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Management in Presumed Benign Ovarian Tumor



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Management in presumed benign ovarian tumor

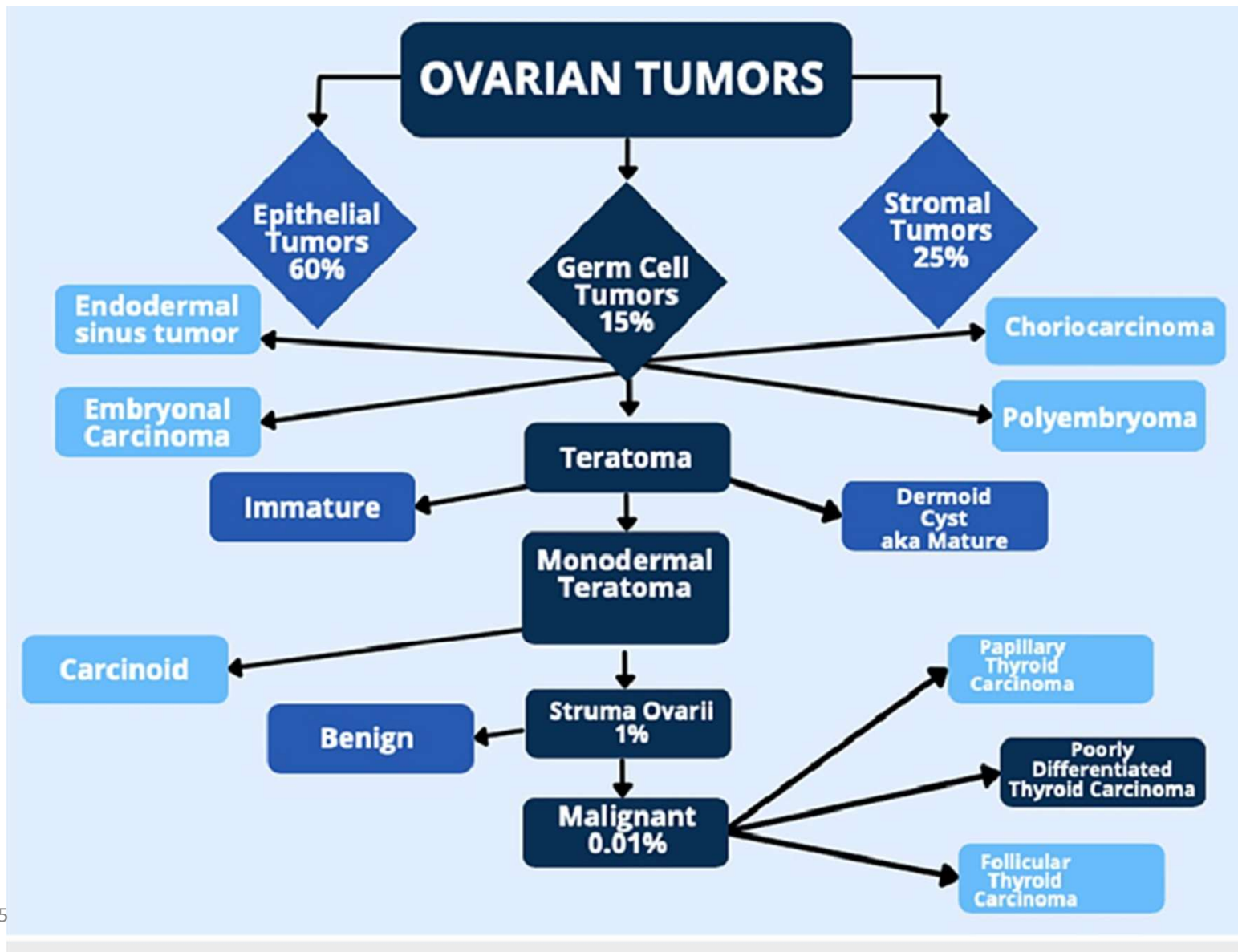


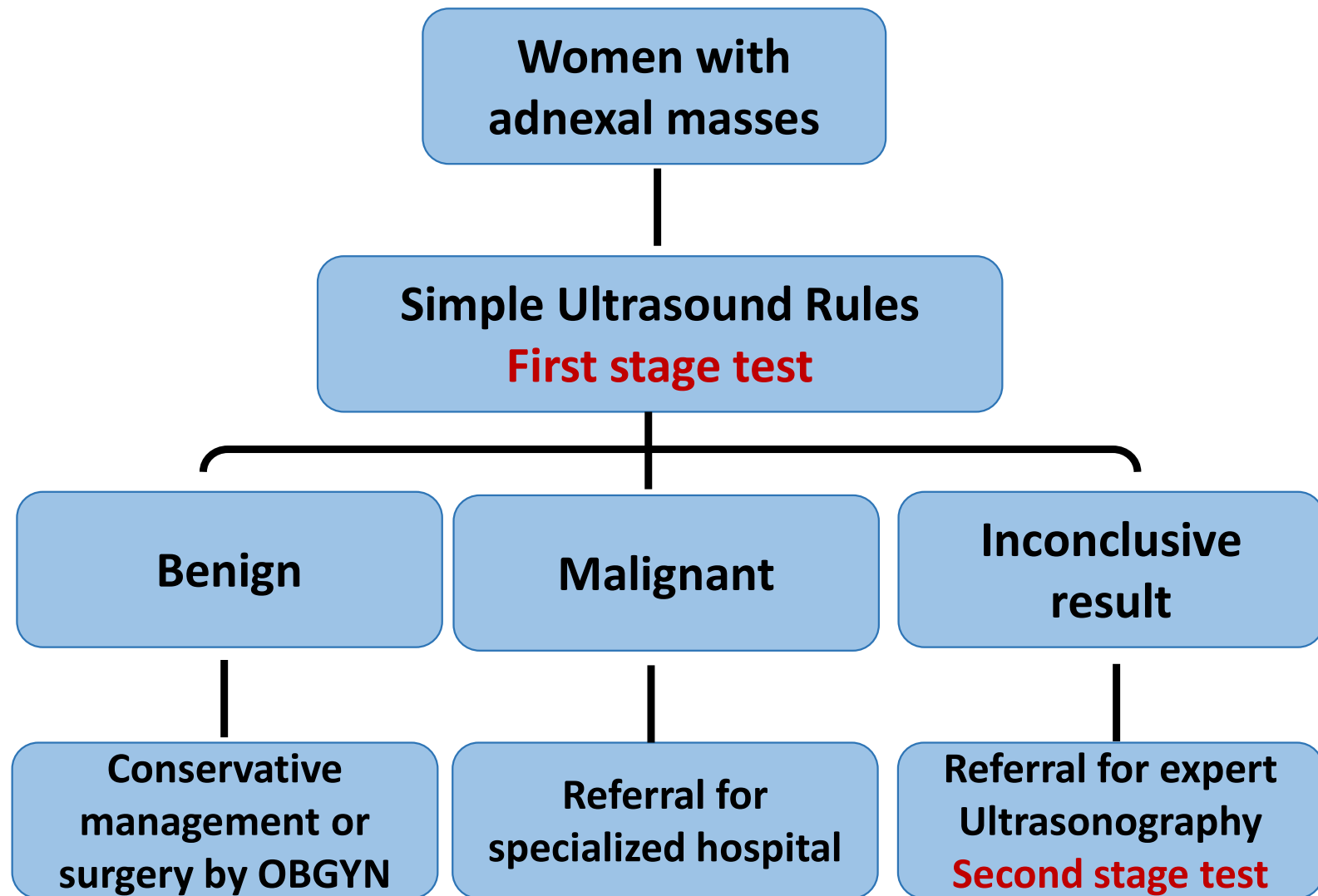
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Gynecology Department

Gynecology and obstetric Department	2024
Gynecology	1344
Obstetric	5231
Total	6575





The Simple Ultrasound Roles

**Normal
ovary**

