

Management of Solid Lesions of the Stomach

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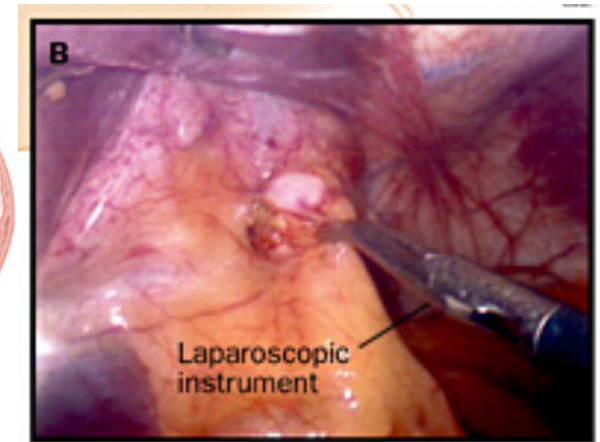
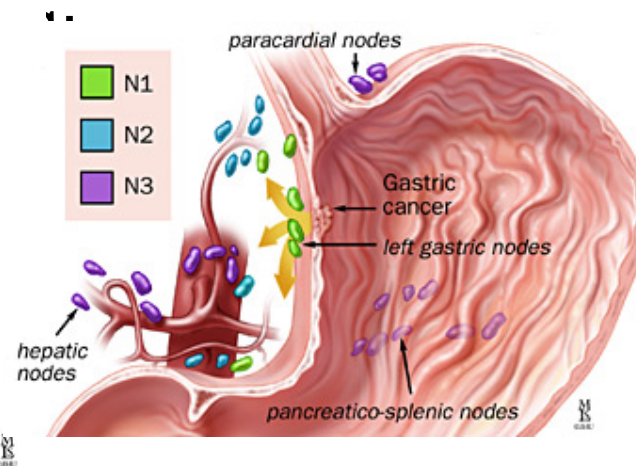
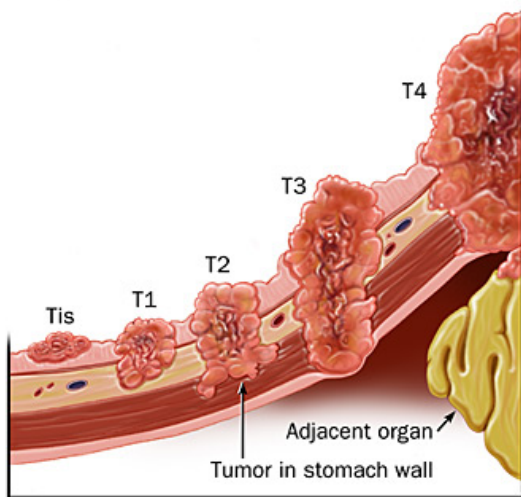


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Stomach Tumors

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Gastric Adenocarcinoma



Early disease → Surgery
≥T3 or N+ → Neoadjuvant therapy
M disease → Palliative therapy

Trials
Gastric: MAGIC
GEJx: CROSS

Gastric Adenocarcinoma

- Tests for diagnosis
 - EGD and biopsy
- Tests for staging
 - T & N staging
 - *Endoscopic Ultrasound (EUS)***
 - Stage 4 disease
 - CT chest/abdomen/pelvis
 - *Laparoscopic Evaluation and Peritoneal cytology***

