PRELIMINARY EXPERIENCE AND TECHNICAL EVOLUTION ON PURE LAPAROSCOPIC HEPATECTOMY FOR ADULT LDLT

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- This presentation is focused on the surgical outcome, morbidity and **technical evolution** along this preliminary experience.

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Preoperative study:
CT angioscan, cholangioMRI and Mevis 3D reconstruction.

Estimated graft volume was 791 (1462-376) ml.

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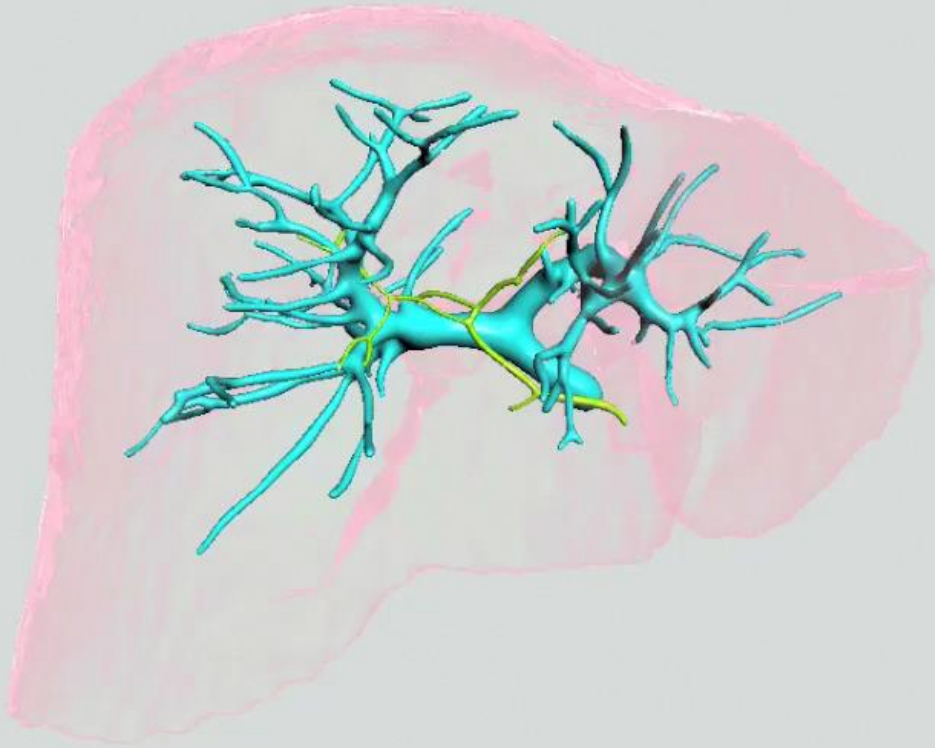
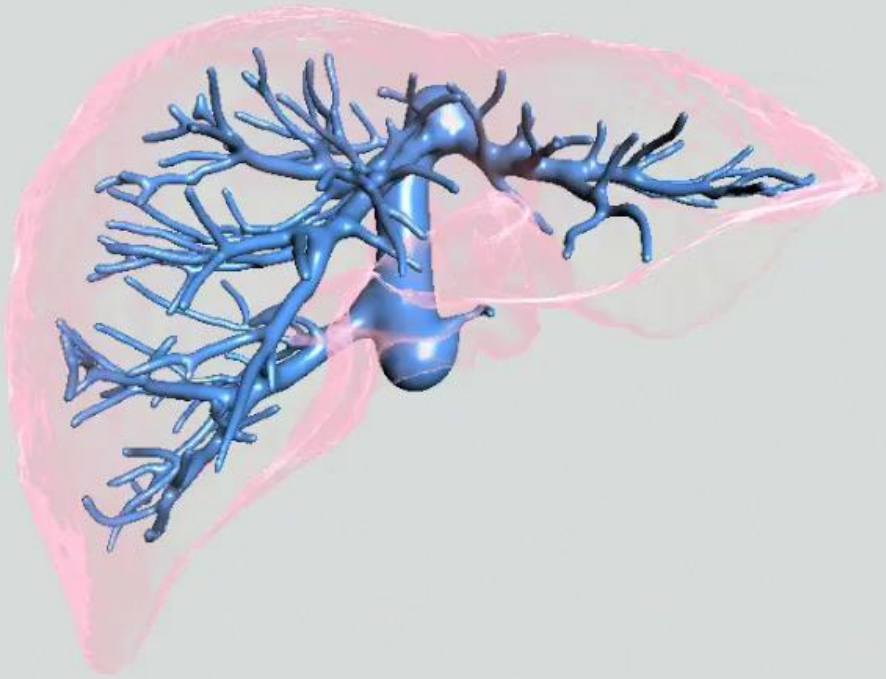
Anatomy: All donors had single vascular and biliary elements



