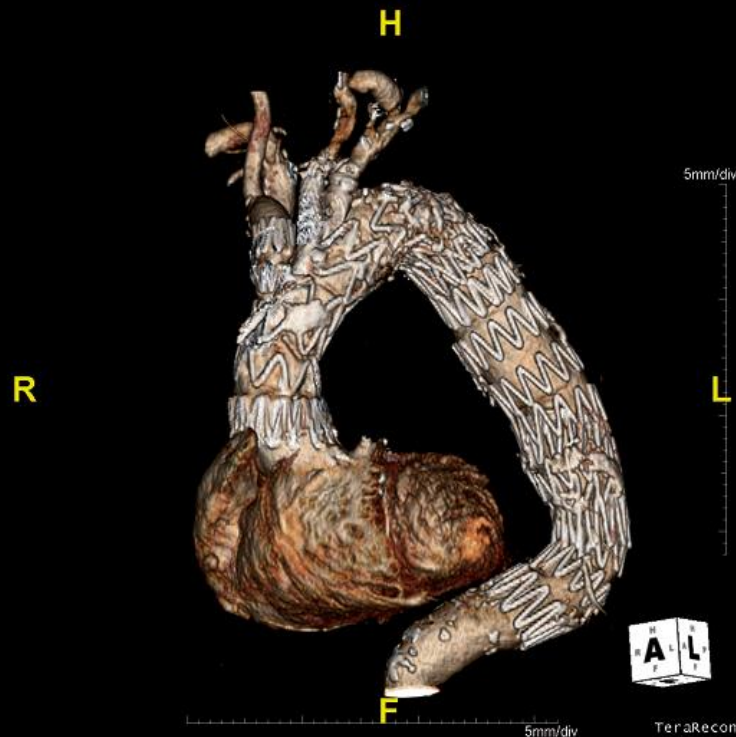


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Predictors of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Sac Enlargement After Endovascular Repair

Andres Schanzer, MD; Roy K. Greenberg, MD; Nathanael Hevelone, MPH; William P. Robinson, MD; Mohammad H. Eslami, MD; Robert J. Goldberg, PhD; Louis Messina, MD

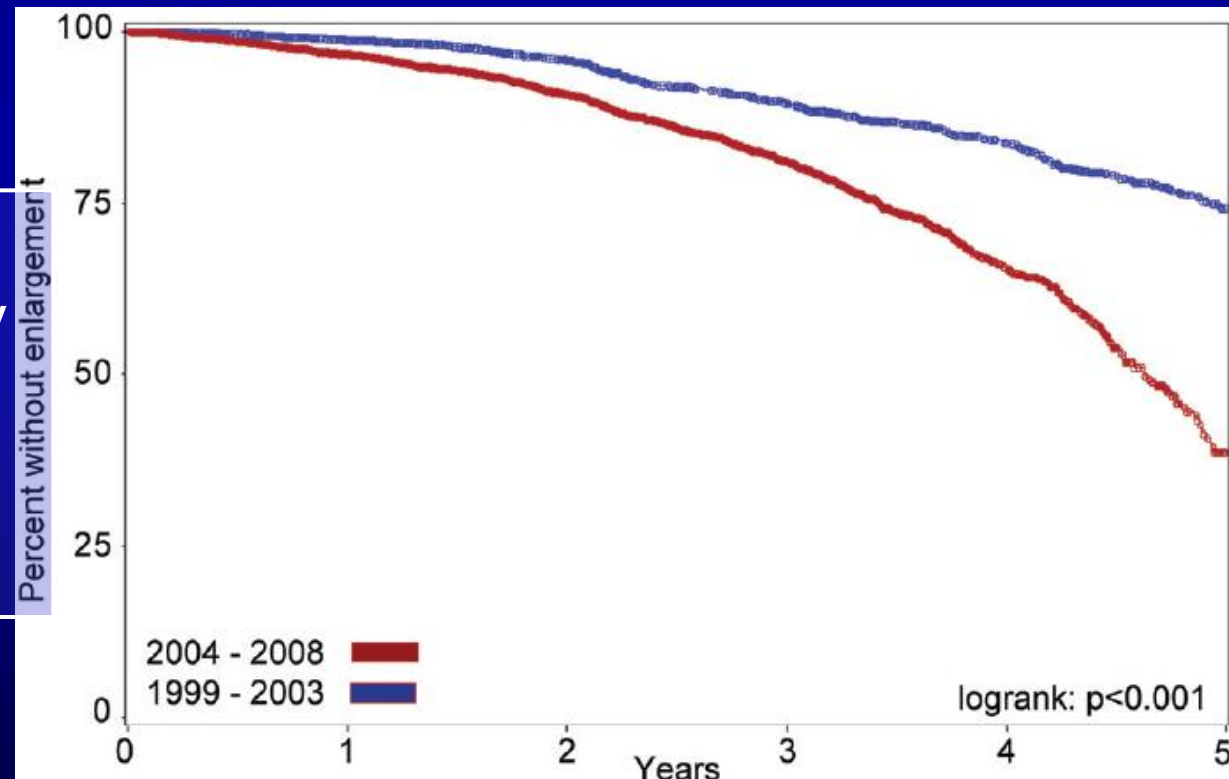
(*Circulation*. 2011;123:2848-2855.)

