

BEST CASES OF THE AIRP

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Musculoskeletal Best Case



27 year old Male:

- Right thigh discomfort x 1 year
- Mass in the area of discomfort
 x 6 months



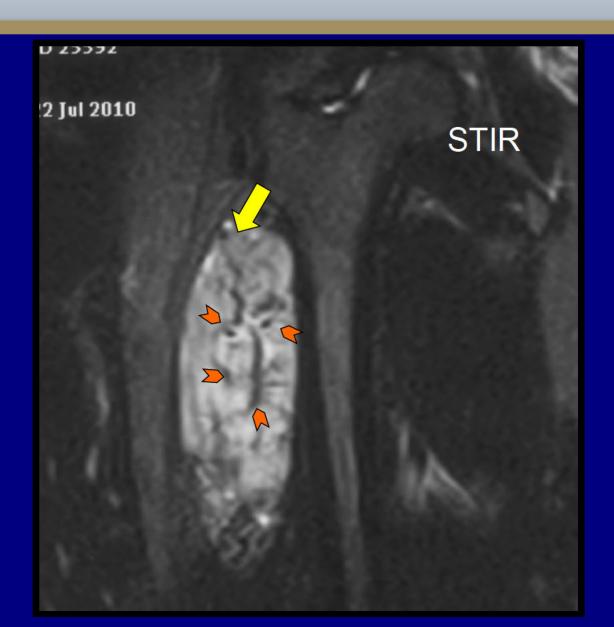
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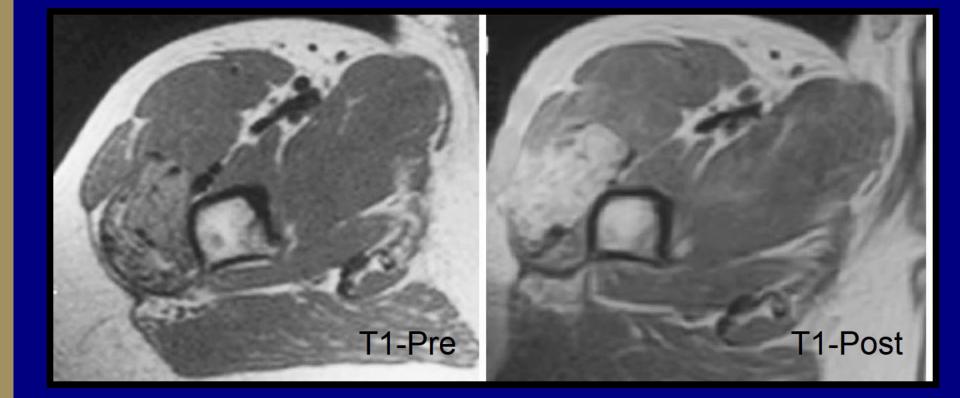




