

Haematuria and Bladder Cancer

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Haematuria

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Macroscopic vs Microscopic

Painful vs Painless

Concurrent abdo pain/urinary symptoms

Previous testing?

Dipstick testing

- Equivalent to microscopy if ++
- If dipstick trace or + then consider microscopy



Haematuria

CAUSES OF HAEMATURIA

Urological malignancy
(BLADDER, prostate and kidney)

Urinary Tract Infection

Renal stone disease

Benign prostatic disease (including prostatitis, BPH)

Non-infected inflammatory cystitis

Glomerulonephritis & other renal conditions

A cyst bleed in ADPKD

Trauma (causing haematuria or myoglobinuria)

Exercise-induced haematuria (more common in patients
with IgA nephropathy)

Renal infarction (rare)

Tuberculosis of renal tract

Uncontrolled systemic anticoagulation



Haematuria

Benign conditions that may discolour the urine
Menstruation
Jaundice
Ingestion of foodstuffs (beetroot, red cabbage)
Dyes (paprika, other food colourings)
Drugs (rifampicin, metronidazole, nitrofurantoin, warfarin, phenytoin)
Some gram negative bacteria (possessing indoxyl sulphatase)
Rhabdomyolysis
Rare metabolic disorders (porphyria, alkaptonuria)



Is cancer the commonest cause of haematuria?

Analysis of 1,930 patients attending a haematuria clinic

1,194 Men, 736 Women

Age 17 - 96 years (mean 58 years)

61% No cause for haematuria found

12% Bladder cancer

13% UTI

2% stones

Investigate haematuria



Is there a difference in cancer pick up between Macro and Micro haematuria?

Analysis of 4,020 patients attending a haematuria clinic

2,627 Men, 1,393 Women

Even split of Macro and Micro Haematuria

- **Macroscopic - 19% malignancy**
- **Microscopic - 5% malignancy**



**Intensify macroscopic
haematuria workup**

Does UTI at the time of haematuria reduce the chance of a cancer diagnosis?

Analysis of 1740 patients attending a haematuria clinic

1,067 men, 673 women

161 had positive MSU

20% malignancy pick up with UTI

1249 with no UTI history and a negative MSU

24% malignancy pick up with no UTI



Investigate haematuria even
in those with a UTI

Haematuria and women

2009-2010

920 patients bladder cancer

398 patients renal cancer

252 (27%) female

164 (42%) female


Women 3+ consultations more often than men before referral

3.29 higher odds (2.06-5.25, $p < 0.001$) for bladder cancer

1.90 higher odds (1.06-3.42, $p = 0.031$) for renal cancer

Each year approx. 700 women in UK with either bladder or renal cancer experience delayed diagnosis





nhs.uk/bloodinpee

Bladder and kidney cancer in numbers

53%

blood in pee is a key symptom in 53% of bladder cancer patients

7600

people in England who die from bladder or kidney cancer each year

18%

blood in pee is a key symptom in 18% of kidney cancer patients

17450

people in England diagnosed with bladder or kidney cancer each year

90%+

More than 90% of people diagnosed with bladder or kidney cancer are 50 or over




Dr Anant Sachdev

If you notice blood in your pee, even if it's 'just the once', tell your doctor.

It could be an early sign of kidney or bladder cancer. Finding it early makes it more treatable, so tell your doctor straight away.



nhs.uk/bloodinpee




Dr Jane Scott

'Blood in pee' campaign
15 February – 31 March 2016

Last updated: 8 January 2016



National 'blood in pee' campaign
13 October – 23 November 2014



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Blood in pee campaign

Increase in TWR referrals

26% - 2013

34% - 2014

Increase in renal cancer diagnosis 2013 & 2014

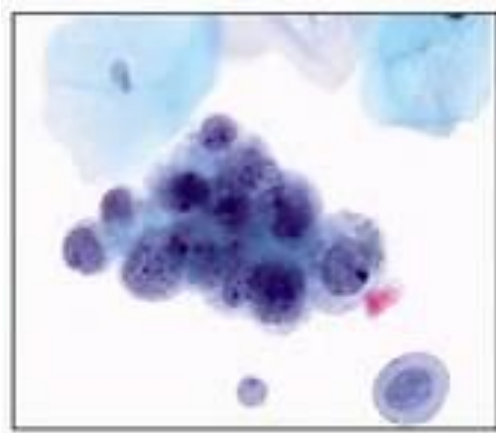
Increase in bladder cancer diagnosis 2013 only

In early 2014:

- Increase in lower stage bladder cancer
- Decrease in advanced bladder cancer
- Increase in lower stage renal cancer
- Limited reduction advanced renal cancer



What happens in a haematuria clinic?



Haematuria

What if investigations are normal?

Management of co-existing symptoms

Nephrology referral considered:

- Proteinuria
- eGFR < 60
- imaging suggestive of renal disease



Bladder Cancer

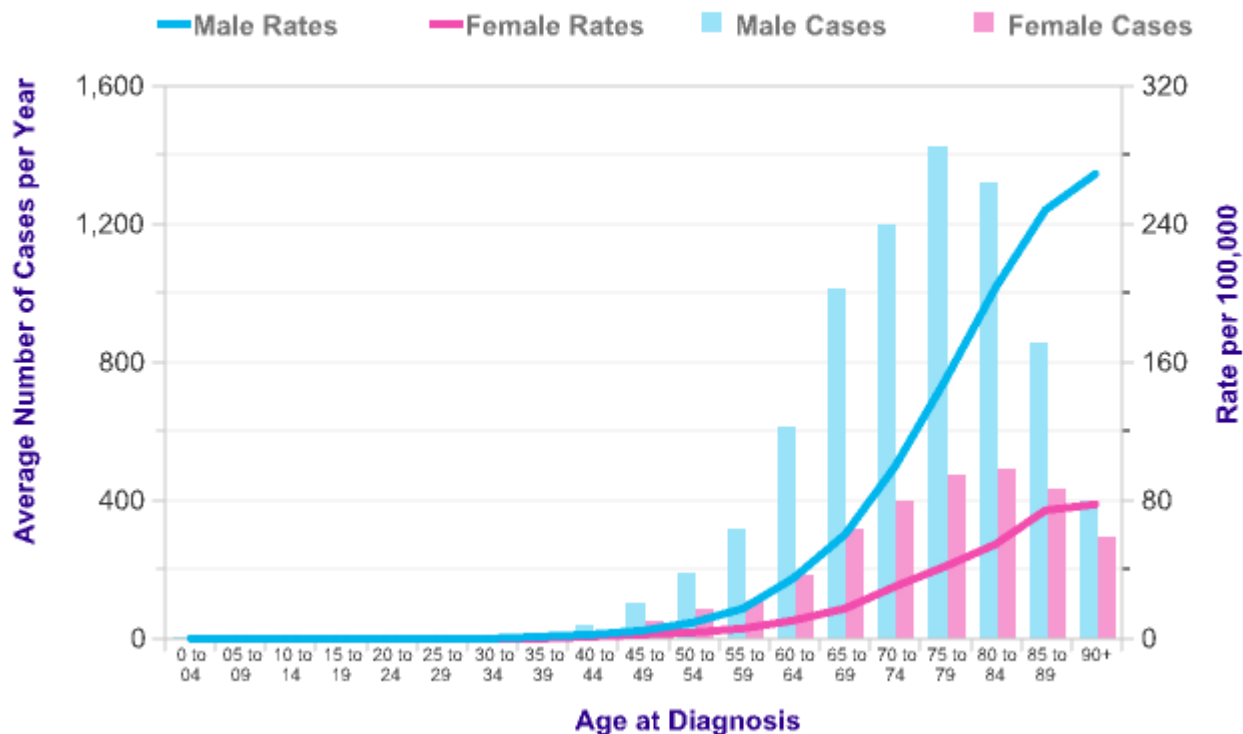
Bladder Cancer

- 2014
 - 10,063 new diagnoses
 - 25 % invasive disease
 - 5,369 deaths
 - 10th most common cancer
 - Most expensive cancer to treat overall
 - This may change with immunotherapy



