



Carotid Embolic Prevention System



Internal carotid atherosclerosis – Do mesh-stents improve outcomes: my experience with CGuard EPS

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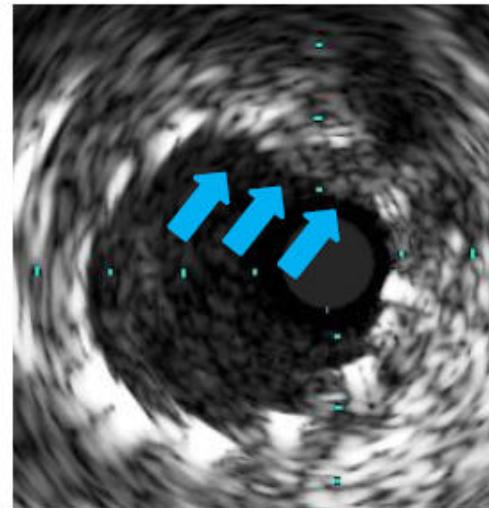
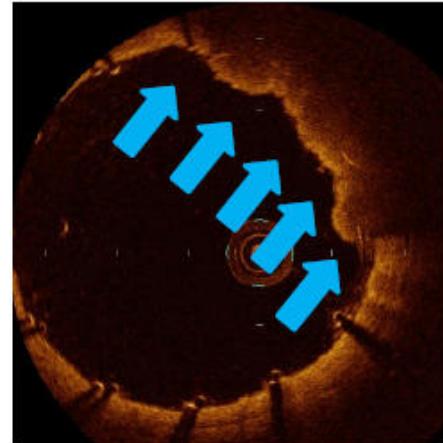
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Post-Procedural Plaque Prolapse Through Conventional Stent Struts

30.7%

1/3 stents = Precise
2/3 stents = Carotid Wallstent

81 y.o. Female, Symptomatic



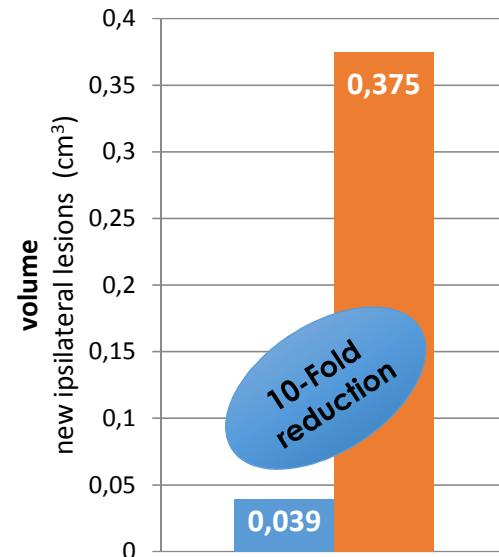
CGUARD™
Carotid Embolic Prevention System

Clinical Datas



CAREN ET DW-MRI Analysis

DW-MRI analysis @ 48 hours, n=27*



Incidence of new ipsilateral lesions at 48 hours was reduced by almost half compared to published data, and volume was reduced almost 10-fold.

All but one lesion had resolved completely by 30 days.

DW-MRI analysis @ 30 days, n=25**

Incidence of new ipsilateral lesions

4.0%

Average lesion volume (cm³)

0.08 ± 0.00

Permanent lesions at 30 days

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Prospective evaluation of All-comer perRcutaneous
cArotiD revascularization In symptomatic and increased-risk
asymptomatic carotid artery stenosis using CGuard™
Micronet-covered embolic prevention stent system:
The PARADIGM Study

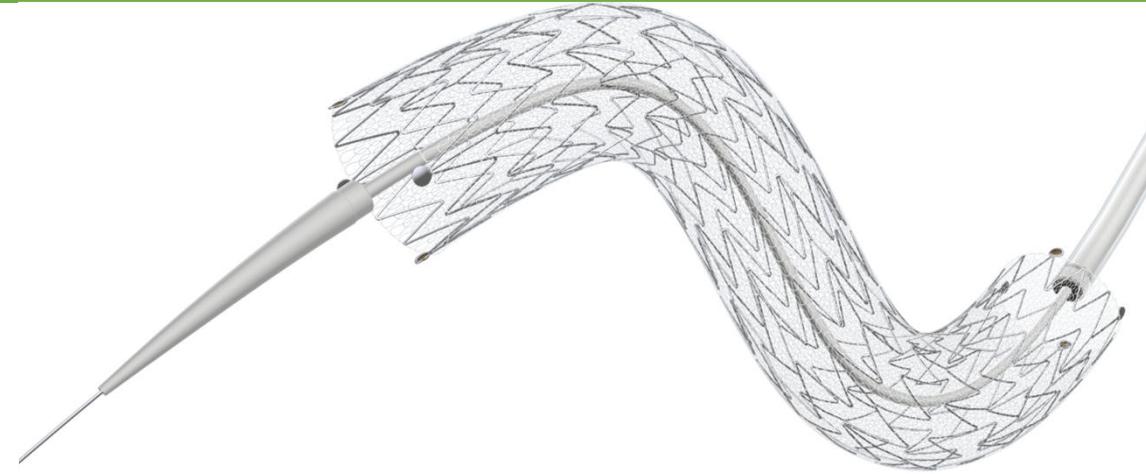
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Objective