10228 patients

Retrospective study

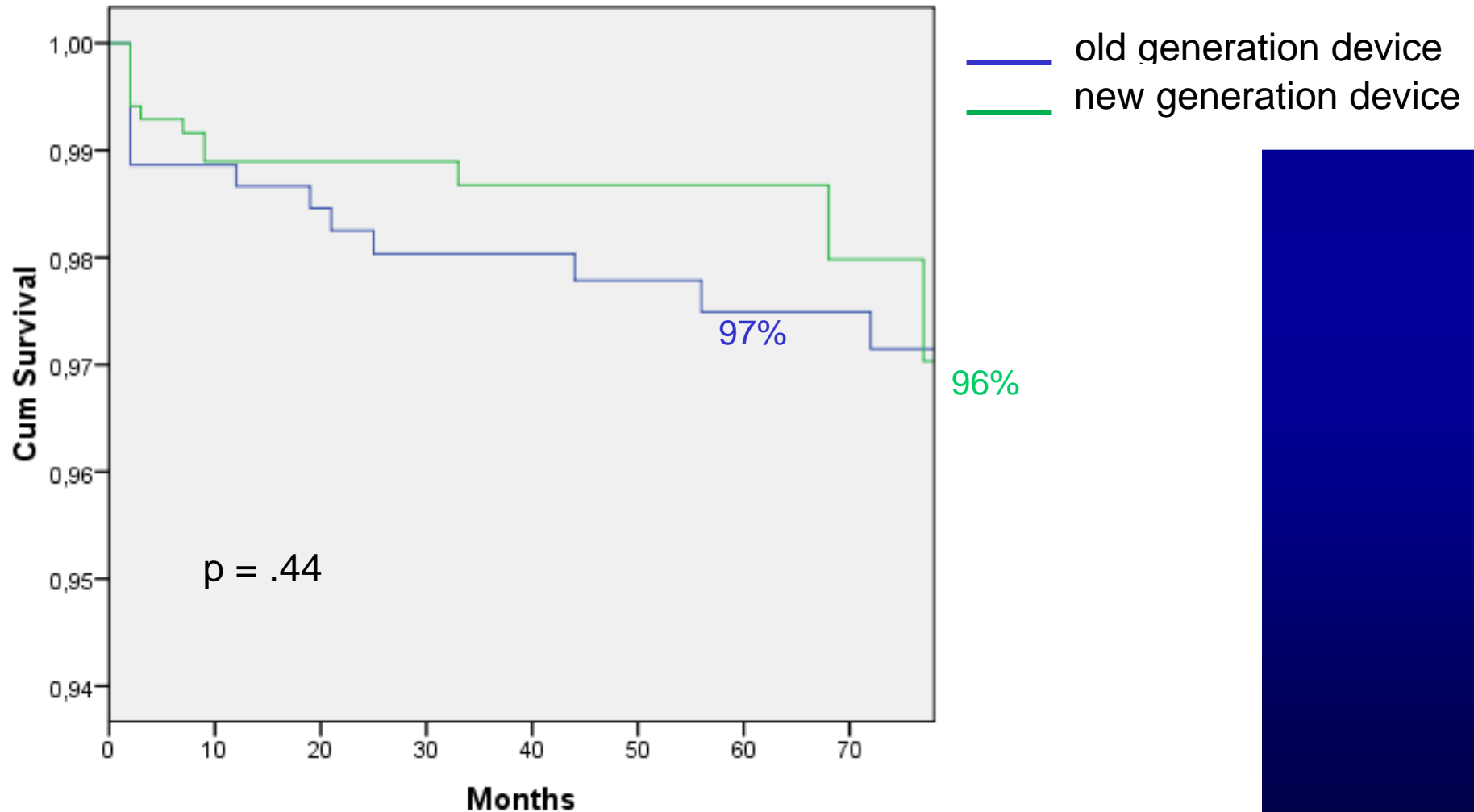
Experience leads to
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innovation

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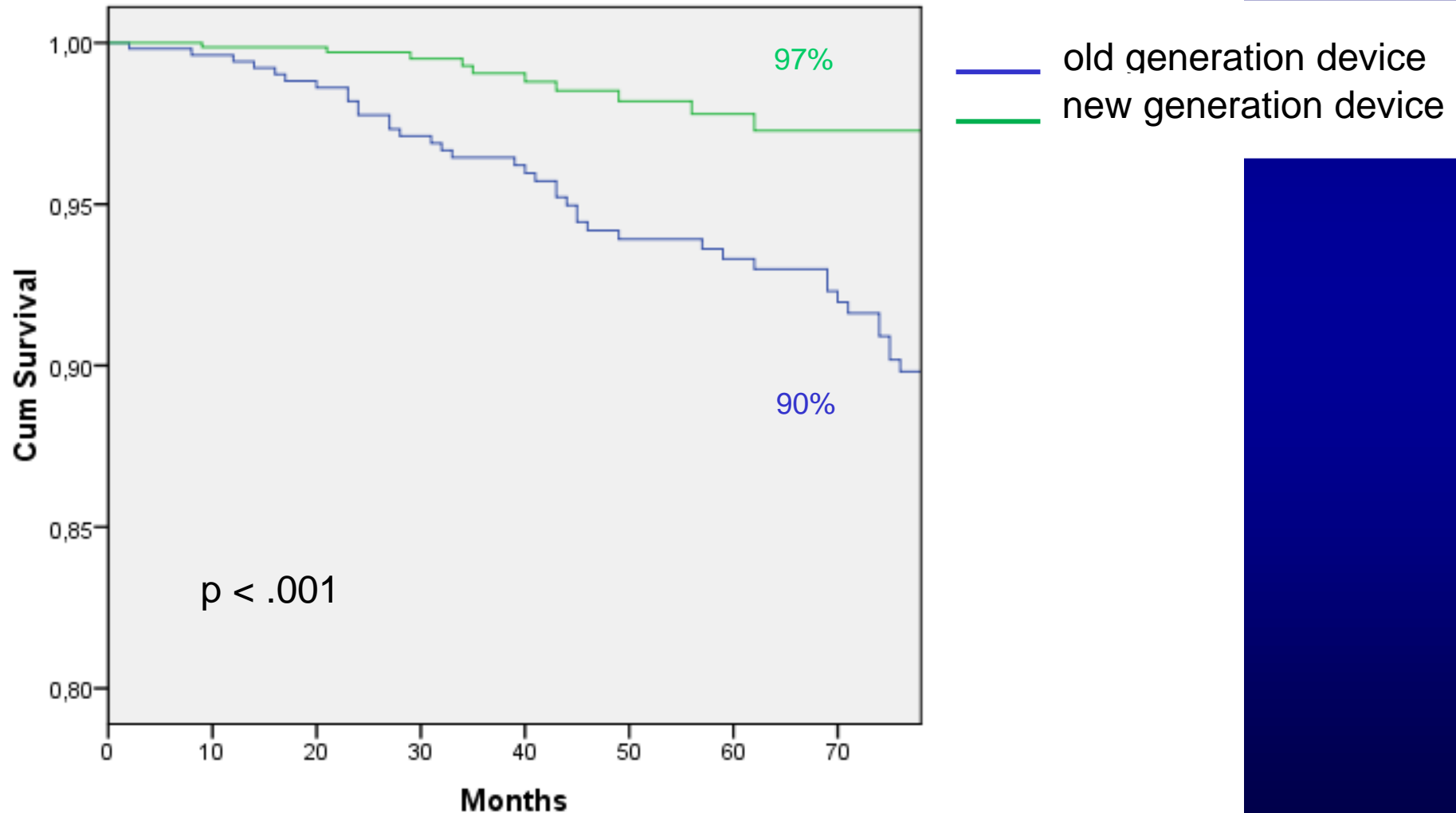
Perugia experience (1997-2011)

