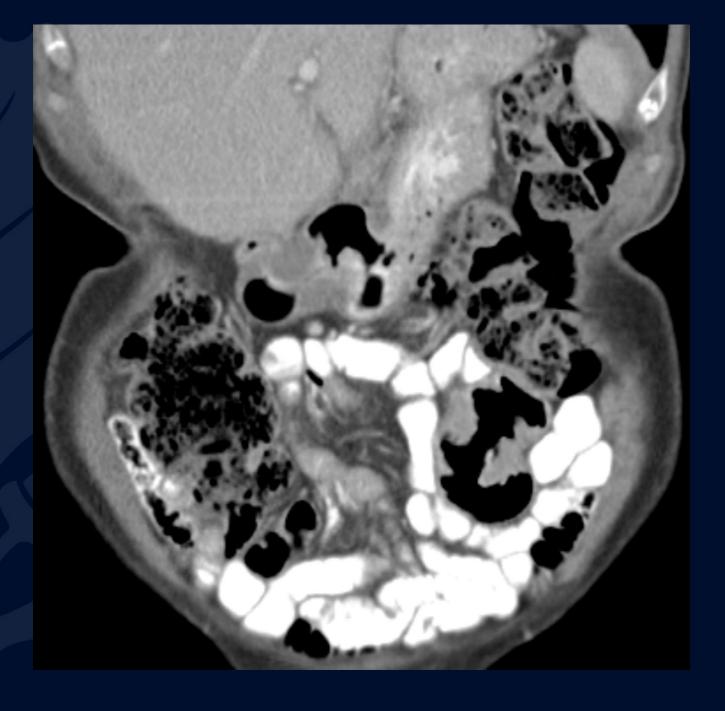
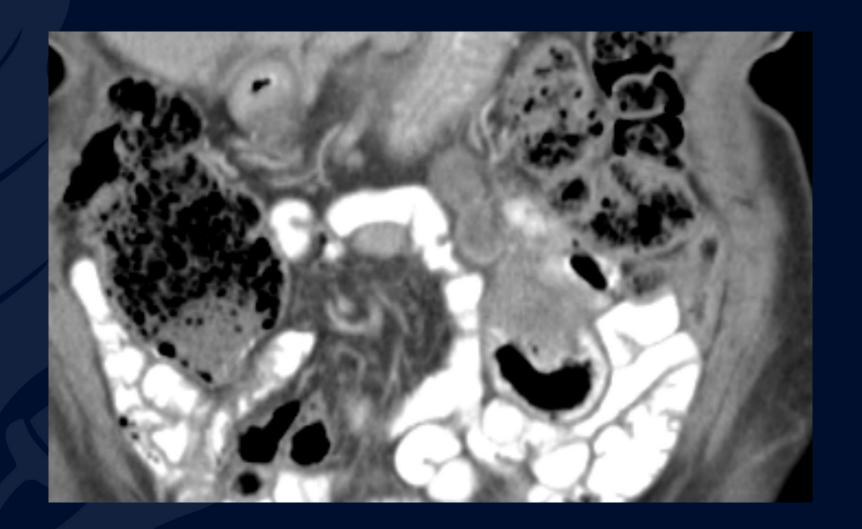
87 year-old female with history of heme(+) stool and jejunal ulcer versus ulcerated mass on capsule endoscopy.

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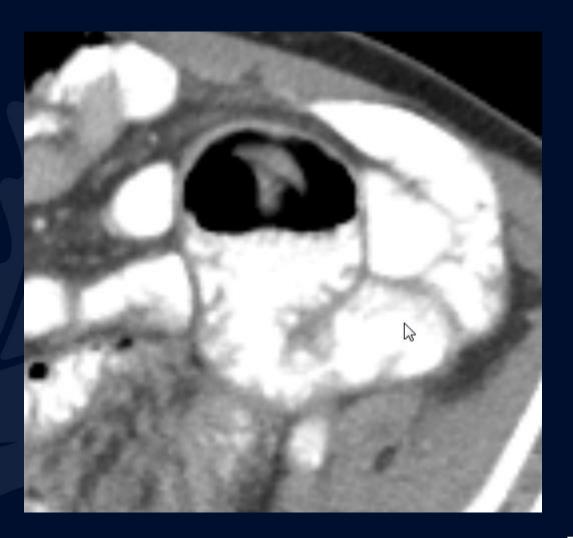