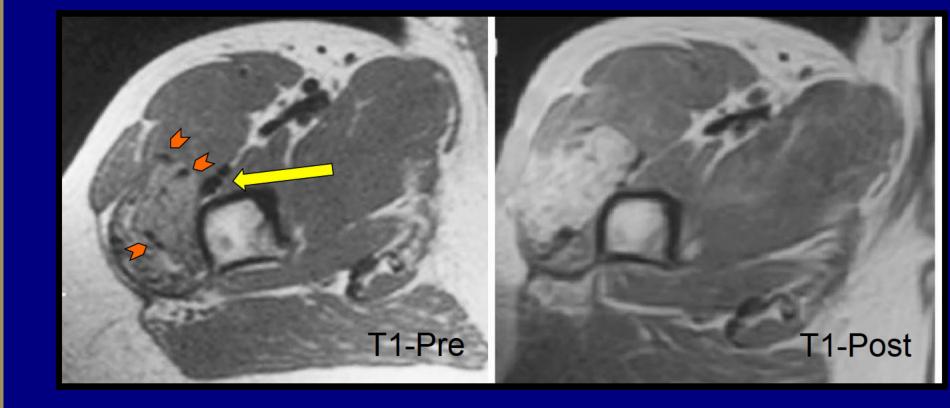




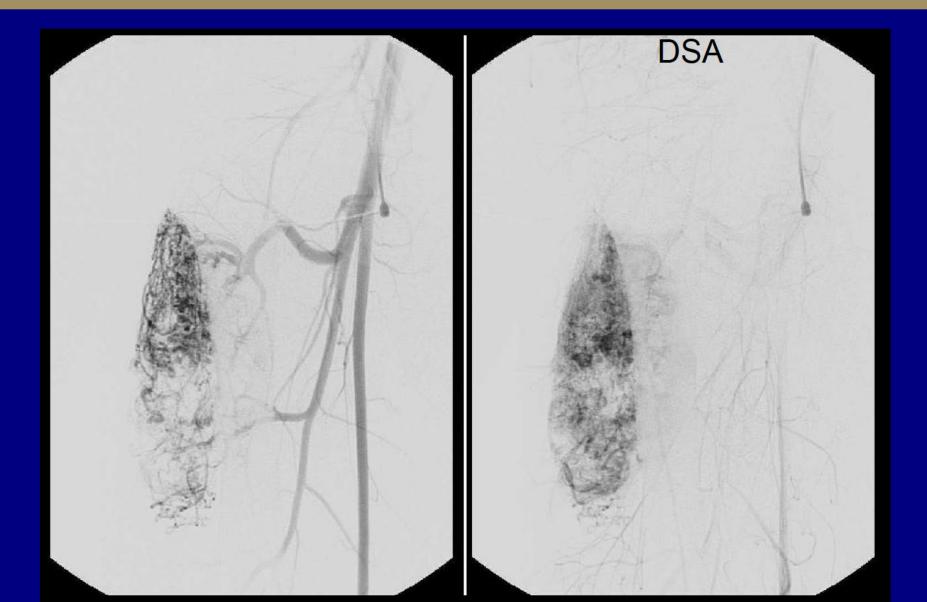




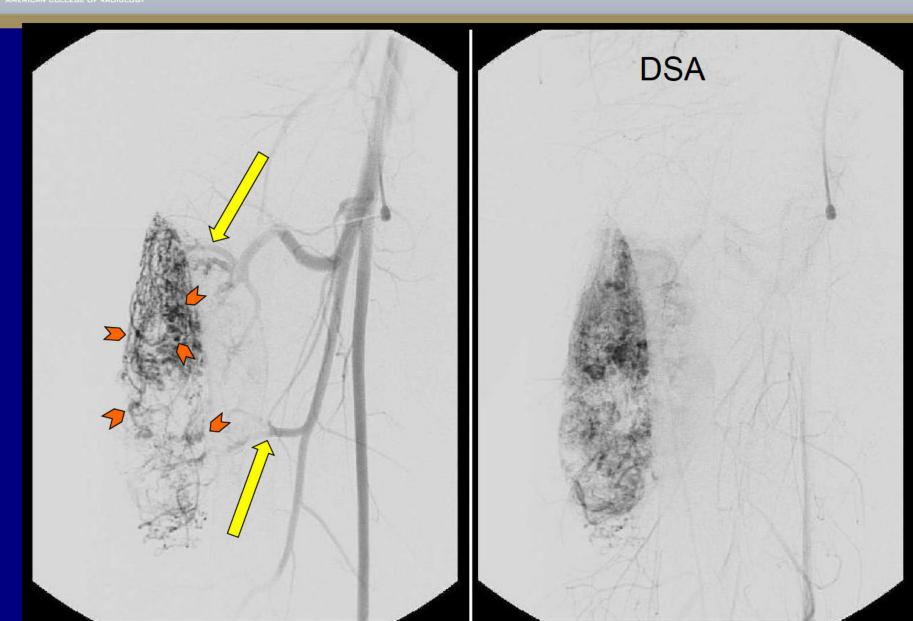




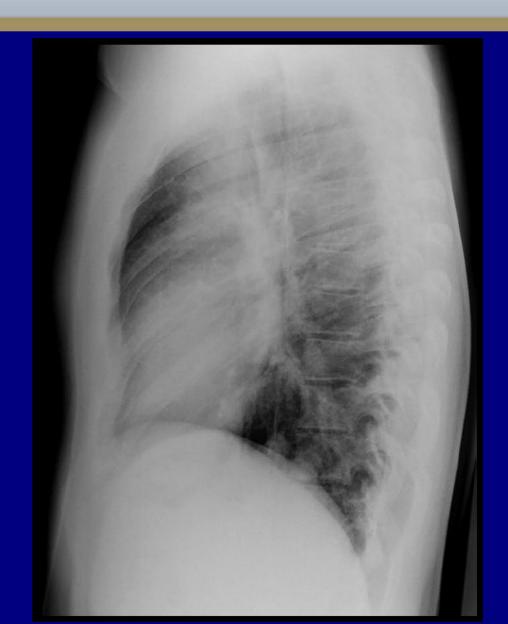




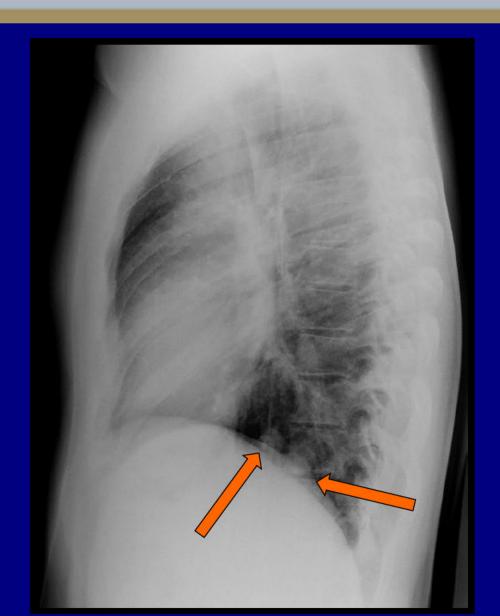














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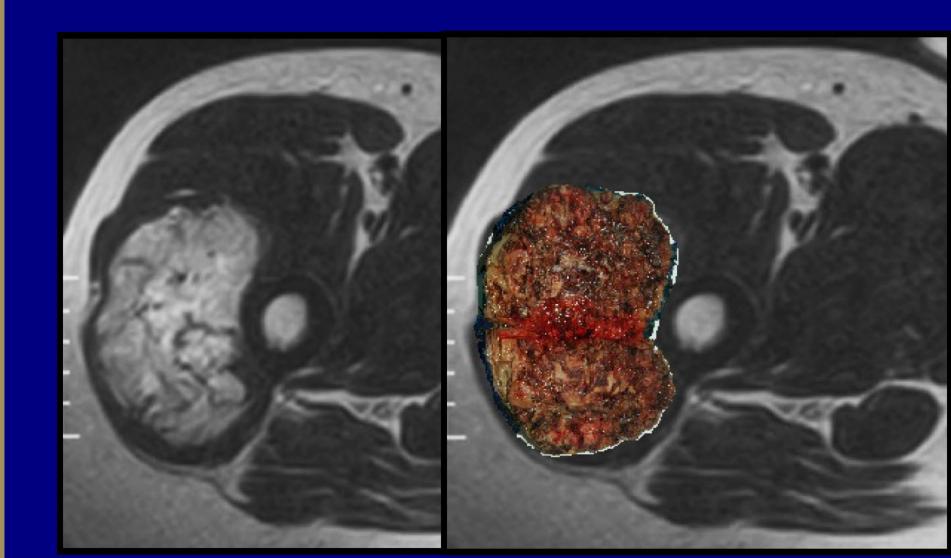