- to evaluate feasibility and outcome of routine anti-embolic stent system use in unselected, consecutive patients referred for carotid revascularization ('all-comer' study)

PARADIGM: Results



Index lesion quantitative characteristics (n=71 lesions)

	All (n=71 lesions)	Symptomatic n=37	Asymptomatic n=34	p
Before CAS				
PSV, m/s	3.8 ± 1.3	3.7 ± 1.1	3.8 ± 1.5	0.862
EDV, m/s	1.3 ± 0.7	1.4 ± 0.6	1.3 ± 0.8	0.687
Diameter stenosis % (QA)	82 ± 9	79 ± 9	84 ± 9	0.021
CAS				
EPD type				0.092
Proximal*	35% (25)	44% (16)	26% (9)	
Distal**	65% (46)	56% (21)	74% (25)	
post-dilat balloon# peak pressure, mmHg	18.4 ± 3.4	17.5 ± 3.6	19.2 ± 2.9	0.037
After CAS				
Stent length (QA)§				NA
Nominal 30 mm (min-max)	29.66 ± 0.30 (28.73-30.07)	29.66 ± 0.28 (29.02-30.07)	29.65 ± 0.32 (28.73-30.02)	
Nominal 40 mm (min-max)	39.73 ± 0.34 (38.88-40.22)	39.69 ± 0.41 (38.88-40.22)	39.77 ± 0.28 (39.14-40.04)	
Residual diam. stenosis	7 ± 4%	5 ± 4%	7 ± 5%	0.257
in-stent PSV, m/s	0.70 ± 0.28	0.66 ± 0.29	0.74 ± 0.27	0.266
in-stent EDV, m/s	0.17 ± 0.07	0.17 ± 0.07	0.18 ± 0.07	0.457

* Emboshield (n=7); FilterWire (n=14); Spider (n=25)

** Gore FlowReversal (n=4) or flow reversal with MoMa (n=21);

(NB. mean flow reversal time was 6min 48s, from 5min 18s to 11min 2s)

Ø 4.5mm (n=5); Ø 5.0mm (n=36); Ø 5.5mm (n=29); Ø 6.0mm (n=1);

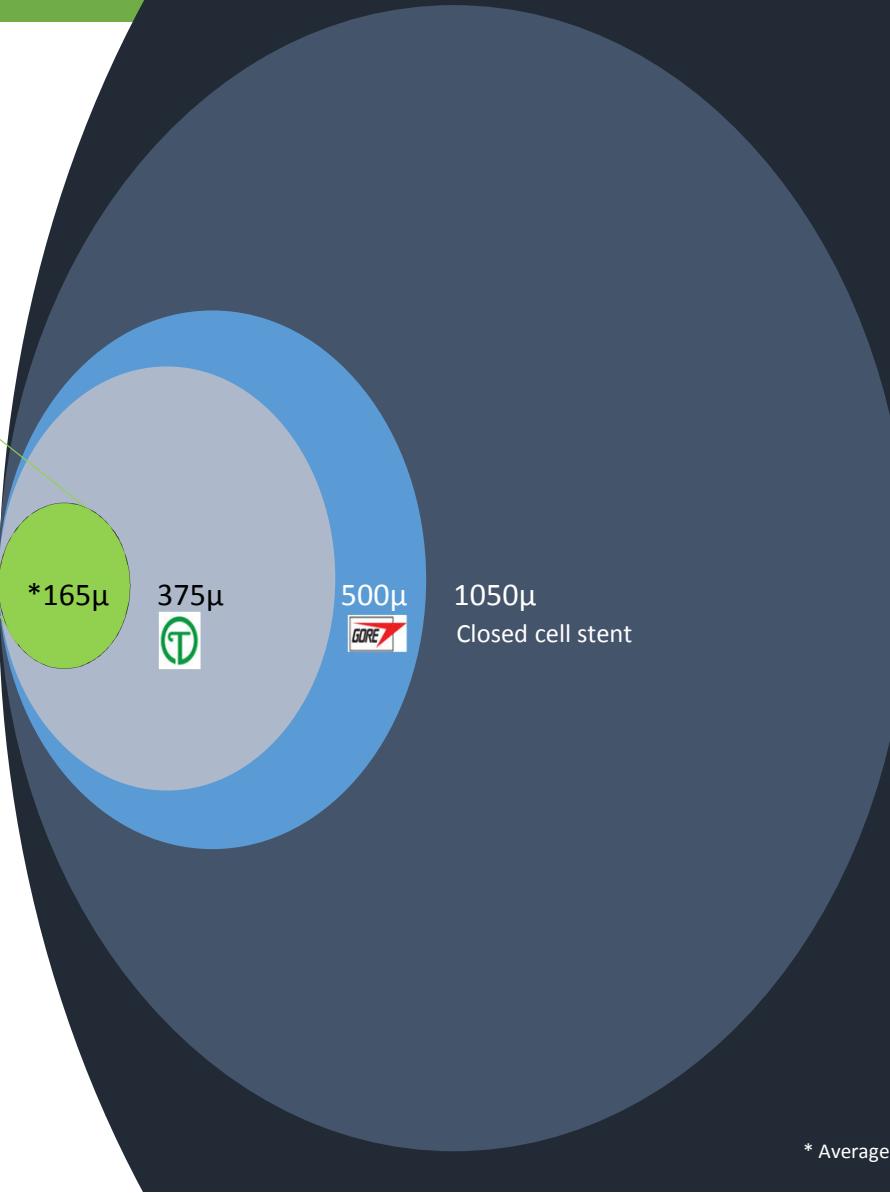
§ 30mm in 51 lesions; 40mm in 18 lesions (2 other lesions required two stents each)