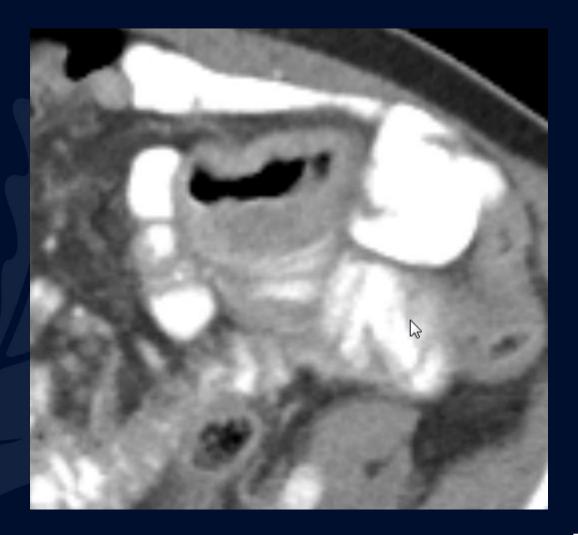




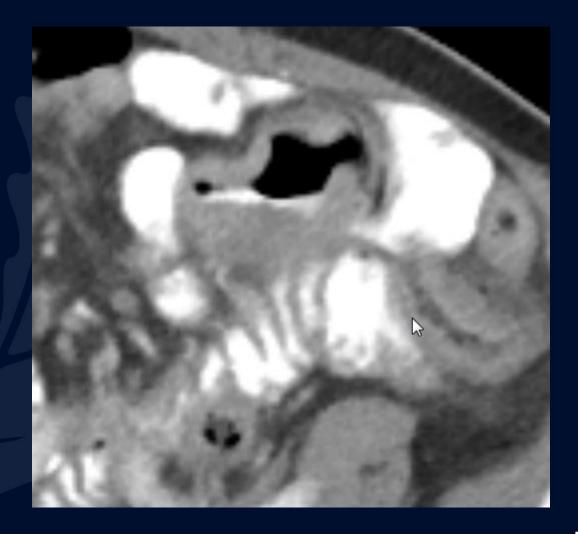




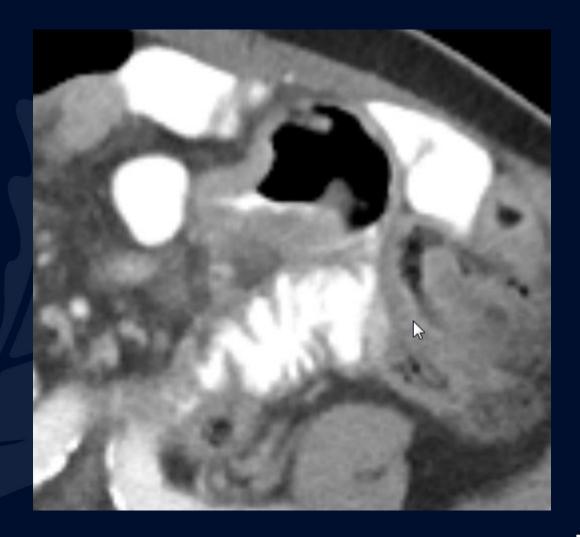




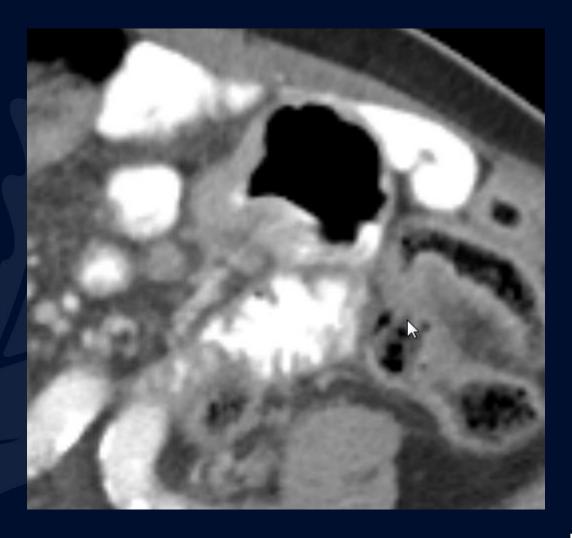




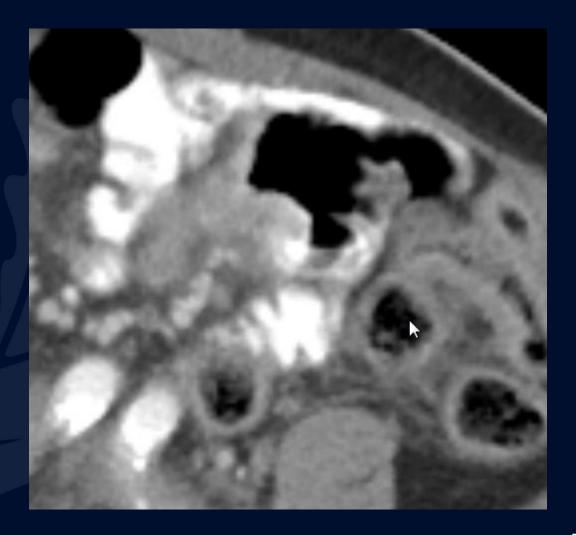




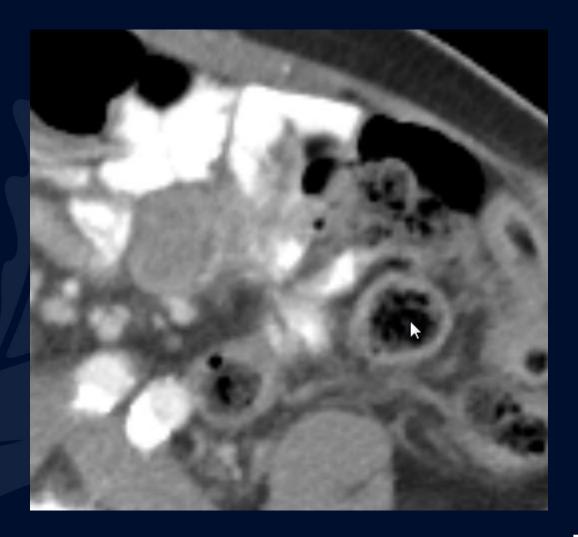




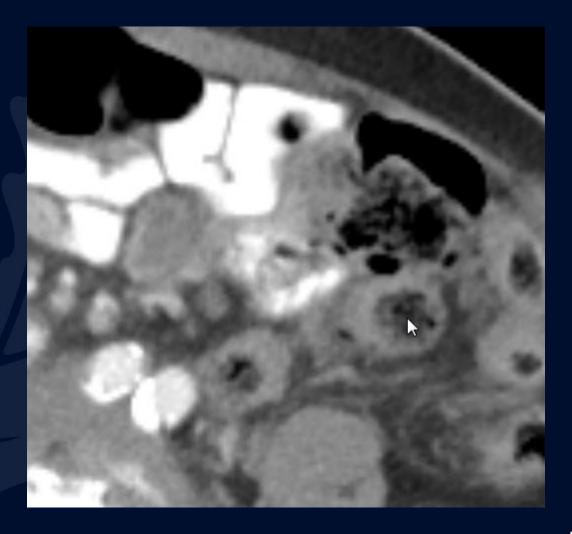




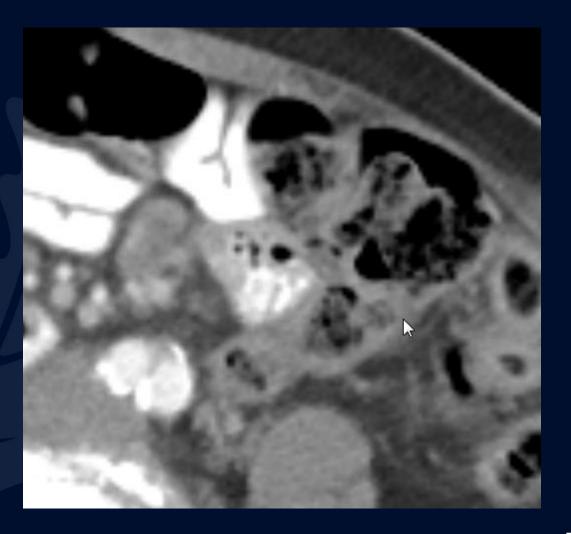




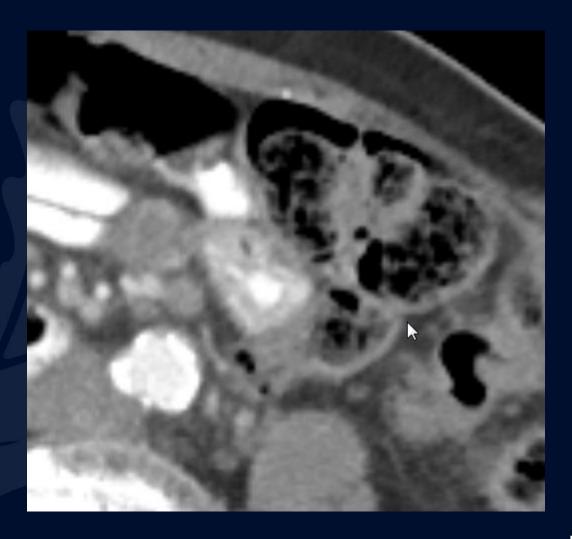