Freedom from AAA related death



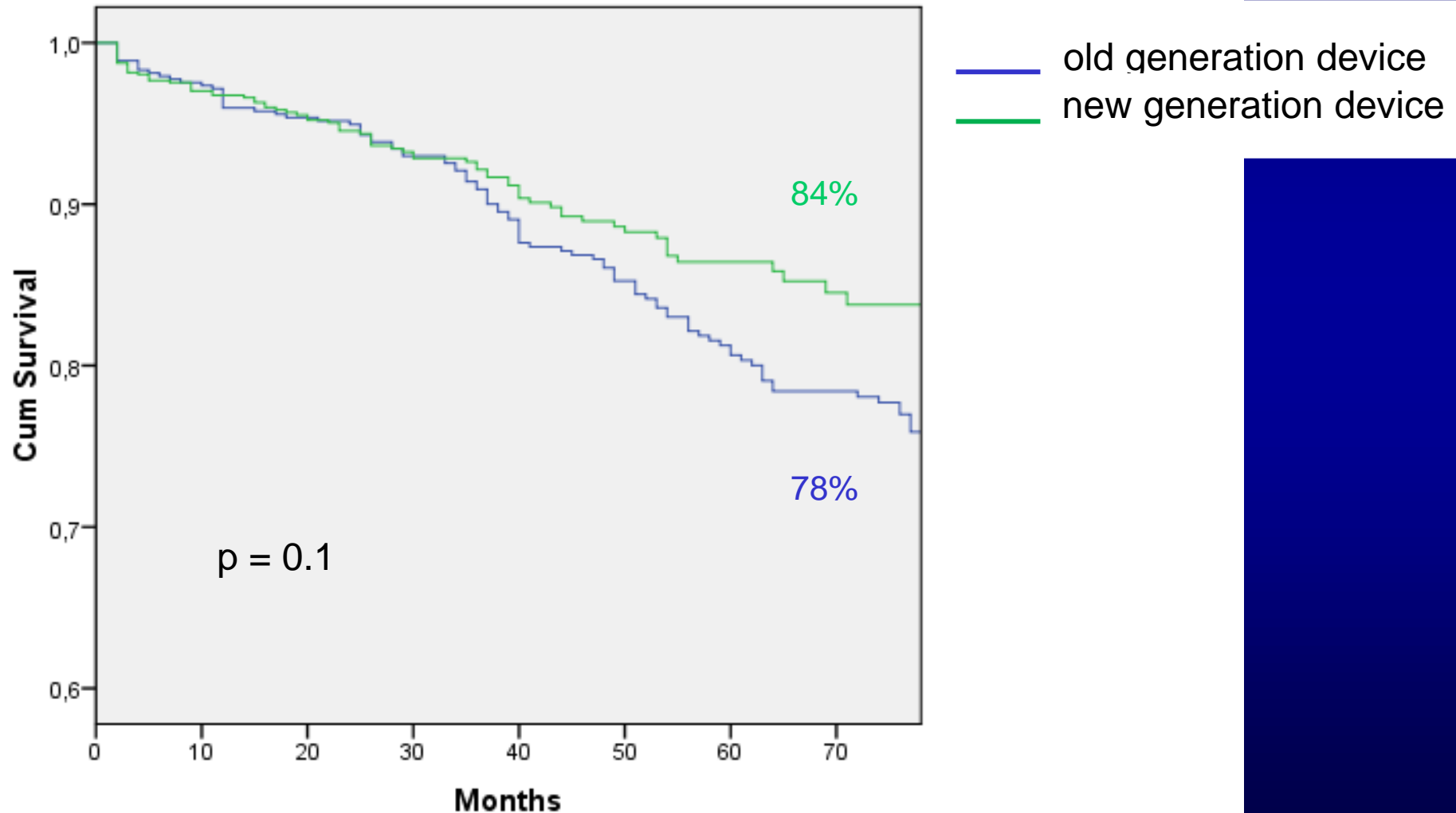
Perugia experience (1997-2011)

Freedom from late conversion



Perugia experience (1997-2011)

Freedom from reintervention

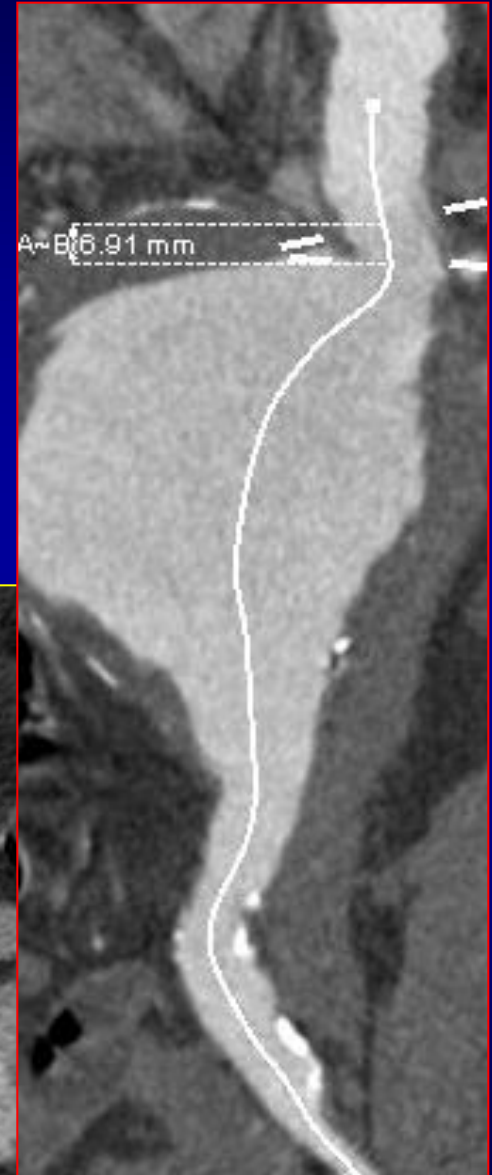


Female 85y

CAD (previous PTCA)

