

**Supplementary Table S1.** Main clinical characteristics of patients included in the study and patients of the overall CALCECHO cohort. No significant difference was found between the two groups.

Characteristics	Total (n=69)	CALCECHO cohort (n=132)	<i>p</i>
Age, mean (SD)	49.8 (15)	49.8 (9.7)	ns
Female sex, n (%)	46 (66.7%)	89 (67.4%)	ns
Physical occupational activities, n (%)	29 (42%)	55 (42.6%)	ns
Affected side, right/left, n	37/32	79/53	ns
Currently off work, n (%)	17 (24.6%)	31 (25.4)	ns
Duration of symptoms in months, mean (SD)	32.4 (40.8)	32.4 (37.9)	ns
VAS at rest/100 mm, mean (SD)	25 (22)	32.2 (25.1)	ns
VAS at motion/100 mm, mean (SD)	68 (15)	72 (16.2)	ns
Nocturnal pain, n (%)	52 (75.4%)	108 (81.8%)	ns
DASH Score, mean (SD)	43.5 (15.2)	46.2 (15.6)	ns
Tendon affected, n (%)			
Supraspinatus	60 (87%)	114 (86.4%)	ns
Infraspinatus	8 (11.5%)	12 (9.1%)	ns
Subscapularis	1 (1.5%)	6 (4.5%)	ns

Maximum long axis of the calcification in mm, mean (SD) 16.5 (4.9) 17.4 (7.4) ns

VAS: visual analogue scale; DASH: disabilities of the arm, shoulder and hand; SD: standard deviation.

**Supplementary Table S2.** Inter-reader reliability for Gärtner and Molé classifications.

Inter-observer reliability		Gärtner			Molé		
		Reader 1/2	Reader 2/3	Reader 1/3	Reader 1/2	Reader 2/3	Reader 1/3
<b>D0</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.735</b> (0.559-0.911)	<b>0.529</b> (0.322-0.735)	<b>0.569</b> (0.349-0.789)	<b>0.574</b> (0.391-0.756)	<b>0.295</b> (0.136-0.454)	<b>0.311</b> (0.141-0.481)
<b>D7</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.389</b> (0.220-0.557)	<b>0.255</b> (0.078-0.432)	<b>0.404</b> (0.244-0.565)	<b>0.356</b> (0.160-0.551)	<b>0.274</b> (0.113-0.435)	<b>0.286</b> (0.131-0.441)
<b>M3</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.514</b> (0.313-0.715)	<b>0.515</b> (0.274-0.756)	<b>0.597</b> (0.469-0.725)	<b>0.401</b> (0.168-0.634)	<b>0.299</b> (0.114-0.484)	<b>0.399</b> (0.268-0.530)
<b>M12</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.406</b> (0.173-0.638)	<b>0.492</b> (0.00-0.984)	<b>0.549</b> (0.313-0.785)	<b>0.300</b> (-0.66-0.666)	<b>0.154</b> (-0.38-0.346)	<b>0.316</b> (0.183-0.448)

D0: Day 0 (baseline); D7: day 7; M3: Month 3; M12: Month 12 after ultrasound-guided percutaneous lavage of the calcification.

**Supplementary Table S3.** Intra-observer reliability for Gärtner and Molé classifications.

Intra-observer reliability		Gärtner			Molé		
		Reader 1	Reader 2	Reader 3	Reader 1	Reader 2	Reader 3
<b>D0</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.688</b> (0.393-0.983)	<b>0.929</b> (0.802-1.056)	<b>0.614</b> (0.355-0.872)	<b>0.508</b> (0.194-0.823)	<b>0.527</b> (0.242-0.811)	<b>0.438</b> (0.126-0.749)
<b>D7</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.449</b> (0.204-0.694)	<b>0.585</b> (0.329-0.841)	<b>0.495</b> (0.246-0.744)	<b>0.414</b> (0.170-0.658)	<b>0.804</b> (0.539-1.068)	<b>0.199</b> (-0.13-0.411)
<b>M3</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.725</b> (0.527-0.923)	<b>0.714</b> (0.464-0.963)	<b>0.235</b> (-0.44-0.514)	<b>0.732</b> (0.450-1.013)	<b>1.0</b> (1.0-1.0)	<b>0.532</b> (0.328-0.737)
<b>M12</b>	Weighted kappa (95% CI)	<b>0.609</b> (0.526-0.692)	<b>1.0</b> (1.0-1.0)	<b>-0.65</b> (-0.156-0.027)	<b>1.0</b> (1.0-1.0)	<b>1.0</b> (1.0-1.0)	<b>0.409</b> (0.053-0.764)

D0: Day 0 (baseline); D7: day 7; M3: Month 3; M12: Month 12 after ultrasound guided percutaneous lavage of the calcification.