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RACHIS INTERVENTIONNEL - SPINE INTERVENTION

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What is spine intervention ?

- Treatment SPINE PAIN

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 - VCF due to osteoporosis, metastasis or primary benign spine tumors
 - Percutaneous treatment of herniated disk and facet syndrome
 - Percutaneous treatment of traumatic fracture
 - New materials (osteoconductive material)
 - Percutaneous treatment spinal stenosis
 - Percutaneous vertebral and sacral fusion ?

Diagnostic algorithm

spine pain



Standard X-Ray (flexion and extension)



MR (STIR or FAT SUPP T₂)
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spongious oedema
primary tumor
traumatic frac (CT)

normal

metastasis



no VP

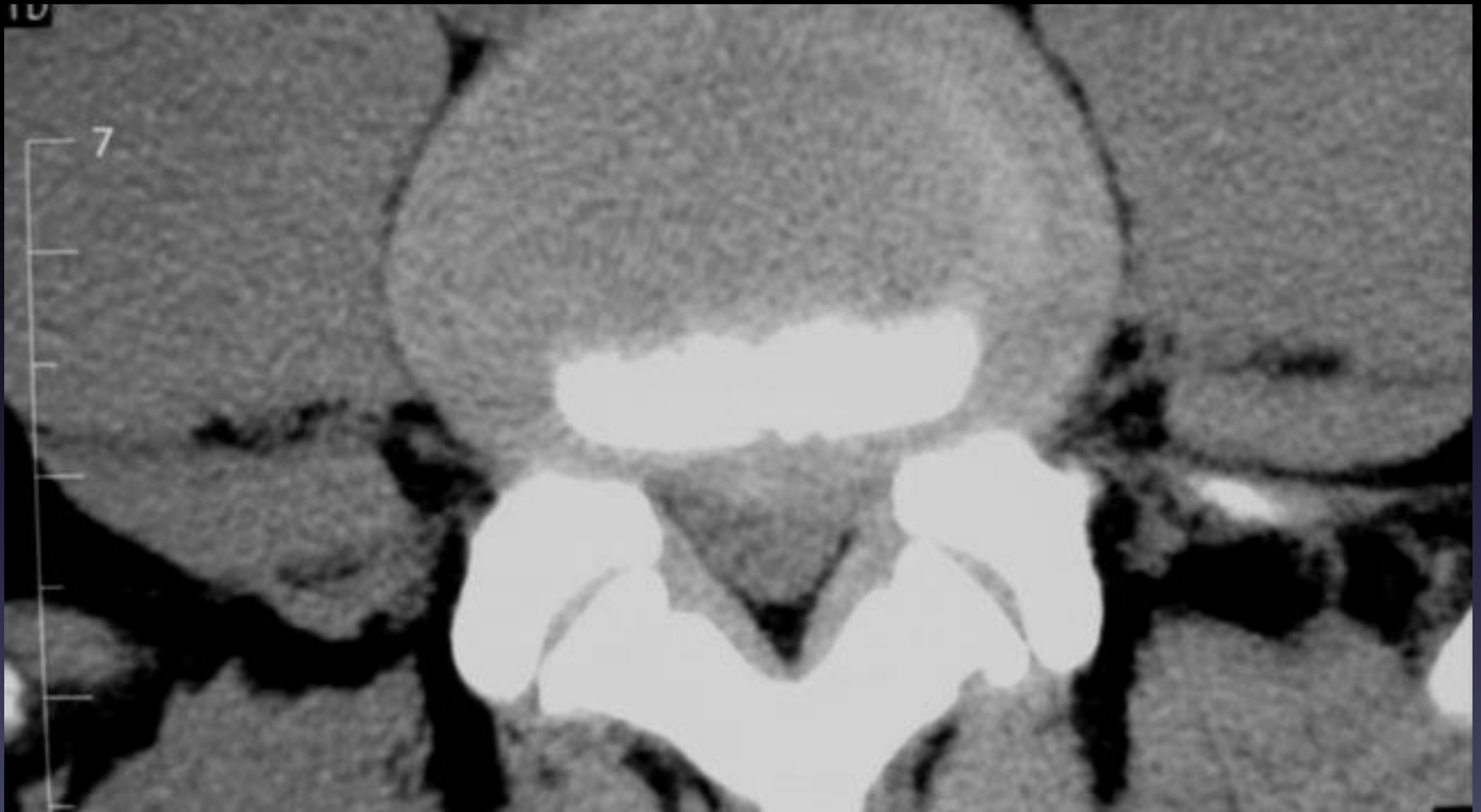
NM CT

VP KP



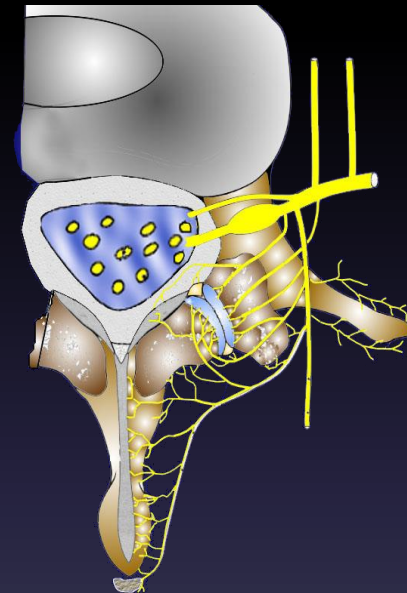
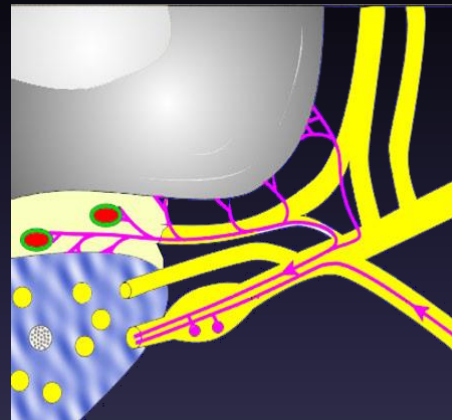
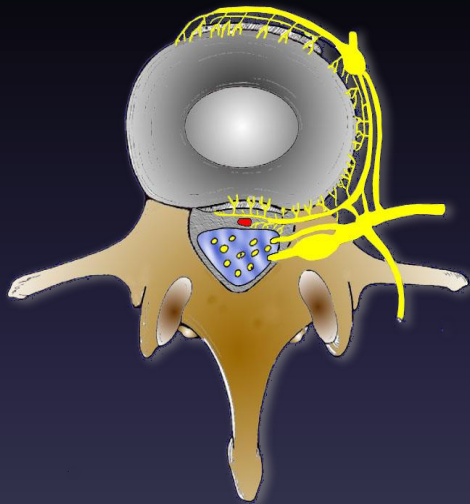
VP KP

Left or right sciatica or low back pain ?



Radicular pain is related to mechanical and inflammatory factors

Ganglion = station of control



Spinal pain.

Izzo R, Popolizio T, D'Aprile P, Muto M.

Eur J Radiol. 2015 Feb 13.

- DEGENERATIVE SPINE DISEASE
- ESI
- Disk treatment
- Facet infiltration and RF

Percutaneous treatment for herniated disk

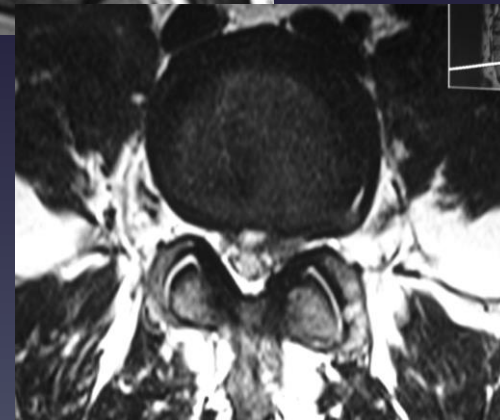
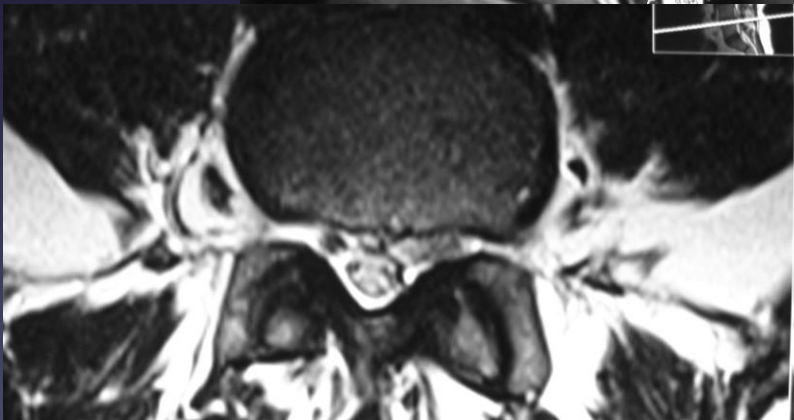
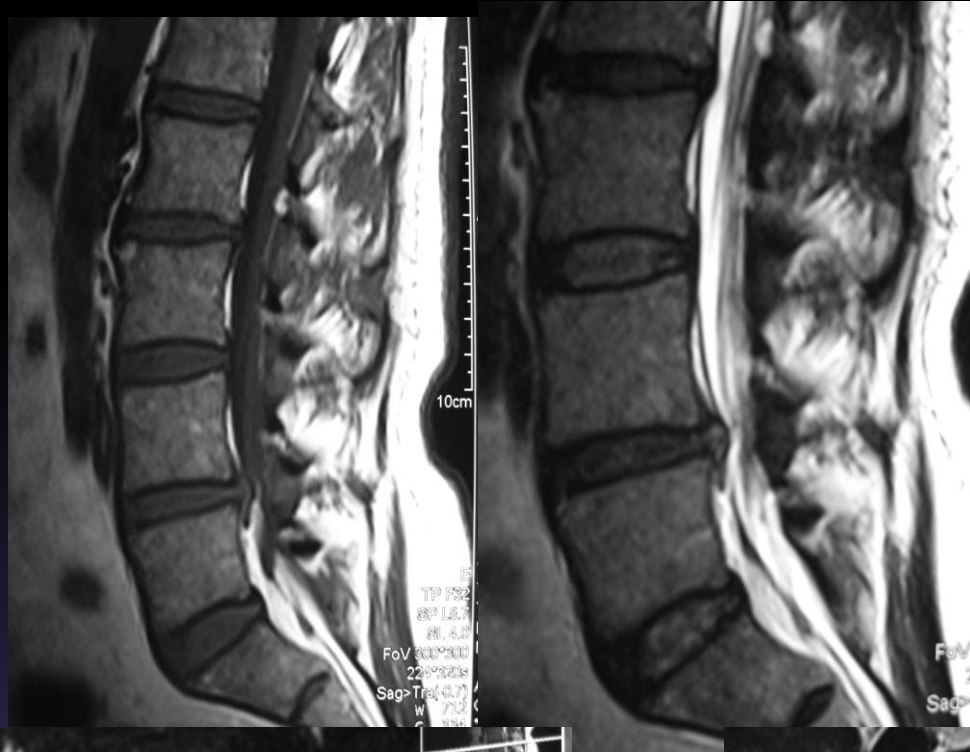
- Nucleoplasty (75%)
- Dekompressor (75%)
- Oxygen-ozone therapy (75--80%)
- Gelified Ethanol - discogel (75-80%)

Who we should not treat?

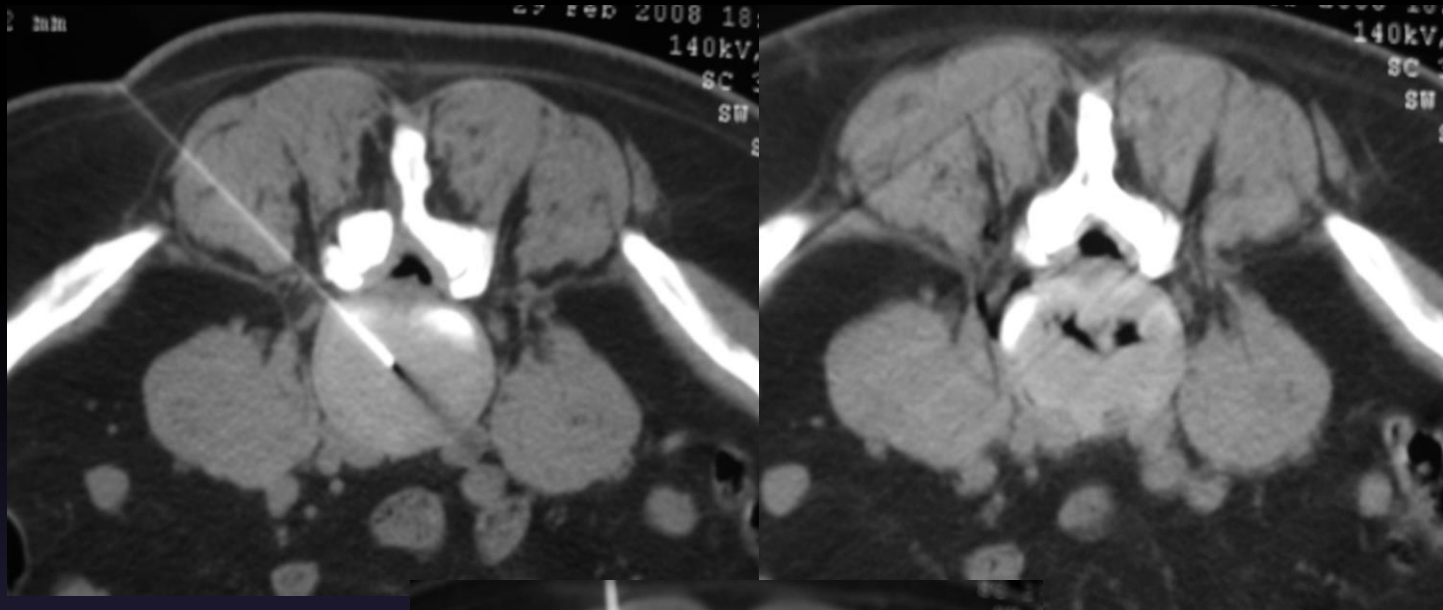
- Hyperalgetic-paralyzing sciatica
- Cono-Cauda syndrome
- Patients with progressive foot droop

- Are we sure to do not treat extruded disk?
- Clinical more important than imaging findings

Typical case to treat



Intradiscal L4 L5



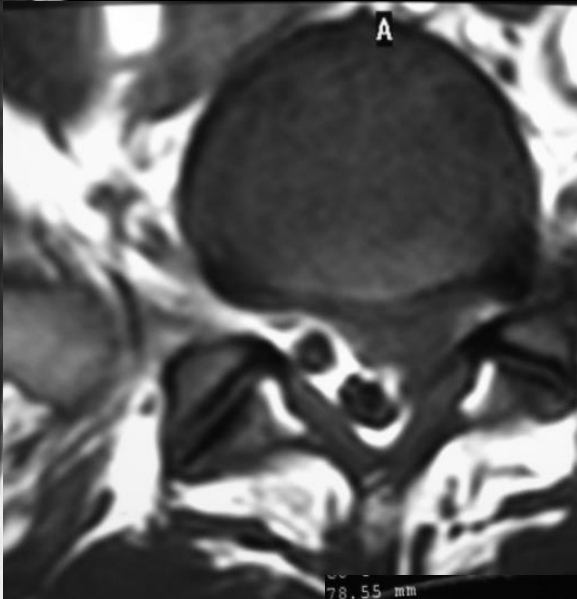
- Left intraforaminal L5 S1

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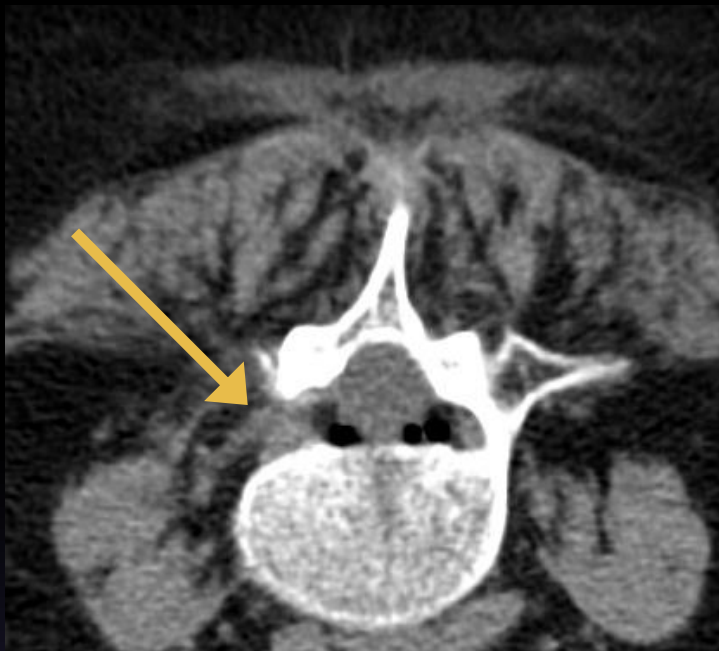


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The intradiscal oxygen-ozone in the treatment
of low back pain and sciatica
M. Muto et coll
Radiol Med June 2008

**Minimally Invasive Oxygen-Ozone Therapy for
Lumbar Disk Herniation**

Cosma F. Andreola, Luigi Simonetti, Fabio de Santis, Raffaele Agati,
Renata Ricci, and Marco Leonardi

ANR Am J Neuroradiol 24:996-1000, May 2003

Intraforaminal o₂ –o₃ versus periradicular steroidal infiltrations in lower back pain: a
randomized study.
Bonetti M. et coll, AJNR may 2005

Sciatica: treatment with intradiscal and intraforaminal injections of steroid and oxygen-
ozone vs steroid only.
Gallucci M et al. Radiology march 2007

Meta-analysys of effectiveness and safety of ozone treatment for HNP Steppan J, Murphy
K, Muto M and coll J Vasc Interv Radiology 2010

Treatment of Contained Herniated Lumbar Discs With Ozone and Corticosteroid: A Pilot Clinical Study. K.
Murphy, M Muto, J Steppan, T. Meaders, C Boxley .
Canadian Association of Radiologists Journal 66 (2015) 377-384

Vertebral compression fracture

- Porotic lesions
- Trauma
- Metastasis
- Multiple myeloma
- Primary tumors

- acute , subacute and chronic clinical symptomatology.

- *VP and KP as PAIN THERAPY to improve life quality.*

- *Asymptomatic patient with VCF fracture is not an indication to the treatment.*

Target of Assisted Technique

- 1) Vertebral height restoration to reduce kyphotic angle
- 2) Reduce rates of complications, less disk and venous leakage

Assisted techniques for vertebral cementoplasty: Why should we do it?

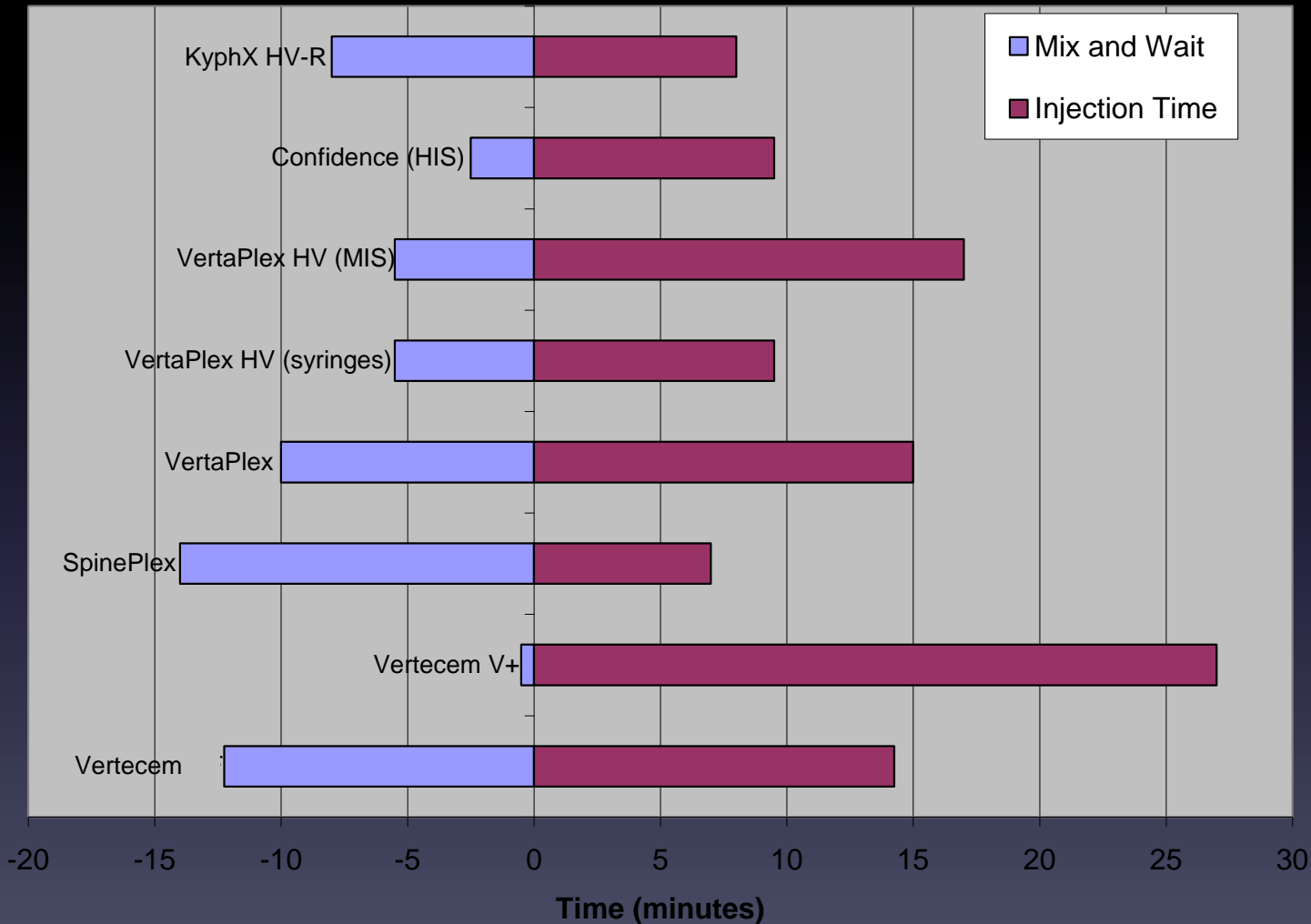
Muto M, Marcia S, Guarnieri G, Pereira V.

Eur J Radiol. 2015 May;84(5):783-8

Why new cement?