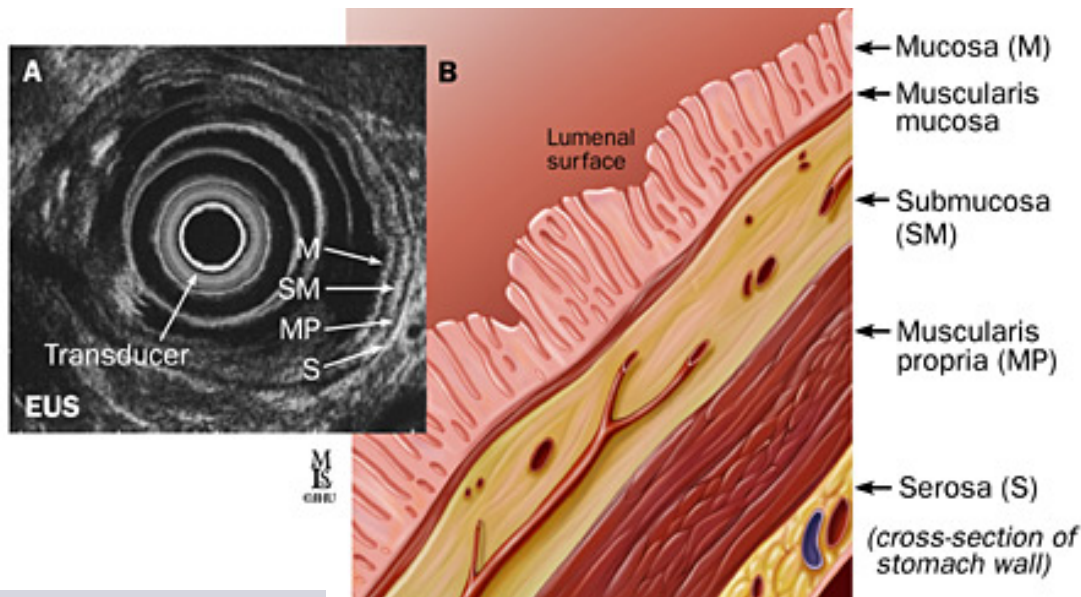
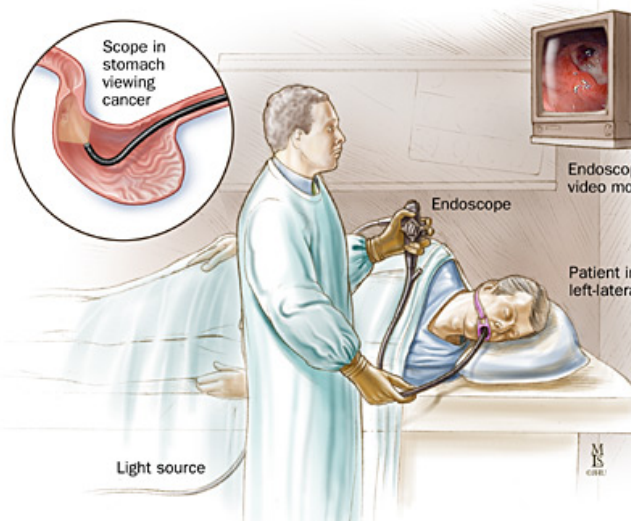


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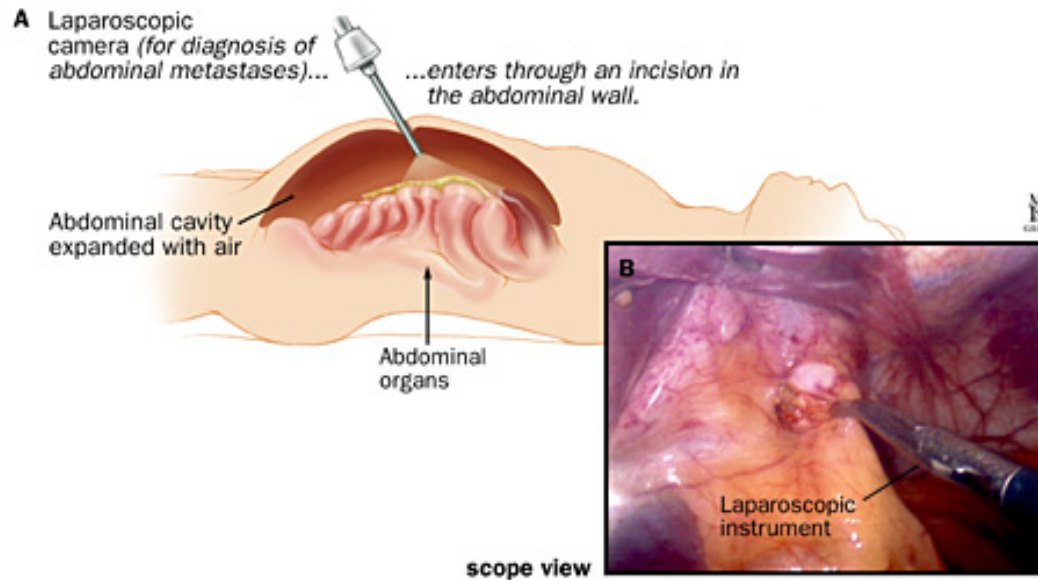
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- T & N staging
 - EUS: Depth of invasion & presence of LN
 - 80% accuracy



