°

18°

12°



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Indications transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris

Le transfert peut se faire sur:

- Gracile
- Sartorius
- Semi-tendineux
- Biceps

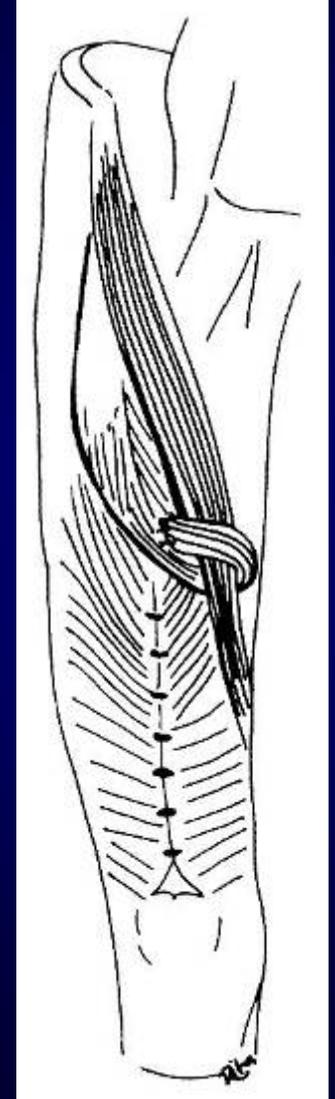
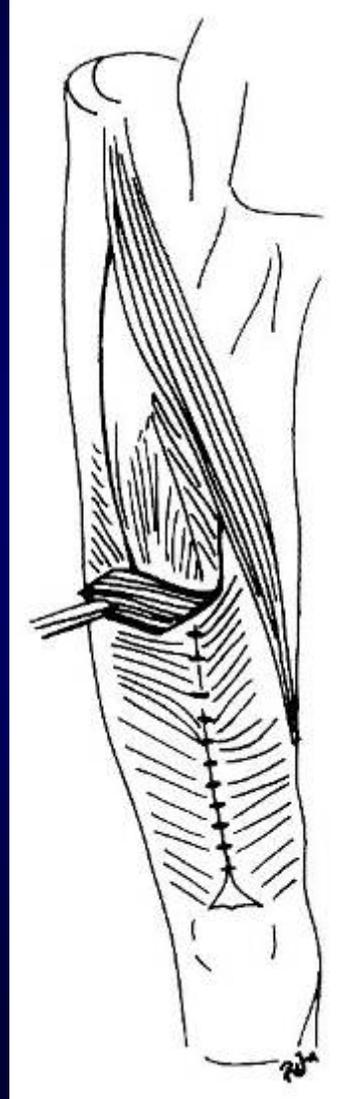
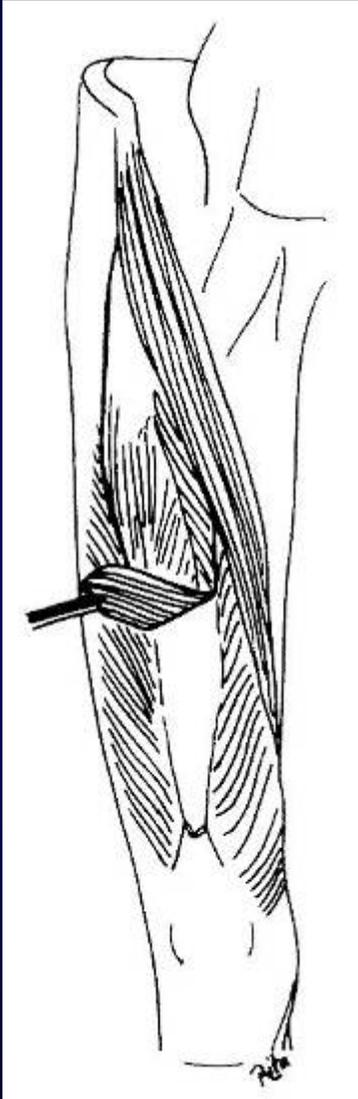


**Rectus femoris surgery in children with cerebral palsy. Part I: The effect of rectus femoris transfer location on knee motion.**

*Ounpuu S, Muik E, Davis RB, III, Gage JR, DeLuca PA.*

*J Pediatr Orthop 1993 May;13(3):325-30.*

# Transfert musculaire: Rectus Femoris sur Sartorius



# Littérature



## Résultats Long terme du transfert musculaire RF?

### **Rectus femoris transfer for children with cerebral palsy: long-term outcome.**

*Saw A, Smith PA, Sirirungruangsarn Y, Chen S, Hassani S, Harris G, et al.*

*J Pediatr Orthop 2003 Sep;23(5):672-8.*

18 patients (26 membres)

4.6 ans recul

PKF and KROM

### **Progression of knee joint kinematics in children with cerebral palsy with and without rectus femoris transfers: a long-term follow up.**

*Moreau N, Tinsley S, Li L.*

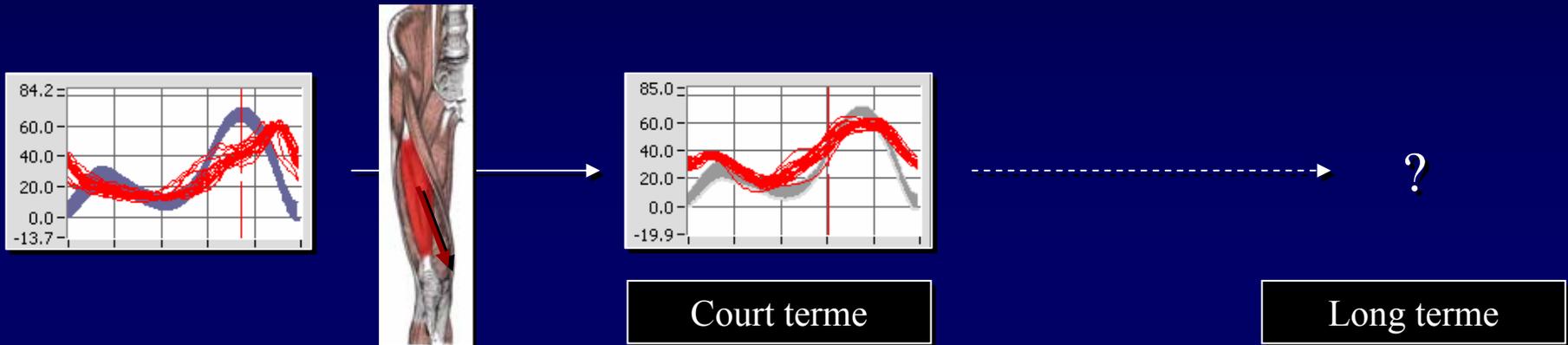
*Gait Posture 2005 Oct;22(2):132-7.*

28 patients (50 membres)

3 ans recul

PKF, KROM, TiPKF, KE ES

# Question



Quels résultats à long terme du transfert du rectus femoris ?

# Results

Table II: Outcomes after rectus femoris transfer in children with stiff knee gait.

	Pre-operative		Post-operative Short-term		Post-operative Long-term		F value	<i>df</i>	<i>p</i> value
Kinematics	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	F value	<i>df</i>	<i>p</i> value
PKF	60.89	14.03	68.23	10.08	62.6	10.78	16.78	1	<0.001
ROM	49.26	16.15	51.62	14.95	47.19	14.01	3.95	1	0.02
TIPKF	81	7	80	5	79	6	4.43	1	0.01
VKF	210.19	108.16	286.74	135.54	238.74	115.34	20.45	1	<0.001
	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	$\chi^2$	<i>df</i>	<i>p</i> value
Toe Drag*	1.92	0.27	1.29	0.46	1.33	0.47	109.8	2	<0.001

\* The toe drag was estimating using Friedman parametric alternative to repeated measure ANOVA. The mean rank was 2.61 for the pre-operative toe drag, 1.66 for <3-year follow-up, and 1.73 for 10-year follow-up.

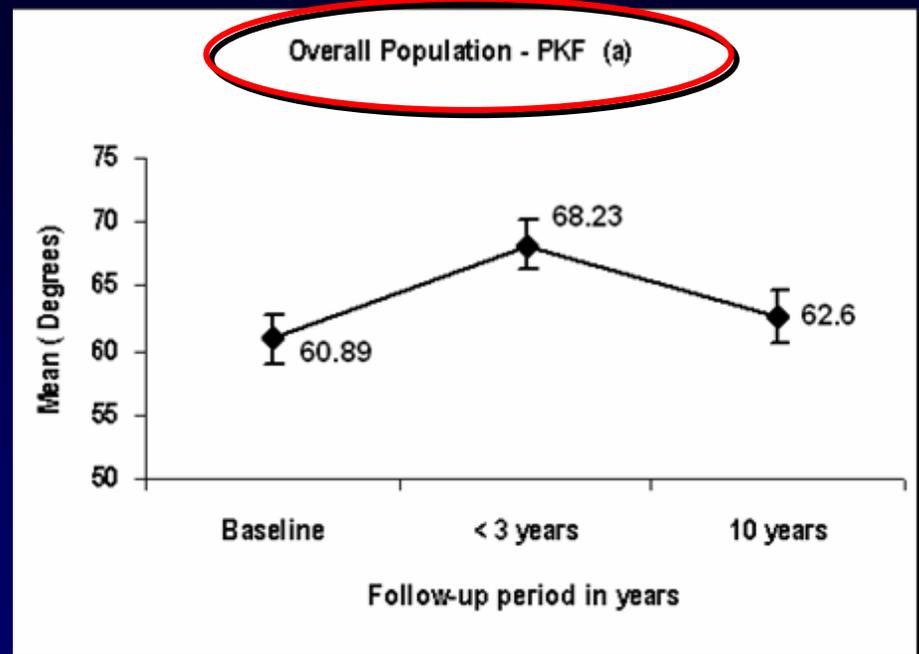
7.5 years  $\pm$  2.3 (4.6 to 13.1)

Gross Motor Function Measure (**GMFM**): 56.8  $\pm$  20.7 (12.8 to 92.3)

Gait Velocity (**GV**): 67.8  $\pm$  31.6 (11.9 to 126.9)

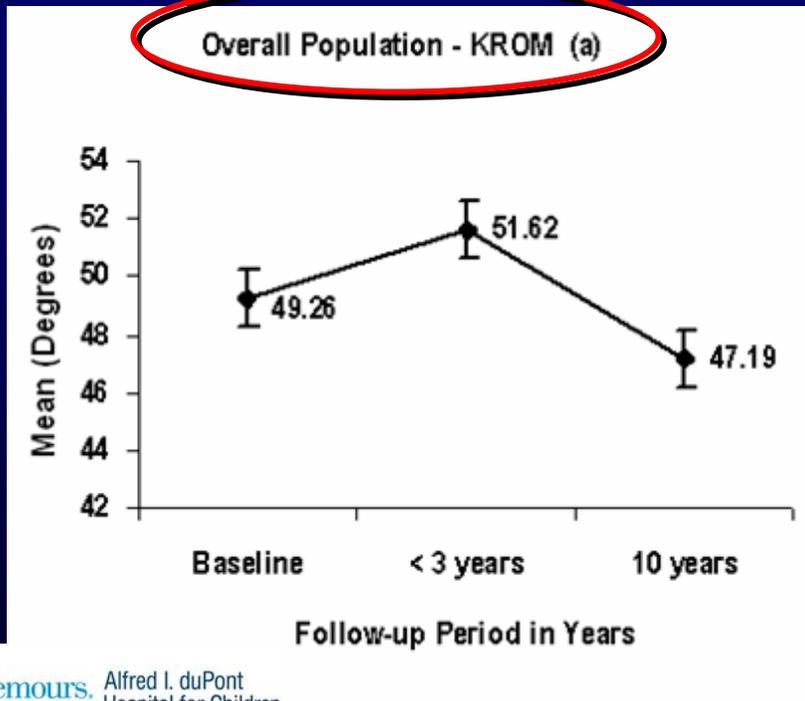
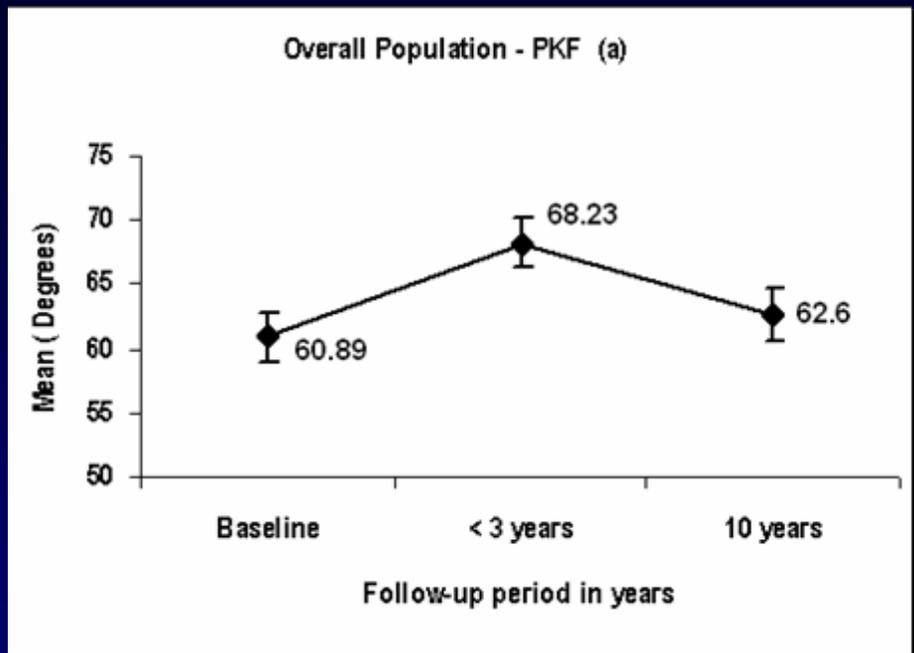
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Population globale