**Functional
cyst**

**Benign
cyst**

**Borderline
tumor**

**Invasive
tumor**

Rules

Don't miss ovarian cancer

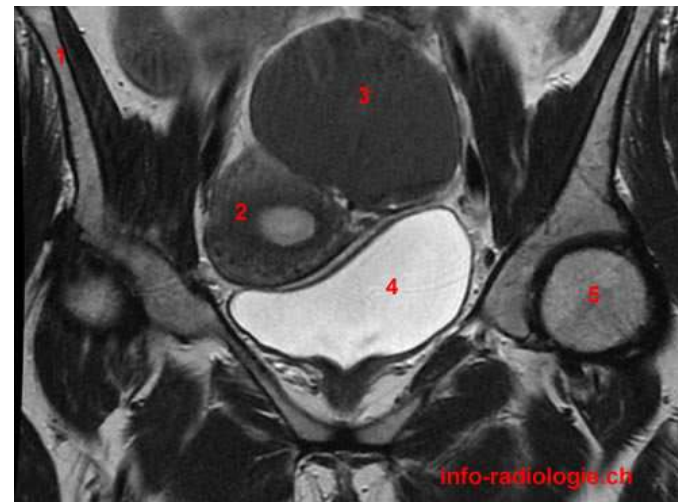
- Question 1: Is it a **functional** cyst or an **organic** cyst?
Which criteria?
- Question 2: Is this organic cyst **benign** or **malignant**?
Which criteria?

Diagnoses

TVUS first line

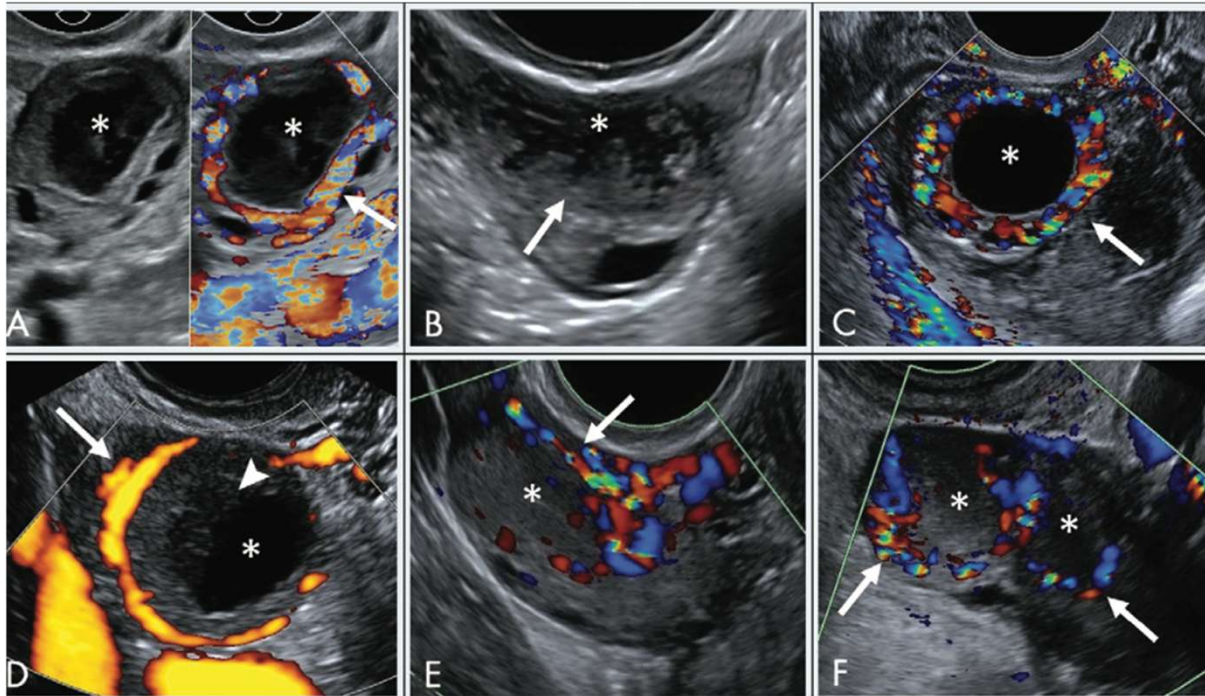


MRI second line



Should not be supported by imaging alone;
Find out or symptoms, age and desire for pregnancy

