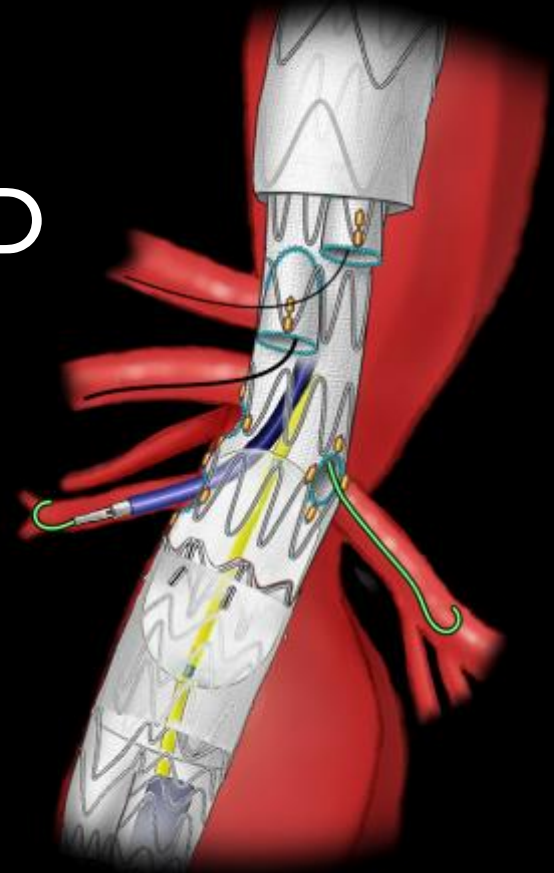


ENDOVASCULAR REPAIR OF TAAAs WITH FENESTRATED/BRANCHED STENT GRAFTS

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OPEN TAAA REPAIR



Experience with 1509 patients undergoing thoracoabdominal aortic operations

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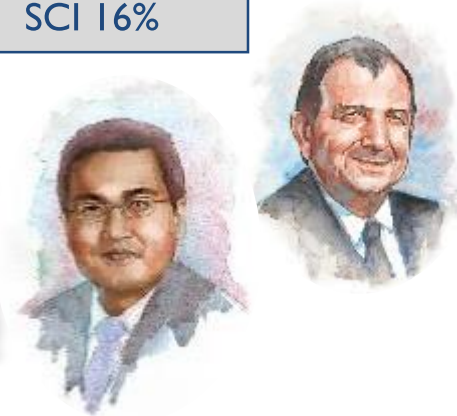
1,509 patients
Mortality 10%
SCI 16%

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A Quarter Century of Organ Protection in Open Thoracoabdominal Repair

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Outcomes of 3309 thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysm repairs

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3,309 patients
Mortality 7%
SCI 10%

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IMPROVING RESULTS



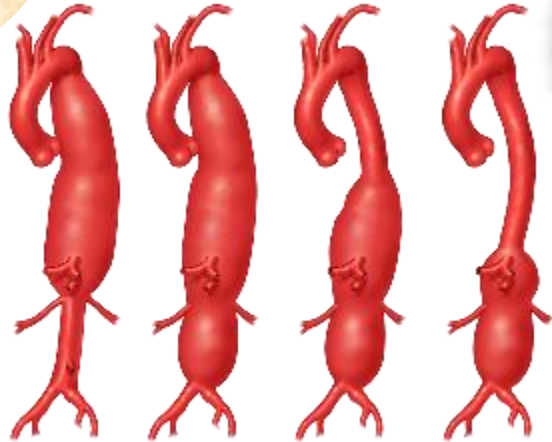
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	Incidence of Paraplegia	
	Crawford (1993)	Coselli (2016)
EXTENT I	15%	1%
EXTENT II	31%	5%
EXTENT III	7%	4%
EXTENT IV	4%	1%

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TWO DECADES OF FENESTRATED GRAFTS



J. Parodi
Buenos Aires



T. Browne
Perth



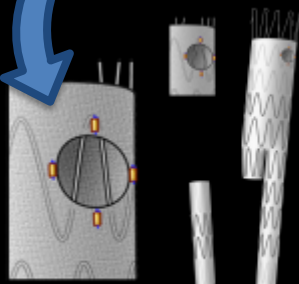
M. Lawrence-Brown & D. Hartley
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J. Anderson
Adelaide

1991

Animal testing
Fenestrated stent
deployed over balloon



1997

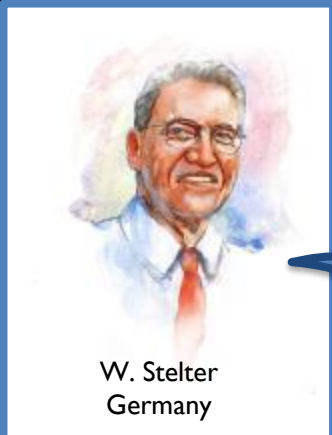
First implant
Single left renal
fenestration



1998



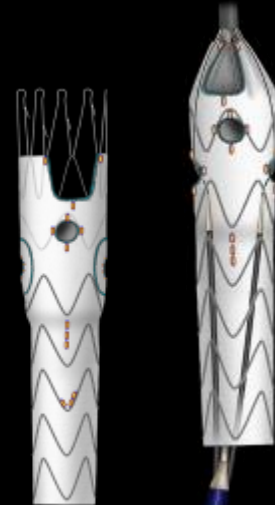
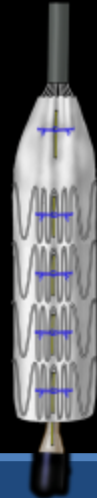
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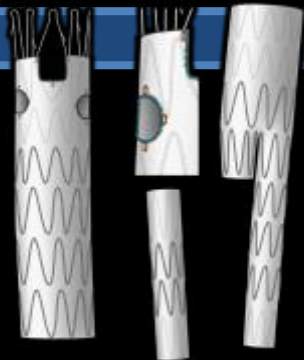


- Reinforced fenestrations
- Pivot fenestrations
- Pre-loaded system

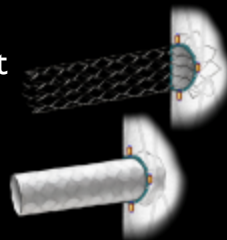


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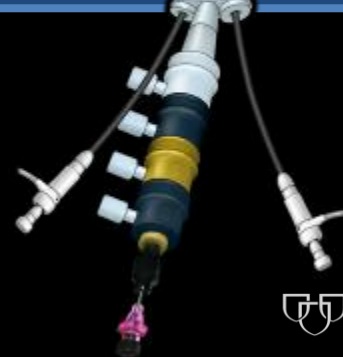
- Separated fenestrated and bifurcated components



