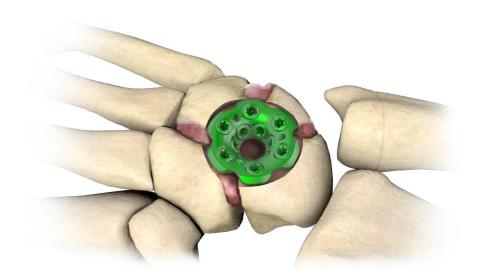




4.0ChLP wrist arthrodesis plate 3.7206

- SURGICAL TECHNIQUE
- IMPLANTS
- INSTRUMENT SET



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SYMBOLS DESCRIPTION

	Titanium or titanium alloy	H	H length [mm]	
	Cobalt		Angle	
	Left	88 340	available lengths	
	Right	4-22	Available number of holes	
	Available versions: left/right	1.8	Thickness [mm]	
	Length	1:1	Scale 1:1	
	Torx drive		Number of threaded holes in the shaft part of the plate	
	Torx drive cannulated		Number of locking holes in the plate	
	Hexagonal drive	VA	Variable angle	
	Hexagonal drive cannulated		Cortical	
	Cannulated		Cancellous	
	Locking	Ster Non Ster	Available in sterile/ non- sterile condition	
	Diameter [mm]		Refer to surgical technique	
	Caution - pay attention to a special procedure.			
	Perform the activity under X-Ray control.			
	Information about the next stages of a procedure.			
)	Proceed to the next stage.			
	Return to the specified stage and repeat the activity.			
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1. INTRODUCTION

This surgical technique applies to 4.0ChLP locked plating system used for wrist arthrodesis. The plates are a part of the ChLP locked plating system developed by **ChM**. The presented range of implants is made of materials in accordance with ISO 5832 standards.

The system includes:

- implants (plates and screws),
- instrument set used in the surgery,
- surgical technique.

Indications

The plates are used for:

- post-traumatic or degenerative arthritis in the wrist,
- · instability of the wrist,
- rheumatoid arthritis in the wrist,
- fractures in the wrist area.

Plate selection and shaping

The plates are available in different variants. This allows for optimal selection of the implant to the fracture type. Shaping of the plates is not allowed.



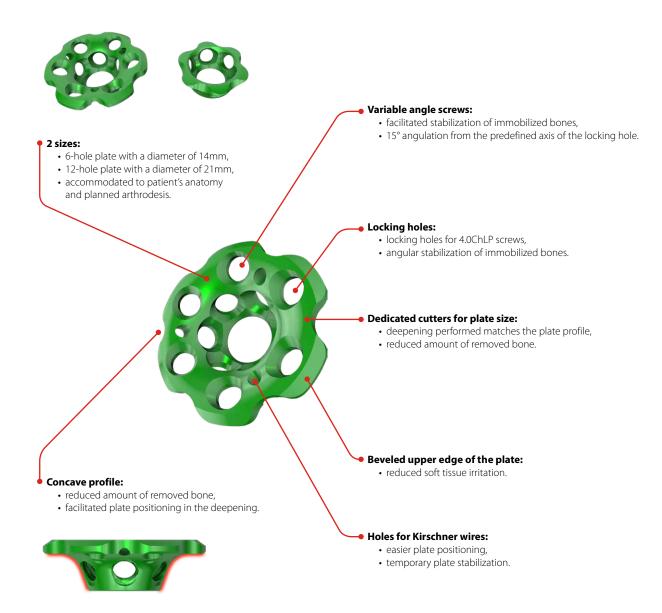
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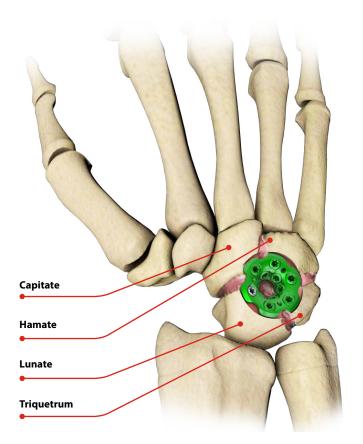