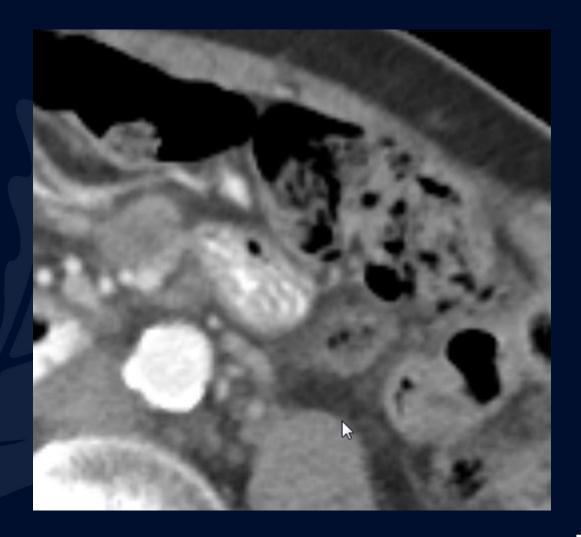




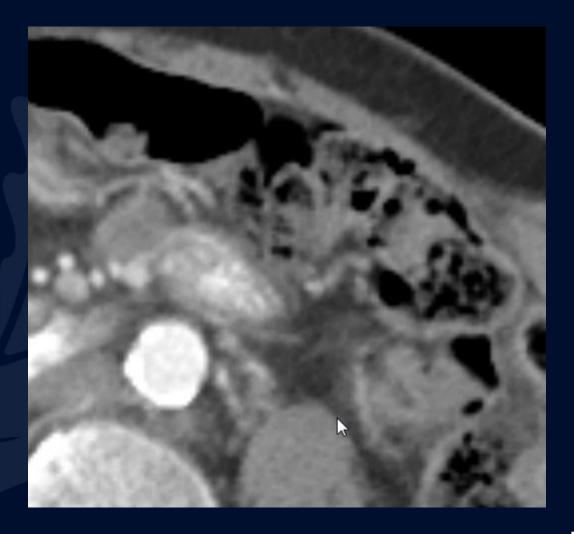












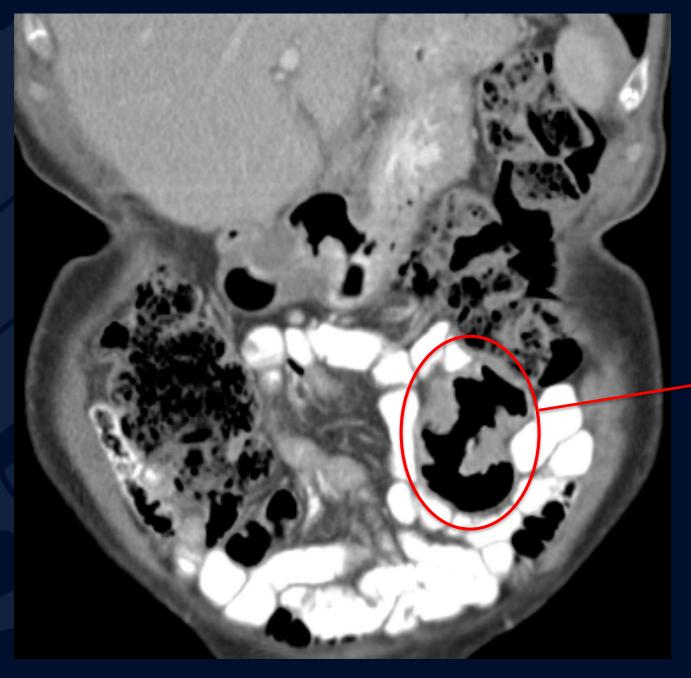






Jejunal adenocarcinoma with regional mesenteric nodal metastases

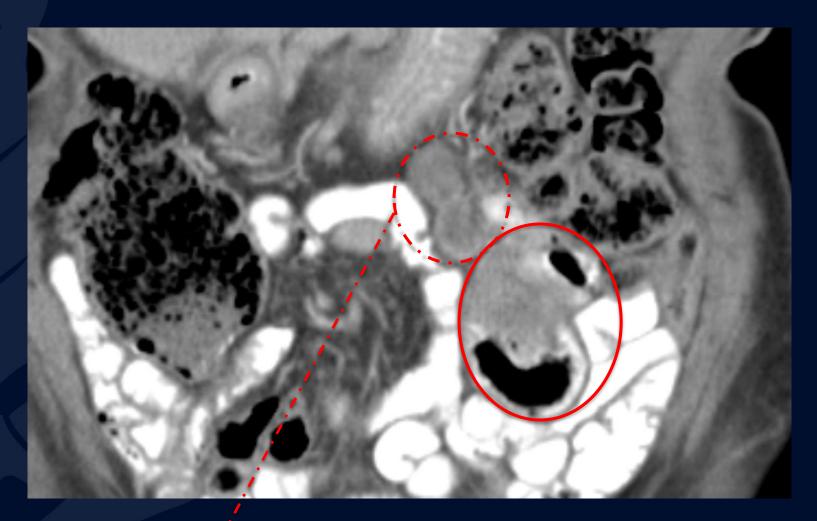




Apple core jejunal lesion



CT abdomen / pelvis - coronal reconstruction



Two adjacent enlarged mesenteric lymph nodes





