

Supplementary Material

10.1302/2633-1462.47.BJO-2022-0156.R1

1 PREOPERATIVE GOLF QUESTIONNAIRE

- 1. Do you play golf?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No

2. How long have you been playing golf?

- a. State no. of years
- 3. Do you have a desire to return to golf after surgery?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
- 4. What is your handicap index?
 - a. Enter number ----
 - b. Do not have an official handicap
 - i. Please give estimate
- 5. Do you play golf right or left handed? *Please tick*
 - a. Left

- b. Right
- 6. What was your typical involvement in golf prior to joint problems related to your arthritis?
 - a. Driving range only
 - b. 9 holes (max)
 - c. 18 holes
- 7. How often did you play golf prior to the onset of joint problems related

to your arthritis?

- a. More than twice a week
- b. Twice a week
- c. Weekly
- d. Monthly
- e. Yearly
- 8. Which of the following are you currently able to do? *Please select the*

most you can do.

- a. Putt
- b. Chip/pitching
- c. Hitting irons
- d. Hitting woods
- e. Play 9 holes
- f. Play 18 holes
- g. None of the above

- 9. If still playing, how often do you currently play golf?
 - a. More than twice a week
 - b. Twice a week
 - c. Weekly
 - d. Monthly
 - e. Yearly
- 10. Please state the slope rating and yardage of the course you play most

frequently. If unknown, please name golf club

- a. Slope rating
- b. Yardage
- c. Not applicable
- 11. When was the last time you played golf on the course?
 - a. Last week
 - b. Last month
 - c. 1-6 months ago
 - d. 6-12 months ago
 - e. >1 year ago
 - f. Not applicable
- 12. What is the form of mobility you use around the course during a typical

round? (choose one of the following)

- a. Walking with caddie
- b. Walking and carrying one's bag
- c. Walking and with trolley
- d. Cart

- e. Not applicable
- 13. Please characterize your frequency of pain during golf?
 - a. Never
 - b. Rarely
 - c. Sometimes
 - d. Often
 - e. Always

14. Please describe the severity of your pain during golf?

- a. None
- b. Mild
- c. Moderate
- d. Severe

15. Please characterize your frequency of pain after golf?

- a. Never
- b. Rarely
- c. Sometimes
- d. Often
- e. Always

16. Please describe the severity of your pain after golf?

- a. None
- b. Mild
- c. Moderate
- d. Severe

- 17. Have you undergone any other joint replacement surgery before? *Please* select and subsequently indicate which side.
 - a. Hip replacement
 - b. Knee replacement
 - c. Shoulder replacement
 - d. Not applicable
- 18. Are you awaiting additional orthopaedic review/surgery on another joint which affects your ability to play golf?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
- 19. Are you awaiting additional assessment advice /treatment on you back or neck which affects your ability to play golf?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
- 20. Please characterize your level of satisfaction with your involvement in the game of golf due to your joint problem currently. *Please select one of the following.*
 - a. Very dissatisfied
 - b. Dissatisfied
 - c. Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
 - d. Satisfied
 - e. Very satisfied

- 21. How important is the social aspect of playing golf to you?
 - a. Not at all important
 - b. Slightly important
 - c. Moderately important
 - d. Very important
 - e. Exremely important

22. What are your expectations for your frequency of golfing after surgery?

- a. Not expecting to return
- b. Expect to play less than preoperatively
- c. Expect to play the same as preoperatively
- d. Expect to play more than preoperatively
- 23. Did your doctor advise you on when you could return to golf?
 - a. Yes
 - i. Please specify
 - b. No
- 24. Did your physical therapist advise you on when you could return to golf?
 - a. Yes
 - i. Please specify
 - b. No
- 25. Are you undertaking any golf-specific rehabilitation?
 - a. Yes
 - i. Please specify

b. No

2 POSTOPERATIVE GOLF QUESTIONNAIRE

- 1. Have you returned to golf?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No

2. If not, why?

- a. Please state
- 3. Do you have a desire to return to golf after surgery?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
- 4. What is your handicap index?
 - a. Enter number ----
 - b. Do not have an official handicap
 - i. Please give estimate
- 5. Which of the following are you currently able to do? Please select the

most you can do.

