	<u>Girls</u>			<u>Boys</u>			
Parameter	SHOX-D-LWS	SHOX-D-ISS	SHOX-D-All	TS-GH	SHOX-D-LWS	SHOX-D- ISS	SHOX-D-All
$N^{a,b}$	15	10	27	26	11	13	24
Chronological age (years)	$7.9 \pm 2.0$	$7.0 \pm 2.4$	$7.3 \pm 2.2$	$7.5 \pm 1.9$	$7.5 \pm 2.6$	$7.4 \pm 2.6$	$7.5 \pm 2.6$
Hand/wrist:							
Short 4 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	13.3	30.0	19.2	42.3	18.2	15.4	16.7
Short 5 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	6.7	10.0	7.7	34.6	18.2	15.4	16.7
Forearm:							
Radial bowing (%)	93.3*	44.4	76.0 <b>"</b>	36.0*	63.6	30.8	45.8
Ulnar bowing (%)	20.0	0	12.0	16.0	36.4	7.7	20.8
Elbow deformities (%)	33.3	11.1	28.0	20.8	18.2	7.7	12.5
Ulnar variance (°)	$6.1 \pm 3.4$	$4.4 \pm 4.8$	$5.2 \pm 4.0$	$4.4 \pm 4.2$	$3.3 \pm 2.1$	$2.6 \pm 2.5$	$2.9 \pm 2.3$
Radial length (cm)	$12.6 \pm 1.6$	$12.1 \pm 2.0$ °	12.4 ± 1.7 <sup>■</sup>	$13.6 \pm 1.6$	$13.9 \pm 2.3$	$13.4 \pm 2.4$	$13.6 \pm 2.3$
Ulnar length (cm)	$13.8 \pm 1.8$	$13.2 \pm 2.1$	$13.5 \pm 1.9$	$14.5 \pm 2.0$	$14.6 \pm 2.4$	$14.1 \pm 2.7$	$14.3 \pm 2.5$
Lower leg:							
Bowing of tibia (%)	20.0	0	12.5	16.7	0	15.4	8.7
Abnormal tibial tuberosities (%)	20.0	$0_{\mathbf{o}}$	12.5 <b>•</b>	45.8	0	23.1	13.0
Hypertrophic medial femoral condyle (%) <sup>c</sup>	13.3	25.0	16.7 <b>"</b>	54.2*	0	7.7	4.3
Length of tibia (cm)	$22.0 \pm 3.3$	$20.1 \pm 3.3$	$21.2 \pm 3.4$	$21.5 \pm 2.6$	$23.0 \pm 3.8$	$21.5 \pm 3.8$	$22.2 \pm 3.8$
Length of fibula (cm)	$20.7 \pm 3.6$	$19.4 \pm 3.2$	$20.1 \pm 3.5$	$20.9 \pm 2.7$	$22.2 \pm 4.0$	$20.8 \pm 4.0$	$21.4 \pm 4.0$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Maximum N, lower for some parameters, <sup>b</sup>2 patients with unknown clinical diagnosis, <sup>c</sup>Kosowicz sign

Supplementary Table S1: Presence of radiological signs and forearm and lower leg bone measurements at baseline split by gender and clinical diagnosis [% of patients affected for radiological signs, and mean  $\pm$  SD for age and measurements].

P value for SHOX-D-All vs TS-GH  $\leq$ 0.05 (short 5<sup>th</sup> metacarpal P=0.038, radial bowing P=0.010, radial length P=0.016, abnormal tibial tuberosities P=0.024, hypertrophic medial femoral condyle P=0.015)

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bullet}P$  value for SHOX-D-LWS vs SHOX-D-ISS ≤0.05 (radial bowing P=0.015)

 $<sup>^{\</sup>circ}P$  value for SHOX-D-ISS vs TS-GH ≤0.05 (radial length p=0.033, abnormal tibial tuberosities P=0.029)

<sup>\*</sup>P value for SHOX-D-LWS vs TS-GH  $\leq 0.05$  (radial bowing p< 0.001, hypertrophic medial femoral condyle P=0.017)