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2. IMPLANT DESCRIPTION

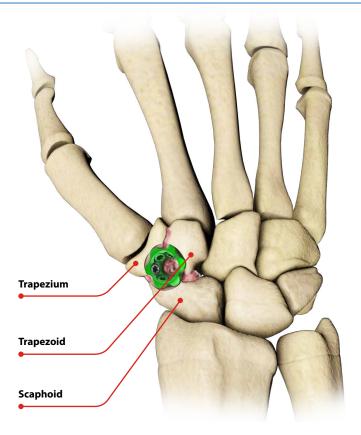
Wrist arthrodesis plates are offered in two variants. They are intended for arthrodesis of 3 or 4 bones of the wrist. The plates are a part of 4.0ChLP system. This system includes also compatible locking screws. To facilitate the identification, both titanium plate and screws are green anodized.







Arthrodesis of three bones STT (ScaphoTrapezioTrapezoidal Fusion):





3. SURGICAL TECHNIQUE

3.1. FOUR CORNER FUSION



3.1.1. PATIENT'S POSITIONING

It is recommended to position a patient supine, with the forearm positioned on a hand table in full pronation.

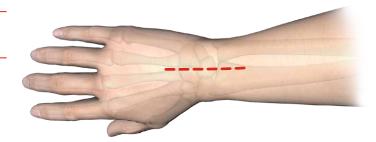


3.1.2. SURGICAL APPROACH

Perform a dorsal longitudinal skin incision.



Do not damage the dorsal branch of ulnar nerve.



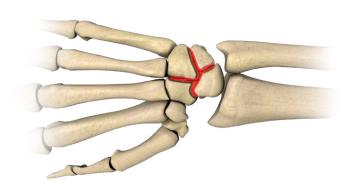
3.1.3. EXCISION OF THE SCAPHOID

Completely excise scaphoid.



3.1.4. PREPARE THE BONE FOR IMPLANTATION

Remove joint cartilage (as presented in the figure).



3.1.5. TEMPORARY STABILIZATION OF BONES

Use Kirschner wires 1.5/180 **[40.4592.180]** to temporary fix wrist bones in the correct position. Insert Kirschner wires so that they will not interfere with the instruments used in the subsequent steps.

- 40.4592.180



Confirm the correct position of the implant by taking X-Ray image.

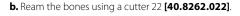
3.1.6. REAMING OF THE WRIST BONES

a. Enter the Kirschner wire 1.5/180 [40.4592.180] in the place the bones contact.

40.4592.180



Insert Kirschner wire perpendicular to the surface of the bones to be fixed. The position of the wire determines the correct setting of the cutter.





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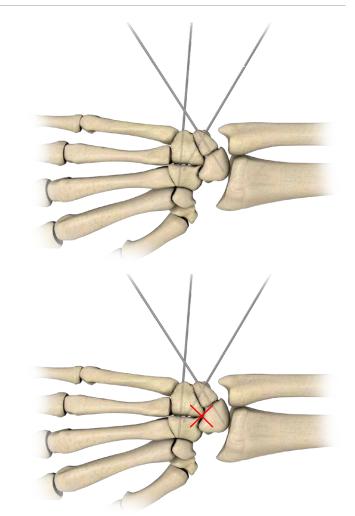


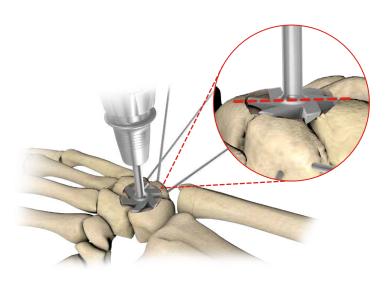
A properly performed deepening should ensure complete insertion of the plate in relation to the bones.

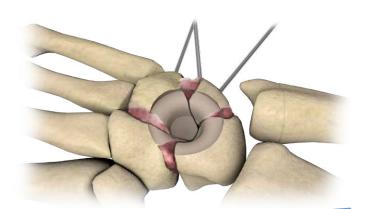
The upper edge of the cutter determines the correct reaming depth and should be level with the surface of the bones.

3.1.7. BONE GRAFTING

Fill the space between the bones to be fixed with autogenous bone grafts taken e.g. from the iliac crest or dorsal tubercle of radius.