To reduce venous and disk leakage (increase of cement viscosity)

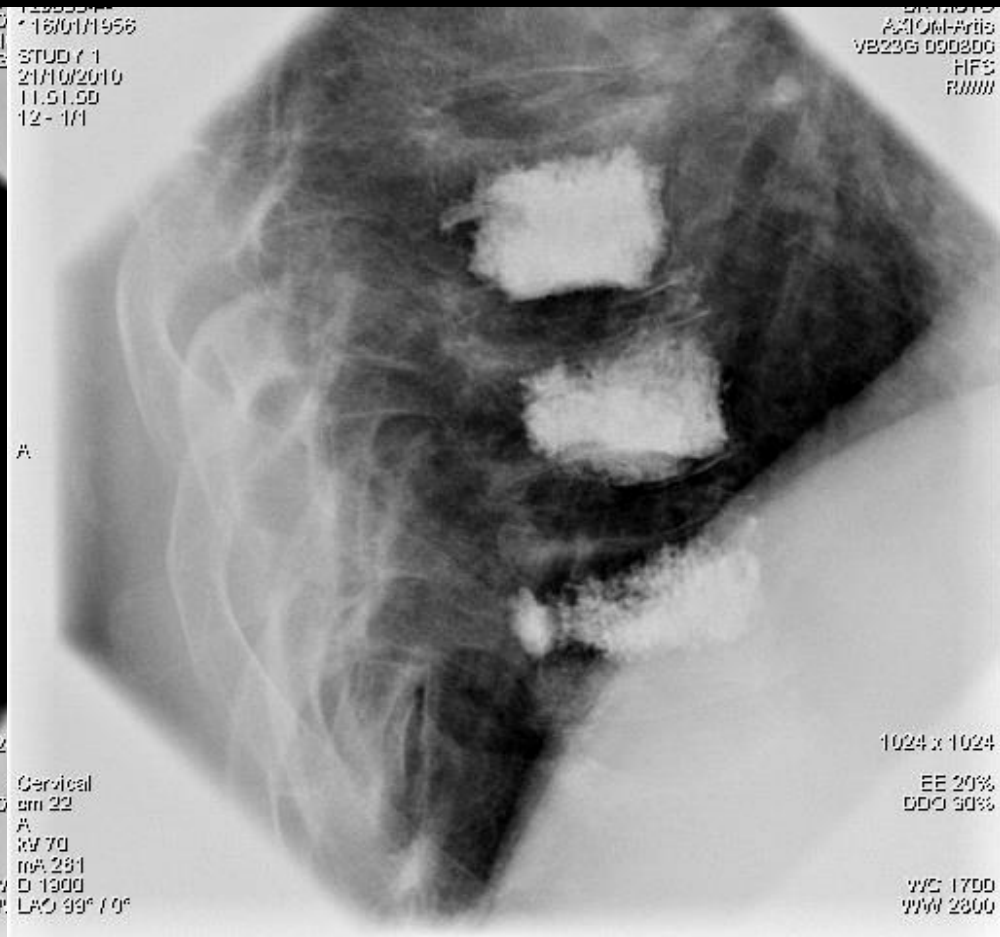
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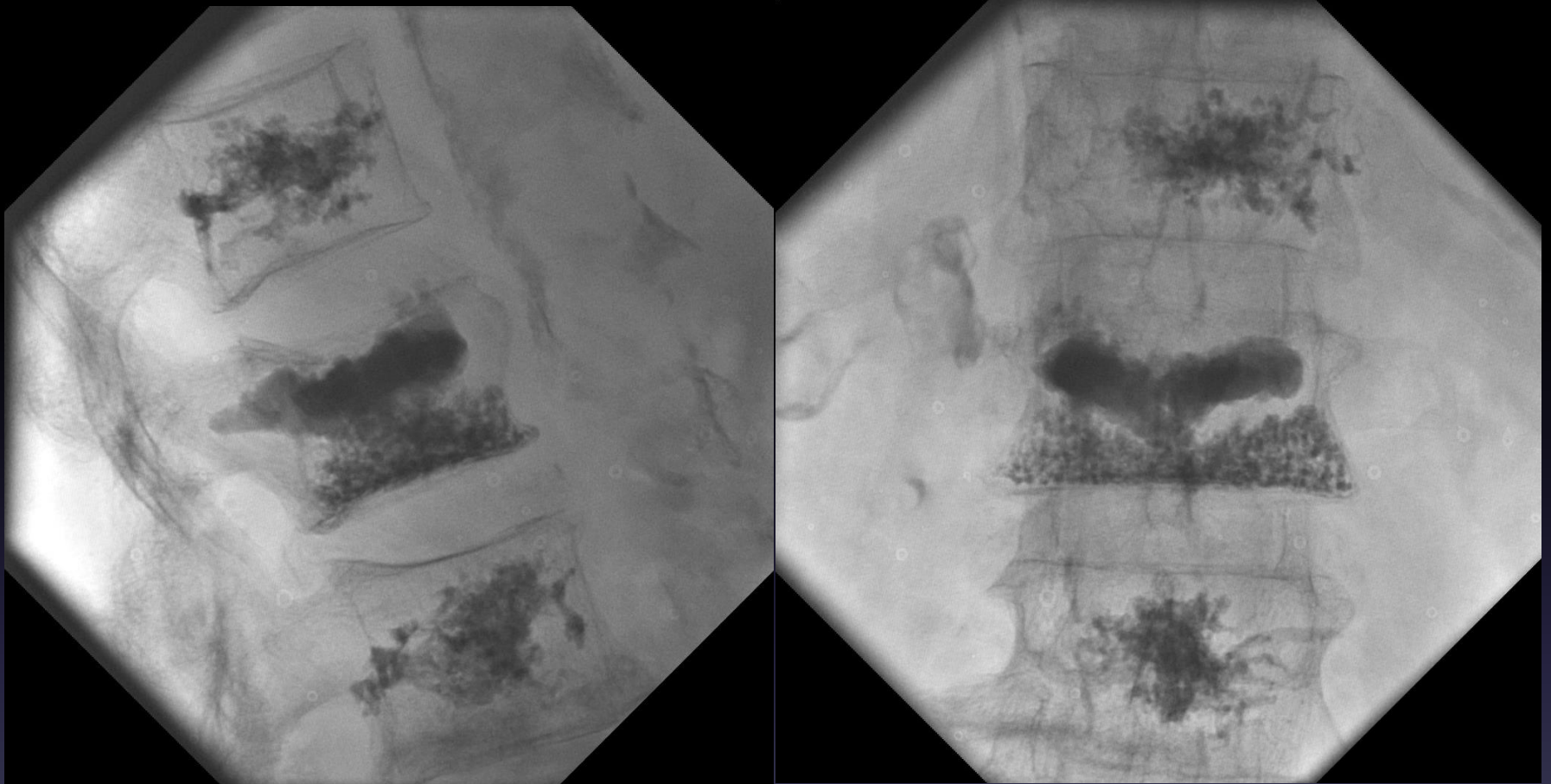
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EE 20%
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Preventive VP in osteoporosis



Safety, effectiveness and predictors for early reoperation in therapeutic and prophylactic VP: short term results of a prospective case series of patients with porotic fractures.

Diel P and coll Eur Spine J 2012 , 21, S792-799

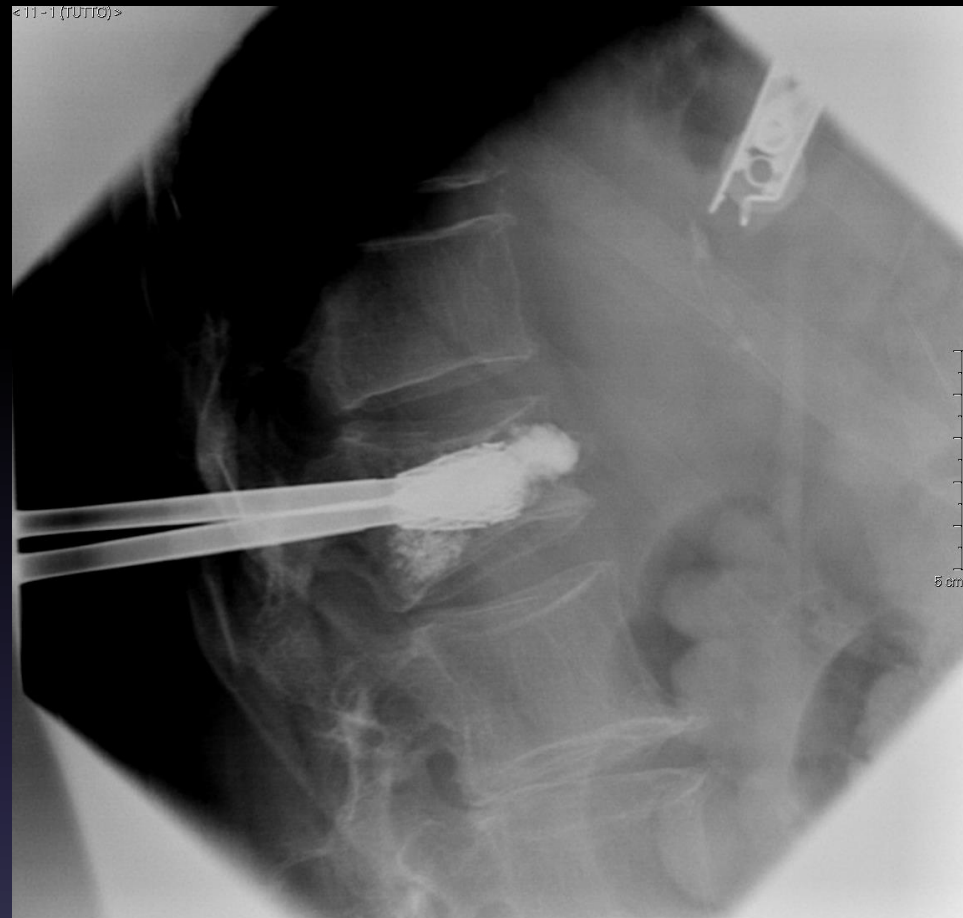
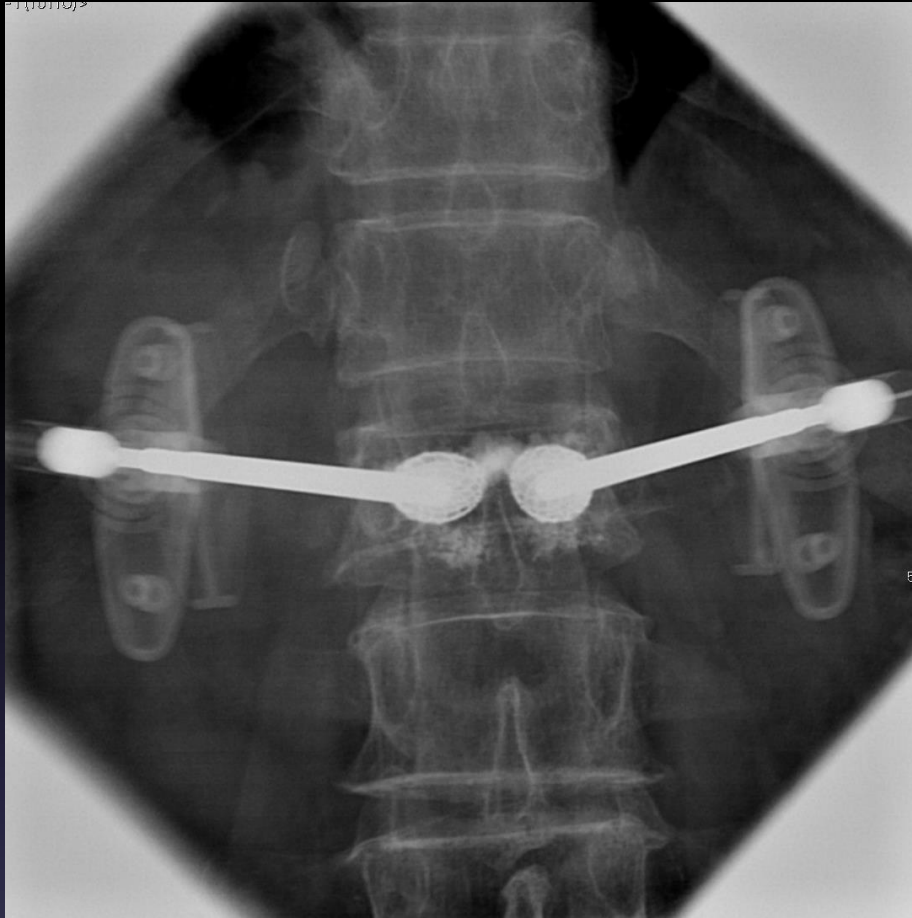
Preventive vertebroplasty for adjacent vertebral bodies: a good solution to reduce adjacent vertebral fracture after VP.

Yen CH and coll

AJNR may 2012 , 33, 826-832

How many KP and KP like devices ?

- Around 20 company are present on the market
- Spine jack
- Stent
- Kiwa
- etc



Stentoplasty effectiveness and safety for the treatment of osteoporotic vertebral fractures: A systematic review.

Martín-López JE, and coll

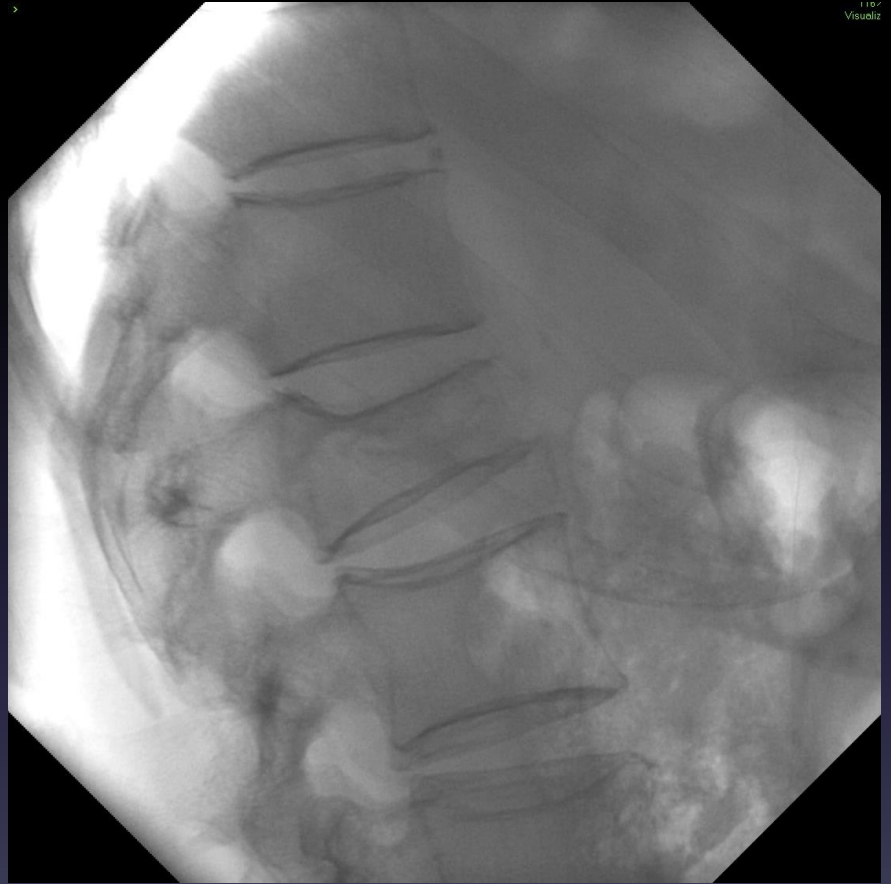
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TRAUMATIC PATHOLOGY

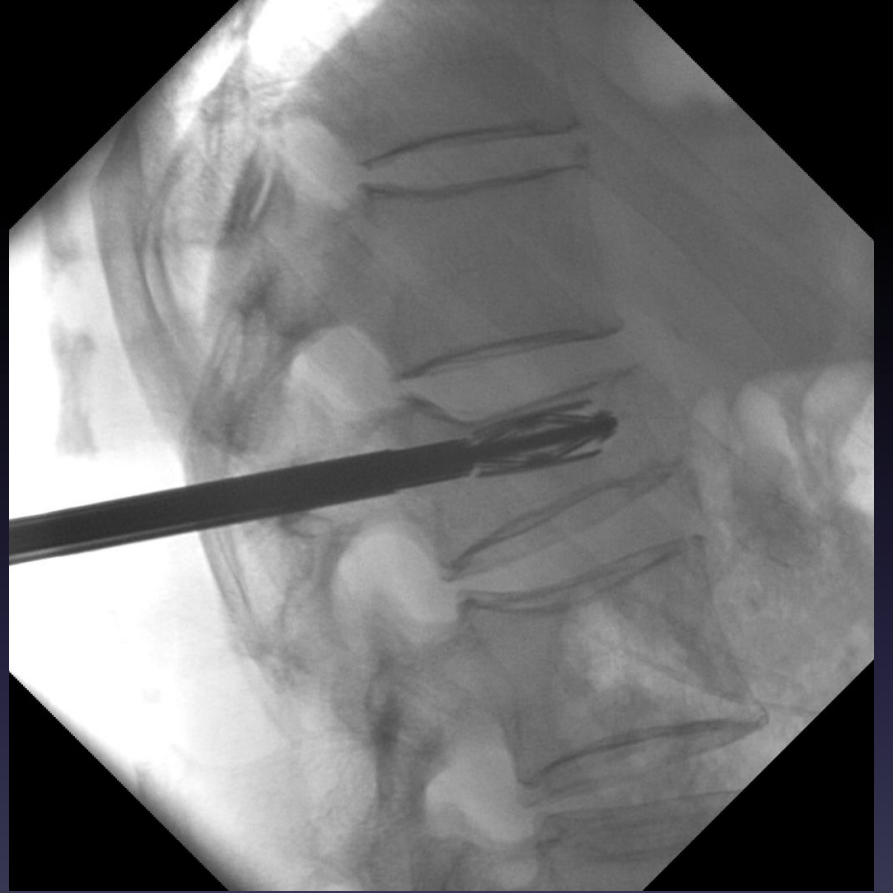
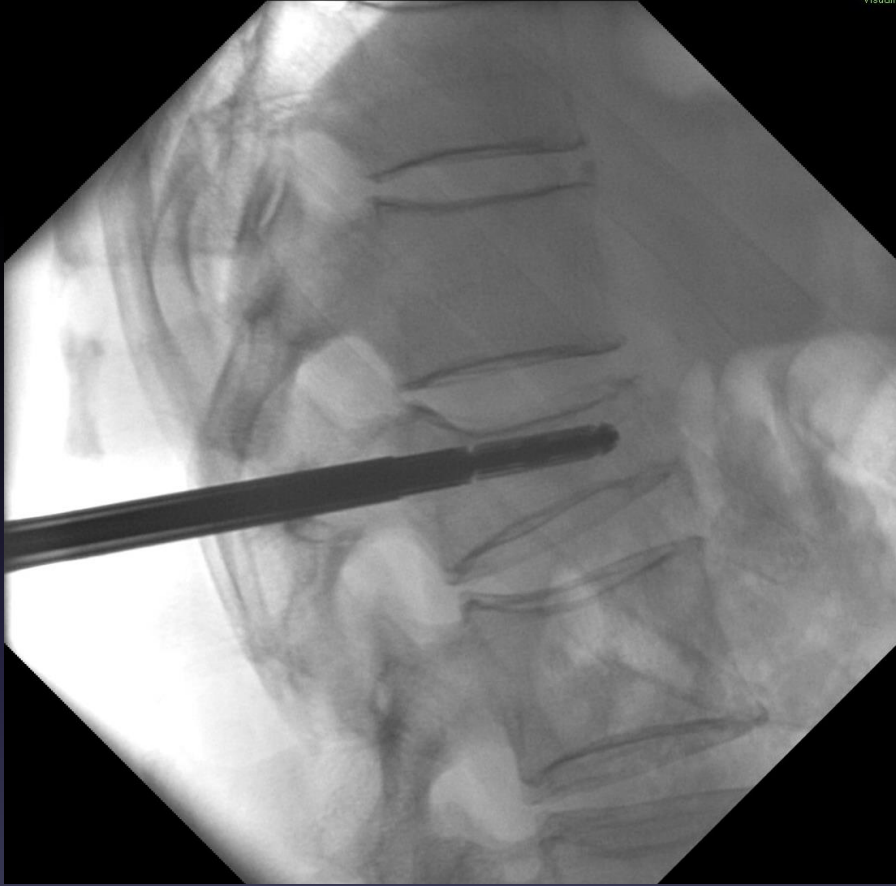
Height restoration of osteoporotic vertebral compression fractures using different intravertebral reduction devices: a cadaveric study. Krüger A et al. Spine J. 2013 Nov 4. pii: S1529-9430(13)01216-3.

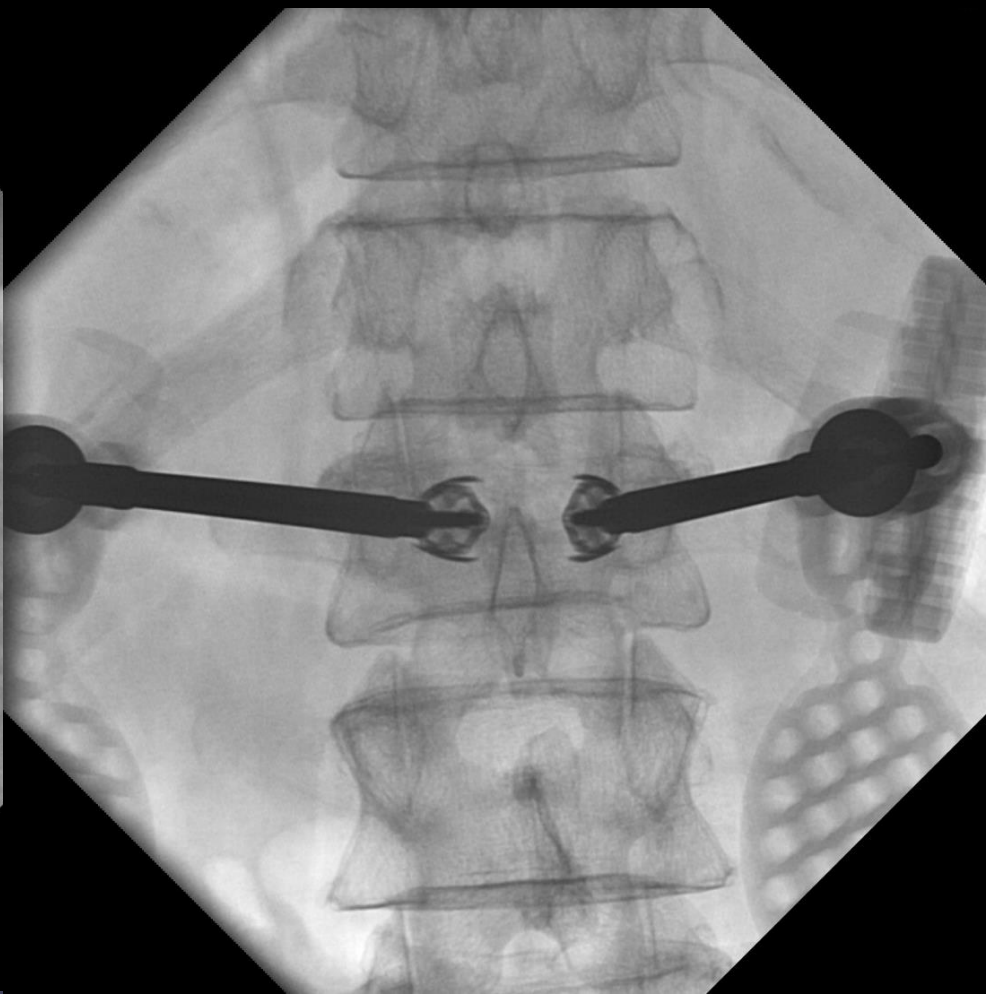
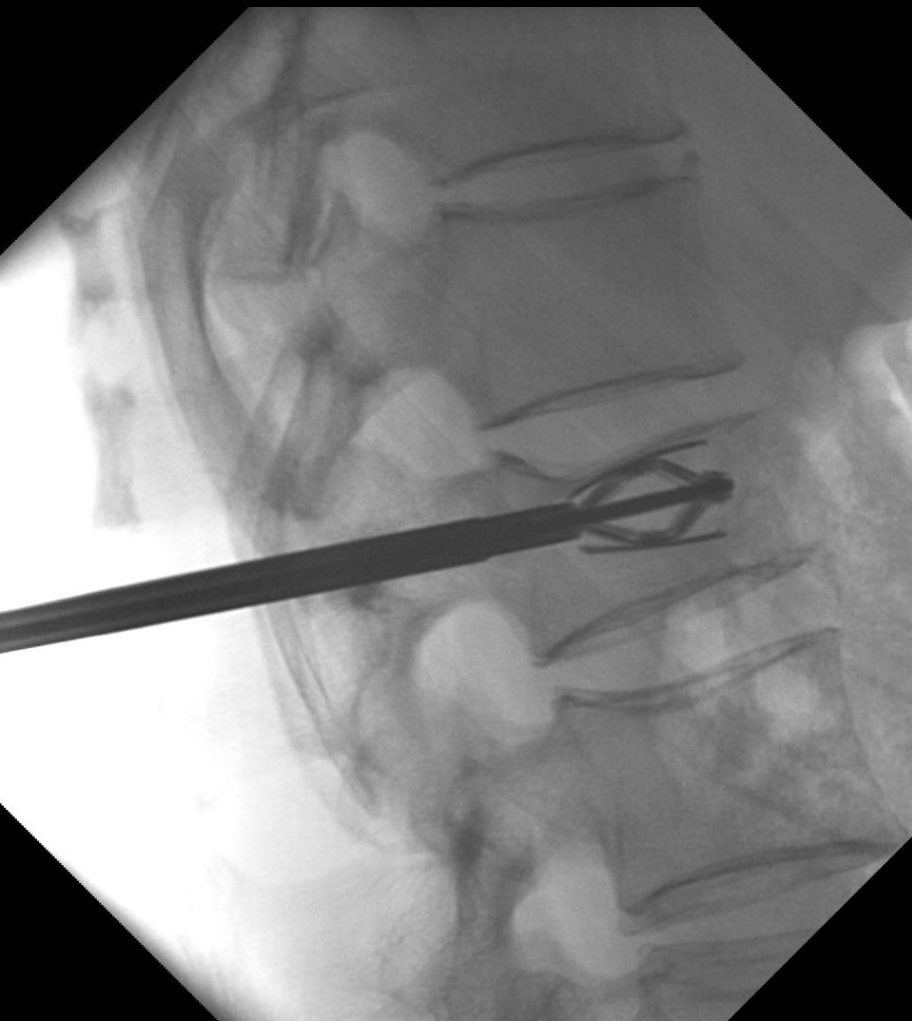
CONCLUSION: The protocols for creating wedge fractures and using the instrumentation under a constant preload of 100 N led to reproducible results and effects. The study showed that **height restoration was significantly better in the SpineJack group compared with the balloon kyphoplasty group.** The clinical implications include a better restoration of the sagittal balance of the spine and a reduction of the kyphotic deformity, which may relate to clinical outcome and the biological healing process.