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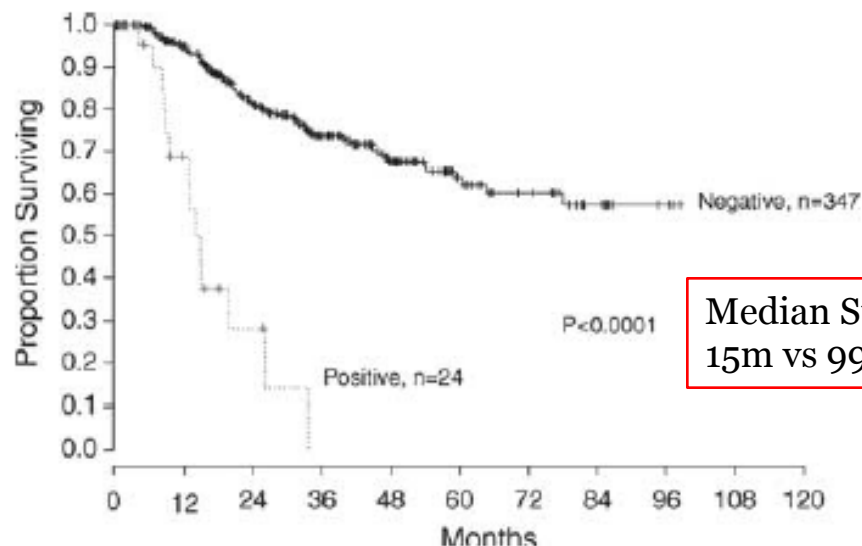
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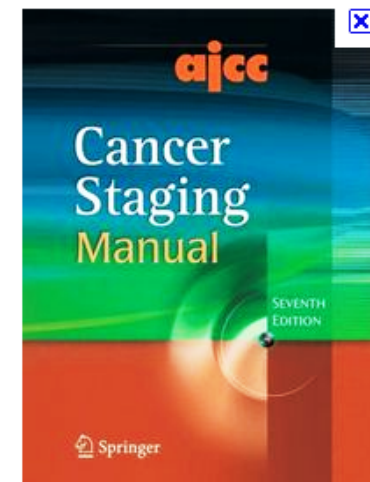
Up to 1/3 of patients considered resectable after imaging work up will have disease!

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Median Survival
15m vs 99m

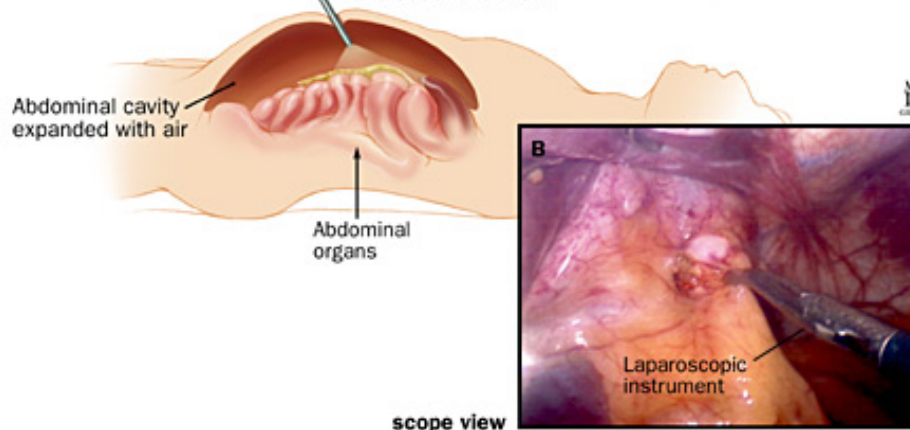


Positive Peritoneal cytology
is classified as M1

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- Laparoscopic Evaluation and Peritoneal cytology
 1. Examine peritoneal cavity for gross metastatic disease *without* disturbing organs
 2. Peritoneal washings: 3-4 quadrants, 30-50cc saline, gentle shake, suction fluid and send.
 3. Examine tumor and biopsy suspicious lesions

A Laparoscopic camera (for diagnosis of abdominal metastases)...
...enters through an incision in the abdominal wall.