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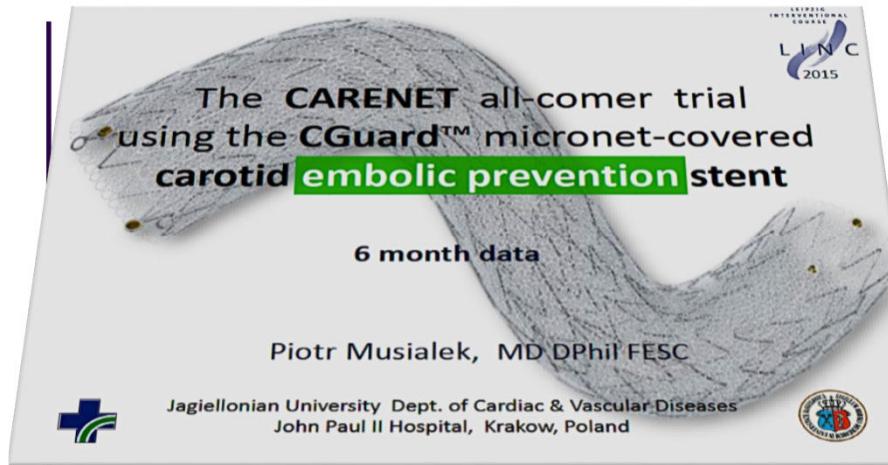


- Death/stroke/MI @ 48h 0%
- Death/stroke/MI @ 30d 0%

Ideal Pore Size



Changing paradigms in CAS



CLEAR-ROAD trial

- Physician-Initiated Carotid Trial Investigating the Efficacy of Endovascular Treatment of Carotid Arterial Disease with the multi-layer ROADsaver stent
- multi-center trial with 100 patients
- Primary Endpoint:
30-day rate of major adverse events (MAEs), defined as the cumulative incidence of any peri-procedural (≤ 30 days post-procedure) death, stroke or myocardial infarction (MI).

Micromesh stents and sustained anti-embolic action to reduce cerebral embolization may contribute to solve the remaining limitations of carotid stenting



**A Novel Carotid Stent
for Sustained Embolic Protection**



TERUMO®

Stent delivery system

Guide wire compatibility	0.014" (0.36 mm)
Introducer sheath compatibility	5 Fr (I.D. > 0.074")
Delivery system construction	Rapid exchange, RX segment length 30 cm
Usable catheter length	143 cm

