

Microvascular free tissue transfer is the mainstay of complex scalp defects but carries a high likelihood of future reoperations. Early complications are less concerning than late complications, as the need for future surgical intervention is associated with late complications. There is lack of evidence to support a superior flap choice <sup>1)</sup>.

<sup>1)</sup>

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