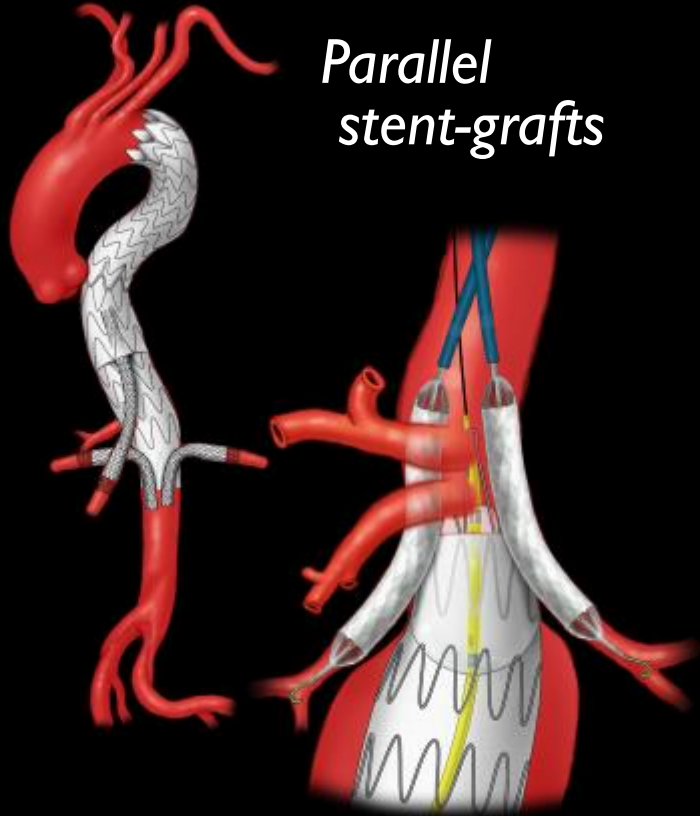
- Stent alignment



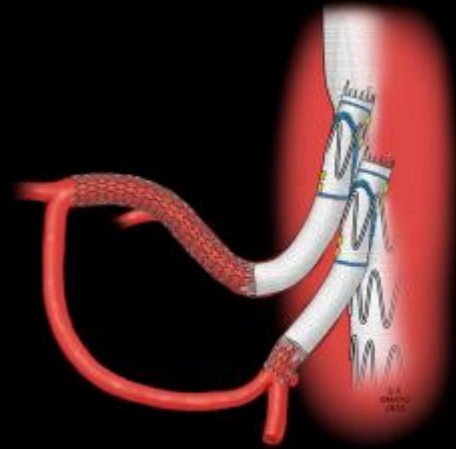
2015



ENDOVASCULAR OPTIONS



Fenestrated and branched stent-grafts



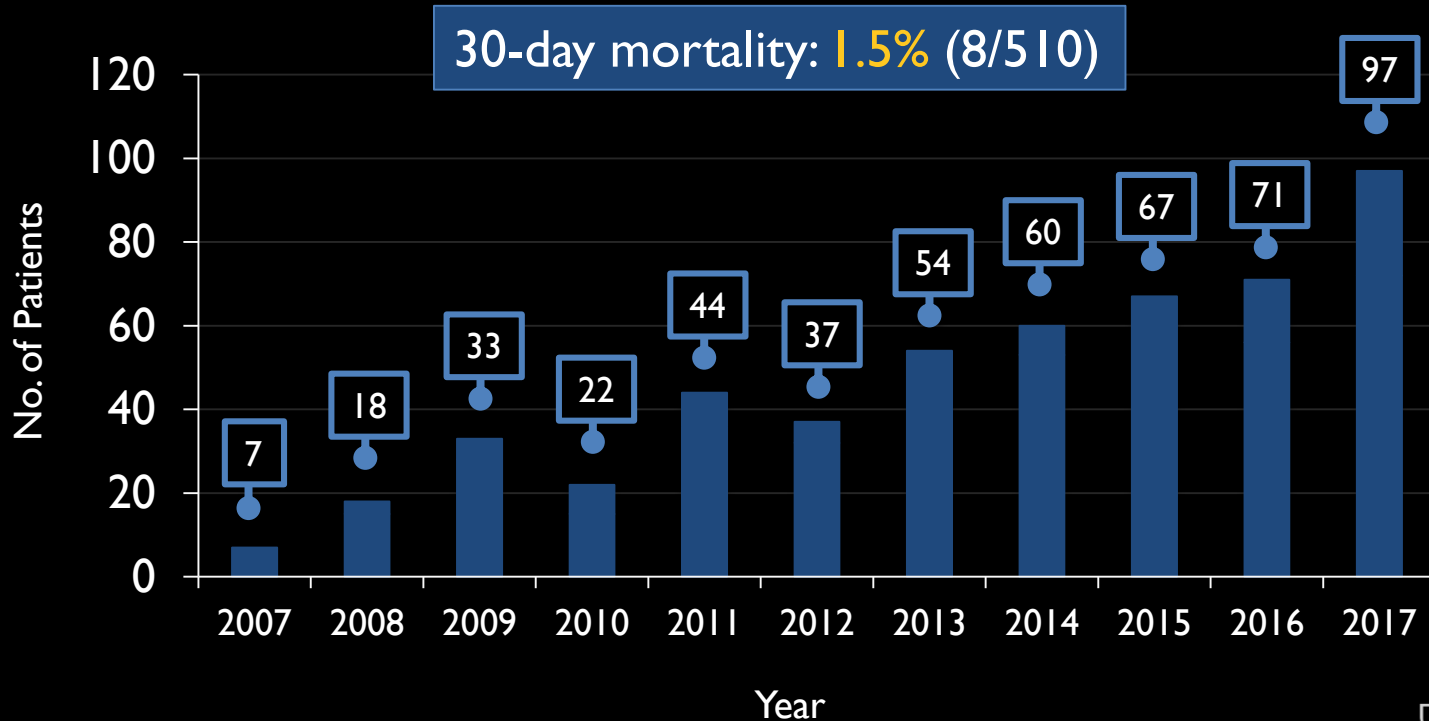
MOVING TARGET...

- Learning curve: patient selection and team experience
- Strategies to prevent spinal cord injury
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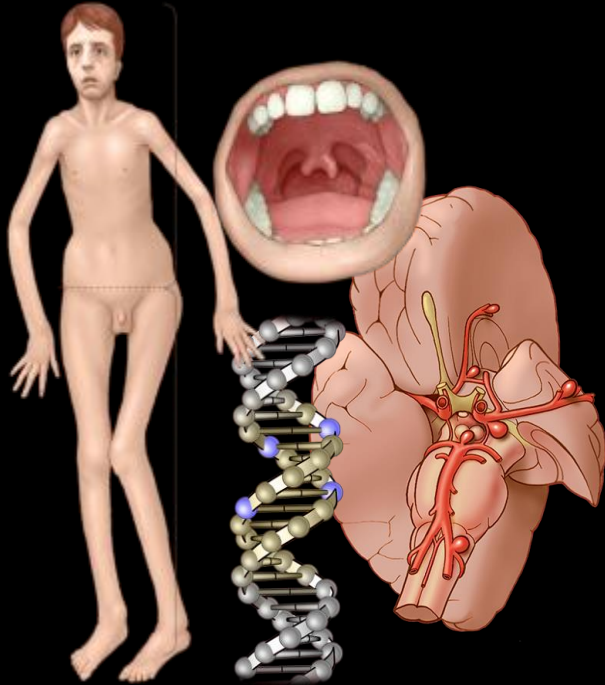
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510 consecutive patients (2007-2017)

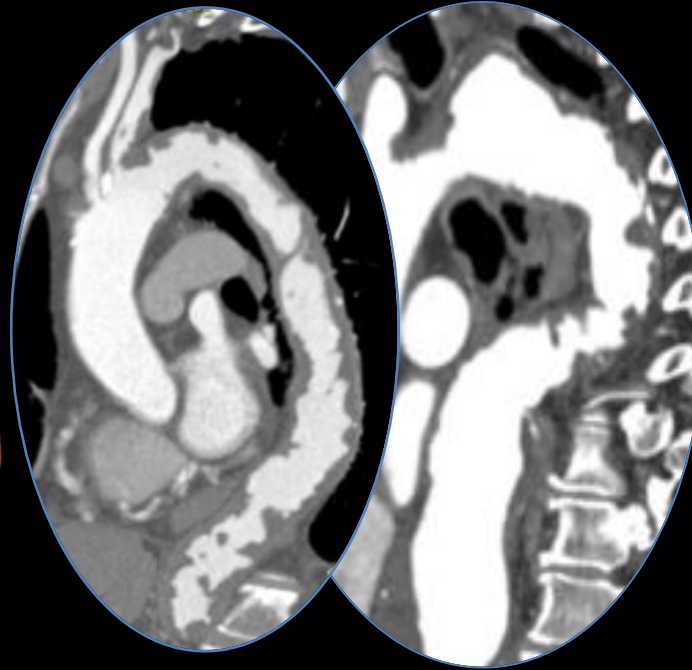


PATIENT SELECTION

**Genetically Triggered
Aortic Diseases**



'Shaggy Aorta'