3.1.8. PLATE INSERTION

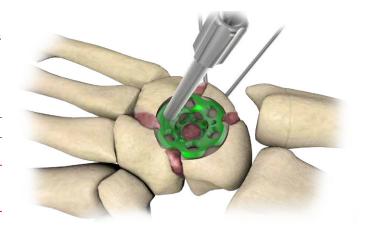
Position the plate in the prepared hole so that the insertion of at least two screws in each of the fixed bones will be possible.



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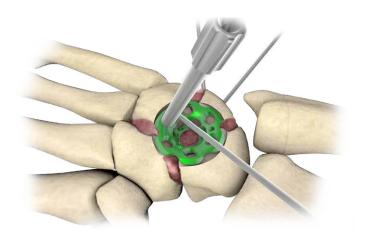


As an auxiliary element, a threaded guide M3.5/1.8 - 4.0 [40.4896.018] inserted into the plate locking hole can be used.



Insert Kirschnet wire 1.5/180 **[40.4592.180]** into a dedicated hole in the plate and lock its position.





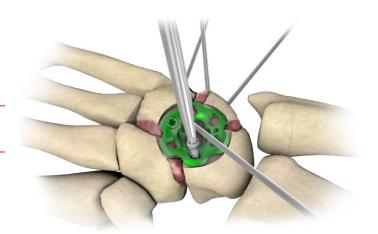
3.1.9. SCREWS INSERTION

Insert a locking screw of a proper length in the locking holes of the plate.

- Insert 4.0ChLP screw 2.4 [3.5164] acc. to 4a procedure,
- Insert 4.0ChLP screw VA 2.4 [4.5235] acc. to 4b procedure.



The doctor decides about the order and number of screws to be inserted.



3.1.10. WOUND CLOSURE

Before closing the wound, take an X-Ray image in at least two projections to confirm implant position and fracture reduction. Make sure all the screws are properly tightened and do not penetrate the joint surface.

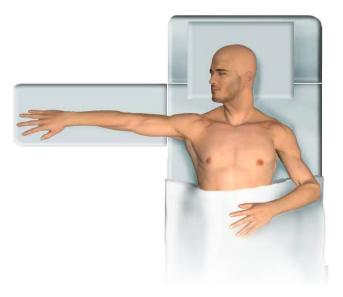
Use appropriate surgical technique to close the wound.

3.2. SCAPHOTRAPEZIOTRAPEZOIDAL FUSION



3.2.1. PATIENT'S POSITIONING

It is recommended to position a patient supine, with the forearm positioned on a hand table in full pronation.

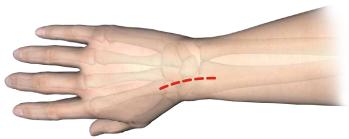


3.2.2. SURGICAL APPROACH

Perform a dorsal longitudinal curved skin incision below dorsal tubercle of radius.



Do not damage the dorsal branch of ulnar nerve.



3.2.3. PREPARE THE BONE FOR IMPLANTATION

Remove joint cartilage (as presented in the figure).

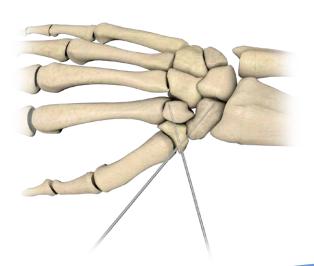


3.2.4. TEMPORARY STABILIZATION OF BONES

Use Kirschner wires 1.5/180 **[40.4592.180]** to temporary fix wrist bones in the correct position. Insert Kirschner wires so that they will not interfere with the instruments used in the subsequent steps.



Confirm the correct position of the implant by taking X-Ray image



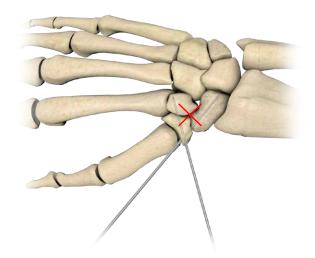
3.2.5. REAMING OF THE WRIST BONES

a. Enter the Kirschner wire 1.5/180 [40.4592.180] in the place the bones contact.

40.4592.180



Insert Kirschner wire perpendicular to the surface of the bones to be fixed. The position of the wire determines the correct setting of the cutter.



b. Ream the bones using a cutter15 [40.8262.015].