- a. Putt
- b. Chip/pitching
- c. Hitting irons
- d. Hitting woods
- e. Play 9 holes
- f. Play 18 holes
- g. None of the above

- 6. How often do you currently play golf?
 - a. More than twice a week
 - b. Twice a week
 - c. Weekly
 - d. Monthly
 - e. Yearly
- 7. What is the form of mobility you are currently using around the course

during a typical round? (choose one of the following)

- a. Walking with caddie
- b. Walking and carrying one's bag
- c. Walking and with trolley
- d. Cart
- e. Not applicable (not returned yet)
- 8. Please characterize your frequency of pain during golf?
 - a. Never
 - b. Rarely
 - c. Sometimes
 - d. Often
 - e. Always
 - f. Not applicable (not returned yet)
- 9. Please describe the severity of your pain during golf?
 - a. None
 - b. Mild

- c. Moderate
- d. Severe
- e. Not applicable (not returned yet)

10. Please characterize your frequency of pain after golf?

- a. Never
- b. Rarely
- c. Sometimes
- d. Often
- e. Always
- f. Not applicable (not returned yet)
- 11. Please describe the severity of your pain after golf?
 - a. None
 - b. Mild
 - c. Moderate
 - d. Severe
 - e. Not applicable (not returned yet)
- 12. Are you awaiting additional orthopaedic review/surgery on another joint

which affects your ability to play golf?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- 13. Are you awaiting additional assessment advice /treatment on you back or neck which affects your ability to play golf?
 - a. Yes

- b. No
- 14. Please characterize your level of satisfaction with your involvement in

the game of golf due to your joint problem currently. Please select one

of the following.

- a. Very dissatisfied
- b. Dissatisfied
- c. Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- d. Satisfied
- e. Very satisfied
- 15. Did your doctor advise you on when you could return to golf?
 - a. Yes
 - i. Please specify
 - b. No
- 16. Did your physical therapist advise you on when you could return to golf?
 - a. Yes
 - i. Please specify
 - b. No

17. Are you undertaking any golf-specific rehabilitation?

- a. Yes
 - i. Please specify
- b. No

Golf After Arthroplasty Surgery (GAAS) Score

Please answer the following questions on a scale of:

Never-almost never-seldom-sometimes-mostly

How aware are you of your joint replacement when:

- 1. Walking on the course on the flat
- 2. Walking on the course up hills
- 3. Walking on the course down hills
- 4. Walking in the rough
- 5. Hitting driver
- 6. Hitting irons
- 7. Hitting wedges
- 8. Putting
- 9. Hitting sand shots
- 10. Getting out of the bunker
- 11. Picking your ball out of the hole
- 12. Teeing the ball up
- 13. Picking up your tee
- 14. During the front 9
- 15. During the back 9
- 16. Sitting in the clubhouse after your round
- 17. Driving home
- 18. During the rest of the day following your round
- 19. In bed/overnight following your round
- 20. The following day



SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 Checklist (for combined completion of SPIRIT 2013 and SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 items)^a

Section	ltem No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
Administrative in	nformatio	n	·	· •
Title	1	Descriptive title identifying the study design, population, interventions, and, if applicable, trial acronym	-	
Trial registration	2a	Trial identifier and registry name. If not yet registered, name of intended registry	-	
	2b	All items from the World Health Organization Trial Registration Data Set	-	
Protocol version	3	Date and version identifier	-	
Funding	4	Sources and types of financial, material, and other support	-	
Roles and responsibilities	5a	Names, affiliations, and roles of protocol contributors	-	
	5b	Name and contact information for the trial sponsor	-	
	5c	Role of study sponsor and funders, if any, in study design; collection, management, analysis, and interpretation of data; writing of the report; and the decision to submit the report for publication, including whether they will have ultimate authority over any of these activities	-	
	5d	Composition, roles, and responsibilities of the coordinating centre, steering committee, endpoint adjudication committee, data management team, and other individuals or groups overseeing the trial, if applicable (see Item 21a for data monitoring committee)	-	
Introduction			1	
Background and rationale	6a	Description of research question and justification for undertaking the trial, including summary of relevant studies (published and unpublished) examining benefits and harms for each intervention	-	
Obiestices	6b	Explanation for choice of comparators	-	
Objectives	7	Specific objectives or hypotheses	-	



