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DISTAL RADIAL FRACTURE CASE 1

Extra-articular displaced radius fracture (Colles) treated with VRP PEEK plate

PRE OP

AT A GLANCE

PATIENT DETAILS

- 26 yrs of age, female
- Left Wrist, high energy trauma while driving
- No co morbidities or other fractures

POST OP REGIME

- After the surgery the patient was immobilised in a forearm splint for 2 weeks.
- After this initial range of time she started some physiotherapy.



POST OP







Discussion

2 months after the surgical procedure there was an excellent functional result with an almost complete range of motion of the wrist. 3 months after the surgical procedure she could return to all her normal activities with a complete range of motion of the wrist. No major complications were identified.







Surgeon

Prof Tarallo is an orthopaedic surgeon who trained at the university of Modena and Reggio Emilia specializing in orthopaedics and traumatology with a particular interest in upper extremity diseases.