

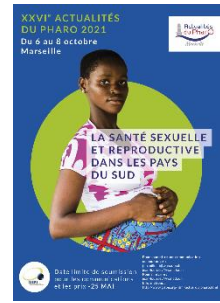
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Surgical management of female genital mutilation/cutting

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Female genital mutilation is considered a violation of the rights of girls and women (WHO). The surgical treatment of this mutilation allows (i) a rehabilitation of the woman on a legal, anatomical, sensory, sexual and psychological level; (ii) a reduction of pain; (iii) a prevention of obstetrical complications and a participation in the fight against the practice of mutilation. It is important that health professionals be trained in the management of the after-effects of excision and that women who are victims of excision have access to this treatment.