	At Baseline				After 2 years of study			
Parameter	SHOX-D-C	SHOX-D-GH	SHOX-D-All	TS-GH	SHOX-D-C	SHOX-D-GH	TS-GH	
$\mathbf{N}^{\mathbf{a}}$	12	15	27	26	12	15	26	
Hand/wrist:								
Short 4 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	8.3	28.6	19.2	42.3	16.7	13.3	23.1	
Short 5 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	8.3	7.1	7.7	34.6	8.3	6.7	3.8	
Forearm:								
Radial bowing (%)	75.0	76.9*	76.0 <sup>•</sup>	36.0	66.7	73.3*	16.7	
Ulnar bowing (%)	8.3	15.4	12.0	16.0	25.0	13.3	8.3	
Elbow deformities (%)	16.7	38.5	28.0	20.8	8.3	6.7	0.0	
Ulnar variance (°)	$5.3 \pm 4.1$	$5.2 \pm 4.2$	$5.2 \pm 4.0$	$4.4 \pm 4.2$	$10.3 \pm 10.0$	$14.0 \pm 17.2*$	$5.9 \pm 4.6$	
Ulnar variance change from baseline (°)	-	-	-	-	$5.0 \pm 7.8$	$10.2 \pm 18.6 *$	$1.9 \pm 5.5$	
Radial length (cm)	$12.2 \pm 2.0$	$12.5 \pm 1.5$	$12.4 \pm 1.7^{\bullet}$	$13.6 \pm 1.6$	$14.1 \pm 2.2$	$14.2 \pm 1.6 *$	$16.1 \pm 1.9$	
Radial length change from baseline (cm)	-	-	-	-	$1.9 \pm 1.0$	$1.9 \pm 0.6*$	$2.4 \pm 0.7$	
Ulnar length (cm)	$12.9 \pm 2.0$	$14.1 \pm 1.7$	$13.5 \pm 1.9$	$14.5 \pm 2.0$	$15.5 \pm 2.6$	$16.0 \pm 1.8 *$	$17.5 \pm 2.1$	
Ulnar length change from baseline (cm)	-	-	-	-	$2.7 \pm 1.8$	$2.1 \pm 0.8$	$2.9 \pm 0.9$	
Lower leg:								
Bowing of tibia (%)	9.1	15.4	12.5	16.7	0	6.7	7.7	
Abnormal tibial tuberosities (%)	9.1	15.4	12.5 <b>"</b>	45.8	0	6.7	32.0	
Hypertrophic medial femoral condyle (%) <sup>b</sup>	18.2	15.4*	16.7 <b>"</b>	54.2	16.7	20.0	36.0	
Length of tibia (cm)	$21.2 \pm 4.3$	$21.2 \pm 2.5$	$21.2 \pm 3.4$	$21.5 \pm 2.6$	$23.6 \pm 4.4$	$24.8 \pm 3.0$	$26.0 \pm 3.2$	
Length of tibia change from baseline (cm)	-	-	-	-	$2.5 \pm 1.0$	$3.8 \pm 1.5$	$4.5 \pm 2.6$	
Length of fibula (cm)	$19.8 \pm 3.5$	$20.3 \pm 3.6$	$20.1 \pm 3.5$	$20.9 \pm 2.7$	$22.9 \pm 4.1$	$24.2 \pm 2.8$	$25.3 \pm 3.2$	
Length of fibula change from baseline (cm)					$3.1 \pm 2.1$	$4.1 \pm 1.5$	$4.4\pm2.7$	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Maximum N, lower for some parameters, <sup>b</sup>Kosowicz sign

Supplementary Table S2: Presence of radiological signs and forearm and lower leg bone measurements at baseline and after 2 years of study in girls only [% of patients affected for radiological signs and mean  $\pm$  SD for age and measurements].

P value for SHOX-D-All vs TS-GH  $\leq$ 0.05 (baseline: short 5<sup>th</sup> metacarpal P=0.038, radial bowing P=0.010, radial length P=0.016, abnormal tibial tuberosities P=0.024, hypertrophic medial femoral condule P=0.015)

<sup>\*</sup>P value for SHOX-D-GH vs TS-GH  $\leq$ 0.05 (baseline: radial bowing P=0.038, hypertrophic medial femoral condyle P=0.035; after 2 years of study: radial bowing P<0.001, ulnar variance P=0.029, ulnar variance change from baseline P=0.033, radial length P=0.004, radial length change from baseline P=0.044, ulnar length P=0.032)

	At ba	<u>seline</u>	After 2 years of study		
Parameter	SHOX-D-C	SHOX-D-GH	SHOX-D-C	SHOX-D-GH	
$N^a$	12	12	12	12	
Hand/wrist:					
Short 4 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	8.3	25.0	8.3	16.7	
Short 5 <sup>th</sup> metacarpal (%)	8.3	25.0	0	16.7	
Forearm:					
Radial bowing (%)	66.7	25.0	91.7	58.3	
Ulnar bowing (%)	41.7 <b>*</b>	0	8.3	16.7	
Elbow deformities (%)	16.7	8.3	0	8.3	
Ulnar variance (°)	$3.2 \pm 2.2$	$2.7 \pm 2.5$	$7.5 \pm 7.9$	$4.0 \pm 2.3$	
Ulnar variance change from baseline (°)	-	-	$4.3 \pm 7.3$	$1.3 \pm 4.2$	
Radial length (cm)	$14.0 \pm 2.5$	$13.3 \pm 2.2$	$15.4 \pm 2.3$	$15.7 \pm 2.4$	
Radial length change from baseline (cm)	-	-	$1.7 \pm 0.7^{\bullet}$	$2.3 \pm 0.4$	
Ulnar length (cm)	$14.6 \pm 2.6$	$14.1 \pm 2.6$	$16.4 \pm 2.7$	$16.5 \pm 2.7$	
Ulnar length change from baseline (cm)	-	-	$2.0 \pm 1.1$	$2.4 \pm 0.6$	
Lower leg:					
Bowing of tibia (%)	8.3	9.1	16.7	8.3	
Abnormal tibial tuberosities (%)	16.7	9.1	16.7	25.0	
Hypertrophic medial femoral condyle(%) <sup>b</sup>	0	9.1	16.7	8.3	
Length of tibia (cm)	$22.9 \pm 3.9$	$21.3 \pm 3.6$	$25.8 \pm 3.8$	$24.7 \pm 3.3$	
Length of tibia change from baseline (cm)	-	-	$3.4 \pm 2.9$	$3.1 \pm 1.9$	
Length of fibula (cm)	$22.1 \pm 4.2$	$20.6 \pm 3.7$	$25.0 \pm 3.9$	$23.7 \pm 3.5$	
Length of fibula change from baseline (cm)	-	-	$3.2 \pm 1.7$	$3.1 \pm 2.5$	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Maximum N, lower for some parameters, <sup>b</sup>Kosowicz sign

Supplementary Table S3: Presence of radiological signs and forearm and lower leg bone measurements at baseline and after 2 years of study in boys only [% of patients affected for radiological signs and mean  $\pm$  SD for age and measurements].

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bullet}P$  value for SHOX-D-GH vs SHOX-D-C ≤0.05 (baseline: ulnar bowing P=0.037; after 2 years of study: radial length change from baseline P=0.011)