3 RH cases: two right ducts



1 RH case: large IHV

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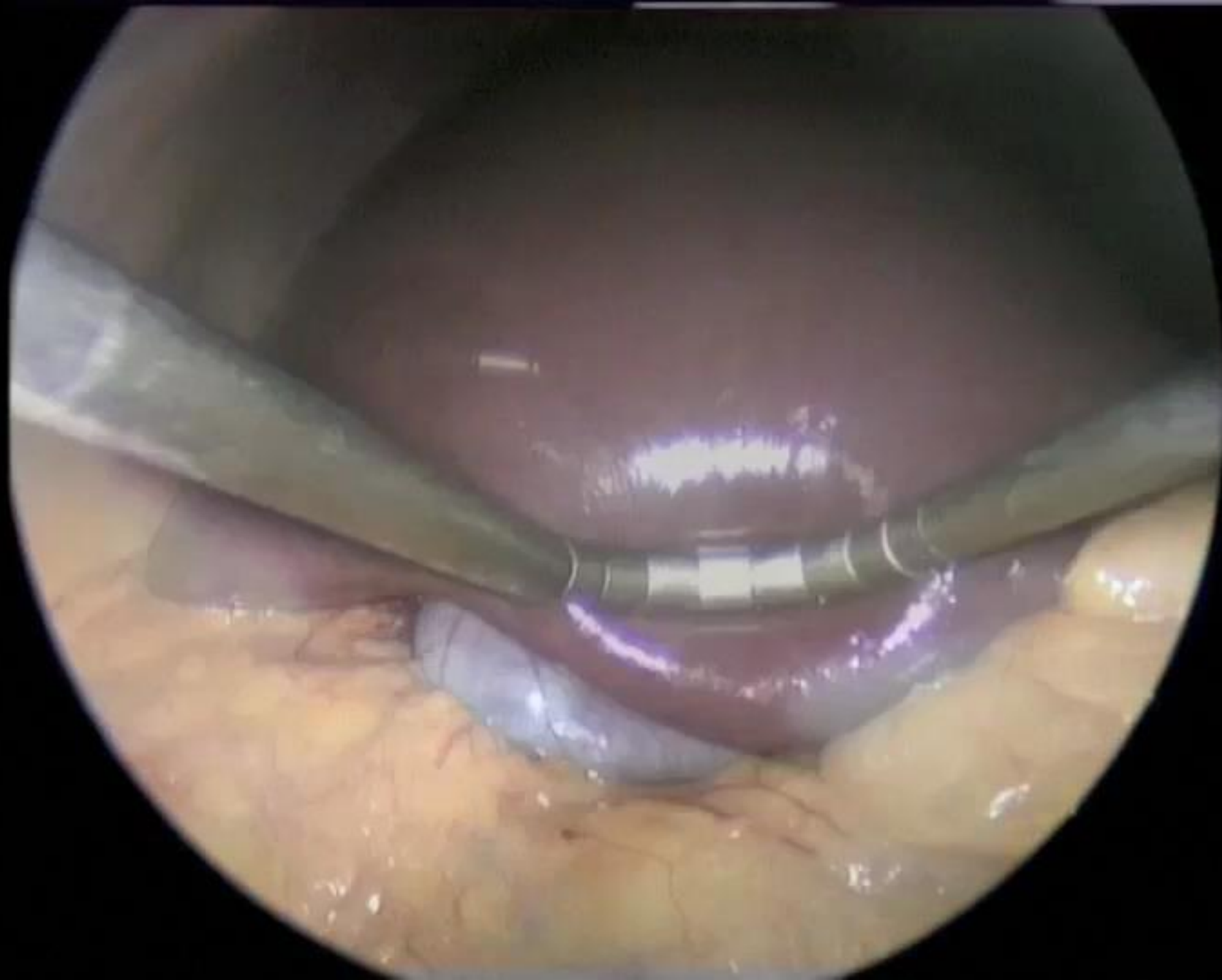
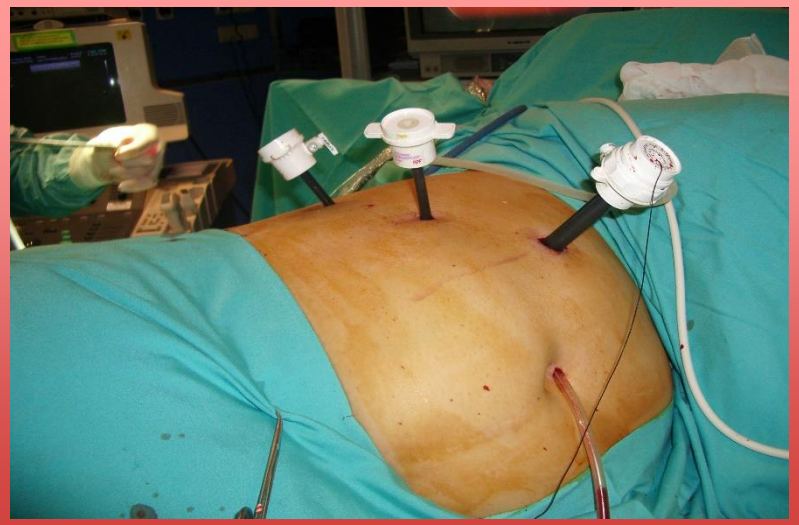
Technical evolution

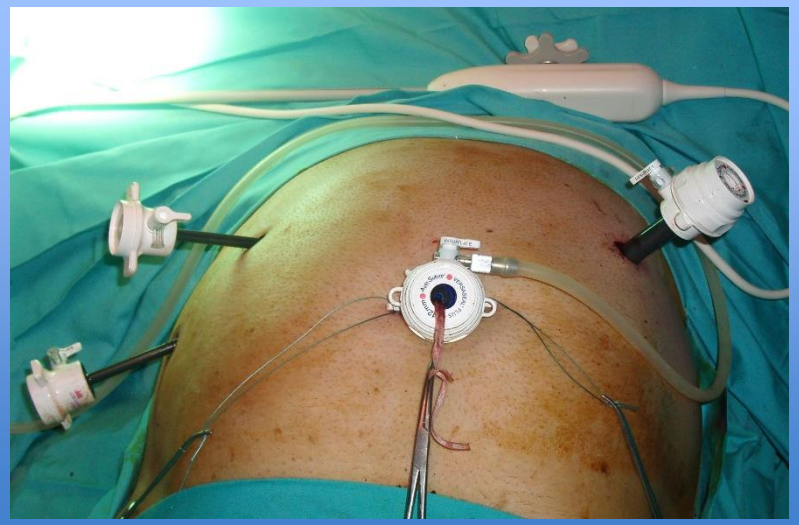
- Right liver mobilization

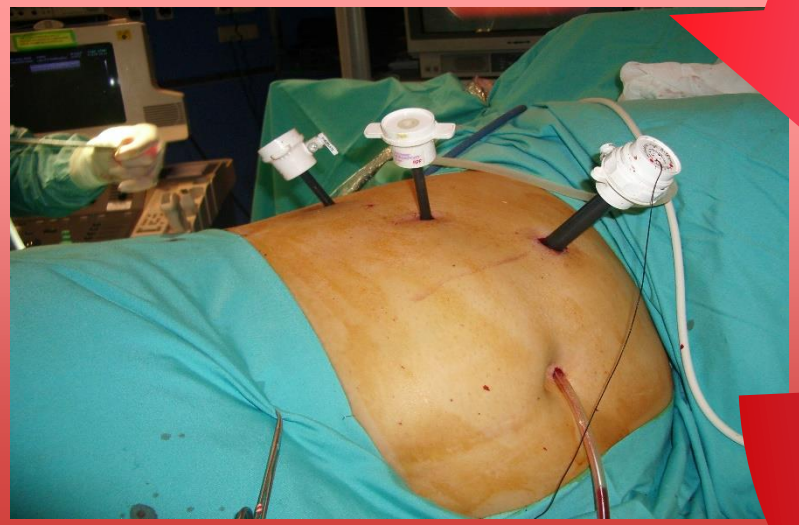
- Trocar position/45º optic

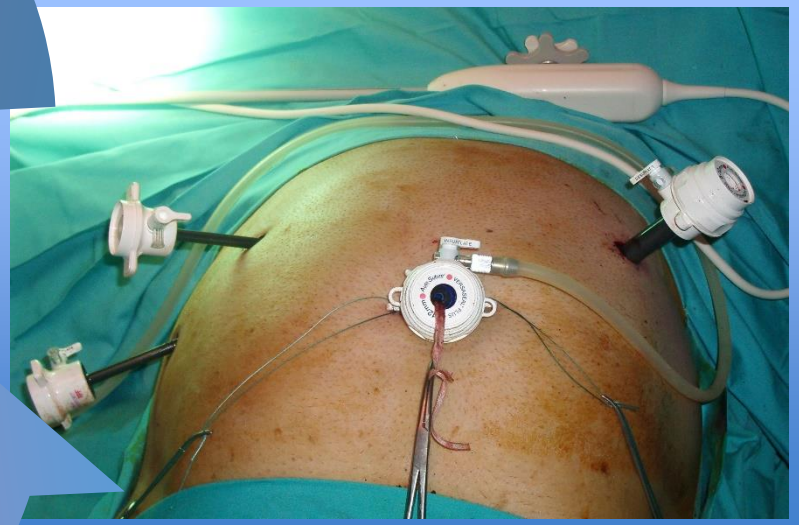
- ICG fluorescence / bile duct division under direct view











