Patient involvement in study

Listed for surgery in clinic Given information sheet about study

Day of surgery Research team check eligibility for the trial

Research team consent for the trial and answer questions

Fill out initial questionnaires

Surgery Standard bandage or compression bandage applied

Post-op Routine care following surgery. Bandages removed prior to discharge

10 days post-op Text message asking about pain



4 weeks post-op A further text message asking about pain



6 months post-op Fill out and post back questionnaires

12 months post-op Fill out and post back final questionnaires.

Text message asking about pain