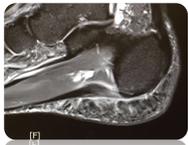


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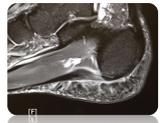



Fasciitis plantaris: Abklärung und Therapie
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Rheuma - Workshop 06.01.2022
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Häufiges Krankheitsbild
Prävalenz Allgemeinbevölkerung 4% bis 10%
Prävalenz Athleten 5 % bis 18%.
(Burton 2021, Dunn et al. 2004, Thomas et al. 2019)

Lebensqualität teils erheblich beeinträchtigt

2 typische Personengruppen:

- Laifsporler (zählt zu den häufigsten Verletzungen bei Läufern)
- Übergewichtige Menschen in stehenden/gehenden Berufen

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Nomenklatur



„Plantarfasciitis“ ?
„Plantarfaziopathie“ ?
„Plantarer Fersenschmerz“
= eine meist durch Degeneration +- Inflammation des
Plantarfaszienansatzes verursachte Schmerzsymptomatik

Aufgrund der oft generalisierten Fersenschmerzen und mehrerer
involvierter Gewebe wird in der Zwischenzeit der unspezifische
Begriff „**plantarer Fersenschmerz**“ („plantar heel pain“) favorisiert

Riel et al. BJSM 2017

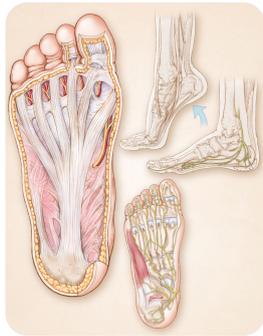
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Ursachen

Repetitive Mikrotraumata
Verstärkte Spannung der PF (Windlass Mechanismus)

Verkürzung Gastrocnemius
Hohlfuss, Senkfuss
Halllux rigidus

Falsches Schuhwerk
Hypercholesterinämie
Typ II Diabestes mellitus



(Thomas et al 2019, Catal et al. Foot Ankle Surg 2021)

Am Ende der Abrollbewegung des Fußes nimmt die Spannung der
Plantarfazie durch die Dorsalextension der Zehen zu
(Windlass Mechanismus).
Dies wird durch eine verkürzte Wadenmuskulatur verstärkt.

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Klinik



Beginn meist schleichend

Schmerzen

- stechend oder spitz/brennend
- belastungsabhängig + nach längeren Ruhephasen
- zu anfangs milde daher oft längere Zeit ignoriert

Lebensqualität beeinträchtigt

- berufliche Probleme
- Ggf. soziale Isolation

(Thomas et al 2019, Catal et al. Foot Ankle Surg 2021)

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Klinik



Schmerzen typischerweise Ferse zentral
und am medialen Calcaneusrand

Spannung der Faszie erhöht?

Trauma?
→ Partialruptur, Fad pad Contusion

Brennende/elektrisierende Schmerzen?
→ Tarsaltunnelsyndrom, Baxter Neuropathie?

Klopfschmerz Calcanear?
→ Stressfraktur

Andere Enthesiopathien, Gelenksbeschwerden, etc
→ Spondylarthropathie

Fussform? Schuhwerk? Abrollvorgang? Gastrocnemiusverkürzung?

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Bildgebung

Sonographie

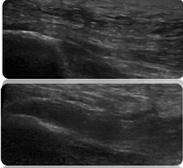
Einfach, reproduzierbar, dynamisch

Gesunde Faszie:
homogen, ca. 3 mm dick

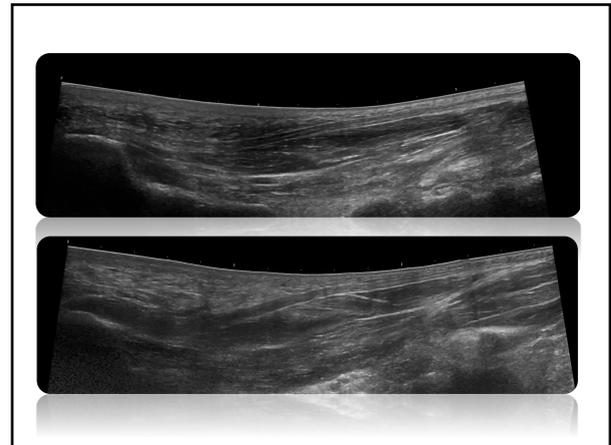
Degeneration:
Verdickung (> 4mm), Hypoechogenität
häufig umgebendes Weichteilödem

Neovaskularisationen sehr selten.

