

## Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	<a href="#">Asian Journal of Orthopaedic Research</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJORR_86564
Title of the Manuscript:	To Evaluate The Safety of Early Weight Bearing Following Fixation of Displaced Bimalleolar Ankle Fractures
Type of the Article	Short Research Article

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	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<p>The present short research article aims to evaluate the safety of early weight bearing following fixation of displaced bimalleolar ankle fractures. EWB for bimalleolar ankle fractures does not affect the radiographic medial clear space when compared to LWB. No differences in time to union, union rate, implant loosening, or failure were noted between the groups. Orthopaedic surgeons should feel comfortable progressing patients' weight-bearing status prior to six weeks postoperatively in the setting of rigid ankle ORIF without fear of implant failure or loss of reduction. Further investigations are necessary.</p> <p>The references are updated. English is good. Article should be published in this form.</p>	
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