Small bowel loop, mildly dilated





Beginning of irregular circumferential mural thickening









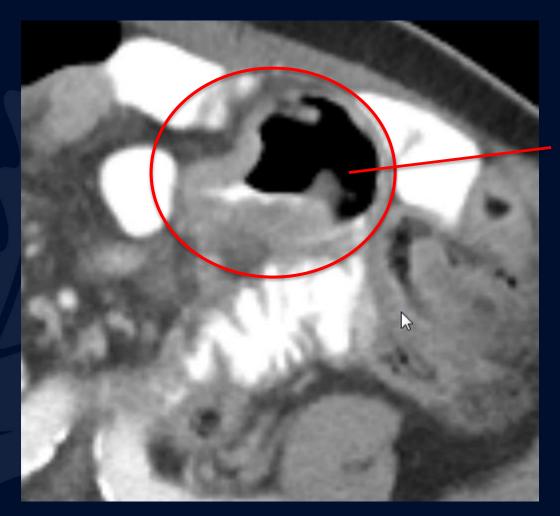








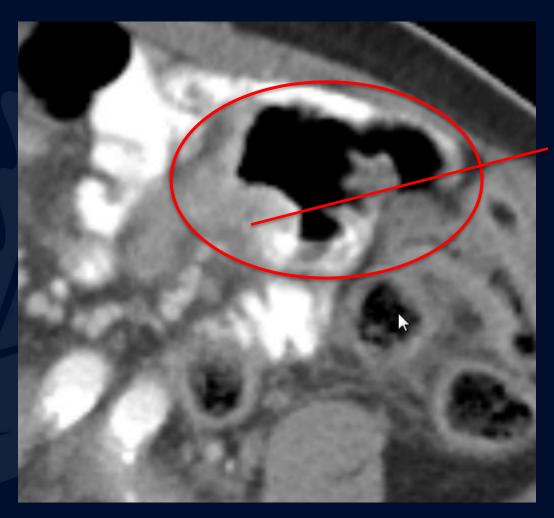




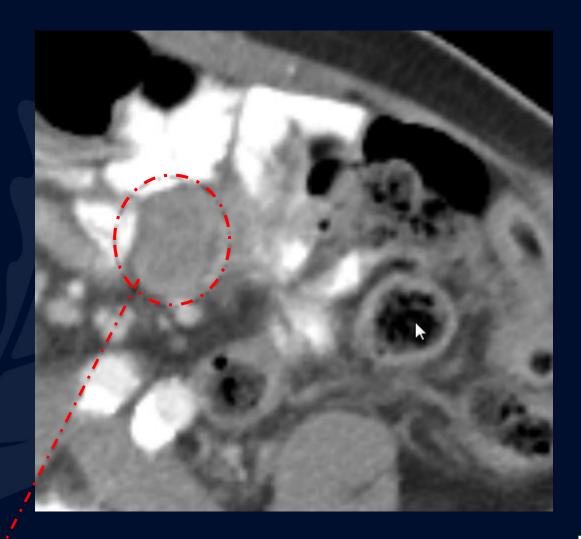




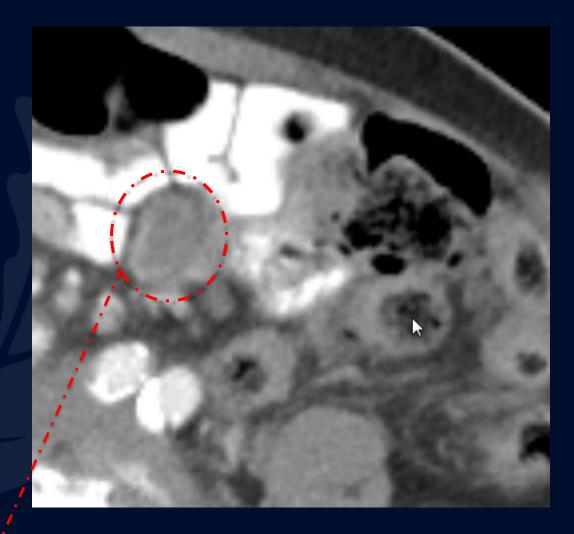




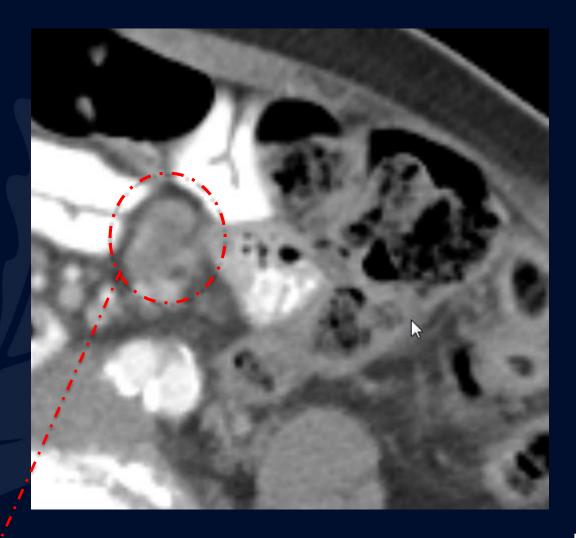




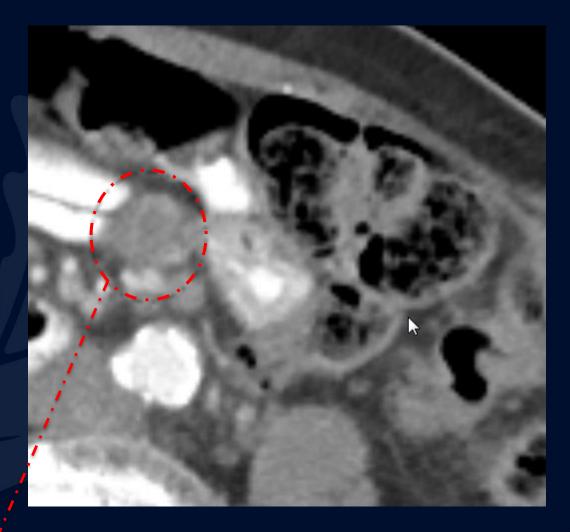




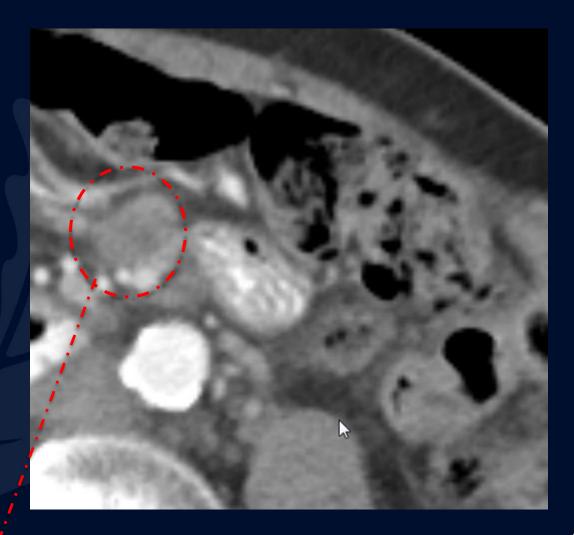