Section	ltem No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
Trial design	8	Description of trial design including type of trial (eg, parallel group, crossover, factorial, single group), allocation ratio, and framework (eg, superiority, equivalence, noninferiority, exploratory)	-	
Methods: Partici	pants, int	erventions, and outcomes	L	
Study setting	9	Description of study settings (eg, community clinic, academic hospital) and list of countries where data will be collected. Reference to where list of study sites can be obtained	-	
Eligibility criteria	10	Inclusion and exclusion criteria for participants. If applicable, eligibility criteria for study centres and individuals who will perform the interventions (eg, surgeons, psychotherapists)	-	
Interventions	11a	Interventions for each group with sufficient detail to allow replication, including how and when they will be administered (for specific guidance see TIDieR checklist and guide)	-	
	11b	Criteria for discontinuing or modifying allocated interventions for a given trial participant (eg, drug dose change in response to harms, participant request, or improving/worsening disease)	_	
	11c	Strategies to improve adherence to intervention protocols, and any procedures for monitoring adherence (eg, drug tablet return, laboratory tests)	-	
	11d	Relevant concomitant care and interventions that are permitted or prohibited during the trial	-	
Outcomes	12	Primary, secondary, and other outcomes, including the specific measurement variable (eg, systolic blood pressure), analysis metric (eg, change from baseline, final value, time to event), method of aggregation (eg, median, proportion), and time point for each outcome. Explanation of the clinical relevance of chosen efficacy and harm outcomes is strongly recommended		



Section	Item No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
	12.1		Provide a rationale for the selection of the domain for the trial's primary outcome	
	12.2		If the analysis metric for the primary outcome represents within-participant change, define and justify the minimal important change in individuals	
	12.3		If the outcome data collected are continuous but will be analyzed as categorical (method of aggregation), specify the cutoff values to be used	
	12.4		If outcome assessments will be performed at several time points after randomization, state the time points that will be used for analysis	
	12.5		If a composite outcome is used, define all individual components of the composite outcome	
Participant timeline	13	Time schedule of enrolment, interventions (including any run- ins and washouts), assessments, and visits for participants. A schematic diagram is highly recommended (see Figure)	-	
Sample size	14	Estimated number of participants needed to achieve study objectives and how it was determined, including clinical and statistical assumptions supporting any sample size calculations	-	
	14.1		Define and justify the target difference between treatment groups (eg, the minimal important difference)	
Recruitment	15	Strategies for achieving adequate participant enrolment to reach target sample size	-	
Methods: Assig	gnment of i	nterventions (for controlled trials)		
Allocation:				
Sequence generation	16a	Method of generating the allocation sequence (eg, computer-generated random numbers), and list of any factors for stratification. To reduce predictability of a random sequence, details of any planned restriction (eg, blocking) should be provided in a separate document that is unavailable to those who enrol participants or assign interventions	-	



Section	Item No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
Allocation concealment mechanism	16b	Mechanism of implementing the allocation sequence (eg, central telephone; sequentially numbered, opaque, sealed envelopes), describing any steps to conceal the sequence until interventions are assigned	-	
Implementation	16c	Who will generate the allocation sequence, who will enrol participants, and who will assign participants to interventions	-	
Blinding (masking)	17a	Who will be blinded after assignment to interventions (eg, trial participants, care providers, outcome assessors, data analysts), and how	-	
	17b	If blinded, circumstances under which unblinding is permissible, and procedure for revealing a participant's allocated intervention during the trial	-	
Methods: Data o	collection,	management, and analysis	•	
Data collection methods	18a	Plans for assessment and collection of outcome, baseline, and other trial data, including any related processes to promote data quality (eg, duplicate measurements, training of assessors) and a description of study instruments (eg, questionnaires, laboratory tests) along with their reliability and validity, if known. Reference to where data collection forms can be found, if not in the protocol	-	
	18a.1		Describe what is known about the responsiveness of the study instruments in a population similar to the study sample	
	18a.2		Describe who will assess the outcome (eg, nurse, parent)	
	18b	Plans to promote participant retention and complete follow-up, including list of any outcome data to be collected for participants who discontinue or deviate from intervention protocols	-	