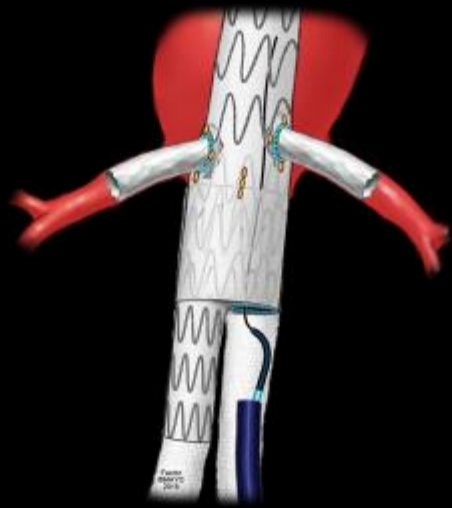
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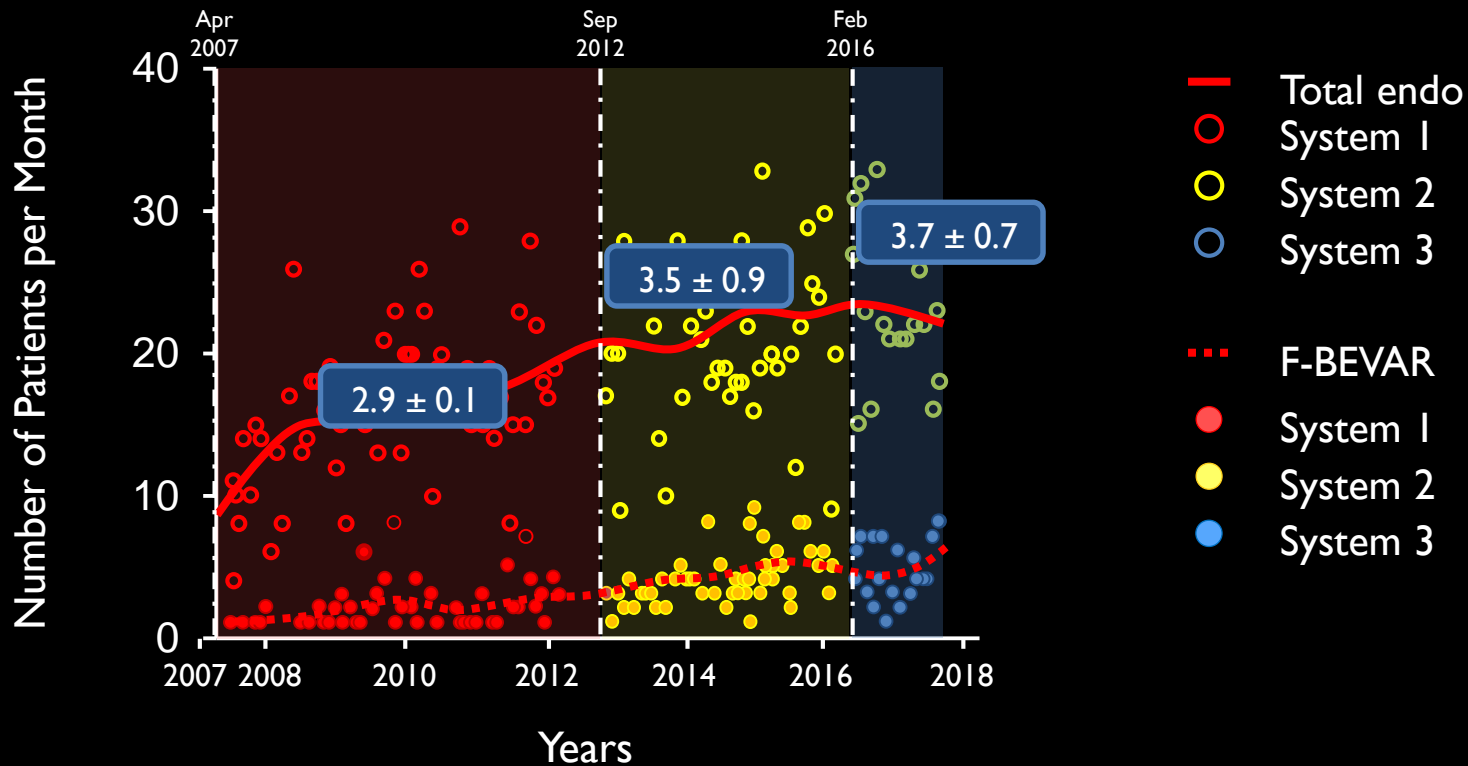


LEARNING CURVE IN 334 PATIENTS TREATED BY F-BEVAR FOR COMPLEX AORTIC ANEURYSMS

	All n = 334	Q1 n = 81	Q2 n = 84	Q3 n = 85	Q4 n = 84	P value
30 day mortality	2%	6%	2%	1%	0%	0.009
Major adverse events	33%	58%	32%	21%	21%	<.001
30-day reinterventions	9%	9%	10%	6%	2%	<.001

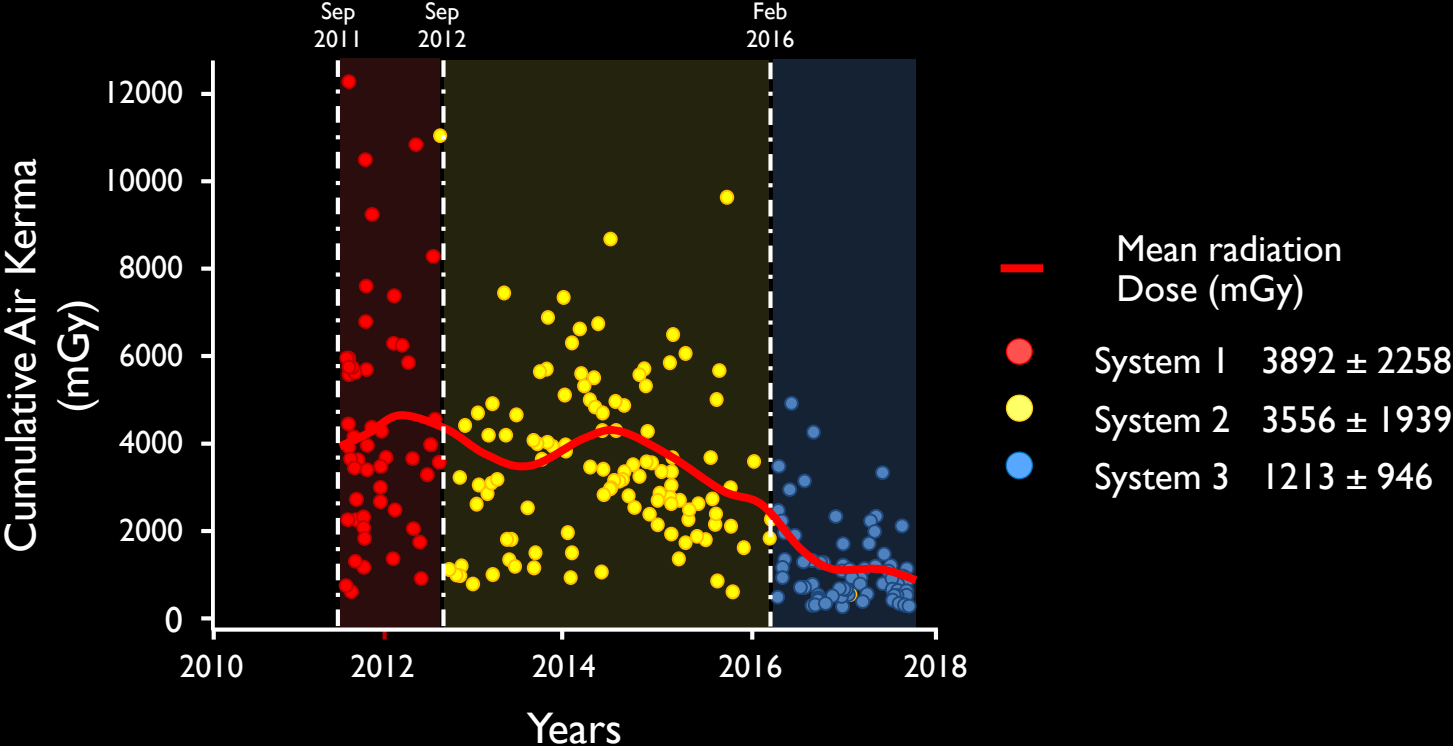


INCREASING VOLUME





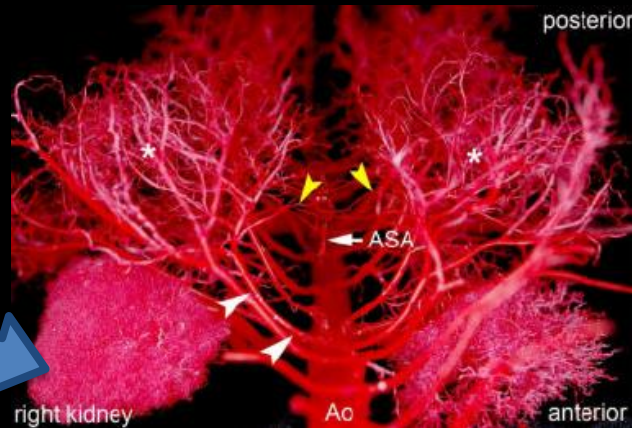
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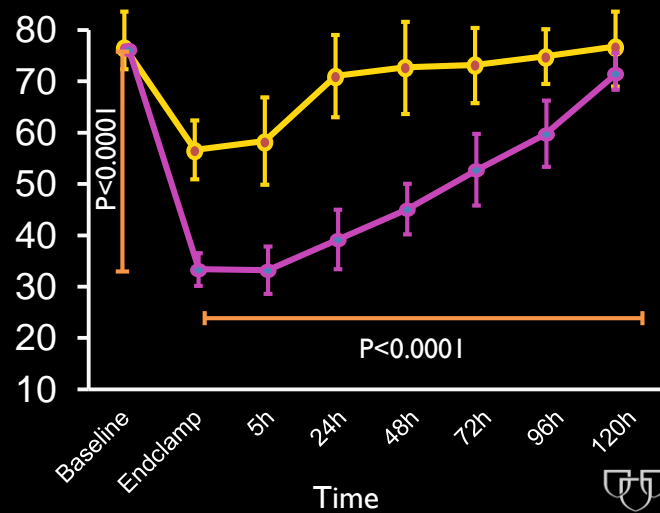
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Collateral network pressure, mmHg



