

Table 2 Comparison of ROM pre- and post- treatment

ROM	pre-treatment		post-treatment	
	MEPA	SA	MEPA	SA
<30°	20	20	1	6
30-90°	0	0	5	10
90-150°	0	0	11	4
>150°	0	0	3	0
cure rate			6%	0%
efficiency			55%	20%
total effective rate			95%	70%

ROM: range of motion; Compared to the two groups of effective rate at the point of post-treatment: tested by nonparametric rank sum test, $Z=-2.119$, $P=0.024$. $P<0.05$ indicates statistical significance.