Bladder Cancer (C67): 2012-2014

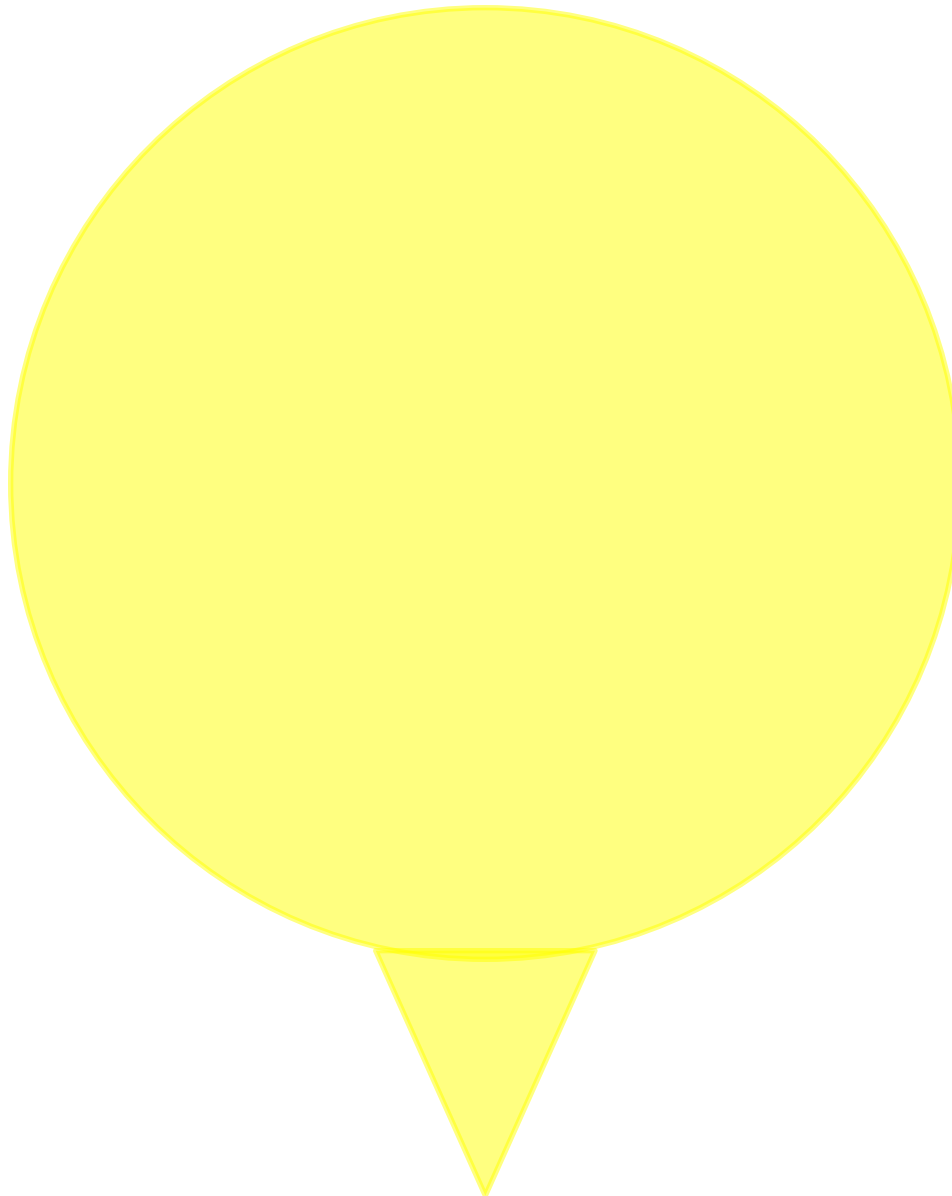
Average Number of New Cases Per Year and Age-Specific Incidence Rates per 100,000 Population. UK



Prepared by Cancer Research UK - original data sources are available from <http://www.cancerresearchuk.org/cancer-info/cancerstats/>



Bladder anatomy



Good

Globular shape
Maximum capacity
Watertight
'Independent'

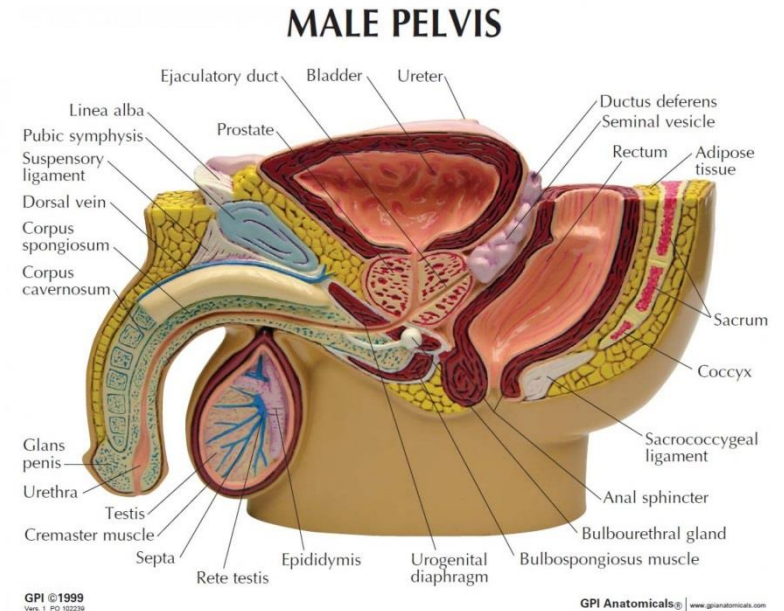
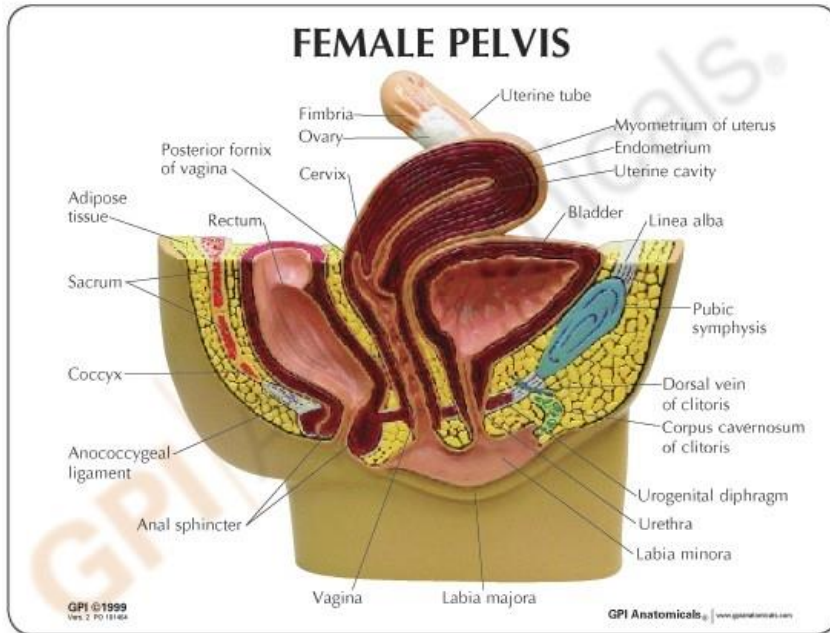
Not so Good

Central position
Vulnerability to DXT

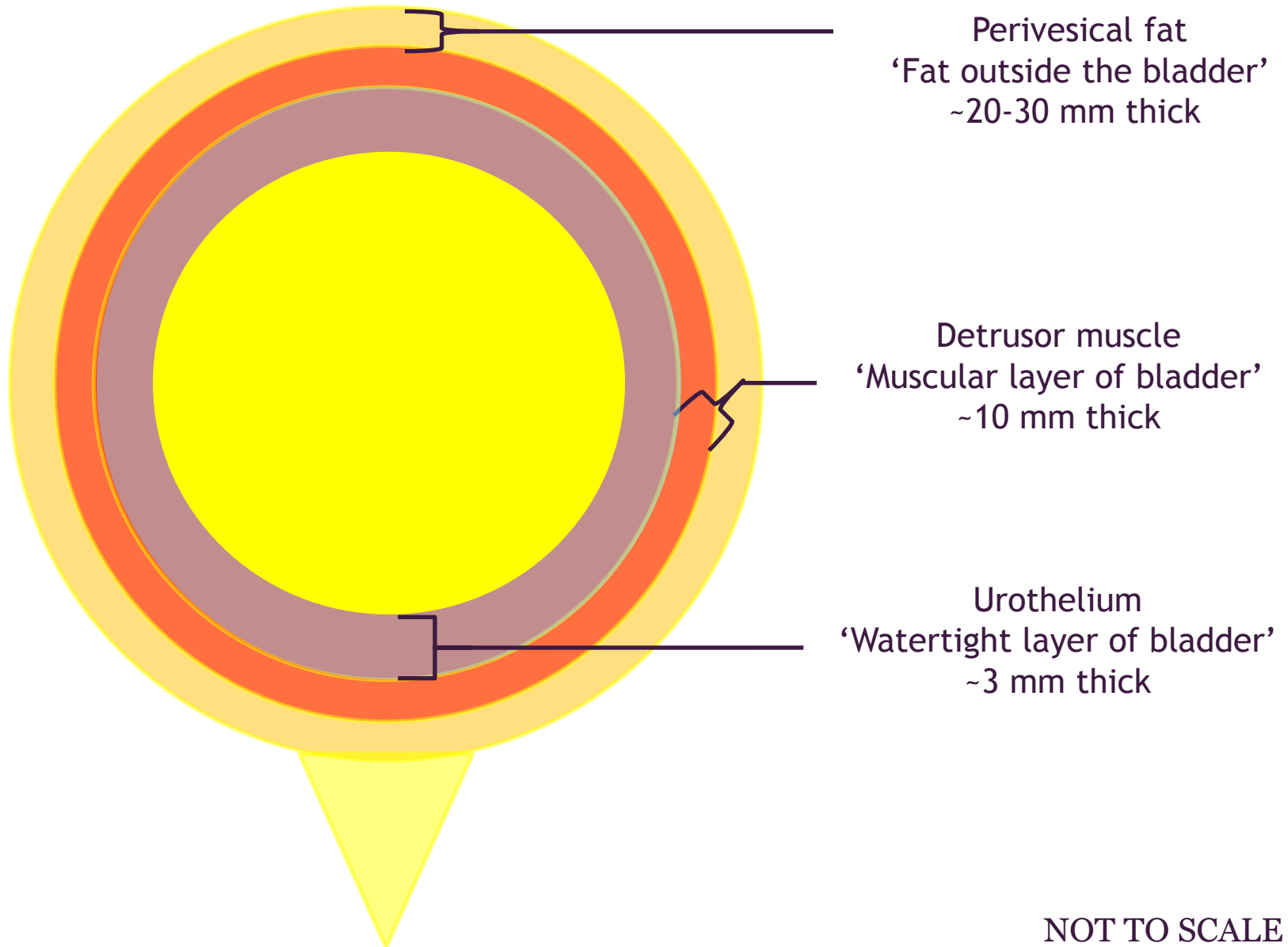
Dysfunction difficult to manage
LUTS
UTI
Obstruction



