

Clinical-Medical Image

## Large Pseudo aneurysm of the Superficial Femoral Artery: Neglected Trauma

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Figure 1: Wound on the outer face of the left thigh.



Figure 2: Superficial vein.

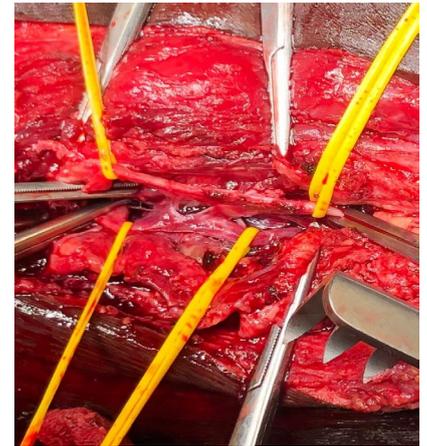


Figure 3: Superficial femoral artery.

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A 24-year-old victim of a fall on a sharp object, causing a wound on the outer face of the left thigh. The wound is sutured, and the patient is lost sight, and he returns a year later with a large swelling of the left thigh. With the examination of the pulses present. Note anemia with globalization.

CT angiography shows a large pseudo aneurysm of the superficial femoral artery. The patient is operated on after vascular control upstream and downstream, at the opening already a large hematoma. Careful exploration shows a communicating wound of the superficial femoral artery and the superficial vein with a loss of substance on the artery.

Using two end-to-end anastomoses, venous ligation, and arterial repair with interposition of a saphenous graft. Suitable posterior suites, the patient were discharged on D4 postoperative (Figure 1-3).

### Conclusion

Never neglect a wound on a vascular axis.

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