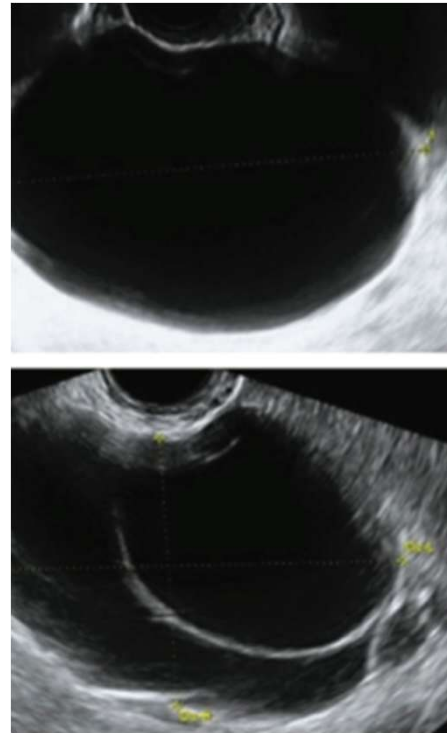
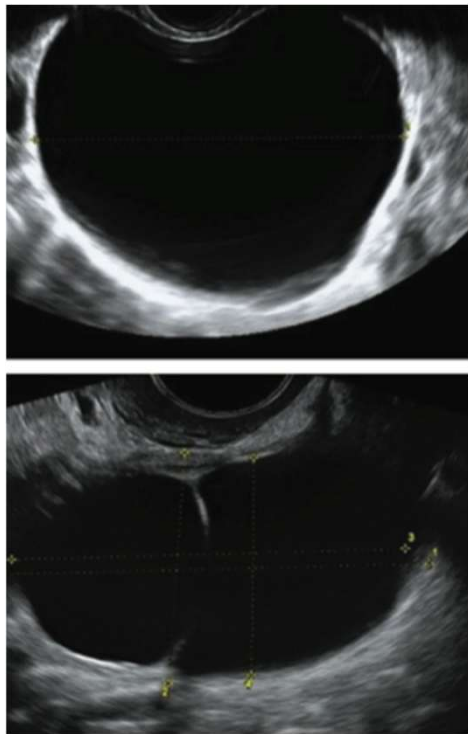
Some examples



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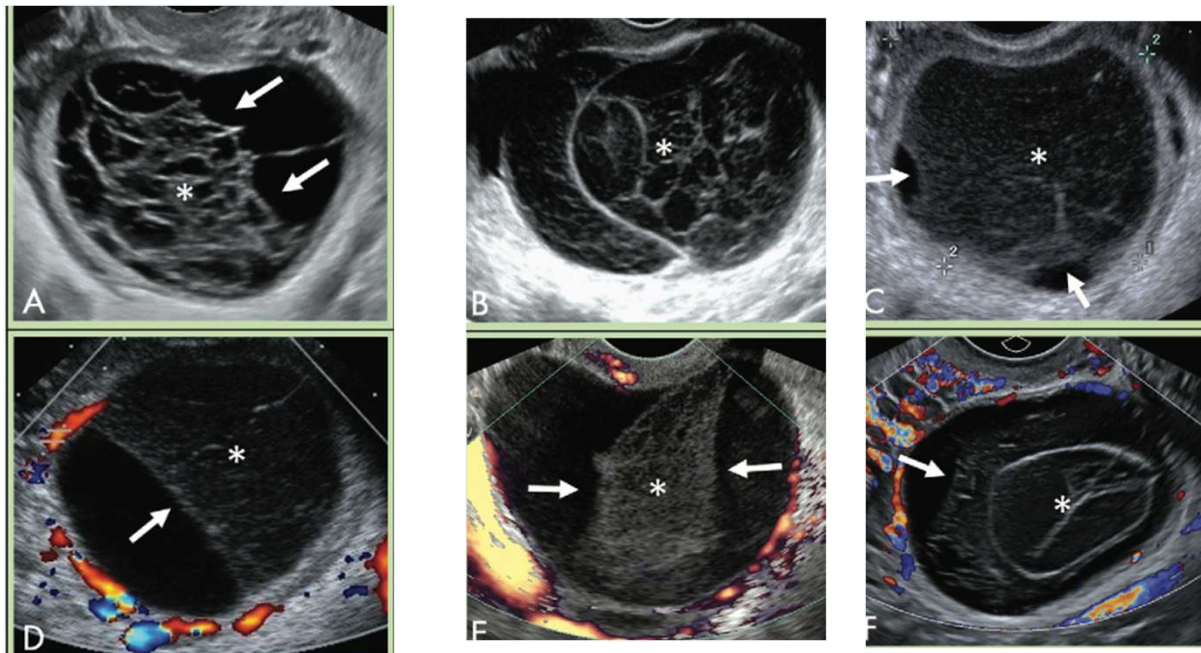
corpo lutea

