

# Posterior arch resection

The posterior arch resection is indicated for lesions restricted to zones 10-3 of the [Weinstein Borian Biagini classification](#). The posterior elements are resected through a single posterior approach, with the pedicles sectioned adjacent to the vertebral body to allow the removal of the posterior arch en-bloc <sup>1)</sup>.

<sup>1)</sup>

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