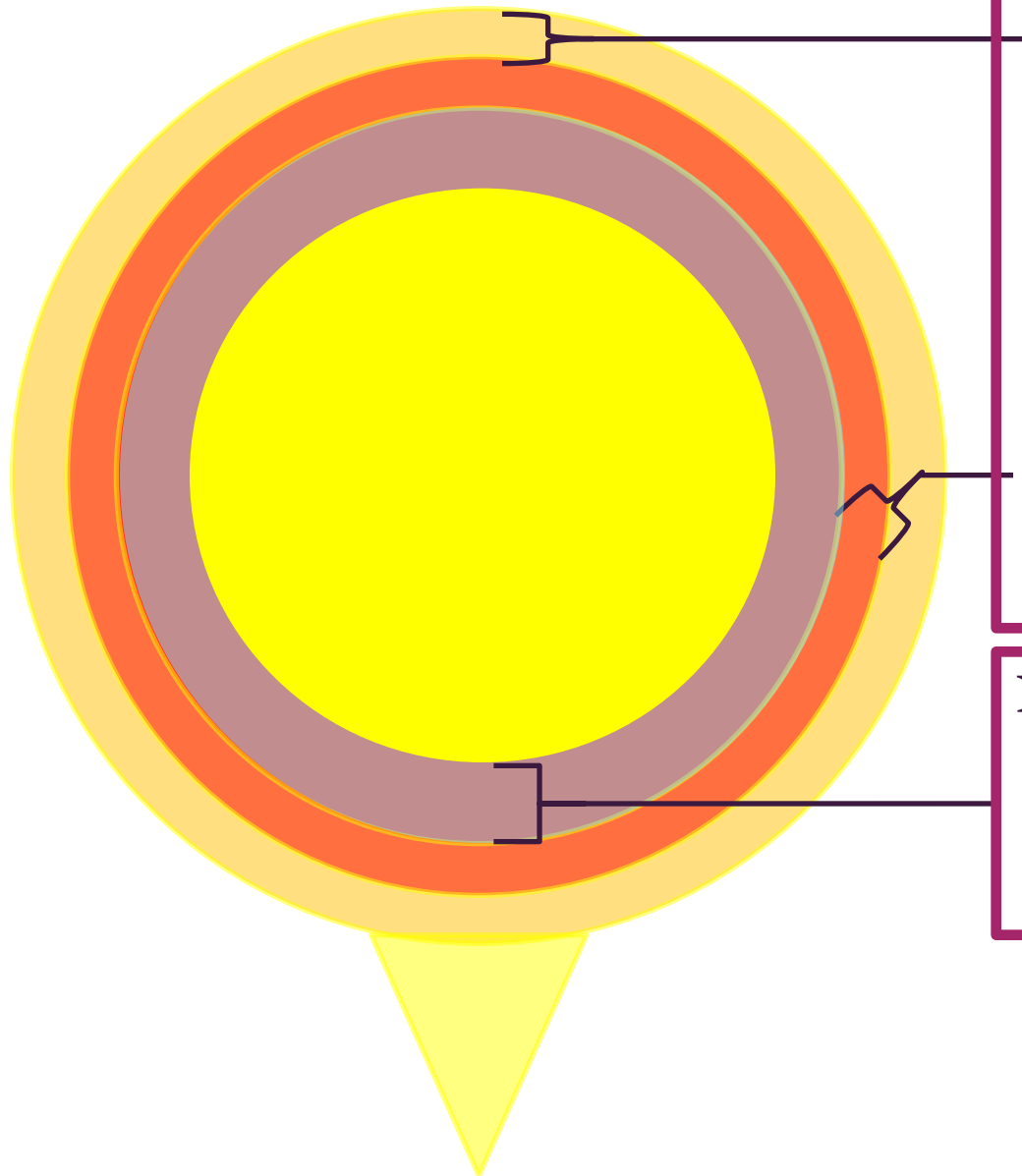
Bladder position in the pelvis



Bladder anatomy



Bladder cancer - Stage



MIBC

Perivesical fat

T3a micro invasion of fat
T3b macro invasion of fat

Detrusor muscle

T2a invasion into inner half
T2b invasion into outer half

NMIBC

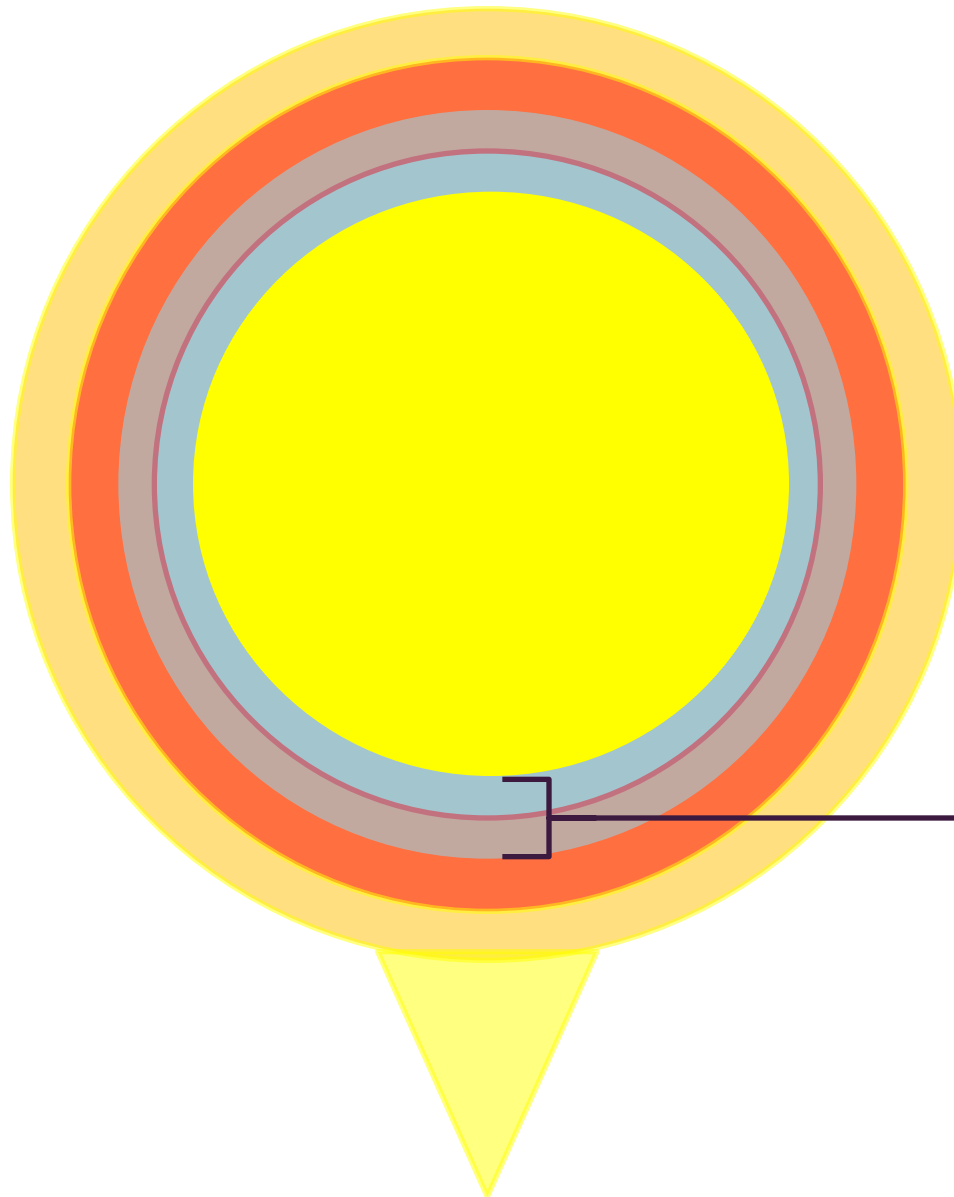
Urothelium

Divided by Lamina Propria



NOT TO SCALE

Bladder cancer - Stage



Urothelium (~ 3 mm)