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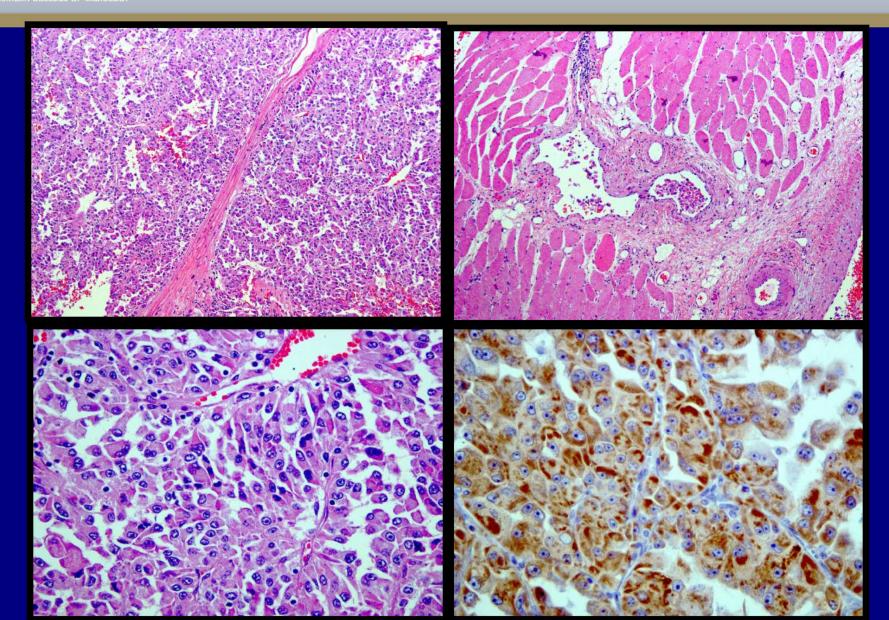


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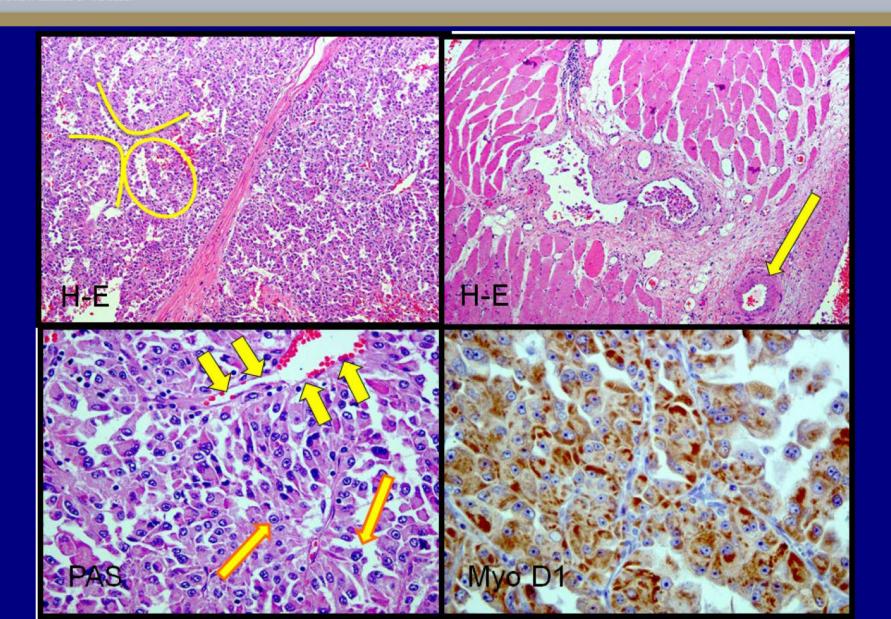


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Diagnosis: Alveolar Soft Part Sarcoma

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Neuroradiology Best Case



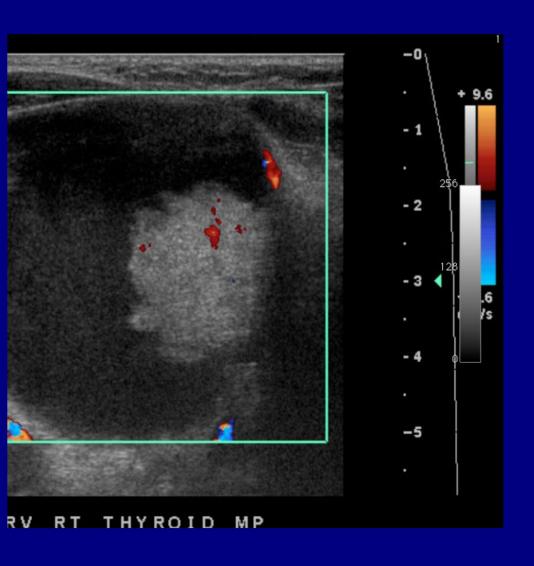
History

52-year-old female with a history of a rightsided neck mass present for at least the past 2 years, which she stated had gotten noticeable larger over the past 6-12 months.













Papillary Thyroid Carcinoma

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Genitourinary Best Case



41-year-old female with persistent left back and flank pain









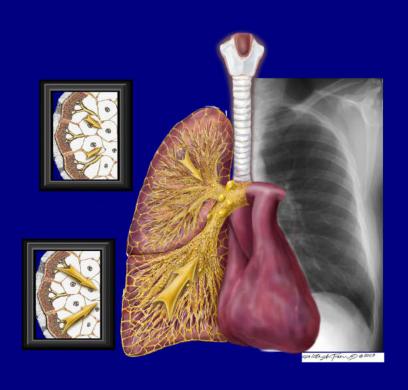


Ureteral Fibroepithelial Polyp

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PULMONARY AND MEDIASTINAL IMAGING