Proximal TEVAR

Staged endovascular repair of thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysms limits incidence and severity of spinal cord ischemia

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	I-Stage	2-Stage	P
Any SCI	38%	11%	.02
Permanent	16%	0%	.03



Perfusion branches

Editor's Choice — Temporary Aneurysm Sac Perfusion as an Prevention of Spinal Cord Ischemia After Branched Endovascular Thoracoabdominal Aneurysms **CME**

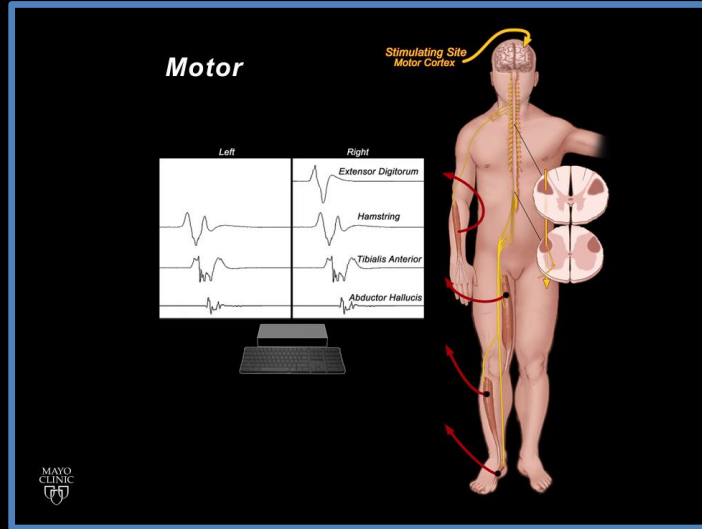
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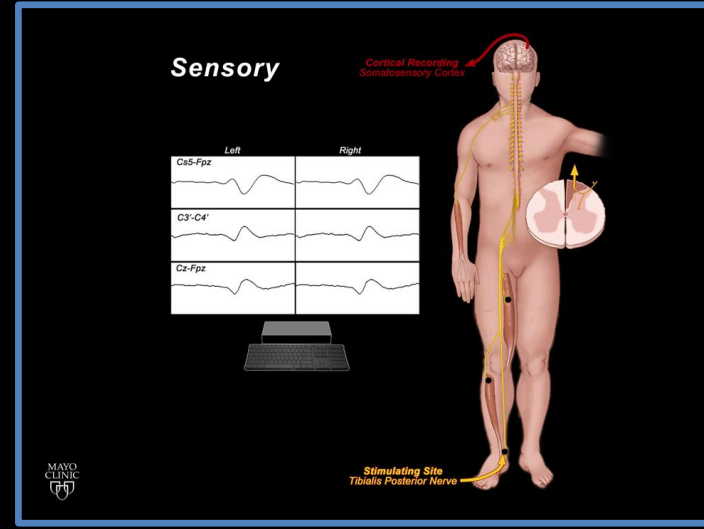
	No TASP	TASP	P
Any SCI	23%	13%	.001
Paraplegia	21%	3%	.02



SPINAL CORD INJURY PREVENTION



- Staged aortic coverage
- Permissive hypertension
- CSF drainage 48-72 hours
- Neuromonitoring



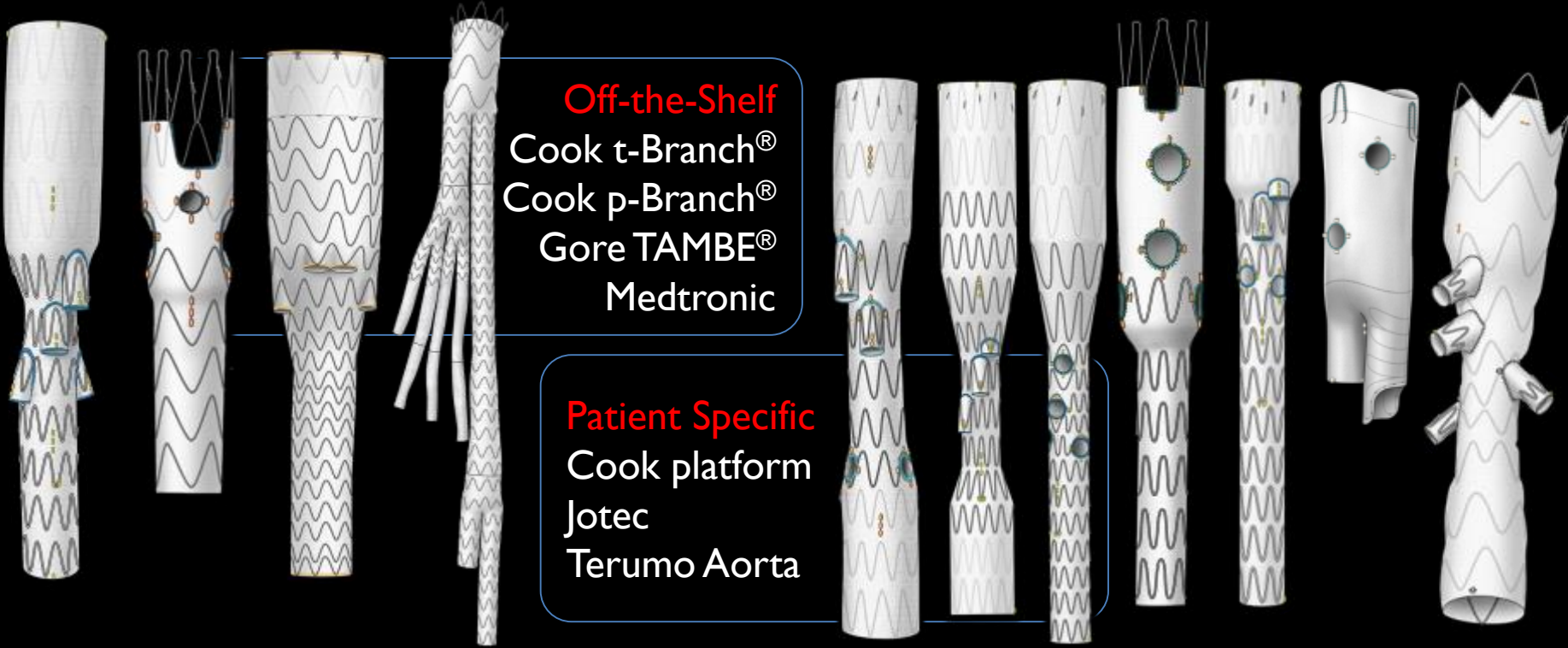
- Early limb reperfusion
- Selective temporary sac perfusion (TASP)
- Near infrared spectroscopy (NIRS)