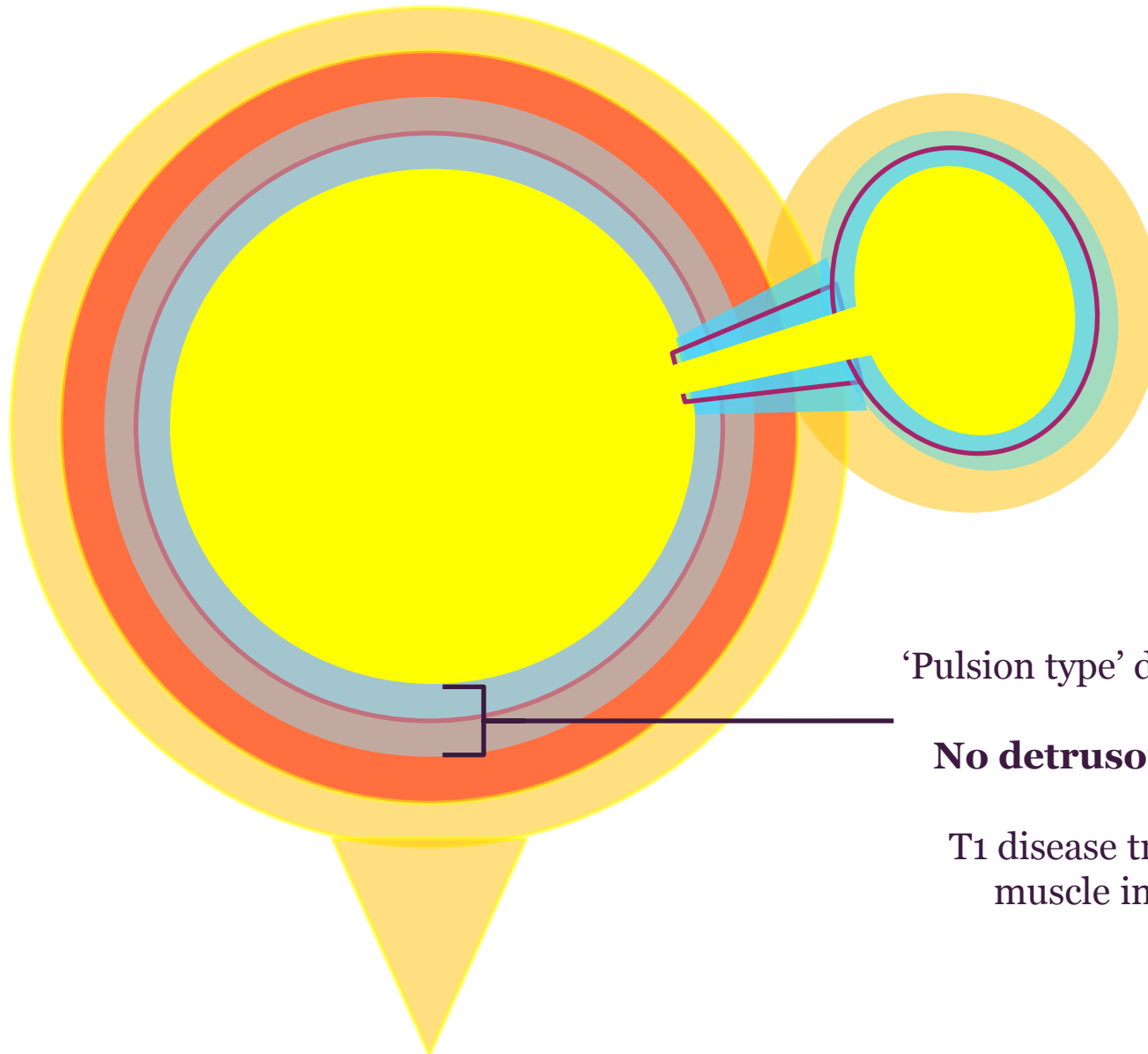
Ta inner layer of urothelium only

T1a contact with lamina propria
T1b through lamina propria



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Bladder cancer - Diverticulum



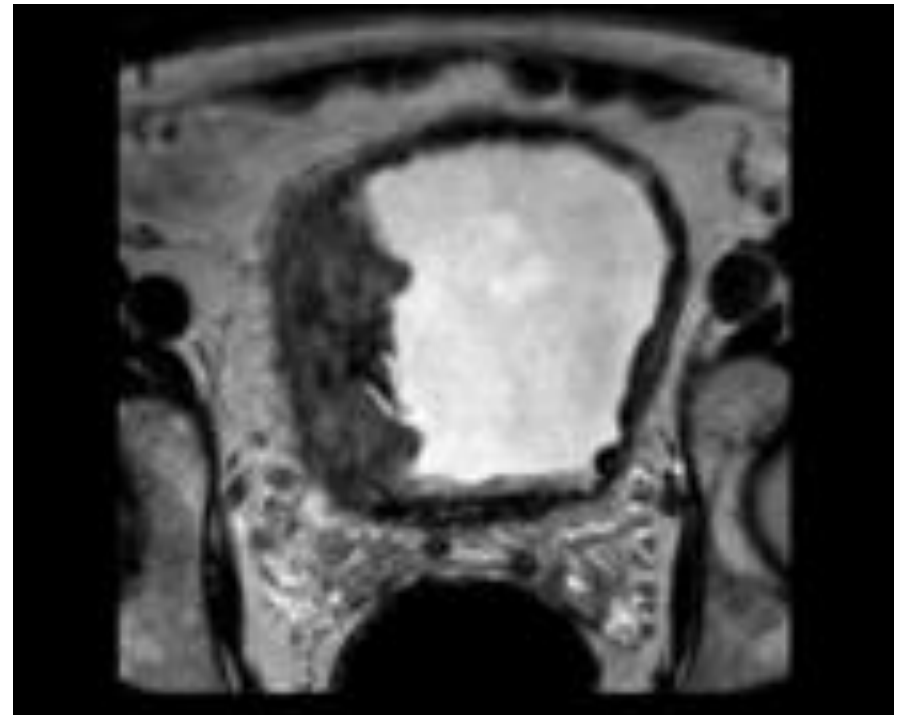
'Pulsion type' diverticulum

No detrusor muscle

T1 disease treated as
muscle invasive

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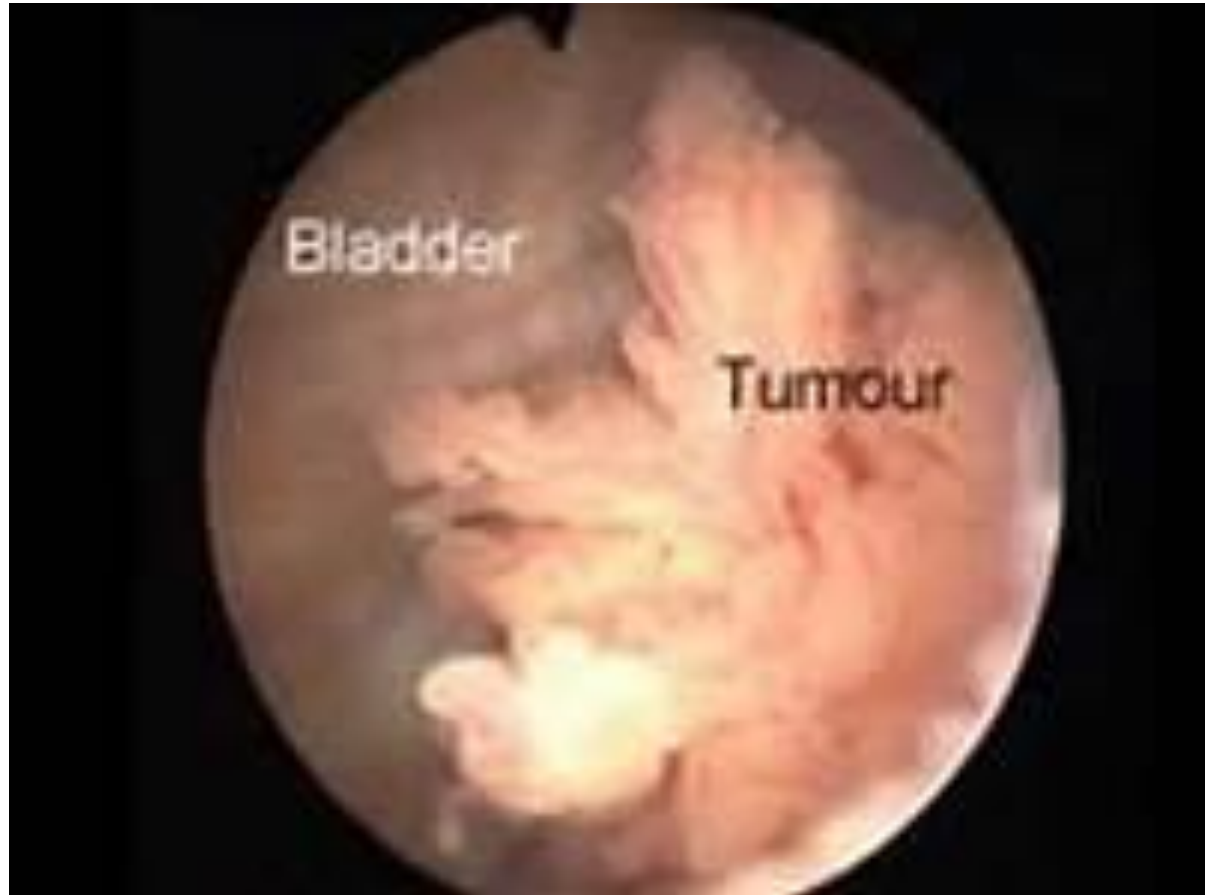




