

Fibrin glue and cosmetic surgery for aging of the face and neck.

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Abstract:

Fibrin glue has numerous properties and advantages. It is used to eliminate dead space after removal of skin. It blocks haemorrhage and inhibits aedema. Skin sutures are simplified and post-operative progress is improved. In cosmetic surgery for aging of the face and neck fibrin glue is used, prevalently, to heal deep spaces. Correction of Sugging facial tissue lasts longer when skin, muscle and aponeurosis are dissected and reanchored solidly by fibrin glue. Results of 302 cases treated at the Montreuil hospital and in private practice are reported. On the basis of experience, fibrin glue has effective healing capacity. Furthermore, it provides technical advantages in cosmetic surgery of aging tissue.