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STENT DESIGNS



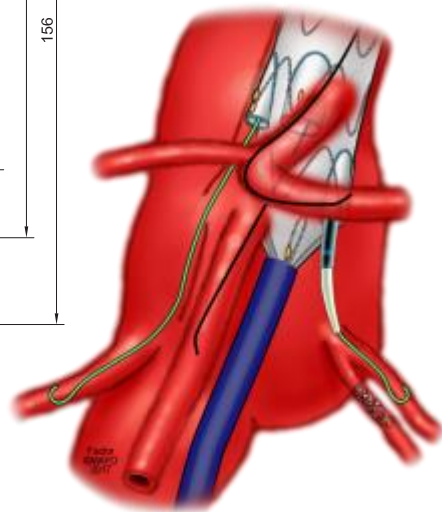
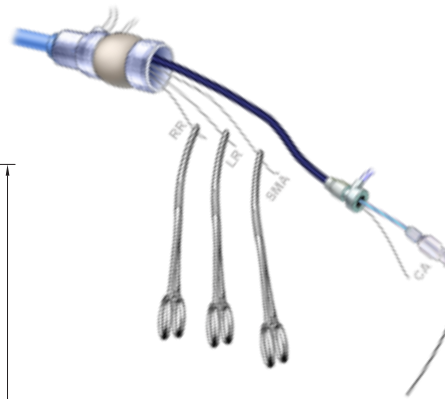
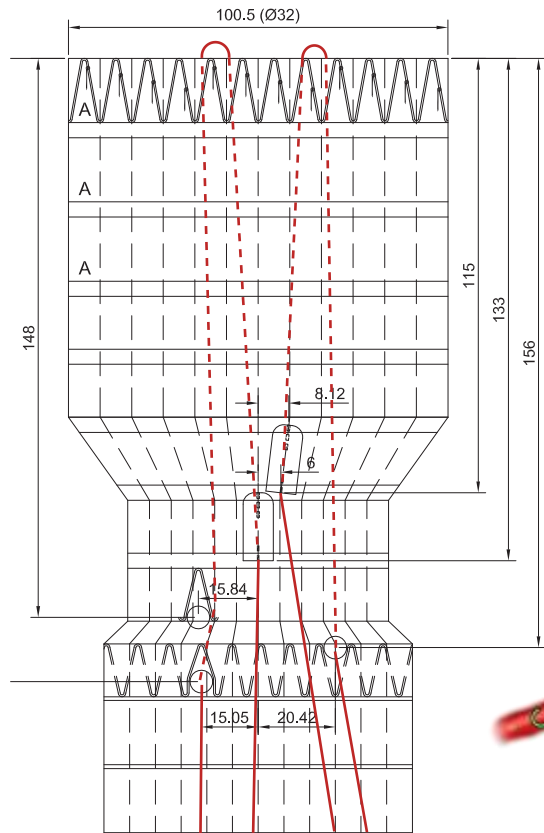
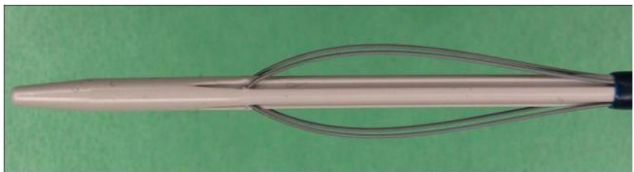
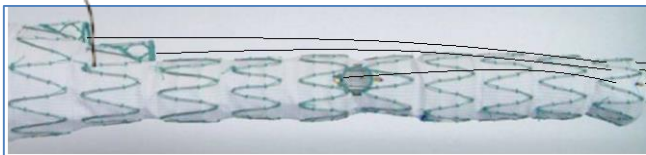
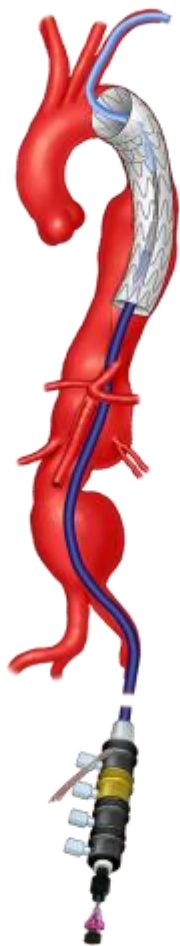
Off-the-Shelf

- Cook t-Branch®
- Cook p-Branch®
- Gore TAMBE®
- Medtronic

Patient Specific

- Cook platform
- Jotec
- Terumo Aorta

PRE-LOADED WIRE SYSTEM





What are the state-of-the-art
results of eTAAA using
fenestrated-branched endografts?

eTAAA REPAIR RESULTS

Author, Year	n	IV/I-III	Mean age	30-day mortality	SCI	Paraplegia	Dialysis
Kasprzak et al (2014)	83	30/53	71	7.2%	20%	13%	5%
Bisdas T et al (2015)	142	12/130	70	2.8%	16%	8%	
Dias N et al (2015)	72	17/55	68	6.9%	31%	21%	
Katsargyris et al (2015)	218	54/164	69	7.8%	10%	2%	
Maurel et al (2015)	204	85/119	71	6.9%	4%	1%	5%
Eagleton et al (2016)	354	0/354	74	4.8%	9%	4%	3%
Fernandez et al (2016)	133	73/60	71	7.8%		5%	10%
Oderich et al (2016)	185	112/73	74	4.0%	5%	3%	1%
Baba/Ohki et al (2017)	44	0/44	74	4.5%	16%		2%
Total	1435	383/1052	71	5.4%	14%	7%	5%



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Update on the first 250 patients enrolled in a prospective, non- randomized study to evaluate F- BEVAR for complex aortic aneurysms

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METHODS

- Prospective, non-randomized study (2013-present)
- Off-the-shelf and patient-specific fenestrated and branched stent-grafts
- Clinical data adjudicated by Clinical Event Committee and Data Safety Monitoring Board
- Imaging independently reviewed by vascular radiology
- End-points:
 - 30-day mortality and major adverse events
 - Patient survival and freedom from aortic death
 - Target vessel patency, instability and freedom from reinterventions

PATIENTS

292 patients enrolled
(April 24th, 2018)

42 patients await
device implantation

250 patients had implantation with >
30-day follow up

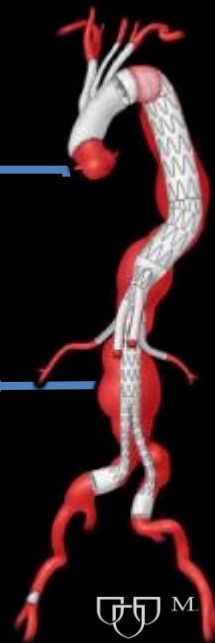


91 pararenal
(37%)

63 Extent 4
TAAA (25%)



96 Extent 1-3
TAAA (38%)



	Overall n = 250	Pararenal n = 91	Extent IV n = 63	Extent I-III n = 96	P value
	Percent or Mean ± Standard Deviation				
Mean age (years ± SD)	75±8	76±7	75±7	73±8	0.06
Age > 80 years	27	32	22	26	0.40
Male gender	71	74	83	61	0.009
Hypertension	91	88	89	95	0.23
Cigarette smoking	86	82	89	88	0.38
Hypercholesterolemia	84	82	87	83	0.69
Coronary artery disease	52	48	60	51	0.31
Chronic Kidney Disease III-V	50	49	56	48	0.53
Chronic pulmonary disease	37	35	30	44	0.17
Congestive heart failure	10	8	14	11	0.42
Prior aortic repair	42	16	27	77	<0.0001
Chronic Dissection	8	0	0	20	<.0001
Aneurysm diameter (mm)	66±11	63±10	65±9	70±13	0.0002

STENT DESIGN

954 renal-mesenteric arteries (3.8/patient)
211 patients (85%) had ≥ 4 -vessels

	Overall n = 250	Pararenal n = 91	Type IV n = 63	Type I-III n = 96	P value
	n (Percent) or Mean \pm Standard Deviation				
Total target vessels	954	353	246	355	
Vessels per patient	3.9 \pm 0.5	3.9 \pm 0.5	3.9 \pm 0.5	3.8 \pm 0.5	0.4
Fenestrations	631 (66)	308 (87)	218 (89)	105 (30)	<0.001
Directional branches	284 (30)	6 (2)	28 (11)	250 (70)	<0.001
Double-wide scallops	39 (4)	39 (11)	0	0	<0.001

PROCEDURAL DETAILS

	Overall n = 250	Pararenal n = 91	Extent IV n = 63	Type I-III n = 96	P value
	n (Percent) or Mean ± Standard Deviation				
General anesthesia	100	100	100	100	NS
Brachial access	92	79	100	100	<0.001
Percutaneous femoral	81	87	79	78	0.56
CSF drainage	68	23	90	97	<0.001
Neuromonitoring	38	12	33	95	<0.001
Total OR time (min)	168±63	151±52	167±65	185±67	0.002
Contrast volume (cc)	156±57	136±47	156±53	174±62	<0.001
Fluoroscopy time (min)	83±33	75±27	83±34	91±35	0.0031
Radiation dose (mGy)	2398±1891	2085±1696	2880±1967	2379±1968	0.036
EBL (ml)	449±521	347±429	451±585	548±545	0.03
Technical success	99.4	99.7	100	98.6	0.06