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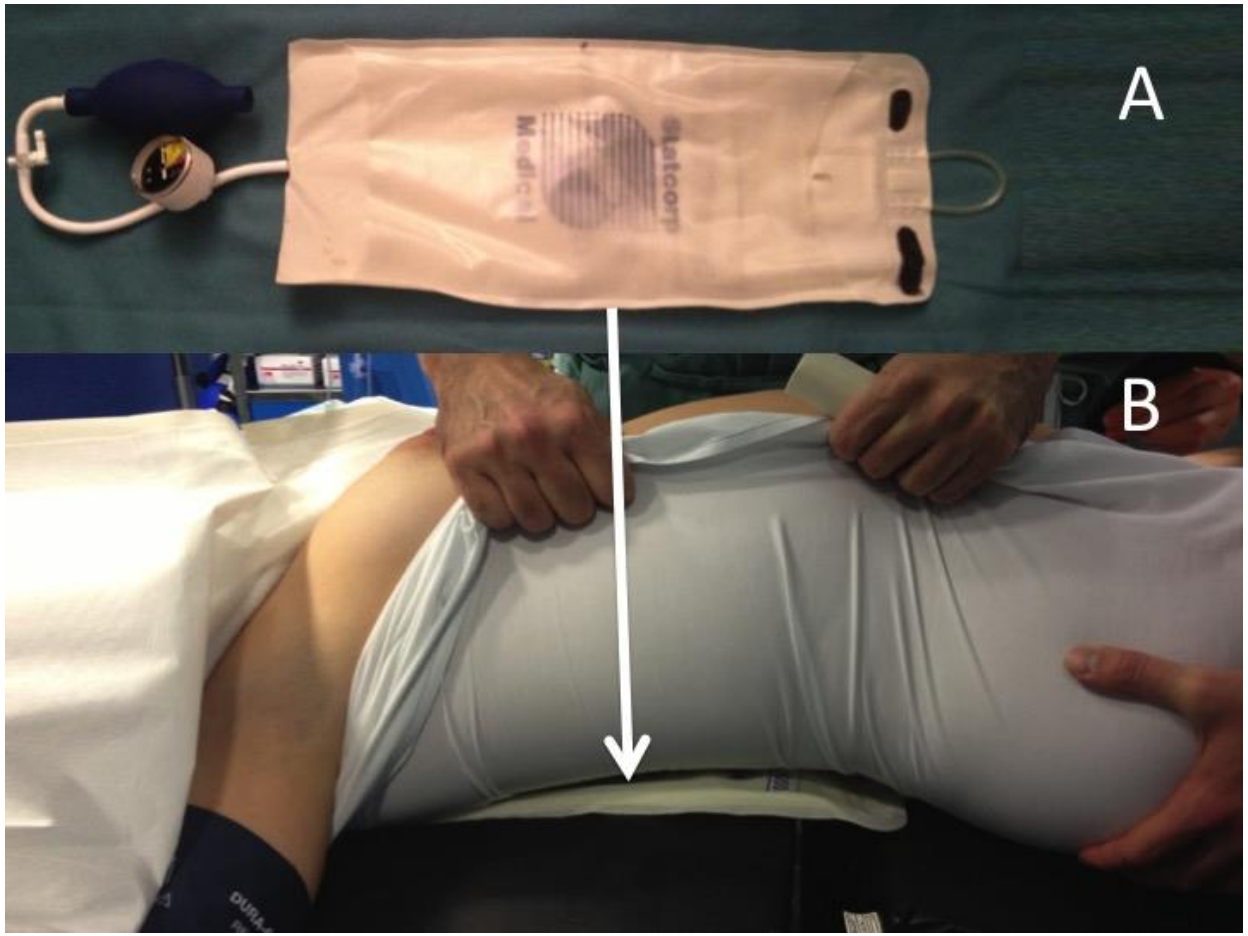

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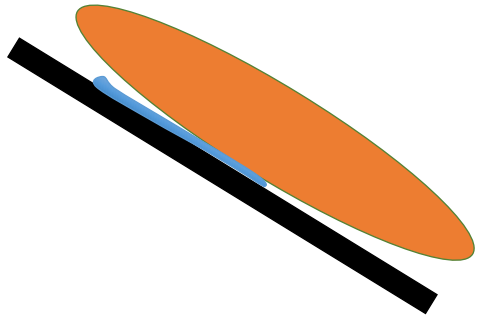

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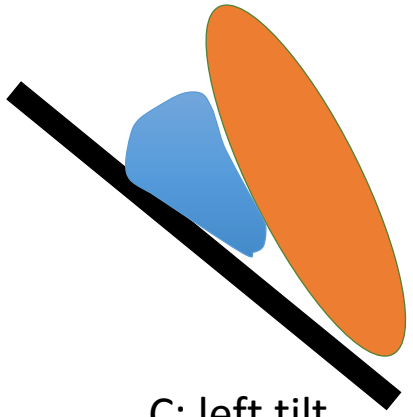
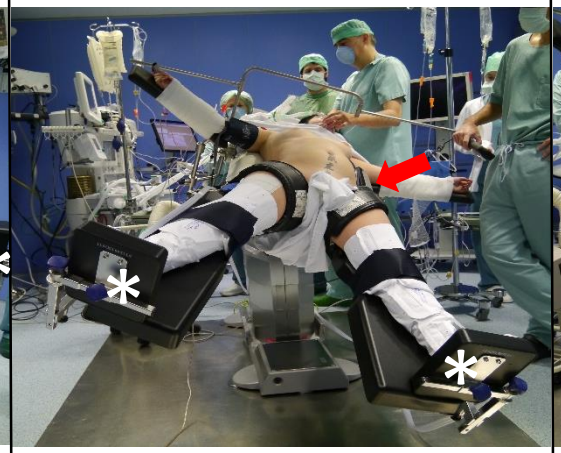


