

CHIRURGIE DU PROLAPSUS VOIES BASSES : AUTOLOGUES ET PROTHESES

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- Consultant, Honorarium
 - Boston scientific, Fresenius, Allergan
 - Teaching sessions : Boston scientific
- 5 Patents in process in mesh kits, synthetic mesh design and modelization of pelvic cavity
- Research project development new physiologic synthetic mesh

Technique opératoire

- **Très nombreuses techniques**
- **Très nombreuses variations techniques : résorbable ou non, lent ou non, nombre de points, étendue résections, réglage de la tension**
- **très peu de validation scientifique**
 - Richter / pf
 - Colporrphies antérieures

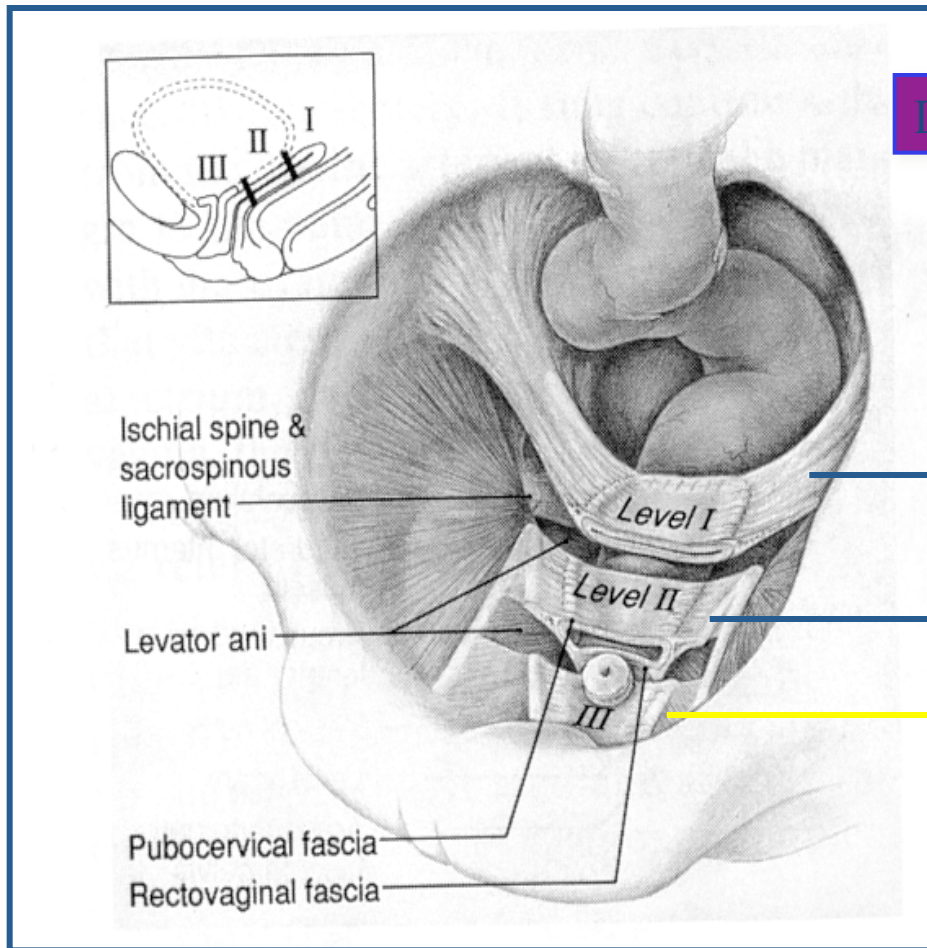
TRAITEMENT

- Traitement de l'apex
- Traitement cystocèles
- Traitement de la rectocèle isolée
- Cloisonnement vaginal



Anatomie vaginale

les 3 niveaux de DeLancey



D'après J.O.L. DeLancey

Niveau I : apex
LES, US

Niveau II : fascia, ATRP

Niveau III : périnée

Prise en charge des prolapsus Lille

- Femmes moins de 50 ans: PF coelio avec prothèse
- Femmes plus de 60 ans : chirurgie vaginale avec prothèse
- Obésité, cystocèles volumineuses : chirurgie vaginale prothèse:
- 15% réparations autologues 2011

Traitement complet

Voie basse : après 60 ans, obésité, volumineux prolapsus, anesthésie locorégionale

- Geste antérieur : plicature, paletot, Suspension para vaginale, plastron
- Richter +++ ou Suspension Utérosacrés
- Myorrhaphie des élévateurs, plicature prérectale

association possible :

Hystérectomie totale

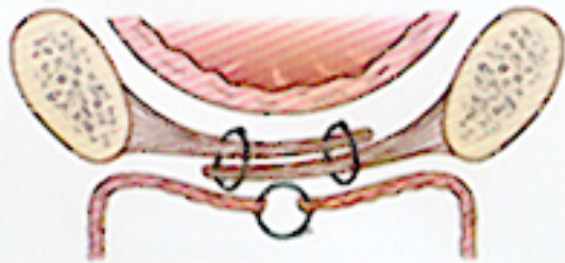
Périnéorrhaphie

Geste urinaire ??

Résultats:

29 à 58 % de récidence à un an
33 % de ré-intervention...