30-DAY RESULTS

One (0.4%) 30-day or in-hospital death

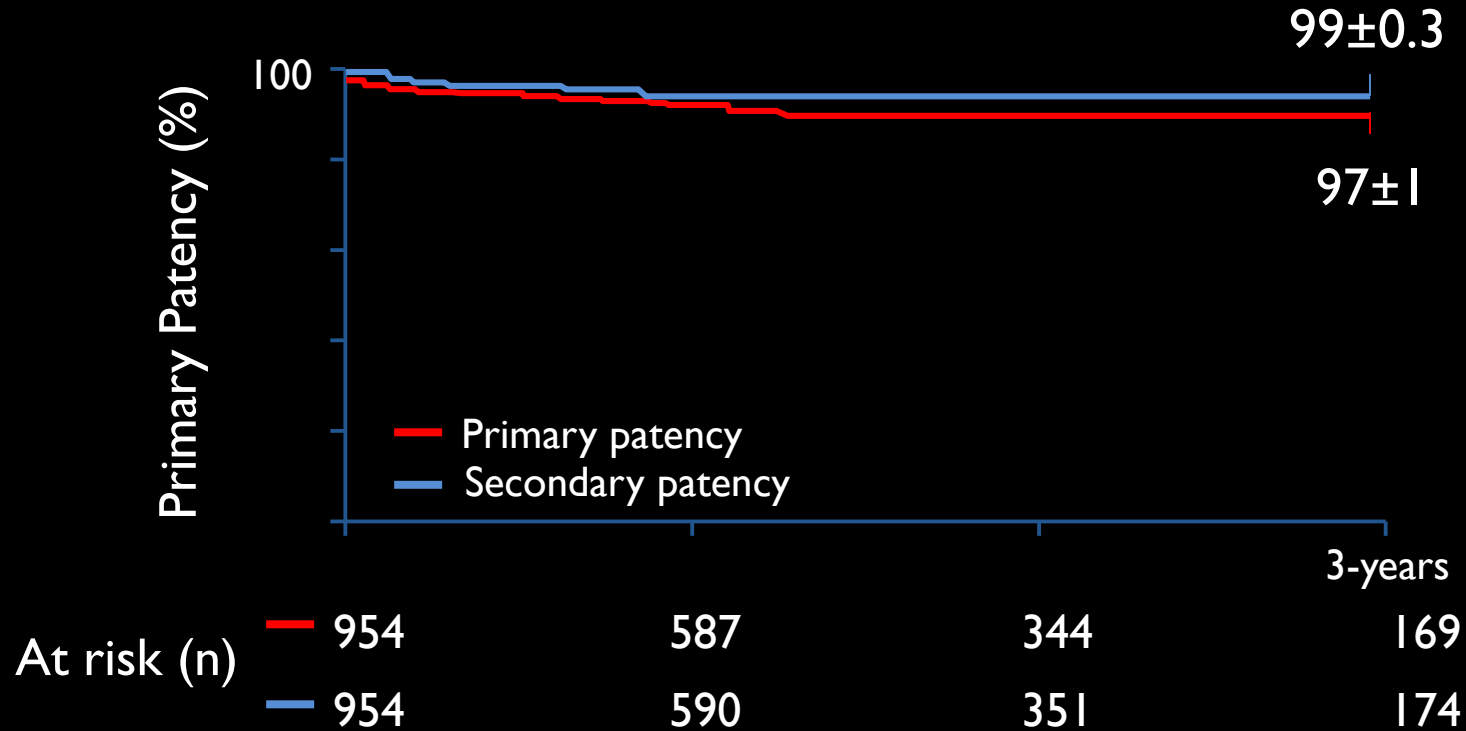
	Overall n = 250	Pararenal n = 91	Extent IV n = 63	Extent I-III n = 96	P value
	Percent				
Any MAE	28	22	30	32	0.30
EBL > IL	10	4	8	16	0.03
Acute Kidney Injury	12	11	21	8	0.06
New-onset dialysis	1	1	2	1	0.94
Myocardial infarction	4	4	8	1	0.09
Respiratory failure	2	1	3	3	0.59
Paraplegia	3	1	0	6	0.03
Major stroke	1	1	2	0	0.50
Bowel ischemia	2	3	3	1	0.54