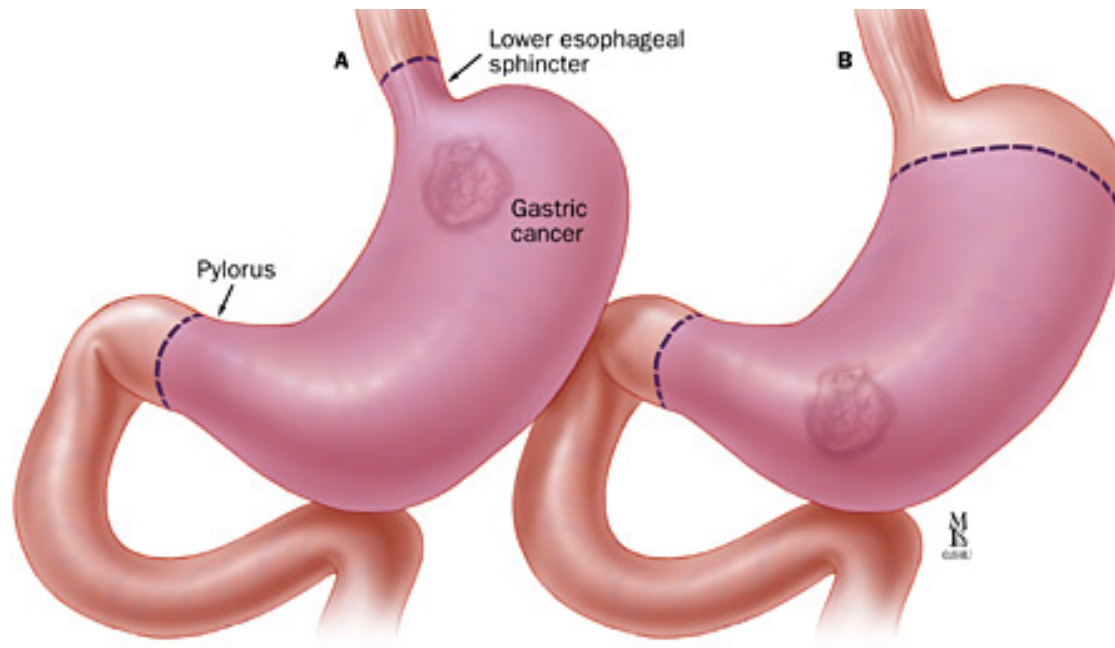
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- Oncologic resection in gastric cancer
 - 3-5cm gross negative margins
 - Lymph node clearance of draining nodes

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Oncologic Resection - Margin

