

PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: Ste-Agathe Hospital

Date: 2025-01-01 13:23

Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. John Evans

Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Aisha Patel

Assistant(s): Dr. resident Jennifer Park

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

APPENDICITIS WITH SEPSIS.

Diagnostic postopératoire / Post-operative diagnosis:

APPENDICITIS WITH MESENTERIC LYMPHADENITIS.

Opération / Operation:

APPENDECTOMY WITH LYSIS OF ADHESIONS.

Tissu envoyé en pathologie / Tissue sent to pathology: Appendicolith

Anesthésie / Anesthesia: General anesthesia with mask induction

Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

Pediatric patient (14, non-binary) presenting with acute onset abdominal pain with vomiting. History: previous similar episode. Imaging confirmed appendicitis.

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. Incision is made in left lower quadrant for open conversion. Additional 5 mm trocars are placed in the right and left lower quadrants under laparoscopic guidance. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, diffuse adhesions noted. Findings include gangrenous appendix with diffuse inflammatory changes. Abscess cavity found in RLQ and irrigated. No significant adhesions. Blunt dissection is used to free the appendix from surrounding structures. The appendiceal artery is ligated and divided. We apply an endoscopic stapler to the base of the appendix and divide it. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. Irrigation performed with antibiotic solution. The umbilical fascia is reapproximated with interrupted PDS 2-0 sutures. Skin incisions are closed with subcuticular Monocryl 4-0.

Monitor wound sites for infection. Patient tolerated procedure well. The patient tolerated the procedure well with minimal blood loss.

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