

PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: Jewish General Hospital

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Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. David Smith

Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Ahmed Khan

Assistant(s): Dr. resident Leo Morel

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

RUPTURED APPENDICITIS.

Diagnostic postopératoire / Post-operative diagnosis:

PERFORATED APPENDICITIS WITH ABSCESS.

Opération / Operation:

LAPAROSCOPIC APPENDECTOMY WITH DRAINAGE OF ABSCESS.

Tissu envoyé en pathologie / Tissue sent to pathology: Appendix with attached omentum

Anesthésie / Anesthesia: General anesthesia and epidural block

Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

2-year-old non-binary with one week abdominal pain, markedly elevated WBC, high CRP, high fever. Imaging: CT scan showing peri-appendiceal fluid. recent travel. Past medical history is otherwise unremarkable. Recent travel history may be relevant.

Procédure(s) opératoire(s) / Operative procedure(s):

Patient in supine position. General anesthesia and epidural block administered. Time-out was performed and abdomen prepped in sterile fashion. We create a 1 cm infraumbilical incision and enter the abdomen using the Hasson technique. Three trocars in total are used for laparoscopic access. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, diffuse adhesions noted. The appendix was acutely inflamed with persistent inflammation. No pus or abscess formation found. Multiple bowel loops adherent to the mass. No intraoperative complications occurred. Appendix is isolated after adhesiolysis. The appendiceal mesentery is carefully taken down with harmonic scalpel. We secure the appendiceal base with two Endoloops and transect between them. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. We irrigate the abdominal cavity copiously with warm saline until the effluent is clear. The umbilical fascia is reapproximated with interrupted Maxon 2-0 sutures. Skin incisions are closed with Steri-Strips. No intraoperative complications occurred.

Postoperative imaging if fever persists. The patient tolerated the procedure well with minimal blood loss.

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