Hypertension

ABDOMINAL PAIN

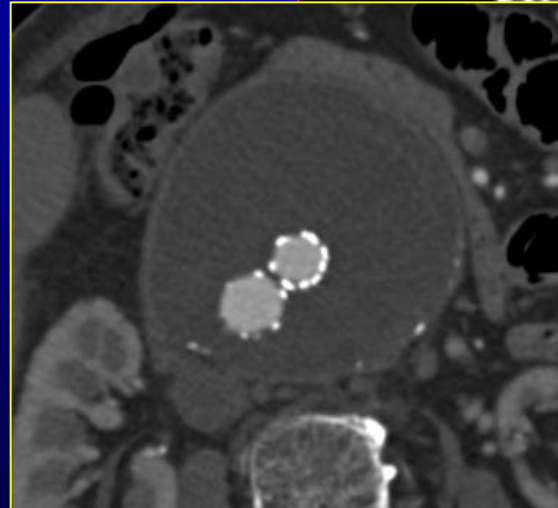
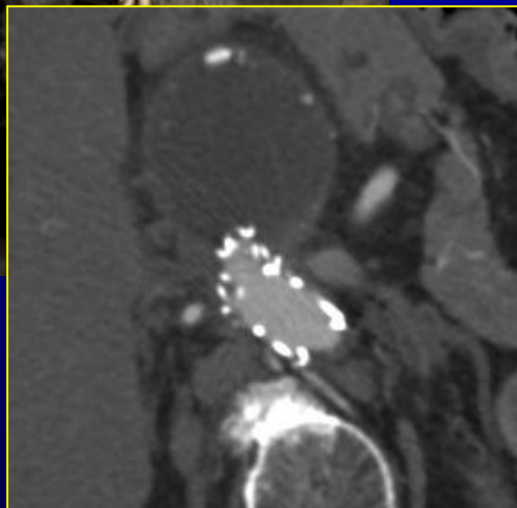
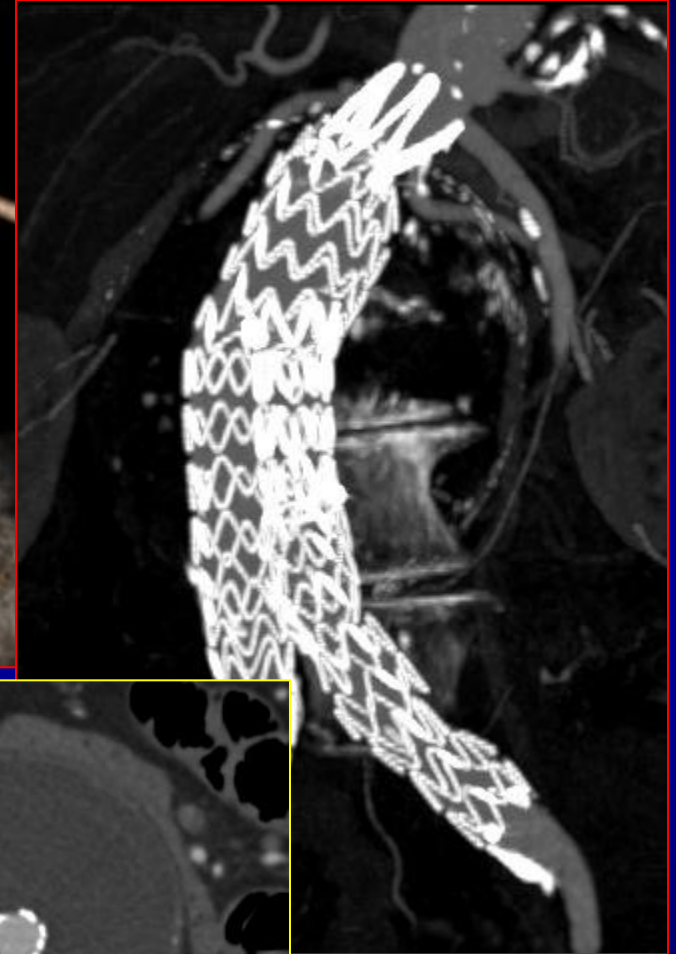