Item Specifications

Product reference	Unconstrained dimensions (mm)			Implanted dimensions (mm)					
	Stent diameter	Micromesh layer stent length	Overall stent length	Vessel Ø 1 mm smaller than unconstrained Ø	Micromesh layer length	Overall length	Vessel diameter	Micromesh layer length	Overall length
RDS-0520-143RX	5	20	25	4	20	33	3	22	35
RDS-0530-143RX	5	30	37	4	35	47	3	38	52
RDS-0540-143RX	5	40	47	4	45	59	3	52	64
RDS-0616-143RX	6	16	22	5	20	32	4	23	22
RDS-0625-143RX	6	25	33	5	30	44	4	33	48
RDS-0630-143RX	6	30	40	5	40	53	4	43	58
RDS-0718-143RX	7	18	25	6	23	35	5	26	38
RDS-0725-143RX	7	25	35	6	30	47	5	36	52
RDS-0730-143RX	7	30	40	6	40	53	5	44	60
RDS-0820-143RX	8	20	25	7	25	36	6	27	40
RDS-0825-143RX	8	25	35	7	30	49	6	38	54
RDS-0830-143RX	8	30	40	7	40	55	6	45	61
RDS-0840-143RX	8	40	47	7	50	67	6	60	75
RDS-0920-143RX	9	20	33	8	30	45	7	33	48
RDS-0930-143RX	9	30	40	8	40	55	7	45	60
RDS-1020-143RX	10	20	35	9	30	45	8	35	50
RDS-1030-143RX	10	30	43	9	40	55	8	45	60

Summary of main characteristics



	CGUARD	ROADSAVER
Company	Inspire MD	Terumo
Material (Stent/ Micromesh)	Nitinol/ PET	Nitinol/ Nitinol
Size of delivery	6F	5F
Size of Pores μ	150-180	380
Flared tips	no	yes
Retrievable/Repositio nable	no	yes
Accuracy	+++	++
Conformability	++	+++
Crossability	++	+++
ECA preservation	yes	yes
EPD compatibility	all	all

Case presentation

FEMALE, 83 years

Risk Factors

- Type II diabetes mellitus
- Hypertension

Previous cardiovascular history

- Previous PCI to LAD

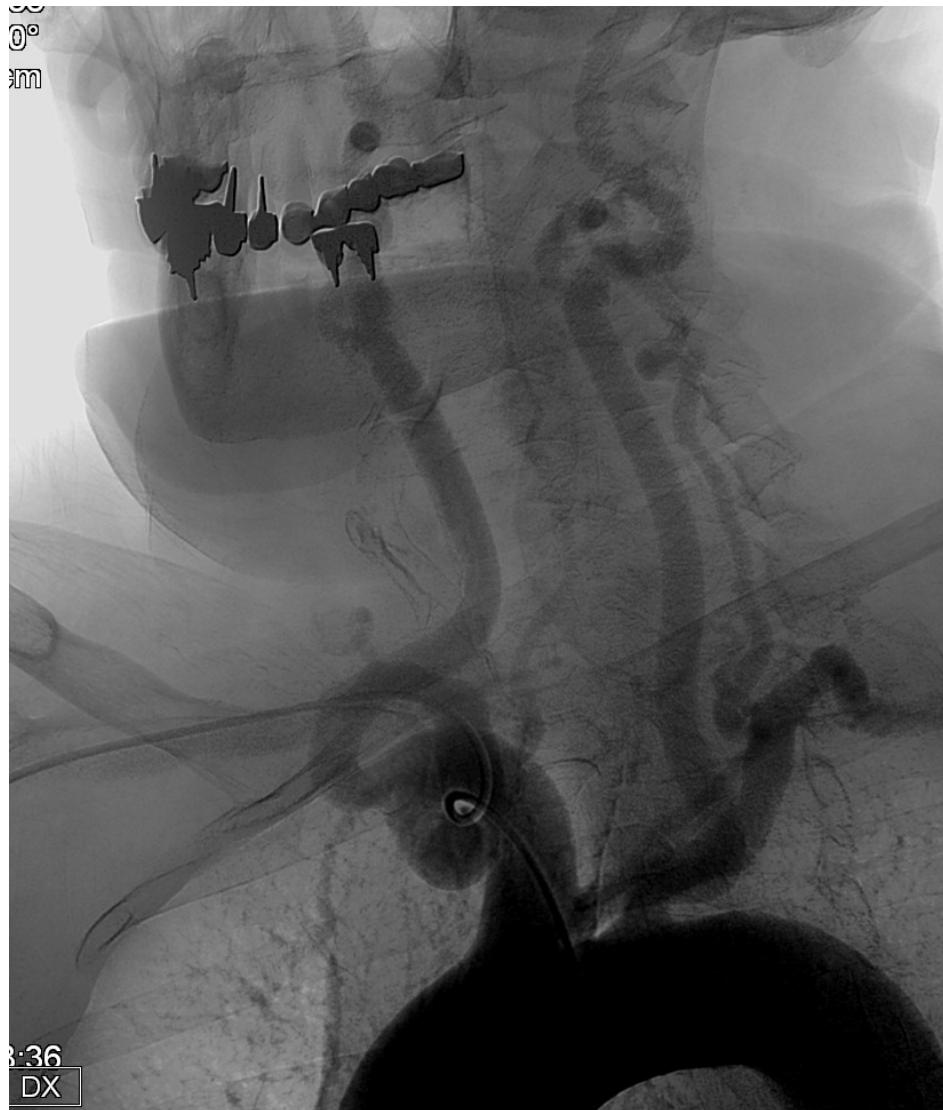
Clinical presentation

- Minor Stroke in Nov '17 (right-sided hemiparesis, full recovery)
- DUS: severe LICA stenosis (mixed plaque)

