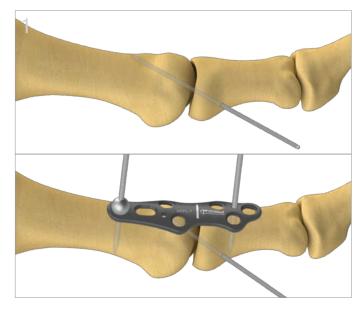
# MTP Fusion Plate

**ASET**<sup>™</sup> Foot Plating System



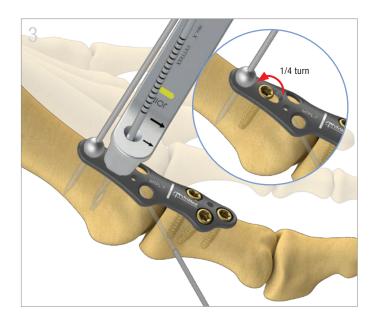
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# Joint Preparation and Plate Positioning

- Prepare articular surfaces using preferred technique and secure the joint using K-wires in a location that will not interfere with plate application.
- Position an appropriately sized plate with the laser marking over the joint. Contour plate with bending tools for an improved fit, as needed.
- Secure the plate temporarily to the bones using K-wires, olive wires, or plate tacks.





# **Plate Application on Proximal Phalanx**

- Prepare holes for screws in proximal phalanx.<sup>1</sup> For locking screws, use standard locking or variable angle locking guides. For non-locking cortical screws, use standard drill guides.<sup>2</sup>
- Place and tighten appropriately sized screws in proximal phalanx.

**Note:** The revision plates are thicker, longer and offered with more holes proximally to avoid previous screw placement.

- <sup>1</sup> **Warning**: Irrigation is recommended during drilling.
- <sup>2</sup> **Warning**: A screw placement at an angle exceeding 15° for locking and non-locking screws is <u>NOT</u> recommended.

# Plate Application on 1<sup>st</sup> Metatarsal

- Position oblong drill guide in the slotted hole with the laser marked arrows pointing toward the joint.
- Drill a pilot hole for a bicortical **2.7mm or 3.5mm** non-locking screw.<sup>3</sup>
- Place and tighten <u>(finger tight)</u> an appropriately sized nonlocking screw.
- Loosen the non-locking screw a **1/4** of a turn to allow the plate to slide underneath the screw head.
- Remove all K-Wires, olive wires, and plate tacks.

<sup>3</sup> Warning: Do not use a 4.0mm non-locking screw in the slotted hole.





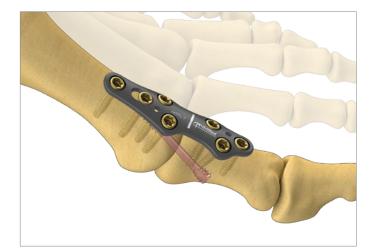
## **Surgeon-Controlled Compression**

- Engage the driver tip of the Expander/Compression Tool into the head of the screw in the slotted hole; engage the hook into the adjacent hole, away from the joint.
- Gently squeeze the tool to apply compression with one hand, taking care to maintain downward pressure on the driver tip with the other to avoid slippage.<sup>4</sup>
- Secure by tightening the non-locking screw.<sup>5</sup>
- <sup>4</sup> **Note:** Maximum screw travel in the slotted hole is 2.5mm. To achieve additional compression, see alternative technique below.
- <sup>5</sup> See **TIPS** for securing compression, if needed.

## **Final Fixation**

- Insert additional locking or non-locking screws for final fixation.
- On the 1<sup>st</sup> metatarsal, unicortical placement of screws in the most distal screw holes can help reduce the risk of sesamoid irritation.

#### **STEP 6 - ALTERNATIVE TECHNIQUE**



## Lag/Compression Screw Placement

A compression screw (from TriMed Small Headless/Headed Screw System) or a non-locking screw can be placed obliquely from distal medial to proximal lateral across the joint to provide additional stability after applying compression.

#### TIPS



## **To Secure Compression Temporarily**

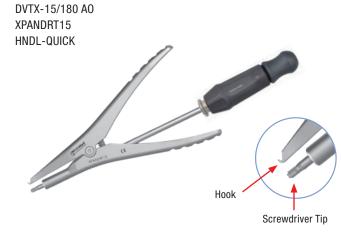
Prior to releasing the Expander/Compression Tool from the compressed position, insert a K-wire or olive wire, if needed.

Screw Table	Cortical Screw, 2.7mm TRXC2.7-XX T	VA Locking Screw, 2.7mm TRXV2.7-XX T	Cortical Screw, 3.5mm TRXC3.5-XX T	VA Locking Screw, 3.5mm TRXV3.5-XX T	Cortical Screw, 4.0mm TRXC4.0-XX T	VA Locking Screw, 4.0mm
Length	08-40mm *	08-40mm *	08-50mm * 50-60mm **	08-50mm * 50-60mm **	08-50mm * 50-60mm **	08-50mm * 50-60mm **
Drill	<ul> <li>2.0mm</li> <li>(2.7mm Overdrill)</li> </ul>	● 2.0mm	<ul><li>2.3mm</li><li>(3.5mm Overdrill)</li></ul>	• 2.3mm	• 2.7mm (4.0mm Overdrill)	● 2.7mm
Guide	GUIDEFPS-2.0/2.7	GUIDELFPS-2.0 GUIDEVAL-2.0	GUIDEFPS-2.3/3.5	GUIDELFPS-2.3 GUIDEVAL-2.3	GUIDEFPS-2.7/4.0	GUIDELFPS-2.7 GUIDEVAL-2.7
Driver	T 15	T 15	T 15	T 15	T 15	T 15
* 2mm increments	** 5mm increments		••••••			•••••••

#### **MTP Fusion Plate**

SHORT MTPL-7S MTP7.5L-7S MTP7.5R-7S STANDARD MTPL-7 MTPR-7 MTP7.5L-7 MTP7.5L-7 MTP7.5R-7 REVISION MTPL-9 MTPR-9

### **Expander / Compression Tool**



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surgeon that takes into consideration factors such as the circumstances and configuration of the injury.