Outside IFU



CT @ 1 week

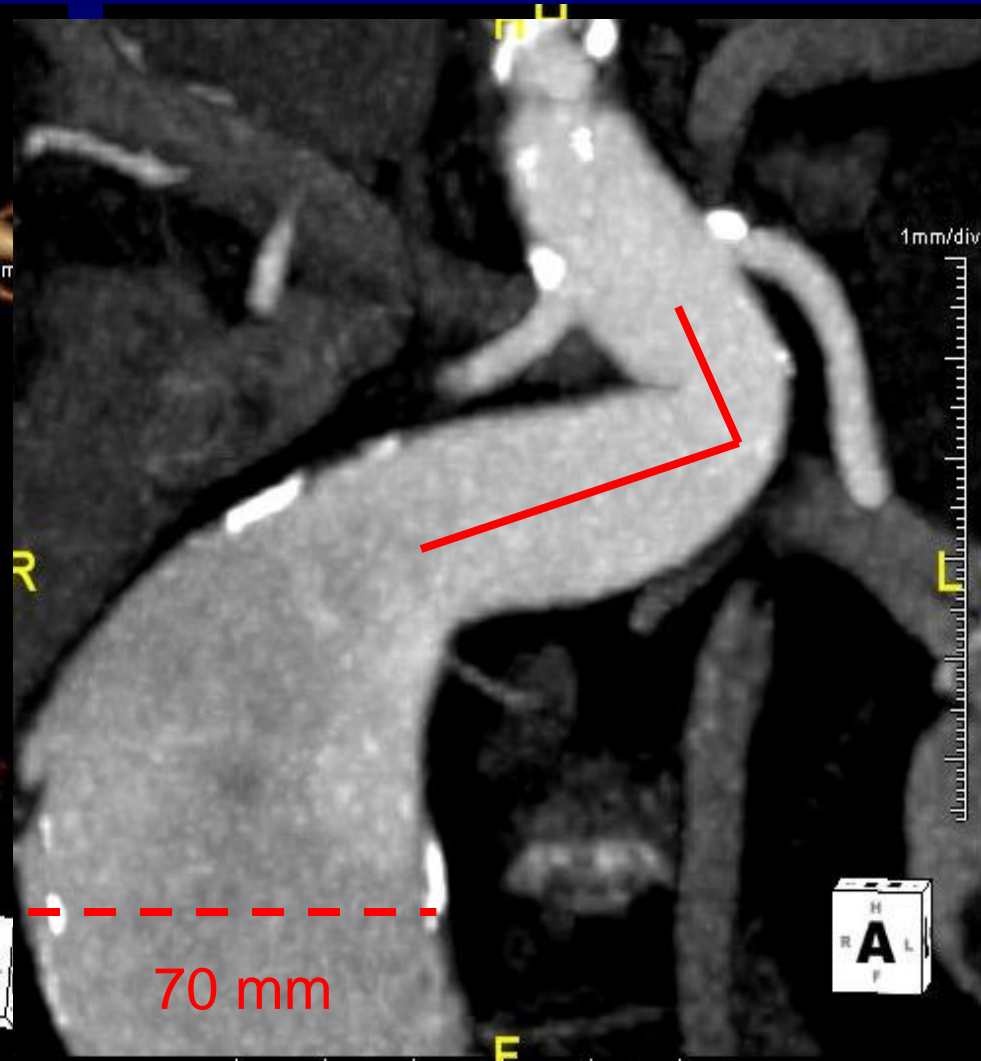
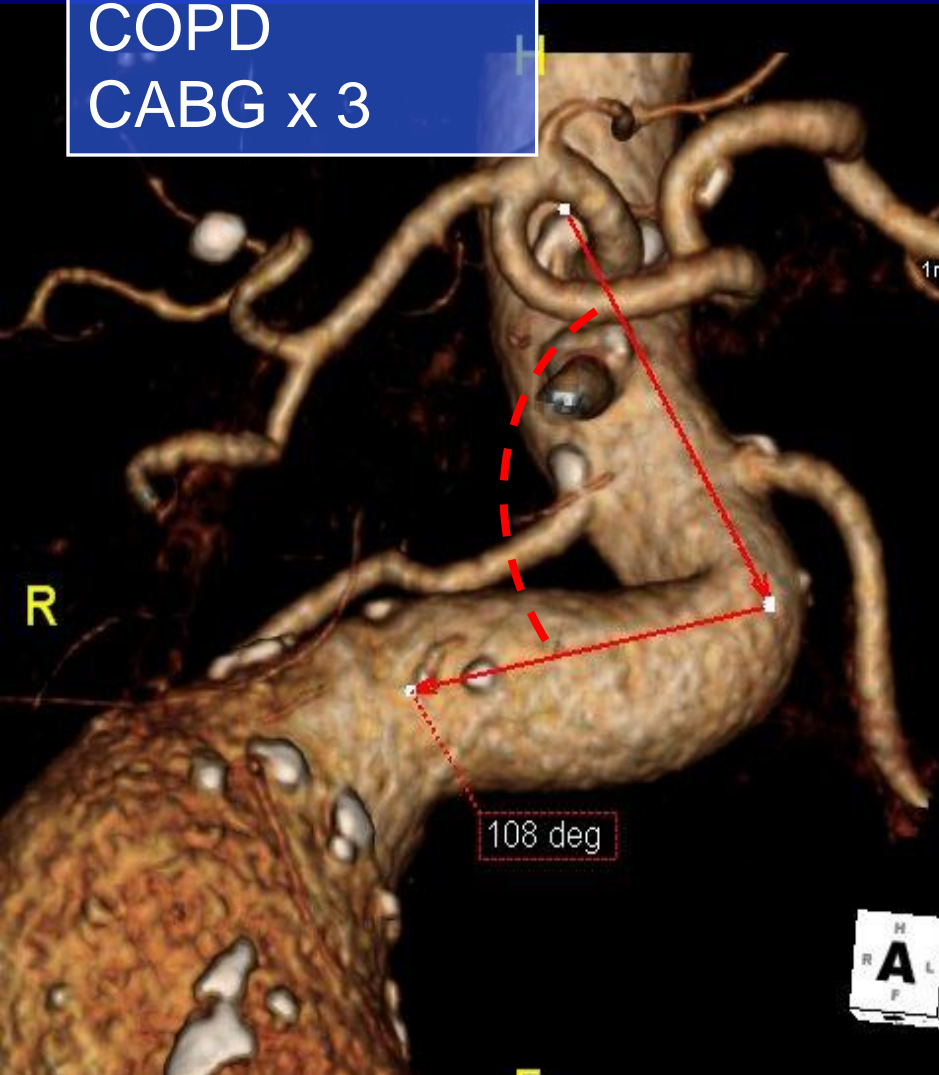