Main comorbidities

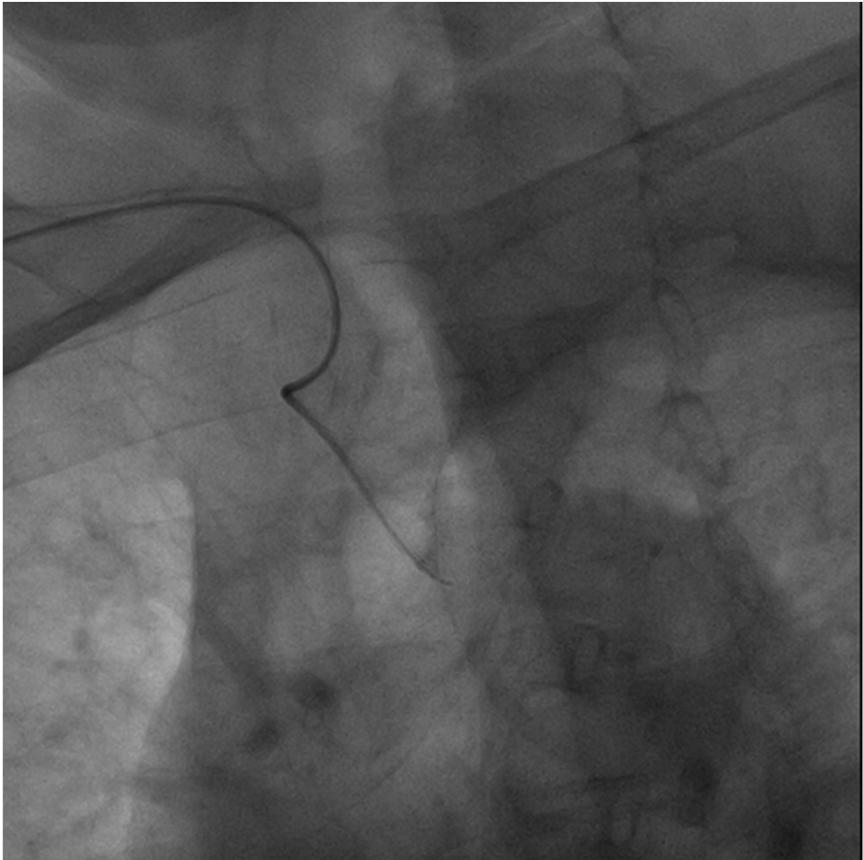
- Known severe PAD

Challenging anatomy

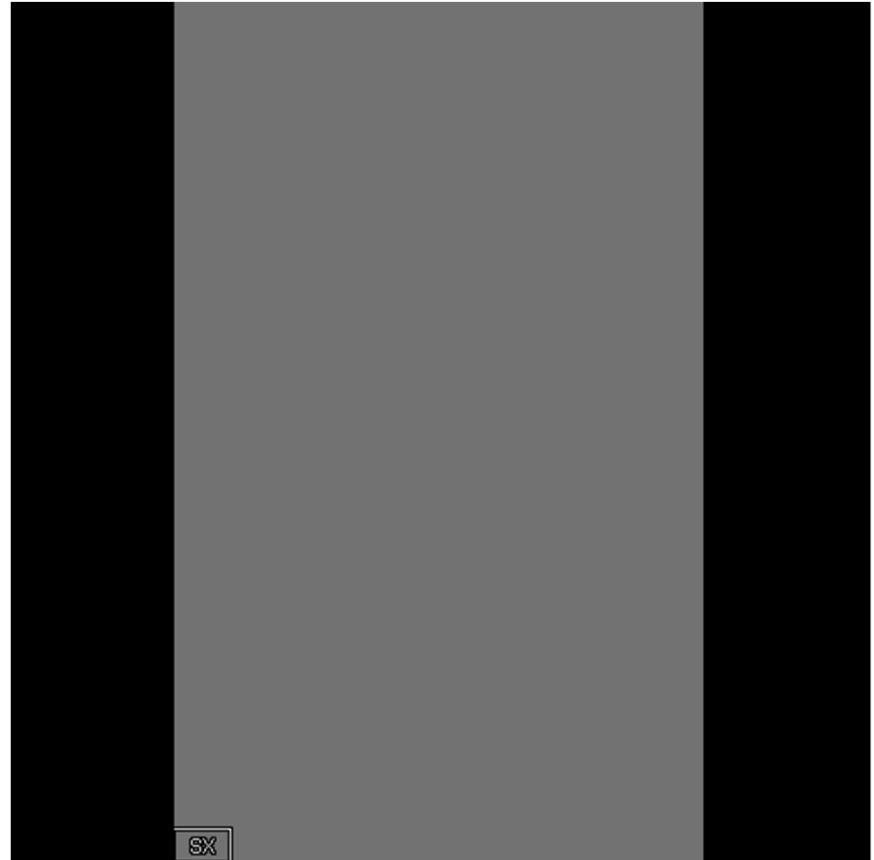