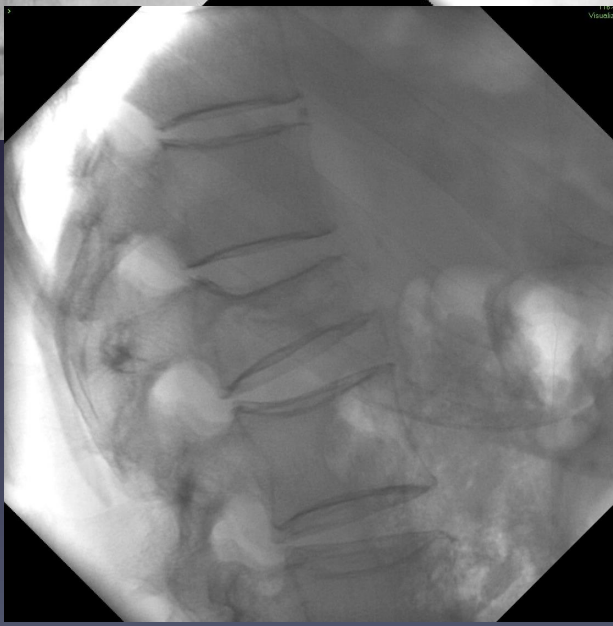
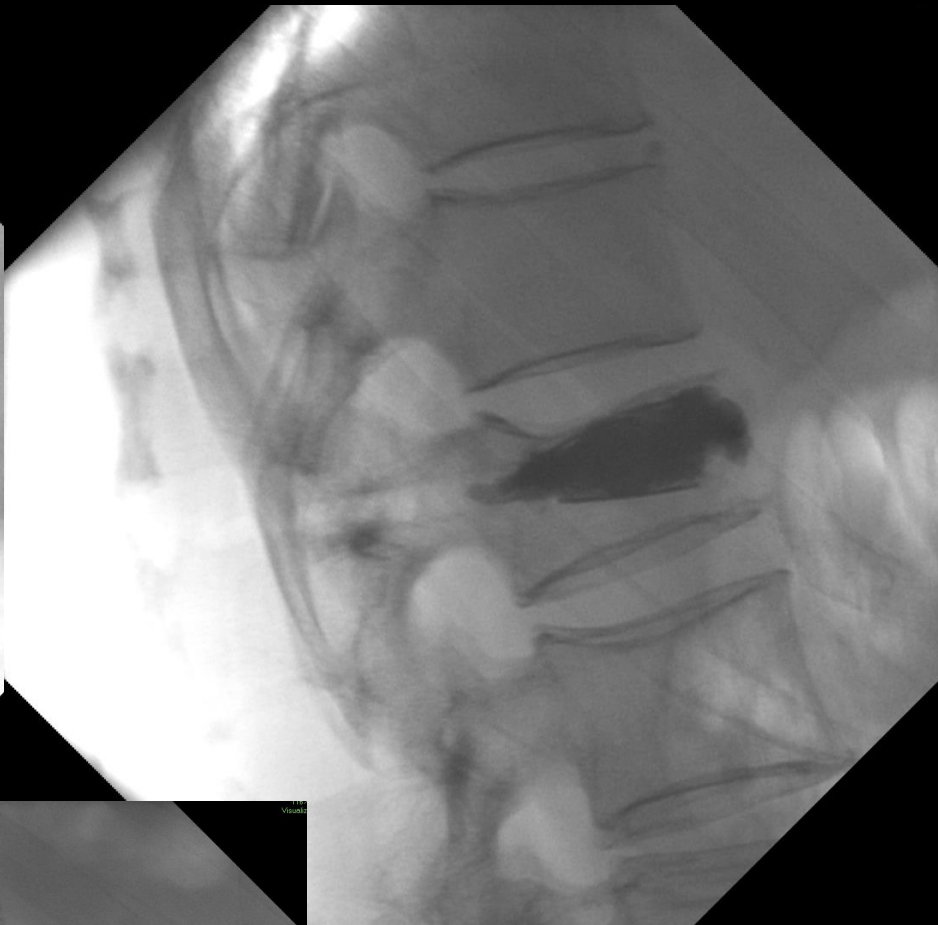
Spine Jack



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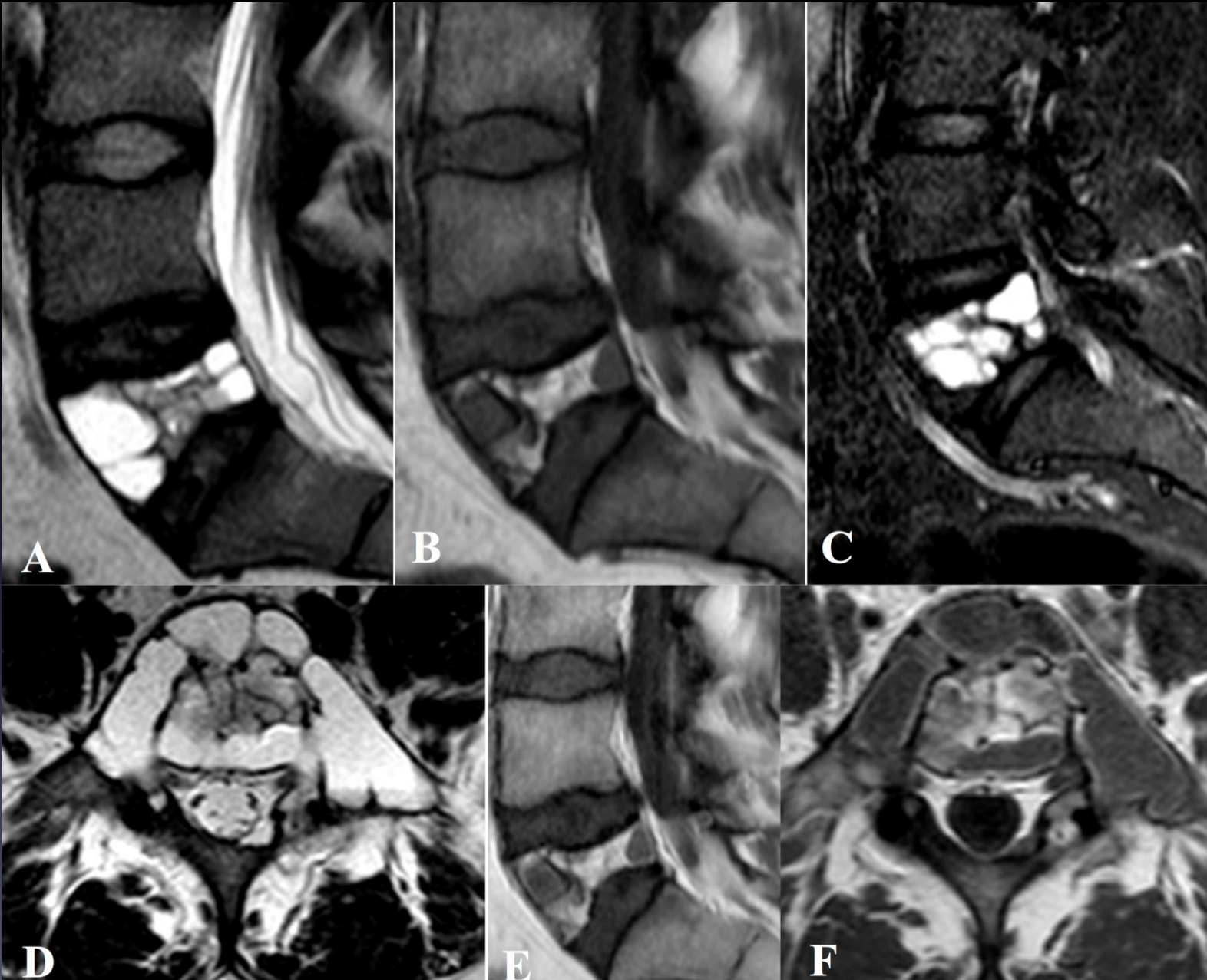
- PRIMARY BENIGN SPINE BONE
PATHOLOGY

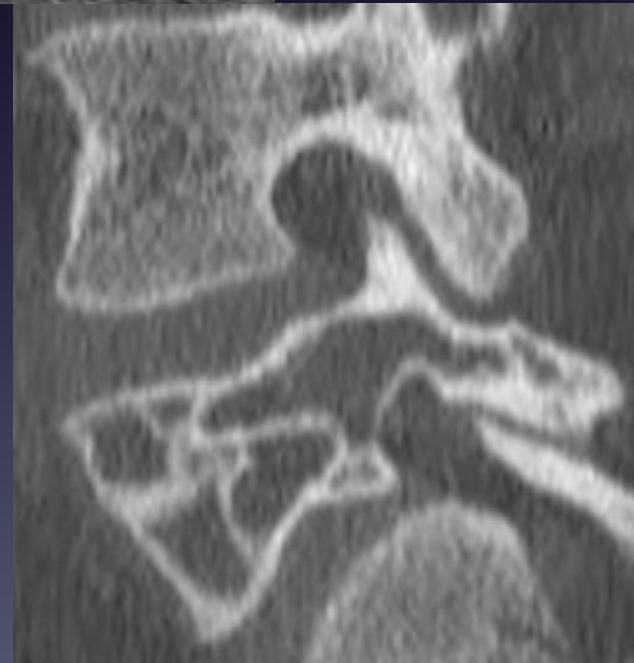
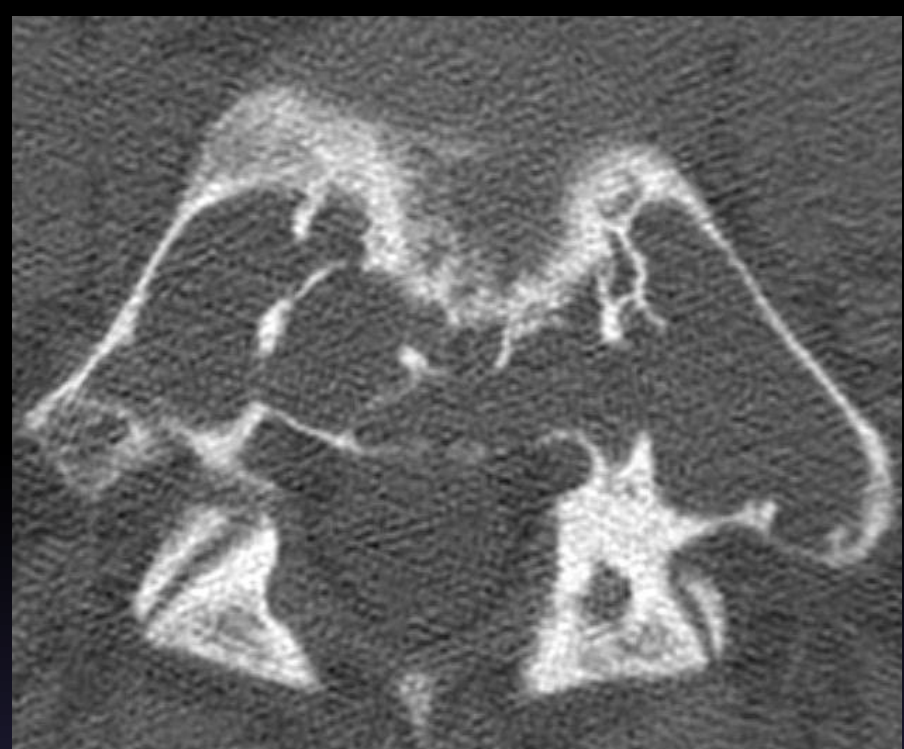
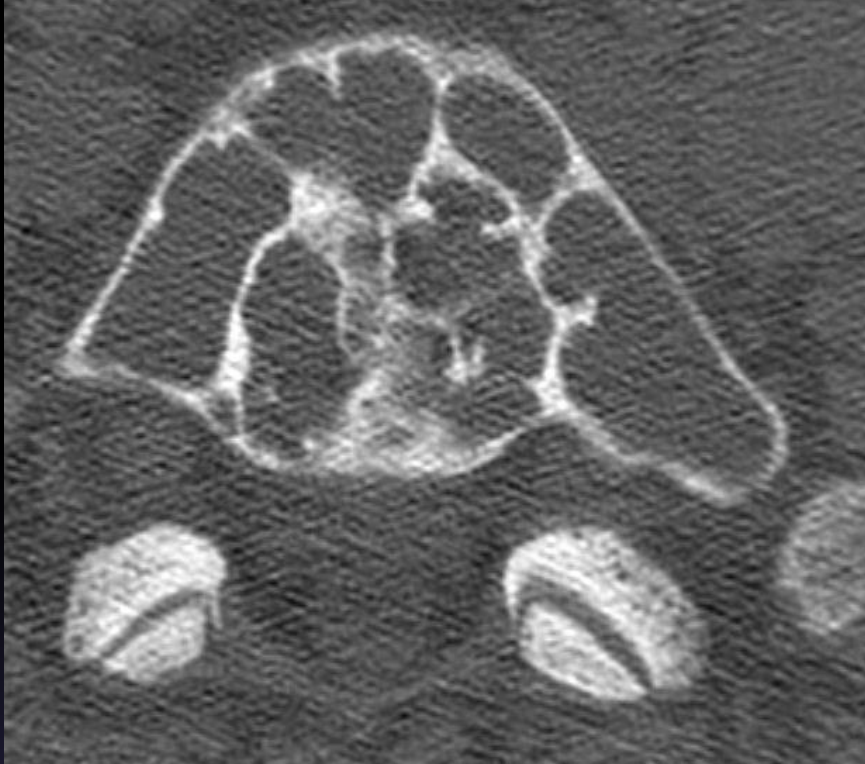
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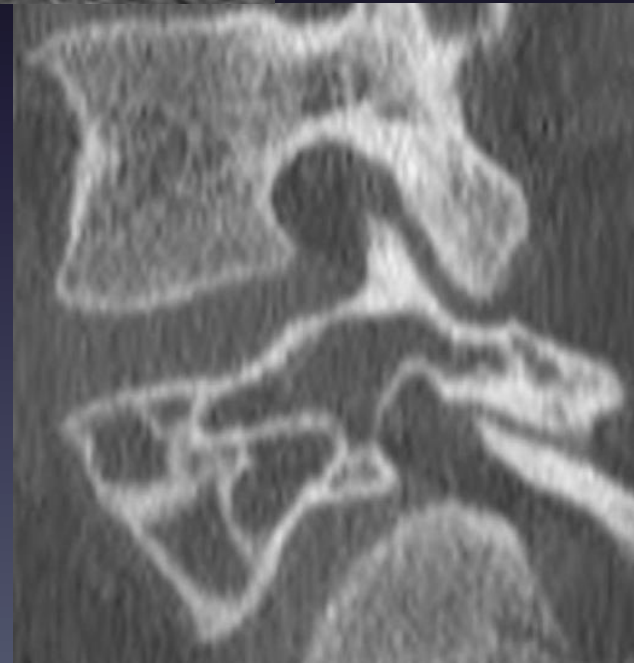
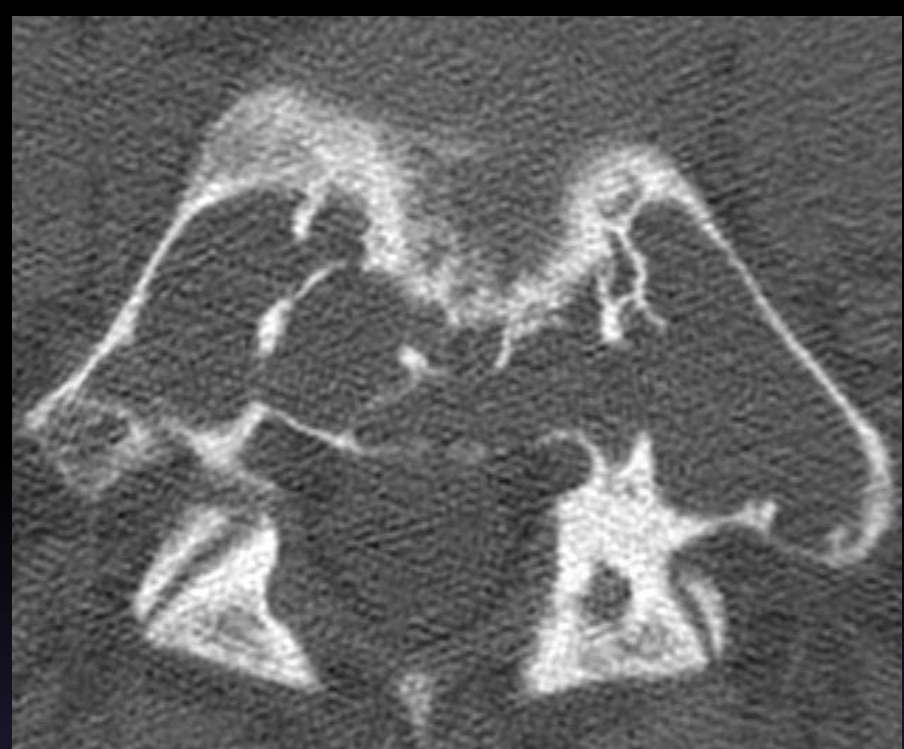
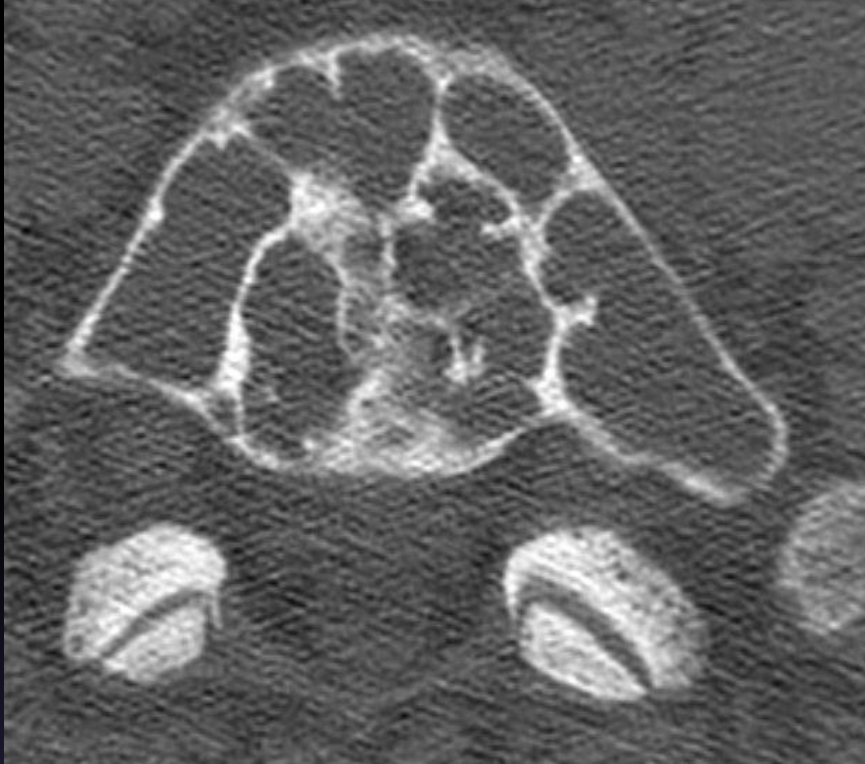
- VERTEBRAL HEMANGIOMA

- OSTEOID OSTEOMA

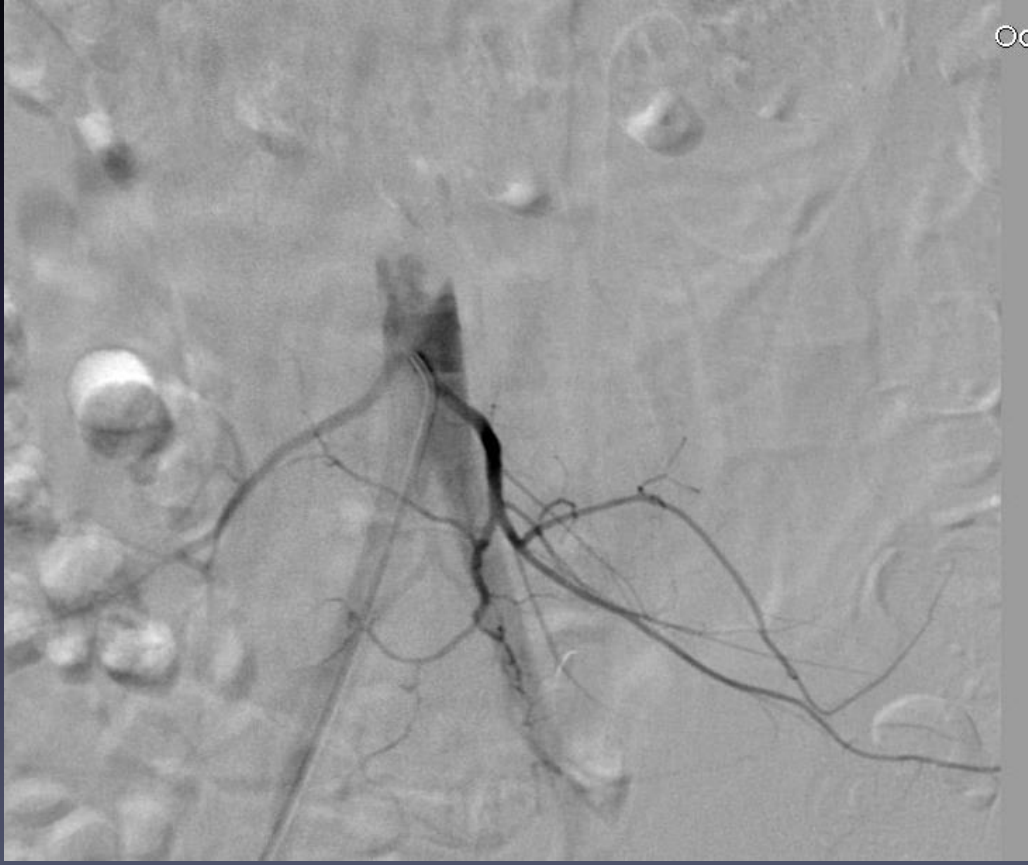
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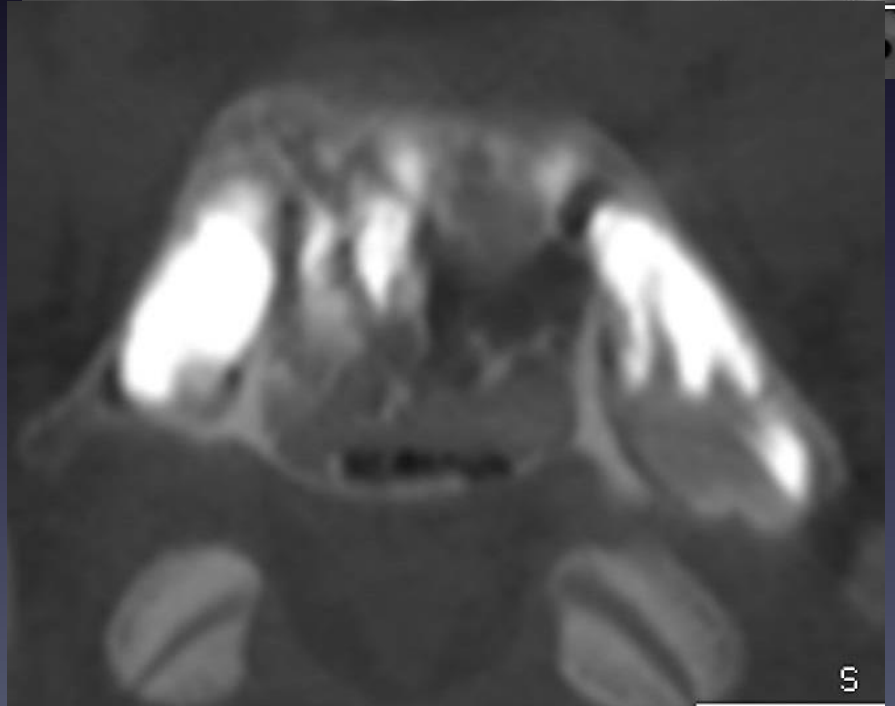
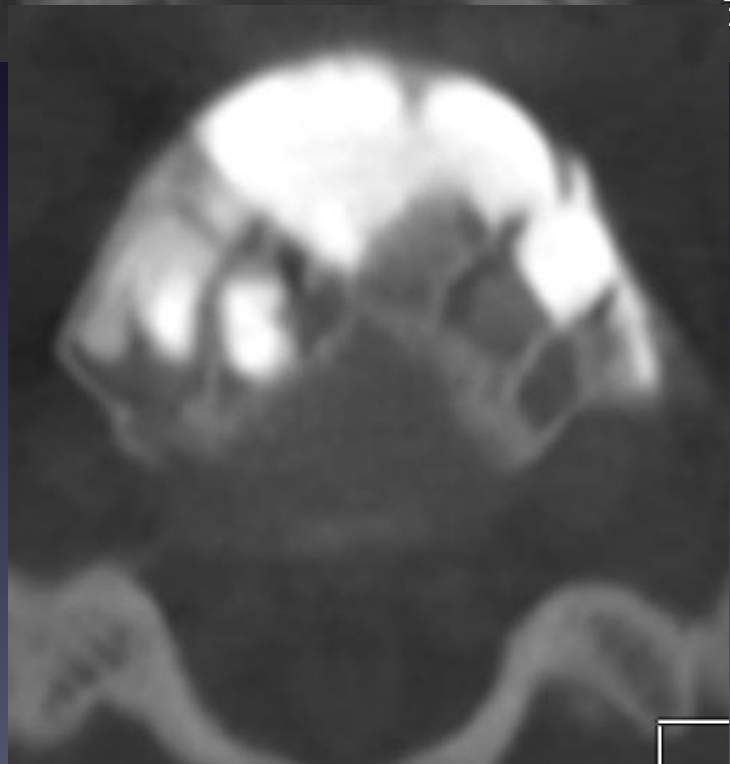
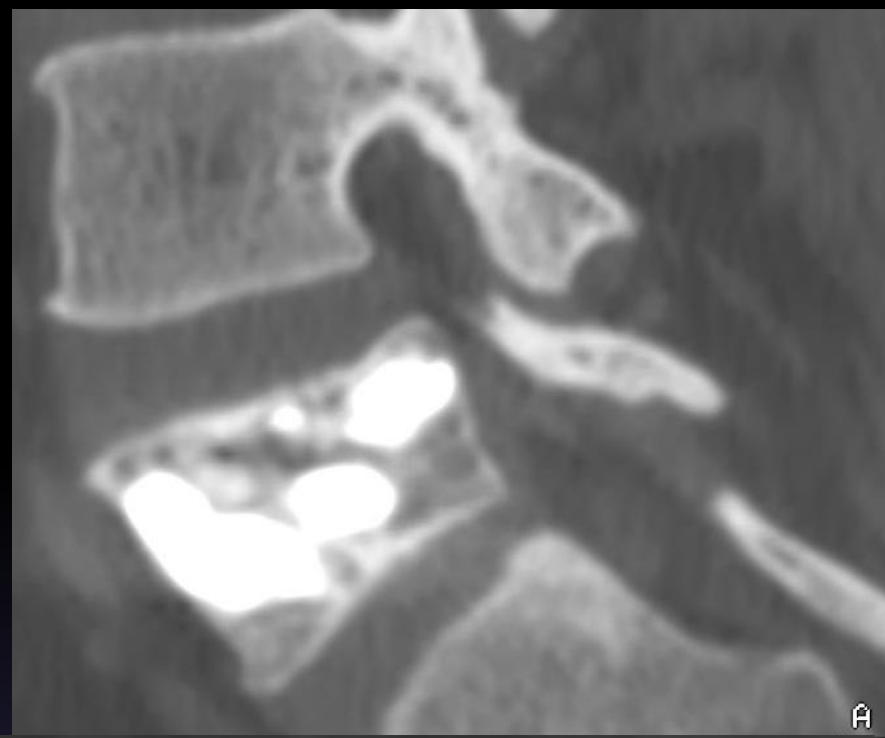
Aneurysmal Bone Cyst