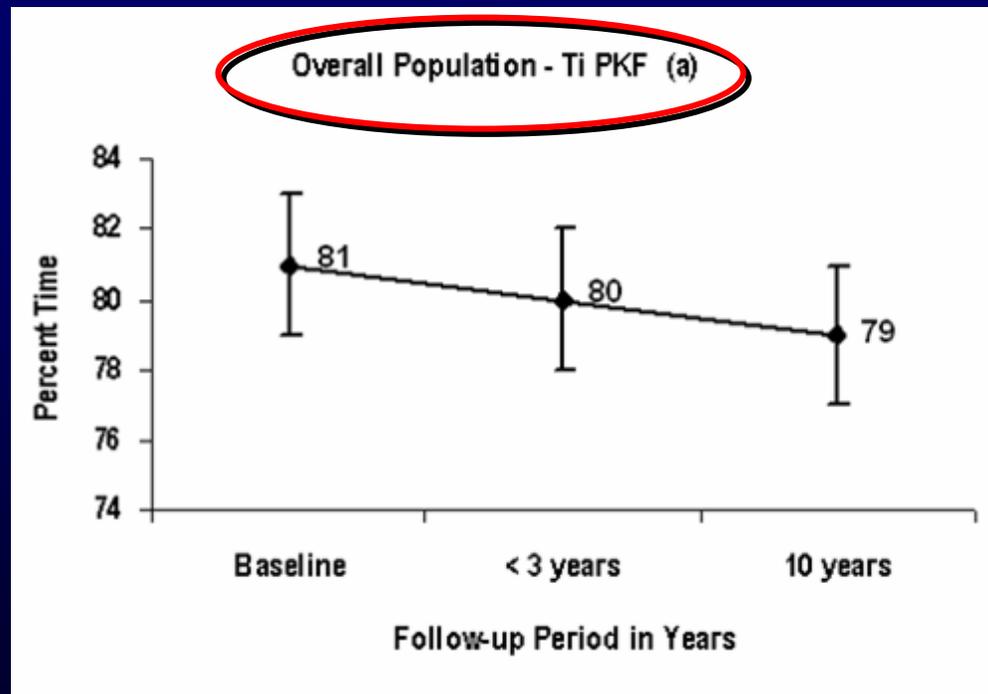
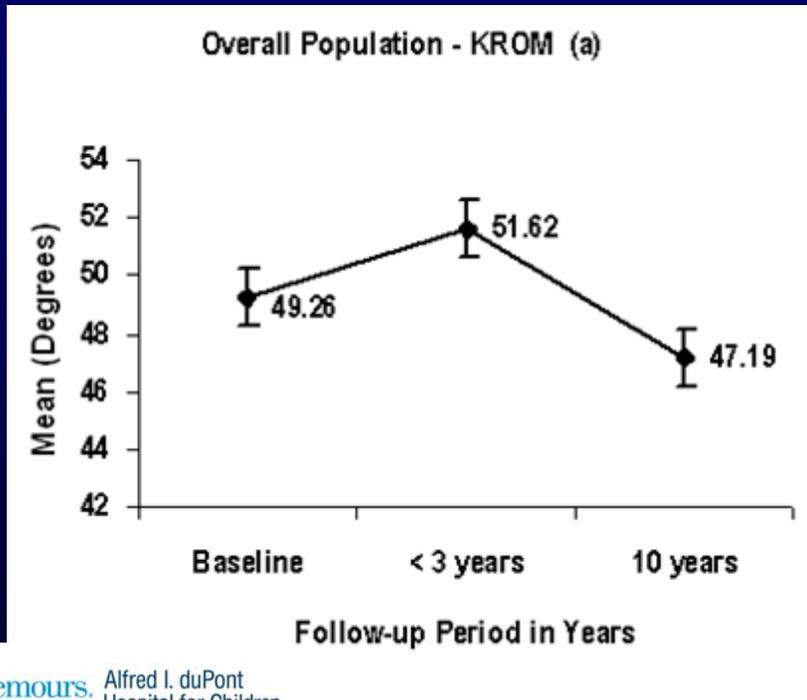
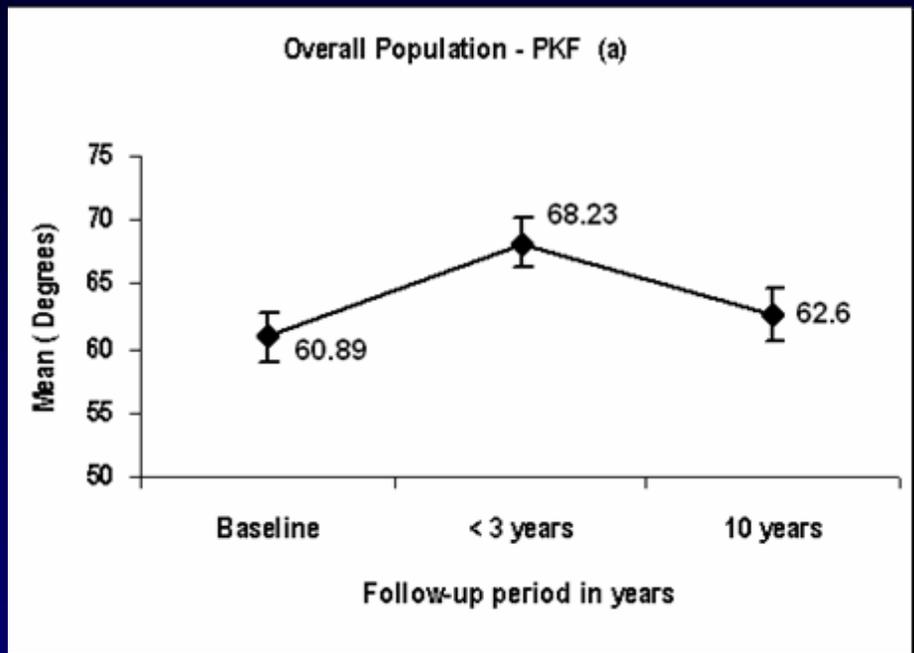
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## Population globale



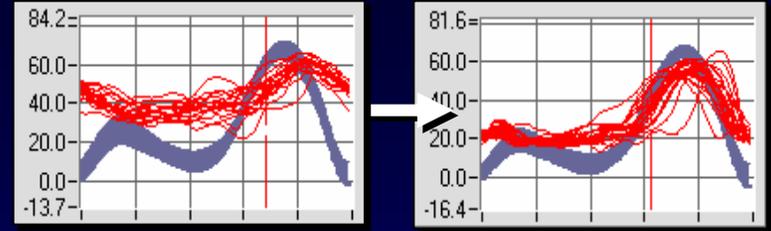
# Results

## Population globale





# Conclusion



## ■ Population globale:

Bons résultats à court et long terme

# Recommandations

## ■ Sous-groupes:

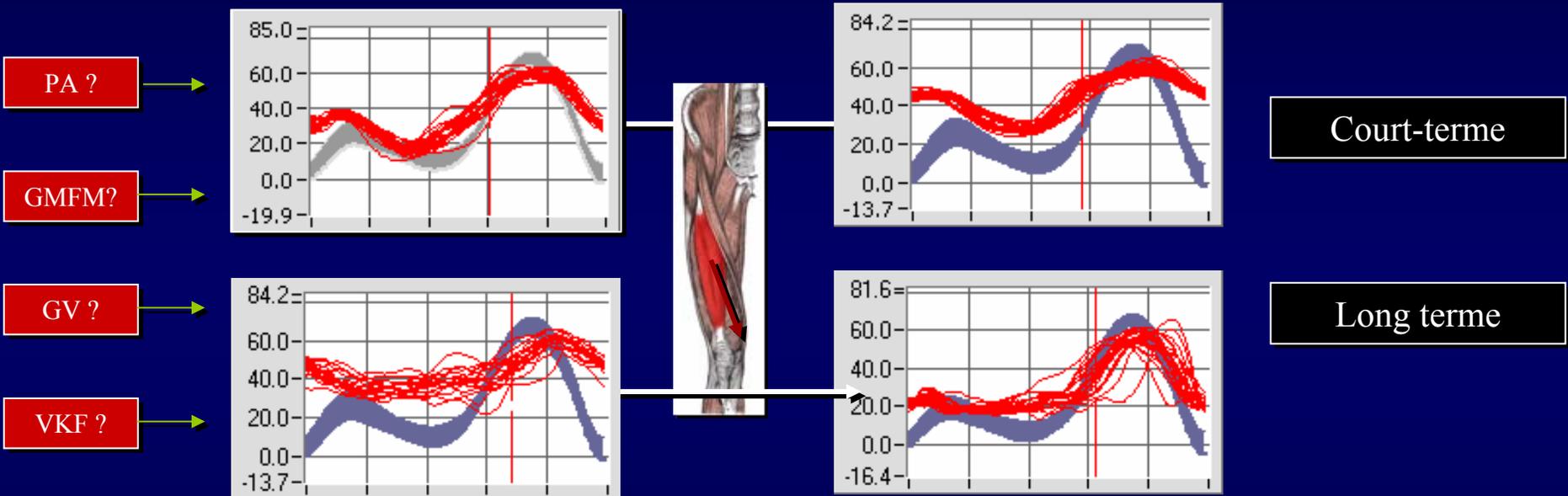
- Groupe à **PKF bas & modéré**      **PKF < 64°**
- Groupe à **KROM bas & modéré**      **KROM < 53°**
- Groupe à **TiPKF tardif & modéré**      **TiPKF > 80%**

**10-Year Follow-Up Outcome of Rectus Femoris Transfer in Children with Spastic Cerebral Palsy Treated for Stiff Knee Gait**

Thawrani D, Haumont T, Church C, Holmes L Jr, Dabney K, Miller F

(Soumis JBJS A sept 2009)

# Question



Y-a-t-il des prédicteurs des bons résultats du transfert du RF ?

# Background & significance



Kinematic and kinetic factors that correlate with improved knee flexion following treatment  
Goldberg SR, Ounpuu S, Arnold AS, Gage JR, Delp SL.  
J Biomech 2006;39(4):689-98

40 patients (18 limbs SKG )  
Short-term FU (?)  
PKF, KROM, ROMS, TiPKF  
Low KV Toe Off – High KE Mo St

Predicting outcomes of rectus femoris transfer surgery.  
Reinbolt JA, Fox MD, Schwartz MH, Delp SL.  
Gait Posture. 2009 Jul;30(1):100-5

62 patients (50 patients)  
Short-term FU (?)  
HPo, Kpo, VKF TO: 80%  
HIF, HiIR: 88%

# Résultats

Table II: Combined Predictors of Short-term and Long-term Outcomes of Rectus Femoris Transfer in CP Children with Stiff Knee Gait using multivariable linear regression model.

Predictors	Short-term			Long-term		
	$\beta$ Coef.	t-Value	p-Value	$\beta$ Coef.	t-Value	p-Value
<b>Peak Knee Flexion (PKF)*</b>						
GV	0.12	2.53	0.01	0.12	2.24	0.03
PA	-0.31	-3.65	<0.001	-0.25	-2.75	0.01
*Adjusted for VKF **F = 7.31 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.13				*Adjusted for VKF **F = 4.88 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.12		
<b>Knee Range of Motion (KROM)</b>						
GMFM	0.19	2.12	0.04	0.23	2.54	0.01
VKF	-	-	-	-0.03	-2.10	0.04
**F = 4.51 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.04				**F = 4.16 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.10		
<b>Time to Peak Knee Flexion (TiPKF)</b>						
GV	0.05	2.68	0.009	0.05	2.51	0.01
VKF	-	-	-	-0.01	-2.22	0.03
*Adjusted for VKF **F = 4.02 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.04				**F = 3.95 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.04		
<b>Toe Drag</b>						
GV	-	-	-	-0.01	-3.46	0.001
PA	-0.01	-2.22	0.03	-	-	-
*Adjusted for GMFM & GV **F = 7.10 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.19				**F = 11.99 *** R <sup>2</sup> = 0.12		

# Recommendations

<u>Short</u>	PKF	KROM	TiPKF	TD	<u>Long</u>	PKF	KROM	TiPKF	TD
PA	50°			52°		50°			
GMFM		57%					57%		
GV	68		68			68		68	77
VKF							57		

**Outcome Predictors of rectus femoris transfers in cerebral palsy children with stiff knee gait**

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# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions

Ténotomie peut être utilisée pour :