Différentes cures de cystocèle



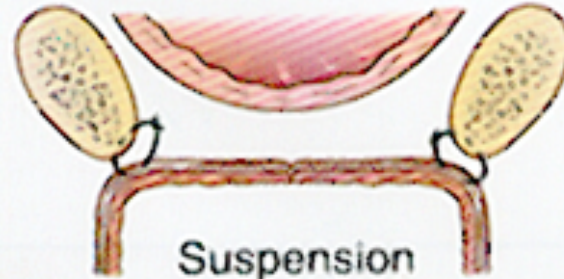
Paletot du fascia de Halban



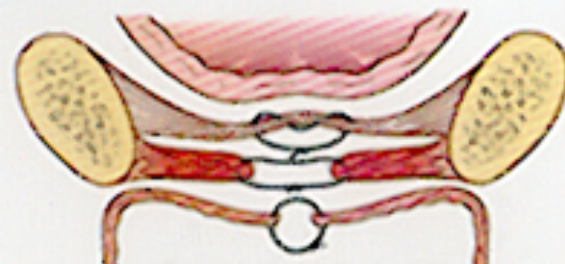
Paletot de vagin total



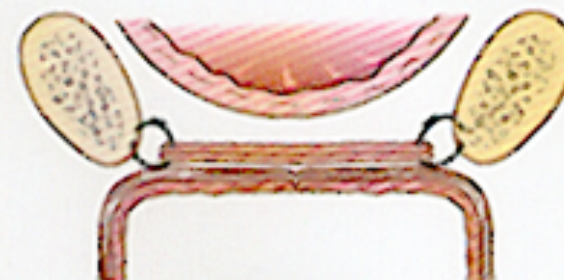
Intervention de Campbell