Serous cystadenomas



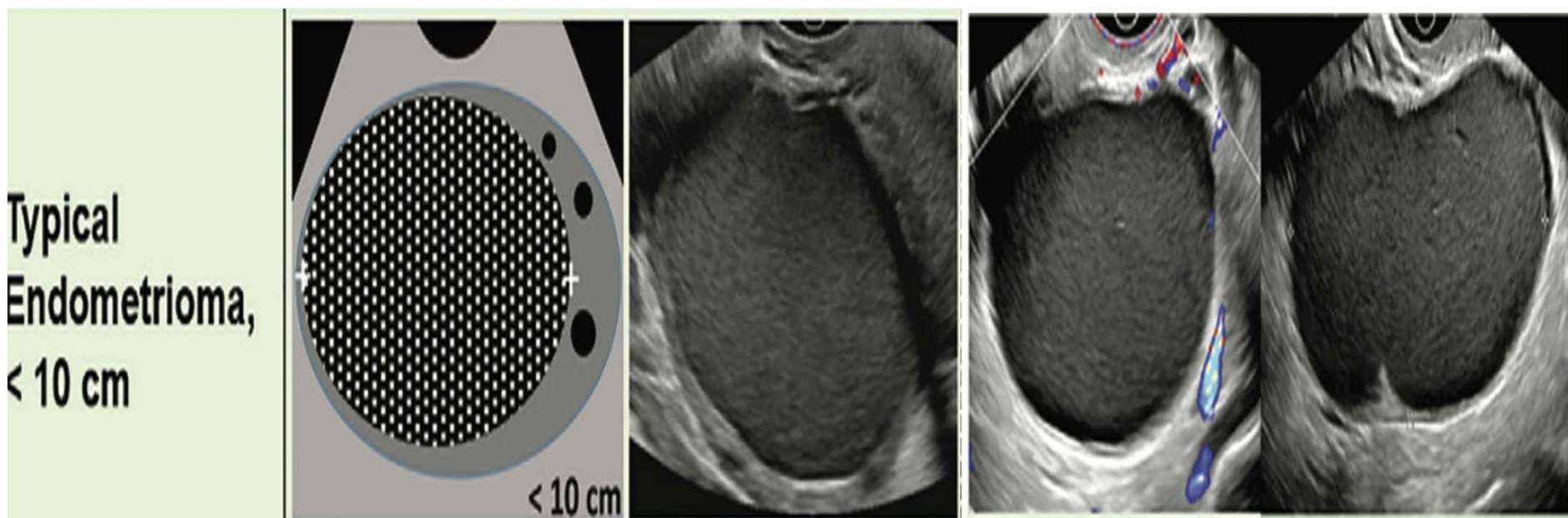
International Society of Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology. *Ultrasound Obstet. Gynecol.*, **2025**; **66**: 233–241

Typical Hemorrhagic cysts



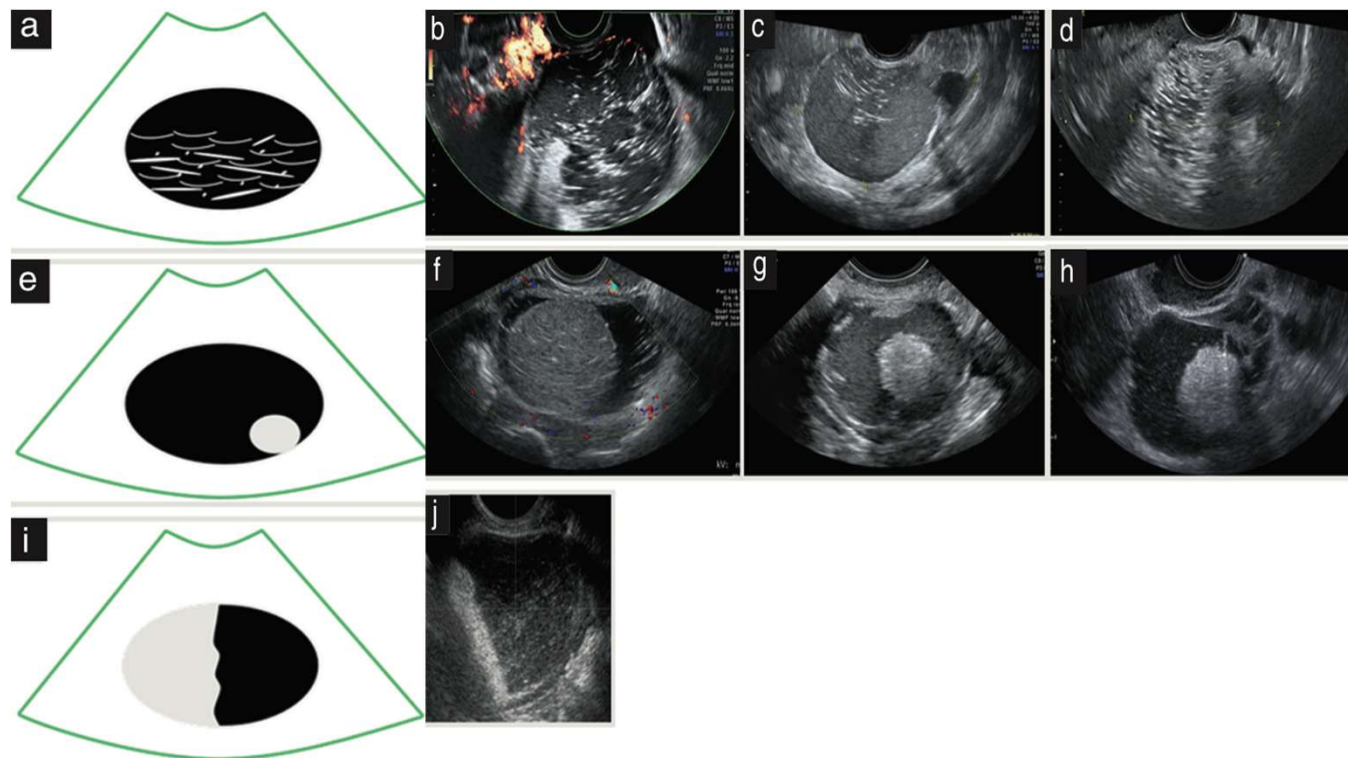
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Typical Endometriomas



