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Our experience with different endovenous procedures

From September 2017 to the end of September 2018, 106 patients with venous insufficiency were treated surgically at the Dermatovenereological Clinic, University Medical Centre Ljubljana. We performed endovenous ablations with laser, radiofrequency, glue, steam and mechano-chemical ablation. The results of both radio frequency and laser methods were comparable to each other. We have only few cases treated with glue and mechano-chemical ablation, therefore statistical comparison to other methods is not yet possible. However, we find slightly higher percentage of smaller recanalisations in patients who were treated with steam. Patients were very satisfied with the result after all types of the procedures.

Biography

Tanja Planinsek Rucigaj is currently working as Head of Dermatovenereological Clinic, University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Slovenia. She is also active Vice-President of Balkan Venous Forum; President of Slovenian Flebological and Lymphological Society; Teacher of Dermatovenereology at Faculty of Health Angele Boskin, Jesenice, Slovenia and Member of the Expert Council of the Association of Vascular Disease in the Slovenian.

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