- *Droit fémoral*
- Psoas

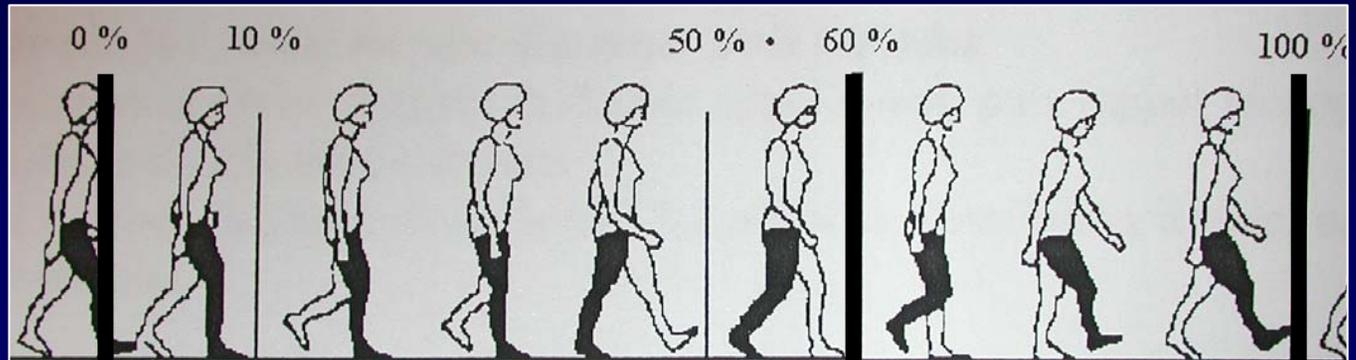




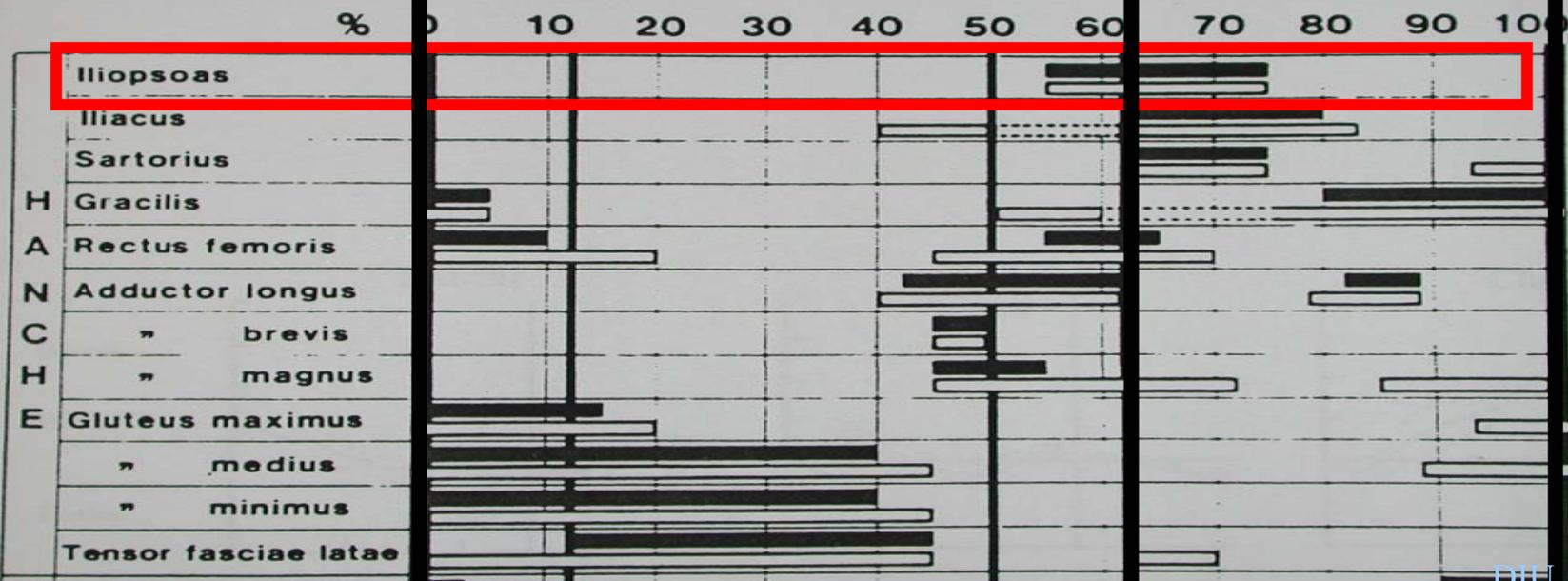
# Rétraction Psoas



# Hanche



## MARCHE NORMALE : ELECTROMYOCINESIGRAPHIE



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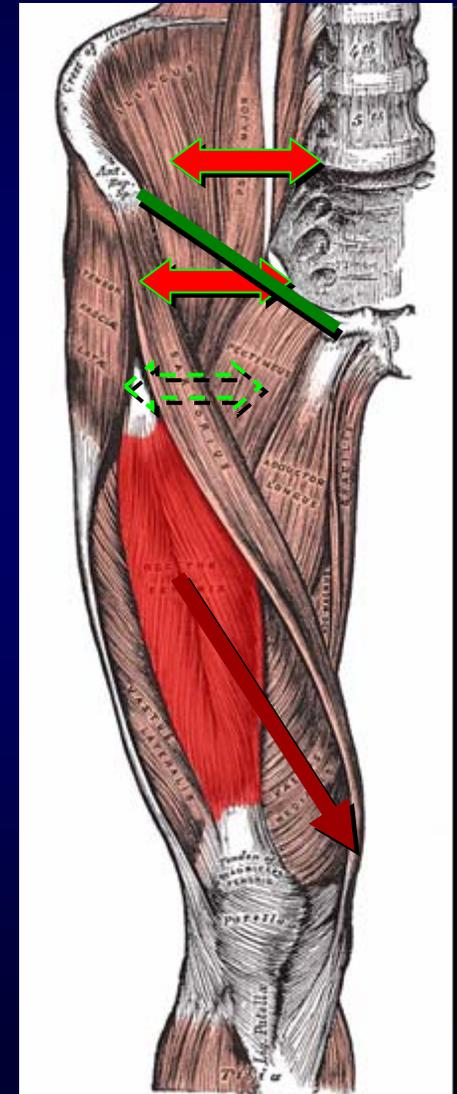
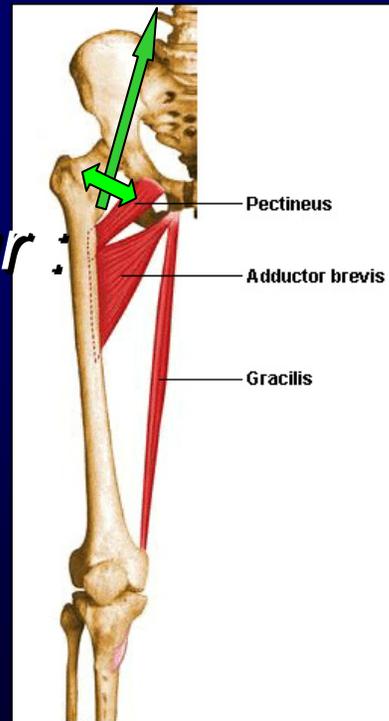
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- grabataire +

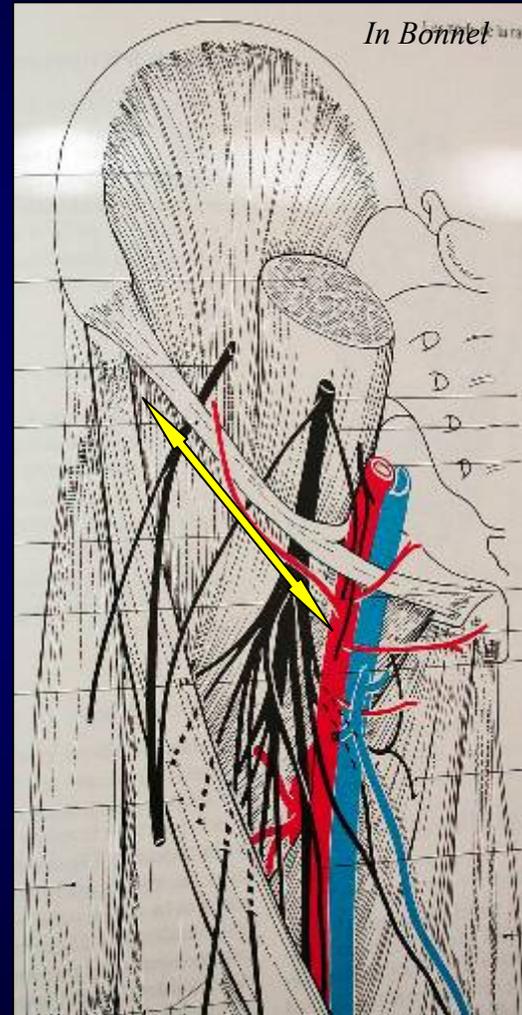
Allongement à utiliser pour :

- l'enfant marchant



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions



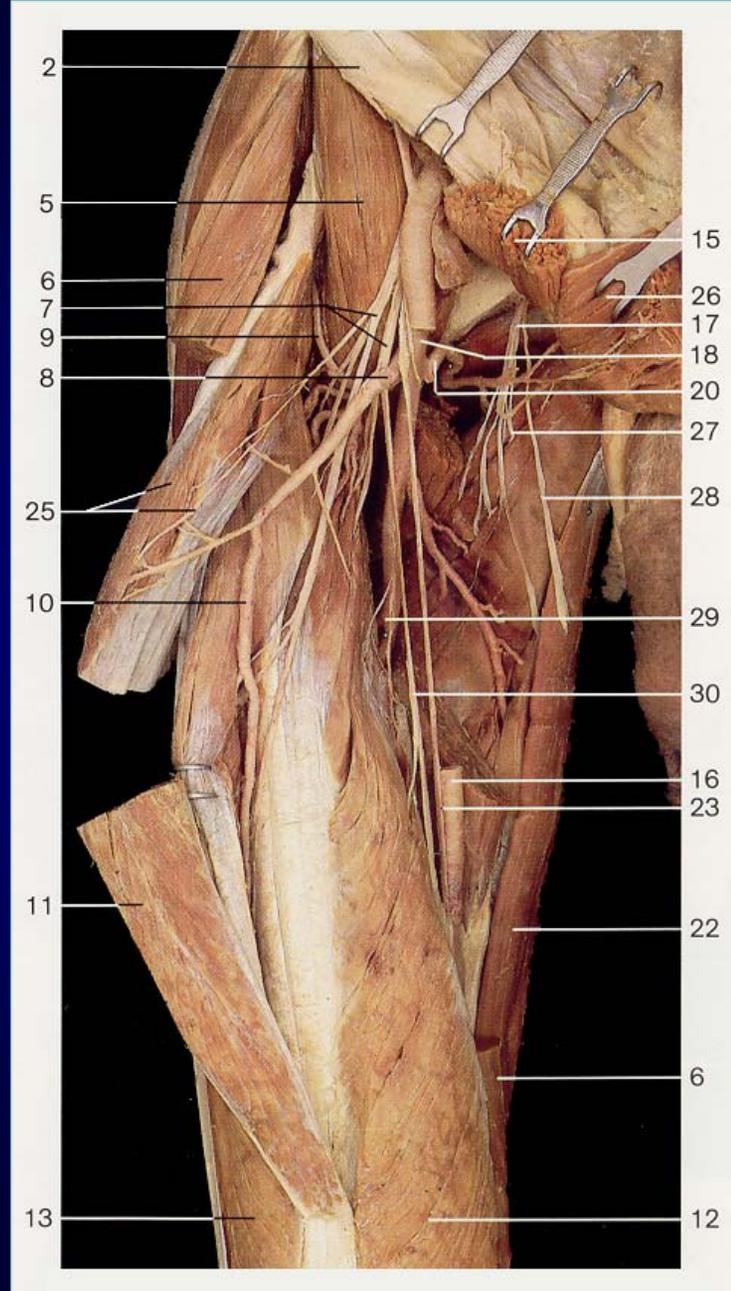
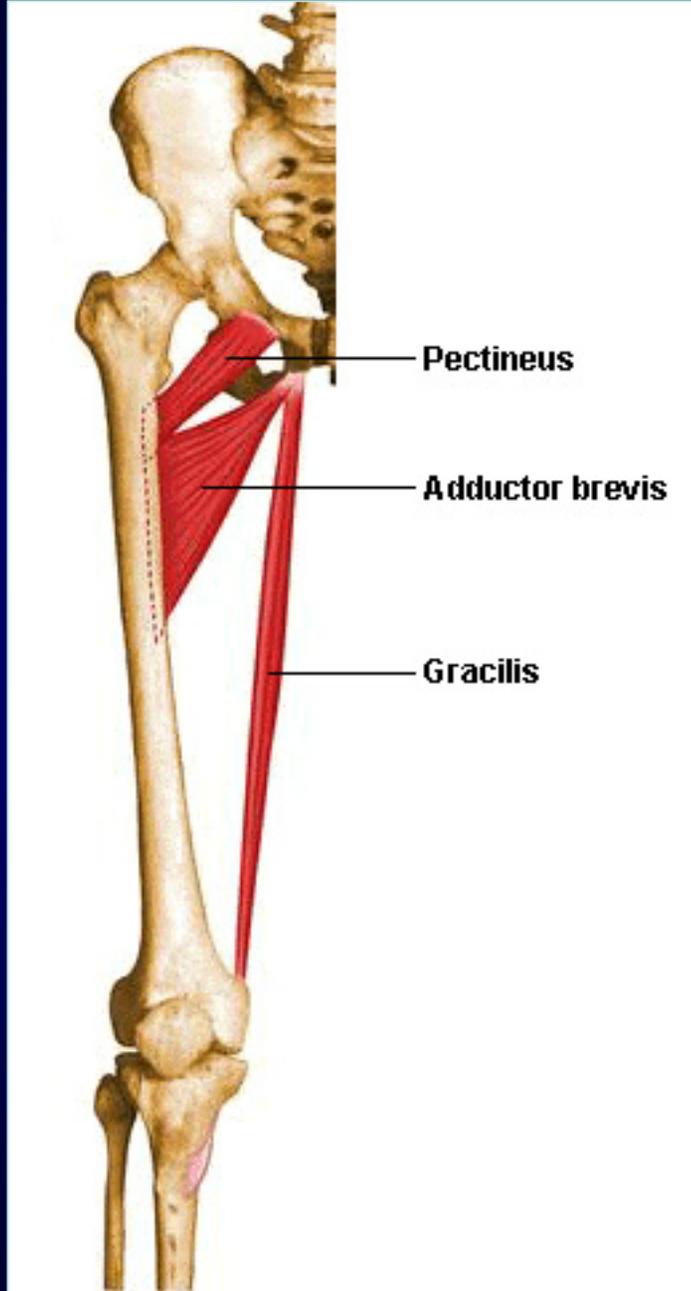
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## Rétractions

Ténotomie peut être utilisée pour :