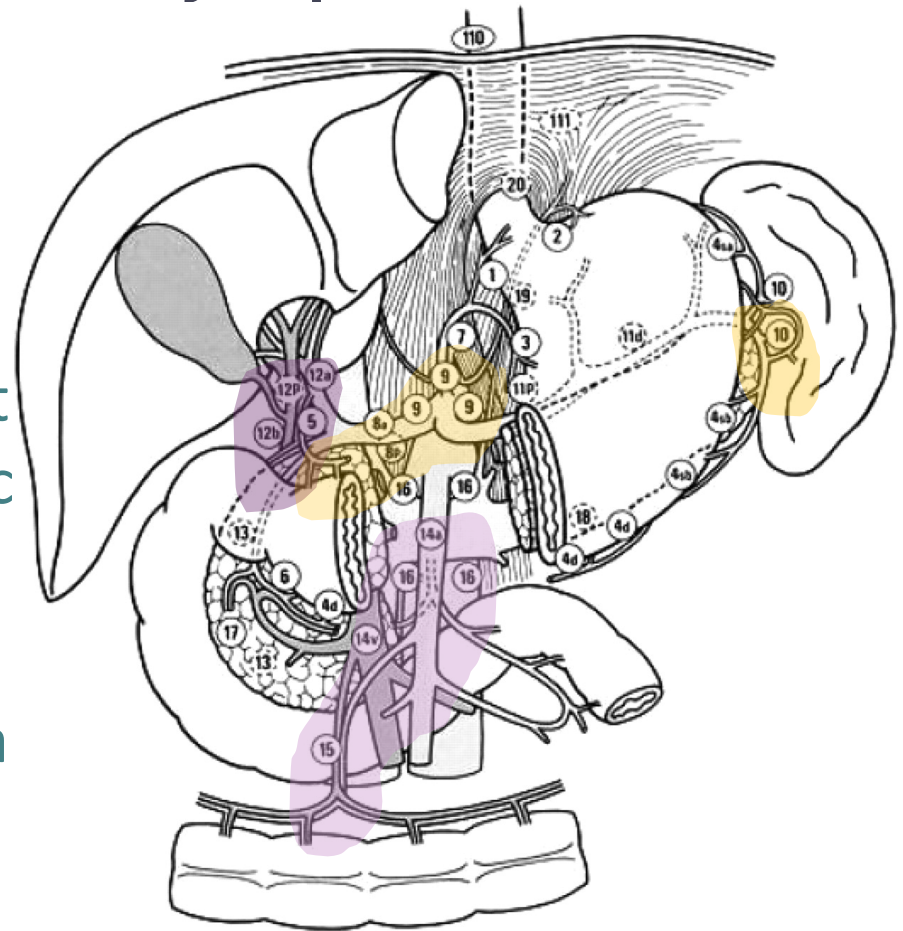
- 3-5cm gross negative margins
 - Distal cancers (body, antrum) → subtotal gastrectomy
 - Proximal cancers (fundus) → total gastrectomy



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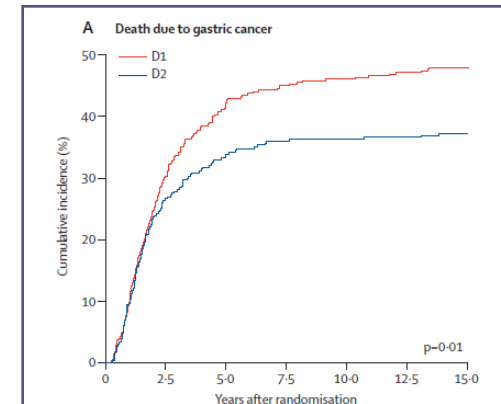
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D1 vs D2 dissection

- RCT, Dutch Trial
- Initial report – no diff
- 15 year follow-up
 - D2: Gastric cancer related deaths (37% vs 48%), less local and regional recurrence
 - Morbidity with splenectomy

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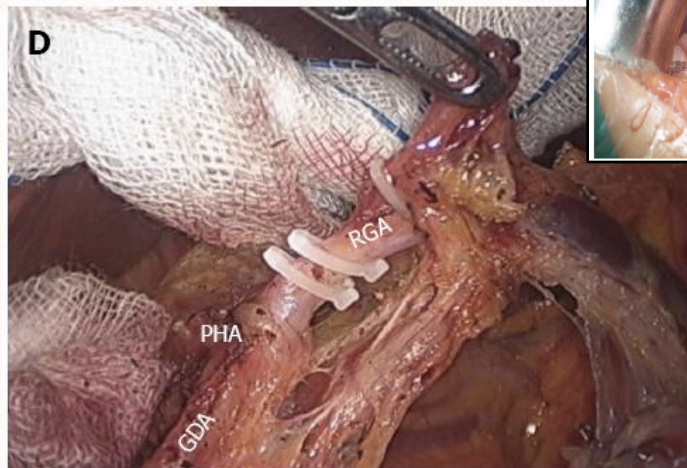
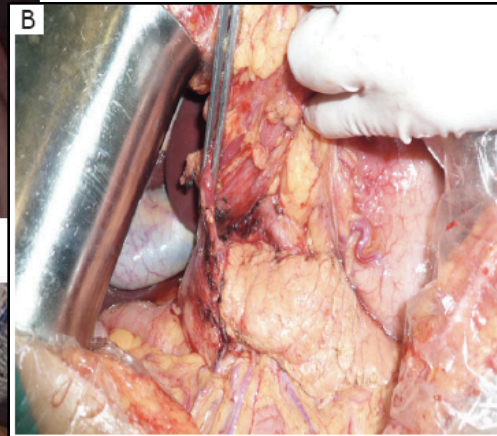
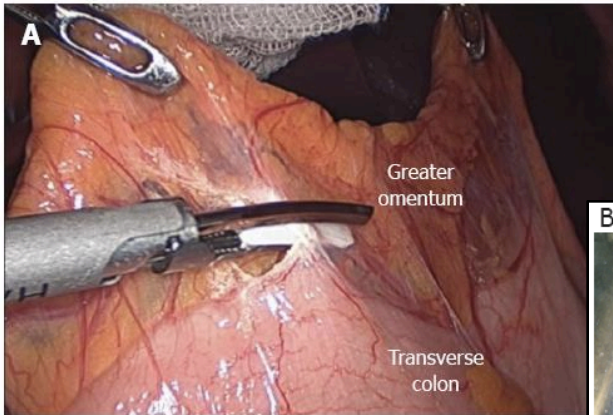
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Resectable tumors---continued

