

PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: Montreal Children's

Date: 2023-10-17 01:26

Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. John Evans

Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Elena Rodriguez

Assistant(s): Dr. resident Leo Morel

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

LOCALIZED PERITONITIS SECONDARY TO 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 with caudal block

Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

5-year-old non-binary with several hours abdominal pain. Treated for pneumonia; symptoms persisted. Imaging: ultrasound showing appendicitis. Past medical history is otherwise unremarkable.

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

Patient in supine position. General anesthesia administered. Time-out was performed and abdomen prepped in sterile fashion. Transverse infraumbilical incision is performed and access gained via blunt dissection. Single-incision laparoscopic port is used. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, significant adhesions noted. The appendix was friable with marked inflammation. Abscess cavity found in RLQ and irrigated. No significant adhesions. No mesenteric ischemia. Meticulous dissection performed due to distorted anatomy. The appendiceal artery is ligated and divided. Base of appendix secured with purse-string suture prior to removal. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. Abdominal lavage performed until clear. All port sites closed with subcuticular Monocryl 4-0.

Monitor wound sites for infection. No evidence of malignancy. The patient tolerated the procedure well with minimal blood loss.

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