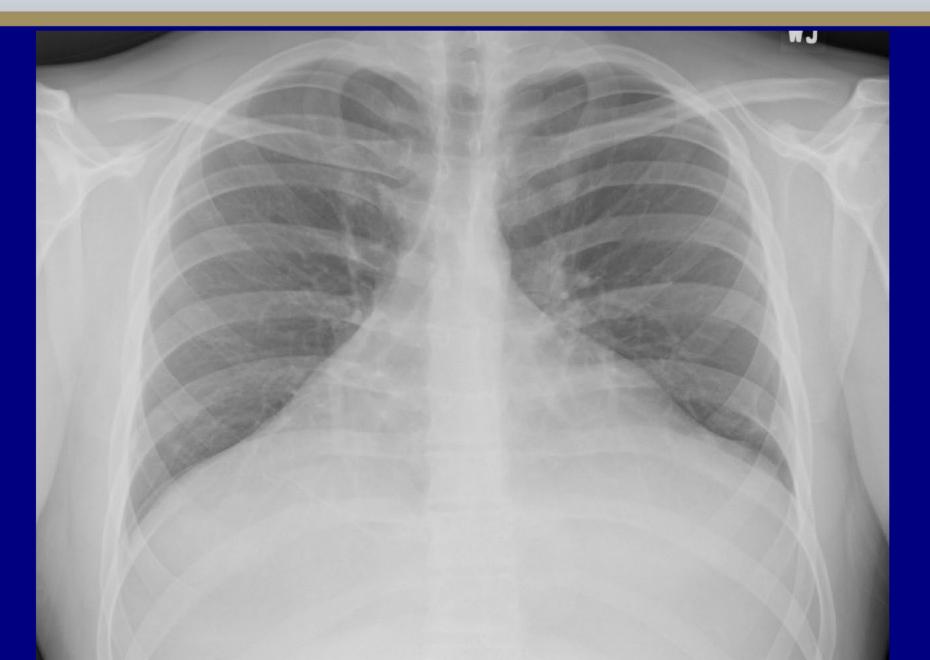




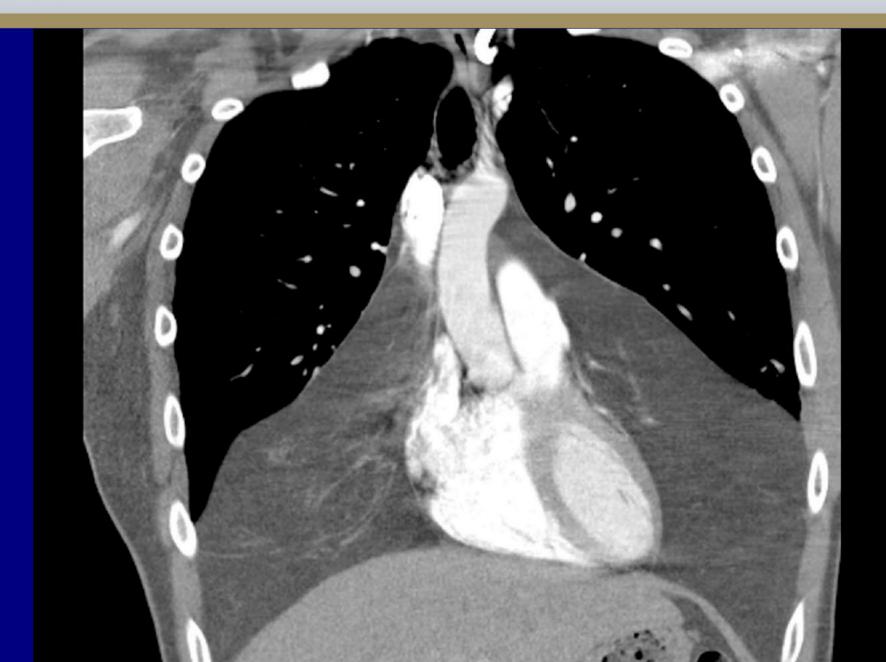
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28 year old male with incidental finding after injury

