

TABLE 5.—*Results after first hospitalization, open injuries of the foot, Brooke Army Medical Center, 1966–69*

Mechanism of injury	Ambulation without pain	Assisted painful ambulation	Amputation	Number of cases
Major:				
Automobile.	1	0	0	1
Bicycle (spokes)	9	0	2	11
Burns	0	3	4	7
Crush and bursting	18	19	0	37
Gunshot wounds.	59	22	21	102
Land mines and fragments . .	38	42	48	128
Lawn mower	8	1	9	18
Motorcycle	3	0	0	3
Minor:				
Abrasions and contusions . . .	54	0	0	54
Lacerations and punctures . .	49	0	0	49
Total	239	87	84	410

SOURCE: Omer and Pomerantz, 1972.