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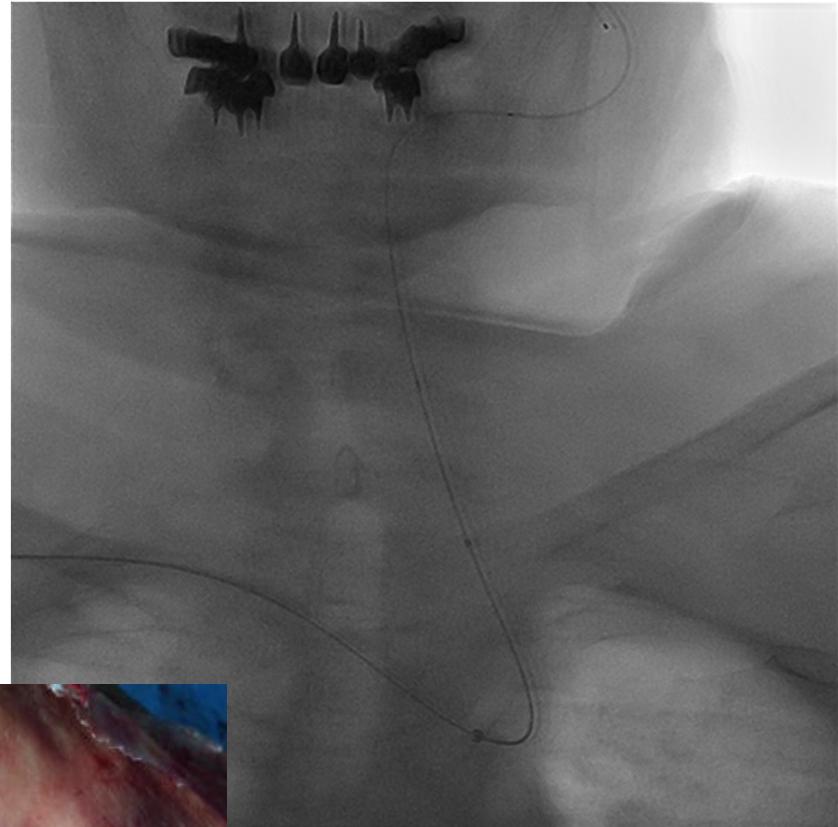
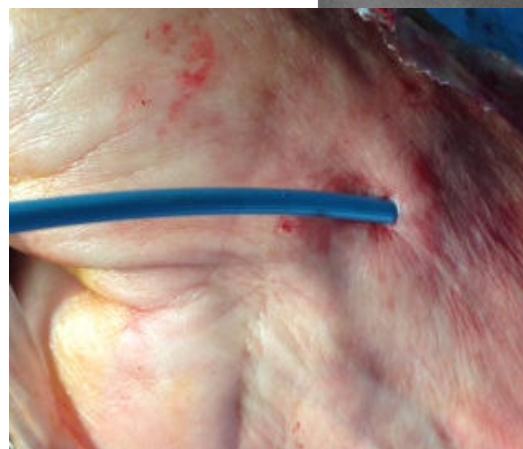
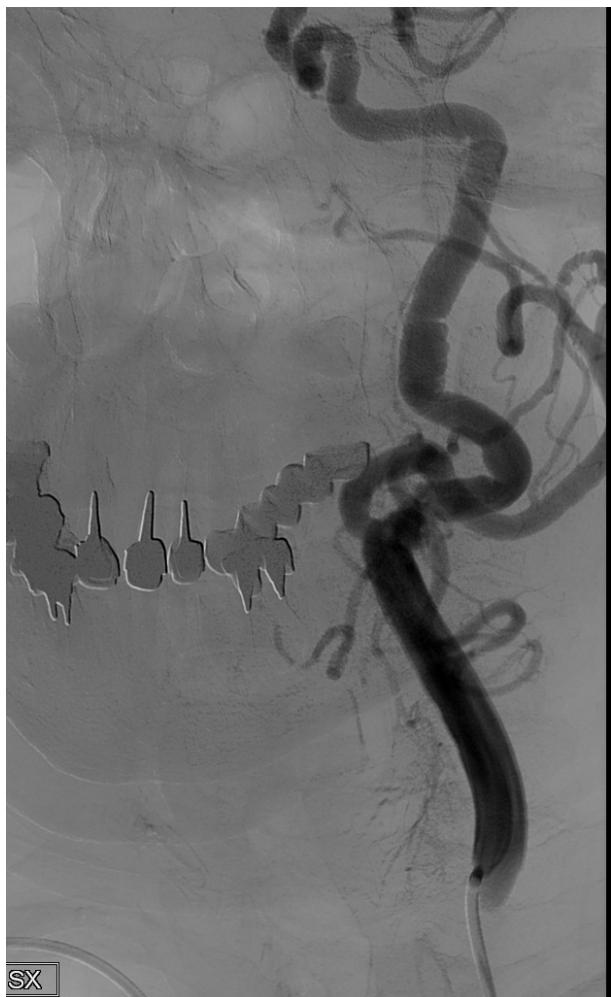
Transradial PTA