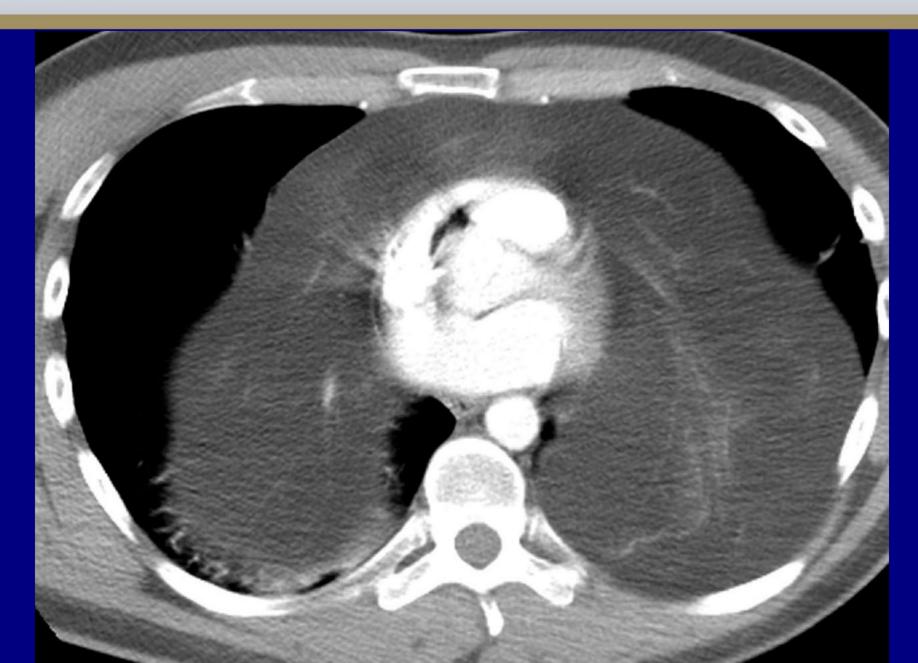




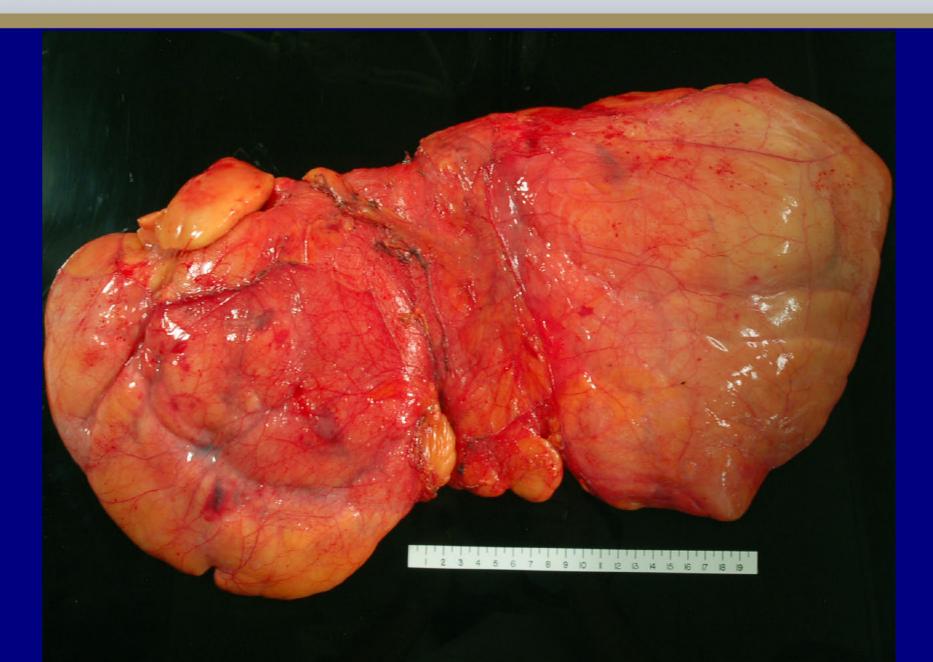




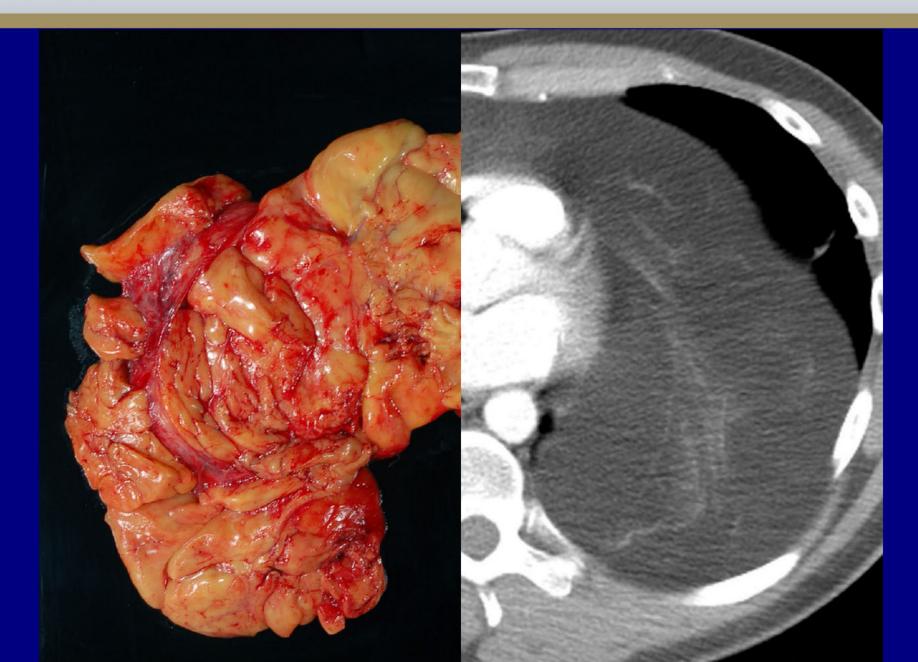












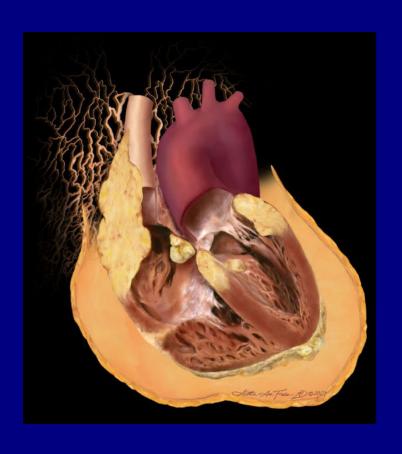


Thymolipoma

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Cardiovascular Imaging



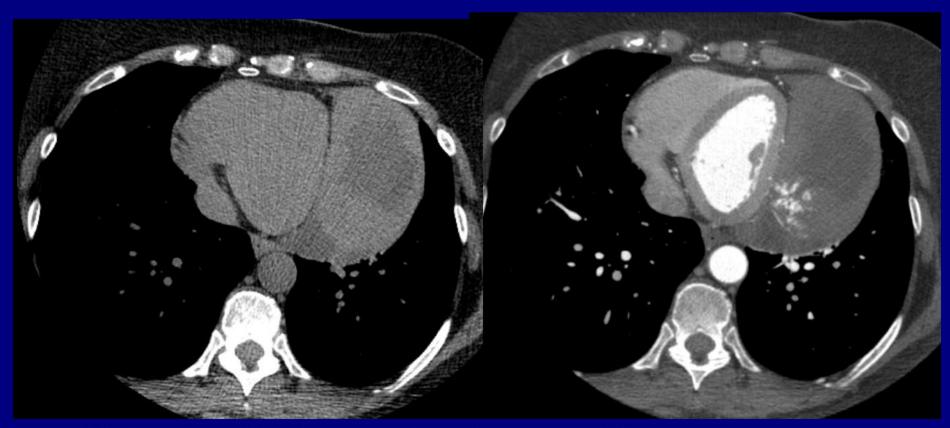


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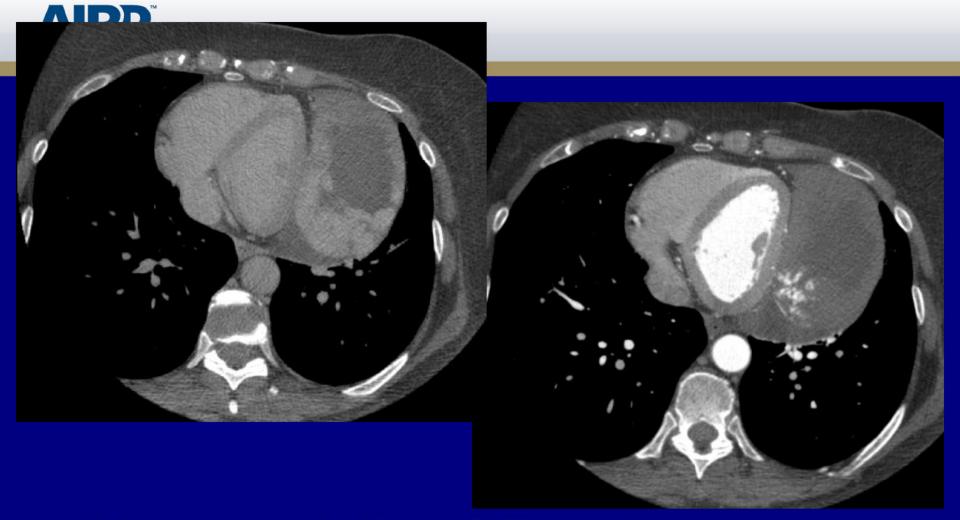