Female 71y

Obesity

COPD

CABG x 3



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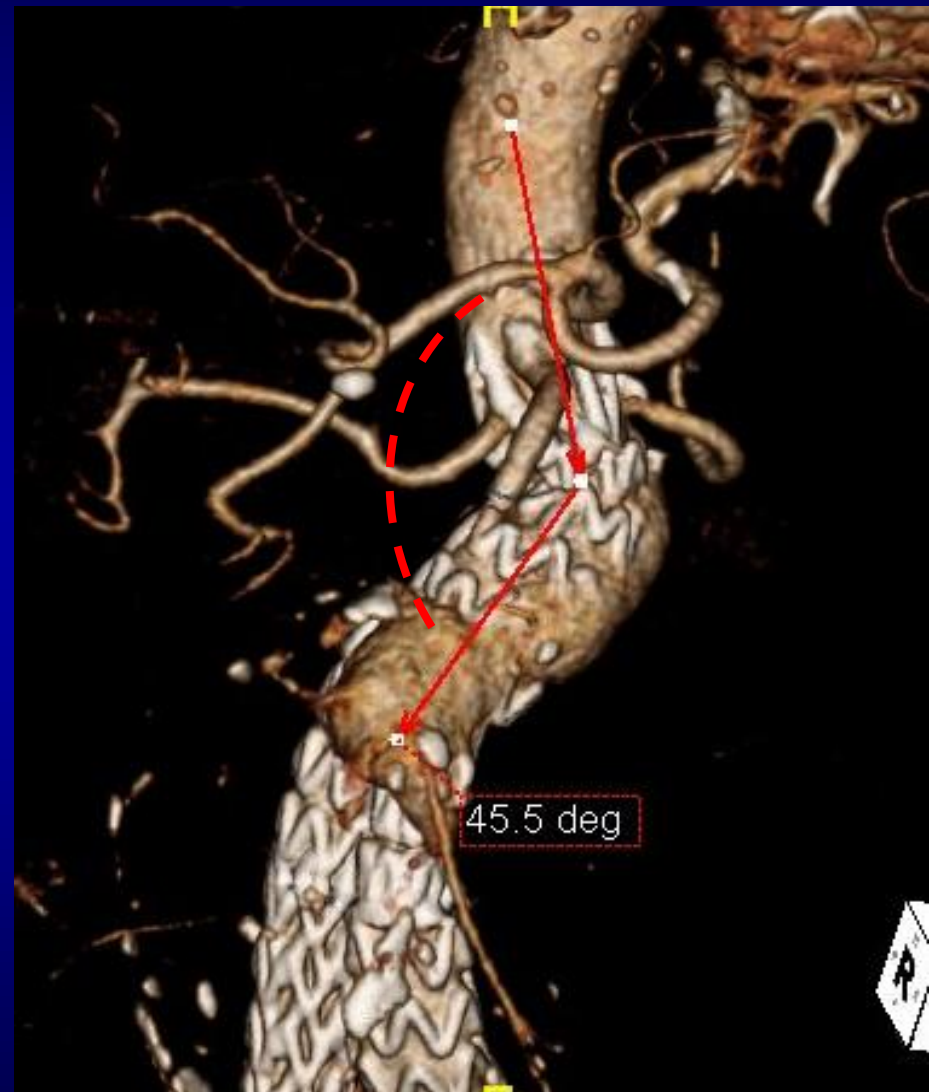
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Endurant Medtronic
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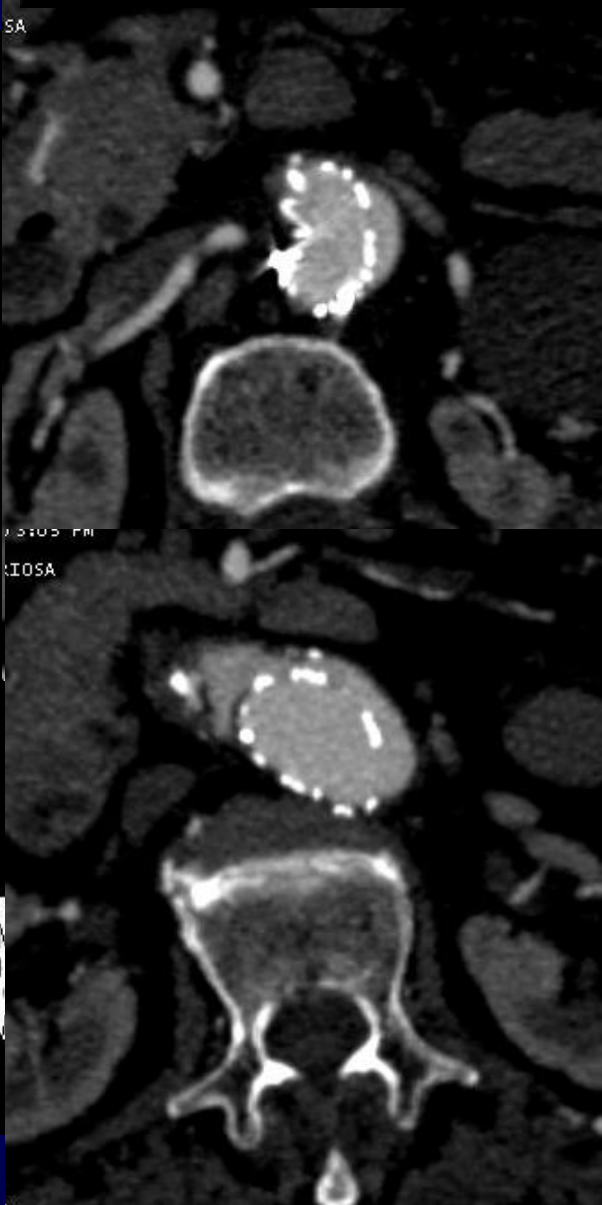
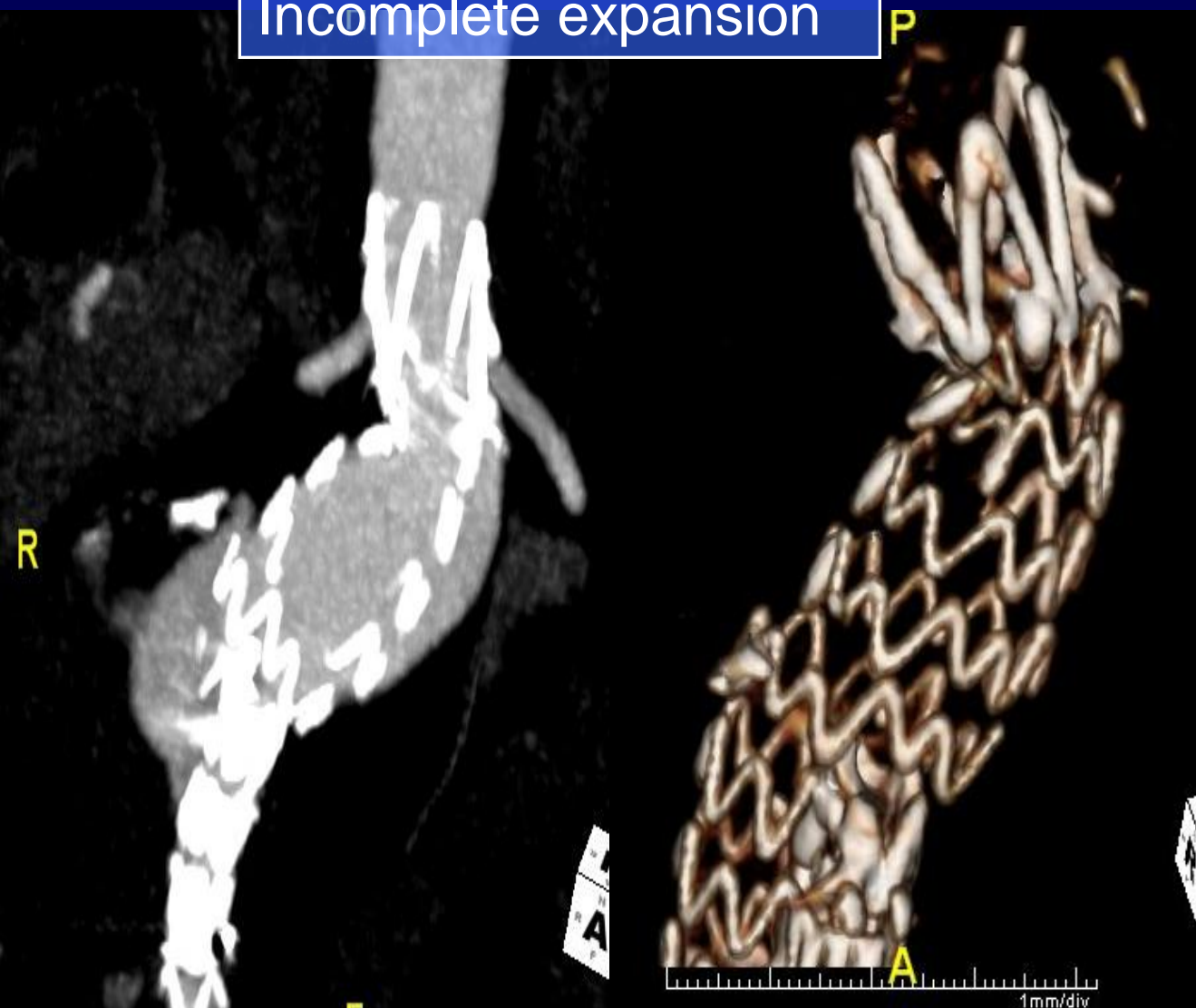


CT @ 1 m





Incomplete expansion



24 Age: 71 .F

Coil embolization



Roma Experience with Medtronic Endurant (2009-2011)



