



Monday, August 14, 2023

## Complaint - Revision - Post Market - Feedback Reporting

Use this form to submit information about a complaint related to an SI-BONE product to Quality Affairs. Contact [QA@si-bone.com](mailto:QA@si-bone.com) if you have any questions.

Select the type of problem you are reporting

Problem with individual device or individual patient

### General Feedback about SI-BONE Product

This is only for non complaint information. Examples: surgeon suggestions, meeting discussions, etc. For complaints, go back and select "Problem..."

### Contact Info

Use this to record your attempts to contact and gather information from the surgeon.

Your name

Luke Harris

Your email

luke.harris@si-bone.com

Your phone number

(317) 496-0165

Surgeon's name

James Cole

Contact #1: How did you attempt to contact the surgeon?

In person

Was this attempt successful?

Yes

### Complaint Overview

Enter information about surgery that resulted in a problem with any SI-BONE implant, instrument or accessory (e.g., drill bit, pin).

Date you first heard of problem with SI-BONE product.

Thursday, June 15, 2023

Which device(s) was/were affected?

iFuse-TORQ

Part number(s), if available

N/A

Lot number(s), if available

N/A

### Product Complaint or Adverse Event?

Decide what type of report you are submitting.

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**What is the nature of the problem you are reporting?**

Product complaint that caused or may have caused an adverse event or revision procedure

## Product Complaint Without Adverse Event

Use this form to report an SI-BONE product problem that was NOT associated with a patient adverse event.

Examples include:

- Damaged instrument
- Broken pin
- Bent pin
- Pin advancement but no patient injury
- Problem with packaging

If a damaged part injured a patient, go back and click on "Product complaint that caused or may have caused an adverse event."

**Date part problem noticed**

Thursday, June 15, 2023

**When was part problem detected?**

Damaged part observed during use

## Select Adverse Event Type

Select from the choices below. Your choice guides which section to complete.

If the first 3 do not apply, select "Other".

If a product problem occurred that did NOT cause a patient problem, go back and complete the "Product Complaint Without Adverse Event" section.

**What problem did patient have?**

Other problem

## Symptomatic Implant Malposition Form

Use this form if patient experienced symptomatic implant malposition resulting in nerve irritation.

*(Information should be from SI-BONE staff who attended initial surgery)*

The surgeon completed all steps in the IFU, including:

- Patient setup (table, spine neutral position, prone or supine position)
- Inspection of instruments and implants prior to use
- Proper views (lateral, inlet and outlet) obtained during use of instruments and placement of implants that clearly showed recommended anatomic landmarks
- Appropriate implant starting position
- (If performed) proper use of neuromonitoring guide pin and equipment
- Use of length gauge for implant length selection
- Were standard wound closure techniques used?

For above question, be specific and include all steps of the revision surgery and any complications.

- Was the implant adjusted, removed or added?
- Were the explant holes filled with bone graft?
- Were osteotomes and the/or the removal adapter used?
- Was any non-iFuse hardware installed?

## Pain Did Not Improve or Recurred

Use this form if pain did not improve OR pain improved but then recurred

*(Information should be from SI-BONE staff who attended initial surgery)*

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- Patient setup (table, spine neutral position, prone or supine position)
- Inspection of instruments and implants prior to use
- Proper views (lateral, inlet and outlet) obtained during use of instruments and placement of implants that clearly showed recommended anatomic landmarks
- Appropriate implant starting position
- (If performed) proper use of neuromonitoring guide pin and equipment
- Use of length gauge for implant length selection
- Were standard wound closure techniques used?

## Surgical Wound Problem

Use this form if patient developed postoperative surgical wound problem (infection, dehiscence).

## Other Problem

Use this section ONLY if the patient problem is **NOT**:

- Implant malposition causing nerve irritation
- Pain did not improve or recurred
- Surgical wound problem

### Describe problem in detail

The surgeon explained that he had seen a past ASDS patient in clinic. After reviewing the imaging, he had determined that the patient's distal construct hardware and our bilateral si joint fusion torq screws were loose. The patient was not healthy and had also been in car accident. Surgery was scheduled to remove all loose hardware and take cultures to analyze for infection.

## Potential Warranty Case

Please help evaluate whether this case could qualify for SI-BONE's warranty policy.

Did patient's situation meet all of the following?

*Did patient undergo a revision procedure that met all of the following:*

1. *The initial procedure involved placement of 3 SI-BONE implants on the affected side*
2. *The revision procedure:*
  - *Was completed within 1 year of the initial procedure*
  - *Was completed at the same hospital or within the same hospital system as the initial procedure*
  - *Was completed during a separate hospitalization from the initial procedure*
3. *The patient followed all physician instructions after the initial procedure*

**Did patient's situation meet warranty criteria shown above?**

No, not all of the above apply

### Comment on warranty

All SI-BONE products were removed and nothing has been replaced. There were only two SI-BONE screw bilaterally.