



# Complaint 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.

## Contact Info

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

Your name Katie Moroni

Customer name Travis Loidolt

How did you learn about this issue? (select all that apply)? From the HCP or associated staff

Please provide any relevant details about your communication. Full complaint description will be captured on the following page:

Patient was originally treated by Dr Ramachandran but still had pain. Injections were repeated with greater than 75% relief, after re-imaging it appeared as though the original implants were too short, which was why Dr. Loidolt removed them and placed longer

## 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. Tuesday, October 15, 2024

Date of original surgery (if revision is being reported) or alleged product failure Friday, February 16, 2024

Indicate affected device(s) (choose all that apply) iFuse-TORQ

Part number(s) (please list the number of each part involved)(required)

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Lot number(s)

N/a

## Product Complaint or Adverse Event?

Decide what type of report you are submitting. Contact QA@si-bone.com if you have any questions.

**Did the product complaint result in a patient problem?**

YES, potential or actual (Ex: required revision, patient adverse event)

## Product Complaint Without Patient Problem

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

Examples include:

- Damaged instrument/implant
- Broken/ bent/ cut pin
- Pin advancement but no patient injury
- Packaging issue

If patient injury occurred, go back and click YES to report patient problem.

*(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?

## Select Adverse Event Type

**What problem did patient have?**

Continued, recurrent, or new pain

## Implant Malposition Form

Use this form if patient an implant malposition was detected.

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

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## Continued, recurrent, or new pain

Use this form if pain did not improve, pain improved but then returned, or new onset pain

**Best description of time course of pain recurrence:**

Pain never got better

**Were any additional causes of pain discovered during workup?**

I don't know

**If CT was performed, please email scan to QA@si-bone.com. CT results show:**

Inadequate implant engagement in sacrum

**Was initial surgery attended by SI-BONE staff member?**

Yes

**Name of SI-BONE staff member attending initial surgery**

Katie Moroni

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

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**See summary of IFU steps. Did surgeon complete all steps as shown above?**

Yes, all steps were completed accurately

**Please describe any steps inaccurately performed, or other details of the case**

Dr Ramachandran tends to shy to short side of implants always just more conservative

**Did patient have revision surgery as a result of this problem?**

Yes

## 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

# Revision Procedure

Complete this form as thoroughly as possible for a complaint involving a revision surgery.

**Please indicate date of revision procedure**

Wednesday, December 4, 2024

**Reason for revision (e.g. nerve impingement, loosening, etc.). Please be as specific as possible:**

Pain due to not enough implant across joint

**Which step(s) were performed during the revision? Choose all that apply:**

iFuse implant was removed

Additional iFuse implant was placed

**Please further describe the revision procedure (any issues with instrumentation or medical issues?). Be as specific as possible. Failure to provide details will result in continued follow up with you:**

Threaded driver into implant and removed  
We did break one driver doing so.  
Did not use trephines etc

**To your knowledge, was the patient's issue resolved after surgery?**

Yes

**You may be contacted for further information if your submission is lacking critical details. We appreciate your thoroughness.**