n=94

89 Elective AAA

30-day mortality 0

Conversion 0

Migration 0

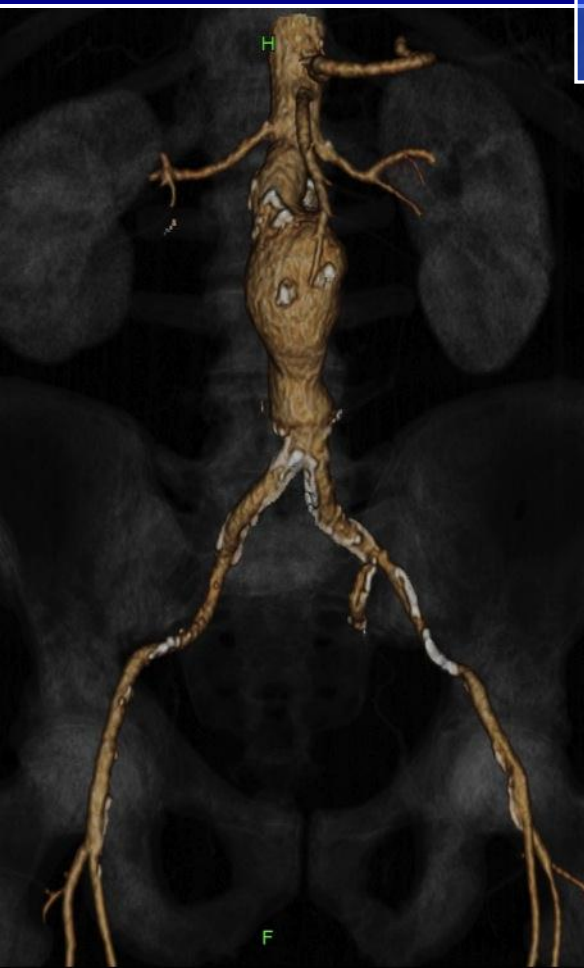
Reinterventions 1

- CP stent implantation for iliac leg occlusion

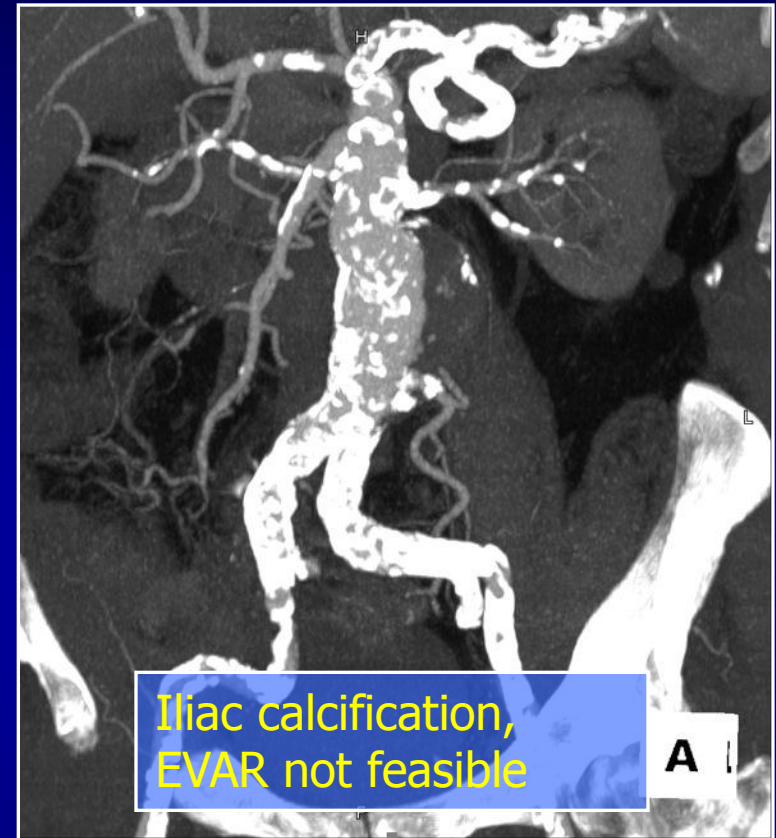
6 out of 31 rAAA
30-day mortality 20%



Meeting unmet needs in abdominal aortic aneurysm treatment

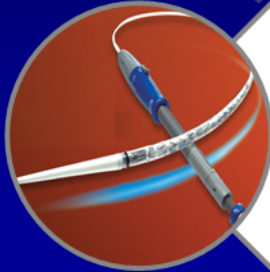


Iliac calcification,
EVAR feasible



Open Surgery

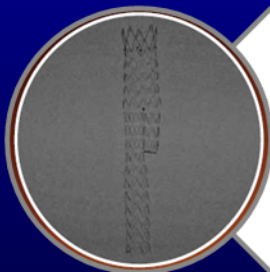
Endurant II



Lower profile, hydrophilic delivery system for enhanced access



Longer limb lengths offer multiple options to improve ease of use



Improved radiopacity for increased visibility



Improve vascular access

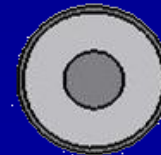
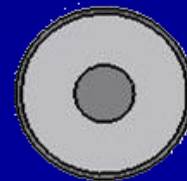
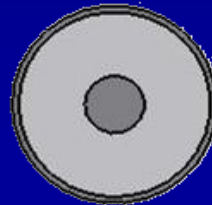
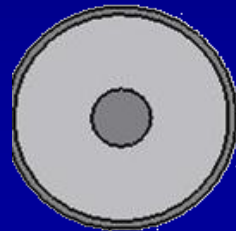
Reduce Profile

20 Fr

18 Fr

16 Fr

14 Fr



Endurant

Endurant II*

Low Profile AAA

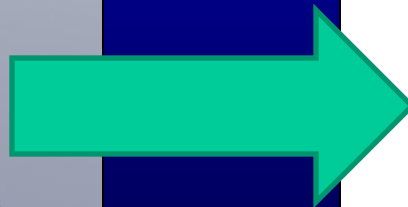
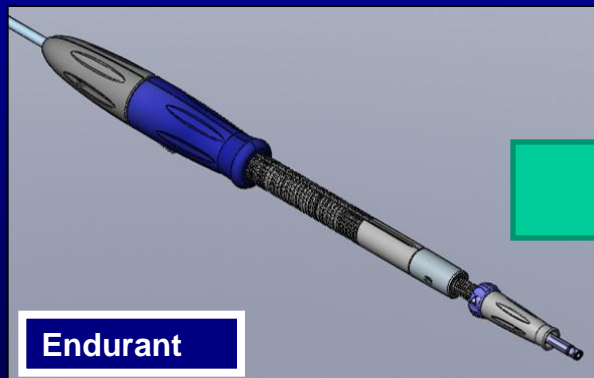


- Bifur profile: 14 – 16 Fr (OD)
- Limb profile: 12 – 14 Fr (OD)

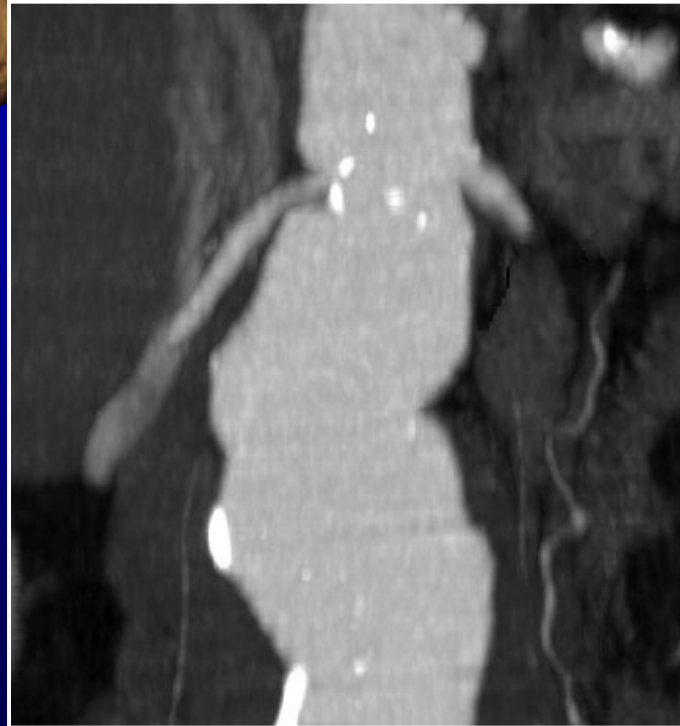
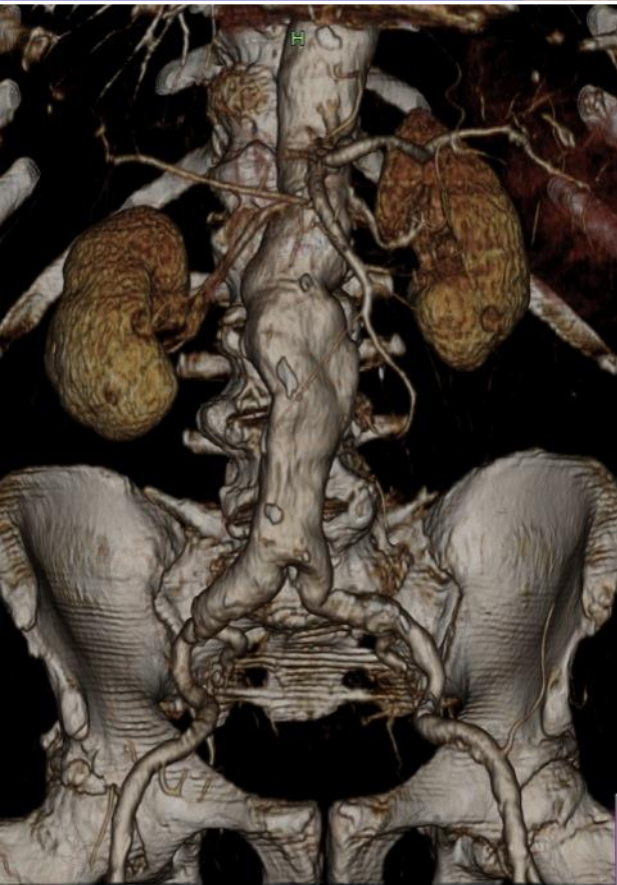
Low Profile AAA