- Droit fémoral
- Psoas
- *Adducteurs*





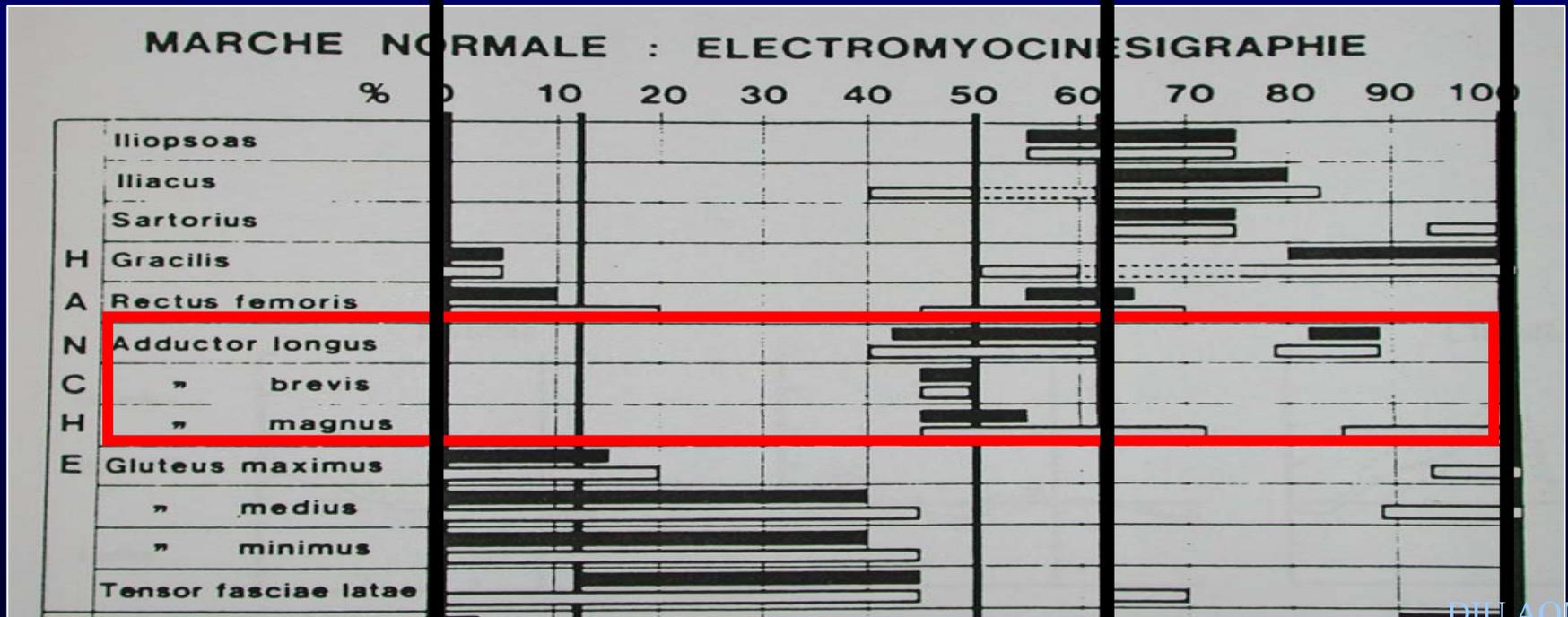
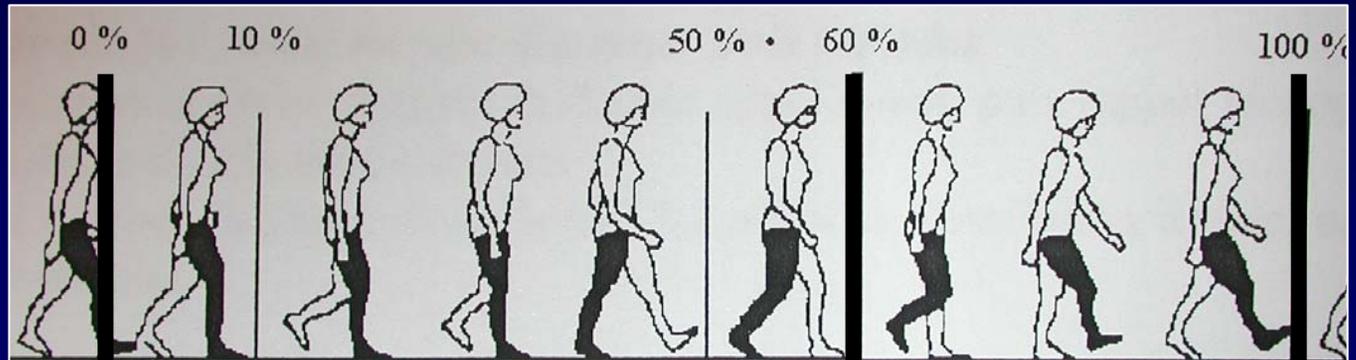
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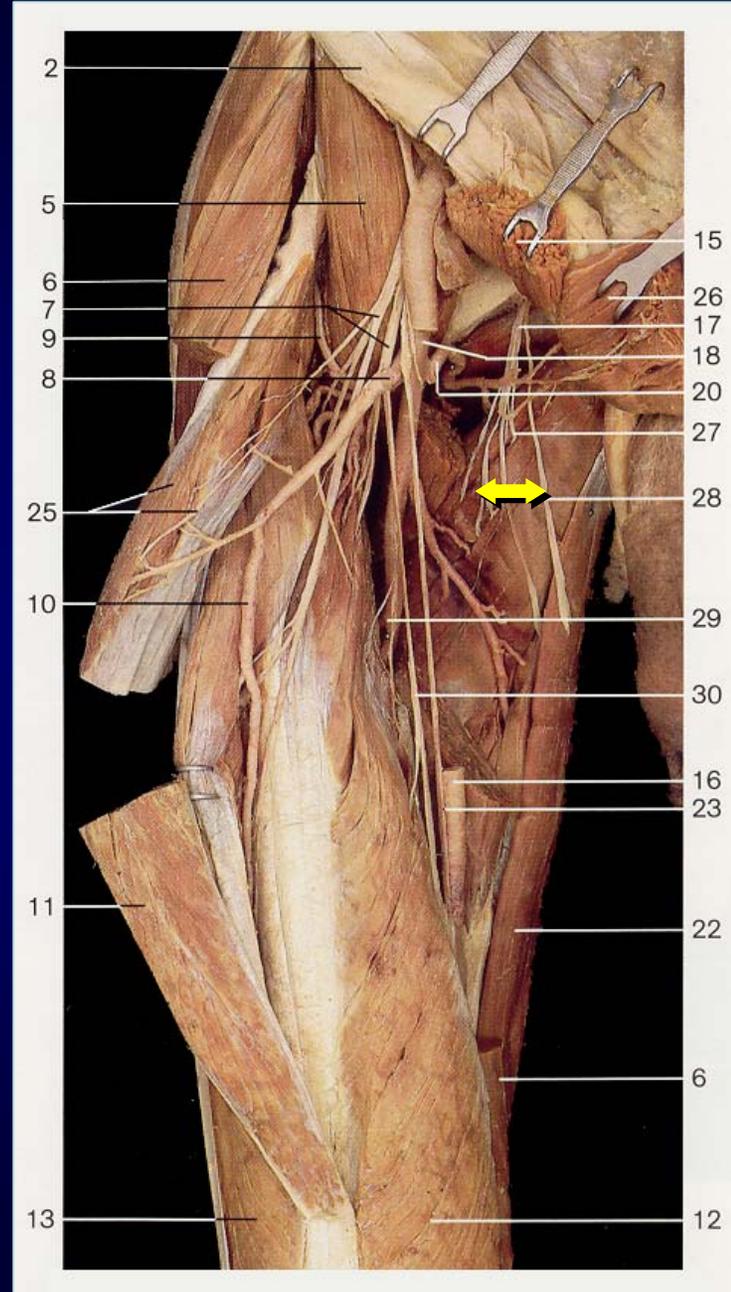
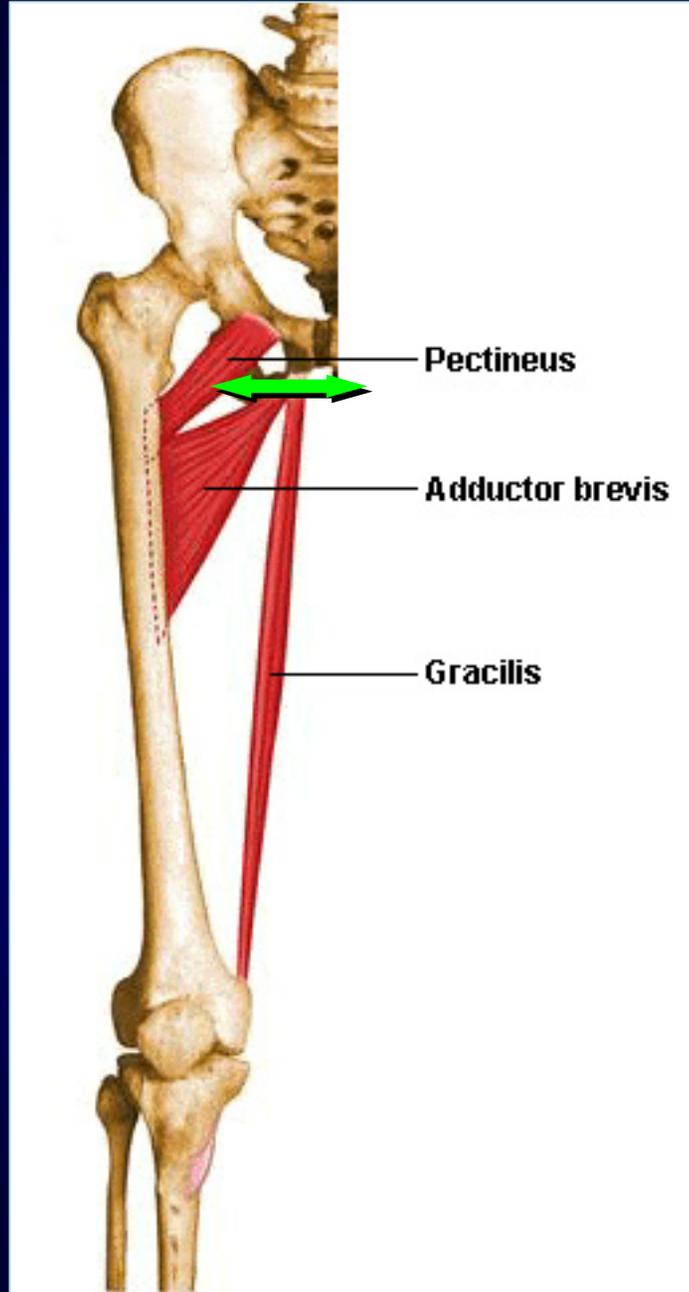


# Hanche - Rotation interne



# Hanche - Adducteurs





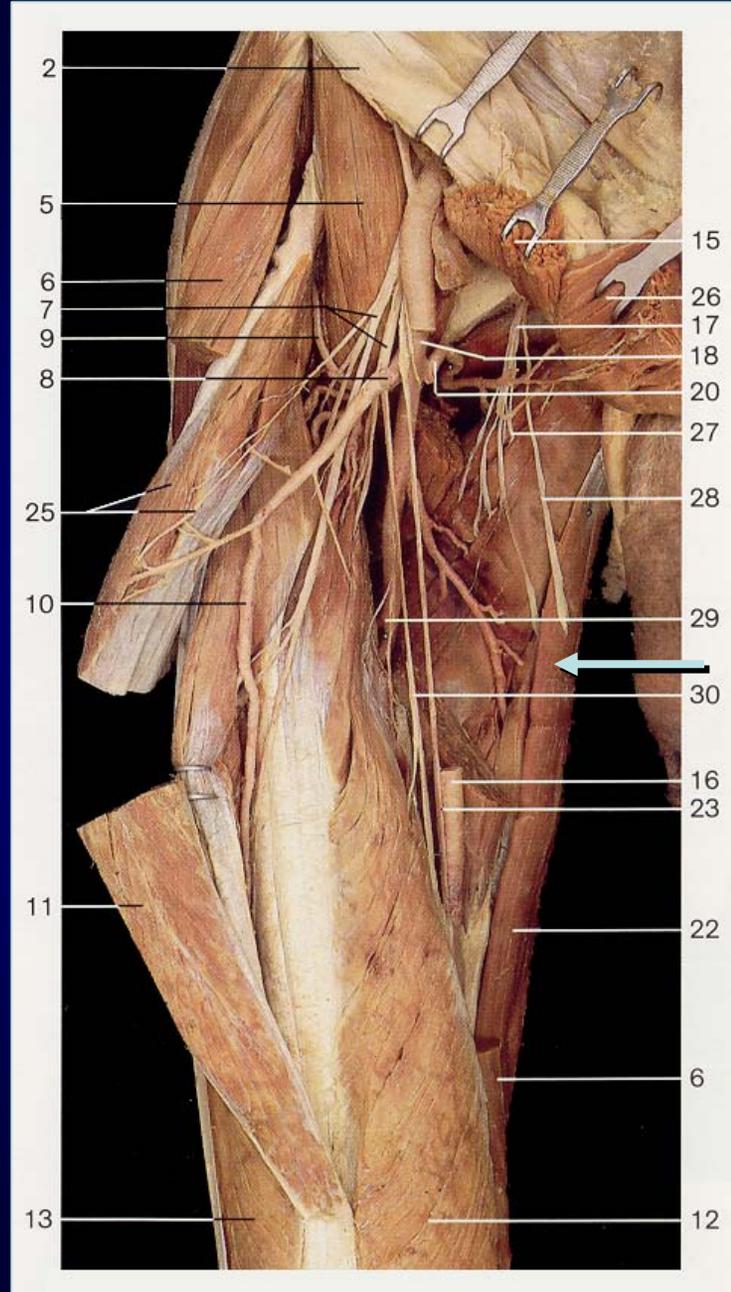
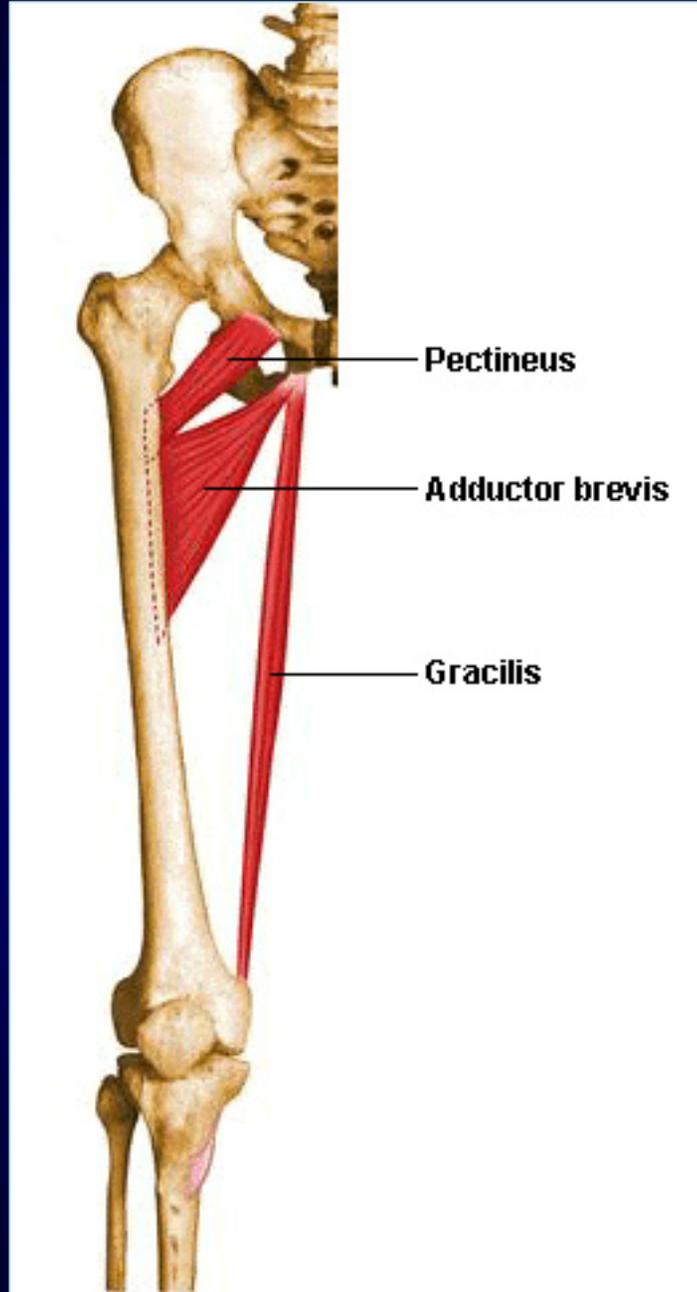
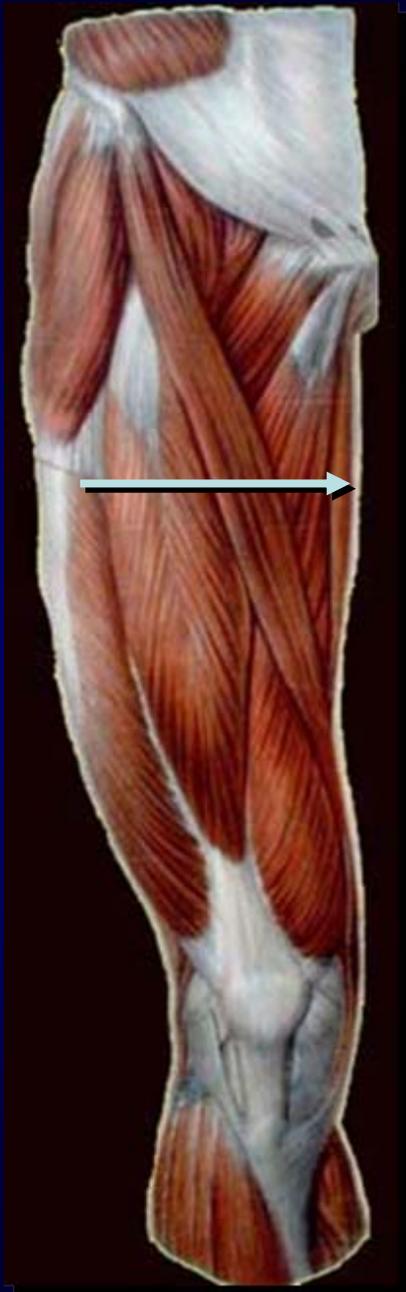
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Rétractions: Ténotomie

