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Case 22: Moberg Osteotomy

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A 39-year-old tennis player with pain in the first metatarsophalangeal joint. A Moberg-Akin osteotomy was planned (Figs. 1–4).



Fig. 1. Intraoperative pictures showing dorsomedial wedge taken from proximal phalanx (Moberg-Akin).

Statement of Ethics

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Fig. 2. Osteotomy fixation with 2.2 mm cannulated screw.



Fig. 3. Postoperative radiographic AP view result showing concomitant Youngswick osteotomy obtaining longitudinal decompression by proximal translation of the metatarsal head and plantar flexion.



Fig. 4. Postoperative radiographic lateral view showing osteotomy alignment and fixation.

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