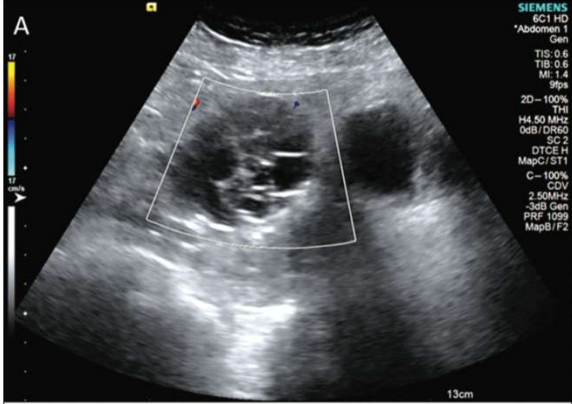
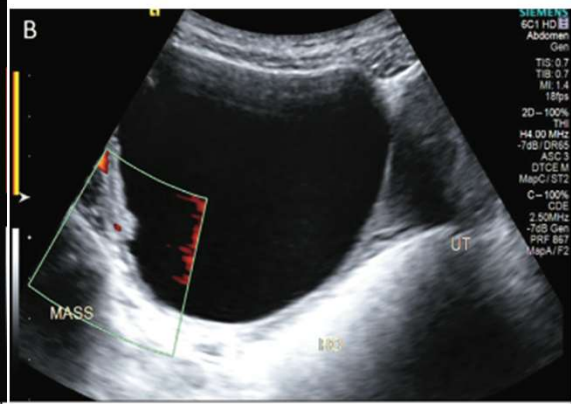
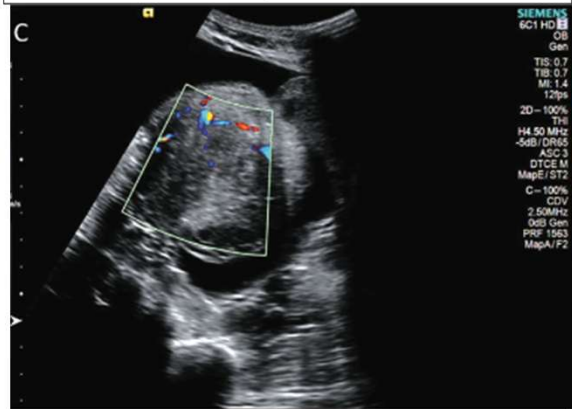
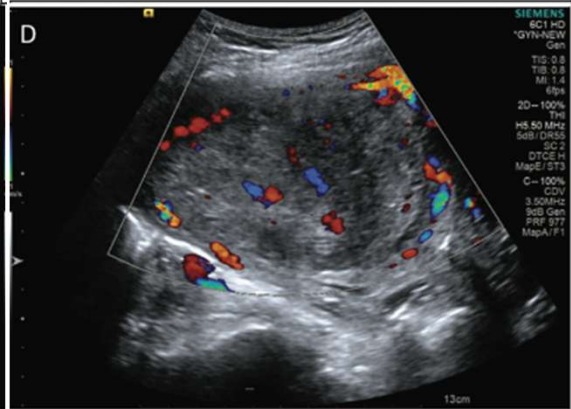
Ground glass/homogenous low-level echoes

Dermoid cyst (mature cystic teratoma ovarian tumor)



Ultrasound Obstet. Gynecol., **2022**; **60**: 549–558.

Color Doppler

	
COLOR SCORE 1	COLOR SCORE 2
No blood flow in septae, cyst walls or solid components	Minimal flow in septae, cyst walls or solid components
	
COLOR SCORE 3	COLOR SCORE 4
Moderate blood flow in septae, cyst walls or solid components	High blood flow in septae, cyst walls or solid components

Our experience

« Cyst presumed benign »

(Adnexal mass presumed ovarian origin)

1. What diagnostic accuracy?
2. Which approach: laparoscopic or laparotomy?
3. What results?

Type of operation	Nb	%
Cystectomy	86	55%
Adnexectomy	35	22%
Hysterectomy	6	4%
Cystectomy + adnexectomy unilateral	6	4%
incision drainage of tubo-ovarian abscess	4	3%
Cystectomy + appendectomy	4	3%
Ovariectomy oophorectomy	4	3%
Hemostatic suture	3	2%
Cystectomy + hysterectomy	2	1%
Adnexectomy+ appendectomy	1	1%
Adnexectomy+ hysterectomy +appendectomy	1	1%
explorer	1	1%
Cystectomy+ myomectomy	1	1%
Oophorectomy + appendectomy	1	1%
Punction + lavage	1	1%
Salpingectomy	1	1%
TOTAL	157	100%

Patient's data: age

AGE CATEGORIES	NB	%
< 20	5	3%
20 - 29	31	20%
30 - 39	65	41%
40 - 49	39	25%
> = 50	17	11%
TOTAL	157	100.00

Related to nature of cyst

Nature	NB	Mean age
Dermoid	17	35.7
Endometrioma	57	34.7
Serous	64	40.6

P=0,001

Which approach: laparoscopy or laparotomy?