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- Droit fémoral
- Psoas
- *Adducteurs*
- *Gracile*

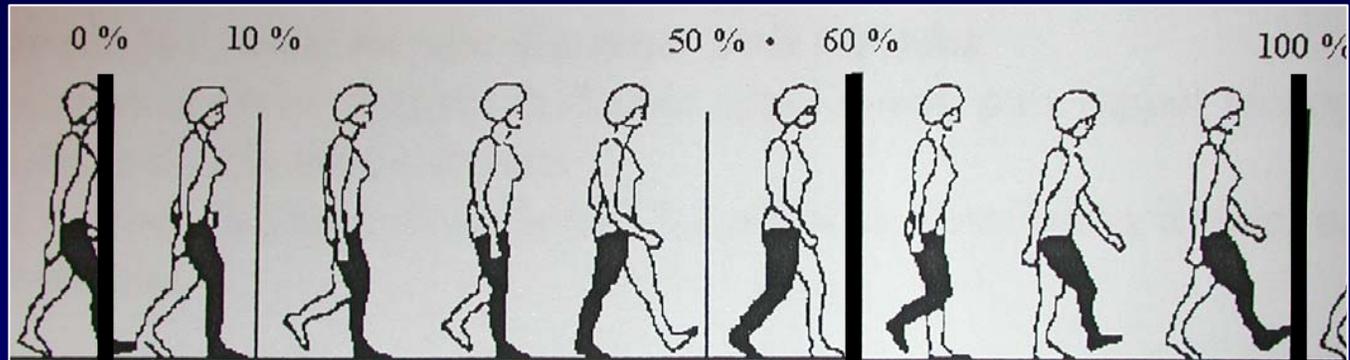




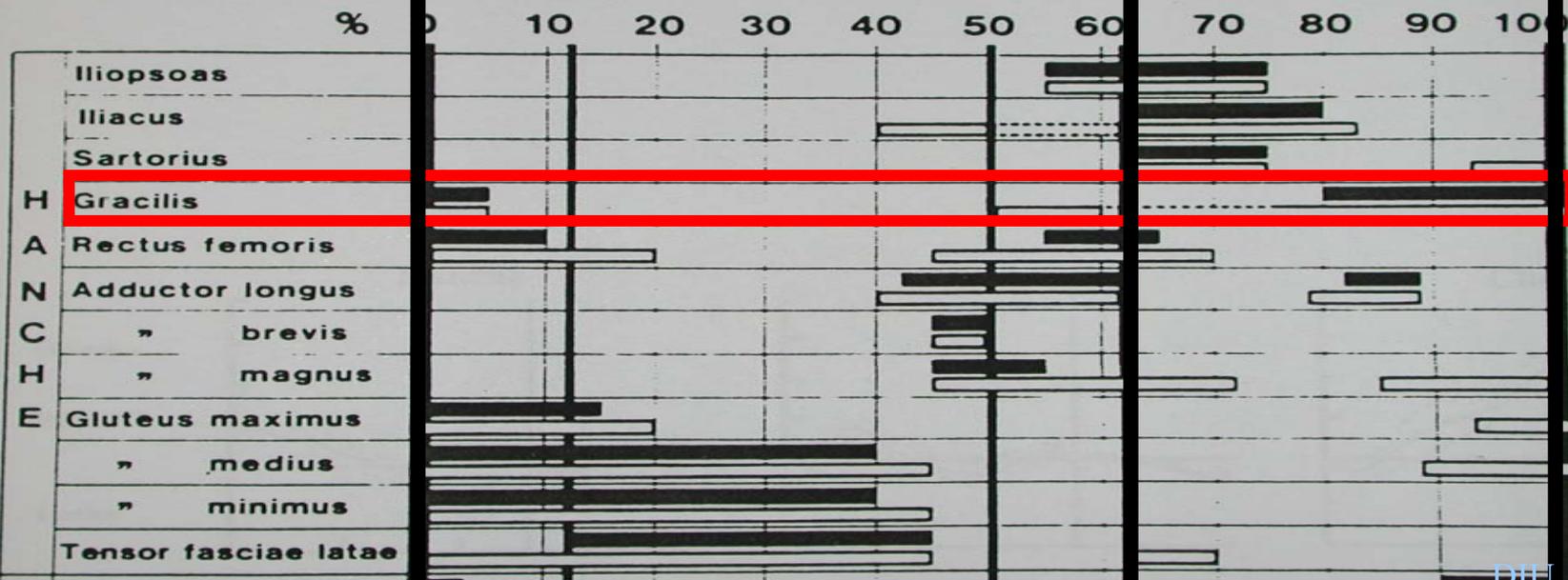
# Hanche - Gracile



# Hanche - Gracile



## MARCHE NORMALE : ELECTROMYOCINESIGRAPHIE



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions: Ténotomie

Attention: le muscle n'est pas une « ficelle rétractile »

- Un muscle présente des adhérences sur son trajet.
- Une ténotomie proximale ou distale peut avoir des conséquences quelque peu variable sur un muscle biarticulaire en particulier.

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## Rétractions

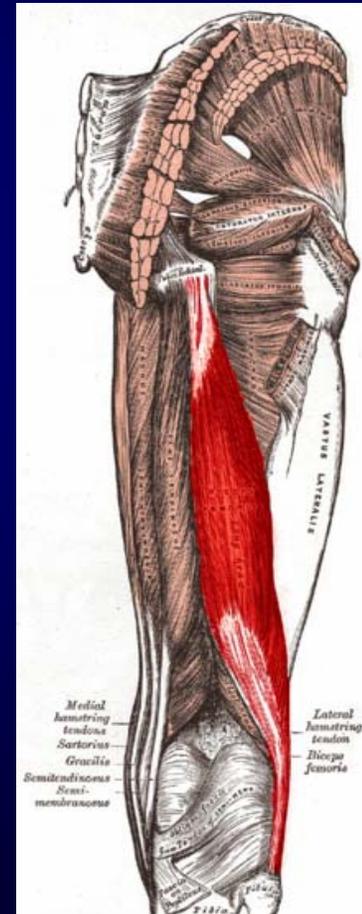
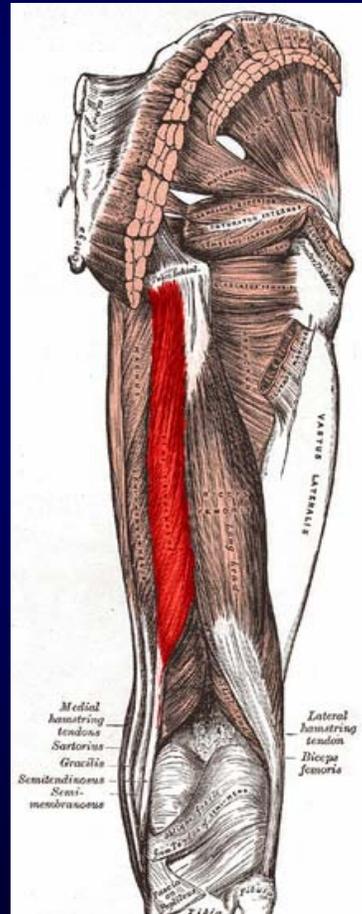
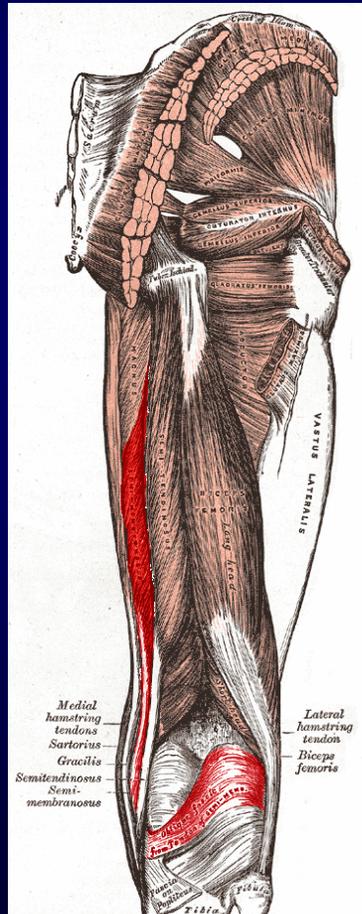
### *Ischio-jambiers*

- *Semi-Membraneux*
- *Semi-Tendineux*
- *Biceps*



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions Ischio-jambiers



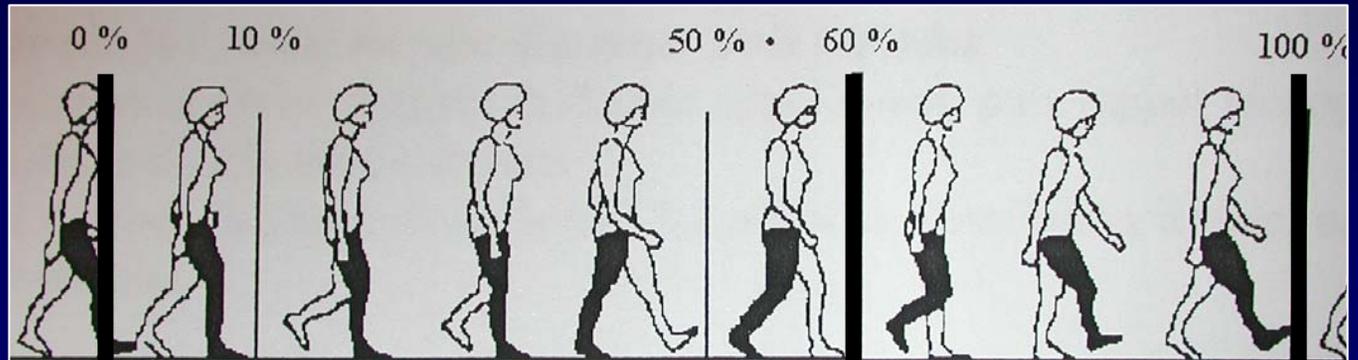
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## Rétractions Ischio-jambiers

*Angle Poplité*



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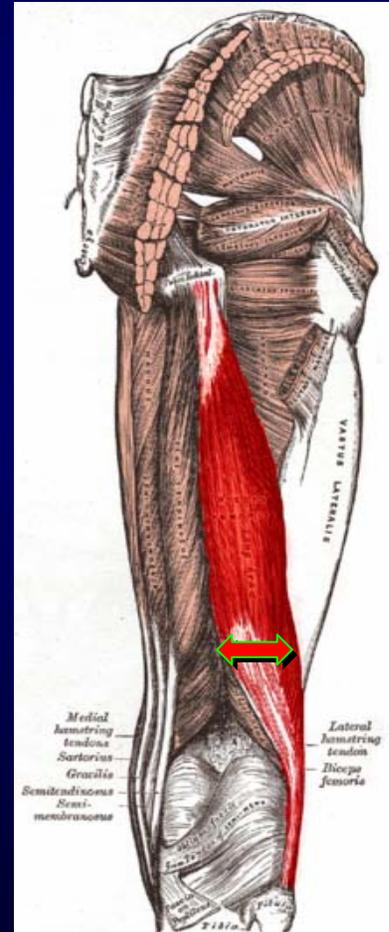
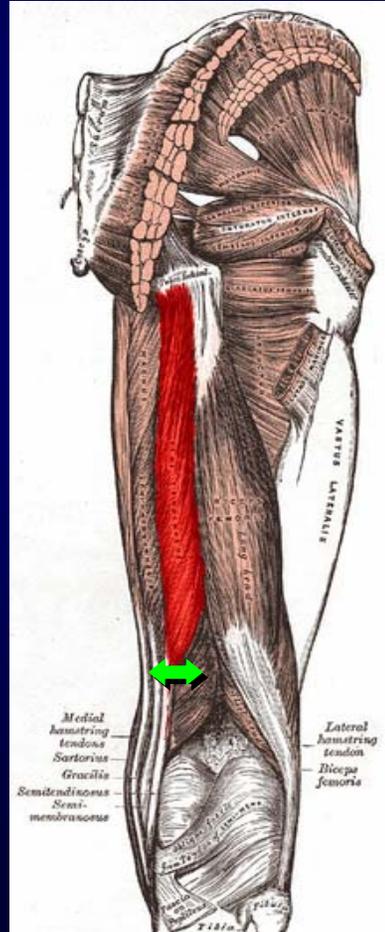
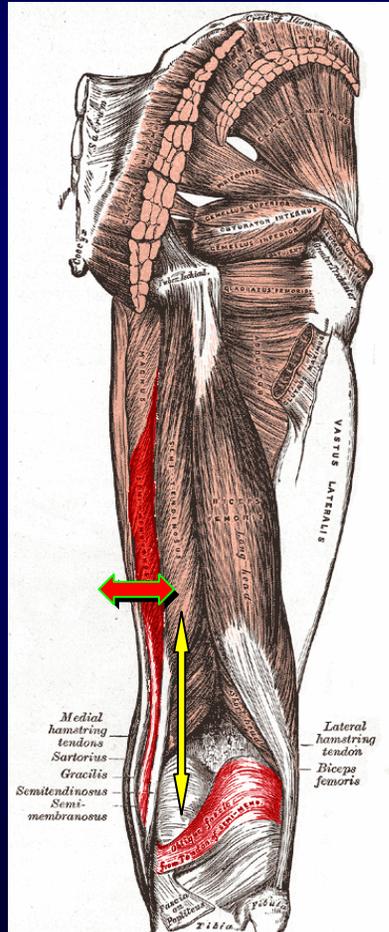


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## Rétractions Ischio-jambiers



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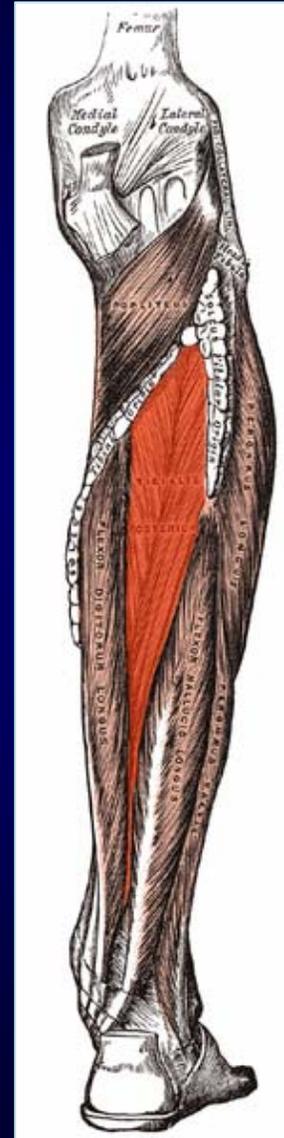
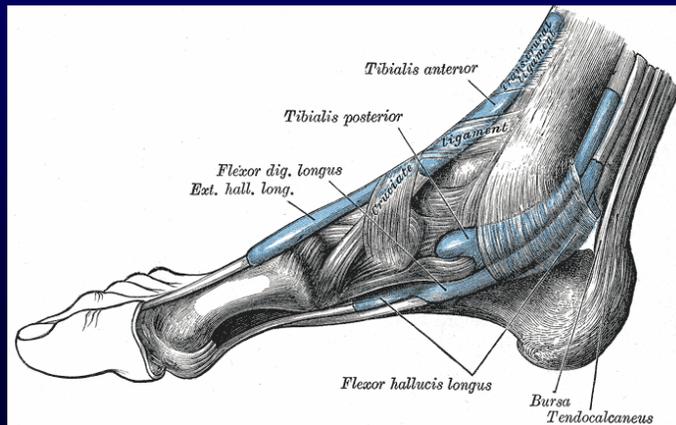