Hyperechogenität/ Ausziehungen der knöchernen Leitlinie des Calcaneus
→ „Fersensporn“



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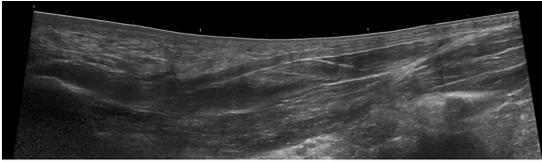


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IJSPT SYSTEMATIC REVIEW
**ULTRASONOGRAPHY, AN EFFECTIVE TOOL
 IN DIAGNOSING PLANTAR FASCIITIS:
 A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF DIAGNOSTIC TRIALS**

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Radwan 2016



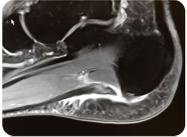
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Bildgebung

MRI
 Nützlich für Differentialdiagnostik:

Partialruptur
 Knochenödeme/-stressreaktionen

Fad pad Contusion
 Bursitiden
 USG Arthritis
 Frakturierter Fersensporn



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Therapie

Edukation***
 Stretching***

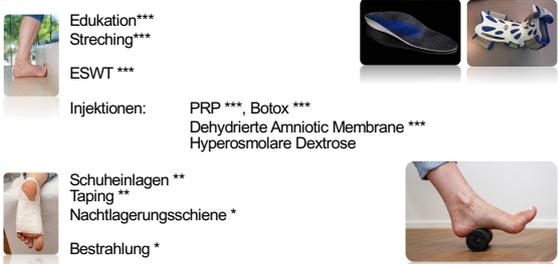
ESWT ***

Injektionen: PRP ***, Botox ***
 Dehydrierte Amniotic Membrane ***
 Hyperosmolare Dextrose

Schuheinlagen **
 Taping **
 Nachtlagerungsschiene *

Bestrahlung *

Strengthening Training *
 Faszienmobilisation, Dehnung, Akkupunktur, Radiofrequenzablation



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Therapie

**Management of plantar heel pain: a best practice
 guide informed by a systematic review, expert clinical
 reasoning and patient values**

Dylan Morrissey ^{1,2}, Matthew Cotchett ³, Ahmed Said J'Bar, Trevor Prior,¹
 Ian B Griffiths ⁴, Michael Skovdal Rathleiff,⁵ Halime Gulik,⁶ Bill Vicenzino ⁷,
 Christian J Barton ^{3,4}

> 90% der Patienten können konservativ therapiert werden
 > Evidenzbasierter Handlungsleitfaden (aktuelle Literatur + Experteninterviews
 Morrissey et al BJSM 2021)

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Management of plantar heel pain: a best practice guide informed by a systematic review, expert clinical reasoning and patient values

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BEST PRACTICE GUIDE PLANTAR HEEL PAIN MANAGEMENT

FINDINGS FROM SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

Evidence Level: Strong, Moderate, Experimental

1. Core approach, 2. ESWT, 3. Custom orthoses, 4. Injection

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Figure 3. Core approach to the management of plantar heel pain based on the best available evidence, expert opinion and the patient voice. The top layer (DO) of taping, stretching and education are required initial interventions with each patient. The individual assessment (DECIDE) is of which specific educational aspects are needed. BMJ, body mass index; CS, custom orthoses; ESWT, long term consistency; E, expert.

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Evidenzbasierte Therapieoptionen (Datenlage inzwischen sehr gut!)

