PROTOCOLE OPERATOIRE / OPERATIVE REPORT

Site: Hopital Charles-LeMoyne Date: 2025-06-10 01:57

Anesthésiste / Anesthetist: Dr. Thomas White Chirurgien / Surgeon: Dr. Marie-Claire Dubois

Assistant(s): Dr. resident Jennifer Park

Diagnostic préopératoire / Pre-operative diagnosis:

ACUTE APPENDICITIS WITH PERITONITIS.

Diagnostic postopératoire / Post-operative diagnosis:

ACUTE APPENDICITIS WITH PERITONITIS.

Opération / Operation:

OPEN APPENDECTOMY.

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

Anesthésie / Anesthesia: General anesthesia and epidural block

Historique et constatations opératoires / History and operative findings:

Pediatric patient (11, non-binary) presenting with acute onset abdominal pain after trauma. History: recent antibiotic use. Imaging confirmed appendicitis.

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

Patient in supine position. General anesthesia administered. Time-out was performed and abdomen prepped in sterile fashion. A small infraumbilical incision is made and the abdominal cavity is entered under direct vision. Two working ports are established in the right and left lower quadrants. No iatrogenic injuries occurred during trocar placement. Upon entering the abdominal cavity, diffuse adhesions noted. Findings include hyperemic appendix with persistent inflammatory changes. There was a contained abscess in the right lower quadrant. Minimal adhesions were noted. No bowel injury noted. Dissection is carried out to isolate the base of the appendix. The mesoappendix is divided using a bipolar energy device. Absorbable ligatures are applied prior to amputation. Specimen placed in EndoCatch bag for removal. Copious irrigation is undertaken to ensure removal of all inflammatory debris. We close the fascia with Vicryl 3-0 in a interrupted fashion. Skin is approximated with interrupted silk 4-0.

Continue surgical care with antibiotic therapy and diet advancement as tolerated. The patient tolerated the procedure well with minimal blood loss.

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