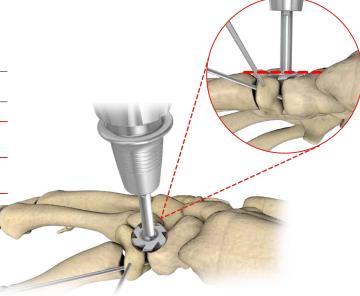


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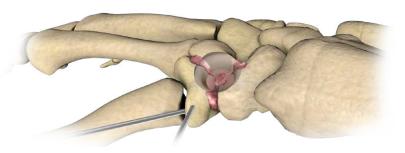
A properly performed deepening should ensure complete insertion of the plate in relation to the bones.

The upper edge of the cutter determines the correct reaming depth and should be level with the surface of the bones.



3.2.6. BONE GRAFTING

Fill the space between the bones to be fixed with autogenous bone grafts taken e.g. from the iliac crest or dorsal tubercle of radius.





3.2.7. PLATE INSERTION

Position the plate in the prepared hole so that the insertion of screws in the bones to be fixed will be possible.

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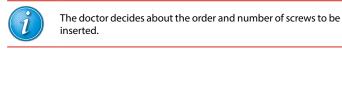
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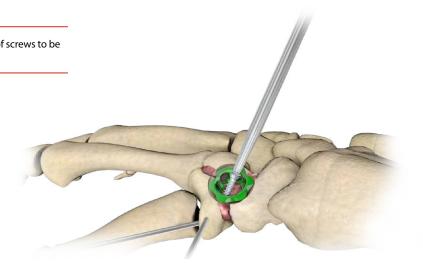


3.2.8. SCREWS INSERTION

Insert a locking screw of a proper length in the locking holes of the plate.

- Insert 4.0ChLP screw 2.4 [3.5164] acc. to 4a procedure,
- Insert 4.0ChLP screw VA 2.4 [4.5235] acc. to 4b procedure.





3.2.9. WOUND CLOSURE

Before closing the wound, take an X-Ray image in at least two projections to confirm implant position and fracture reduction. Make sure all the screws are properly tightened and do not penetrate the joint surface.

Use appropriate surgical technique to close the wound.

4. PROCEDURY OPERACYJNE

4a. PROCEDURE OF 4.0ChLP SCREW 2.4 [3.5164] INSERTION

Threaded guide insertion

Insert threaded guide M3.5/1.8-4.0 $\cite{M3.5/1.8-4.0}$ [40.4896.018] into the threaded hole of the plate.

40.4896.018

Hole drilling

Drill using drill 1.8/180 [40.2063.181] until a desired depth is reached.

40.2063.181



Measurement of hole depth

OPTION I: Determine the length of the screw to be used using locking screw length measure [40.4818.100].

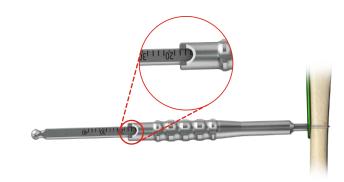


40.4818.100



OPTION II: or having removed the threaded guide M3.5/1.8-4.0 [40.4896.018], use depth measure [40.4640.000] to determine the length of the screw.





Screw insertion

Remove threaded guide M3.5/1.8-4.0 **[40.4896.018]**. Insert locking screw using torque limiting ratchet handle 1Nm **[40.6650.000]** and screwdriver tip T8 **[40.5682.000]**.





4b. PROCEDURE OF 4.0ChLP SCREW VA 2.4 [4.5235] INSERTION

Guide VA positioning

- Insert the guide VA 1.8 [40.5928.018] into the locking hole co-axially.
- Set the desired inclination of the guide in relation to the locking hole axis. The guide enables the inclination of 15° in each direction with respect to the axis of the locking hole..



IMPORTANT: Exceeding the inclination angle of more than 15° may prevent proper locking of the VA screw in the plate hole.



Hole drilling

• Drill using drill 1.8/180 [40.2063.181] until desired depth is reached.



NOTE: Drill under X-Ray control to avoid a drill collision with already implanted screws.



Measurement of hole depth

OPTION I: Determine the length of the screw to be used using locking screw length measure [40.4818.100].