Suspension paravaginale



Intervention de Lahodny



Plastron

Différentes techniques de suspension du fond vaginal

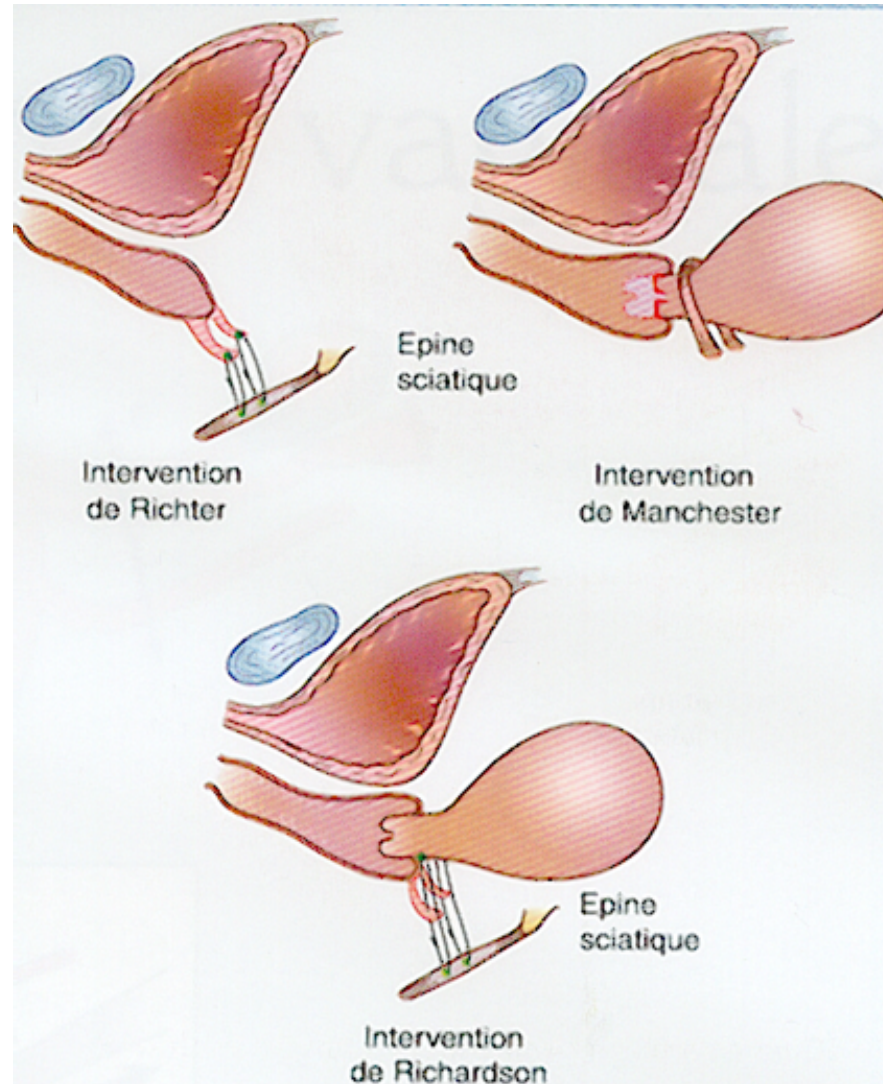
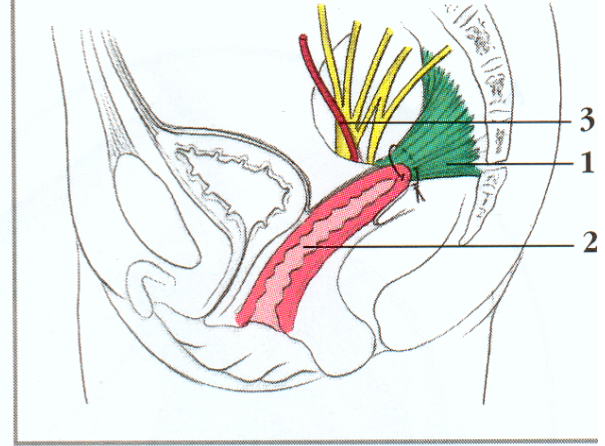
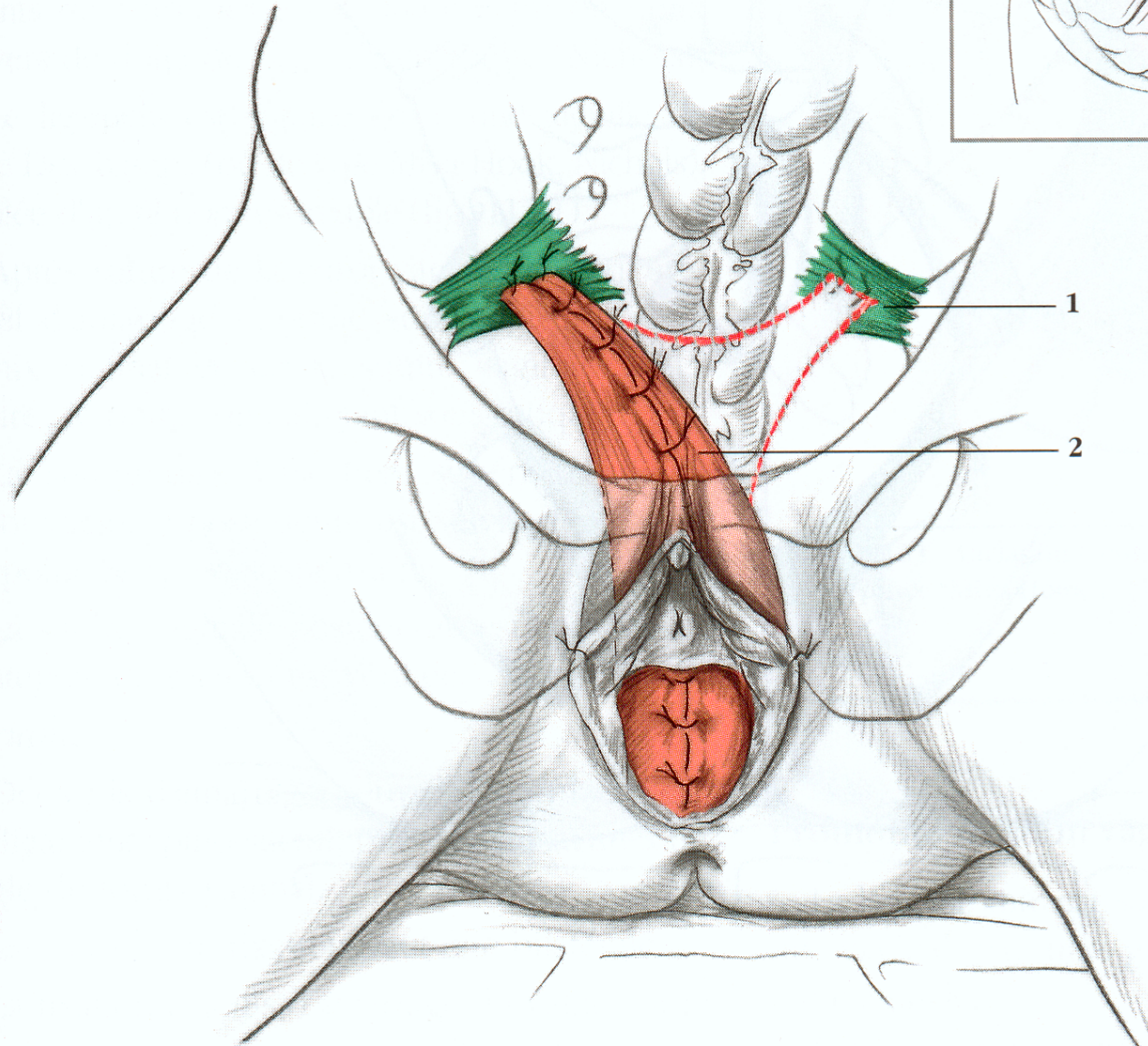


