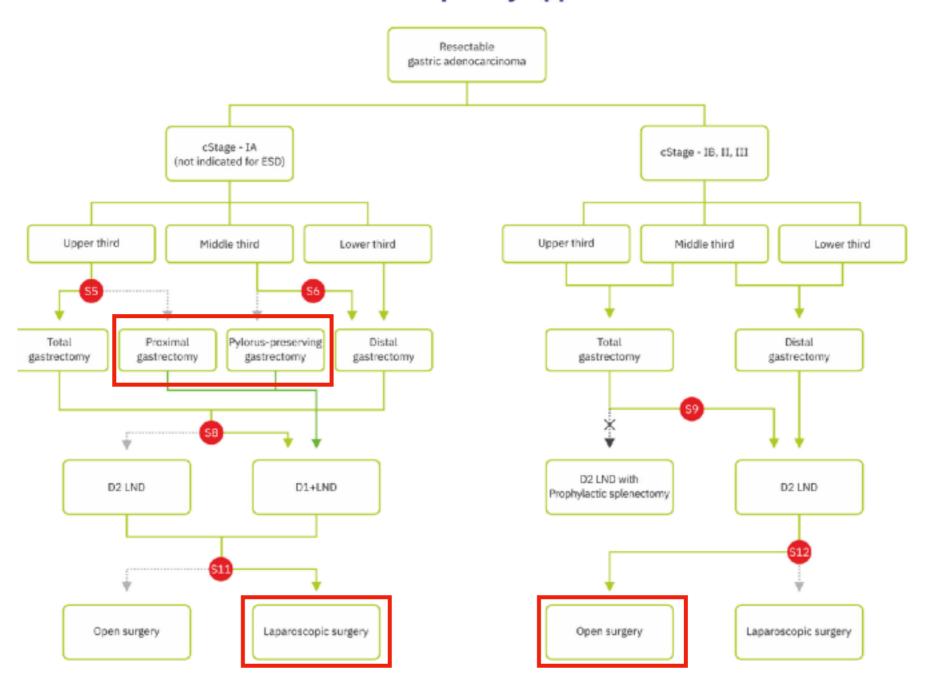


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S11. Laparoscopic surgery is <u>recommended in early gastric</u> <u>cancer</u> for improved postoperative recovery, complications, quality of life, and long-term survival (evidence: high, recommendation: strong).

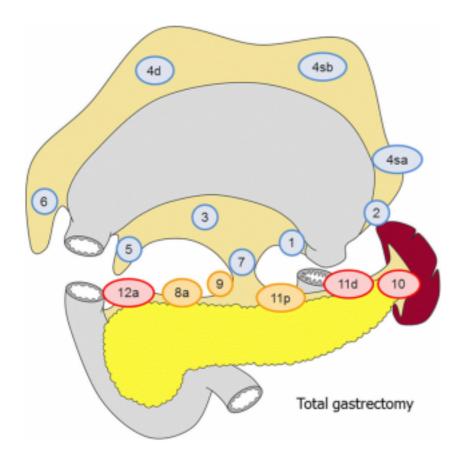
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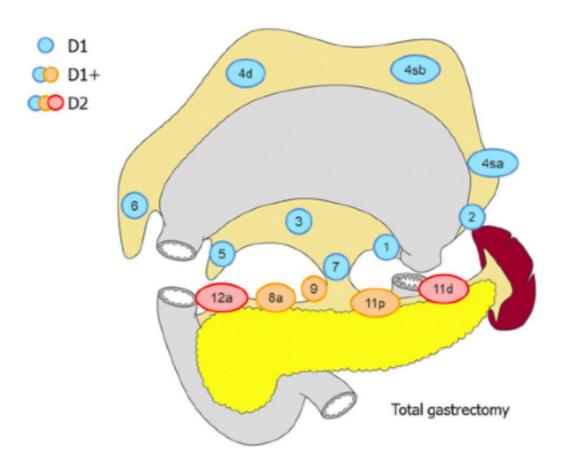
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