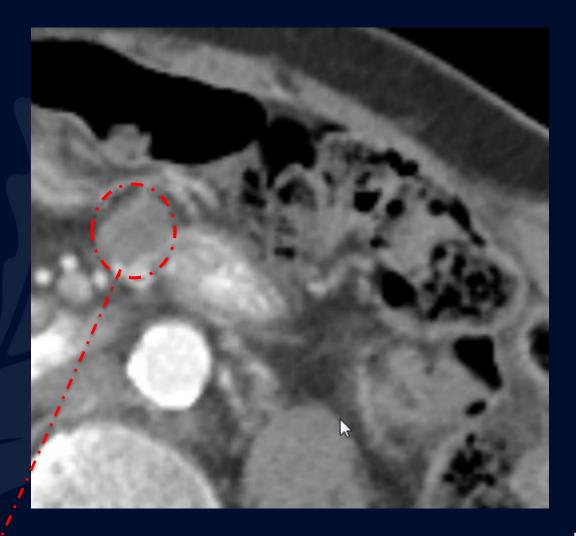














Small bowel adenocarcinoma

Epidemiology

- Risk of small bowel cancer 1.8 per 100,000 persons
- Risk factors: age (mean 65), male gender, African American

Etiology

- Microsatellite instability or adenoma sequence
- Genetic predisposition: Hereditary nonpolyposis colorectal cancer syndrome, Familial adenomatous polyposis, Peutz-Jeghers syndrome, among other genetic disorders
- Chronic inflammation, such as in Crohn's disease

Presentation

- Abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, weight loss, GI bleeding, obstruction, intussusception
- Stage at presentation: 39% Stage I/II, 26% Stage III, 32% Stage IV



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Diagnosis

- Imaging: barium small bowel follow-through +/enteroclysis, capsule endoscopy, CT and MRI enterography.
- Diagnosis confirmed by biopsy usually during surgical management
- Differential: chronic duodenal ulcer disease, Crohn's disease, other small bowel tumor

Treatment

- Surgical: Wide local excision with lymphadenectomy
- Chemotherapy for metastatic or unresectable disease



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