58 yo female with chest xray abnormality detected during ER work-up for a macular rash. No significant past medical history



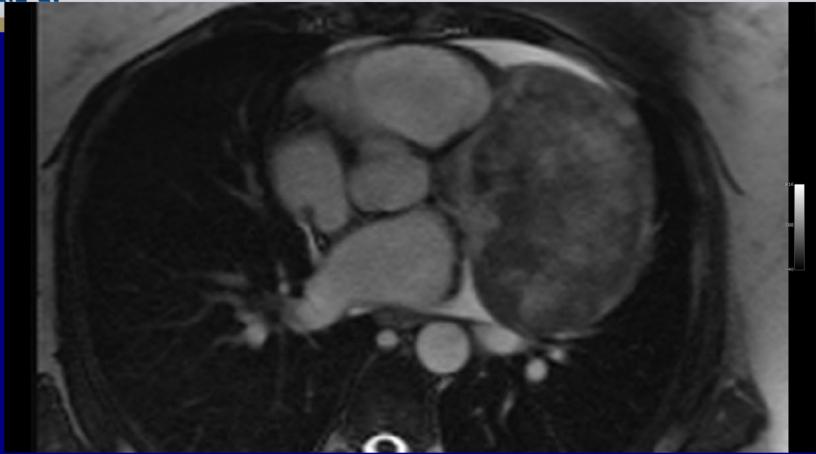


ECG-gated CTA (pre- and post-contrast) demonstrates a thick-walled soft tissue mass which appears centered within the pericardial cavity. This lesion produces mass effect upon the adjacent left ventricle. Post-contrast image shows peripheral arterial enhancement of the lesion.



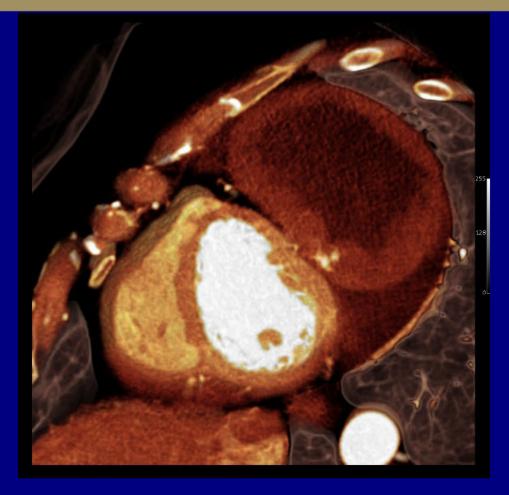
Delayed post-contrast image (left) shows slow, progressive peripheral enhancement of the lesion.

AIRP



An axial steady state free procession (SSFP) MR cine at the level of the aortic valve shows a fixed, heterogeneous soft tissue mass which arises from the visceral pericardium. The mass extends into the pericardial cavity and is surrounded by a small pericardial effusion.





3D reconstruction from cardiac CTA



Gross resected specimen:



Cardiovascular: Best Case

Pericardial lymphangioma

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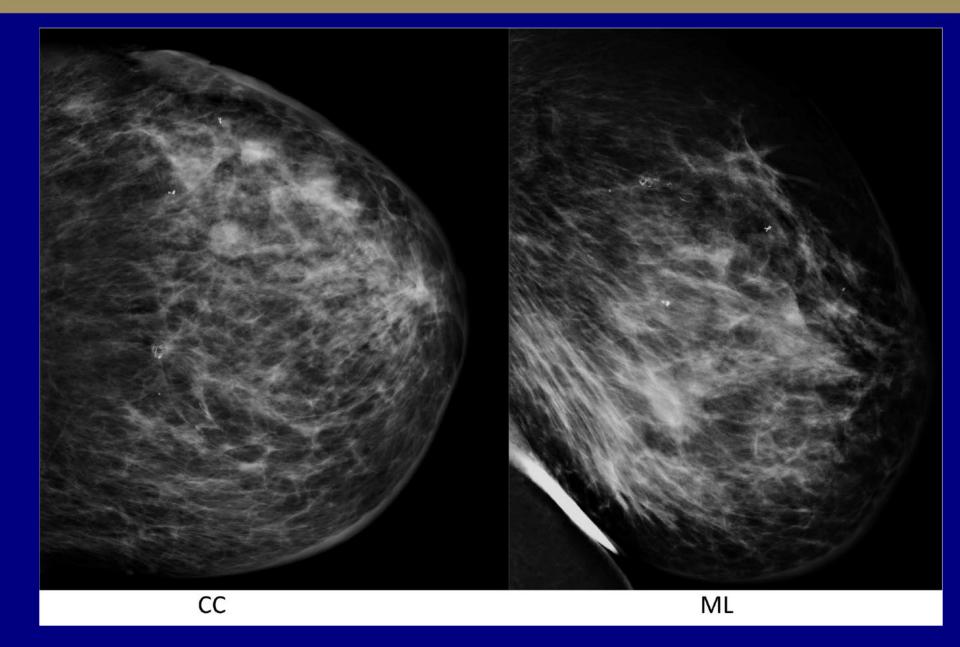