C: left tilt
+ balloon inflation



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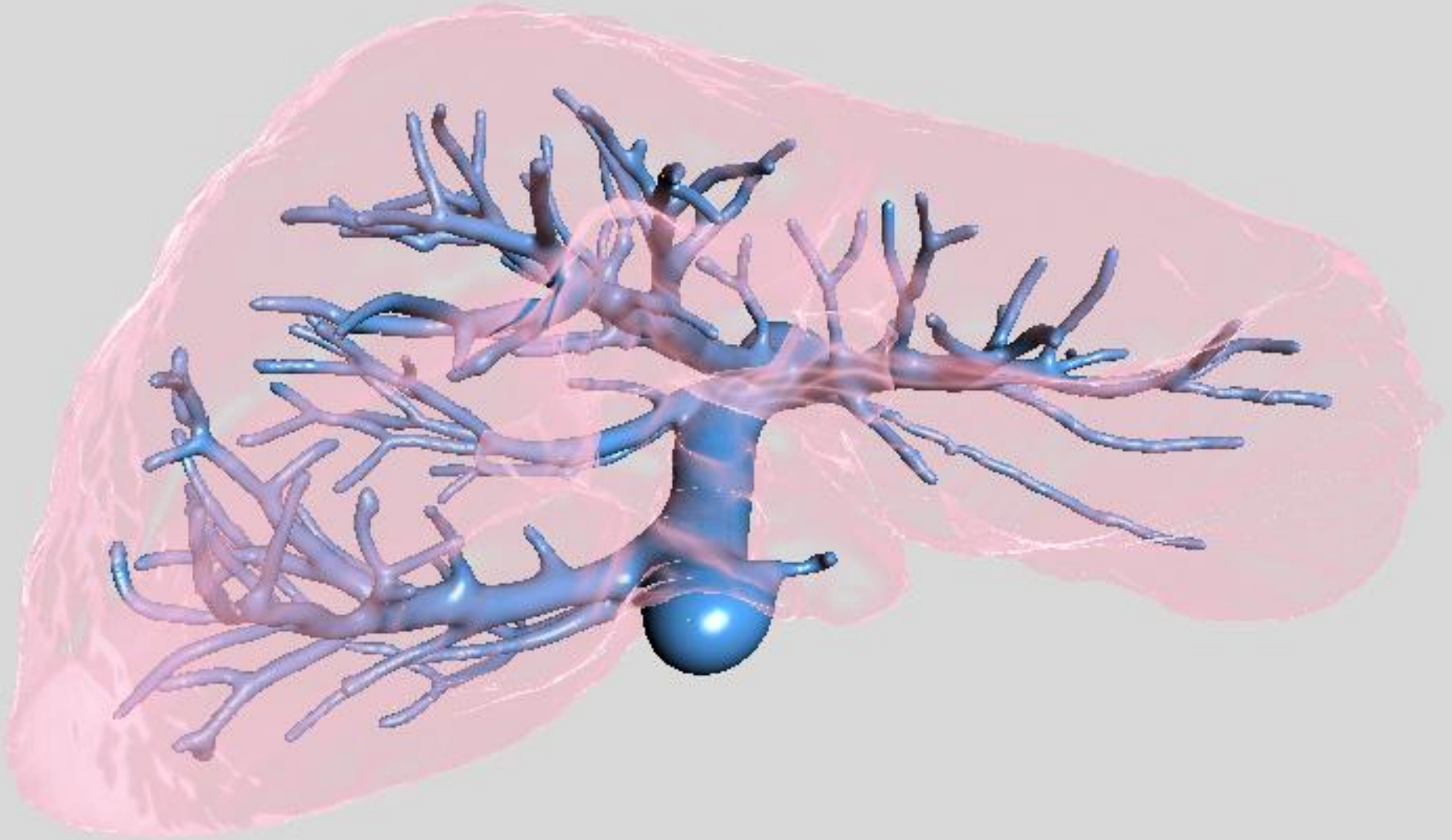

