

Complex Laparoscopic Colorectal Procedures; Are they possible?

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Effect of Laparoscopic-Assisted Resection vs Open Resection
of Stage II or III Rectal Cancer on Pathologic Outcomes
The ACOSOG Z6051 Randomized Clinical Trial

- 2008-2013 randomized clinical trial
- 248 LAP patients vs 22 Open
- Non-inferiority trial
- Endpoint was successful resection, defined as
 - Negative Distal margin
 - Circumferential margin >1 mm
 - Complete or near complete mesorectal fascia

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Laparoscopic Versus Open Reversal of a Hartmann Procedure: A Single-Center Study

Markus Zimmermann • Martin Hoffmann • Tilman Laubert •
Karl-Frederik Meyer • Thomas Jungbluth • Uwe-Johannes Roblick •
Hans-Peter Bruch • Erik Schlöricke

- Lap hartmann N = vs Open hartmann

World J Surg (2014) 38:2145–2152



Intracorporeal versus extracorporeal anastomosis. Results from a multicentre comparative study on 512 right-sided colorectal cancers

Marco Milone • Ugo Elmore • Enrico Di Salvo • Paolo Delrio • Luigi Bucci •

- Multicenter Italian Study
- 512 patients

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Preoperative Risk Factors and Radiographic Findings Predictive of Laparoscopic Conversion to Open Procedures in Crohn's Disease

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Diverticular Disease Complicated With Colovesical Fistula: Laparoscopic Versus Robotic Management

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