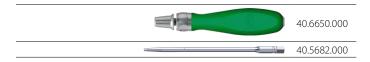


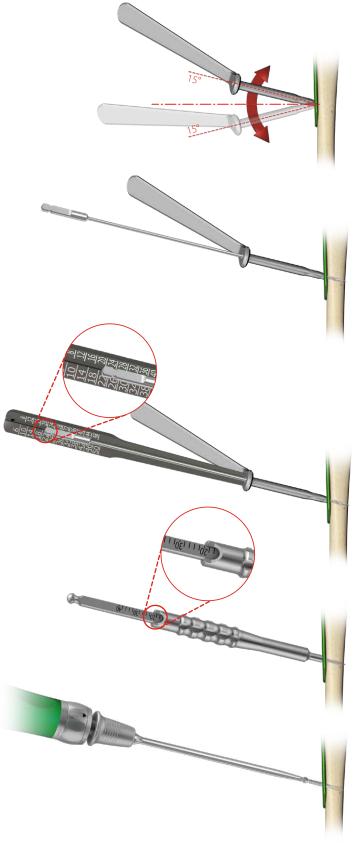
OPTION II: or having removed the guide VA, use depth measure **[40.4640.000]** to determine the length of the screw.



Screw insertion

Insert VA screw using torque limiting ratchet handle 1Nm [40.6650.000] and screwdriver tip T8 [40.5682.000].







5. POSTOPERATIVE PROCEDURE

Introduce appropriate postoperative treatment that is determined by the physician. In order to avoid patient's movement limitations, introduce exercises as soon after surgery as possible. However, make sure that the limb is not fully loaded before fragments osteosynthesis is complete.

6. IMPLANT REMOVAL

The physician decides about implant removal. In order to remove the implants from the body, use star screwdriver T8 **[40.0669.100]** and unlock all the locking screws first and then remove them from the bone. This will prevent any rotation of the plate when removing the last locking screw.





7. CATALOGUE PAGES

7a. INSTRUMENT SET

Stand for 4.0ChLP implants 3.7206 4x2 1/2H

15.0204.602

Name	Catalogue No.	Pcs
Cutter 15	40.8262.015	1
Cutter 22	40.8262.022	1
Kirschner wire 1.5/180	40.4592.180	5
Stand for 4.0ChLP implants 3.7206 4x2 1/2H	14.0204.602	1

Stand for 4.0ChLP implants 3.7206 4x2 1/2H

14.0204.602

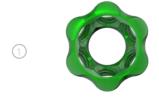


Name	Catalogue No.	Pcs		
Threaded guide M3.5/1.8 -4,0	40.4896.018	4		
Compression guide 1.8	40.4897.018	1		
Guide VA 1.8	40.5928.018	1		
 Kirschner wire 1.0/180	40.4814.000	5		
 Drill 1.8/180	40.2063.181	2		
Length measure of locking screw	40.4818.100	1		
Depth measure	40.4640.000	1		
Screwdriver tip T8.0	40.5682.000	1		
T8 screwdriver tip with holder	40.5989.000	1	0	
Cortical tap HA 2.7	40.5988.000	1	40.5711.200	
Tap 4.0ChLP -2.4	40.5987.024	1	40.57	
Setting-compressing screw 1.8/120	40.5678.000	2		000
Torque limiting ratchet handle1.0Nm	40.6650.000	1		40.5711.300
Star screwdriver T8	40.0669.100	1		4
Plates bender 4.0	40.4643.000	2		
Dissecting forceps Standard 14.5cm	30.3303.000	1		
Palette for instruments 4.0ChLP	40.5712.100	1		
Container with solid bottom 1/2 306x272x85mm	12.0751.100	1		
Perforated aluminum lid 1/1 595x275x15mm Gray	12.0751.200	1		

7b. PLATES



4.0ChLP wrist arthrodesis plate



			Ti
1	6	14	3.7206.014
2	12	21	3.7206.021









7c. SCREWS



4.0ChLP screw 2.4

4.0ChLP screw VA 2.4







Len	Ti
6	3.5164.006
8	3.5164.008
10	3.5164.010
12	3.5164.012
14	3.5164.014
16	3.5164.016
18	3.5164.018
20	3.5164.020



Len	Co
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8	4.5235.008
10	4.5235.010
12	4.5235.012
14	4.5235.014
16	4.5235.016
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