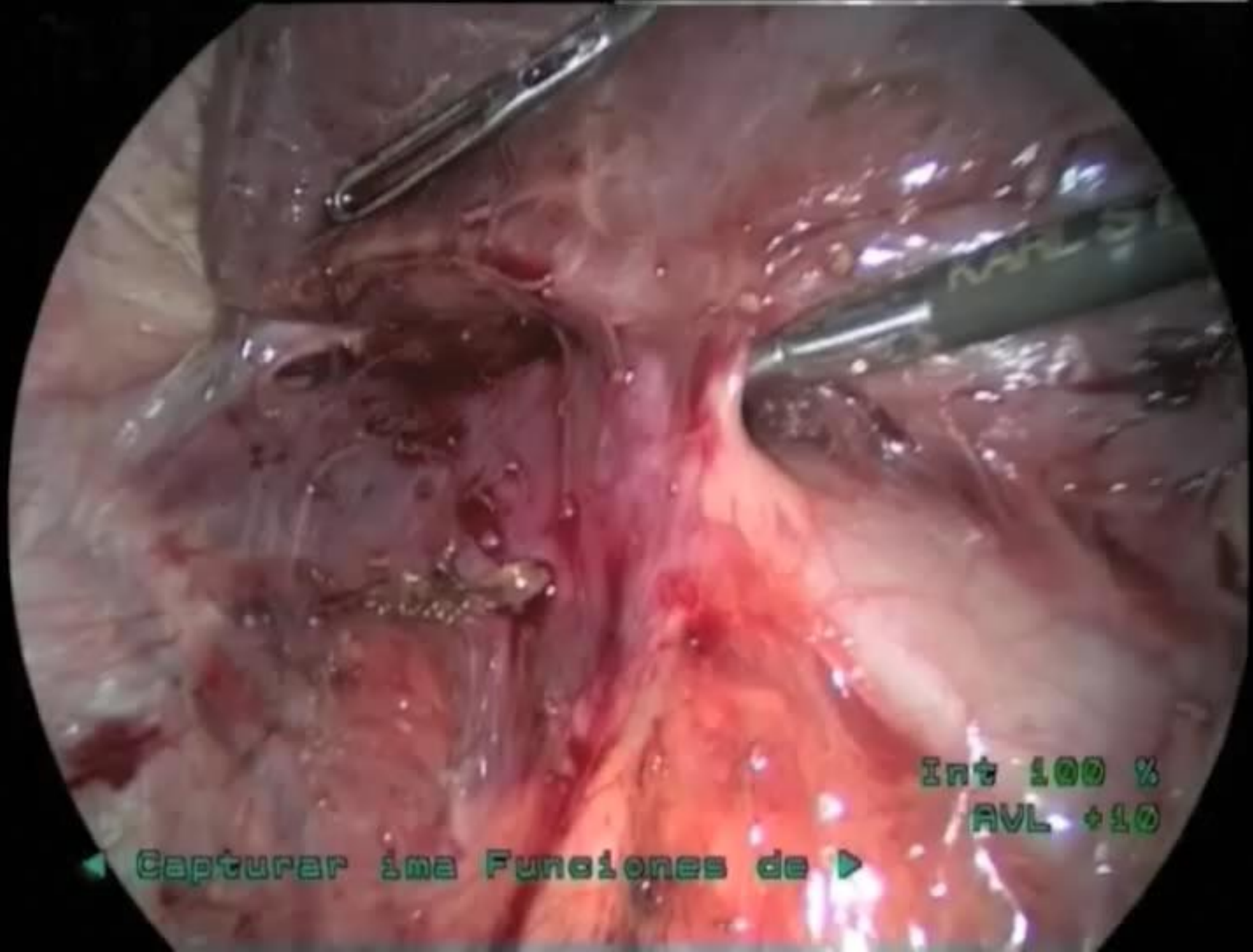
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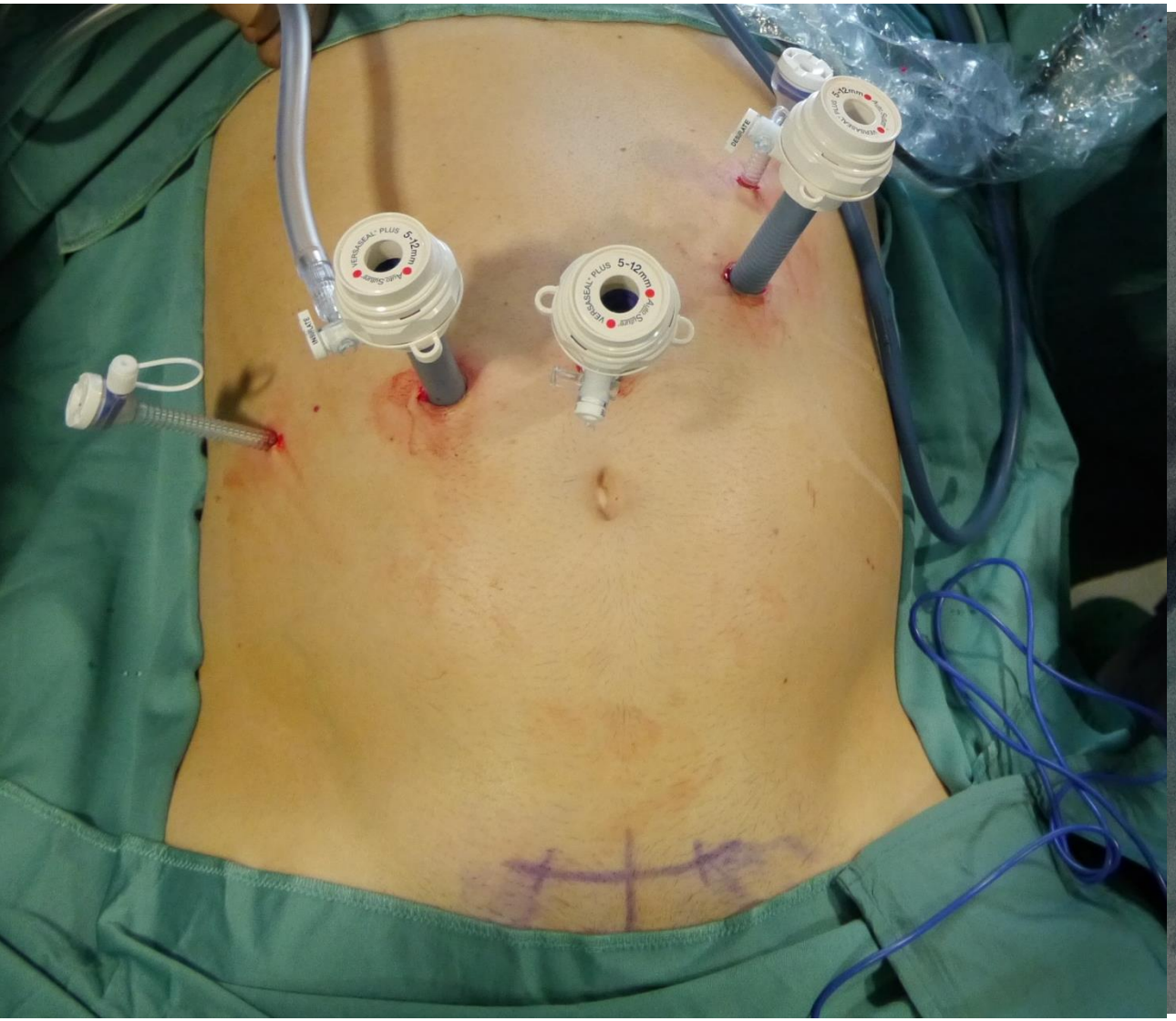
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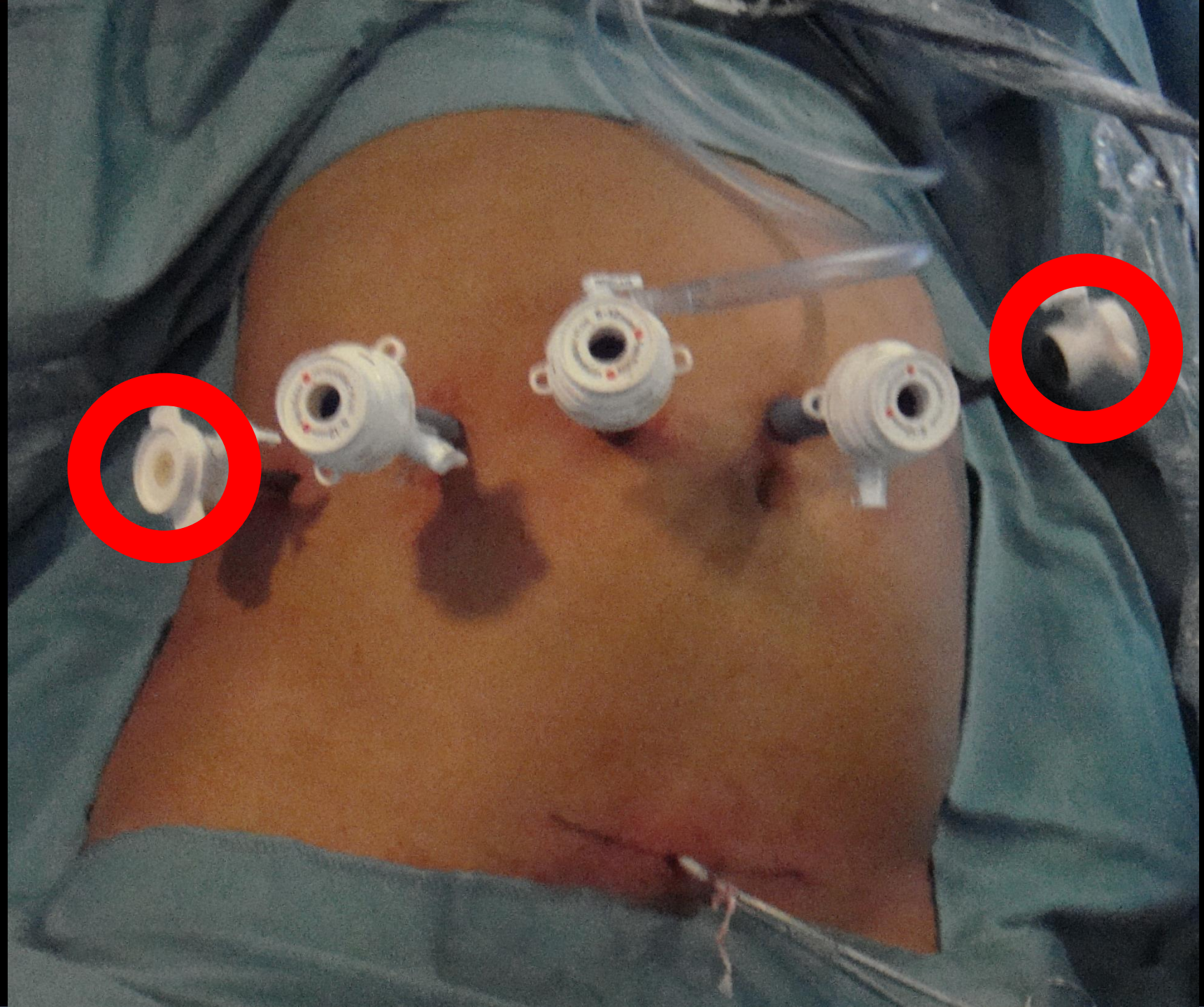

