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retear_new	mark studies that report baseline a) untreated tears or b) meniscal repairs AND do not differentiate
exclude	study does not fit selection criteria
fund	source of funding
auth	First author last name
year	Publication year
age	age (at which pc mean and variation
skl_mat	skeletal maturity 0=immature, 1=mature, 2=mixed, 3=unknown (cut off for adult age 16 and above),
skl_mat_spec	specified whether 0=no, 1=yes
ped_method	methods to detect string
sex	proportion female proportion
al_pre	activity level pre AL measure + result
al_post	activity level final AL measure + result
pop_set	population setting string
surg	Surgery or nono 0=nonop, 1=surgery 2=both
surg_meth	surgical technique string
aclr_graft	ACLR graft type string
aclr_time	Time from injury mean and variation
rehab	rehabilitation protocol 0=no, 1=yes
brace	brace use in phy 0=no 1= yes 2=some 3= not reported
rehab_det	rehabilitation details string
act_mod	activity modification 0=no, 1=yes, 2=unknown
pro_retro	prospective or not 0=prospective 1= retrospective 2= unknown
design	study design 0=randomized trial, 1= cohort, 2=case control, 4=case series, 5=unknown
sample_size	sample size (number)
fu_length	follow-up length
men_rate_b	rate of meniscus proportion
men_tx_b	method of treatment string
men_diag_b	meniscal injury (0=arthroscopy, 1=MRI, 2=clinical examination, 3=mix, 4=unknown
men_no_b	number of patients 0=no of pts, 1=no of inj, 2=no of knees, 3=unknown 4= meniscal surgery
men_uni_bi_b	index knee only 0=index knee only, 1=bilateral, 2=unknown
men_med_lat_b	medial or lateral 0=medial, 1=lateral, 2=both, 3=unknown
men_rate	rate of meniscus proportion
men_rpts	number of patients
men_rptstot	total number of patients
men_detect	method of detection string - eg unknown, symptoms, clinical exam, arthroscopy in all, arthroscopy in so
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concomitants	other index knee string
rts	return to sport ( string
instab	instability episode string
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s1	newcastle-ottawa item s1
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s3	newcastle-ottawa item s3
s4	newcastle-ottawa item s4
c1	newcastle-ottawa item c1
o1	newcastle-ottawa item o1
o2	newcastle-ottawa item o2
o3	newcastle-ottawa item o3

Δ between old and new tears at follow-up

cut off purely pediatric 12 and down, mixed 13-16

some patients



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year

s1

s2

s3



s4

c1

o1