PATIENT SURVIVAL



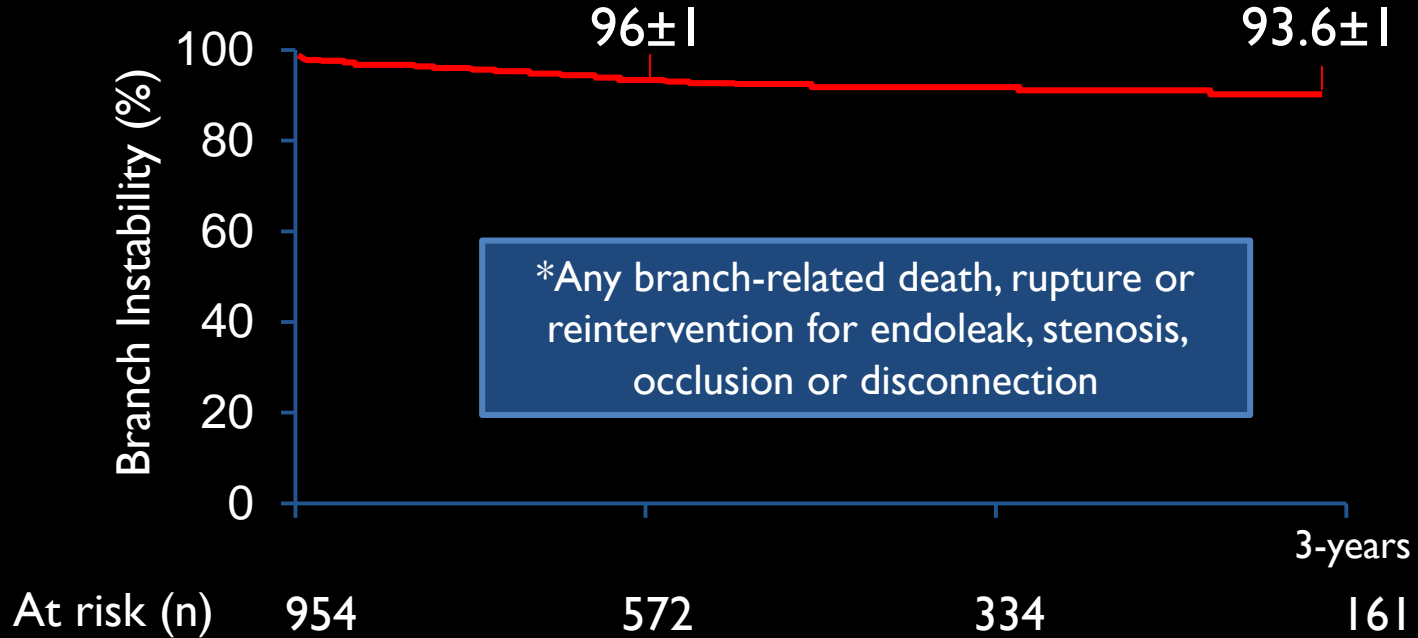
TARGET VESSEL PATENCY

All renal-mesenteric target vessels

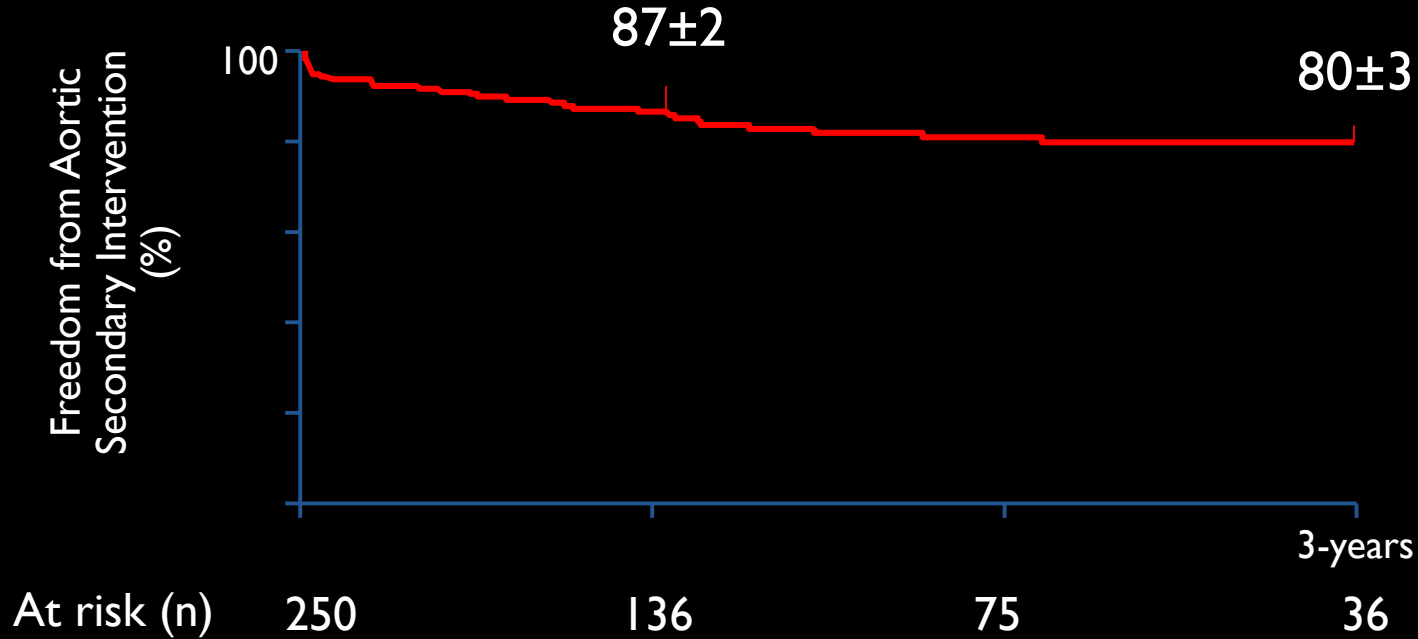


TARGET VESSEL INSTABILITY*

All renal-mesenteric target vessels



AORTIC REINTERVENTION



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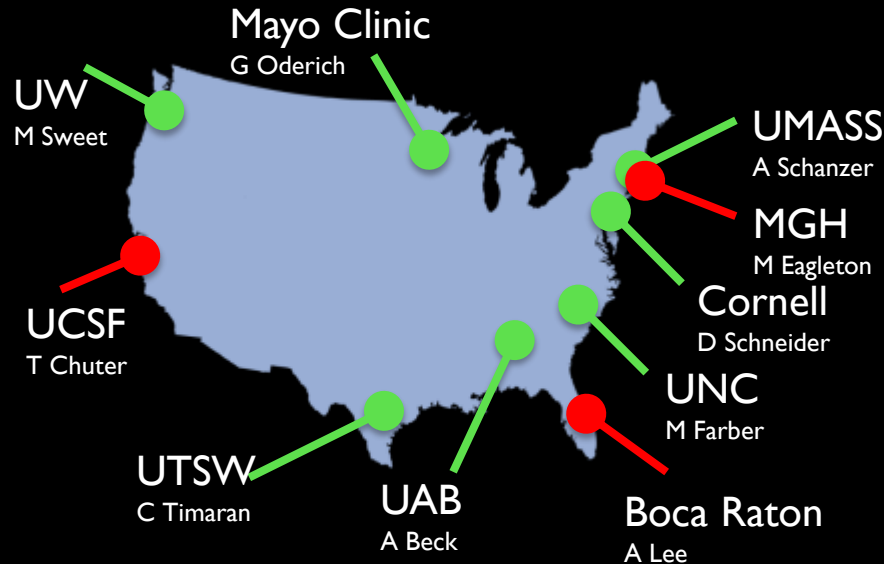


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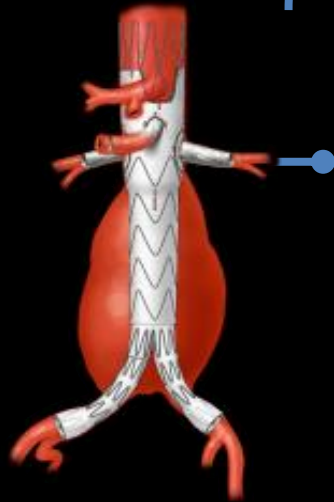
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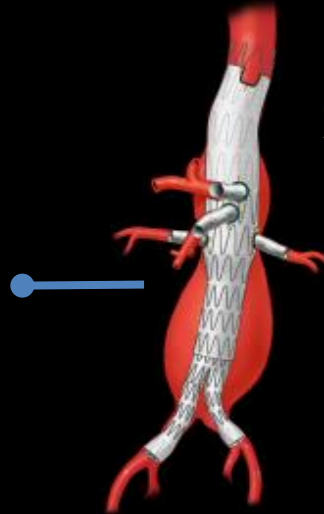
PATIENTS

661 patients enrolled
(January 1st, 2018)

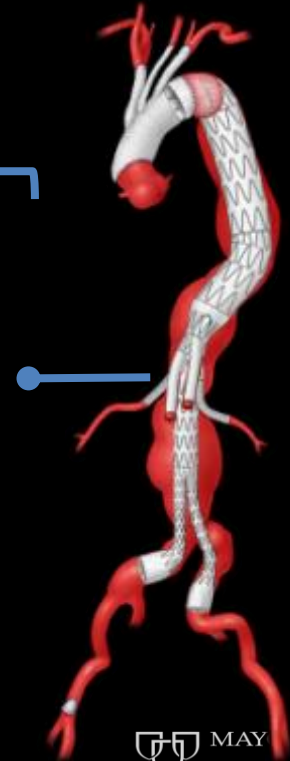


232 pararenal
(36%)

221 Extent 4
TAAA (33%)



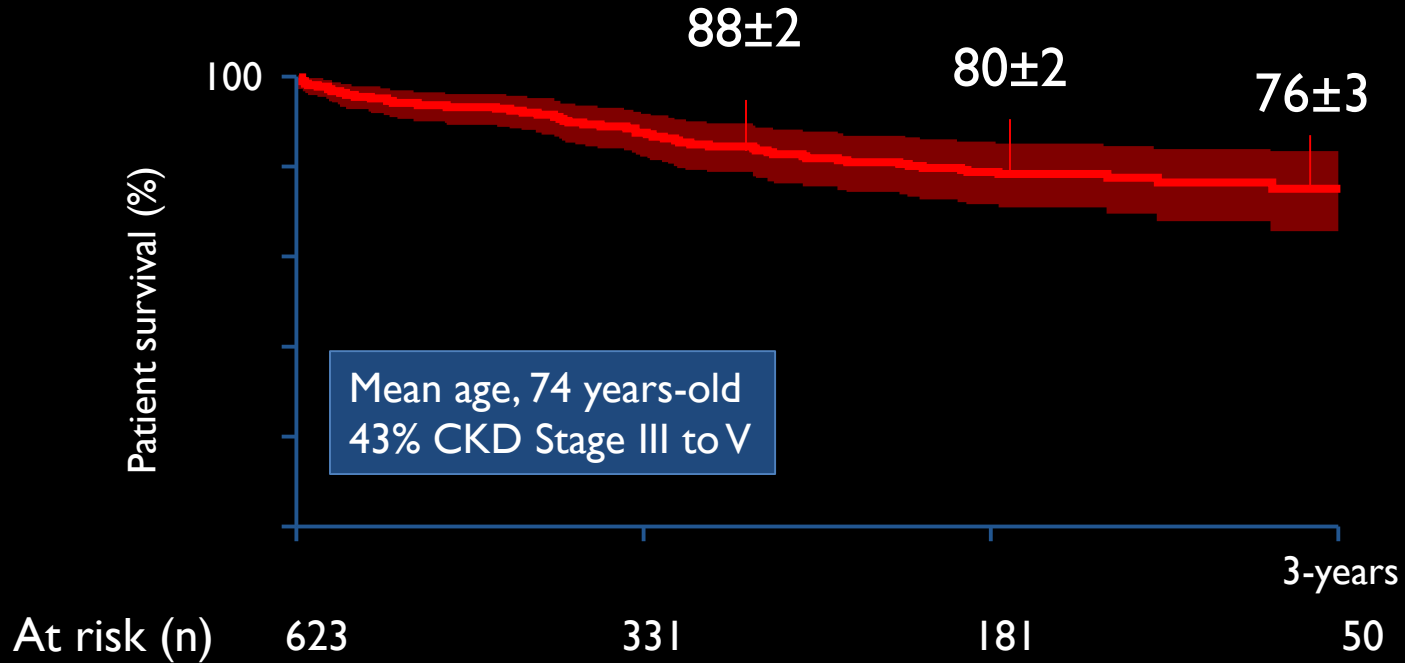
208 Extent
1-3 TAAA
(31%)



