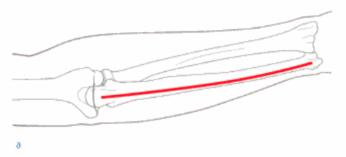
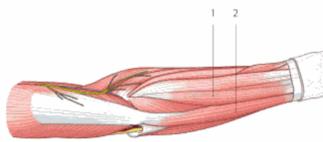
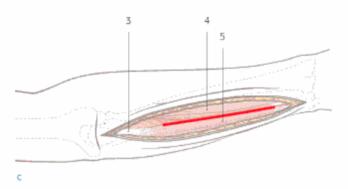
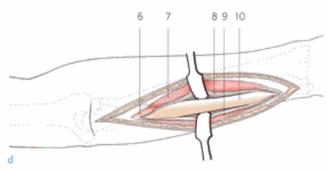
3 Surgical approach

The old incision over the dorsal ulna is opened using the interval between extensor and flexor carpi ulnaris.









- 1 Extensor carpi ulnaris (posterior interosseous nerve)
- 2 Flexor carpi ulnaris (ulnar nerve)
- 3 Fascia over anconeus
- 4 Fascia over extensor carpi ulnaris
- 5 Fascia over flexor carpi ulnaris
- 6 Anconeus
- 7 Extensor carpi ulnaris
- 8 Periosteum
- 9 Flexor carpi ulnaris
- 10 Ulna

Fig 2.5.7-7a-d Approach to the ulna.

- The skin incision is along the subcutaneous border of the ulna, between the alecranon process and the ulnar styloid process.
- b-c The dissection should be carried out between the flexor carpi ulnaris and the extensor carpi ulnaris muscles. The internervous plane is between the ulnar and posterior interosseous nerves.
- d According to the position and length of the plate, a delicate detachment of muscles from the periosteum is performed.