JR 4 catheter from RRA and
hydrophilic wire

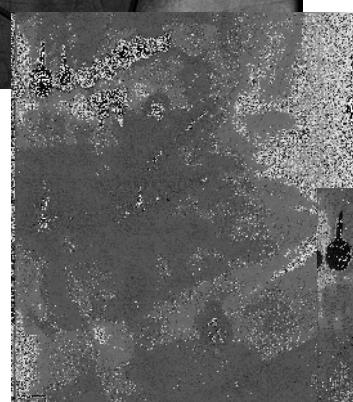
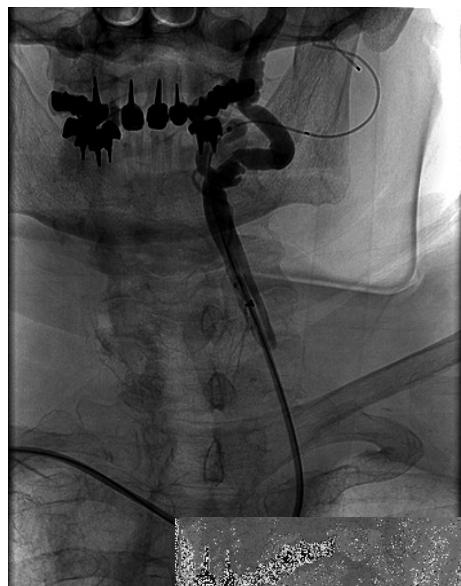


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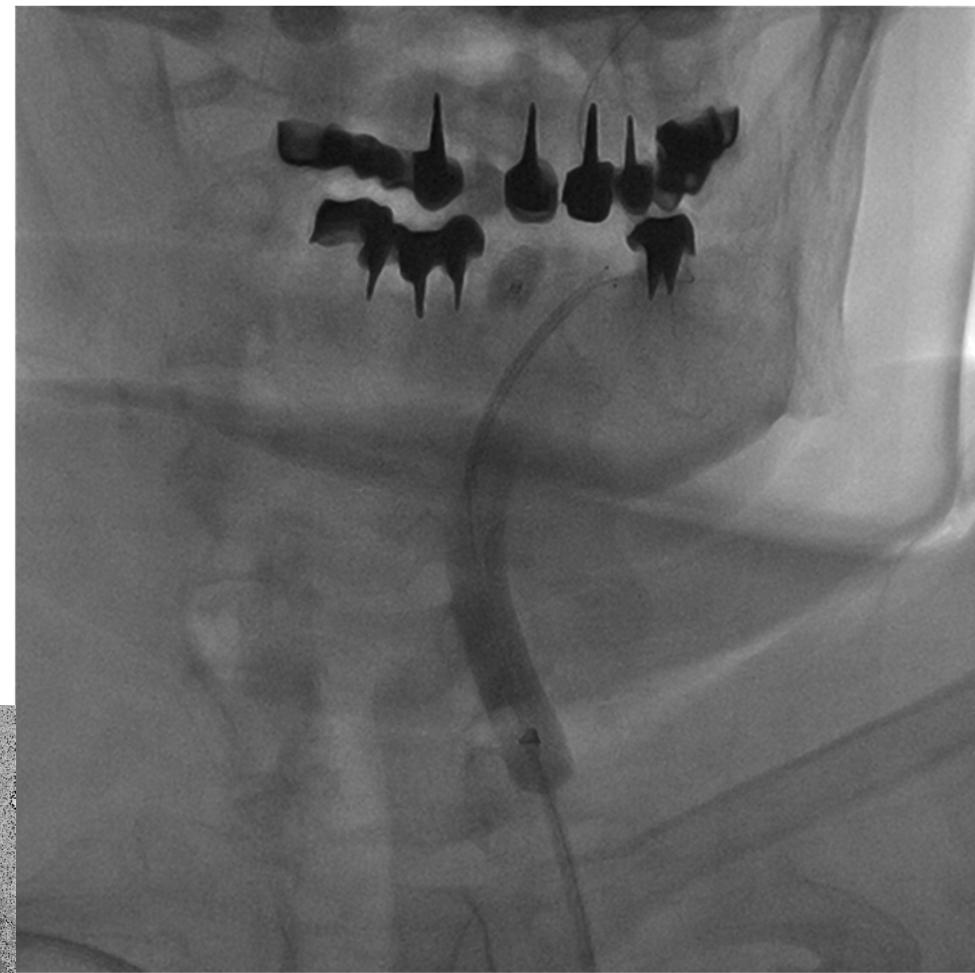