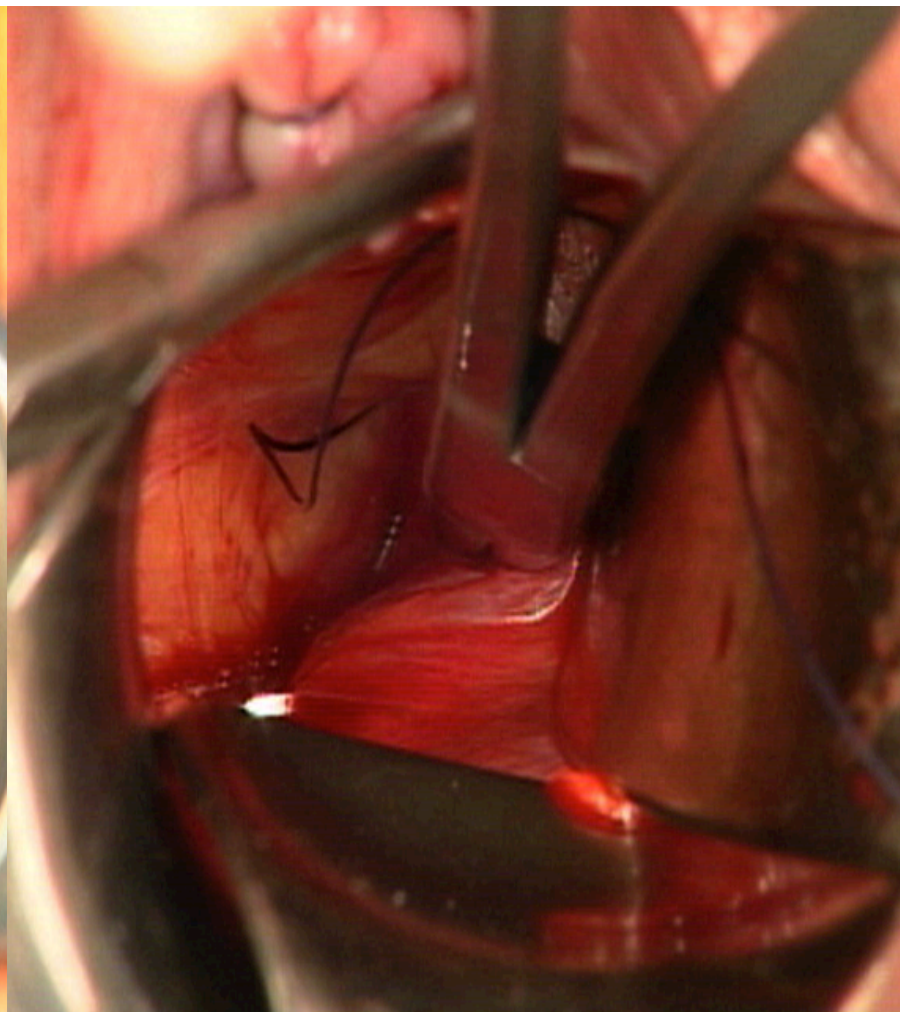
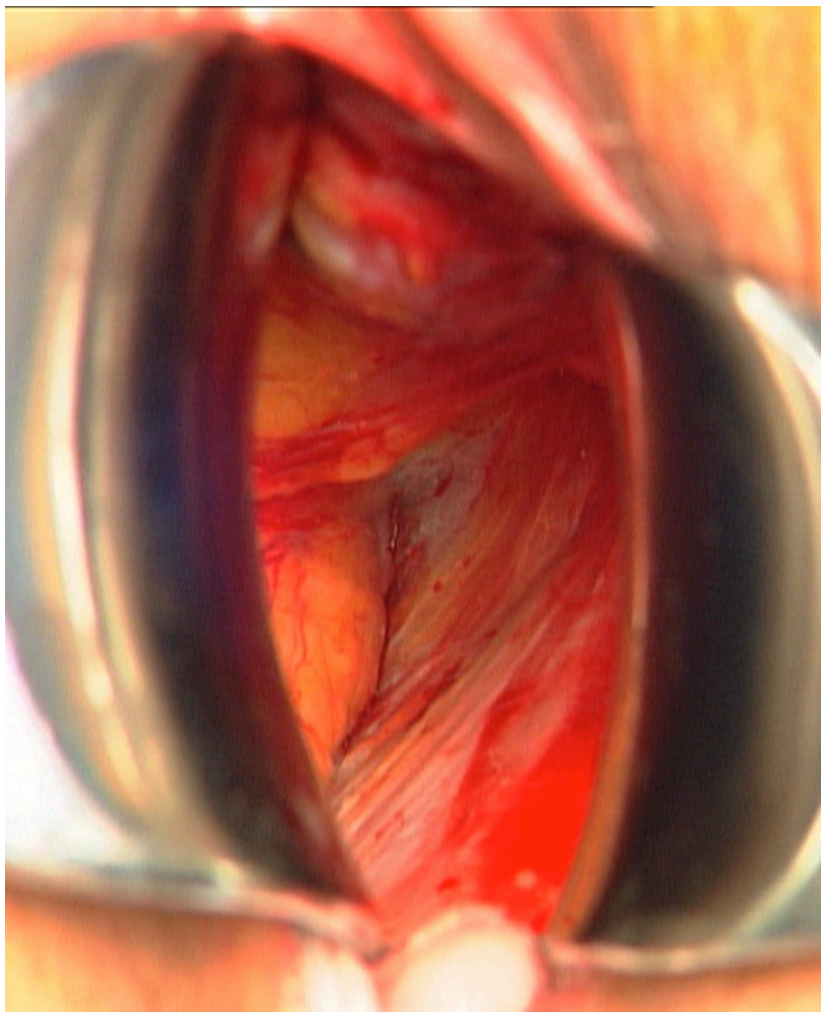
Fig. 11.18. Sacro-spino-fixation vaginale. Principes anatomiques. En cartouche : coupe sagittale.