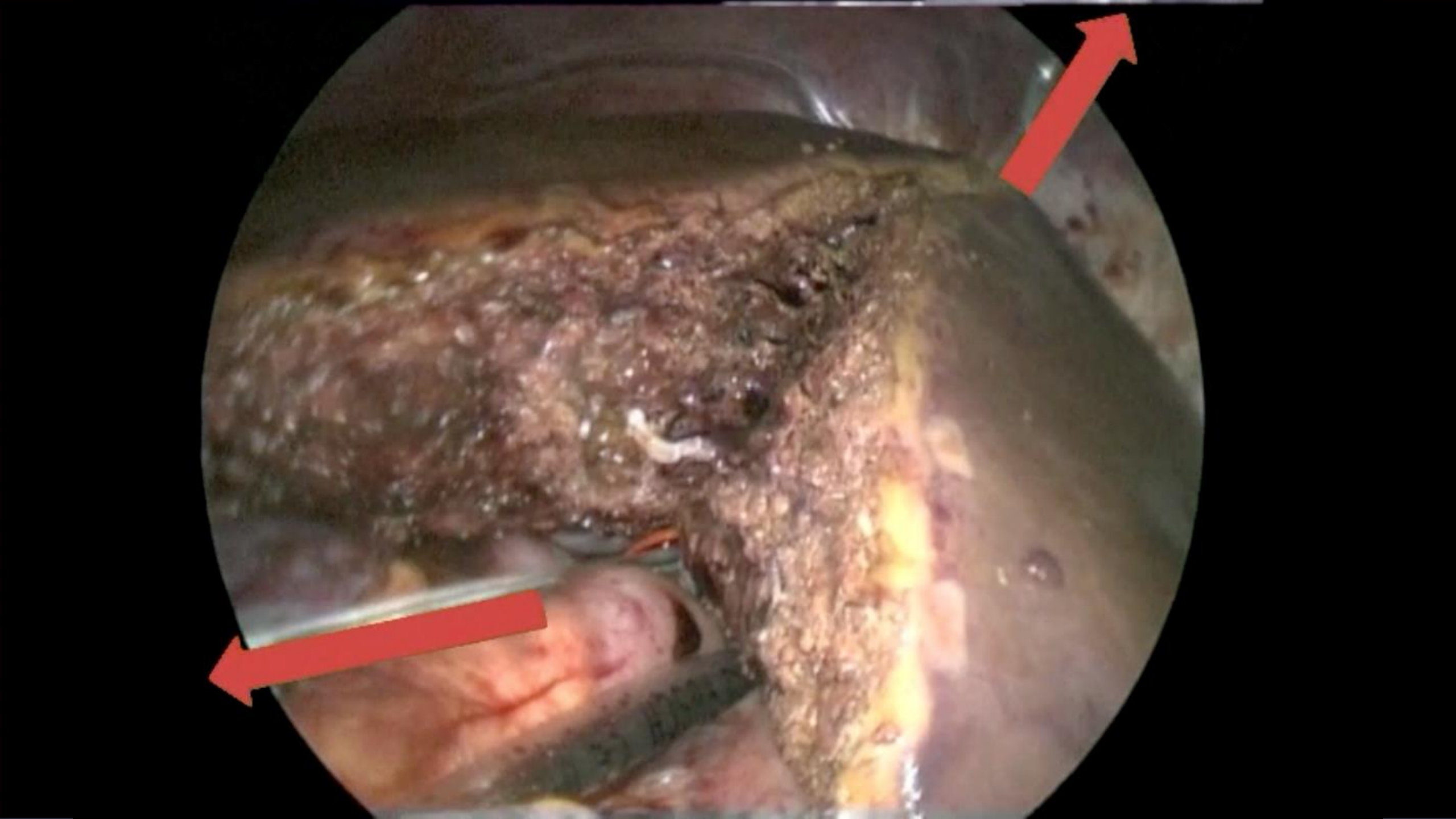

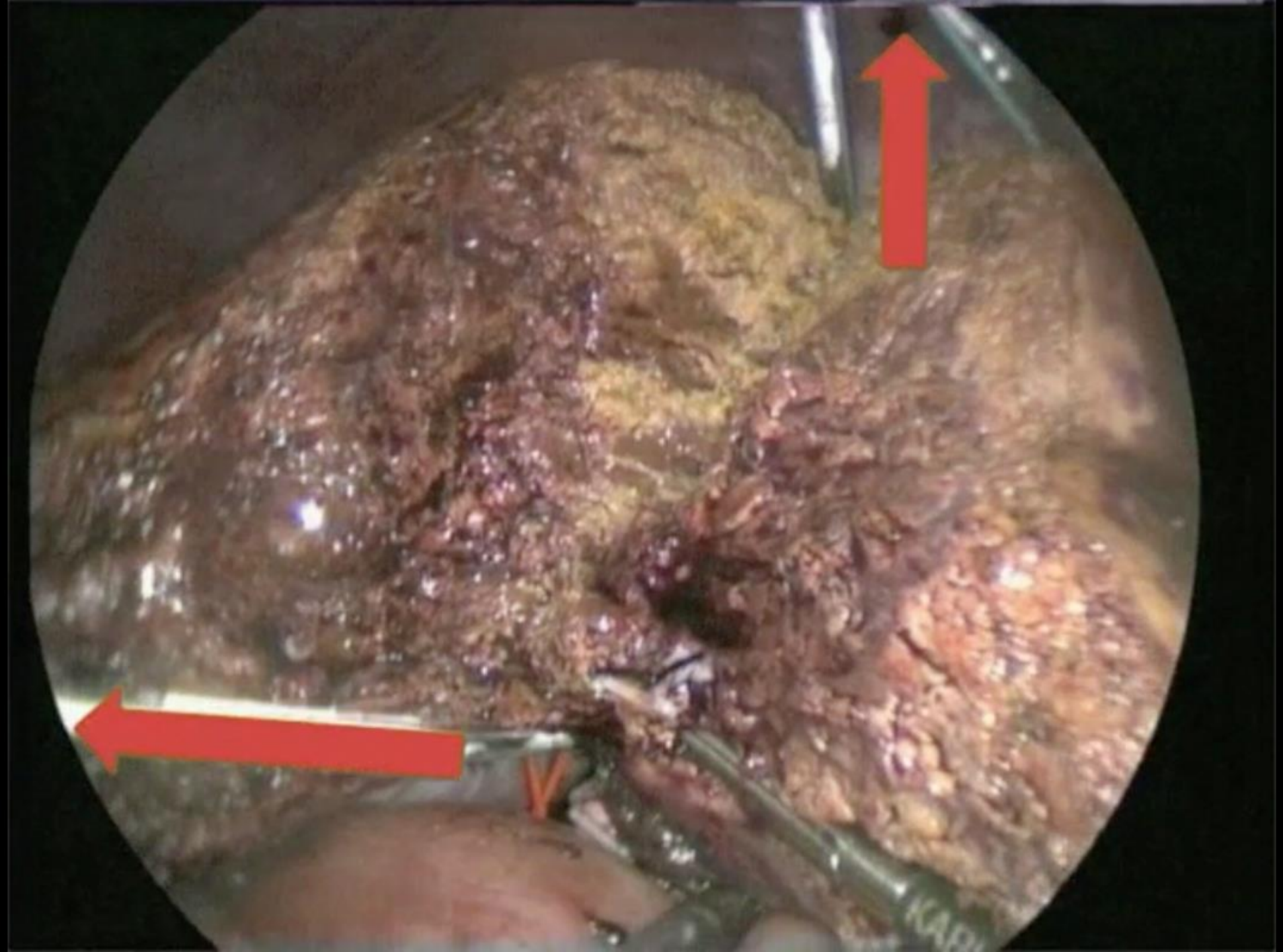

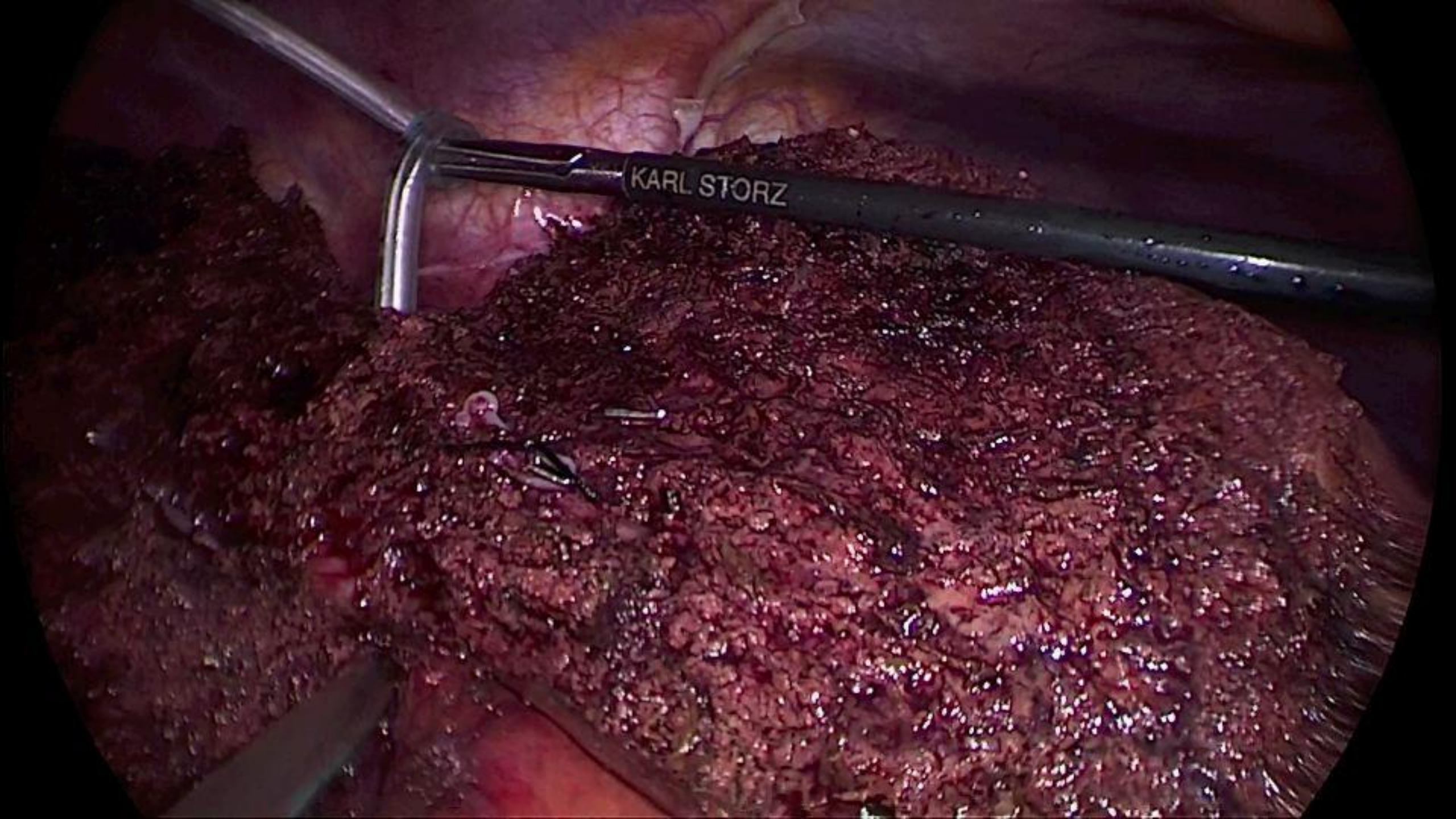