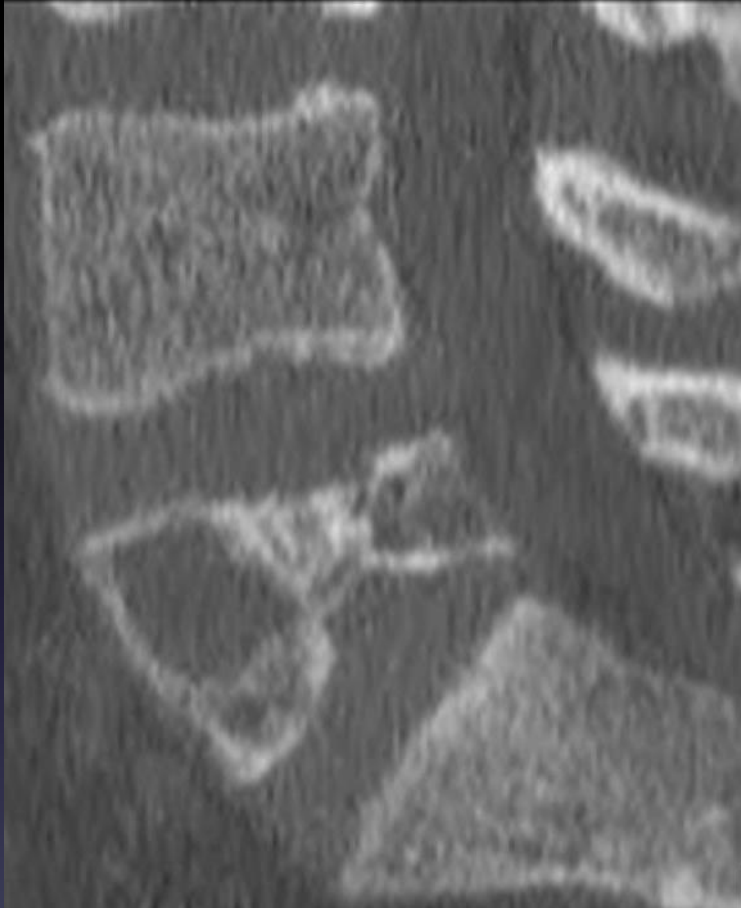
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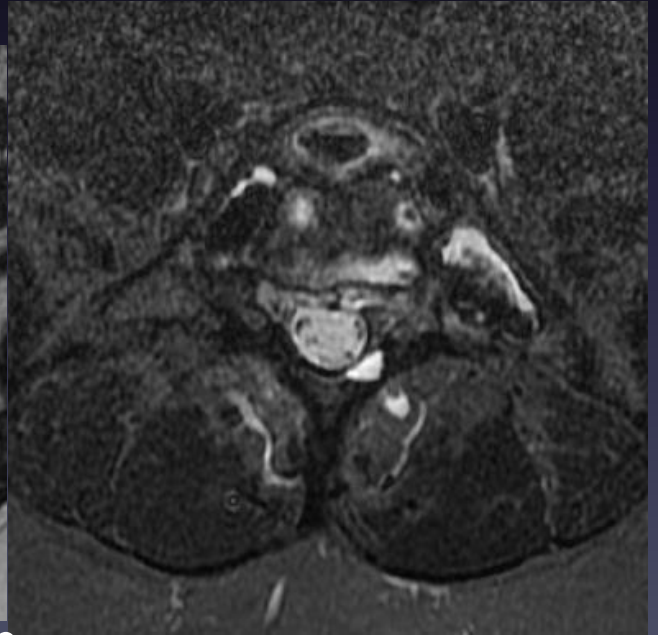
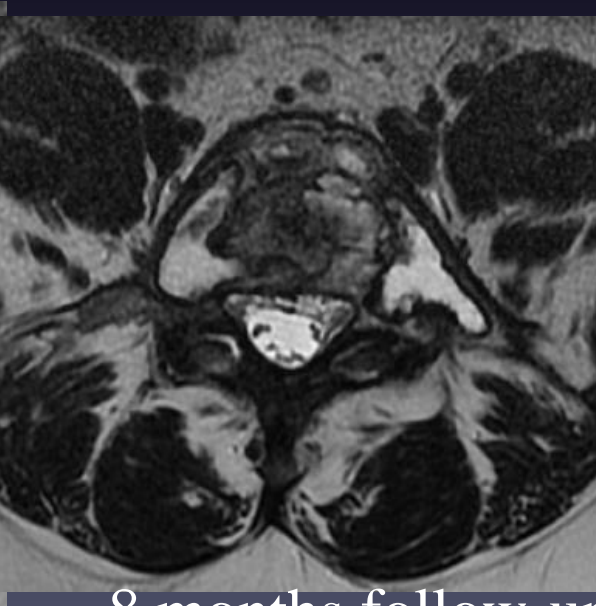
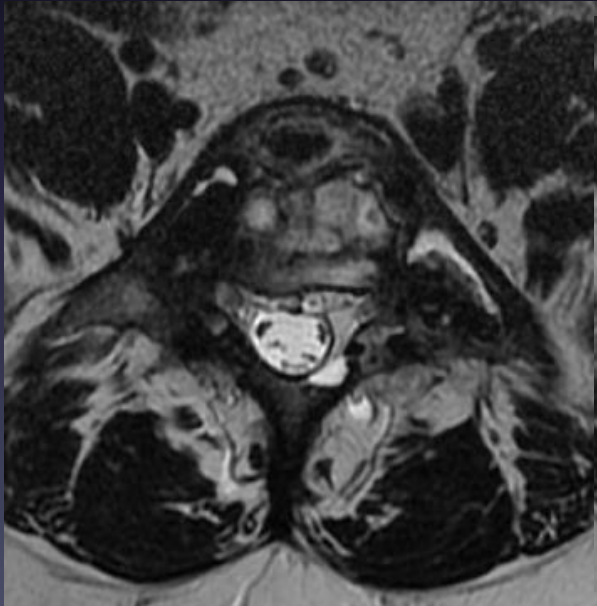
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Bilateral approach
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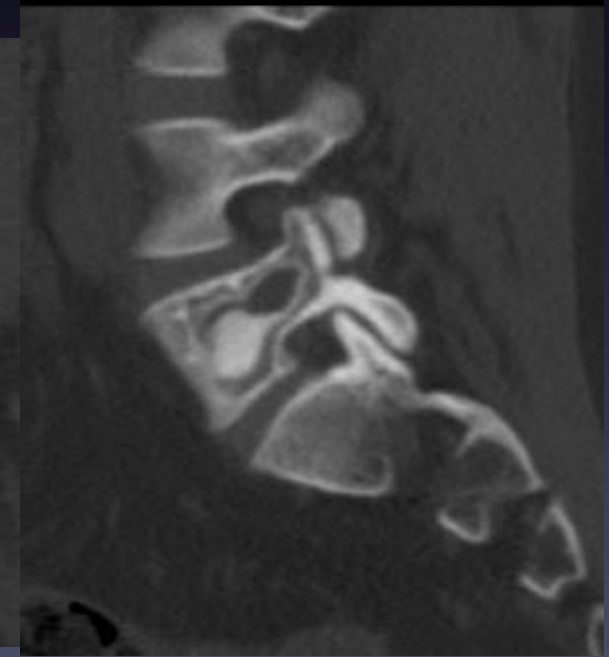
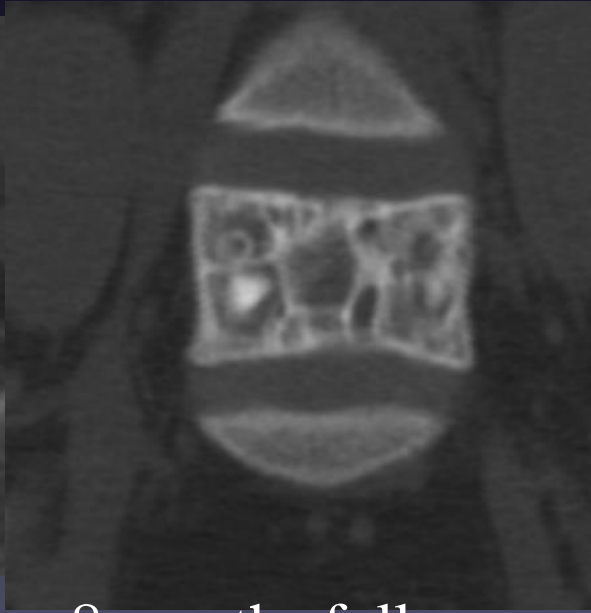
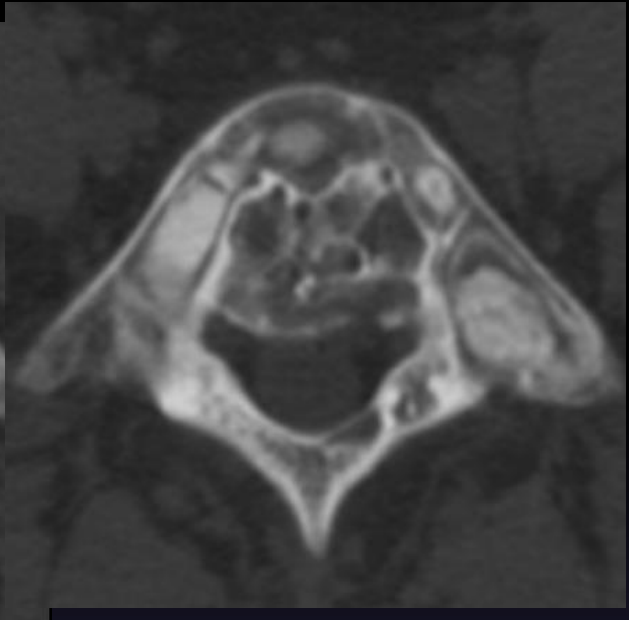
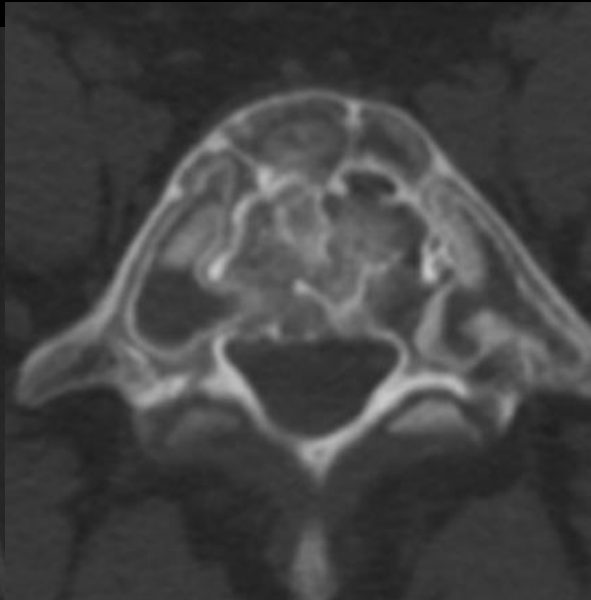
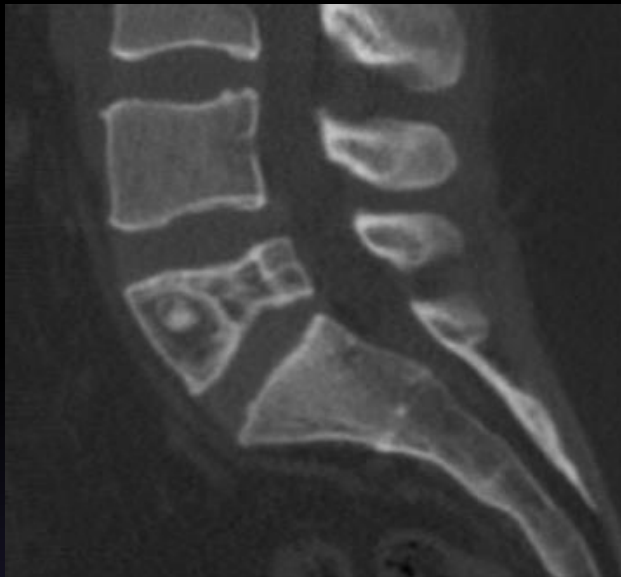
2 months follow-up



G Guarnieri P Vassallo, M Muto, M Muto J Neurointerv Surg. 2013 Nov 8. Percutaneous treatment of symptomatic aneurysmal bone cyst of L5 by percutaneous injection of osteoconductive material (Cerament)



8 months follow-up



8 months follow-up

HEMANGIOMA

Most common vertebral tumor: 12% in adults

Multiple lesions in 25-30% of cases, especially thoracic
capillar venous **cavernoma**.

mature vascular space between bone stroma and fatty tissue

Hypodense at CT , hyperintensity with MR

Posterior elements in 10-15%

Interventional approach

Target : **pain reduction, stabilize**
reduce vascularization (pre-surgical)
or as only treatment

1) VP- venous embolization- overfill

2) Endovascular

Vertebroplasty in the treatment of osteoangioma. Guarnieri G,
Muto M. And coll Neuroradiology July 51, 7, 471-476 2009

Int J Radiat Oncol Biol Phys. 2012 Feb 1;82(2)
Radiotherapy of painful vertebral hemangiomas:
the single center retrospective analysis of 137 cases.
Miszczyk L1, Tukiendorf A.

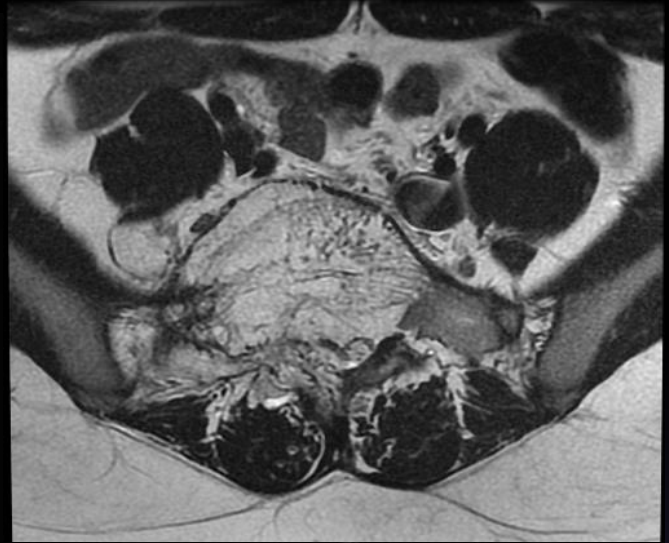
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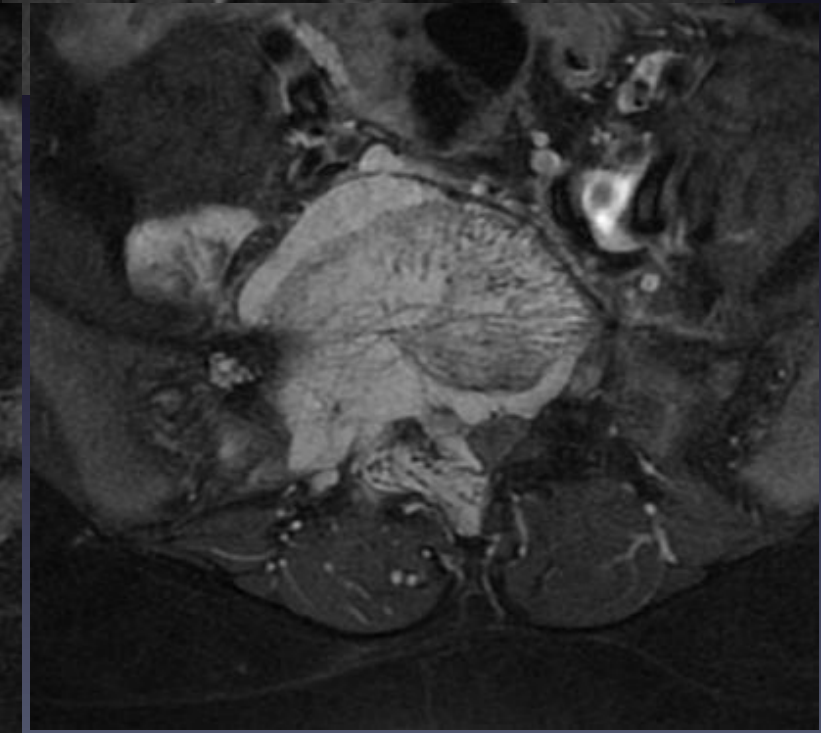
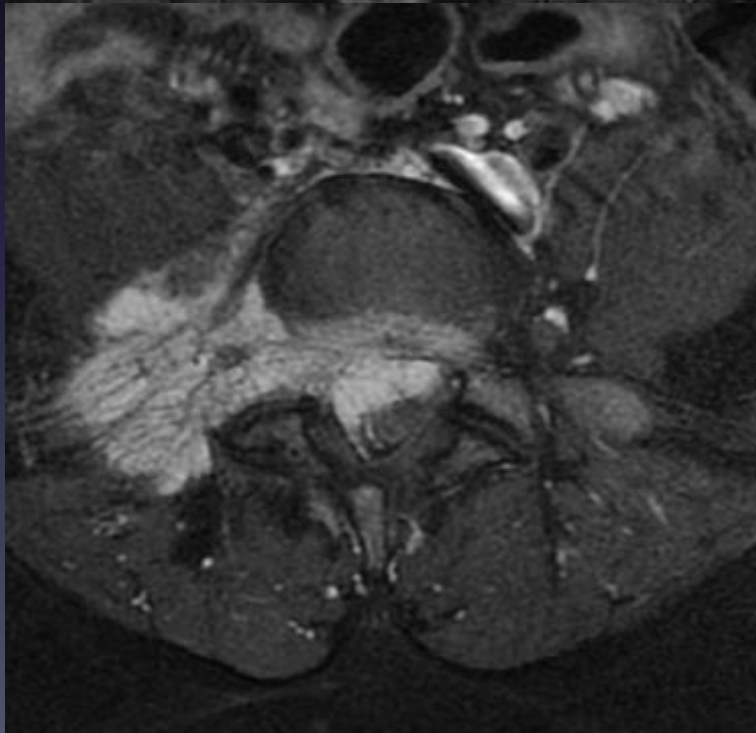
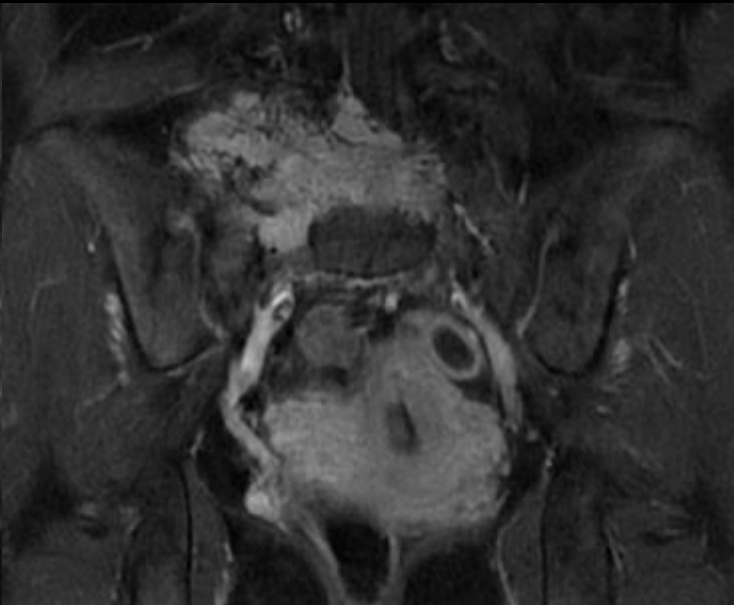
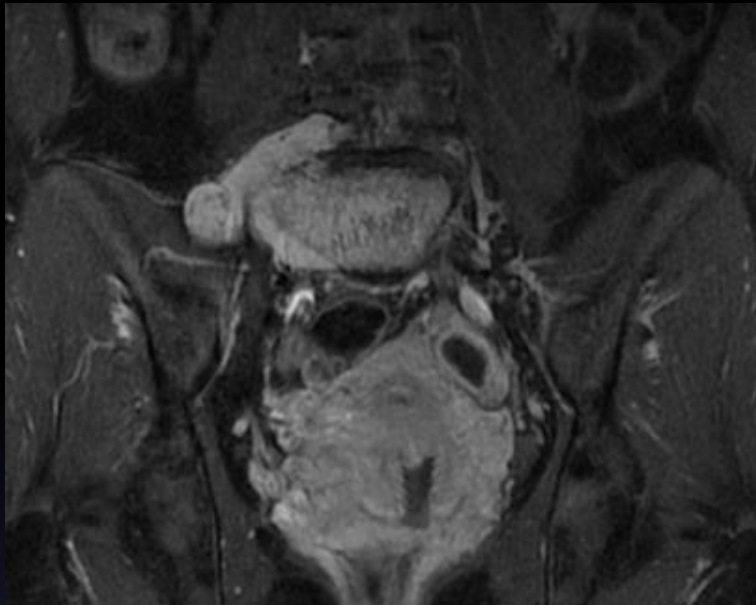
Table 1. Percentages of patients using different of analgesics before RT and during consecutive control examinations

Type of analgesics dispensed	Before RT	1 month after RT	6 months after RT	12 months after RT	18 months after RT	The final control*
No need for analgesics uptake	21.5%	39%	40%	44%	57%	46%
Nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs	47%	40.5%	43%	32%	31.5%	38%
Tramadol	31.5%	20.5%	17%	24%	11.5%	14%
Opioids	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%

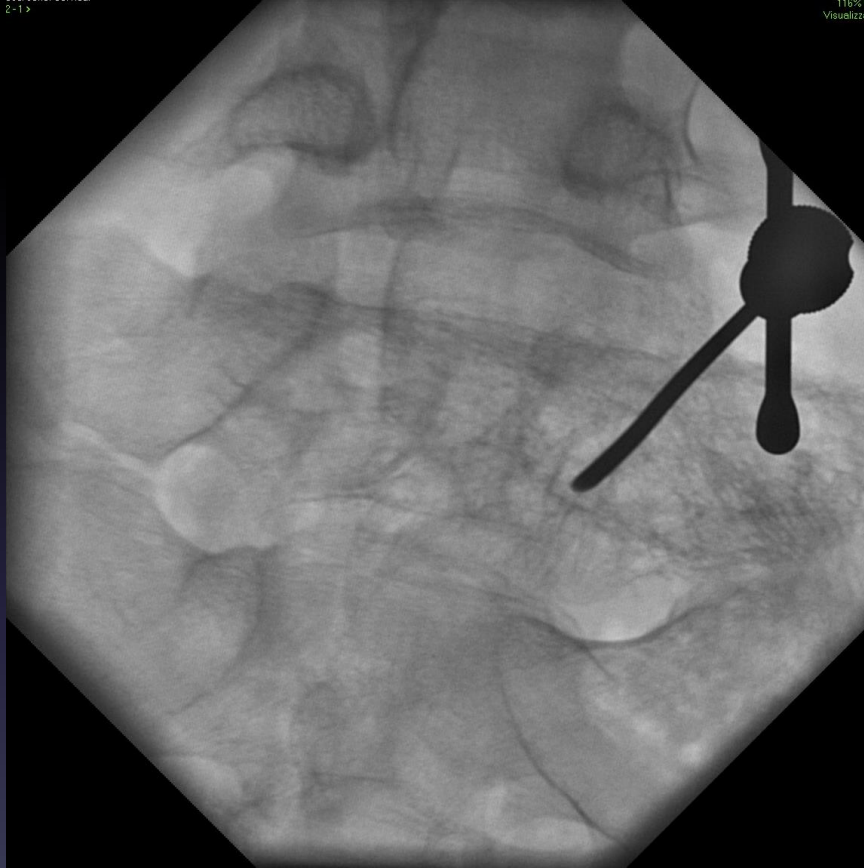
Table 2. The percent of cases presenting partial reossification or fatty conversion of hemangioma during consecutive control examinations