Augmented Cystoscopy - Narrow Band imaging



TransUrethral Resection of Bladder Tumour



Non-invasive Bladder Cancer

Diverse spectrum of disease

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<1% mortality vs. 15% mortality

Carcinoma *in situ* (misnomer)

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45 % G3pT1 have progressed by 5 years to
muscle invasive or metastatic disease



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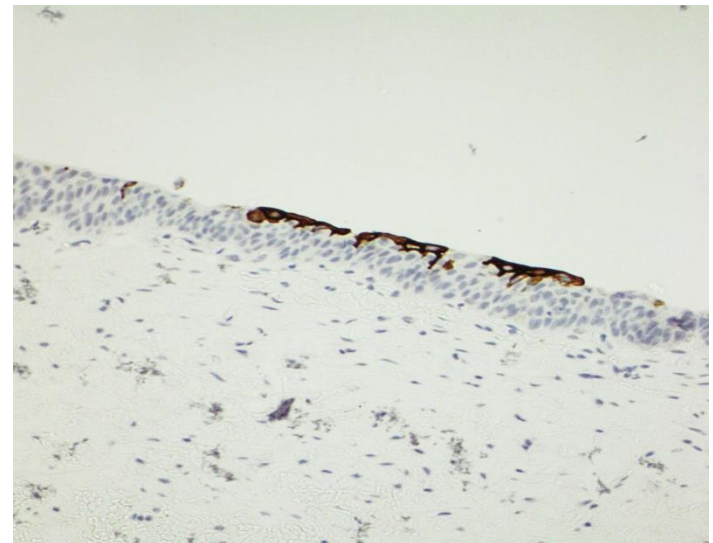
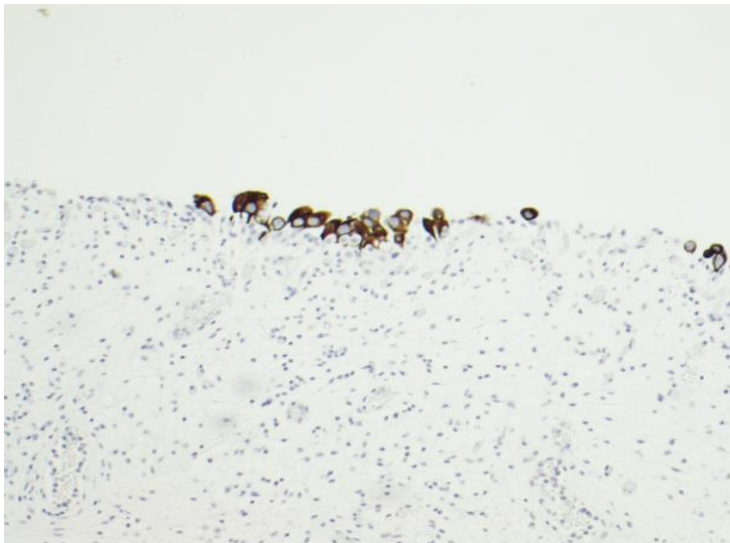
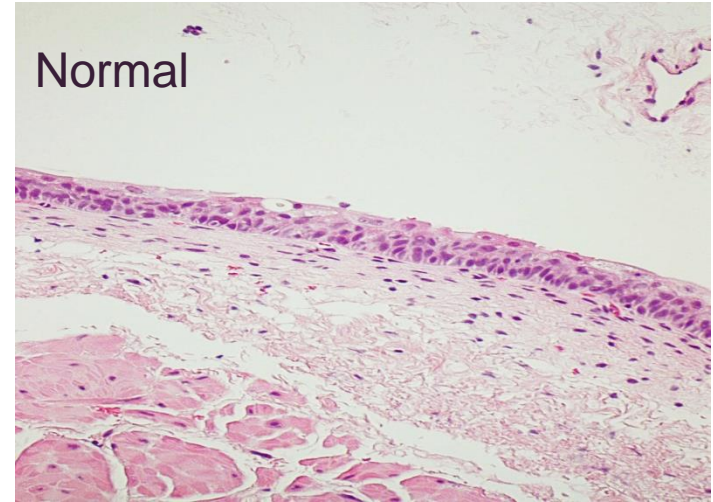
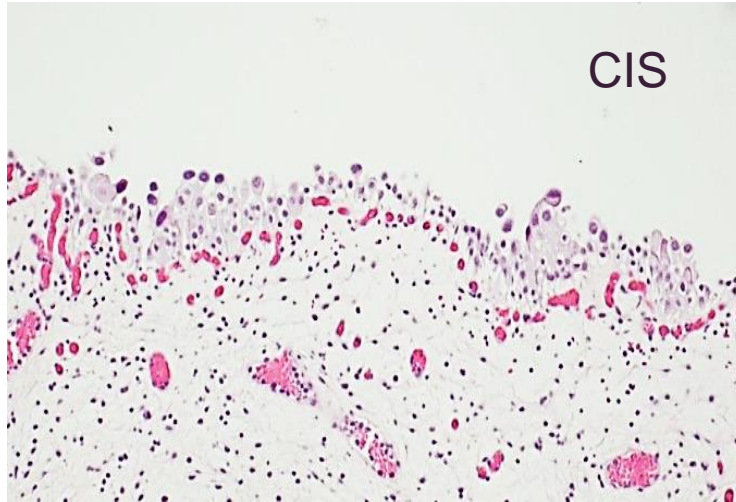
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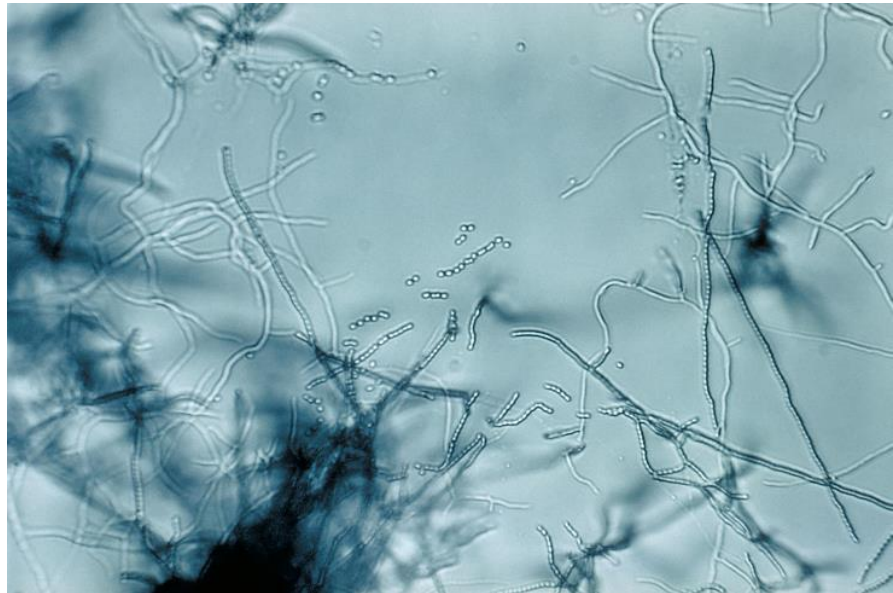
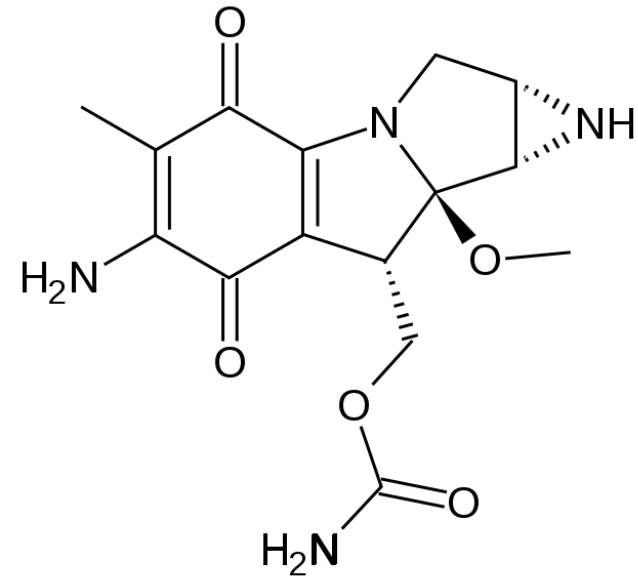


