PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: St. Mary's Hospital Date: 2024-09-22 06:36

Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. Paul Anderson

Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Paul Lambert Assistant(s): Dr. resident John Paul

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

APPENDICITIS WITH BOWEL OBSTRUCTION.

Diagnostic postopératoire / Post-operative diagnosis:

APPENDICITIS WITH BOWEL OBSTRUCTION.

Opération / Operation:

LAPAROSCOPIC APPENDECTOMY WITH OMENTAL WRAPPING.

Tissu envoyé en pathologie / Tissue sent to pathology: Appendix and inflamed tissue

Anesthésie / Anesthesia: General anesthesia with local infiltration

Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

9-year-old male with 1 day abdominal pain, markedly elevated WBC, normal CRP, no fever. Imaging: ultrasound reporting lymphadenopathy, recent travel. Recent travel history may be relevant.

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

Patient in supine position. General anesthesia with nitrous oxide administered. Time-out was performed and abdomen prepped in sterile fashion. Direct trocar insertion after skin and fascia incision. We place two additional trocars, one in the suprapubic region and one in the left lower quadrant, both under direct vision. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, significant adhesions noted. Appendix appeared hyperemic, surrounded by minimal inflammatory reaction. A large pelvic abscess was present and evacuated. Dense adhesions were encountered during dissection. Blunt dissection is used to free the appendix from surrounding structures. Appendiceal vessels controlled with clips. Base of appendix secured with purse-string suture prior to removal. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. Abdominal lavage performed until clear. We close the fascia with Maxon 2-0 in a interrupted fashion. Skin is approximated with subcuticular Monocryl 4-0.

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

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