

Open Skull Fracture Closure

1. **Simple open skull fx (no depression or plan for intracranial instrumentation such as EVD or crani) – Trauma can close.**
 - a. **This includes pts with BIG 1 and BIG 2 intracranial bleeding.**
2. **Complex skull fx – skull depression/ operative intracranial lesion/ EVD possibly passing through scalp lac/ BIG 3 intracranial bleeding – NSG to close.**
3. **There's always room for attending discretion.**