Carcinoma *in situ*



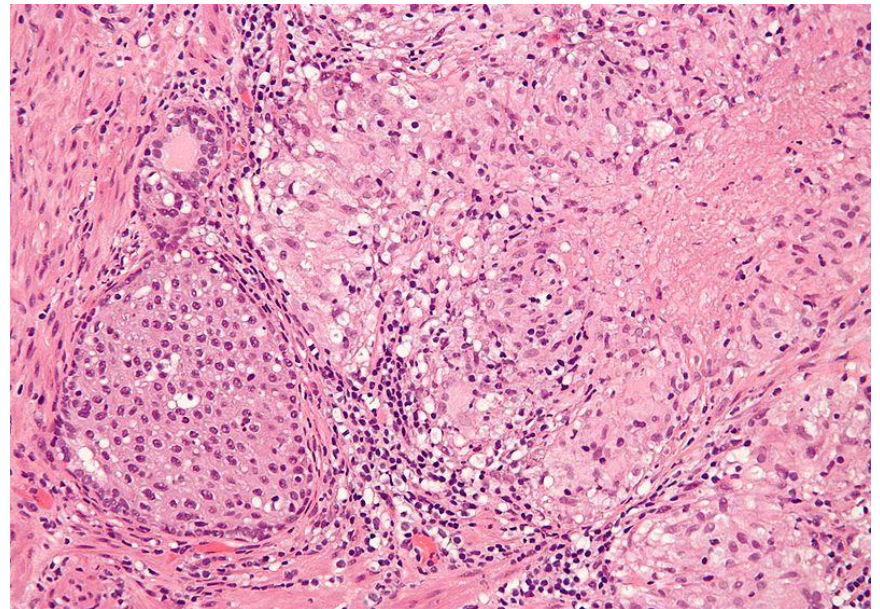
Intravesical Mitomycin C

- Streptomyces derivative
- DNA crosslinker



Intravesical Bacillus Calmette-Guérin

- Attenuated live bovine tuberculosis bacillus
- Pearl 1929
- Coe and Feldman 1966
- Morales 1976
- Lamm 1980
- Intact immune system, fibronectin
- Schedules vary



Non-invasive Bladder Cancer summary

- Low grade pTa disease is a nuisance
 - Endoscopic control
 - MMC
- Anything else requires evaluation and planning
 - BCG with maintenance therapy
 - Consider cystectomy early
- Continuity is the key



Cystectomy

Indications for cystectomy

Cancer

- Muscle invasive bladder cancer
- High risk non-invasive bladder cancer
- Other pelvic cancers
 - Colorectal, Gynae, Sarcoma)

Functional

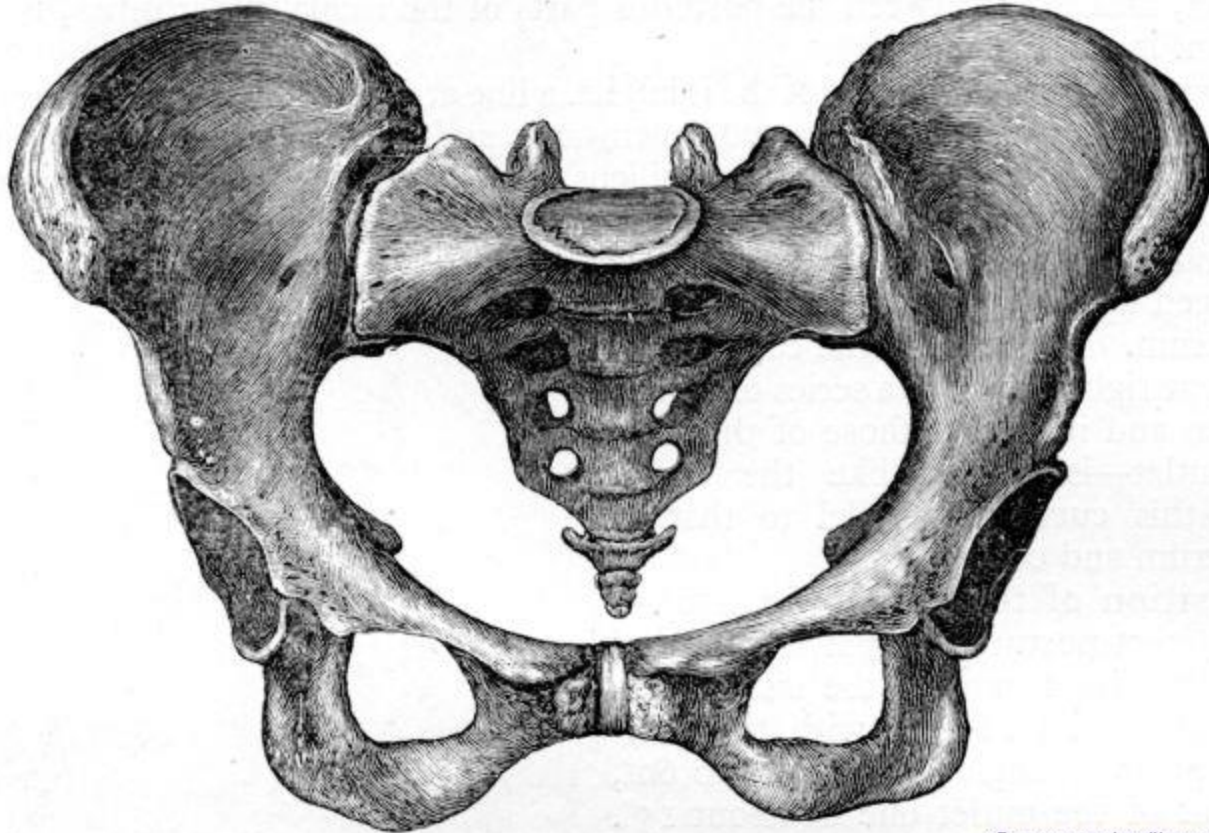
- Obstruction
- Fistula



Cystectomy

FIG. 451.—The female pelvis. Anterior aspect.

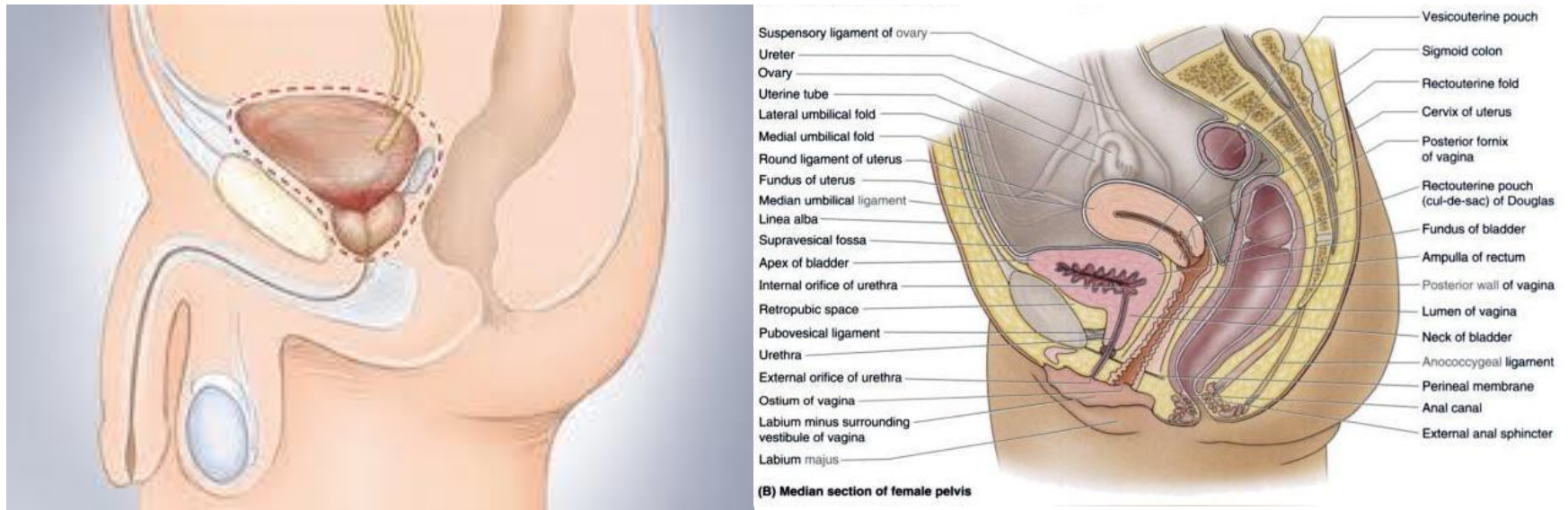
From a specimen in the museum of the Royal College of Surgeons of England.