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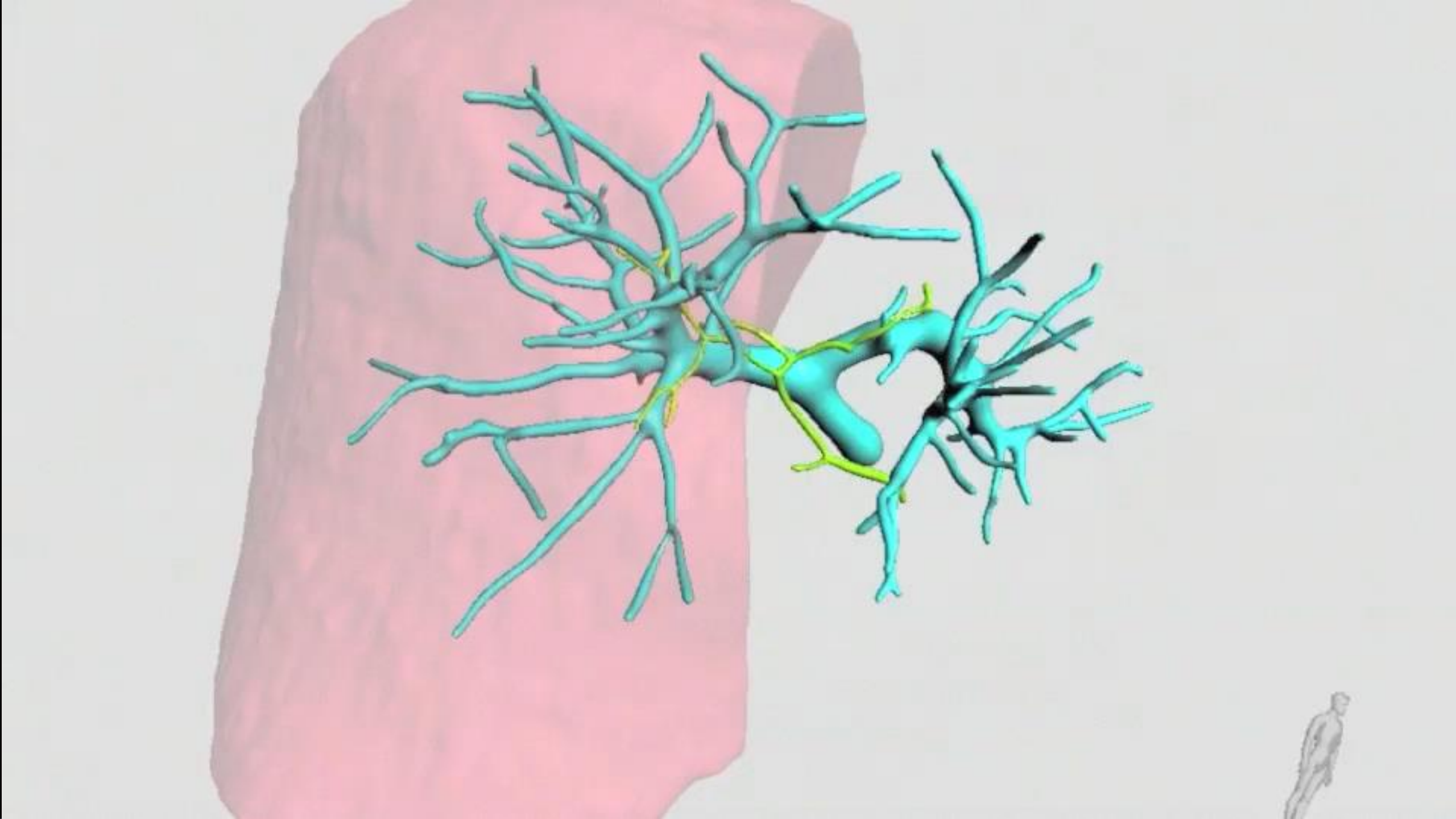