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## Rétractions

*Tibial Antérieur*

*Tibial Postérieur*

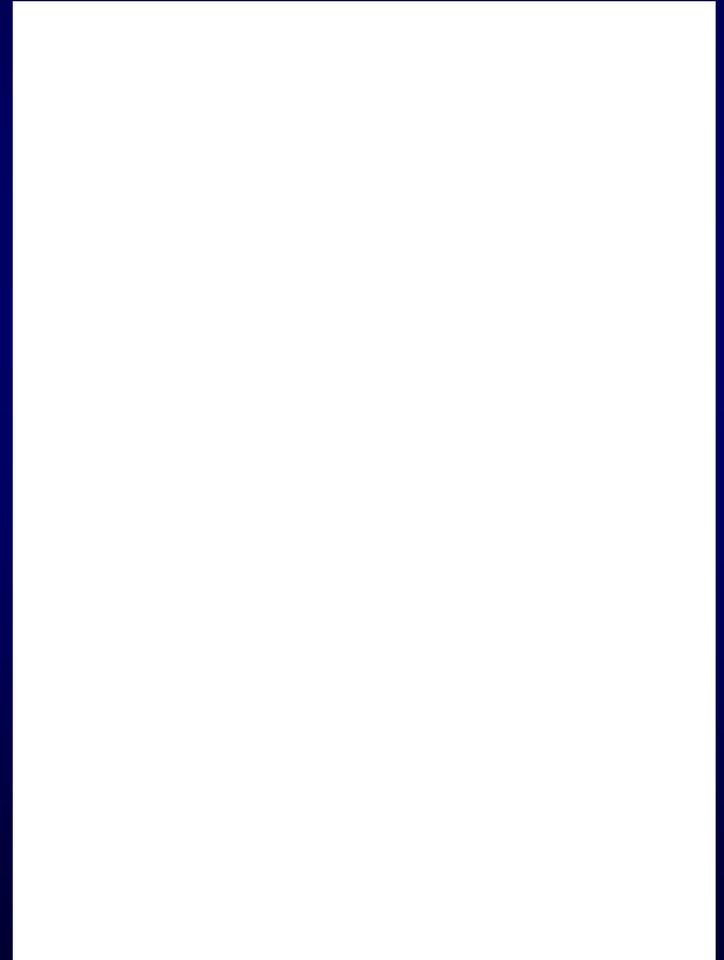




# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions - Varus équin

- Réductible
- Irréductible



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Rétractions - Varus équin

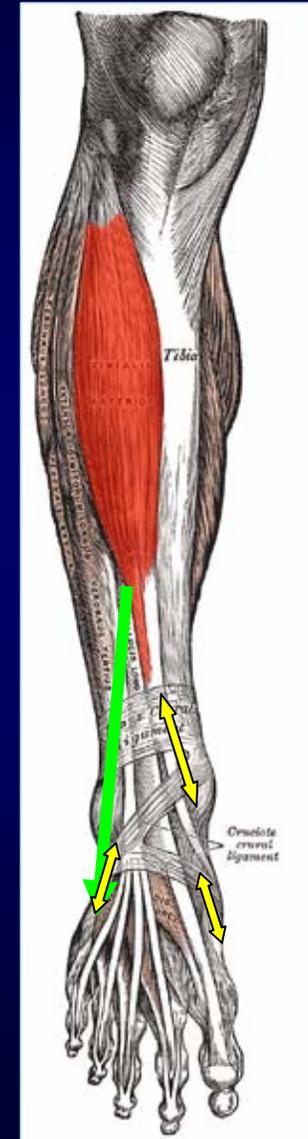
*Tibial Antérieur*

-  $\frac{1}{2}$  transfert TA

*Hémiplégique*

*Si TP pas trop spastique ni très rétracté ++*

*Ne marche pas bien chez le paraplégique*



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions - Varus équin

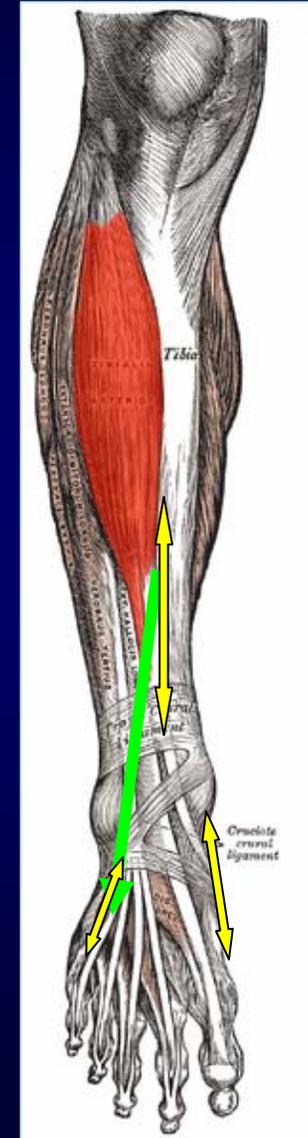
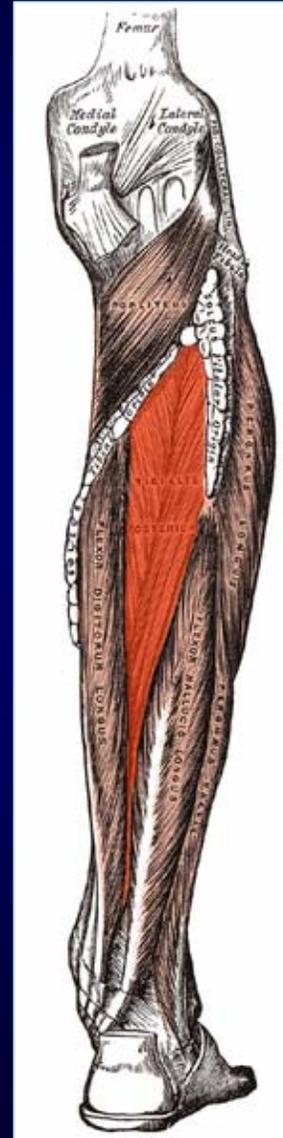
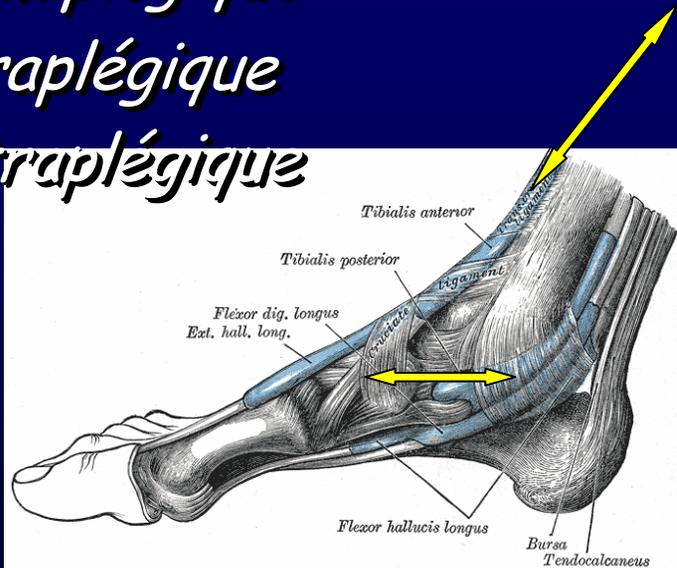
### *Tibial Postérieur*

*Si TP très spastique ou rétracté ++*

*Hémiplégique*

*Paraplégique*

*Tétraplégique*



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Rétractions - Varus équin

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

### Effect of Attachment Site and Routing Variations in Split Tendon Transfer of Tibialis Posterior

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**Abstract:** Equine equinovarus is a condition that commonly affects the past of children with cerebral palsy. Split tendon transfer of the tibialis posterior (TP) may often be performed to eliminate the excessive hindfoot inversion present in equinovarus. TP muscle transfer area were compared before and after three variations of split TP tendon transfer to assess the effectiveness of each. The three variations tested were (1) the original split TP transfer to the distal peroneus brevis tendon exiting behind the lateral malleolus; (2) an attachment variation in which the transferred tendon half was attached to the proximal peroneus brevis tendon rather than to the distal site; and (3) a routing variation in which the transferred tendon half was passed through a window in the interosseous membrane and attached to the distal peroneus brevis tendon. Tendon tension was controlled for in these experiments because we were best using a free end as a means for force measurement. All three variations significantly reduced the ability of TP to invert the hindfoot, thus eliminating a potential deforming force, but the reduction following interosseous routing was significantly less than that found for the other two transfer procedures. Routing through the interosseous membrane also reduced the ability of the TP to plantarflex the foot, but ankle motion was preserved following the other two variants. Routing through the interosseous membrane to an anterior attachment site resulted in a muscle with altered potential to create or resist motion about the ankle joint. Similar motion areas were measured when the attachment site on the peroneus brevis tendon was located either proximally or distally, suggesting that this choice does not appear to significantly affect the mechanical outcome.

**Key Words:** split tendon transfer, equinovarus, tibialis posterior, movement area

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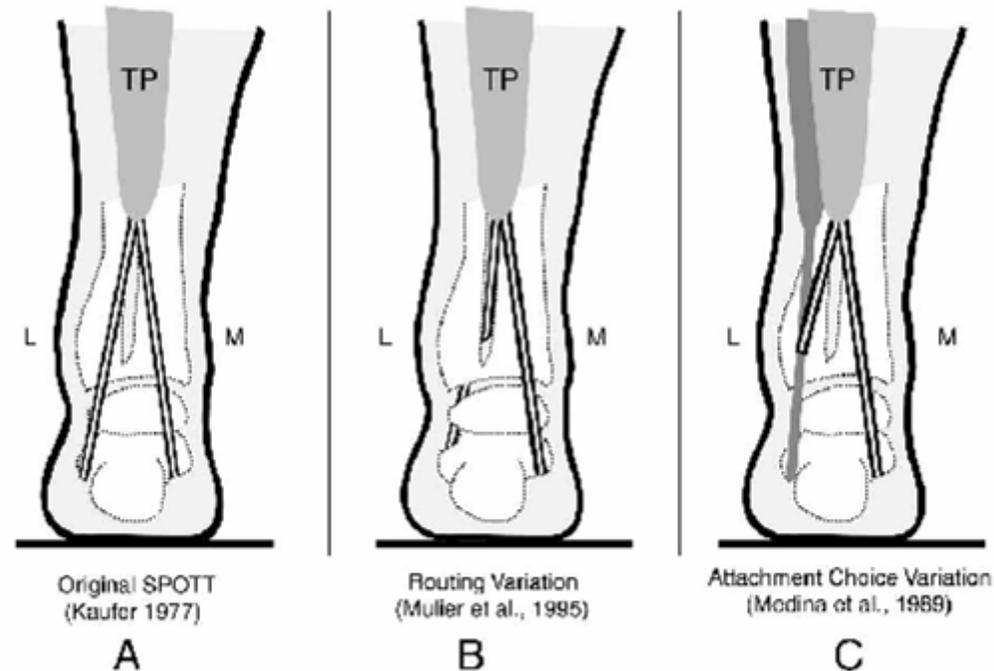
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Hindfoot varus is a musculoskeletal deformity in which the calcaneus is excessively inverted relative to the talus. This deformity is commonly accompanied by equinus and often affects children with cerebral palsy. Without proper intervention the foot disorder may lead to bony deformities that impede gait and diminish quality of life.<sup>1,2</sup> When the tibialis posterior (TP) can be identified as the primary deforming force, then a split tendon transfer of the TP (SPOTT) has been recommended as a possible surgical solution.<sup>3,4,5,11,12,14</sup>

The original SPOTT procedure, as described by Kauler,<sup>3</sup> involves longitudinally splitting the distal TP tendon and detaching half of it from its normal insertion site. The detached tendon half is routed behind the lateral malleolus and reattached to the distal peroneus brevis tendon (Fig. 1A). The primary goals of the surgery are to retain the TP as a plantarflexor, eliminate varus positioning of the heel, and obtain a functional attachment site to aid in support of the talonavicular joint. Variations to the original SPOTT procedure have included an alternative attachment site<sup>12</sup> and routing of the split-transferred TP tendon.<sup>11,14</sup> Most outcome studies have reported good results for the SPOTT procedure, but it may be difficult to isolate the effects of variations in SPOTT from concomitant Achilles tendon lengthening.<sup>15</sup>

Medina et al<sup>12</sup> attached the split tendon half to the proximal peroneus brevis tendon rather than the distal peroneus brevis tendon attachment site (see Fig. 1C). This variation reduced the complexity of surgery and eliminated the need for a lateral dissection on the dorsum of the foot. Both Muller et al<sup>11</sup> and Saji et al<sup>14</sup> described procedures in which the split-transferred TP tendon was routed through the interosseous membrane to the dorsum of the foot. Saji et al<sup>14</sup> attached the split TP tendon half to the lateral calcaneus, while Muller et al<sup>11</sup> attached it to the distal peroneus brevis tendon (see Fig. 1B). Both sets of authors recommended this surgery for patients exhibiting TP contractivity and dorsiflexor weakness. They hypothesized that transferring through the interosseous membrane would correct the varus positioning of the heel and also rectify the accompanying equinus condition by restoring active dorsiflexion strength with an anterior attachment site of the split-transferred TP tendon half.