- 1. lig. sacro-épineux
- 2. vagin

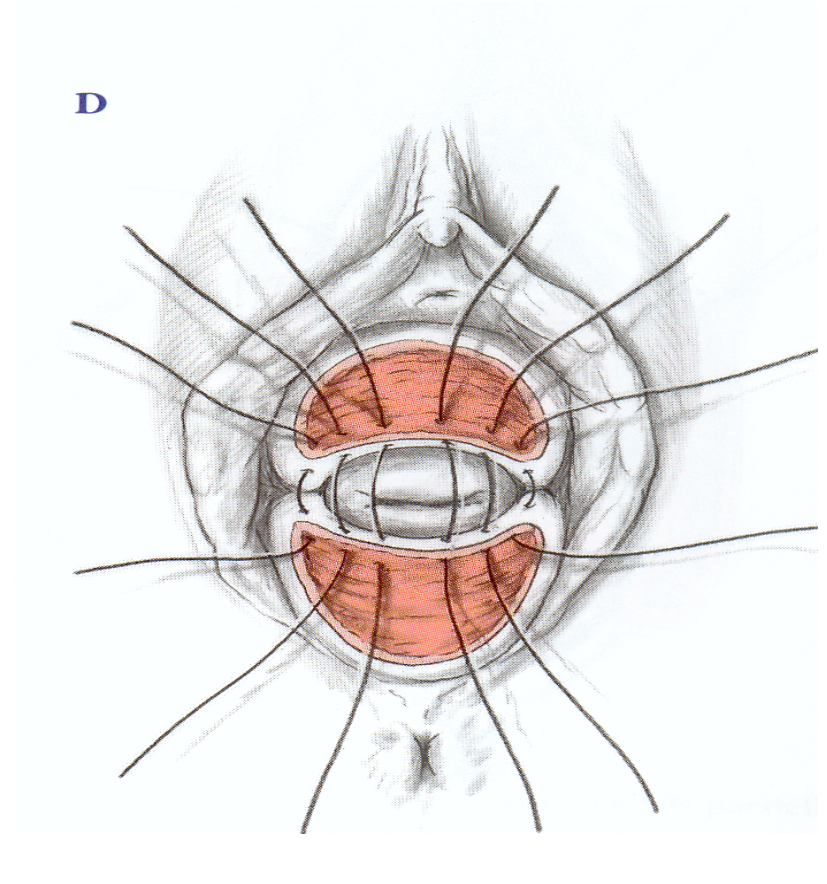
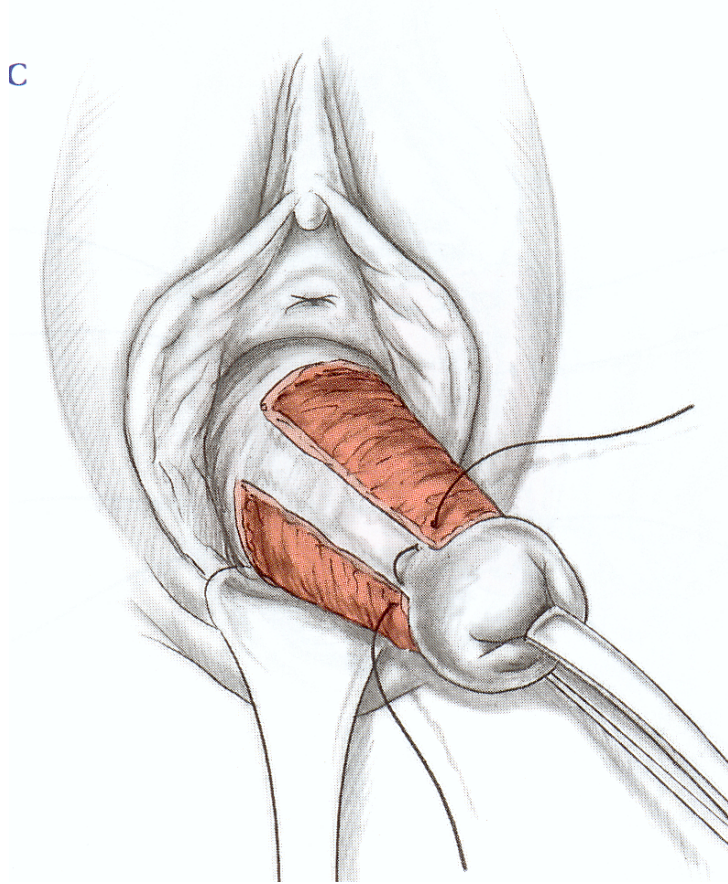
- 3. a. pudendale interne et n. pudental



Suspension au ligament sacroépineux selon Richter



Fermeture complète du vagin : Lefort



Possible sous anesthésie locale

VOIE VAGINALE

SUSPENSION APICALE

- SACROSPINOFIXATIONS
 - ANTÉRIEURE : axe plus favorable, palpatoire, aide à la préhension Capio
 - POSTÉRIEURE : plus de cystocele, dissection plus facile moins dangereuse
- SUSPENSION DES LIGAMENTS UTEROSACRES

SACROSPINOFIXATION POSTERIEURE

CHIRURGIE DE LA RECTOCELE

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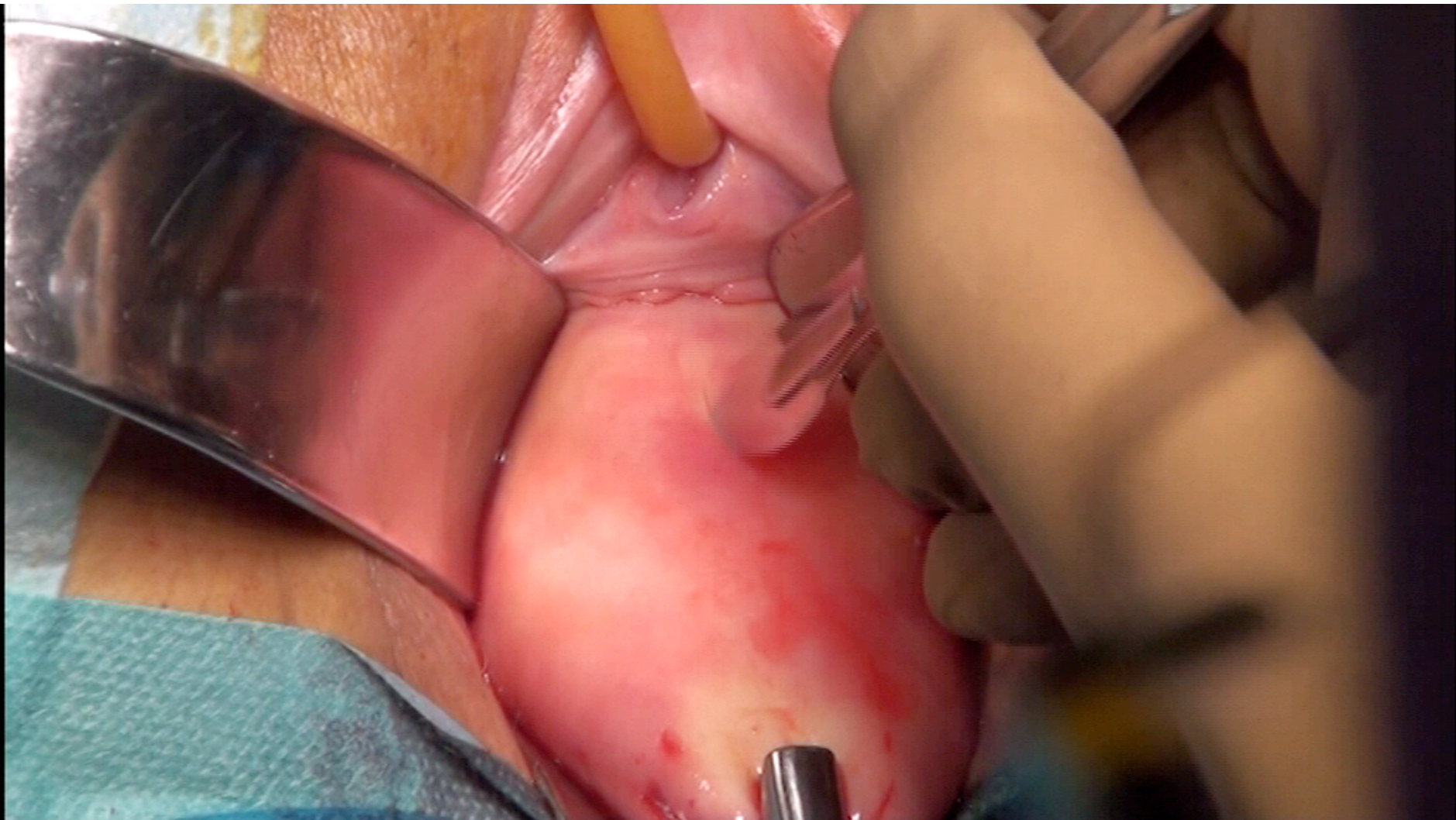