Coelio/Laparo	NB	%
Laparoscopy	64	41%
Laparotomy	93	59%
TOTAL	157	100%

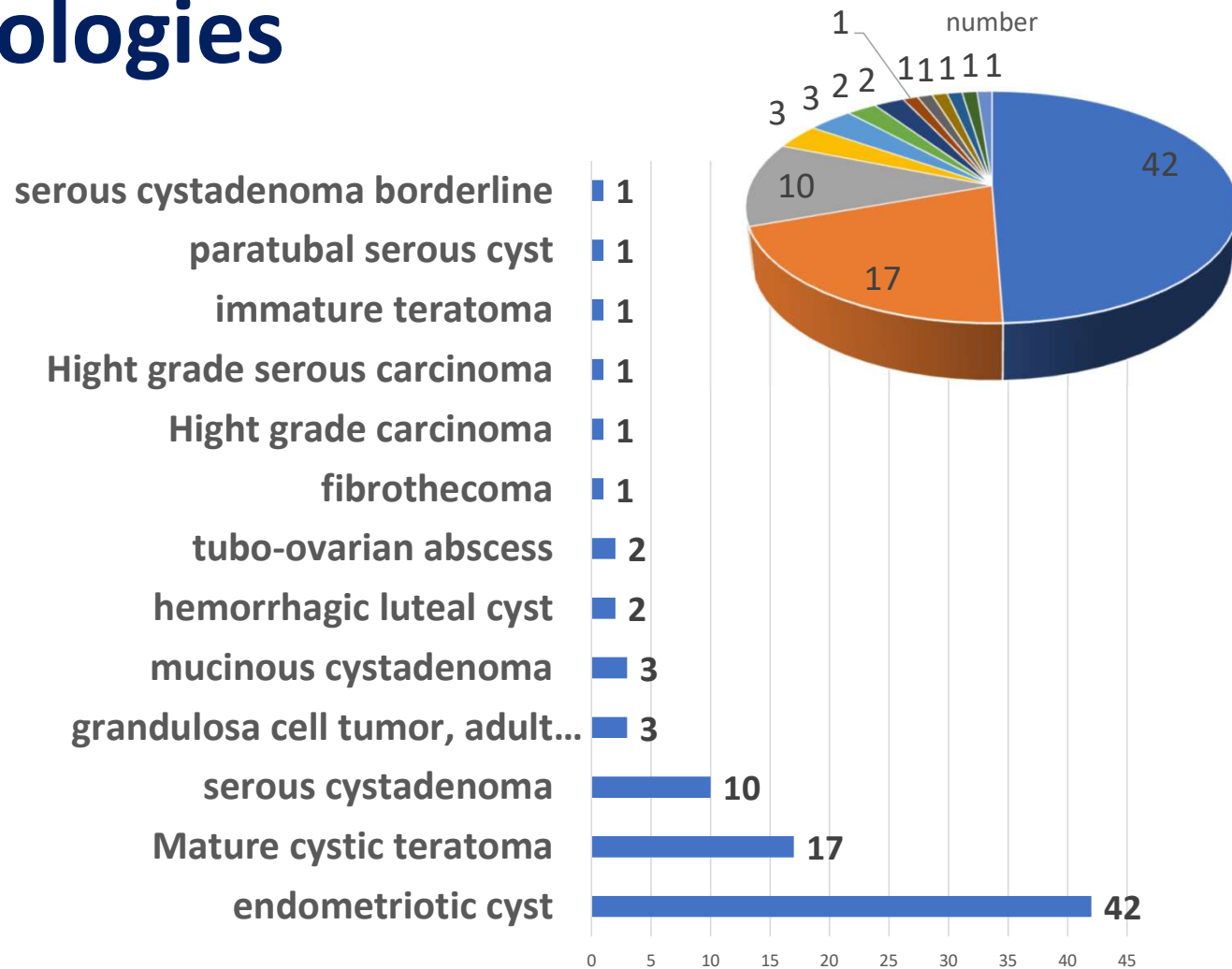
Intervention type	Nb	%
adnexectomy	35	29%
cystectomy	86	71%
TOTAL	121	100%

		coelio/laparo			
		coelioscopie	laparotomie	%	
type intervention	annexectomie	8 22.86% 13.56%	27 77.14% 43.55%	35	100.00 % 28.93%
	kystectomie	51 59.30% 86.44%	35 40.70% 56.45%	86	100.00 % 71.07%
		59	62	121	
		48.76% 100.00 %	51.24% 100.00 %	100.00%	100.00 %

Duration of op (minutes)			
Duration * type intervention	NB	Mean	Median
Adnexectomy	35	76.7	60
Cystectomy	86	90	90

P=0,05

Histologies



Feedback from our experience

Don't miss ovarian cancer ?