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# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

Ostéotomie est utilisée pour :

Restituer une structure osseuse adaptée en particulier pour des bras de levier musculaire efficaces (moment = force de rotation sur une articulation)

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Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

Evaluation de l'antéversion :

- Clinique:
- Scanner

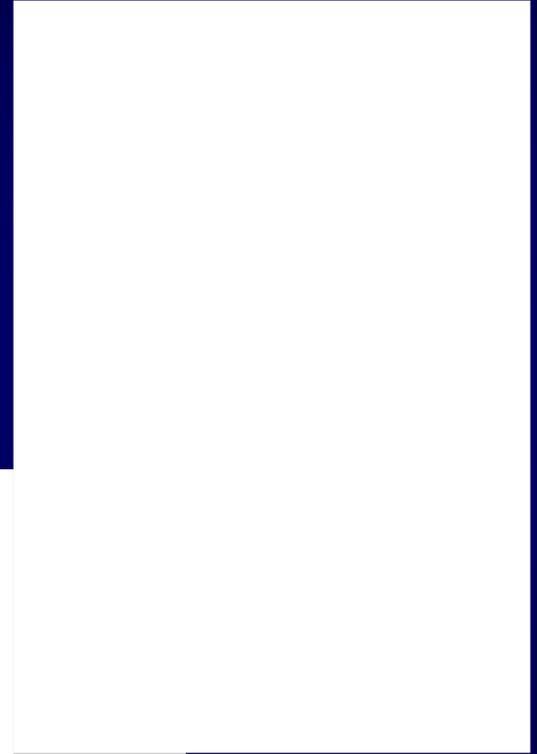
# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

## Evaluation de la torsion tibiale

- Clinique:

- Scanner



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

## Evaluation association

- *Clinique:*
- *Scanner*



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

### Ostéotomie fémur :

- *Le plus souvent réduire l'antéversion trop importante du col fémoral*
- Génère une marche « rotule en dedans »
- Réduit en particulier le moment du quadriceps

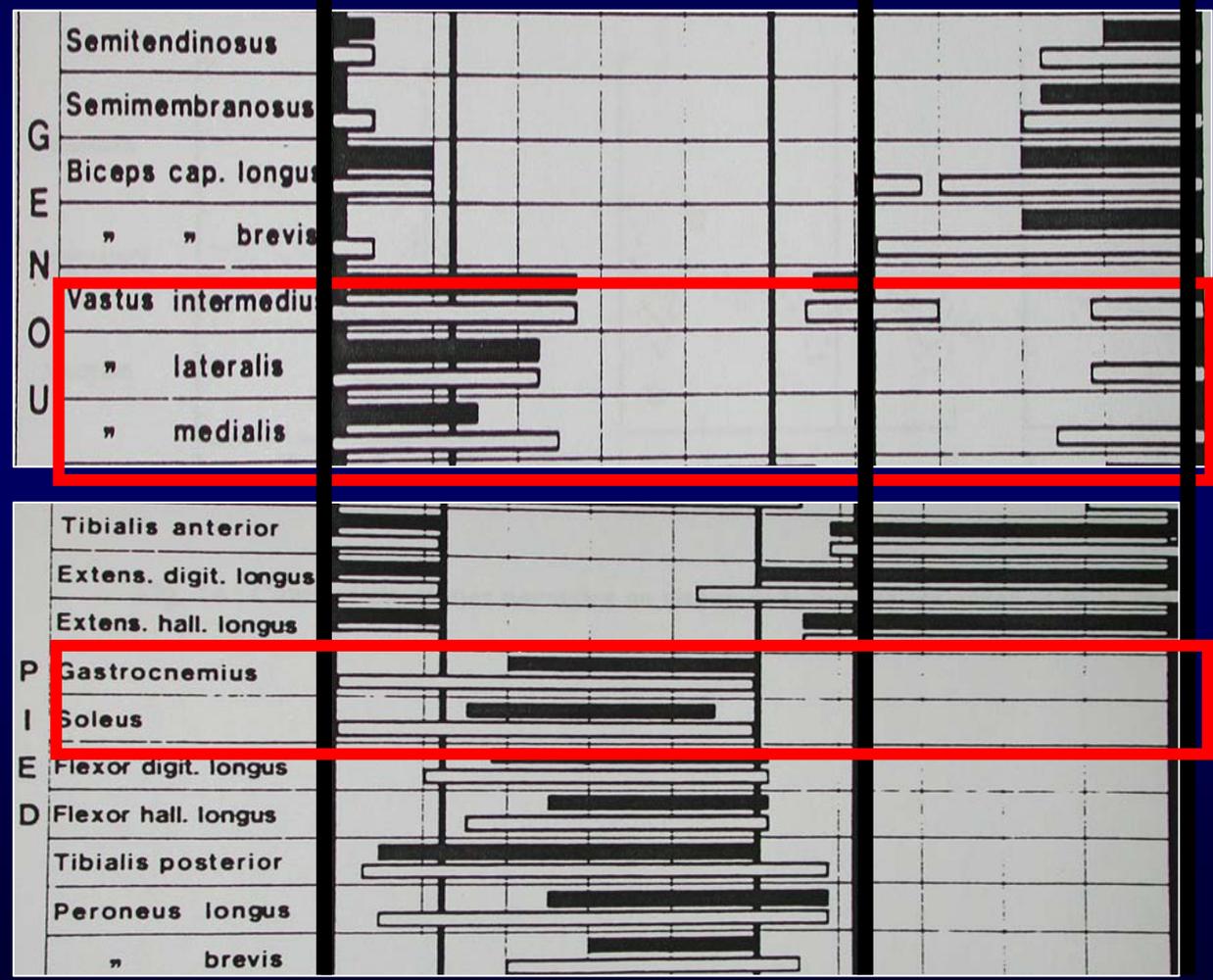
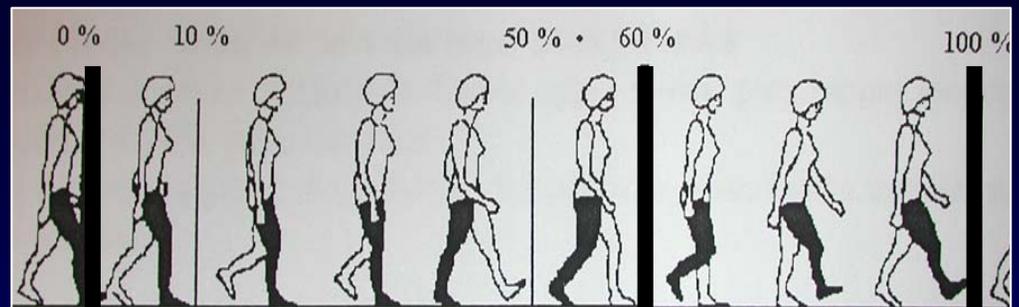
# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

### Ostéotomie Tibia :

- *Mettre le pied sur la ligne de progression lors de la marche*
- Donc à adapter si ostéotomie de fémur
- Restitue en particulier le moment du triceps
- Réduit la contrainte imposée au quadriceps

# Genou



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

### Ostéotomie Techniques :

- *Décubitus dorsal – Décubitus ventral*
- *Proximal – Distal*
- Clou en fin de croissance
- Plaque quelque soit l'âge
- (ECMES)

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

### Ostéotomie Age :

*Après 7 ans*

*(Pas de preuve scientifique)*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie

### Ostéotomie: Problème de l'indication quand association :

- *Spasticité*
- *Rétraction*
- *Trouble osseux architectural*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Déformation structurale: Ostéotomie Pied

### Ostéotomie Pied:

*Le pied constitue l'interface entre le sujet et sol*

*Importance capitale +++*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou : Angle mort



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou: « Intervenants »

- *Quadriceps* —————
- *Ischio-jambiers* —————
- *Triceps* —————



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou: « Intervenants »

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Flexum de genou

### Préventif:

- *Kinésithérapie*
- *Parfois attelles de Posture*
- *Parfois la toxine botulique*

### Curatif:

- *Parfois série de plâtre*
  - *Met les muscles spastiques au « repos »*
  - *Gypsotomies*

*Peuvent être réalisé en post-op.*

- *Chirurgie*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

Flexum de genou: Chirurgie

## Parties molles:

- *Allongement parcimonieux des IJ*
- *Si Â mort: Accourcissement tendon patellaire*
- *Capsulotomie*
- *« Gestion du triceps »*

## Osseuse:

- *Ostéotomie d'extension distale du fémur*

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Flexum de genou: Chirurgie Osseuse

### Haut risque:

- Attention aux troubles vasculaires
- Attention au trouble neurologique
- Intérêt d'une attelle post-op réglable
- Toujours y associer un accourcissement du tendon patellaire



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## Flexum de genou: Chirurgie Osseuse

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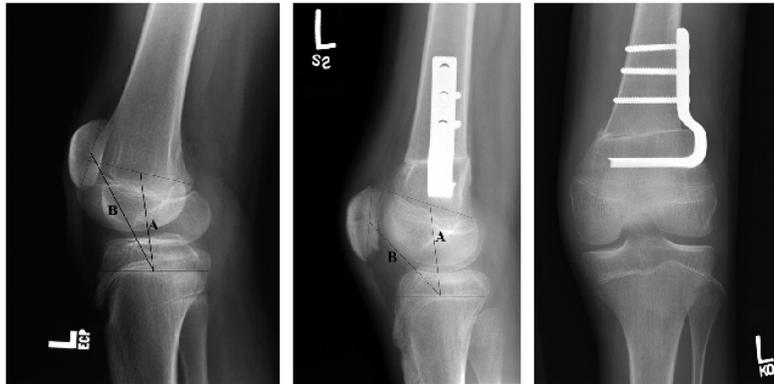


Fig. 1-A Preoperative (Fig. 1-A) and postoperative (Fig. 1-B) lateral radiographs and postoperative anteroposterior radiograph (Fig. 1-C) of a left knee in maximum extension in the group treated with both distal femoral extension osteotomy and patellar tendon advancement. The position of the AO blade-plate is seen postoperatively (Figs. 1-B and 1-C). Any posterior bone protrusion on the distal fragment of the osteotomy is removed (Fig. 1-B). To calculate the Koshino index<sup>26</sup> of patellar height, the femur-tibia distance (A) and the patella-tibia distance (B) are measured with use of the epiphyseal line midpoints of the tibia and femur and the midpoint of the long axis of the patella. The Koshino index is the ratio of B to A. The typical ratio is dependent on the knee flexion angle seen on the radiograph. In this case, the preoperative ratio (Fig. 1-A) is 1.34 with a knee flexion angle of 15°, and the postoperative ratio (Fig. 1-B) is 1.08 with a knee flexion angle of 0°.

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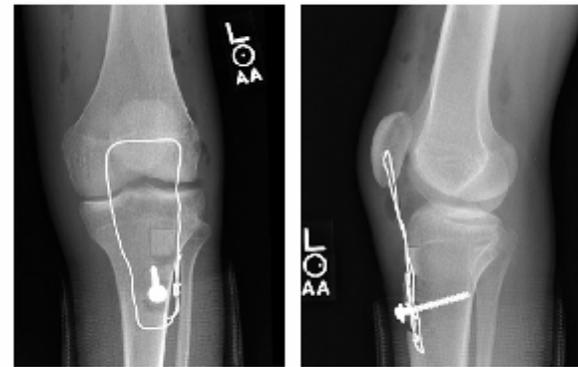


Fig. 2-A Anteroposterior (Fig. 2-A) and lateral (Fig. 2-B) radiographs of a knee in maximum extension following patellar tendon and tibial tubercle advancement. The tibial tubercle was removed as a block of bone. A wire was covered distally for the tibial tubercle by removing the cortical surface. (This cortical piece is typically transposed proximally to the original site of the tibial tubercle and rounded into position.) The tubercle is advanced until the distal pole of the patella is on the joint line. The entire repair in this patient is protected by a 16-gauge drain inserted Luque-wire tenon band placed transversely through the patella and through a transverse drill hole in the tibia and tightened. When Luque wire is used, it is typically removed six to eight weeks after the surgery. Currently, FiberTape is used as tension band and removal and fixation is not required.

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Flexum de genou: Chirurgie Osseuse

- Moins risqué: Epiphysiodèse

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

### Guided Growth for Fixed Knee Flexion Deformity

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**Background:** Fixed knee flexion deformity (FKFD) is an insidious problem that may complicate the management of patients with osseous malformations due to congenital palsy, spina bifida, arthrogryposis, and other conditions. The energy costs associated with crouch gait may become prohibitive and, with the insidious progression of fixed knee flexion, secondary pain may ensue as a result of degeneration of the patella and/or distal femur. Correction or accompanying flexion deformity of the hip and lumbar lordosis may develop, along with "pseudo scoliosis" of the pelvis. Recommended treatments for FKFD have included bracing, physical therapy, and, in recalcitrant cases, distal femoral osteotomy, posterior release, or femur distalization. However, these latter modalities are fraught with potential complications, including neurovascular damage, loss of function, endosteocutaneous excision, fracture, and recurrent deformity. Considering that FKFD is often bilateral, the complication risks for a given patient are doubled. In a previous study, the senior author reported successful hemiepiphysiodesis of the distal anterior femur using staples. However, further experience has demonstrated some of the limitations of stapling, including relatively slow correction and occasional hardware migration. This led to the development of a more versatile and reliable solution using a pair of anterior tension band plates.

**Methods:** In this retrospective clinical study, we are reporting on our technique of promoting gradual correction through guided growth of the distal femur, using a pair of anterior staples. The correction is accomplished bilaterally and bilaterally, without lambolectomy, and may be combined with other operative procedures as indicated. An overview of the charts, radiographs in a group of patients treated accordingly.

**Results:** In this group of 18 patients with 26 deformities, we noted correction averaging 1.3 degrees (range, 0.0 [1 patient]-4.8 degrees), with minimal complications. No inadvertent coronal plane deformities were created. Upon full correction, the plates were removed in an effort to avoid irritation.

**Conclusions:** As an alternative to posterior capsulotomy or epiphyseal distraction concepts, we have found that guided growth is an effective and safe method of gradually correcting FKFD in growing children and adolescents.

**Level of Evidence:** 4 (retrospective clinical series)

**Key Words:** crouch gait, fixed knee flexion deformity, guided growth, hemiepiphysiodesis, cerebral palsy, spina bifida, arthrogryposis, 4-plate

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Fixed knee flexion deformities (FKFD) may present as a significant problem in patients with diverse etiologies including cerebral palsy, myelodysplasia, and arthrogryposis.<sup>1,2</sup> Despite conservative management, FKFDs that are initially mild may progress, interfering with ambulation. As a given deformity surpasses 15 degrees, gait kinematics are compromised and symptoms ensue, including decreased endurance due to quadriceps fatigue, anterior knee pain, and progressive crouch gait.<sup>3,4</sup> There may be compensatory and concurrent hip flexion deformity accompanied by lumbar lordosis, as well as functional scoliosis. As opposed to dynamic contractures, FKFD cannot be successfully managed by cast bracing, spasticity management (Botox/Blockalon), and floor reaction or even above knee bracing. With respect to musculoskeletal ambulation, FKFD can lead to difficulties with standing for transfers, dressing, bathing, and activities of daily living.

When conservative management including stretching, physical therapy, spasticity management, and bracing fail, there are several surgical options, some of which are comparatively aggressive and fraught with potential complications. These include posterior capsulotomy, extension superiorly arthroostectomy, and frame distraction.<sup>5</sup> Because many of these deformities are bilateral, this results in higher postoperative risks and protracted recovery. Furthermore, recurrent deformity with continued growth is common, making these relatively invasive techniques less appealing.

