



TREATMENT OF POST-EMR BLEEDING WITH ENDOSCOPIC CLIPS

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Figure 1

HISTORY

A 62-year-old male with cirrhosis (Child B) and a history of variceal bleeding was admitted to our hospital for gastric polyposis resection.

PROCEDURE

The endoscopy showed gastric polyposis and there was an abnormal area of mucosa on the gastric incisura. Biopsy taken from the site revealed intra-mucosal carcinoma and an endoscopic mucosal resection was performed (Figure. 1).

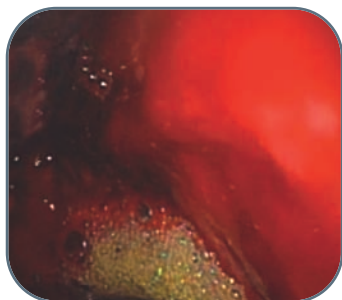


Figure 2

The patient had hemodynamic instability, hematemesis and hematocrit dropped at 22% 12 hours after the procedure. Another endoscopy showed active bleeding in the EMR site (Figure 2). The bleeding was successfully managed with the use of 2 Resolution® Clips (Figures 3 & 4).

POST PROCEDURE

During the follow up, the patient was in good condition and there were no complications (Figure 5). Histological results confirmed early gastric cancer (EGC).

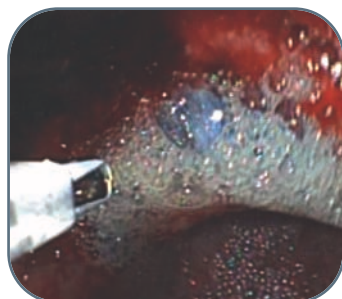


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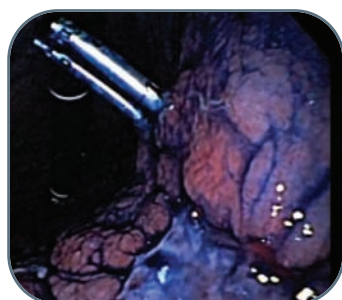


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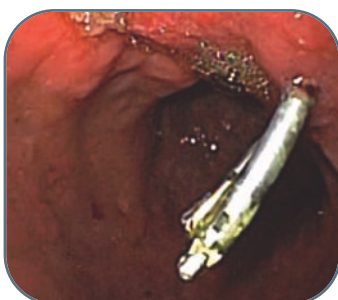


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