SACROSPINOFIXATION ANTERIEURE



Dissection des
Fosses Para Vésicales


SUSPENSION AUX US : MANCHESTER



TRAITEMENT DE LA CYSTOCELE

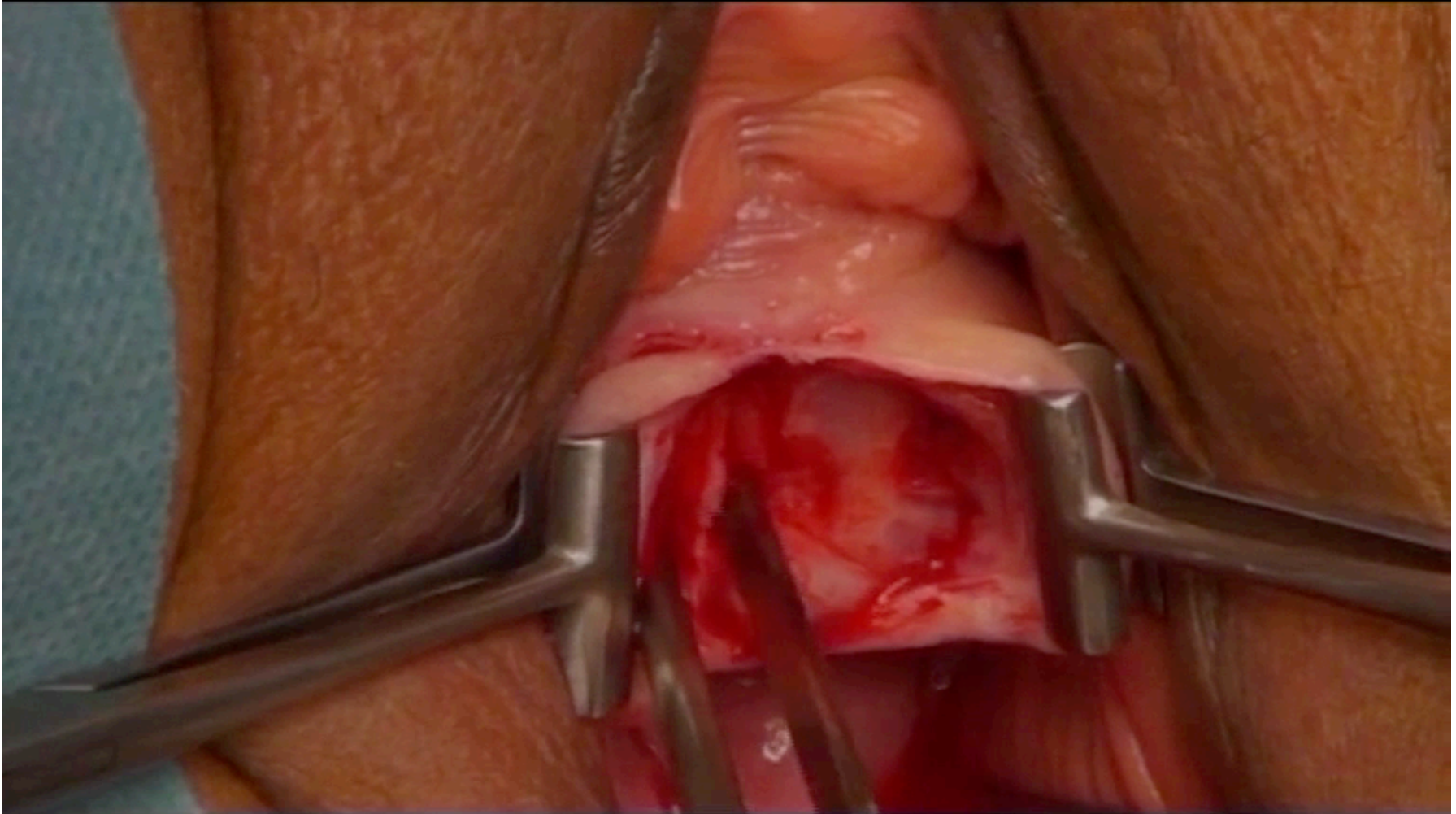
**PALETOT,
COLPORRAPHIES**

DISSECTION INITIALE COMMUNE

A close-up photograph of a surgical procedure. The skin is being held open by surgical retractors. A syringe with a green plunger is injecting fluid into the tissue. A scalpel is visible, ready to make an incision. The surgical field is surrounded by clear plastic drapes.