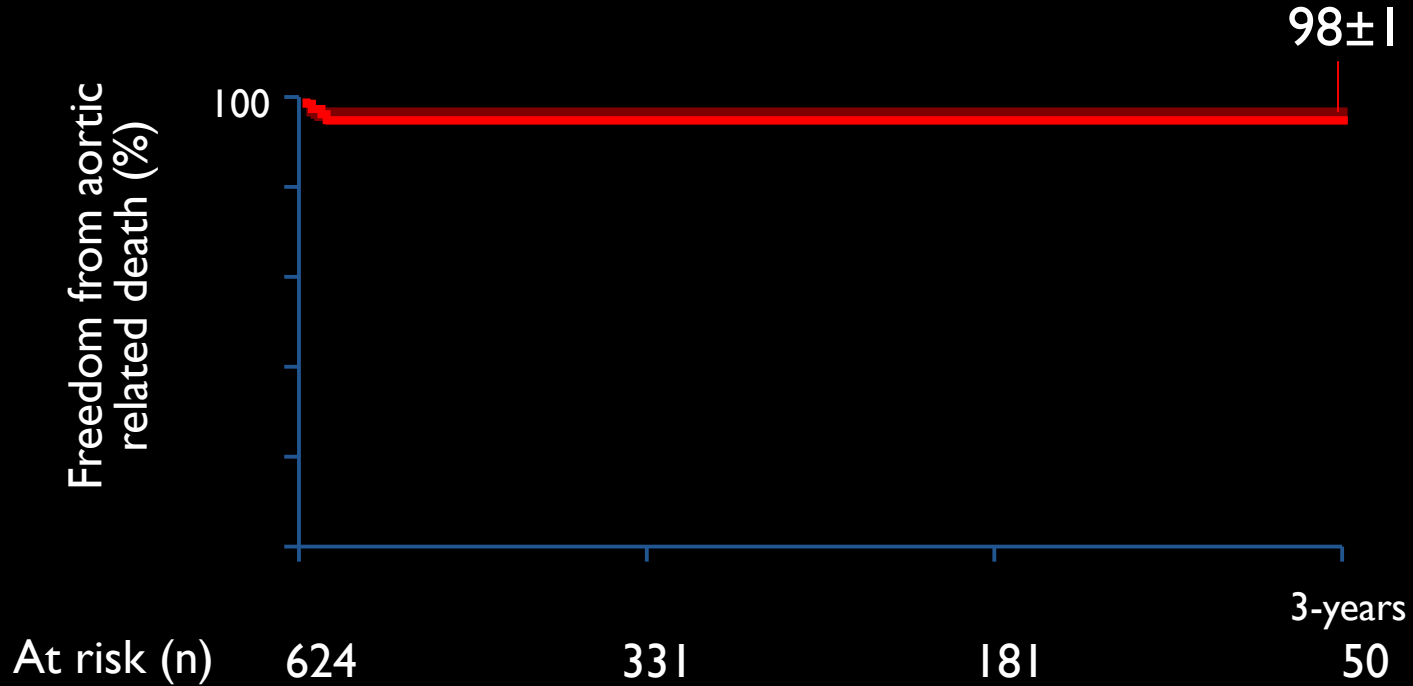
30-DAY OUTCOMES

	Overall n = 661	Pararenal n = 232	Extent IV n = 221	Extent I-III n = 208	P value
	n (Percent)				
Any Mortality	13 (2)	3 (1)	5 (2)	5 (2)	0.82
Any MAE	97 (15)	26 (11)	33 (15)	38 (18)	0.11
EBL > IL	29 (5)	6 (3)	9 (4)	14 (7)	0.10
Acute Kidney injury	36 (5)	7 (3)	14 (6)	15 (7)	0.11
Myocardial infarction	12 (2)	4 (2)	7 (3)	1 (0.4)	0.11
Respiratory failure	20 (3)	2 (1)	10 (5)	8 (4)	0.053
Paraplegia	11 (2)	1 (0.4)	1 (0.4)	9 (4)	<0.001
Stroke	12 (2)	3 (1)	4 (2)	5 (2)	0.68
Bowel ischemia	22 (3)	5 (2)	10 (5)	7 (3)	0.37

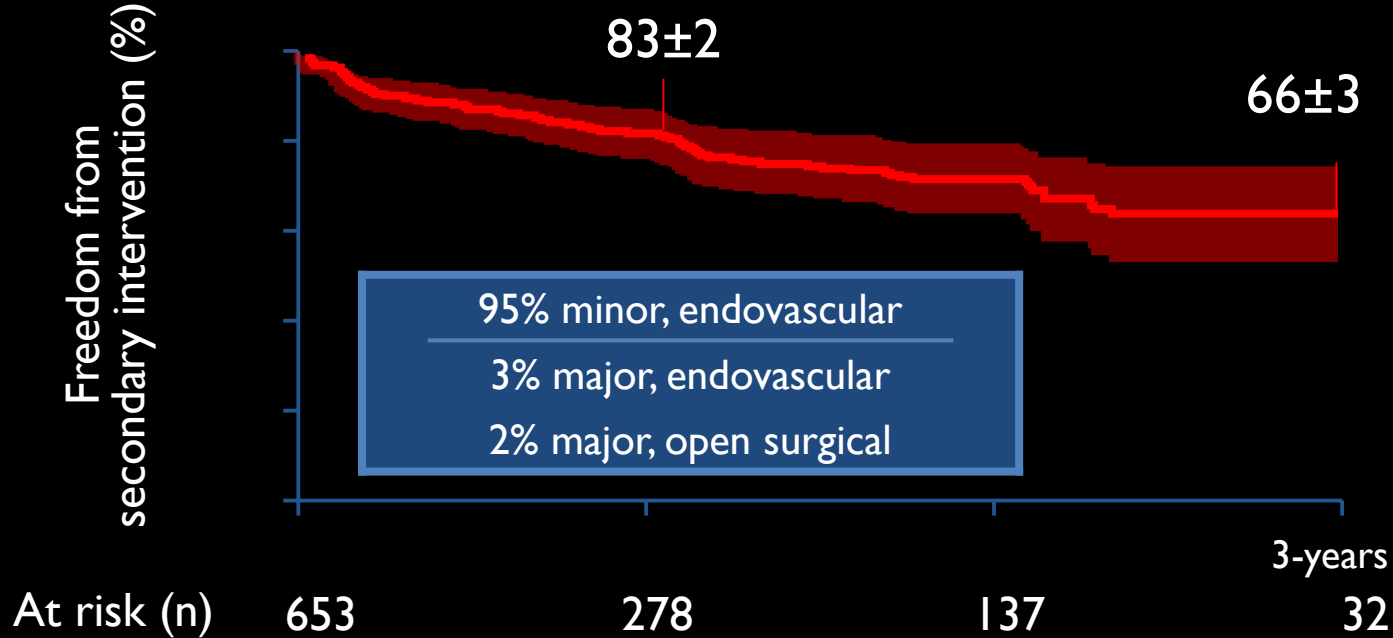
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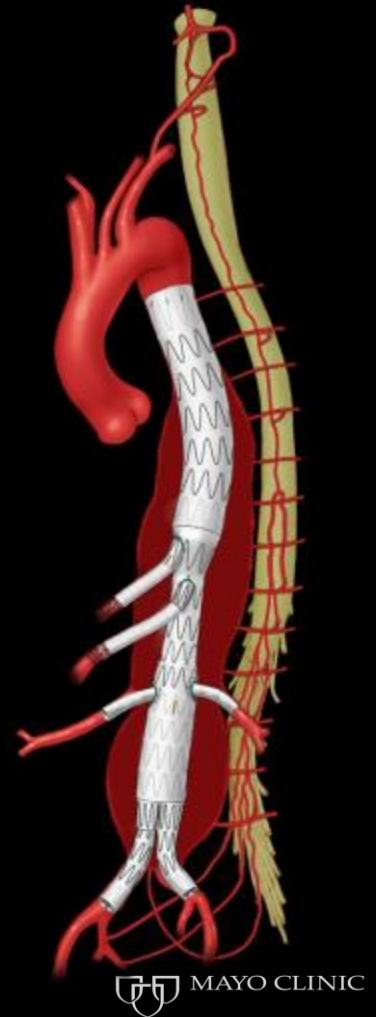


SECONDARY INTERVENTIONS



CONCLUSIONS

- Outcomes of eTAAA repair continue to improve as a reflection of team experience and adoption of protocols to prevent spinal cord injury
- The technique has the potential to significantly reduce morbidity and mortality compared to open surgical repair
- Important considerations are learning curve, need for optimal imaging and familiarity with advanced endovascular techniques
- Limitations are access to technology, physician training, cost, surveillance and need for reinterventions



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