MOMA sheathless insertion

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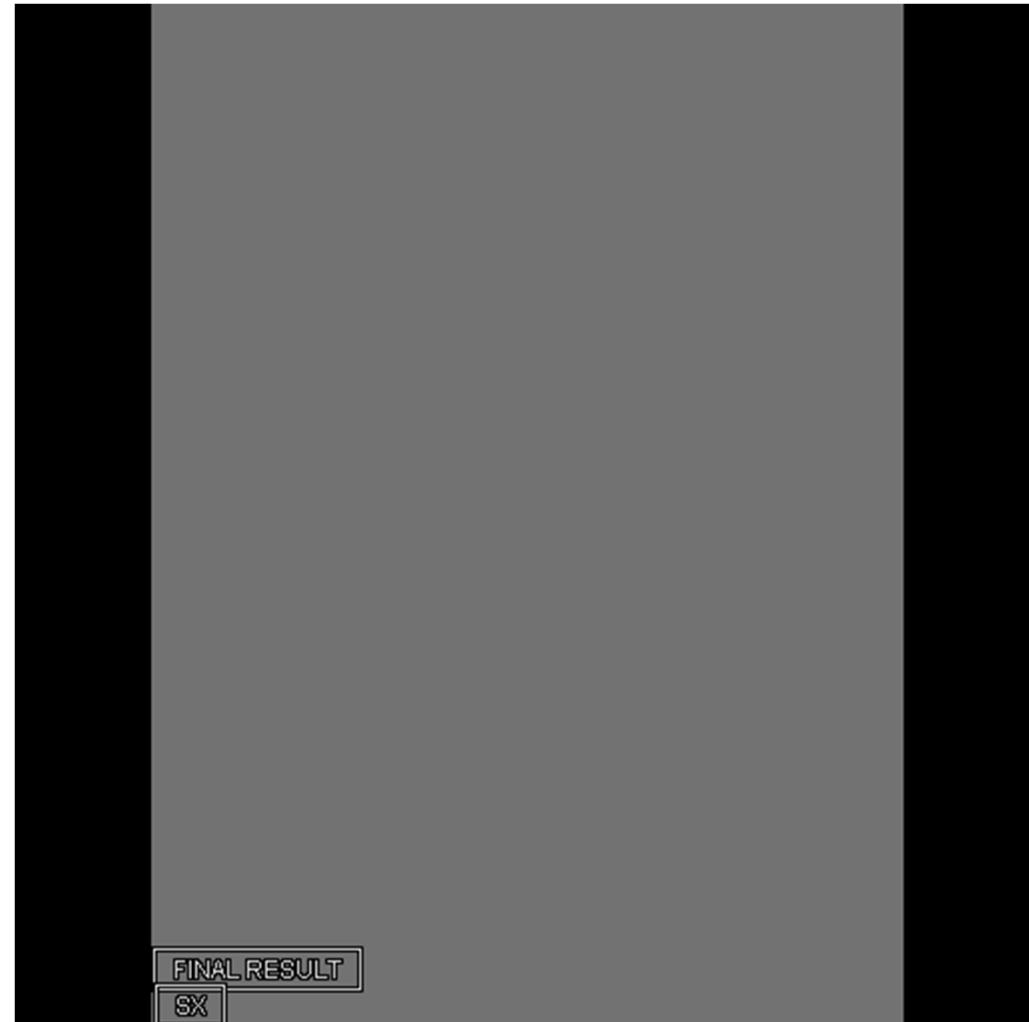


Postdilation with
5.5 balloon



C-GUARD 9/30 mm stent deployment

Final result





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