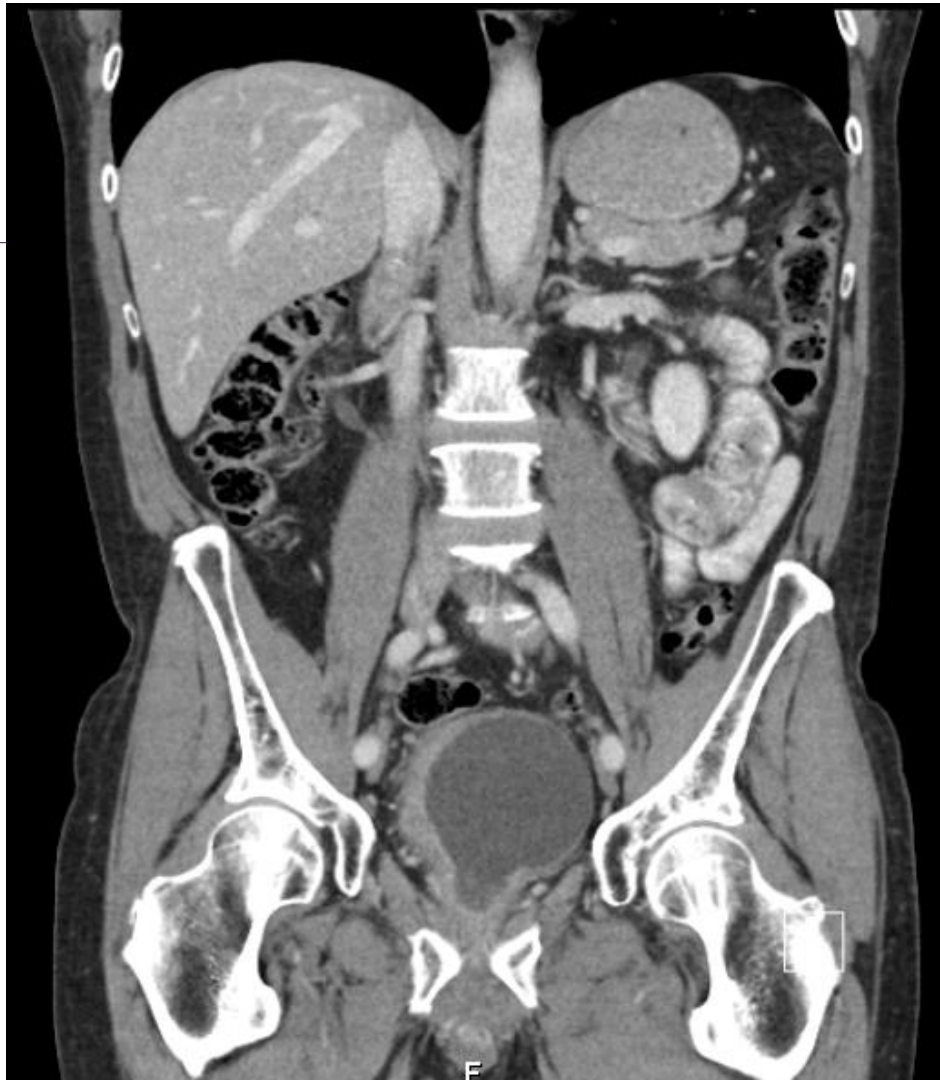


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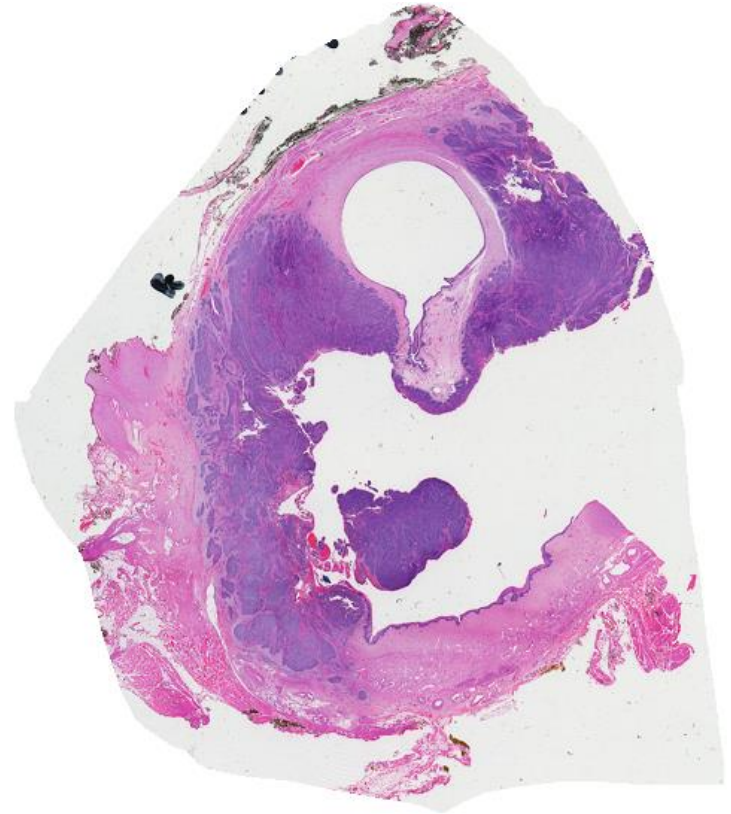
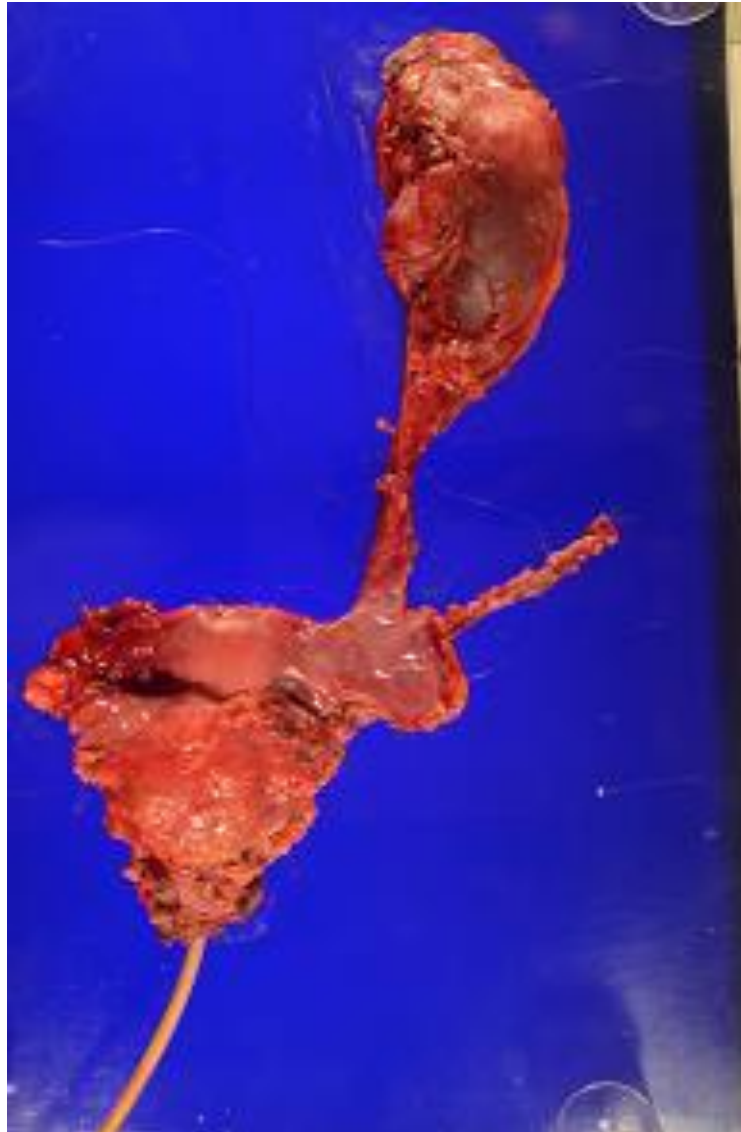
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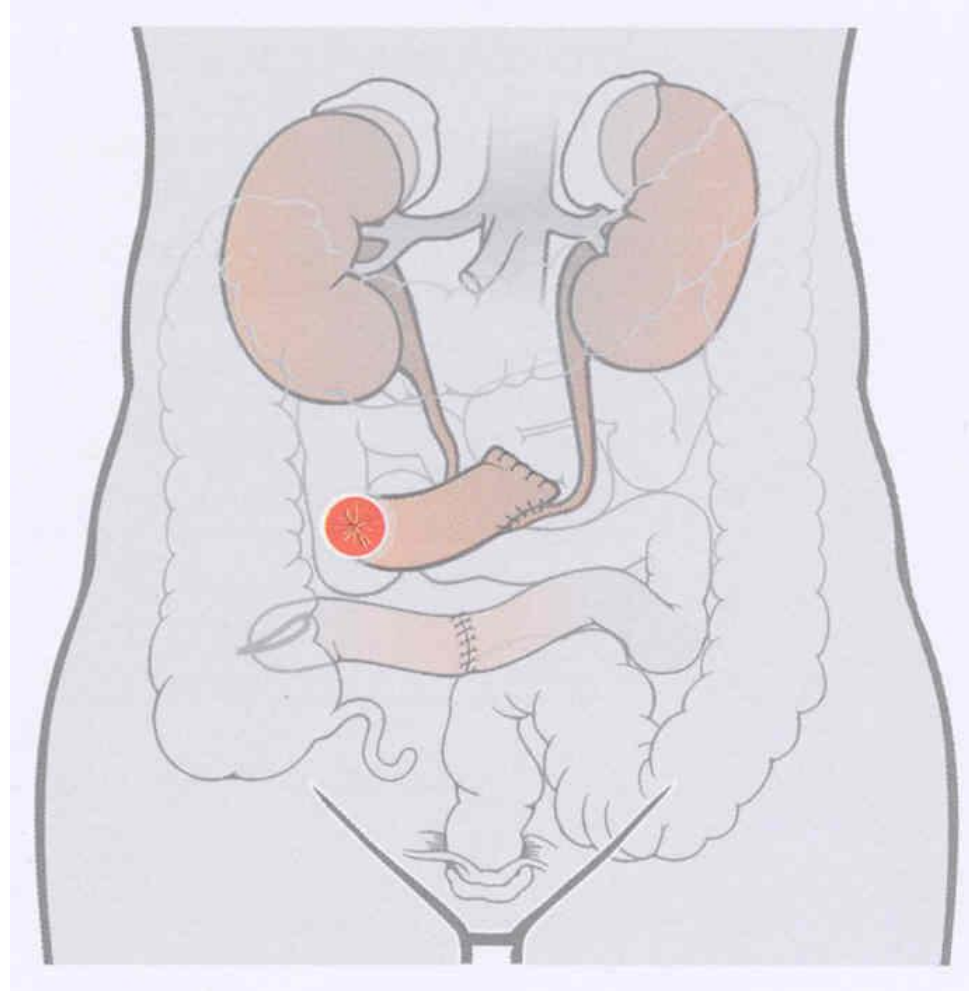