Infiltration et Incision

PALETOT FASCIA SOUS VESICAL



TRAITEMENT DE LA RECTOCELE

**PLIATURE
PRERECTALE**

VOIE VAGINALE: TISSUS AUTOLOGUES

- Plicature pré rectale
- Site specific repair
- Colpectomie associée
- Dyspareunies ? (myorrhaphie proscrite)
- Récidives (mal évaluées) ?

DISSECTION INITIALE COMMUNE

CHIRURGIE DE LA RECTOCELE PAR VOIE VAGINALE

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PLICATURE PRÉ RECTALE

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COLPOCLEISIS SELON LEFORT

**Colpocléisis
selon Lefort**

**P Debodinance
CHG Dunkerque
France**

CONCLUSIONS

- Techniques non standardisées
- Techniques non validées
- Efficacité au long cours discutée
- Information pré opératoire +++

PROTHÈSES VOIE VAGINALE

Still a very hot topic... for slings mainly...and for vaginal

- Many products ~~disappeared~~ **meshes!** from the market
Prolift, Elevate
- FDA 2011
- No more research and developments on meshes
- European report SCENHIR européen / meshes for incontinence and prolapse
- Trials in the US +++ : class actions / quality of PP / Safety of products / attorneys against companies

Apical prolapse

- Review M Barber-C Maher 2013 Int Obstet Gynecol J
- **ASC better / Sacrospinous susension gr A**
 - Less SUI and Dyspareunia, more cost, morbidity, hosp stay
- ASC/LSC/RSC : cheaper grade B
- ASC / LSC : as effective, less blood loss and hosp stay grade C

Outcomes of Sacrocolpopexy

- Hudson C 2014 : Rob SC 13 studies
577 patients
 - Mesh erosion 4.1 % mesh revision 1.7%
 - Recurent prolapse apex 0.8% other 2.5%
- De Gouveia 2016 Lap/Open SC Int OG
J : 12 studies 4757 patients
 - Eq point C, PopQ, recurrence
 - LSC : less blood loss, hosp stay, 87 mn
more

Comparison Sacrocolpopexy

- Siddiquin 2015 Obstet Gynecol Mesh LSC / Vag Native Tissues
 - 13 studies LSC better durability
 - Ileus Bowel occlusions 2.7/0.2%
 - Mesh suture complications 4.2/0.4%
- Nygaard 2015 JAMA
 - Long term FU LSC 7 years FU 10.5% mesh erosions

Sacrocolpopexy for POP

evidence review & recommendations

Costantini 2016 Eur J Obstet Gynecol

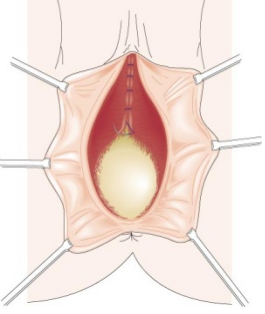
- Preferred procedure for apical prolapse A
- Monofilament graft of choice B
- Laparoscopic approach preferred B
- Supports concomitant procedures B
- Permanent or delayed sutures / vagina C
- Tackers or sutures / promontory C
- Closing peritoneum C

2016 Cochrane review: Surgical management of Pelvic Organ Prolapse

Mesh complications



**Maher C, Feiner B, Baessler K,
Schmid C, Glazener C,**



TVM Mesh or grafts compared with native tissue repair for vaginal prolapse



Cochrane 2016 : 1-3 years follow up

Advantages meshes

↑ subjective results
RR: 0,66

↑ objective results RR:
0,40

↓ Reintervention for
Prolapse
RR : 0,53,

12 RCT n=1675, 38% native/
11-20% mesh

Disadvantages Mesh

↑ bladder injuries RR 3,92
↑ SUI de novo RR: 1.39 (12
RCT, n=1512)

reinterventions exposition :
8%

↑ total reoperation:
RR 2,40

7 RCT, n=867, 5% Native/
7-18% mesh

Still no difference : Quality of life, dyspareunia, SUI

Random Studies meshes	n	N meshes		Mesh exposition	Mesh expo (%)	FU	RelInt (%)
Altman et al.	389	186	Prolift	6	3.2	12	6 (100)
Halaska et al.	168	79	Prolift	16	20.8	12	10 (62)
Withagen et al.	190	83	PP	14	16.9	12	5 (36)
De Tairac	147	75	Ugytex	7	9.5	12	4 (57)
Lucot et al	257	128	PP	2	1.5	12	2 (100)
Sivaslioglu et al.	90	43	PP	3	6.9	12	3 (100)
Rudnicki et al	161	78	Avaulta Plus	10	13.3	12	5 (50)
Sokol et al.	65	32	Prolift	5	15.6	12	3 (60)
Vollebregt et al.	125	58	Avaulta	2	4	12	2 (100)
Hiltunen et al.	201	104	PP	18	17.2	12	14 (78)

Expected benefits with vaginal surgery and meshes

- Improve long term results ? For laparoscopic sacropexy and vaginal meshes
- Technical simplification ++/ for vaginal traditional surgery (Richter SSF, paraV suspension , levator myorrhaphy)
 - Reproductibility
 - Shorter learning curve
 - Shorter operative time +++
 - Lower morbidity ++
- Day care surgery

Vaginal mesh implantation

- Improved anatomical results with mesh use
- Less re-interventions for recurrence
- But more re-interventions for
 - Mesh exposition +++
 - SUI (?)