- Edukation***
- Strecking***
- ESWT ***
- Injektionen: PRP *** Botox *** Dehydrierte Amniotische Membrane *** Hypermolare Dextrose
- Schuheinlagen **
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- Nächtlagerungsschiene *
- Bestrahlung *
- Strengthening Training *
- Faszienmobilisation, Dehnung, Akkupunktur, Radiofrequenzablation

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ESWT

CME ARTICLE • 2016 SERIES • NUMBER 00

Effectiveness of Extracorporeal Shock Wave Therapy Without Local Anesthesia in Patients With Recalcitrant Plantar Fasciitis: A Meta-Analysis of Randomized Controlled Trials

Jing Lou, MD, Shuai Wang, MD, Shuitao Liu, PhD, MD, and Gengyan Xing, PhD, MD

Study or Subgroup	Experimental	Control	Total	Events	Total	Weight	Risk Ratio	M-H, Fixed, 95% CI
1 Golshazer, H 2015	62	125	187	47	121	45.4%	1.29	[0.96, 1.70]
3 Gerdemeyer, L 2008	75	125	200	48	118	47.0%	1.48	[1.14, 1.91]
4 Gollwitzer, H 2007	10	20	30	8	20	7.6%	1.29	[0.63, 2.59]
Total (95% CI)	147	270	417	103	100.0%	1.37	[1.14, 1.65]	

Heterogeneity: Chi² = 0.61, I² = 0.74; P = 0.50; Test for overall effect: Z = 3.31 (P = 0.0009)

FIGURE 3. Forest plot for the success rate of improving overall heel pain during daily activities at week 12 between ESWT and placebo without local anesthesia.

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Injektionen

Injection therapies for plantar fasciopathy ('plantar fasciitis'): a systematic review and network meta-analysis of 22 randomised controlled trials

Konstantinos Tsikopoulos,¹ Haris S Vasiladis,² Dimitris Mavridis^{3,4}

Summary Although the dehydrated amniotic membrane provided significant clinical relief at 0–2 months, there were no data about this treatment at 2 months and beyond. Botulinum toxin-A injections significantly reduced pain intensity at 0–6 months.

Image guidance of the injections
The current literature suggests that US-guided CS injections are more effective than palpation-guided ones for the management of PF. There is strong evidence that the accuracy of US guidance is greater than that of palpation guidance.⁷⁴ For these reasons,

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PRP

Adv Biomed Res. 2016; 5: 179. PMID: 27651707
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Beneficial effects of platelet-rich plasma on improvement of pain severity and physical disability in patients with plantar fasciitis: A randomized trial

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Chronic Plantar Fasciitis: Effect of Platelet-Rich Plasma, Corticosteroid, and Placebo

PANKAJ MAHENDRA, MS; MOHAMMAD YAMIN, MS; HARPAL S. SELHI, MS; SONIA SINGLA, MD; ASHWANI SONI, MS

in the placebo group at any stage of the study. The authors concluded that local injection of platelet-rich plasma or corticosteroid is an effective treatment option for chronic plantar fasciitis. **Platelet-rich plasma injection is as effective as or more effective than corticosteroid injection in treating chronic plantar fasciitis.** [Orthopedics. 2016; 39(2):e285-e289.]

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PRP



Study	Design	Number of Platelet-Rich Plasma	Assessment Method	Follow-up	Conclusion
Shealy et al ¹⁷ (2014)	Comparison between PRP injection and corticosteroid injection (60 patients)	1	VAS score FAFI ACRAS score	3 mo	No significant difference between PRP and corticosteroid injection
Moroni ⁷⁷ (2014)	Comparison between PRP injection and corticosteroid injection (20 patients)	1	ACRAS score	Preinjection, 3, 6, 12, 24 mo	PRP more effective and durable than corticosteroid injection
Martelli et al ²⁴ (2013)	PRP injection in 14 patients	3	VAS score Rolle and Maudsley score	12 mo	PRP injection effective in treatment
Kumar et al ¹³ (2013)	PRP injection in 41 patients (50 heels)	1	VAS score	6 mo	PRP injection effective in treatment
Wilson et al ¹⁸ (2014)	PRP injection in 10 patients	1	FRAM score Foot SANE score SF-36	4, 6, 16, 32, 52 wk	PRP injection effective in treatment
Akashi et al ¹⁴ (2012)	Comparison between PRP injection and corticosteroid injection (50 patients)	1	VAS score Modified Rolle and Maudsley score	3 wk, 6 mo	PRP injection as effective as corticosteroid injection
Ragab and Othman ⁷⁶ (2012)	PRP injection in 25 patients	1	VAS score	Preinjection, 2, 4 wk, 6, 12 mo	PRP injection effective in treatment
Perthoornis et al ⁷⁵ (2010)	Comparison between PRP injection and corticosteroid injection (120 patients)	1	VAS score ACRAS score	4, 6, 12, 24 wk; 1 y	Results not available
Lee and Ahmed ²³ (2007)	Comparison between autologous blood injection and corticosteroid injection (6 patients)	1	VAS score Tenderness threshold	Preinjection, 6 wk, 3, 6 mo	Better results in corticosteroid injection group in treatment
Barnett and Ermege ²² (2004)	Autologous blood injection in 9 patients	1	Ultrasound	1 wk, 1, 2, 3, 12 mo	Autologous blood treatment effective in treatment

