Fracture Shaft of Humerus

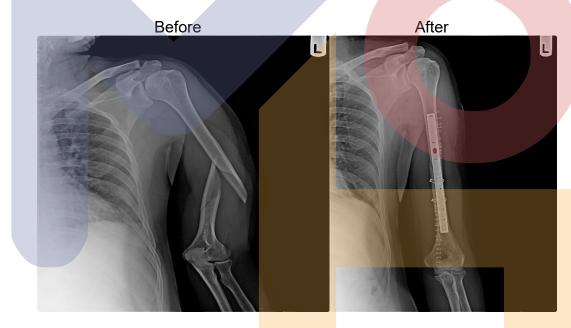
INTRODUCTION

Humerus shaft fracture accounts for 5% of all long bone fractures. Shaft humerus can fracture near the top of the bone or in the middle or end of the bone. Treatment modalities depend on how and where the bone fractures. Incidence of associated radial nerve palsy with shaft humerus fracture range from 7-17%. Read more

SYMPTOMS

- Swelling and pain in the arm
- Associated abnormal mobility and inability to lift the arm.

TREATMENT METHODS





Most of these fractures require surgical treatment and plate fixation. Fixation of humerus fractures allows us to mobilize the shoulder and elbow joint early, and stiffness is avoided.