	1 month after RT	6 months after RT	12 months after RT	18 months after RT	The final control*
Reossification or fatty conversion	20%	28%	33.3%	28.5%	33%





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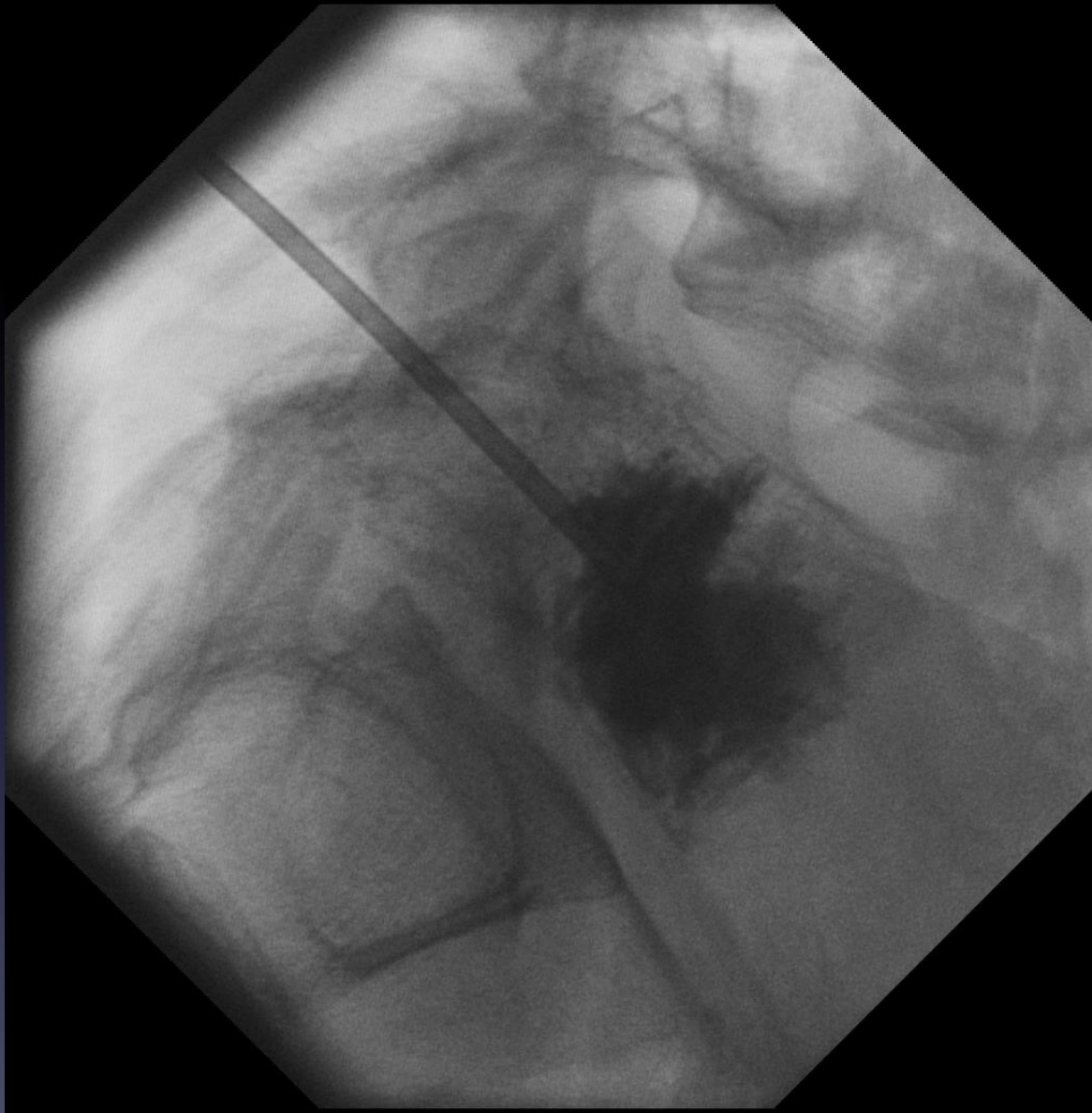


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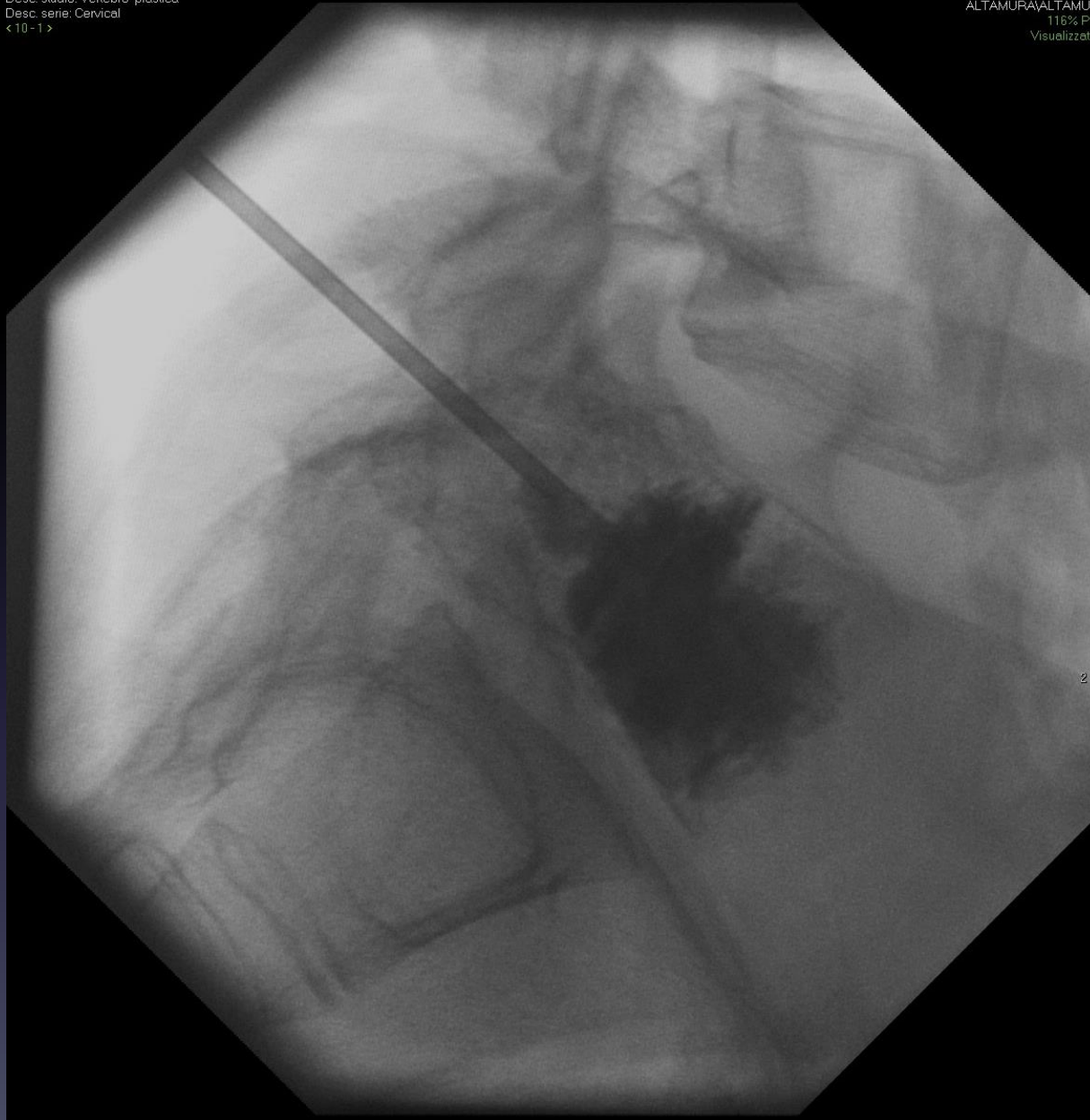
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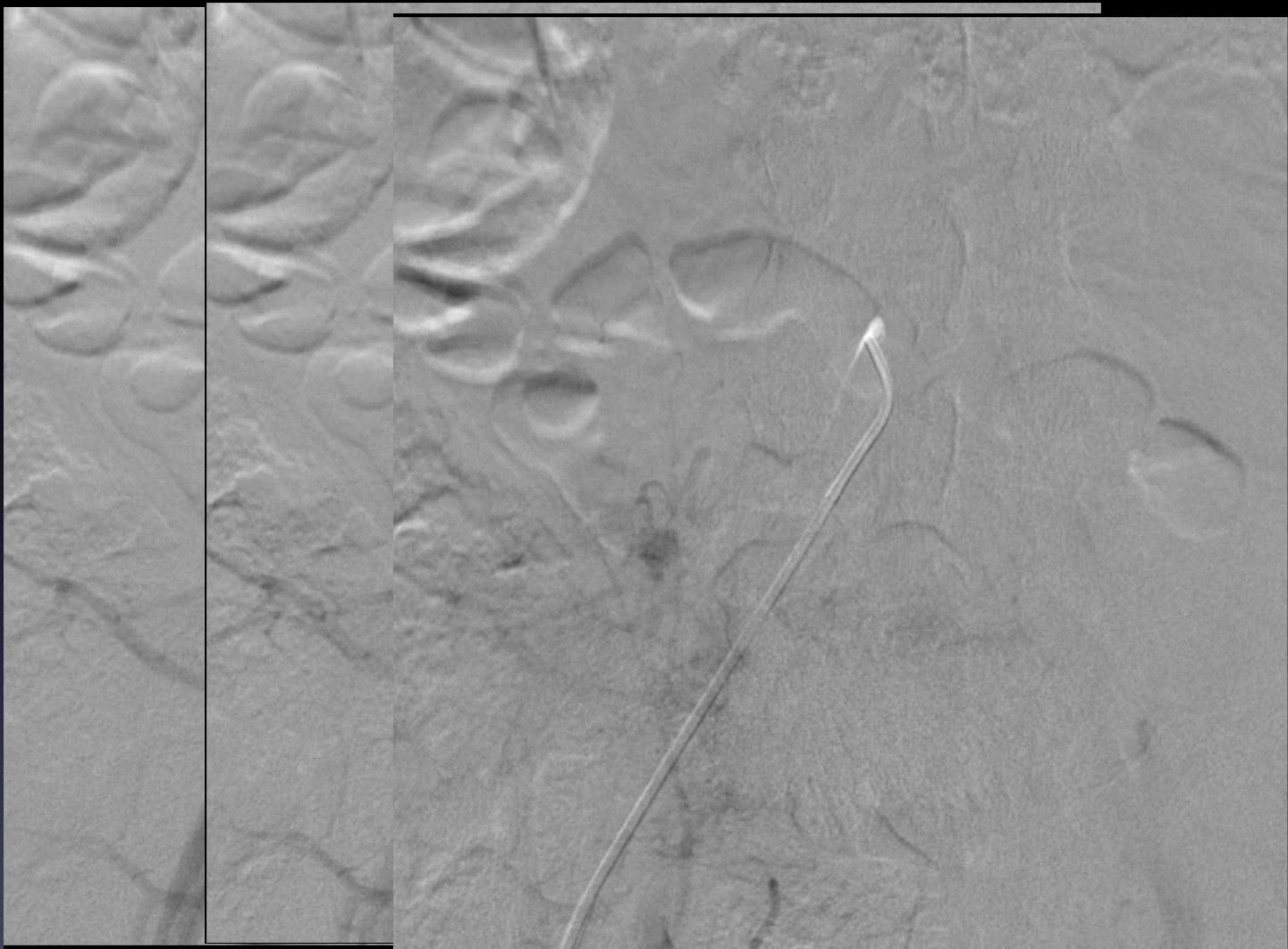
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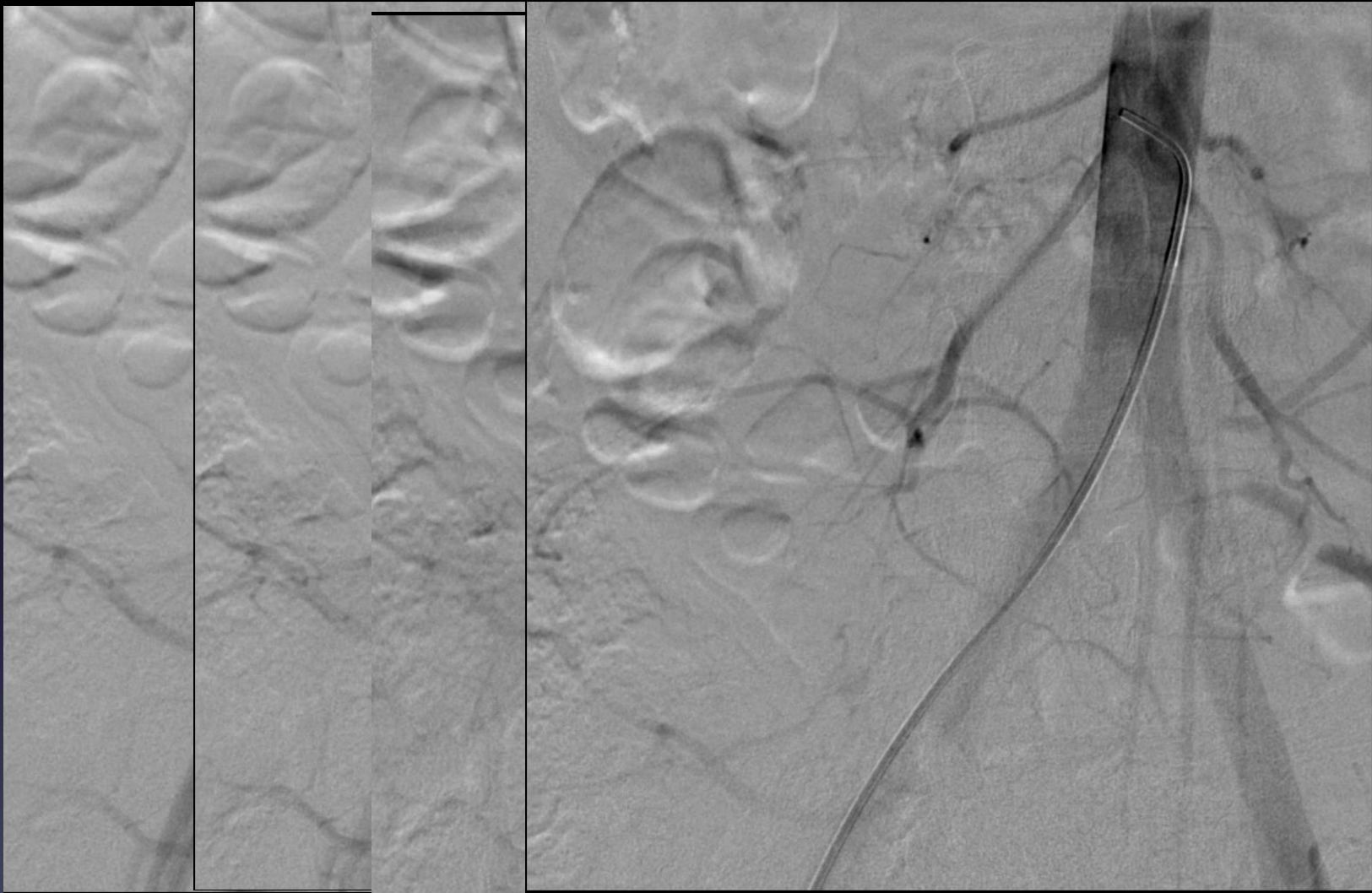


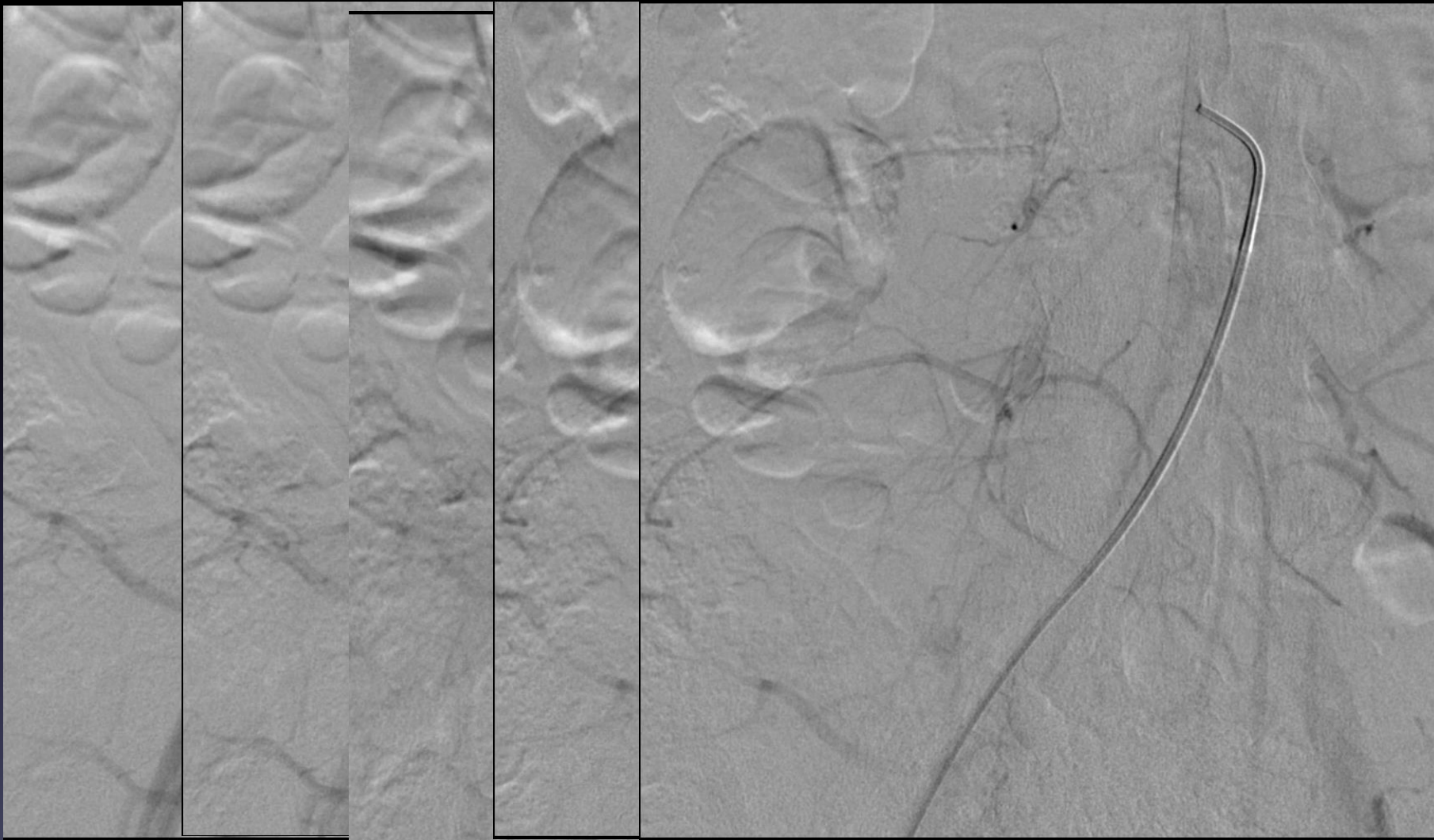
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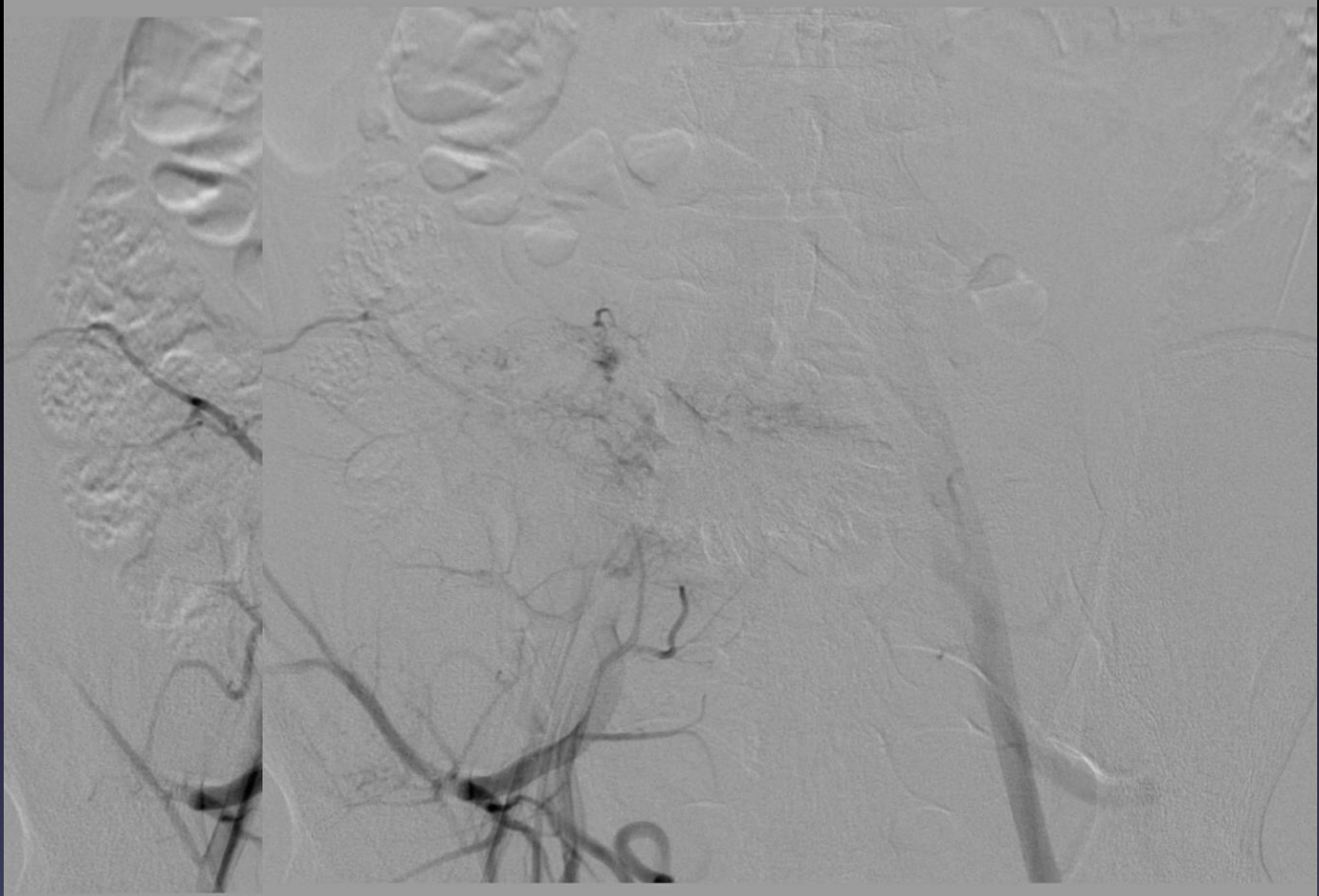


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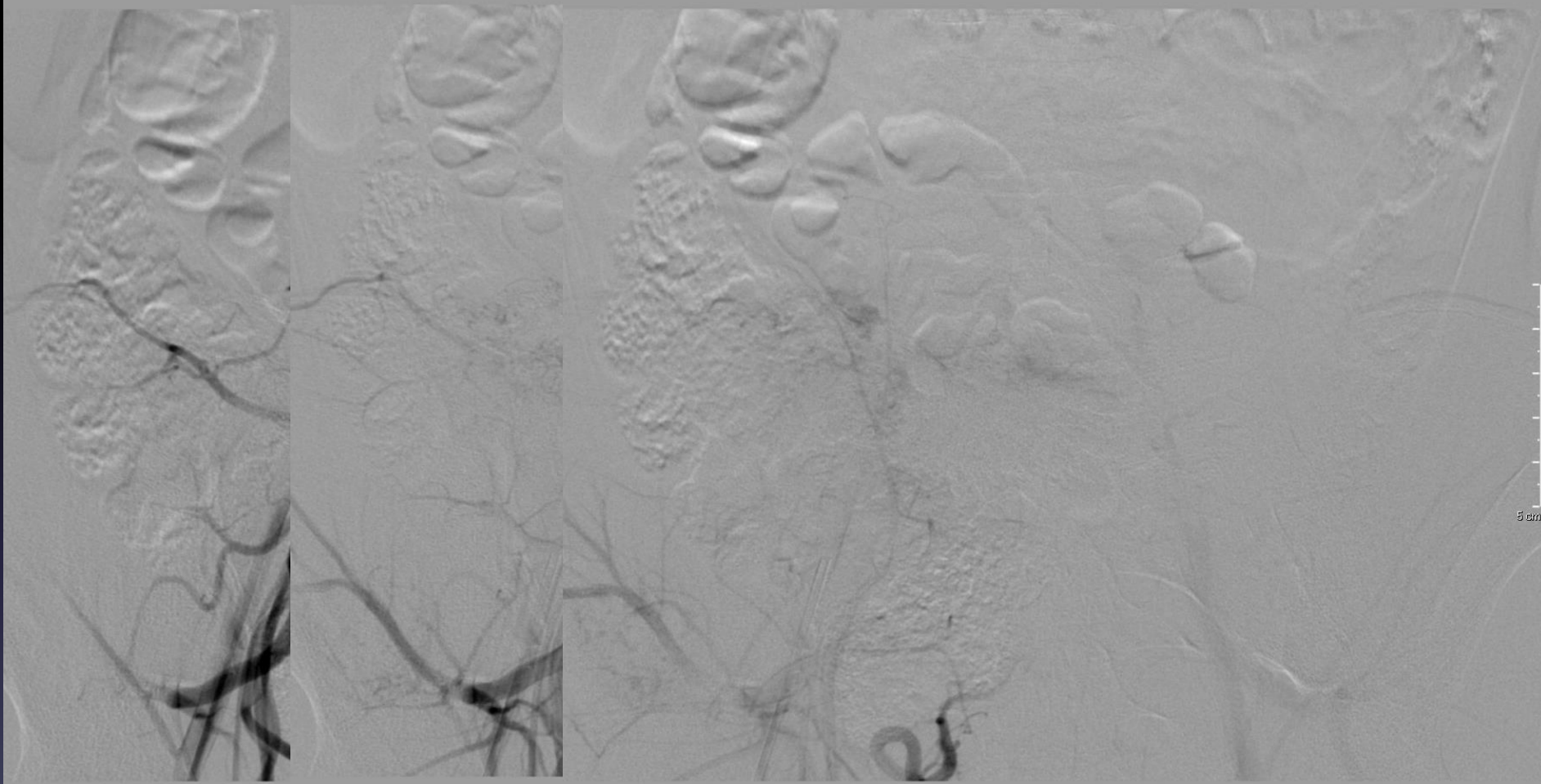
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J Neuroradiol. 2013 Feb 15.