- Gastric resection should include the regional lymphatics-- perigastric lymph nodes (D1) and those along the named vessels of the celiac axis (D2), with a goal of examining at least 15 or greater lymph nodes^{6,7,8}

D1 LN dissection

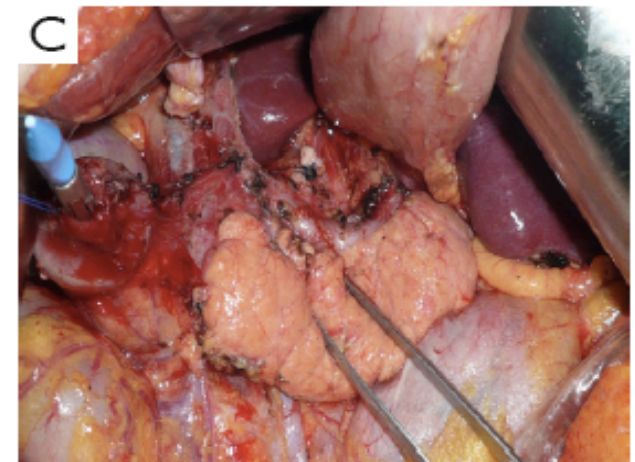
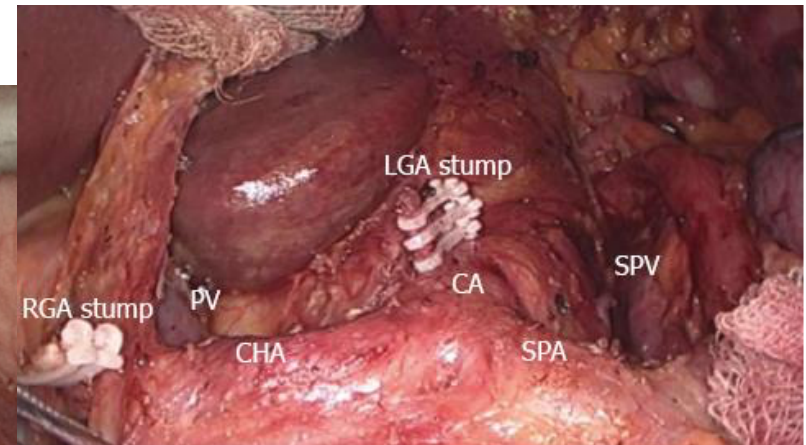
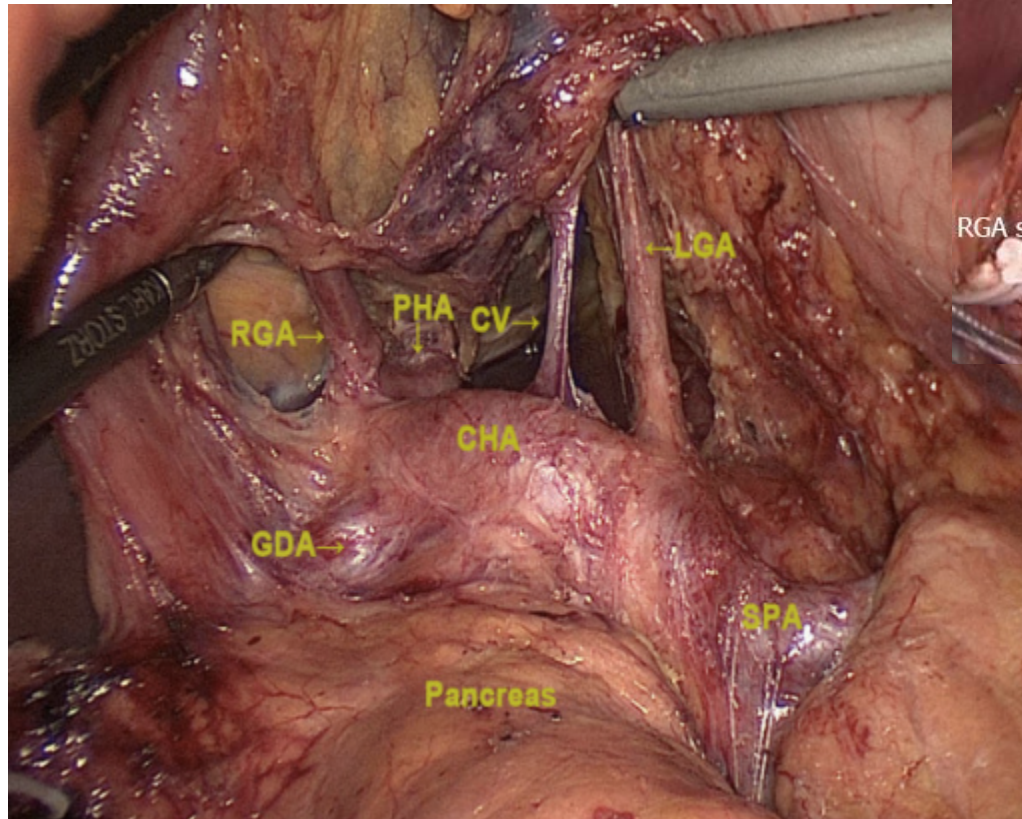
Omentum, R gastroepiploic & R gastric a LNs



