

Supplementary online information to:

Retrospective study of 476 tibial plateau levelling osteotomy procedures

Rate of subsequent 'pivot shift', meniscal tear and other complications

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Appendix - Owner outcome assessment questionnaire

Has your dog had any other surgery at any other veterinary clinic on the limb that we performed the TPLO procedure on since his/her TPLO surgery here?

Yes What surgery?

No

Has your dog had any severe lameness in the limb that we performed the TPLO procedure on since his/her TPLO surgery here that was not treated surgically?

Yes What treatment and outcome?

No

Your dog's activity level now compared to before the TPLO surgery is

Greatly improved mildly improved same mildly worse greatly worse

Now your dog limps

Never only after heavy exercise after short walks after resting all the time

How long after the TPLO surgery when his/her function peaked?

1-2 months 3-4 months 5-6 months 6-8 months 8-10 months 10-12 months

Please state your assessment of the overall outcome of the TPLO procedure

Excellent good fair poor bad

Does your dog currently require anti-inflammatory medications to maintain his/her peak level of activity?

Never once monthly once weekly once daily

If only one TPLO procedure was performed, has your dog had any lameness in the contralateral hindlimb (other back leg) since his/her TPLO surgery here?

Yes Diagnostic? Treatment?
No