

Supplementary Material

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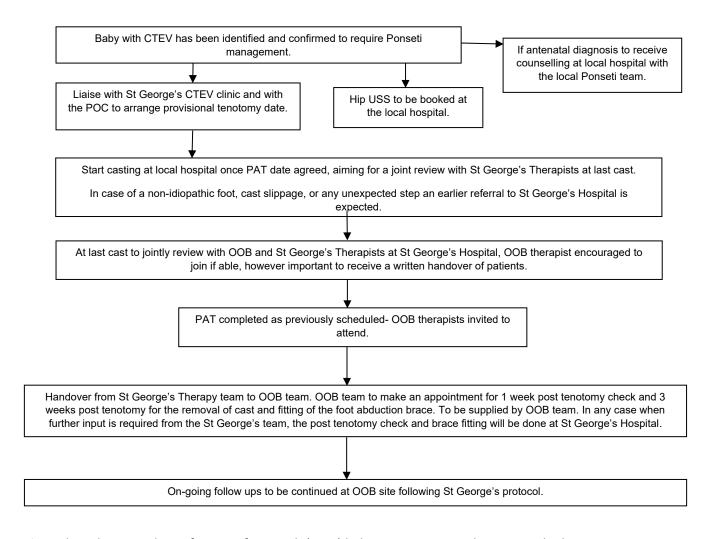


Fig a. Shared Care pathway for Out of Borough (OOB) babies presenting with congenital talipes equinovarus (CTEV) requiring percutaneous Achilles tenotomy (PAT). Referral pathway of patients in the Hub and Spoke Shared Care Model. POC, paediatric orthopaedic consultant; USS, ultrasound scan.

Table i. Complete congenital talipes equinovarus management schedule.

Management s	schedule	Schedule/duration	Appointment number
Manipulation a	and casting	Week 1	1
• 4-6 we	eks	Week 2	2
		Week 3	3
		Week 4	4
		Week 5	5
		Week 6	6
Tenotomy (3 w	reeks to heal)	Week 7	7
• 1 week	c post tenotomy check	Week 8	8
Braces • Begin 2	23 hr/day regime (12 weeks)	Week 10	9
0	1 week post follow-up	Week 11	10
0	1 month follow-up	Week 15	11
	er 12 weeks of bracing 23 hr/day in Night/Naps regime Week 22 (5-6 months) 12		12
0	3 monthly follow-ups until 2 years old	8-9 months	13
		11-12 months	14
		14-15 months	15
		17-18 months	16
		20-21 months	17
		23-24 months	18
0	6 monthly follow-ups until 5-7 years old	2.5 years	19
		3 years	20
		3.5 years	21
		4 years	22
		4.5 years	23
		5 years	24

Post removal of braces follow-up schedule (1 month post foot abduction brace discontinued)	5.1 years	25
	5.7 years	26
	6 years	27
	6.5 years	28
	7 years	29
 Annually then 2-yearly until skeletal maturity 	7+ years	30