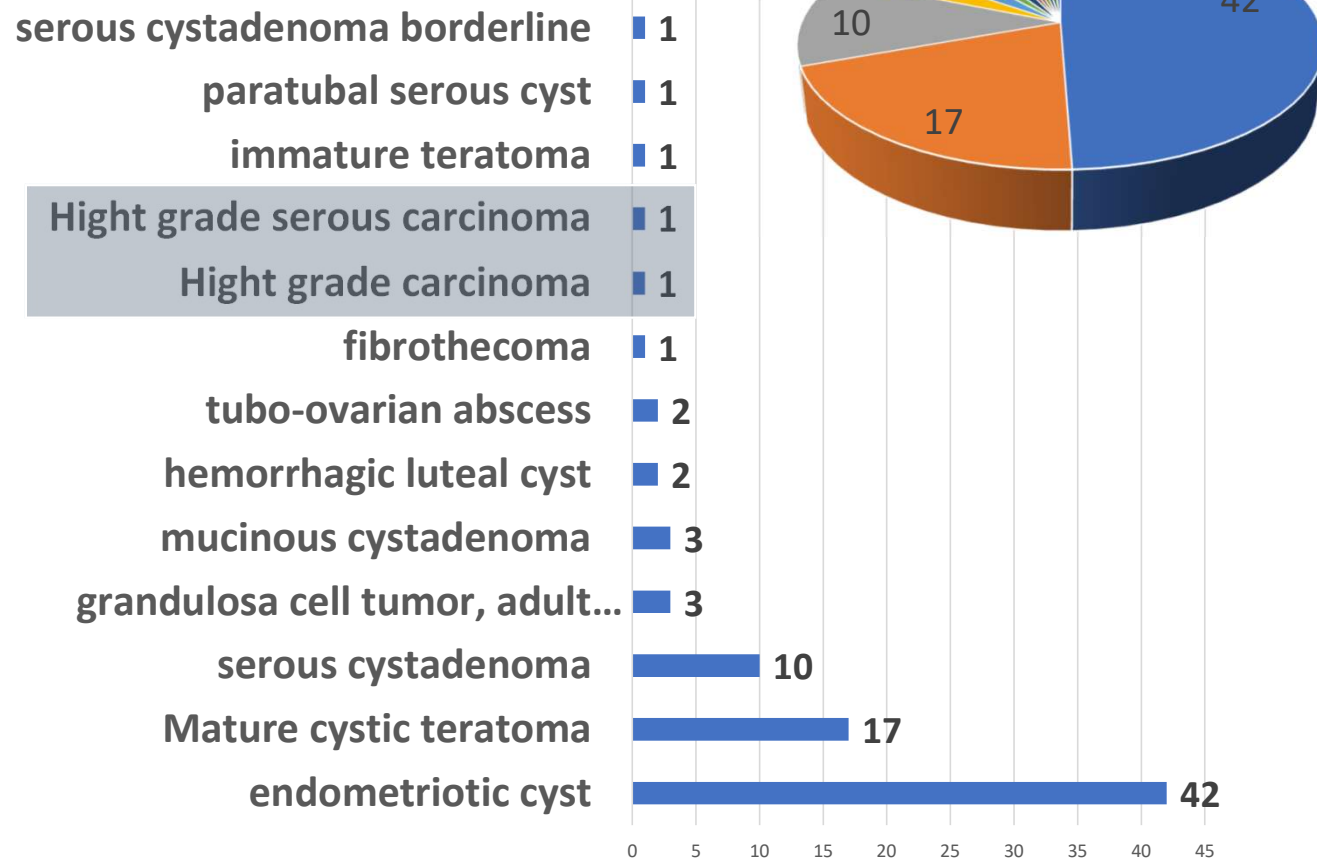


Not fully achieved!



Need for greater precision in preoperative diagnosis

Histology



Greater precision in preoperative diagnosis

FIGURE 1 IOTA-based evaluations

Simple rules¹⁰

Rules for predicting a malignant tumor (M rules)

- M1 Irregular solid tumor
- M2 Presence of ascites
- M3 At least 4 papillary structures
- M4 Irregular multilocular solid tumor with largest diameter ≥ 10 cm
- M5 Very strong blood flow (color score 4)

Rules for predicting a benign tumor (B rules)

- B1 Unilocular
- B2 Presence of solid components with largest solid diameter < 7 mm
- B3 Presence of acoustic shadows
- B4 Smooth multilocular tumor with largest diameter < 10 cm
- B5 No blood flow (color score 1)

If 1 or more M rules apply in the absence of a B rule, the mass is classified as malignant. If 1 or more B rules apply in the absence of an M rule, the mass is classified as benign. If both M rules and B rules apply, the mass cannot be classified. If no rule applies, the mass cannot be classified.

ADNEX model¹¹

1. Age of patient at examination (years)
2. Oncology center (referral center for gynecologic oncology)
3. Maximal diameter of the lesions (mm)
4. Maximal diameter of the largest solid part (mm)
5. More than 10 locules
6. Number of papillations (papillary projections)
7. Acoustic shadows present?
8. Ascites (fluid outside the pelvis) present?
9. Serum CA 125 (U/mL)

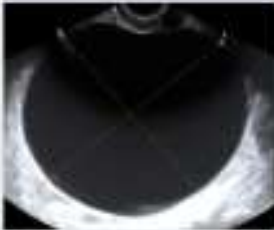
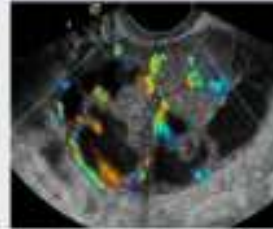
Online calculator: <http://www.iotagroup.org/adnexmodel/site%20iota.html>

Abbreviation: IOTA, International Ovarian Tumor Analysis.

Carballo, E.V., et al., *Surgical outcomes of adnexal masses classified by IOTA ultrasound simple rules.*

Sci Rep, 2022. **12**(1): p. 21848.

 Online calculator

B1 Unilocular 	B2 Presence of solid components with largest diameter < 7 mm 	B3 Presence of acoustic shadows 	B4 Smooth multilocular tumor with largest diameter < 100 mm 	B5 No blood flow (color score 1) 
M1 Irregular solid tumor 	M2 Presence of ascites 	M3 At least 4 papillary structures 	M4 Irregular multi-locular-solid tumor with largest diameter > 100 mm 	M5 Very strong blood flow (color score 4) 

IOTA for greater precision in preoperative diagnosis

M-Rules		B-Rules	
M1	Irregular solid tumor	B1	Unilocular cyst
M2	Presence of ascites	B2	Presence of solid component where largest solid component is less than 7mm in largest diameter.
M3	At least 1 papillary structure	B3	Present of acoustic shadows
M4	Irregular multilocular solid tumor with largest diameter > 100mm	B4	Smooth multilocular tumor with largest diameter < 100mm
M5	Very strong blood flow (color score4)	B5	No blood flow (color score 1)

Sharma B et al., Int J Reprod Contracept Obstet Gynecol. 2020 Feb;9(2):652-658



Management in presumed benign ovaries tumor

IOTA simple role

R1	M>1 +(-/+)(B)	M
R2	B>1 + M (-)	B
R3	2M + 2B	Inconclusive

If PBOT =>
laparoscopy/laparotomy

If inconclusive =>
scanner + IRM + CA 125

If M => Referral for
specialized hospital

Unilocular cyst < 5cm => abstention and follow up
Suspect endometriotic cyst => Discusses with patient when associated with pain and infertility .