simplified delivery system for controlled deployment

- Added flush port for contrast injection to visualize hypogastric artery post bifur deployment
- Eliminated tip re-capture step
- New materials and shapes for improved handling



Meeting unmet needs in abdominal aortic aneurysm treatment





Custom made
fenestrated device,
non-specific visceral
stent



AAA Branch Stent Graft System

Efficacy

Procedure Time

Ease of Use

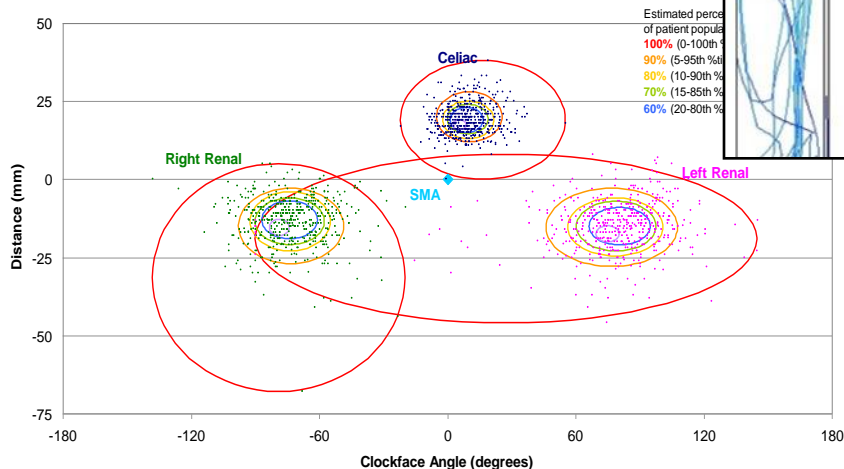
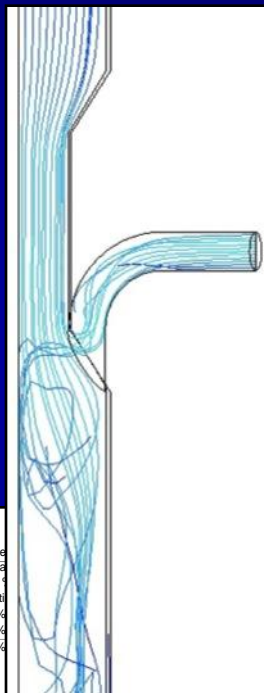
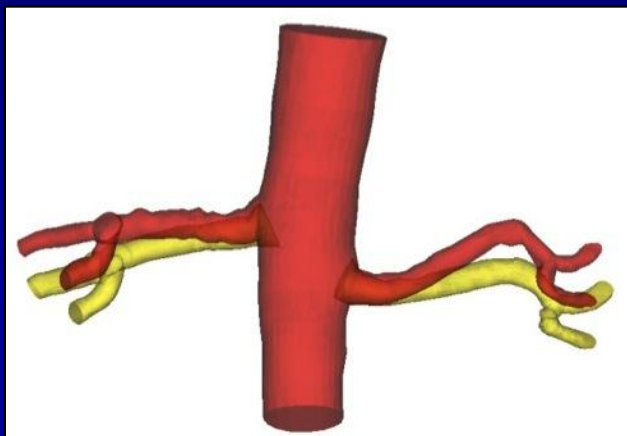
Off the Shelf

Safety



Design Considerations

Patient Anatomy & Physiology was taken into consideration for design Development



M2S database

- Determining aneurysm anatomy (infrarenal, juxtarenal, suprarenal)
- Renal takeoff angulations
- Renal, SMA, and celiac ostia height & clockface positions





Computational Flow Dynamics

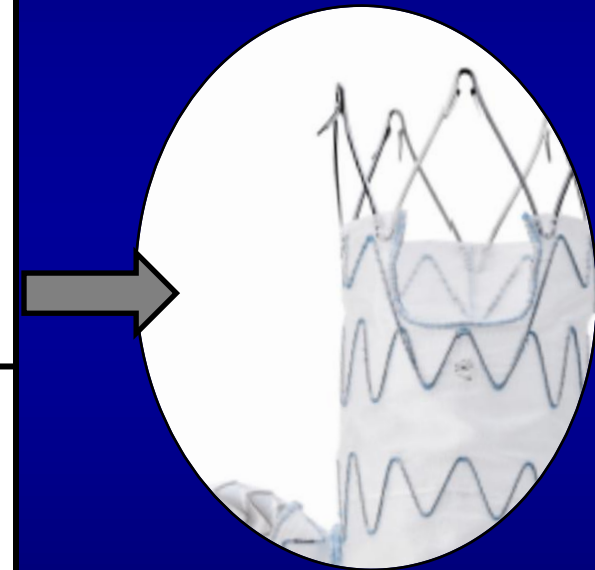
- Determine blood flow rates in upward oriented renal branch stent grafts
- Patency in branches
- Bench-top model to confirm CFD analysis

Renal Motion Analysis

- Respiratory induced renal artery deformation
Stanford Study (Christopher Cheng, Ph.D.)
- AAA patient population examined to determine fatigue boundary conditions

Evolution of the Design Concept

	Femoral Access	Brachial Access
Tapered		
Full Diameter		



Conclusions

- Latest generation endografts seem to perform better in complex anatomies (mid term)
- Critical issues: short proximal necks & small, diseased iliacs
- Future developments eagerly awaited
 - Easy to use, off the shelf devices
 - Durable and effective in the long term