

Supplementary Table 2. The European Hernia Society groin hernia classification

EHS groin classification	Primary/Recurrent				
	0	1	2	3	X
Lateral (L)					
Medial (M)					
Femoral (F)					

0 = no hernia detected

1 = <1.5 cm (one finger)

2 = <3 cm (two fingers)

3 = >3 cm (more than two fingers)

X = not investigated