International Ovarian Tumor Analysis (IOTA) simple rules

B1 Unilocular cyst	M1 Irregular solid tumor
B2 Presence of solid components, maximal diameter < 7 mm	M2 Presence of ascites
B3 Presence of acoustic shadows	M3 At least four papillary structures
B4 Smooth multilocular tumor, maximal diameter < 100 mm	M4 Irregular multilocular solid tumor, maximal diameter >100mm
B5 No blood flow (color score 1)	M5 Very strong blood flow (color score 4)

Feedback from our experience

Endometrioma : 49%

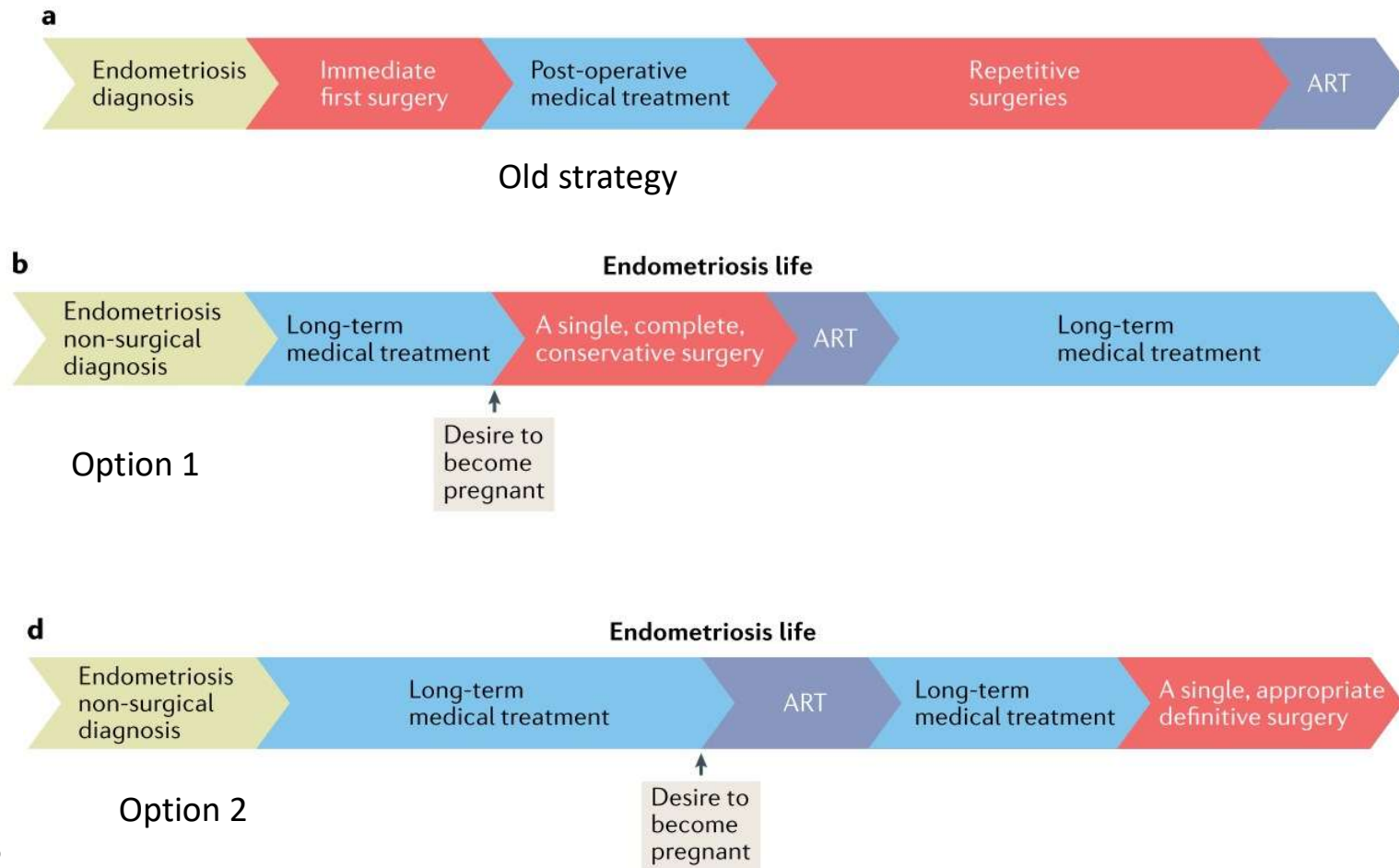


New treatment strategy: because surgery is

1. 50% have recurrence
 2. don't treat the retrograde menstruation
 3. miss deep endometriosis
 4. often associated with adenomyosis
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unique, complete and **programmed**
according to age and desire for pregnancy

Endometriosis & fertility----- how to improve-----place for ART



Our technique for annexectomy

**Torsion d'annexe
sur kyste ovarien dermoïde
(Annexectomie coelioscopique)**

2 op trocars 5 mm, scissor and bipolar, extraction by sac to 5 → 10 mm

Our technique for Fertility Sparing: Ovarian Cystectomy Ambulatory surgery



2 operative trocars 5mm, no bipolar or monopolar energy, just traction and counter-traction

Take Home messages

1. Don't use image alone to make indication.
2. Don't miss ovarian cancer.
3. Improve diagnosis accuracy by using IOTA.
4. Don't give surgery for unilocular cyst < 5 cm, but follow up and give operation when persistent.
5. Surgery is not the only solution for endometrioma (50% recurrence).
6. Laparoscopy is the best choice for benign cysts.



Thank you for your attention



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