Table 1. Schedule of enrolment, interventions, and assessments

		STUDY PERIOD								
		Enrolment	**Allocation**	**Post allocation**						**Post full-time splinting**
	TIMEPOINT**	***-t_1***	**0**	***1/52***	***3/52***	***5/52***	***8/52***	***10/52***	***22/52***	***2/52***
ENROLMENT	**Eligibility screen**	X								
	Informed consent	X								
	Allocation		X							
INTERVENTIONS	***DIPJ Splint***		♦———	———	———	———	———♦·····	·····♦		
	DIPJ splint + RMS		♦———	———	———	———	———♦·····	·····♦		
	Skin/splint check		X	X	X	X	X	X		
ASSESSMENTS	***AROM contralateral (TAM, PIPJ, DIPJ)***	X								
	AROM affected (TAM, PIPJ, DIPJ)	X							X	X
	Patient Splint Satisfaction								X	X
	Splint Compliance							X		
	PROM (PRWHE)								X	X
	DIPJ extensor lag	X	X				X	X	X	X
	Patient photographs								X	X