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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Drs. Weltsch and Baldwin discussed the main options currently used to treat tibial shaft fractures along with underpinning (scarce) evidence. They also commented on the need for simple - yet precise - methods which are needed in order to evaluate skeletal



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maturity and growth potential and thus guide treatment and assess outcomes. The manuscript is sound and well written. I'd just suggest the following: - in the abstract, expand ESIN and RIMN before first use; - lines 123-6: could the author suggest how plain film-based methods can be improved?

INITIAL REVIEW OF THE MANUSCRIPT

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