The previously described technique of anterior femoral stapling for flexion deformity<sup>6</sup> has been refined by using a pair of nonlocking plates that are strategically placed (non-articular) on either side of the patellofemoral sulcus. This article relates our preliminary results, pointing out the rationale and potential advantages of a flexible technique.

#### METHODS

To date, 23 patients (40 knees) have been treated using this method. Diagnoses included cerebral palsy (12), spina bifida (5), unknown neuromuscular syndromes (2), arthrogryposis (1), scleroderma (1), traumatic sciatic nerve injury (1), and Sjöström syndrome (1). The average patient age at the time of initial surgery was 16.8 years (range, 4-17 years). The youngest child was an outlier with a hereditary knee flexion deformity. Otherwise, the youngest age at surgery was 8 years.

Clinical assessment included gait evaluation, straight leg raise, and screening for concomitant deformities such as scoliosis, limb length discrepancy, and angular or rotational deformities of the legs. In addition to the typical supine straight leg raise examination, it is helpful to put the patient

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# FONDAMENTAL

- Importance de la chirurgie multiétagée en un temps (ou deux)
- Rééducation longue en centre de rééducation

Doit être acceptée avant toute chirurgie multi étagée

Longue (3 à 6mois)

Préparer les phases difficiles post-op. inévitables

- Mobilisation et verticalisation très précoces

Eviter la perte de force musculaire et la raideur

- Attention à la séquence Douleur–Spasticité–Douleur...

# Généralités

ATTENTION + + +

- Enfants avec faiblesse musculaire
- Enfants avec troubles de l'équilibre

# Généralités

ATTENTION + + +

- Enfants dystoniques + + +
- Enfants avec troubles végétatifs

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Luxation de hanche

- Il faut évaluer la hanche chez tout enfant présentant une PC  
(Tous les 6 mois si excentration découverte récemment)
- Important d'annoncer aux parents l'histoire naturelle de la luxation de hanche

GMFCS E & R between 6 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> birthday: Descriptors and illustrations	
	<b>GMFCS Level I</b> Children walk at home, school, outdoors and in the community. They can climb stairs without the use of a railing. Children perform gross motor skills such as running and jumping, but speed, balance and coordination are limited.
	<b>GMFCS Level II</b> Children walk in most settings and climb stairs holding onto a railing. They may experience difficulty walking long distances and balancing on uneven terrain, inclines, in crowded areas or confined spaces. Children may walk with physical assistance, a hand-held mobility device or used wheeled mobility over long distances. Children have only minimal ability to perform gross motor skills such as running and jumping.
	<b>GMFCS Level III</b> Children walk using a hand-held mobility device in most outdoor settings. They may climb stairs holding onto a railing with supervision or assistance. Children use wheeled mobility when traveling long distances and may self-propel for shorter distances.
	<b>GMFCS Level IV</b> Children use methods of mobility that require physical assistance or powered mobility in most settings. They may walk for short distances at home with physical assistance or use powered mobility or a body support walker when positioned. At school, outdoors and in the community children are transported in a manual wheelchair or use powered mobility.
	<b>GMFCS Level V</b> Children are transported in a manual wheelchair in all settings. Children are limited in their ability to maintain antigravity head and trunk postures and control leg and arm movements.

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→ Importance pour éviter toute arthrose prématurée

Traitement ultérieur de la douleur très difficile

- Prothèse
- Résection Tête-Col
- Butée ?



# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Luxation de hanche

Si  $>30\%$  :

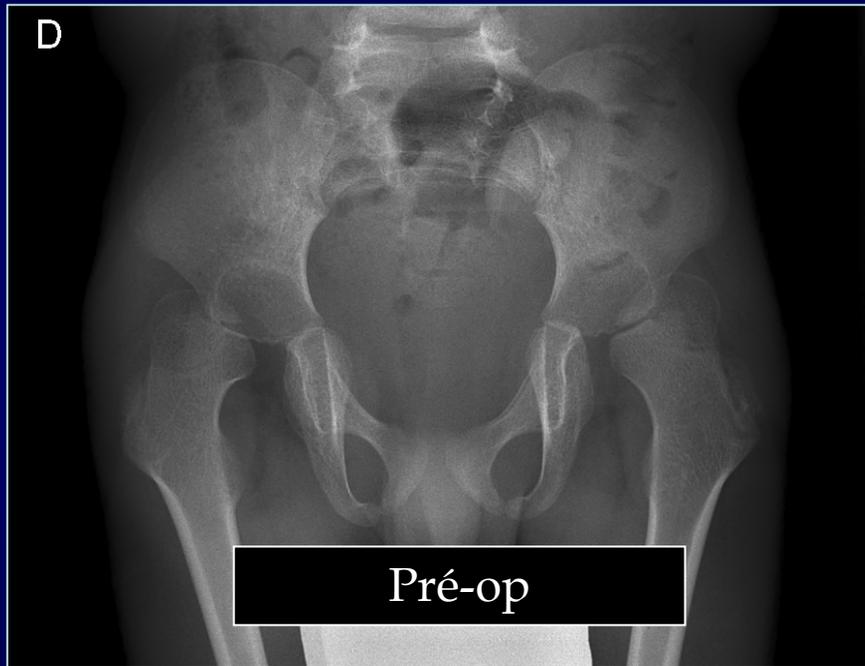
→ Ne pas attendre la luxation invétérée

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Luxation de hanche: Techniques

- Varisation dérotation fémorale proximale
- Ostéotomie pelvienne
  - San Diego (ou « Like »)
  - Dega
  - Chiari (si insuffisance de couverture prévisible)
  - Butée

La chirurgie bilatérale s'impose dans le même ou légèrement différé





Pré-op

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Post-op immédiat



Post-op 2 ans



Post-op 3 ans

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Luxation de hanche: Immobilisation

- Traction
- Aucune contention
- Plâtre PPP
  - Antalgique en post-op. (++) Médecins rééducateurs)
  - Posture avant coque mousse en abduction
  - Problème différé de la douleur à l'ablation
  - Problème de la fragilité osseuse

# Traitement chirurgical des membres inférieurs

## Appareillage

- **Posture** (évite les positions vicieuses)
- **Attelle fonctionnelle de marche**
  - Assez souvent mal accepté par les enfants
  - Problèmes de la fonte musculaire

# Traitement chirurgical du RACHIS

## Scoliose

- Le plus souvent aspect neurologique avec grande courbure
- Parfois aspect courbure idiopathique

Gestion +++ de l'obliquité du bassin et du tronc  
(Confort, Escarre)

# Traitement chirurgical du RACHIS

Scoliose

→ Aucune prévention

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## The Risk of Progression of Scoliosis in Cerebral Palsy Patients After Intrathecal Baclofen Therapy

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**Study Design.** Retrospective radiographic and medical chart review with matched control group.

**Objective.** To identify the effect of intrathecal baclofen on the incidence of scoliosis, rate of curve progression, and pelvic obliquity compared with a matched cohort.

**Summary of Background Data.** Although intrathecal baclofen therapy (ITB) has been shown to be effective in decreasing spasticity, case reports have described some children receiving ITB in whom progressive scoliosis was noted; other authors have described no effect on the spinal column. A controlled study has not been performed.

**Methods.** All patients with spastic CP treated with ITB between 1997 and 2003 at a single institution were reviewed. A total of 527 patients undergoing ITB for a minimum of 2 years were identified, of which 26 patients subsequently developed or had progression of scoliosis. Twenty-five age, gender, and gross motor function classification system (GMFCS) score-matched quadriplegic CP patients with scoliosis who did not receive ITB constituted the control group used to compare the rate of curve progression and pelvic obliquity.

**Results.** The average curve progression for the baclofen group after pump implantation was 16.3° per year; and for the control group was 16.1° per year. Both groups' curves progressed over time during growth ( $P = 0.001$ ), but baclofen did not have an independent effect on curve progression ( $P = 0.18$ ). Average pelvic obliquity for the 2 groups increased over time ( $P = 0.001$ ), but there was no difference between the groups ( $P = 0.536$ ). Twelve of 52 patients (23%) developed scoliosis after pump implantation during a mean of 3.6 years of follow-up. Thirty of 92 matched control patients (32%) not treated with ITB within the same time interval had scoliosis by maturity.

**Conclusion.** This study demonstrates that ITB has no significant effect on curve progression, pelvic obliquity, or the incidence of scoliosis when compared with an age, gender, and GMFCS score-matched control group of patients with spastic CP without ITB.

**Key words:** intrathecal baclofen, scoliosis, cerebral palsy, pelvic obliquity. *Spine* 2007;32:2348-2354

Baclofen, a  $\gamma$ -aminobutyric acid agonist, is a mediator that acts at the cerebral and spinal cord levels to impede the release of excitatory neurotransmitters that cause spasticity.<sup>1</sup> Baclofen can be administered orally or as an intrathecal infusion. Oral baclofen improves cerebral spasticity only to a mild degree<sup>1,2</sup>; however, intrathecal baclofen therapy (ITB) is effective for children with cerebral spasticity in reducing muscle tone.<sup>3-7</sup> Outcomes of ITB for patients with spasticity are: improvement in function, facilitation of care, decrease or prevention of contractures, and a decrease in pain associated with contractures.<sup>8-12</sup> The improvement in spasticity can persist for years.<sup>8</sup>

Scoliosis and sagittal plane spinal deformities are significant problems in patients with cerebral palsy (CP).<sup>13-17</sup> A progressive scoliosis can lead to difficulty in sitting due to coronal imbalance, loss of head control and upper extremity use, pain, and skin breakdown. Although ITB has been shown to be effective in decreasing spasticity, its effect on the spinal column of children with spastic CP has not been well defined. Some investigators report concerns of scoliosis progression after ITB,<sup>14,17</sup> while others have not noted progression beyond that associated with the natural history of this patient population. Two theories of thought prevail. ITB may contribute to loss of truncal tone, leading to difficulty with upright posture and cause development and/or progression of spinal deformity. On the other hand, decreasing spasticity may help to balance forces on either side of the spine by reducing tone in the paraspinal and postural muscles and may protect the patient from development or progression of scoliosis.

Focusing on a series of children with spastic CP who had ITB at a single institution, the purposes of this study were to test the hypotheses that intrathecal baclofen has an effect on the incidence of scoliosis, the rate of curve progression, and the magnitude of pelvic obliquity.

### Materials and Methods

All patients with spastic cerebral palsy who were treated with ITB between 1997 and 2003 were reviewed. Approval from our Institutional Review Board was obtained. Gender, age, ambulatory potential, and pattern of spasticity were noted. The ambulatory potential of the patients was categorized according to the gross motor function classification system (GMFCS) described by Palisano et al<sup>18</sup> and muscle tone was categorized by the modified Ashworth scale.<sup>19</sup> Standard posteroanterior and lateral radiographs were taken with the patient sitting erect. Those who could not sit independently were positioned in special adaptive seat with straps to allow them to sit erect, but no

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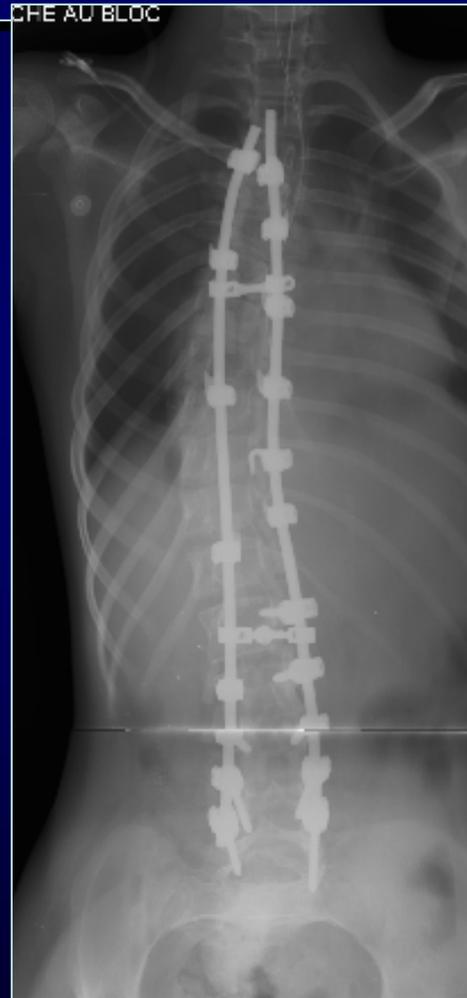
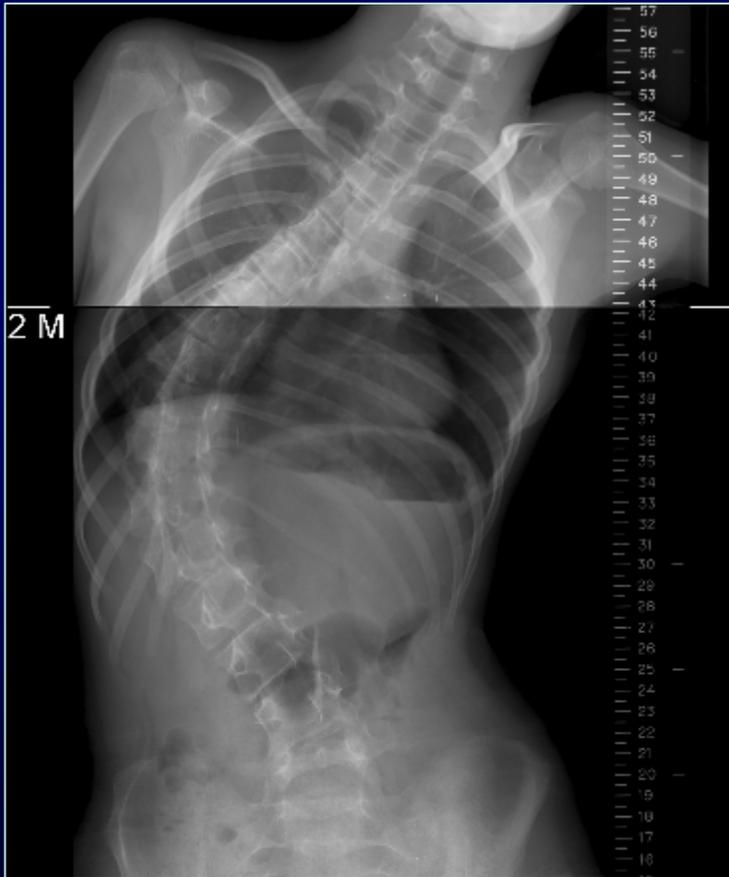
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# Traitement chirurgical du RACHIS

## Scoliose : Techniques



# Traitement chirurgical du Mb supérieur

Membre supérieur

→ Difficile sur le plan fonctionnel car:

Main(s) négligée(s)

→ Confort (arthrodèse du poignet)

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