Breast Best Case

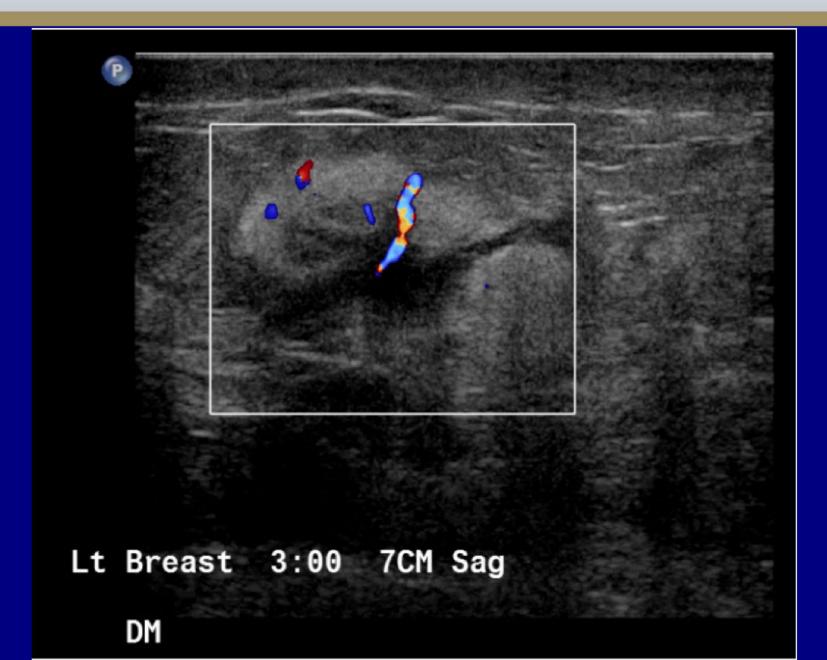


64 year old female s/p resection of a left breast invasive ductal carcinoma in 2003 followed by XRT and chemotherapy. She now presents with "bruising" of the lateral aspect of the left breast with no apparent trauma. She then developed bleeding ulcers at the outer aspect of her left breast.

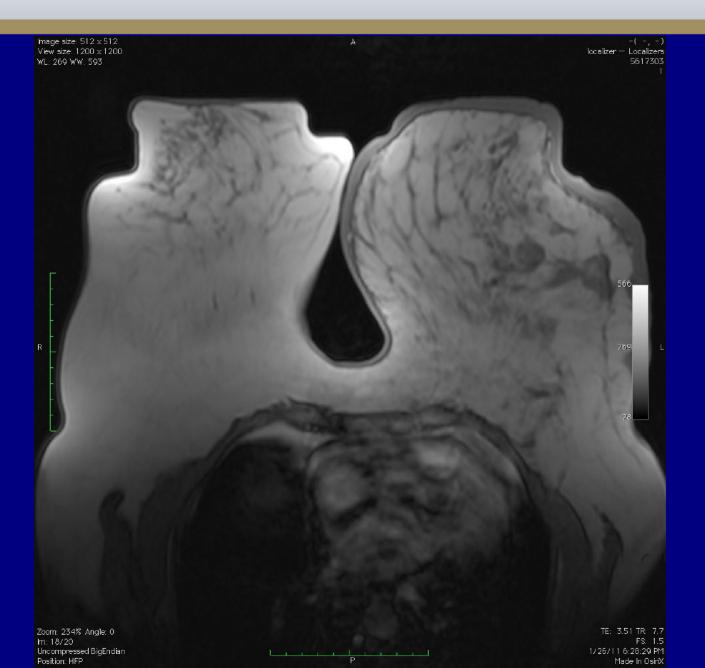




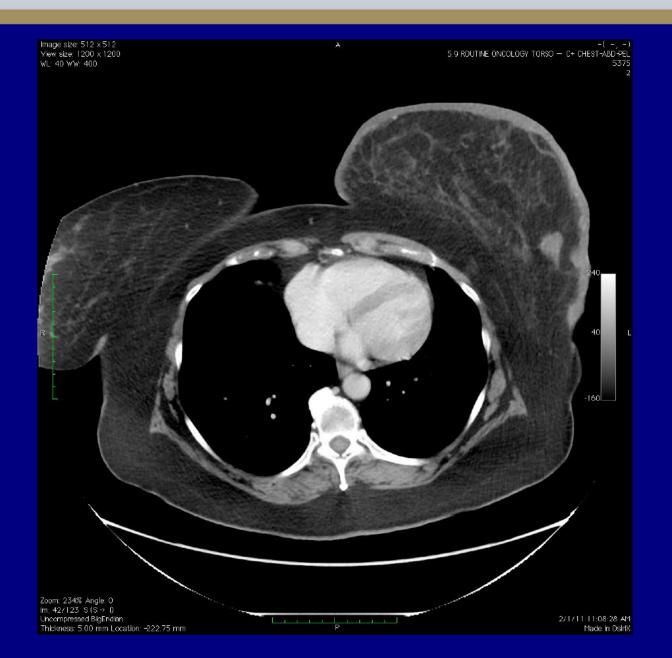






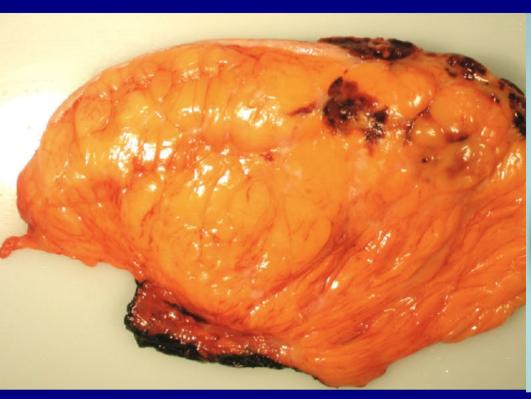








Angiosarcoma







Angiosarcoma

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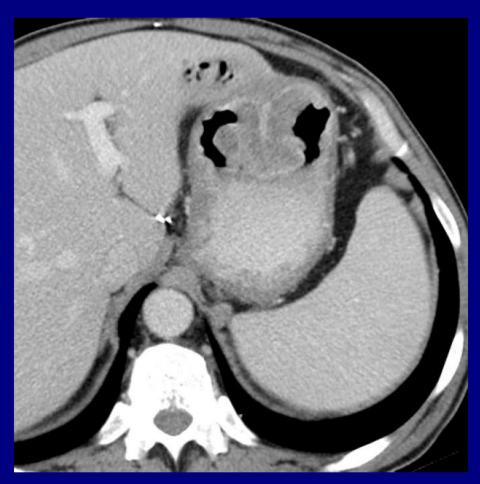