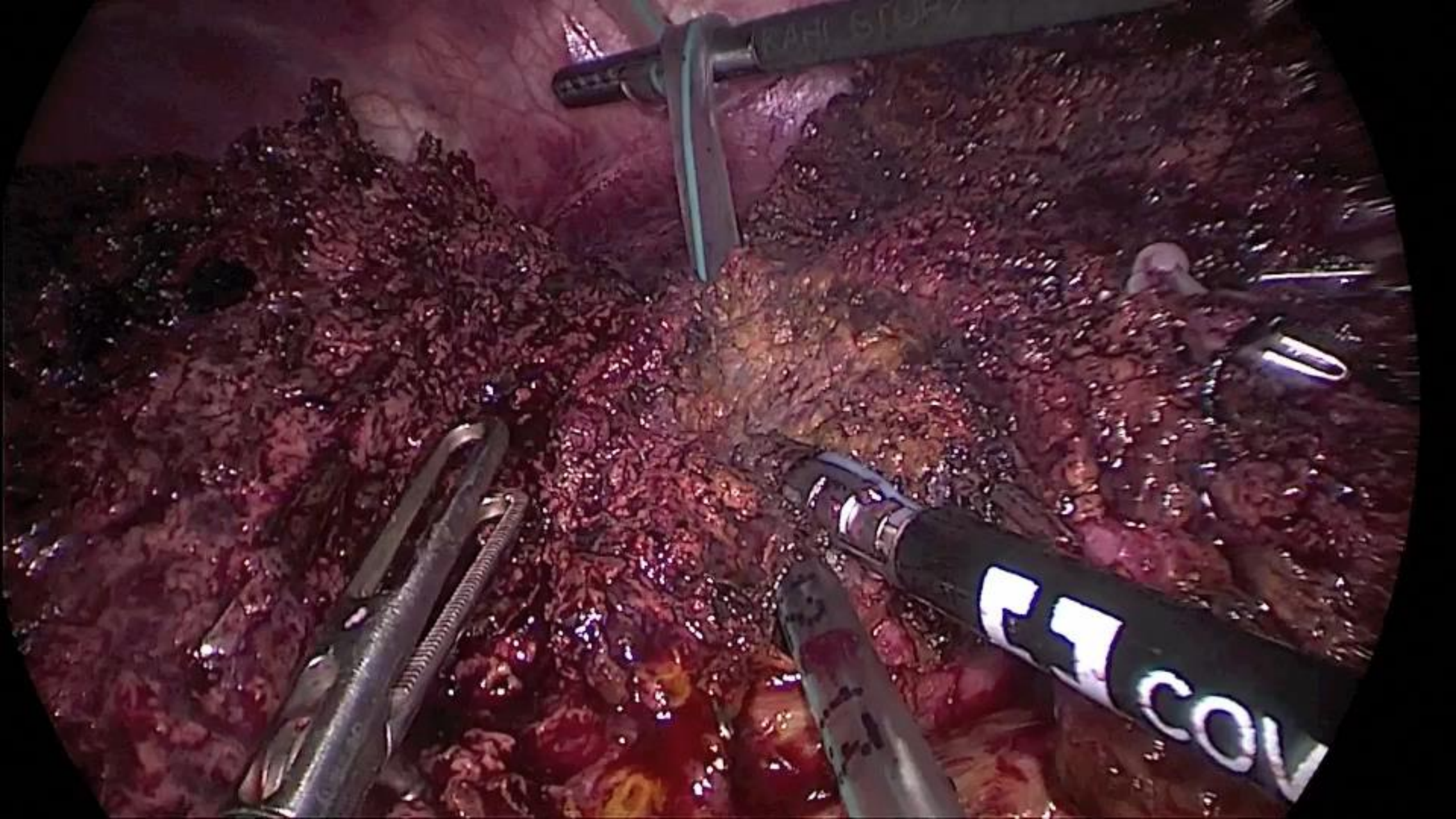

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	Age/gender	Time (min)	Conversion	Pringle (min)	Blood loss
1	29/M	480	No	75	<100 ml
2	27/F	450	No	60	<200 ml
3	48/M	480	No	48	<100 ml
4	21/M	420	No	15	<100 ml
5	51/M	476	No	15	<100 ml
6	56/M	490	No	15	<100 ml
7	37/F	489	No	15	<150 ml

- Right
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	Weight g.	Remnant (%)	Stay	Morbitity	INR (max)	Bb (max)	ALT (max)
1	879	39	4	Feverish	1.4	3,8	668
2	780	42	4	Gastroenteritis	1.5	1,06	252
3	767	36	5	No	1.8	1,86	343
4	1090	32	5	No	1.8	5,1	178
5	706	34	3	No	1.7	2,0	329
6	273	67	2	No	1.3	1,1	146
7	559	35	14	Cutaneous Rash Anxious/depressive Sd.	2.2	1,03	207

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- This experience suggests that laparoscopic approach for LDLT hepatectomy is feasible and safe
- providing donors with the known benefits of the minimally invasive surgery
- Discussed technical aspects are simple modifications that faciltate and add safety to the procedure

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