ACP 3 x sonogesteuert

Abbreviations: ACRAS, American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society; FRAM, Foot and Ankle Ability Measure; FAFI, Foot & Ankle Disability Index; PRP, platelet-rich plasma; SANE, Single Assessment Numeric Evaluation; SF-36, Short Form-36 Health Survey version 2; VAS, visual analog scale.

Mahindra et al 2016

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Dehnung und Kräftigung



Einlage



Faszienmobilisation



Nachtlagerungsschiene



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Einlagen und Nachtschiene

Mechanical Treatment of Plantar Fasciitis

A Prospective Study

2001

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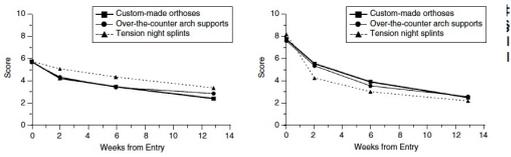


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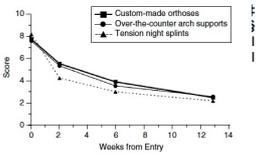


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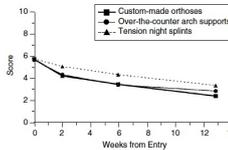



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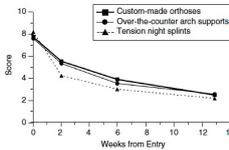


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Einlagen und Nachtschiene

Original Research Report



Full-length silicone insoles versus ultrasound-guided corticosteroid injection in the management of plantar fasciitis: A randomized clinical trial

Ufuk Yucel¹, Sami Kukuksen², Havva T Cingoz², Emel Orhan Ozbek², Ali Salli² and Hatice Ugurlu²

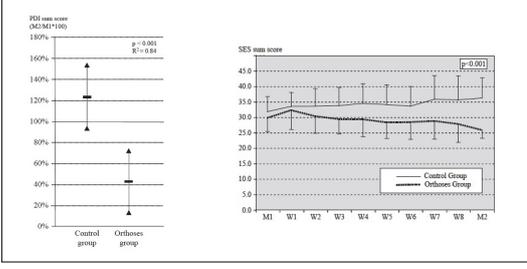


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Clinical effectiveness of customised sport shoe orthoses for overuse injuries in runners: a randomised controlled study

Br J Sports Med 2011

A Hirschmüller,^{1,2} H Bauw,² S Müller,² P Helwig,¹ H-H Dickhuth,² F Mayer²

SES pain score

Control group

Orthoses group

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Einlagen und Nachtschiene

Fuß & Sprunggelenk 12 (2014) 42–47

ELSEVIER ScienceDirect

Originalarbeit

Eine dorsale Lagerungsschiene mit kontinuierlicher Dorsalextension der Großzehe zur Behandlung der therapieresistenten, plantaren Fasziitis

A dorsal night splint with continuous extension of big toe for treatment of plantar heel pain

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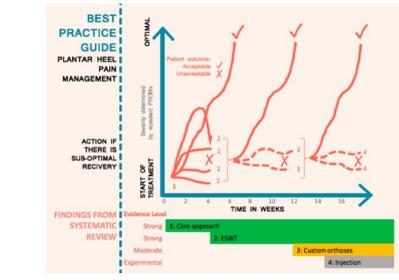


Abb. 1. Dorsal Night Splint mit kontinuierlicher Dorsalextension der Großzehe.

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Evidenzbasierte Therapieoptionen

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OPTIMAL

Patient outcome: **Optimal** / **Sub-optimal**

ACTION IF THERE IS SUB-OPTIMAL RECOVERY

FINDINGS FROM SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

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Further reading to be published soon

- Hirschmüller, A., Knupp M. Plantarer Fersenschmerz in: Fuhrmann et al. Orthopädie, Thieme e Ref
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