Section	ltem No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
Data management	19	Plans for data entry, coding, security, and storage, including any related processes to promote data quality (eg, double data entry; range checks for data values). Reference to where details of data management procedures can be found, if not in the protocol	-	
Statistical methods	20a	Statistical methods for analysing primary and secondary outcomes. Reference to where other details of the statistical analysis plan can be found, if not in the protocol	-	
	20a.1		Describe any planned methods to account for multiplicity in the analysis or interpretation of the primary and secondary outcomes (eg, coprimary outcomes, same outcome assessed at multiple time points, or subgroup analyses of an outcome)	
	20b	Methods for any additional analyses (eg, subgroup and adjusted analyses)	-	
	20c	Definition of analysis population relating to protocol non- adherence (eg, as randomised analysis), and any statistical methods to handle missing data (eg, multiple imputation)	-	
Methods: Monito				I
Data monitoring	21a 21b	Composition of data monitoring committee (DMC); summary of its role and reporting structure; statement of whether it is independent from the sponsor and competing interests; and reference to where further details about its charter can be found, if not in the protocol. Alternatively, an explanation of why a DMC is not needed	-	
	210	Description of any interim analyses and stopping guidelines, including who will have access to these interim results and make the final decision to terminate the trial	-	
Harms	22	Plans for collecting, assessing, reporting, and managing solicited and spontaneously reported adverse events and other unintended effects of trial interventions or trial conduct	-	



Section	Item No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
Auditing	23	Frequency and procedures for auditing trial conduct, if any, and whether the process will be independent from investigators and the sponsor	-	
Ethics and disse	mination	· · · ·	•	
Research ethics approval	24	Plans for seeking research ethics committee/institutional review board (REC/IRB) approval	-	
Protocol amendments	25	Plans for communicating important protocol modifications (eg, changes to eligibility criteria, outcomes, analyses) to relevant parties (eg, investigators, REC/IRBs, trial participants, trial registries, journals, regulators)	_	
Consent or assent	26a	Who will obtain informed consent or assent from potential trial participants or authorised surrogates, and how (see Item 32)	-	
	26b	Additional consent provisions for collection and use of participant data and biological specimens in ancillary studies, if applicable	-	
Confidentiality	27	How personal information about potential and enrolled participants will be collected, shared, and maintained in order to protect confidentiality before, during, and after the trial	_	
Declaration of interests	28	Financial and other competing interests for principal investigators for the overall trial and each study site	-	
Access to data	29	Statement of who will have access to the final trial dataset, and disclosure of contractual agreements that limit such access for investigators	-	
Ancillary and post-trial care	30	Provisions, if any, for ancillary and post-trial care, and for compensation to those who suffer harm from trial participation	-	
Dissemination policy	31a	Plans for investigators and sponsor to communicate trial results to participants, healthcare professionals, the public, and other relevant groups (eg, via publication, reporting in results databases, or other data sharing arrangements), including any publication restrictions	_	
	31b	Authorship eligibility guidelines and any intended use of professional writers	-	



Section	Item No.	SPIRIT 2013 Item	SPIRIT-Outcomes 2022 item	Location Reported ^b
	31c	Plans, if any, for granting public access to the full protocol, participant-level dataset, and statistical code	-	
Appendices				
Informed consent materials	32	Model consent form and other related documentation given to participants and authorised surrogates	-	
Biological specimens	33	Plans for collection, laboratory evaluation, and storage of biological specimens for genetic or molecular analysis in the current trial and for future use in ancillary studies, if applicable	-	

^aIt is strongly recommended that this checklist be read in conjunction with the SPIRIT (Standard Protocol Items: Recommendations for Interventional Trials) Statement paper for important clarification on the items. Amendments to the protocol should be tracked and dated. The SPIRIT checklist is copyrighted by the SPIRIT Group under the Creative Commons "Attribution-NonCommercial-NoDerivs 3.0 Unported" license and is reproduced with permission.

^bIndicates page numbers and/or manuscript location: to be completed by authors.