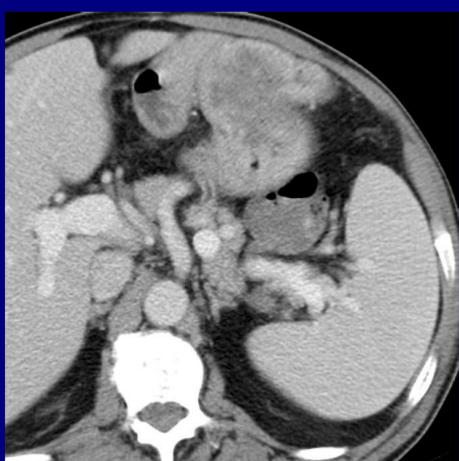
Gastrointestinal Best Case



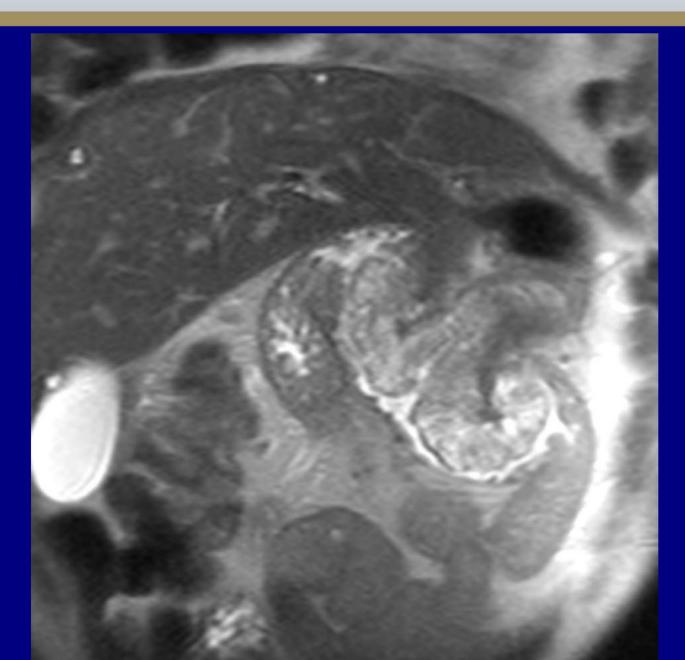
55-year-old man with right-sided abdominal pain and symptomatic anemia; history of prior Billroth II procedure 22 years prior



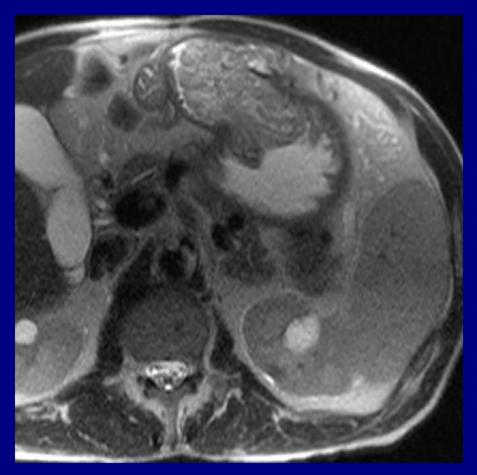


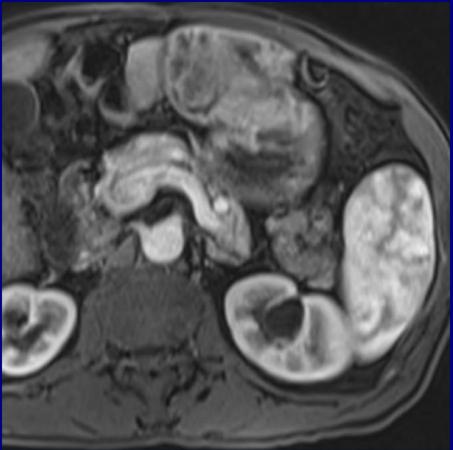




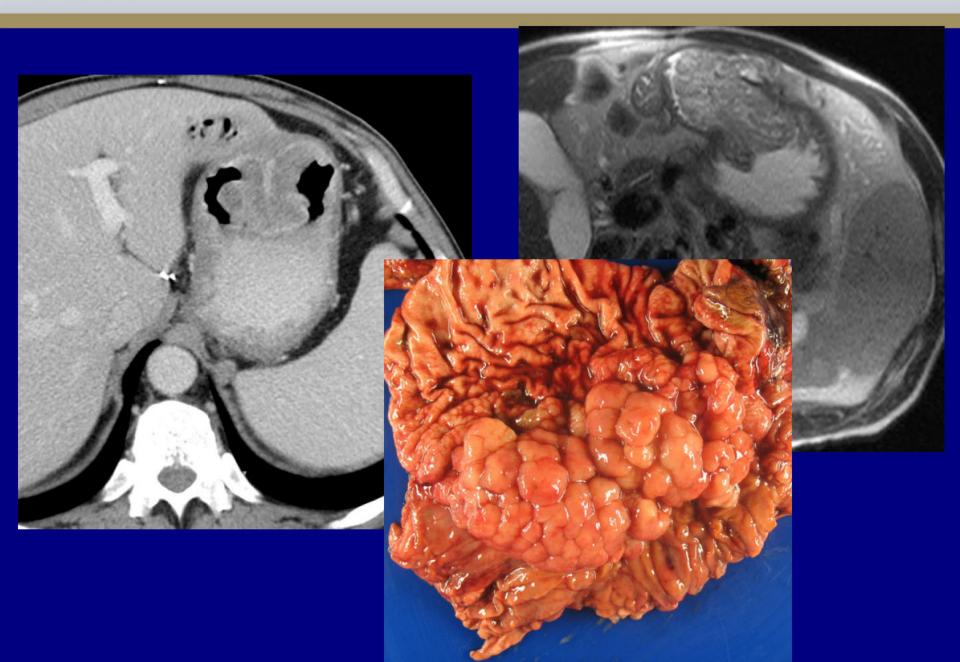




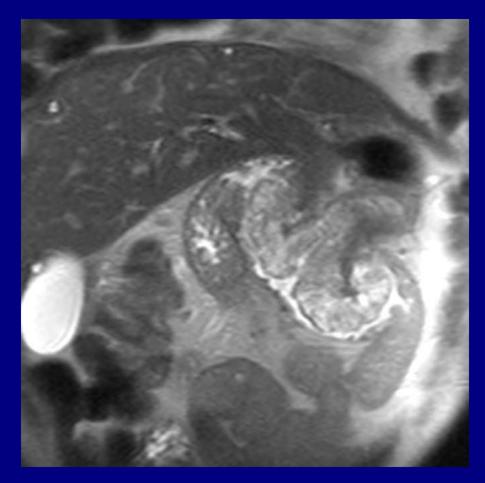
















Gastritis Cystica Polyposa

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Many thanks to all of you for submitting such great cases! Have a safe trip home -

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