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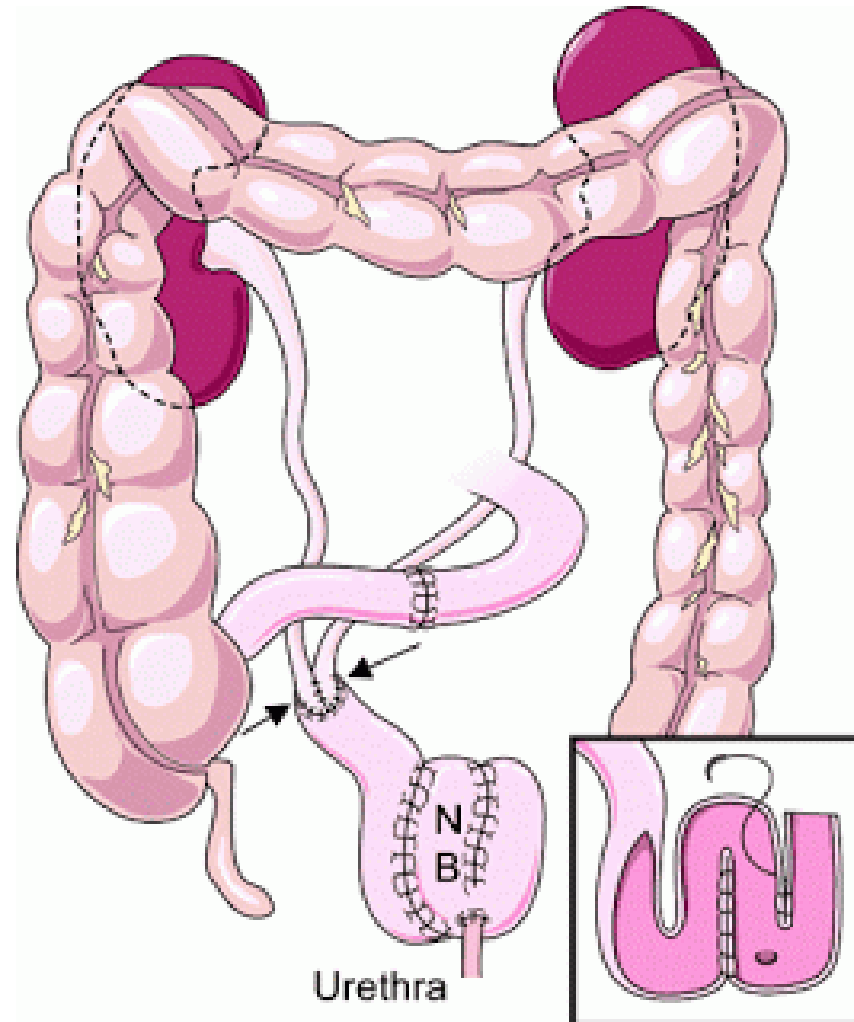
- Route Open, Lap, Robotic
- Lymphadenectomy
- Diversion type



Urinary diversion



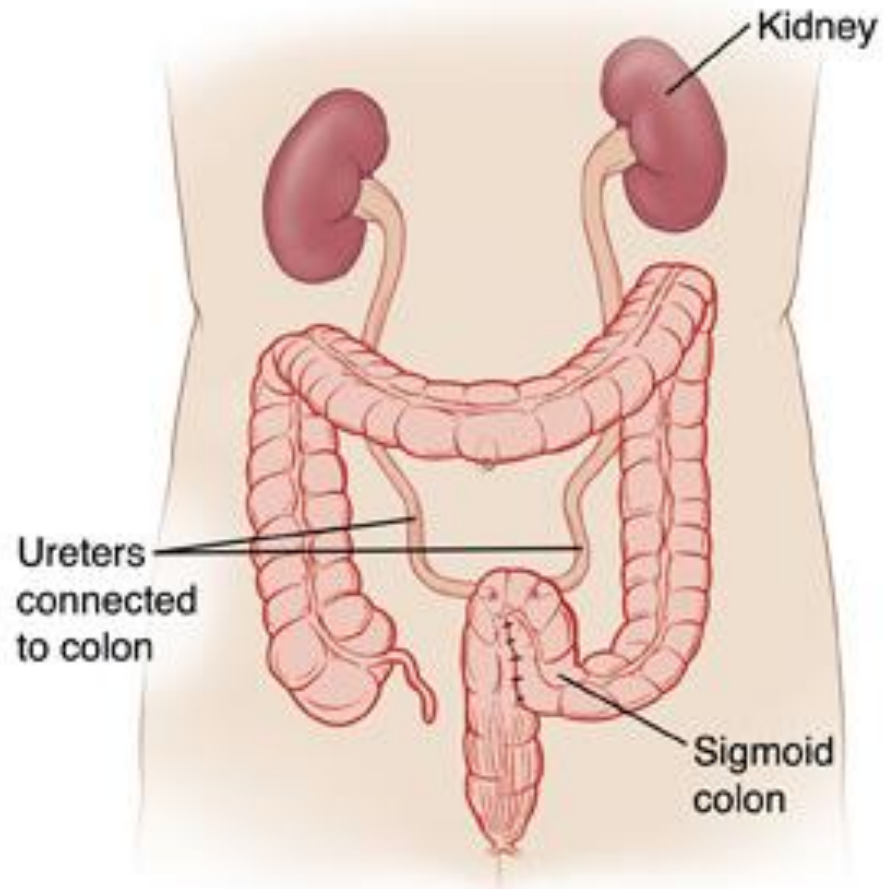
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