Percutaneous ethanol embolization and cement augmentation of aggressive vertebral hemangiomas at two adjacent vertebral levels.

Cianfoni A1, Massari F, Dani G, Lena JR, Rumboldt Z, Vandergrift WA, Bonaldi G.

Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol. 2013 Dec 3.

Aggressive Vertebral Hemangioma Treated with Combination of Vertebroplasty and Sclerotherapy Through Transpedicular and Direct Approach.

Kelekis A1, Filippiadis DK, Martin JB, Kelekis NL.

OSTEOID OSTEOMA

Osteoblastic benign tumor producing osteoid tissue

Radiological finding: radiolucent nidus <1,5 cm
surroundend by sclerotic rim

10% are vertebral almost all in posterior arch.

Focal painful scoliosis with concavity omolateral to the tumor.

High rate false negative with MR (volume averaging)

MR with contrast media inj more sensitive : nidus >> reactive area

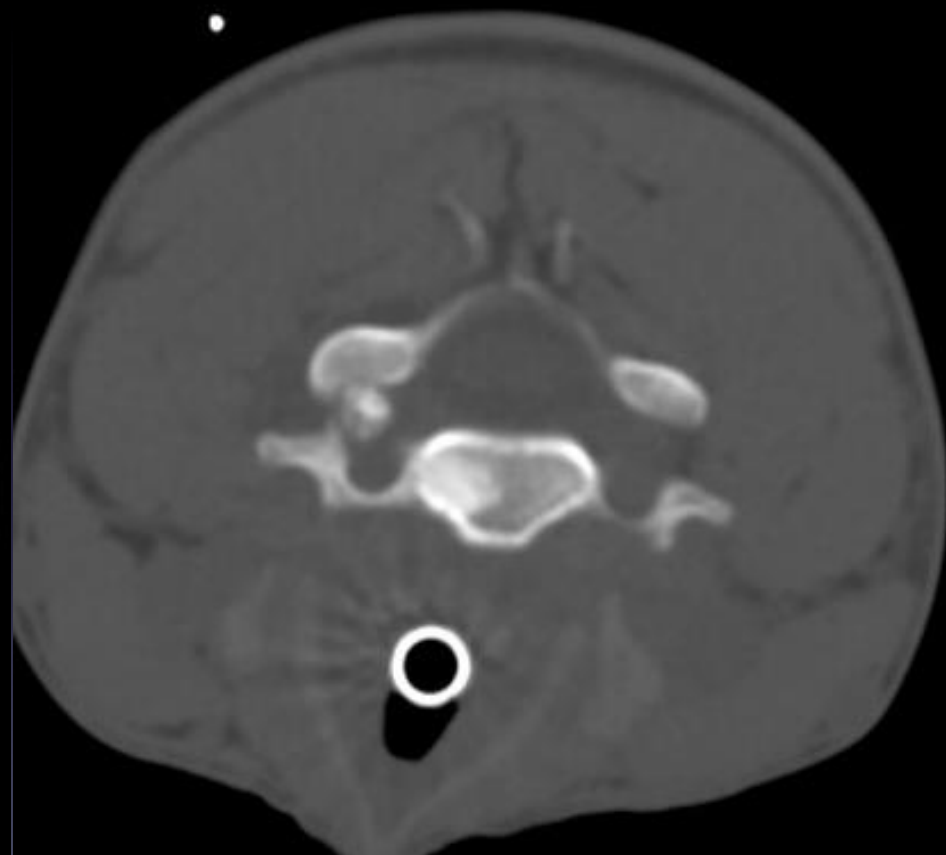
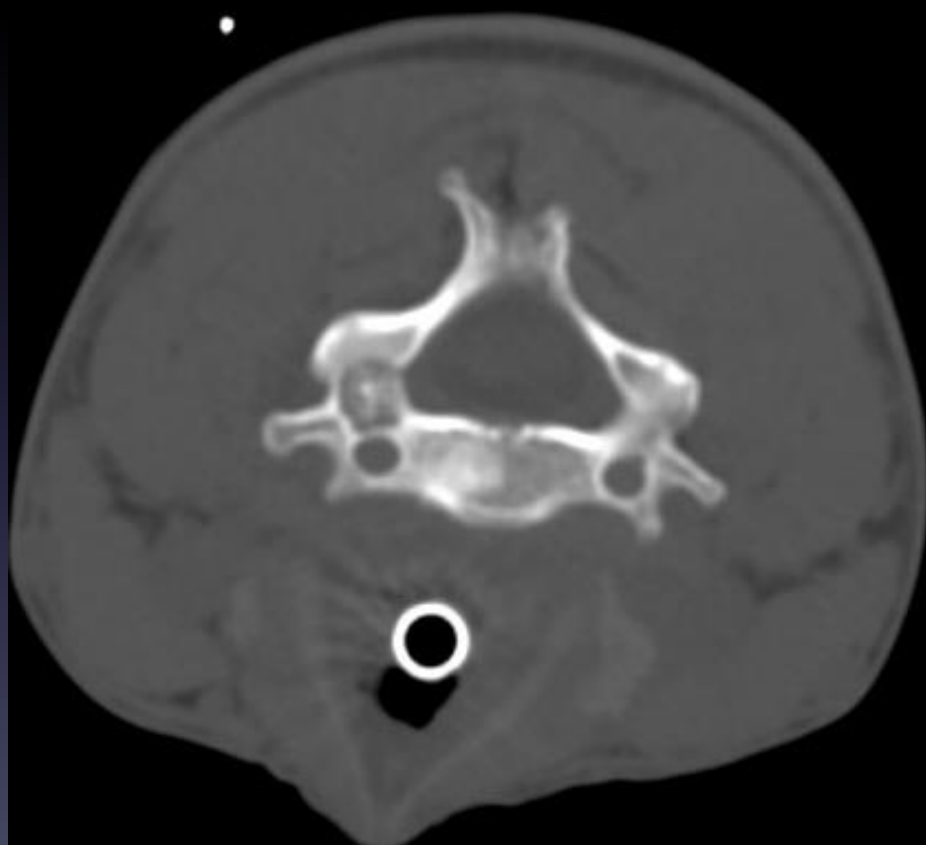
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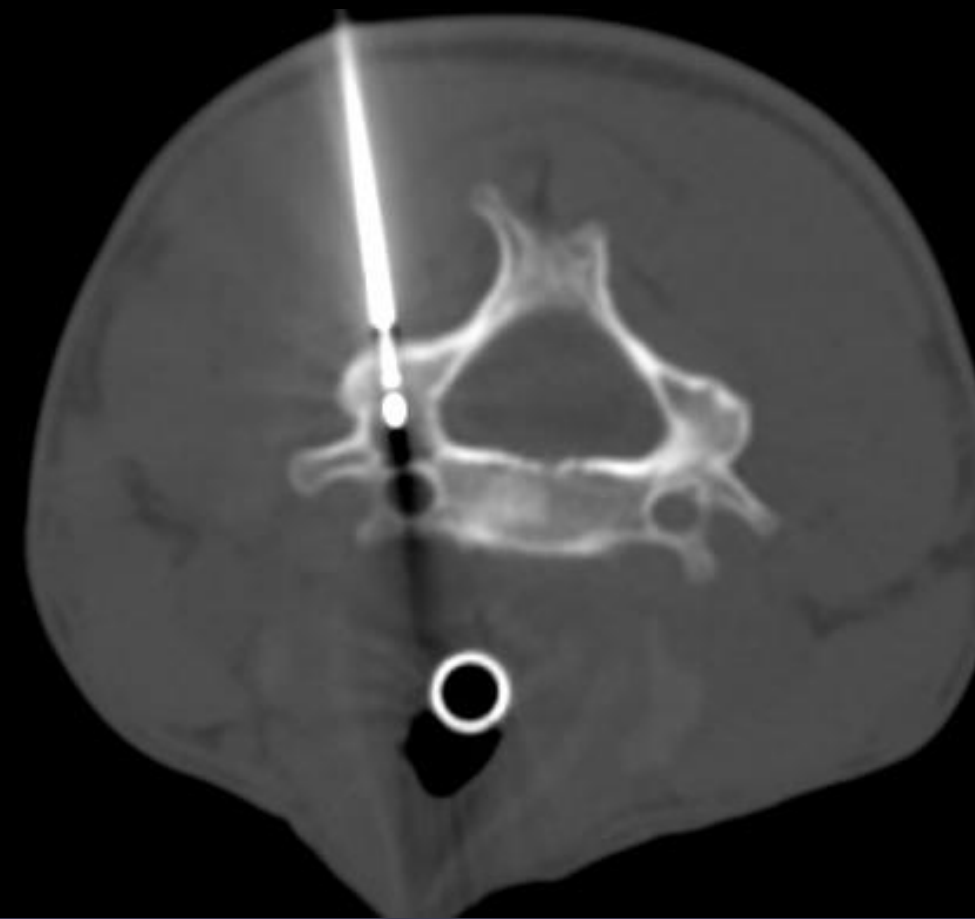
D.D: Osteoblastoma

stress fracture/ unilateral spondilolysis

sclerotic metastasis

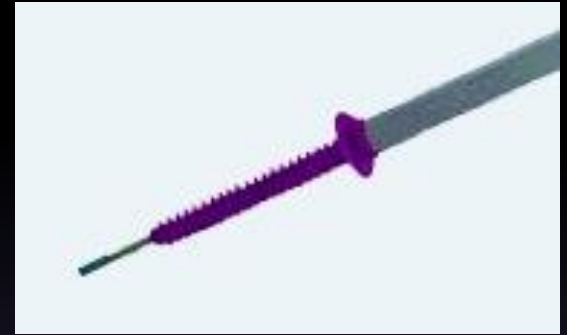
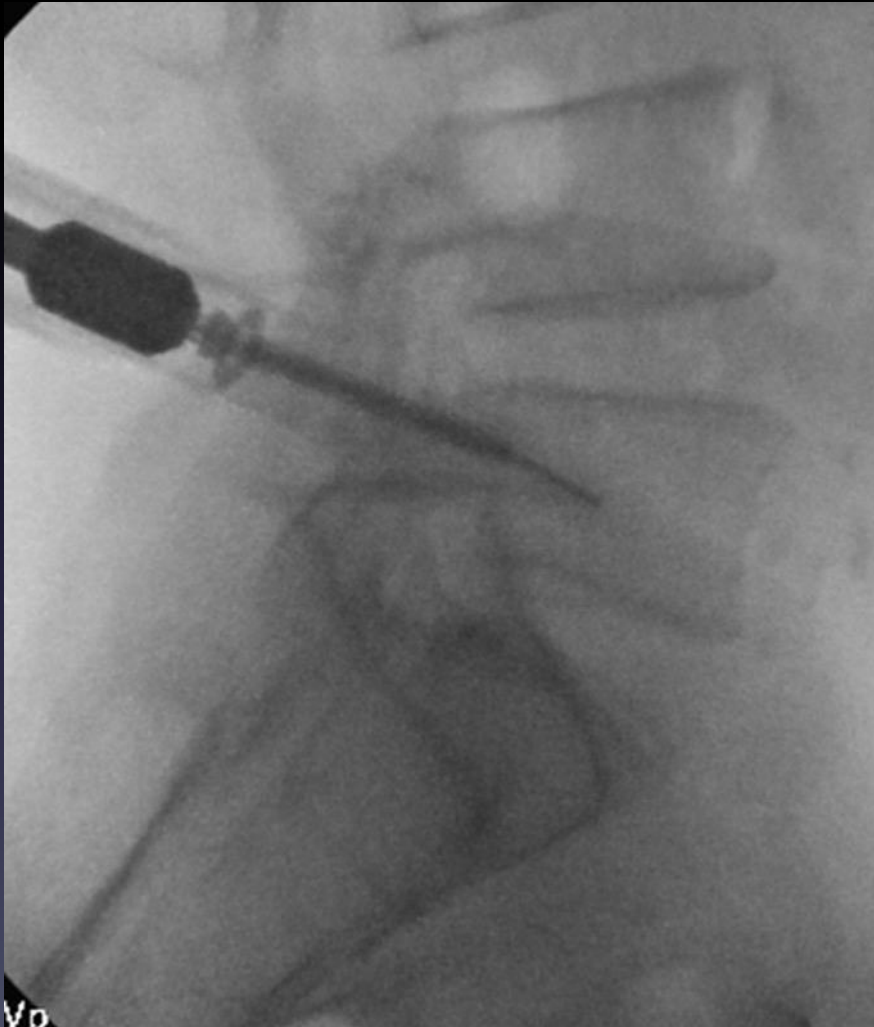
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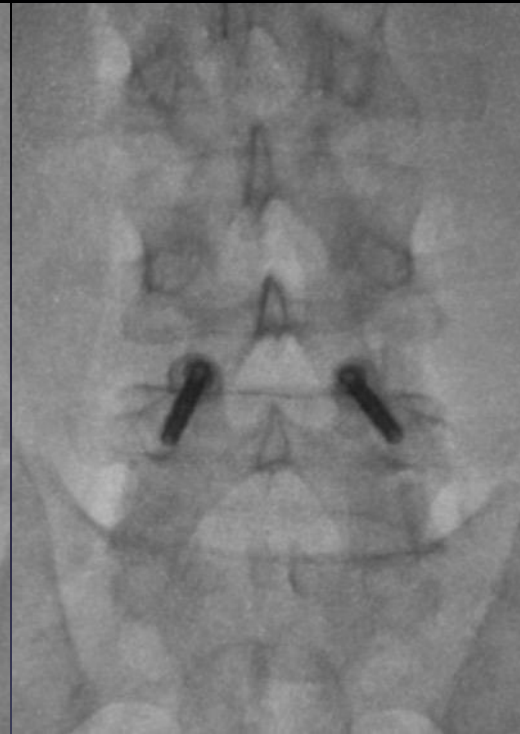
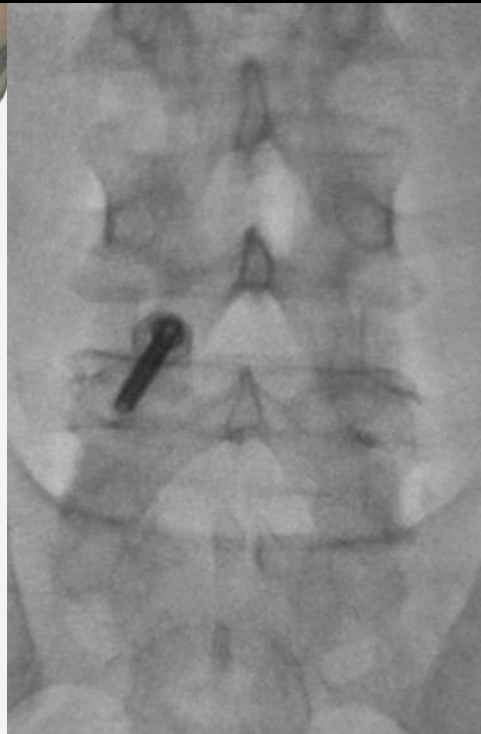
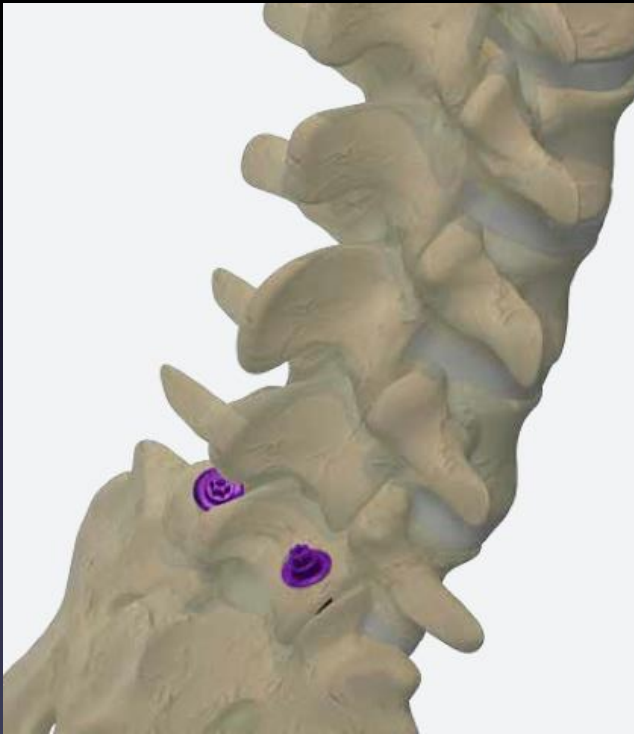
Percutaneous facet stabilization

Introduction of the screw through the screw driver



Procedure

Final result



Procedure

CT check after procedure



NO BIOMECHANICAL CHANGES

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A Biomechanical Comparison of Facet Screw Fixation and Pedicle Screw Fixation

Effects of Short-Term and Long-Term Repetitive Cycling

Lisa A. Ferrara, MS, Jessica L. Secor, BS, Byung-ho Jin, MD, Andrew Wakefield, MD, Serkan Inceoglu, MS,
and Edward C. Benzel, MD

Conclusions. The stability provided by both transfacet pedicle screw fixation and traditional pedicle screw fixation was not compromised after repetitive cycling. In this model, transfacet pedicle screw fixation appears equivalent biomechanically to traditional pedicle screw fixation.

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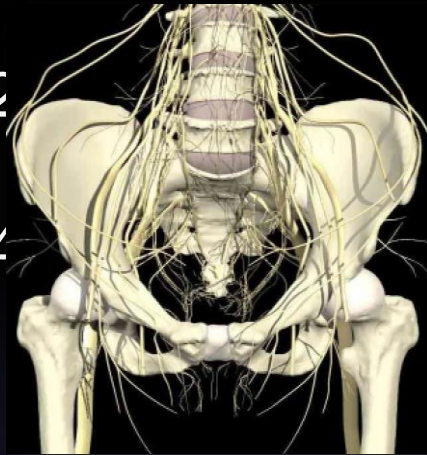
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attractive surgical option for single-level spinal fusions. A biomechanical evaluation of a novel device for this application demonstrated similar stability to a pedicle screw system. The length adjustability of the device may alleviate concerns for precise device placement and the biomechanical stability may produce similar rates and quality of posterior spinal fusions.

Courtesy L. Manfrè

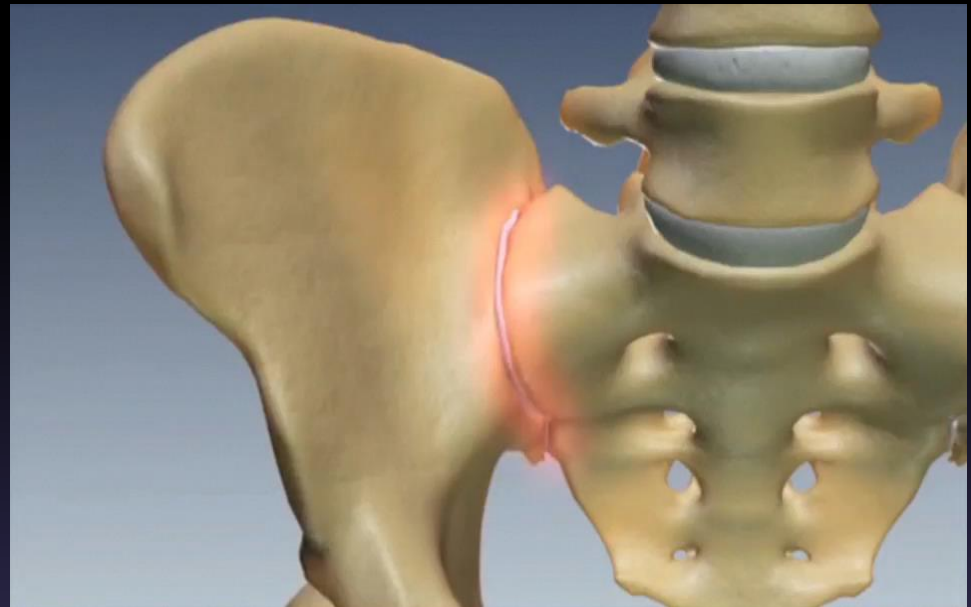
INNERVATION

Anterior
from L2 to S2
Posterior
from L4 to S4



SACROILIAC INSTABILITY

Frequently unknown...



SIJ INSTABILITY

5-25% of ALL Low Back
Pain!!!

