Pancreatic duct occlusion with fibrin (glue) to protect the pancreatico-digestive anastomosis after resection of the head of the

pancreas in oncologic surgery. [German]

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Abstract:

The PDO with FS represents a technically simple, quick and efficient method for the protection of

pancreatic-jejunal anastomosis, which is endangered by dehiscences. We could prove--first, in an

animal experimental, then in a clinical study of 93 patients--that neither subsequent dehiscence nor

a pancreatic fistula occurred. Also, the loss of exo- and endocrine functions is low and can rather be

considered as an expression of the extended resection of the pancreatic parenchyma in the scope

of the oncological intervention.