



Fig. E-1  
Photograph and radiograph showing the preoperative deformity of a forty-seven-year-old woman with severe rheumatoid arthritis who subsequently developed an infection following surgical reconstruction.

TABLE E-1 Patient Demographics			
	No.	Mean	Range
Age (yr)		58	46-76
Sex (M/F)	13/12		
Time until union (wk)		19.5	11-48
Epidemiology of fracture			
Trauma	16		
Rheumatoid	3		
Charcot tibial fracture	6		
Duration of follow-up (mo)		77.43	28-123.6