

# PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: St. Mary's Hospital

Date: 2024-12-10 19:55

Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. Lisa Garcia

Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Marie-Claire Dubois

Assistant(s): Dr. resident Ethan Wright

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

**APPENDICITIS WITH ABSCESS.**

Diagnostic postopératoire / Post-operative diagnosis:

**APPENDICITIS WITH ABSCESS.**

Opération / Operation:

**APPENDECTOMY WITH INTRA-ABDOMINAL DRAINAGE.**

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

Anesthésie / Anesthesia: Total intravenous anesthesia

## Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

1-year-old female with one week abdominal pain, normal WBC, normal CRP, low-grade fever. Imaging: MRI demonstrating RLQ inflammation. previous similar episode.

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

Patient in supine position. General anesthesia 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. Supplementary ports are placed in the suprapubic area and left iliac fossa. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, significant adhesions noted. Appendix was friable and surrounded by A large pelvic abscess was present and evacuated. and The appendix was adhered to surrounding structures. Patient tolerated procedure well. Appendix is isolated after adhesiolysis. We dissect the mesentery of the appendix and use the electrocautery to coagulate the artery. The appendix is ligated at its base with two absorbable sutures and then amputated. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. Saline is used for thorough irrigation of all quadrants. Umbilical port site is closed with Vicryl 2-0 and skin with Dermabond.

Discharge home when tolerating oral intake and afebrile. The patient tolerated the procedure well with minimal blood loss.

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