Polly, Sembrano Spine 2008

Cohen, SA Anesthesia and analgesia 2005

PIF increase sacroiliac mechanical stress

75% of patients have SI after PIF in 5 years

HA Young, Spine 2008, Ivanov Spine 2009

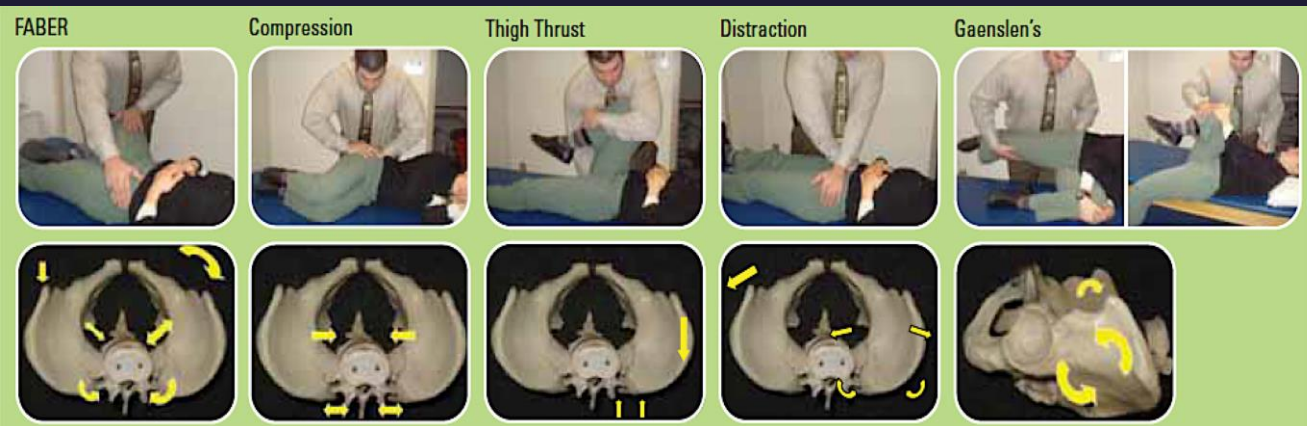
After Delivery / Post-Partum syndrome

Symptoms

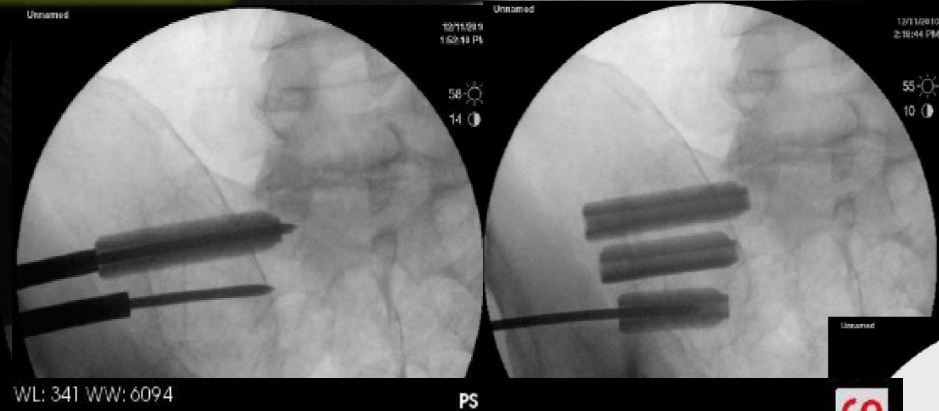
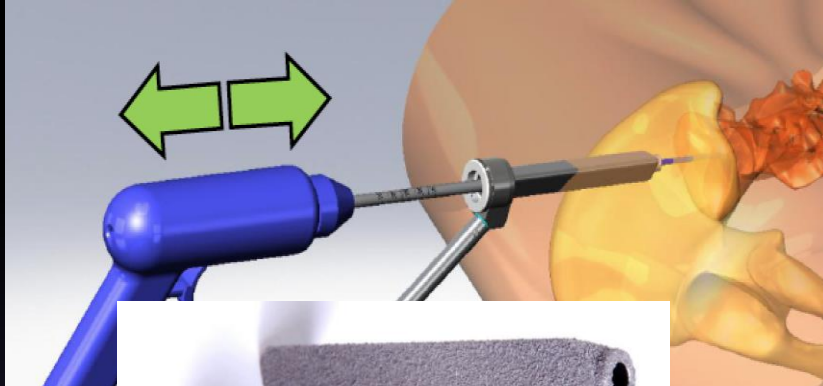
- ✓ Low Back Pain (generally L5 to S2 level)
- ✓ Pelvic, Buttom Pain +++ when seated
- ✓ Coxofemoral Pain
- ✓ Leg Numbness / Dizziness
- ✓ Insomnia
- ✓ Ipsilateral limb instability

Diagnosis

CT GUIDET LIDOCAINE INFILTRATION: *THE BEST*

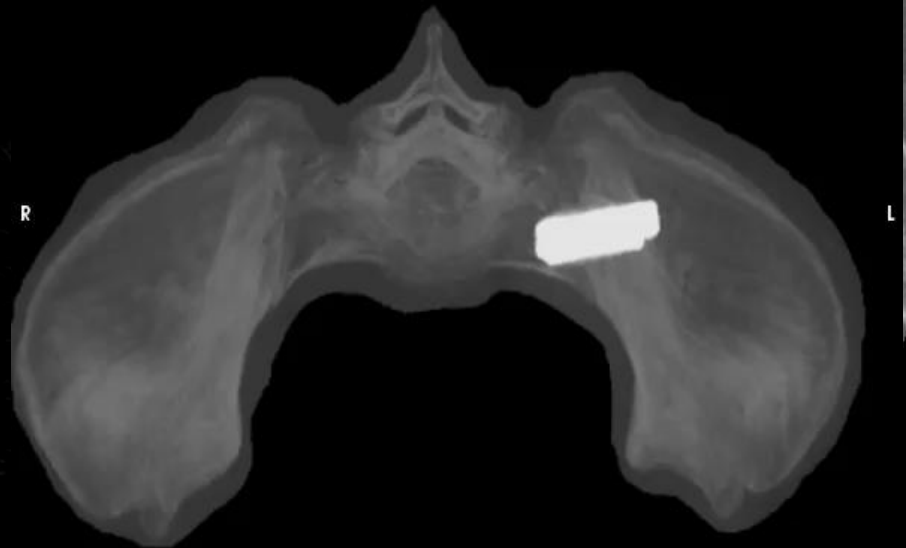


SI-BONE I-FUSE EU / USA first CT-guided treatments



STABILIZATION

- **Phase 1** 3-6 wks: extra-articular (intra-prosthesis bone regrowth) 90%
Length from 30 to 50mm
- **Phase 2** 10-12 wks: intra-articular (intraarticular bone regrowth) 10%



PRIMARY OR SECONDARY SPINE PATHOLOGY

Multiple myeloma

Spine mets

MULTIPLE MYELOMA



Nature of Spine Metastases

Type and Extent of Lesion	Number of Cases	Percent of Cases
Osteoblastic	45	8,0%
Osteolytic	399	70,9%
Mixed	119	21,1%
Involving 1 Vertebra	77	13,4%
Involving > 1 Vertebra	486	86,3%
Lesion of entire Vertebra	81	14,4%
Lesion of Vertebral Body	252	44,8%
Lesion of Posterior Arch	228	40,5%

Metastatic Spinal Metastases are commonly osteolytic and affect multiple vertebrae.

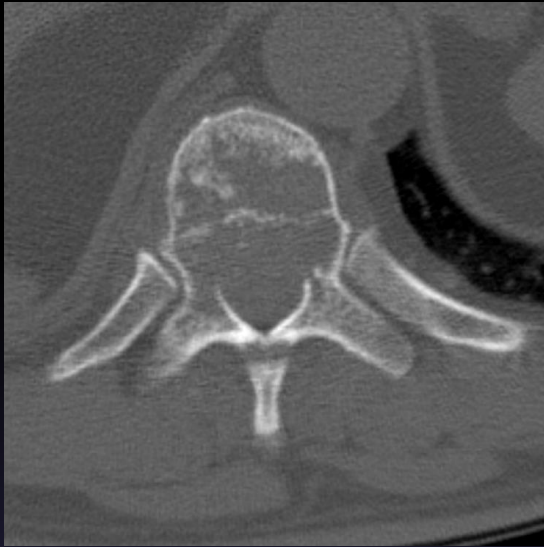
- 600 cases of spinal metastases were reviewed of which 563 had characteristics of bone lesions
- Examined according to clinical characteristics, type of primary tumor, site of lesion, and survival
- Active treatment occurred in all but 7 of the cases

What offer these therapies?²

Therapy aims in the treatment of bone metastases

	Paintherapy	Recovery/ Regain of stability	Skeletal related events (SRE)	Tumor control (local)
RF-Ablation	✓	✓	✓	✓
Radiotherapy	8 - 30 Gy (16 w)	30 Gy		> 50 Gy
Nuklidtherapy	✓			
Chemotherapy				✓
Bis//D-mab	✓		✓	
Surgical Intervention		✓	✓	✓
Cement	✓	✓	✓	

SPINE METS



Spine Instability Neoplastic Score (SINS)

Location :

- Junctional (C0-C2, T11-L1, L5-S1): 3
- Mobile segment (C3-C6; L2-L4): 2
- semirigid (D3-D10): 1
- rigid (S2-S5): 0

Type of lesions:

- lytic: 2
- miste: 1
- blastic: 0

Pain :

- meccanic: 3
- not meccanic: 1
- absent: 0

Allignement with x-ray:

- subluxation/translation: 4
- new deformity: 2
- normal: 0

Post. Arch inv:

- bilateral: 3
- unilateral: 1
- absent: 0

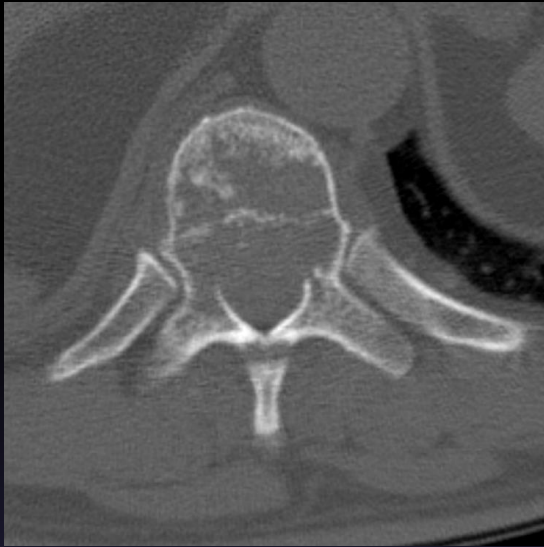
Body involv:

- >50% collapse: 3
- <50% collapse: 2
- no collapse with >50% of the soma: 1
- none of the previous: 0

0-6= stable

7-12= possible instability

13-18=instability



Location T11	3
Lytic	2
Pain	3
Alignment	0
Posterior arch	1
Body involv	<u>3</u>

Total 12 possible instability

HOW CAN YOU MANAGE THIS LESION ?

Surgery ?

RT ?

CHT?

VP?

RF?

Combined therapy ?

RF Kyphoplasty Technology

1. MultiPlex Controller

2. StabiliT[®] ER² Bone Cement & Saturate Mixing System

3. Disposables

Hydraulic Assembly

Activation Element

AE Cable

Hand Switch Cable (10 ft.)

Locking Delivery Cannula

VertecoR[®] MidLine Cement

Staging Osteotome

VertecoR[®] StraightLine Cement

Staging Osteotome



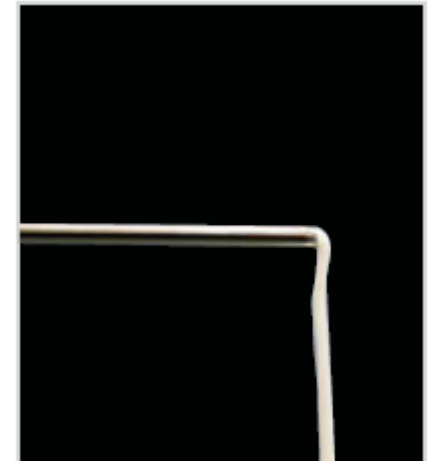
- Minimizes potential for extravasation
- Injection rate 1.3 ml /min, high viscosity



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With Energy

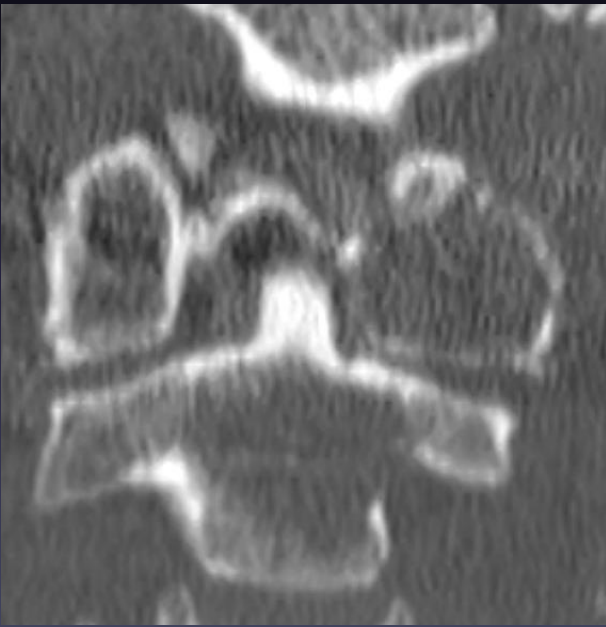


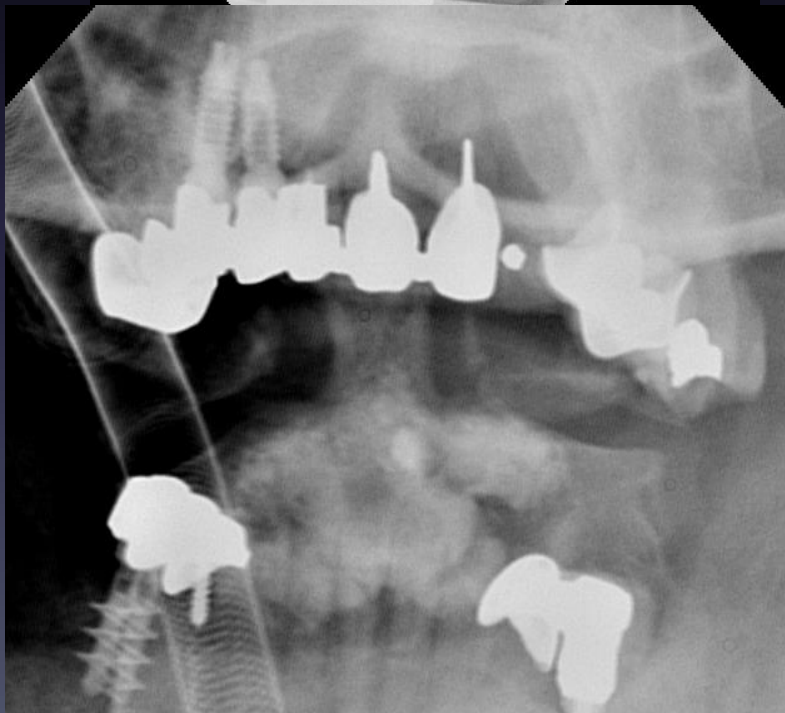
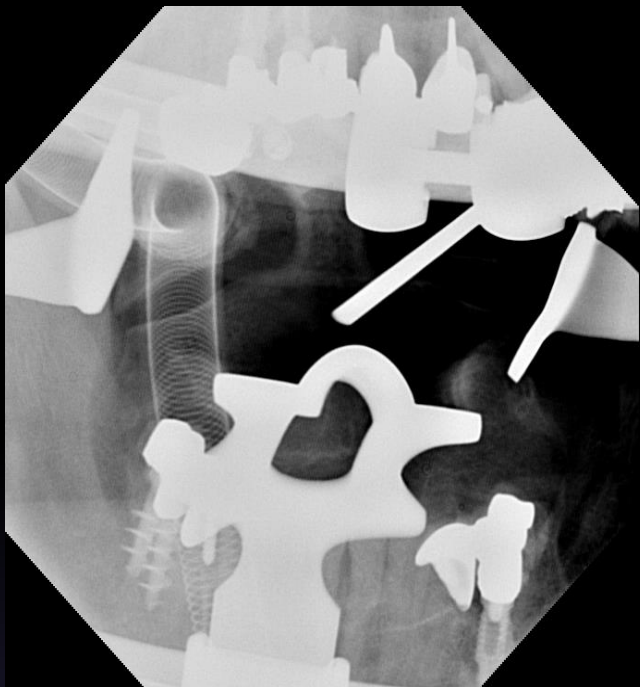
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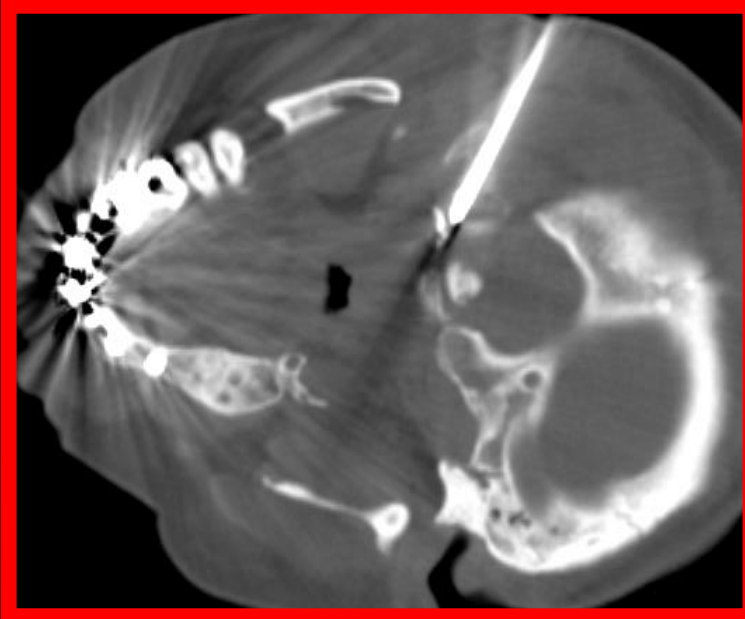
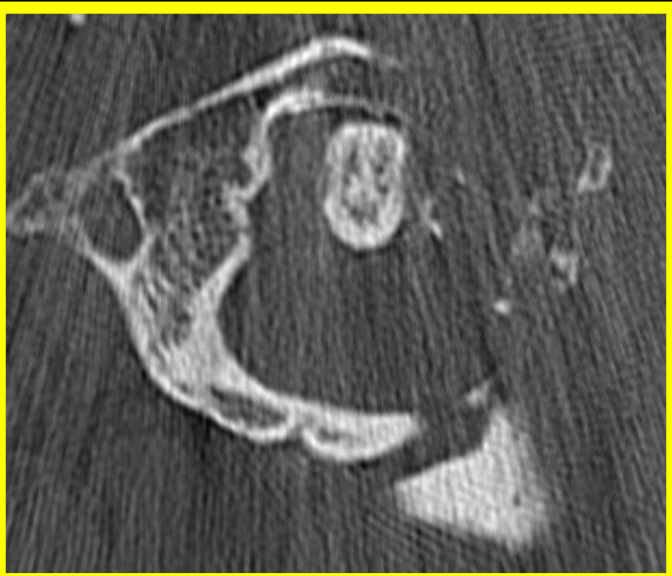
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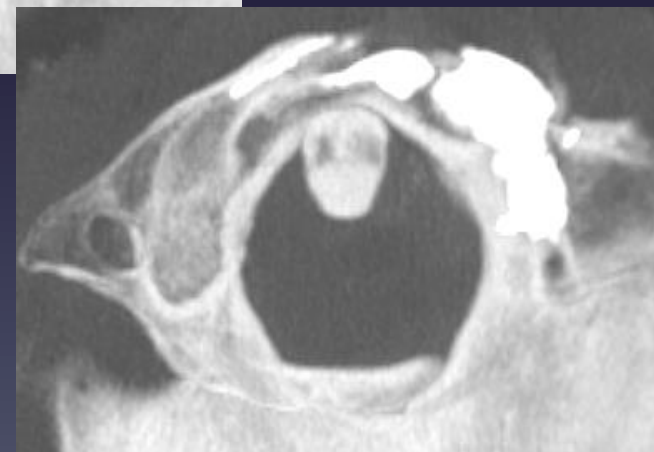
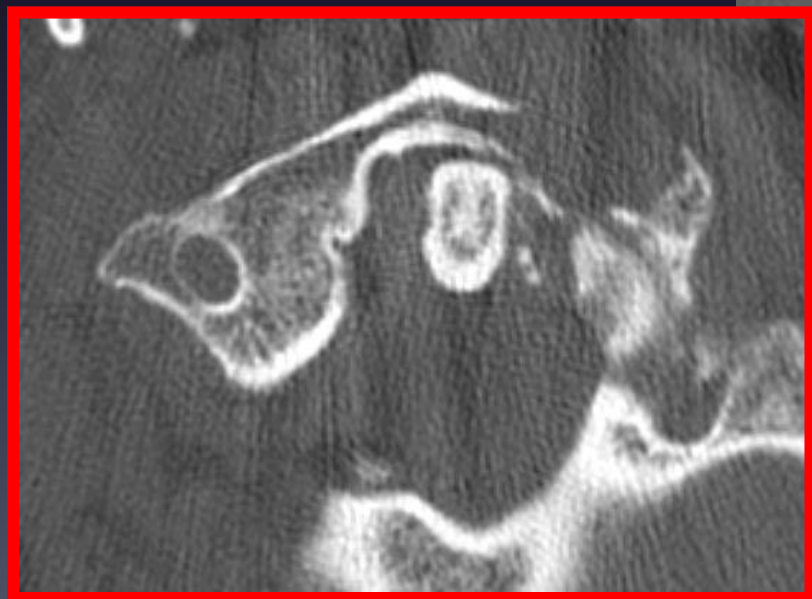
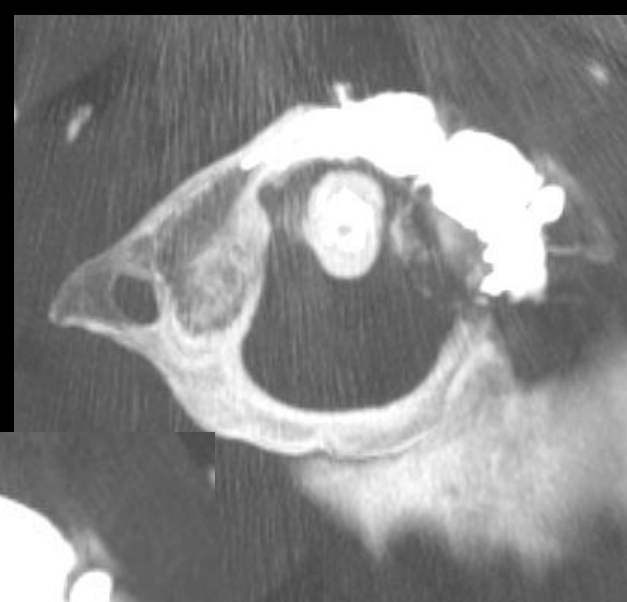


- 52 yo, female, acute cervical pain.
- CT total body show renal Ca and osteolysis of C1 and C2
- Primary renal cell CA
- No other bony or parenchymal lesions









Three major concept dealing with spine metastasis

- Pain treatment
- Stability treatment
- Antineoplastic effect (RF and crioablation)

RADIOFREQUENCY

RF Ablation is well understood

Wide adoption to treat lesions throughout the body

Liver 1

Lung 2, 3

Complete necrosis in nearly 70% of tumors after one treatment

Prostate 4

Predictable tumor necrosis yielding effective

follow up in > 80% RFA- treated tumors

➤80% success in eliminating tumors in one treatment

Kidney 5 • No residual tumors at 7 month

Osteoid Osteomas 6

Bone Metastases 7

Targeted RF Ablation (t-RFA)

- Controlled access
- Controlled energy delivery
- Controlled lesion creation

RF Generator

- Active temperature measurements
- Controlled energy delivery
- Displays critical real-time information



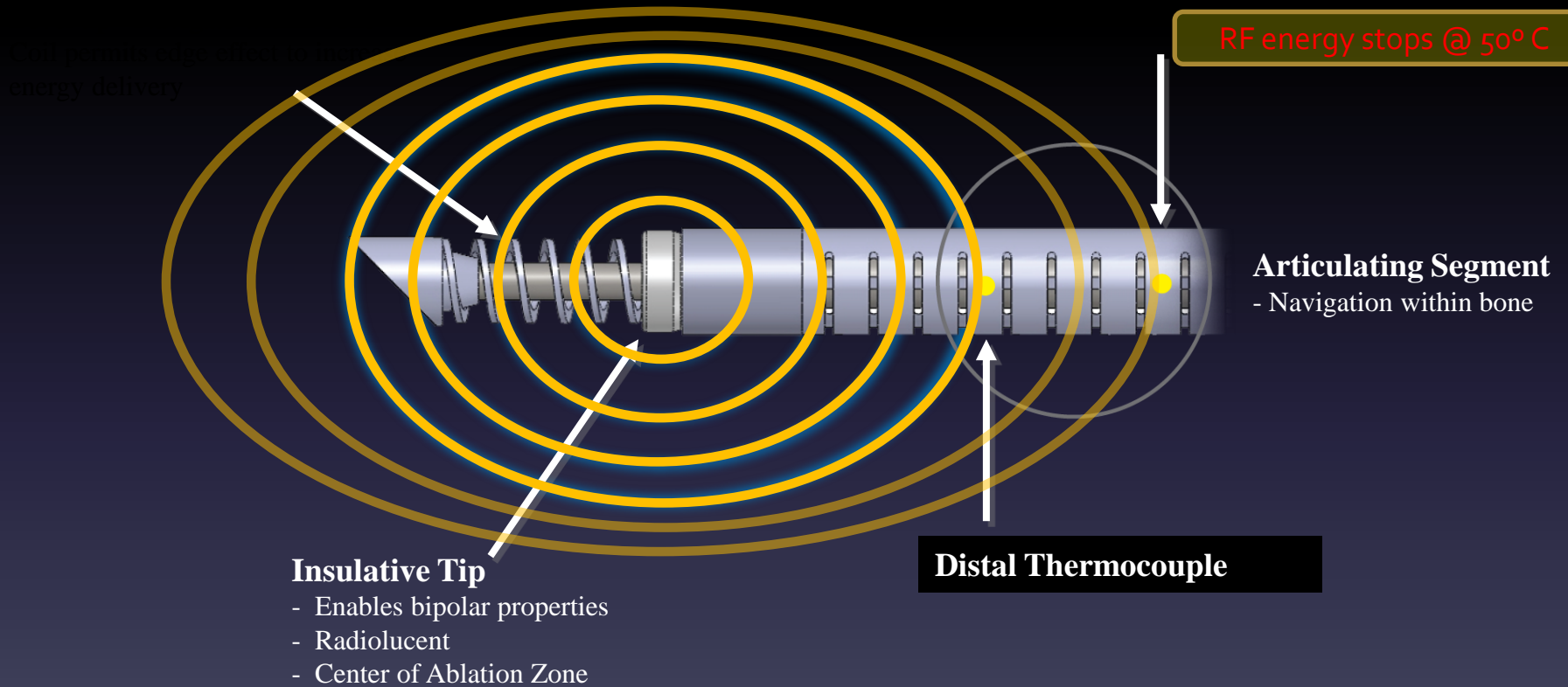
Ablation Instrument

- Articulating electrode designed to permit unipediculate access & multiple ablation passes
- Bipolar design requires no grounding pads