- D1 – removal of involved stomach including greater and lesser omentum, and surrounding lymph nodes (R gastric and R gastroepiploic)

D2 LN dissection

Proper and common hepatic, splenic and L gastric a lymph nodes



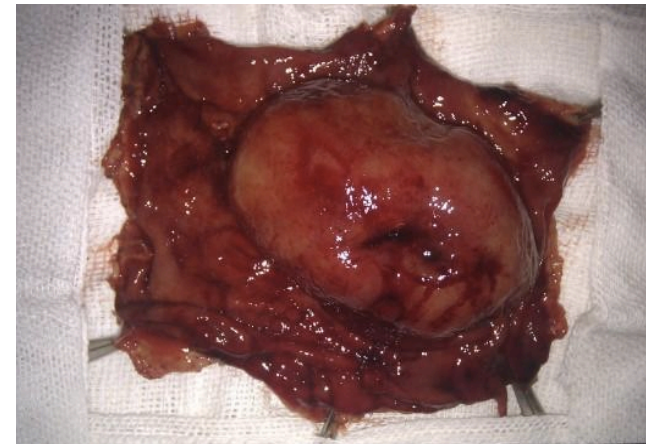
Sarcoma

Treatment and Oncologic Resection

- Staging work up – Abd/pelvis CT, add chest if high risk
- Biopsy – by endoscopy, not percutaneous (risk of hemorrhage and intraperitoneal dissemination)
- Surgery is mainstay of treatment

Sarcoma resection principles

- Preservation of pseudocapsule, avoidance of tumor spillage
- Margins: negative
- Lymph nodes: no need for prophylactic LND. LND should be done if pathologically enlarged LNs are encountered.



GIST

- Less than 2cm – can observe with surveillance if without high risk features
 - High risk features by EUS (NCCN 2.2016)
 - Irregular borders
 - Cystic spaces
 - Ulceration
 - Echogenic foci
 - Heterogeneity
- Very large GISTs – neoadjuvant Gleevec can be considered
- Post-operative pathologic review to determine need for adjuvant Gleevec

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