

TABLE E1 Wound Score and Culture Results

Group	Wound score	Intramedullary culture at 21 days
Negative Control	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Negative Control	3	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Negative Control	0	No growth
Negative Control	3	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Negative Control	3	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Negative Control	3	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Negative Control	0	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Positive Control	0	No growth
Positive Control	0	No growth
Positive Control	0	No growth
Positive Control	0	No growth
Positive Control	0	No growth
Positive Control	0	No growth
Demineralized bone matrix	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	3	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	0	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Demineralized bone matrix	6	<i>Streptococcus viridans</i> *
Demineralized bone matrix	6	Streptomycin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>
Experimental	0	No growth
Experimental	0	No growth
Experimental	3	No growth
Experimental	3	No growth
Experimental	3	No growth
Experimental	0	No growth
Experimental	3	No growth
Experimental	3	No growth

\* Wound swabs of purulent discharge on postoperative day 7 were positive for streptomycin resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*.