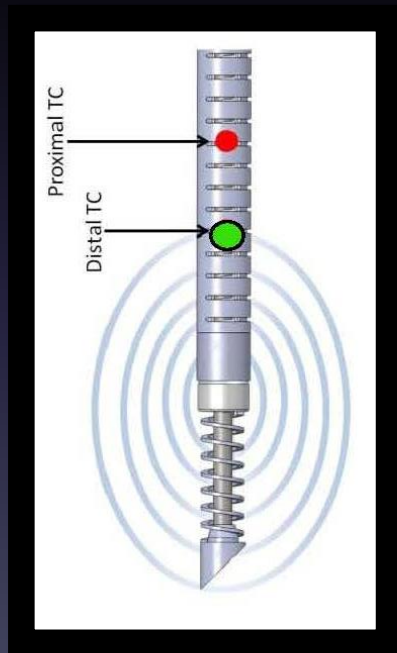
Active navigation enables site-specific ablation zones throughout vertebral body via unipediculate access

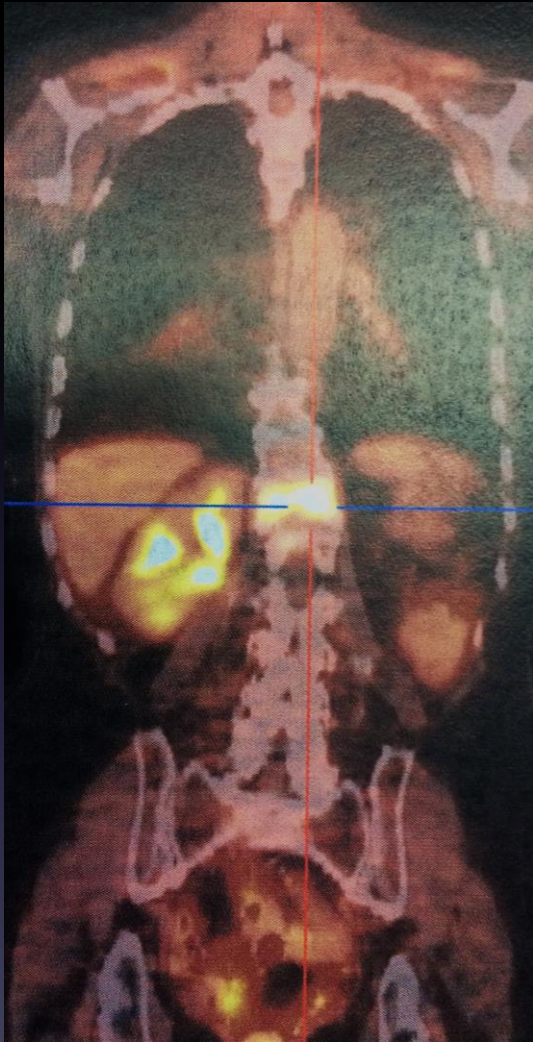
Real-time temperature monitoring: gauge thermal spread and intra-operative decisions



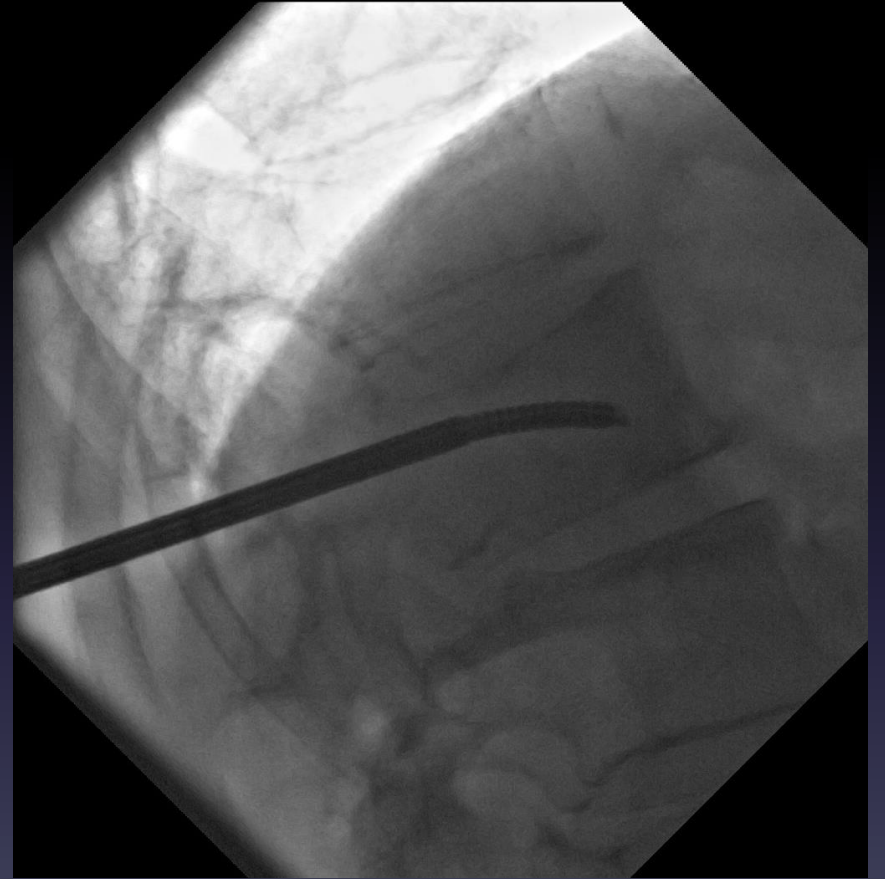
Real-time temperature monitoring with CT permits:

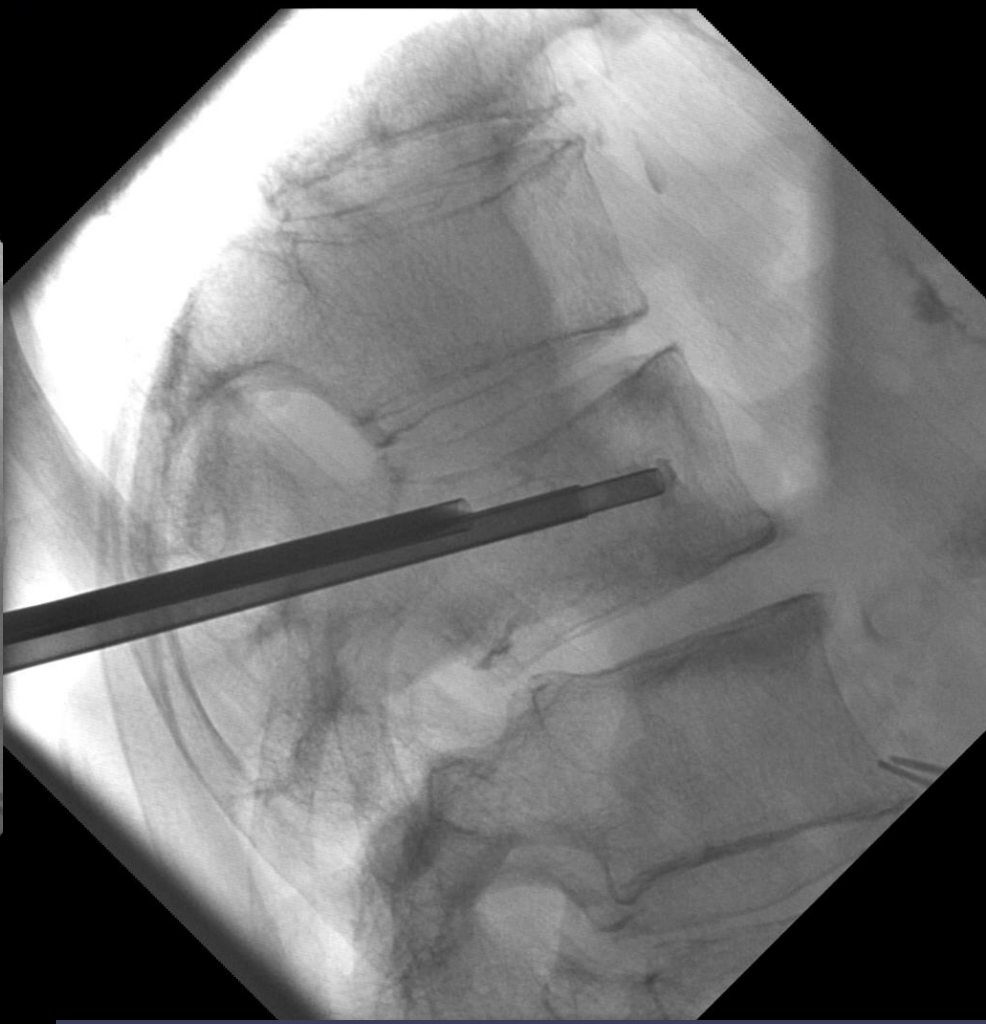
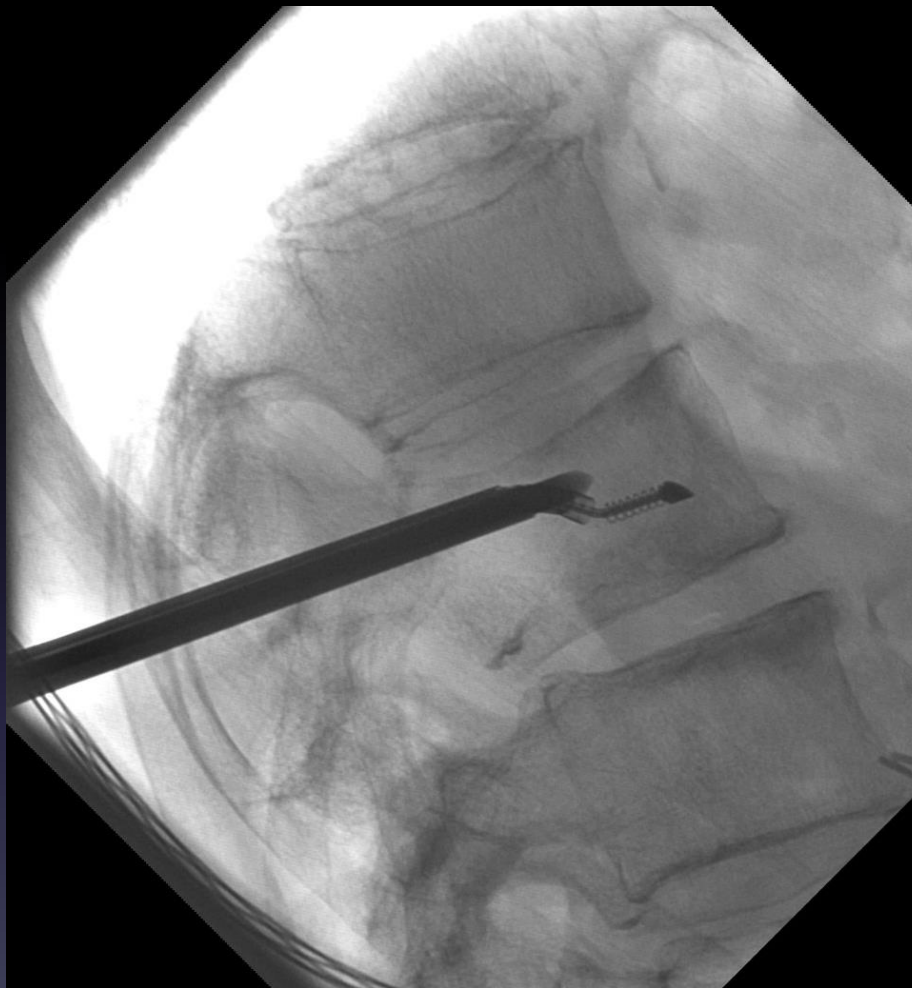
- assess thermal spread
- confirm physiologic temp prior to cement delivery





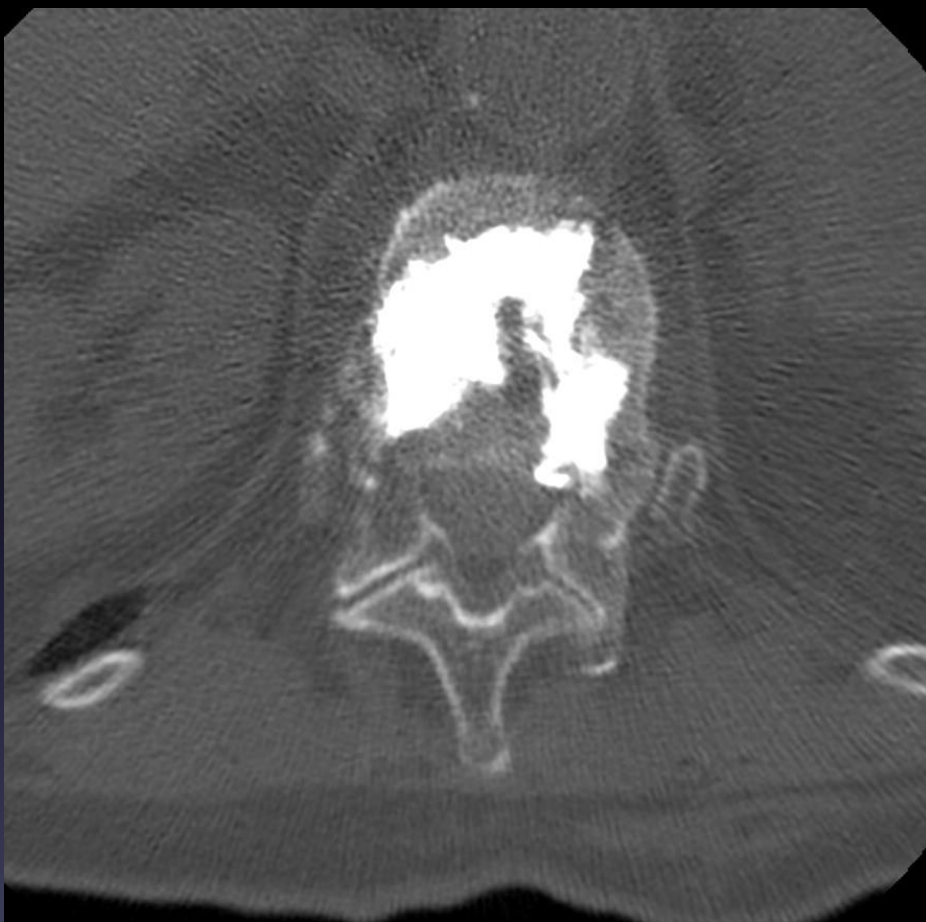
Women 75 y.o.

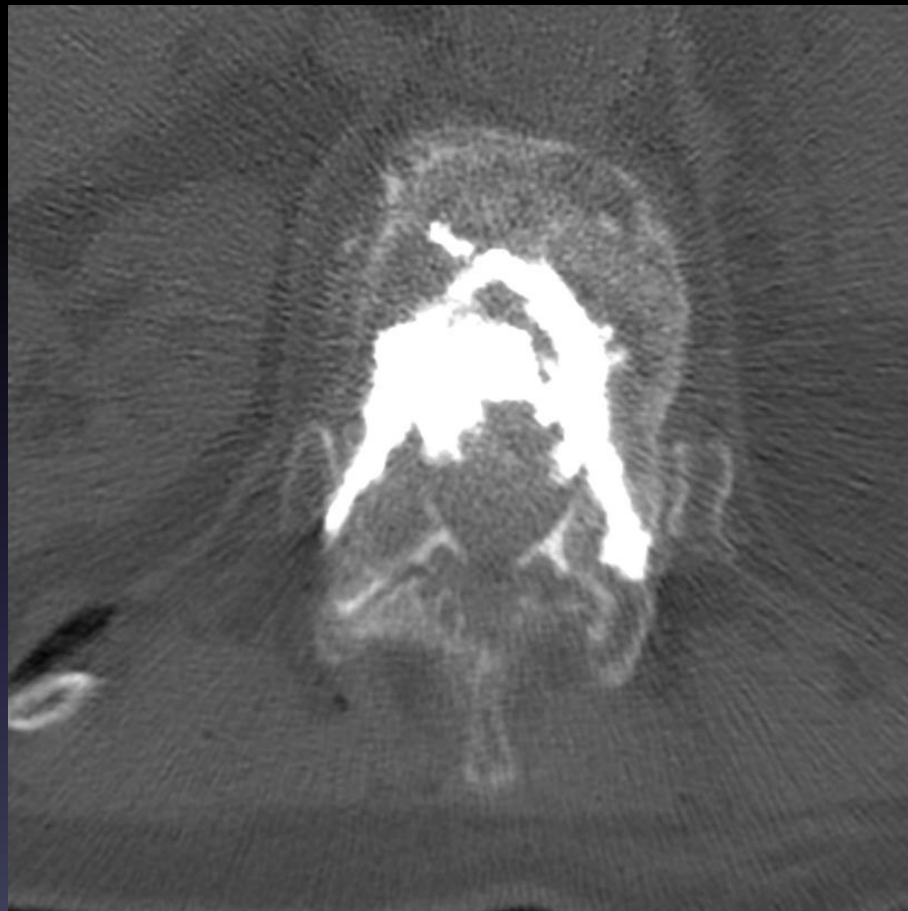




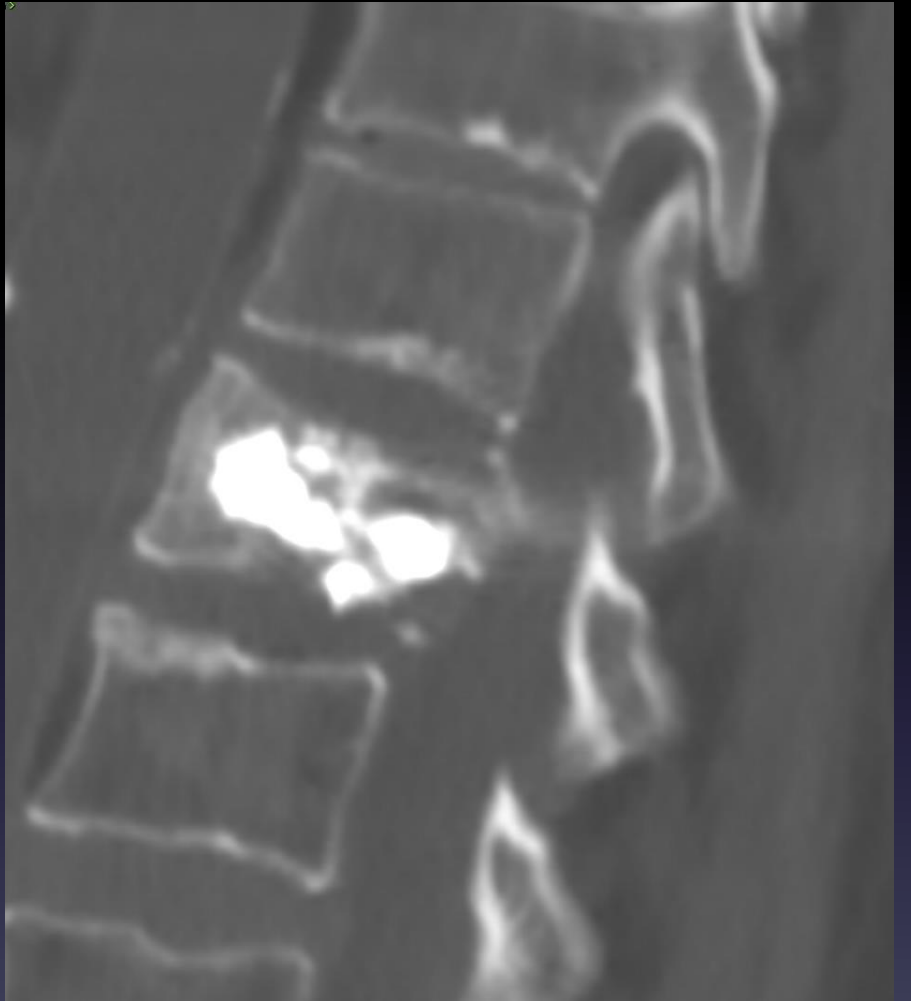


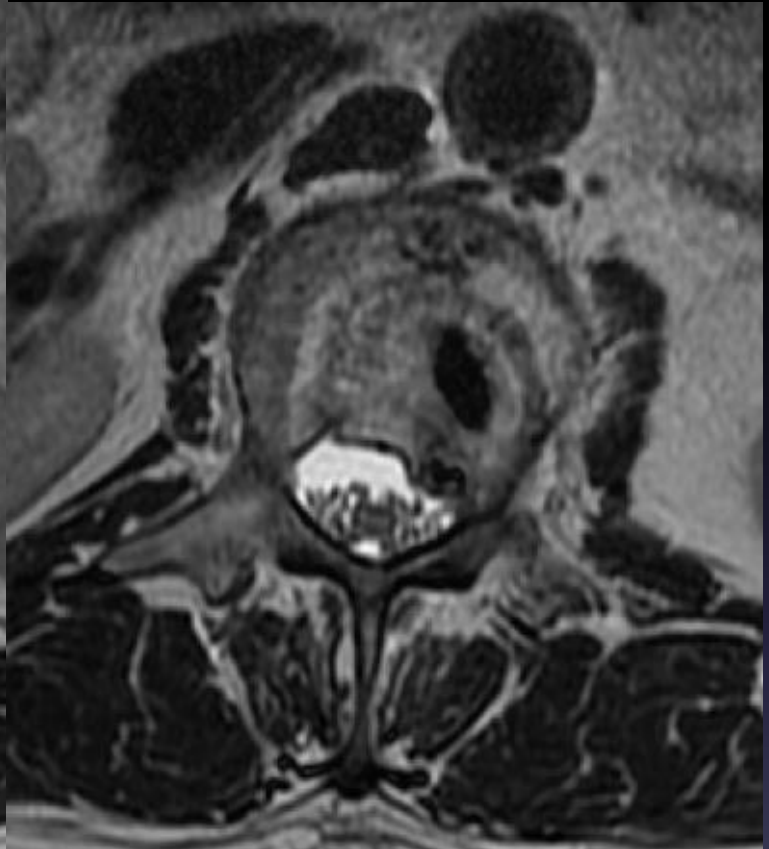
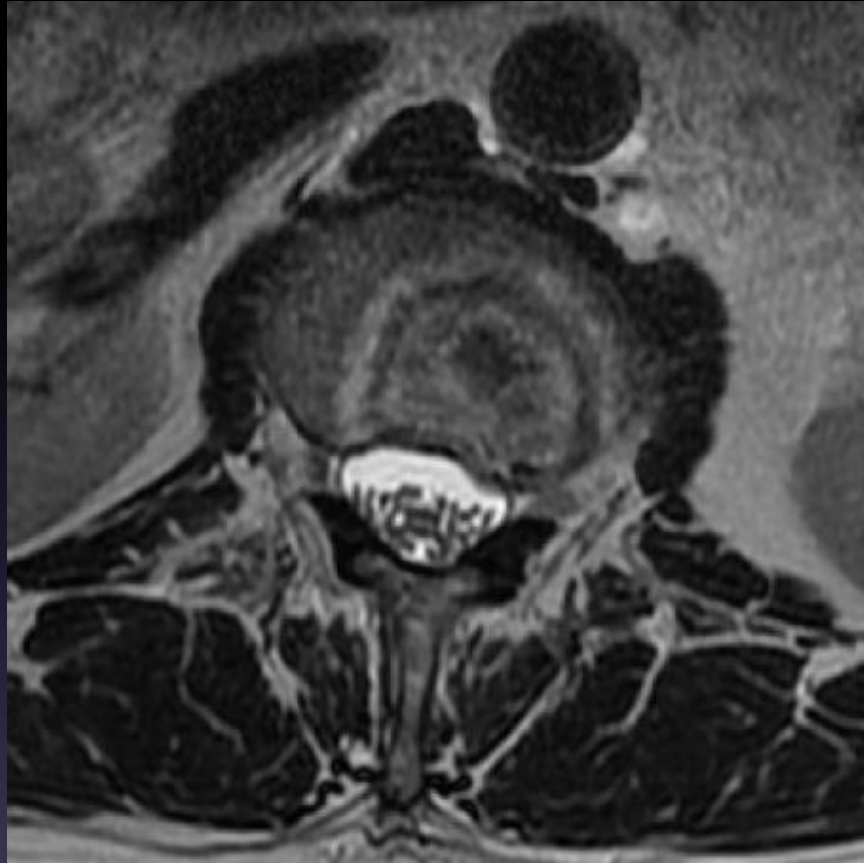






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Conclusions:

- Correct Clinical approach and Diagnosis
- Choice of treatment – evaluate the cost
- Team with endocrinologist, oncologist, radiotherapist, neurosurgeons, orthopedics, and pain therapist.
- Oncologist. 2015 Oct;20(10):1205-15
- **The Metastatic Spine Disease Multidisciplinary Working Group Algorithms.**
- **Wallace AN and coll**

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