No benefit in the short term

- Benefits after 3-5 y follow up ?

Experience in Lille Mesh complications

- Retrospective monocentric study
- 600 consecutive patients , 524 patients included
 - Death during follow-up (n=8)
 - Unavailable for phone interview (n=68)
- Follow up : 37 months
- 71 % prolift total, 8% HV, 31% urethral slings
- 50 previous surgery : prolapse hysterectomy or stress incontinence

Prolift and re-intervention for mesh complications in Lille

Indication re-intervention	n (%)	Median delay (months)
<u>Mesh-related Complication</u>	n=19 (3.6%)	15 months
- Mesh exposure	n=13 (2.5%)	13
- Mesh infection	n=1 (0.2%)	0.5
- Mesh retraction	n=2 (0.4%)	18
- Rectal compression	n=2 (0.4%)	18
- Vaginal synechia	n=2 (0.4%)	25

Reinterventions after sacropexy and vag mesh : Our experience in Lille

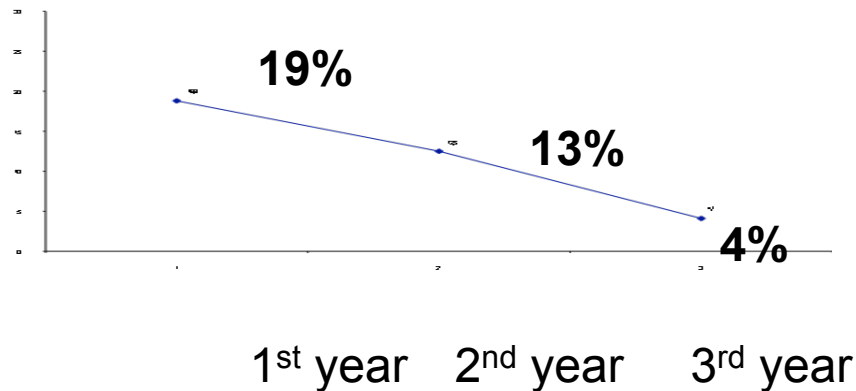
Reint	N FU	rate reInterv	Among Recur prolaps e	for Prolaps e	For Stress Inc	Compli meshes	
Lap SC	391 53,5 months	49 12,5%	4/52 8%	20 5,1%	18 4,6%	11 2,8%	%
Vag	524 37 months	73 13,7%	10/98 10,2%	16 3%	36 6,9%	19 3,6%	%

Reinterventions after sacropexy and vag mesh : Our experience in

Prolapse Lille	N FU	Prolapse Lille	Stress Inc	Compli meshes
Vaginal mesh	524	16	36	19
	37 months	3%	6,9%	3,6%
Laparoscopic sacropexy	391	20	18	11
	53,5 months	5,1%	4,6%	2,8%
Late Vaginal mesh	524	44	50	26
	105 months	8,39%	9,54%	4,9%

Most important topic with surgery : SURGEON EXPERIENCE

- The learning curve



DWYER et al.
Br J Obstet Gynaecol 2004

- Univariate logistic regression on 198 patients with 14 erosions (7.1%):

Consultant vs fellow

Erosion rates: 2.9% vs 15.6%

OR 0.31 [95% CI 0.09-1.0] $p=0.06$

GHANTARI, DWYER et al., Int Urogynecol J 2005

Surgical training

<i>Prolift total +M</i>	Senior n=654/774 (84,5%)	Junior n=120/774 (15,5%)	
Global reintervention rate	n=62 9,5%	n=21 17,5%	p=0,0148
Mesh exposition	n=12 1,8%	n=6 5,0%	p=0,04
Prolapse recurrence	n=12 1,8%	n=6 5,0%	NS
Urinary complications	n=35 5,3%	n=12 10%	NS

Conclusion

- Clear indications of sacropexy ? Apical prolapse, cystoceles, rectoceles ?
- No clear indications between vaginal or laparoscopic meshes :
 - Lap : sexually active ? Not enough data
 - Vag : local anesthesia, uterine preservation
- Vaginal surgery : needed for older, fragile, obese, previous pelvic surgeries, very large prolapse +++
- Meshes in case of risk of recurrence ??

Risk factors of recurrence

Recurrent cystocele = principal risk factor for recurrence (NP2)

Clark et al, Am J Obstet Gynecol, 2003 Nam et al, Int J Gynaecol Obstet 2010

Other risk factors (not validated)

Stage cystocèle III or IV, family history of genital prolapse, chronic strain (cough, constipation, dyschesia), hyperlaxity (Ehlers Danlos)

Weemhof et , IUJ, 2012

Obesity : **not** a risk factor for recurrence

Weemhof et al, 2012 Clark et al, 2003 Nam et al, 2010 Altman, 2011

Conclusion

- Vaginal surgery : lack of evaluation of autologous surgeries
- Vaginal surgery with SSF : lack of clear evaluation against sacropexy
- Laparoscopic sacropexy : lack of scientific evaluation, technical validation, long term complication and success
- Vaginal surgery : needed for older, fragile, obese, previous pelvic surgeries, very large prolapse +++