# Case SCARBAN:

# Surgical intervention after burn

## 1. Case study description

patient age	28 years
gender	female
cause	Z-plasty burn scar
why scar treatment	preventive treatment because of high risk for abnormal scar formation due to skin tension
start scar treatment	1 month after surgery
therapy	SCARBAN Elastic, 6 months

### 2. Evolution of the scar





#### 3. Conclusions medical team

- Due to risk of UV overexposure of the scar, SCARBAN was advised (provides UPF50)
- Significantly reduced thickness after therapy
- Significantly reduced redness after therapy
- Significantly improved elasticity

#### 4. Patient experience

- Improved overall appearance of the scar
- Improved flexibility of the scar area
- Easy to use therapy, no side-effects reported

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