

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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Provenance and peer review: Unsolicited manuscript; Externally peer reviewed

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Scientific quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
Novelty of this manuscript	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No novelty
Creativity or innovation of this manuscript	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No creativity or innovation

Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: No scientific significance
Language quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of language polishing <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
Re-review	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Peer-reviewer statements	Peer-Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
	Conflicts-of-Interest: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The manuscript is well-written, but I suggest the authors to provide some images to describe the proximity of the fracture callus to the brachial plexus, either intraoperative or in imaging examination.

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Scientific quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good <input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Grade E: Do not publish
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Thanks for the opportunity to review this case report. Introduction: Change "An extremely rare" to "A rare" Please describe and expand the incidence of brachial plexus injury with the fracture itself, the ORIF, the conservative management. Case Presentation: Line 29: multiple right sided rib fractures .. Please describe what was done for that. Line 32: Patient was discharged!!.. There is no mention how the patient was treated. Line 33: 2 weeks post-injury, a mid-shaft comminuted clavicle fracture was documented.. You mean it the fracture was not discovered except after 2 weeks? Line 37: patient declined.. what was the cause Line 44: Remove unfortunately Line 46: loss of sensation in the hand and forearm region. whcih areas exactly Line 90: Plain radiographs of the right clavicle showed progression of the fracture healing and maintained implant fixation. Please add those 6 months follow-up Xrays Did you do nerve conduction studies prior to the surgery? Why did you use 2 plates for ORIF

RE-REVIEW REPORT OF REVISED MANUSCRIPT

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The comments had been addressed well.