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# **Diagnosi e trattamento endovascolare degli aneurismi cerebrali**

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# DIAGNOSTICA PER IMMAGINI DEGLI ANEURISMI CEREBRALI

## Intatti

- Di solito asintomatici
- Deficit di nervi cranici
- Sindrome del seno cavernoso
- Compressione sul tronco
- TIA

## Rotti

- Cefalea intensa ed improvvisa
- Segni di irritazione meningea
- Nausea e Vomito
- Crisi epilettiche
- Perdita di coscienza

# Aneurismi incidentali

Prevalenza 1-10% (letteratura)

Almeno 1 ogni 12-15 persone ha un'aneurisma

ISUIA 1 (N Engl J Med, 1998)

ISUIA 2 (Lancet, 2003) prospettico

> 4000 pz. F-U medio: 4 anni

rischio per anno

Aneurismi < 7 mm 0 %

7-13 mm 0.5 %

13-24 mm 3 %

> 25 mm 8 %

## ISUIA

### Aneurysm Size and Annual Rupture Rates

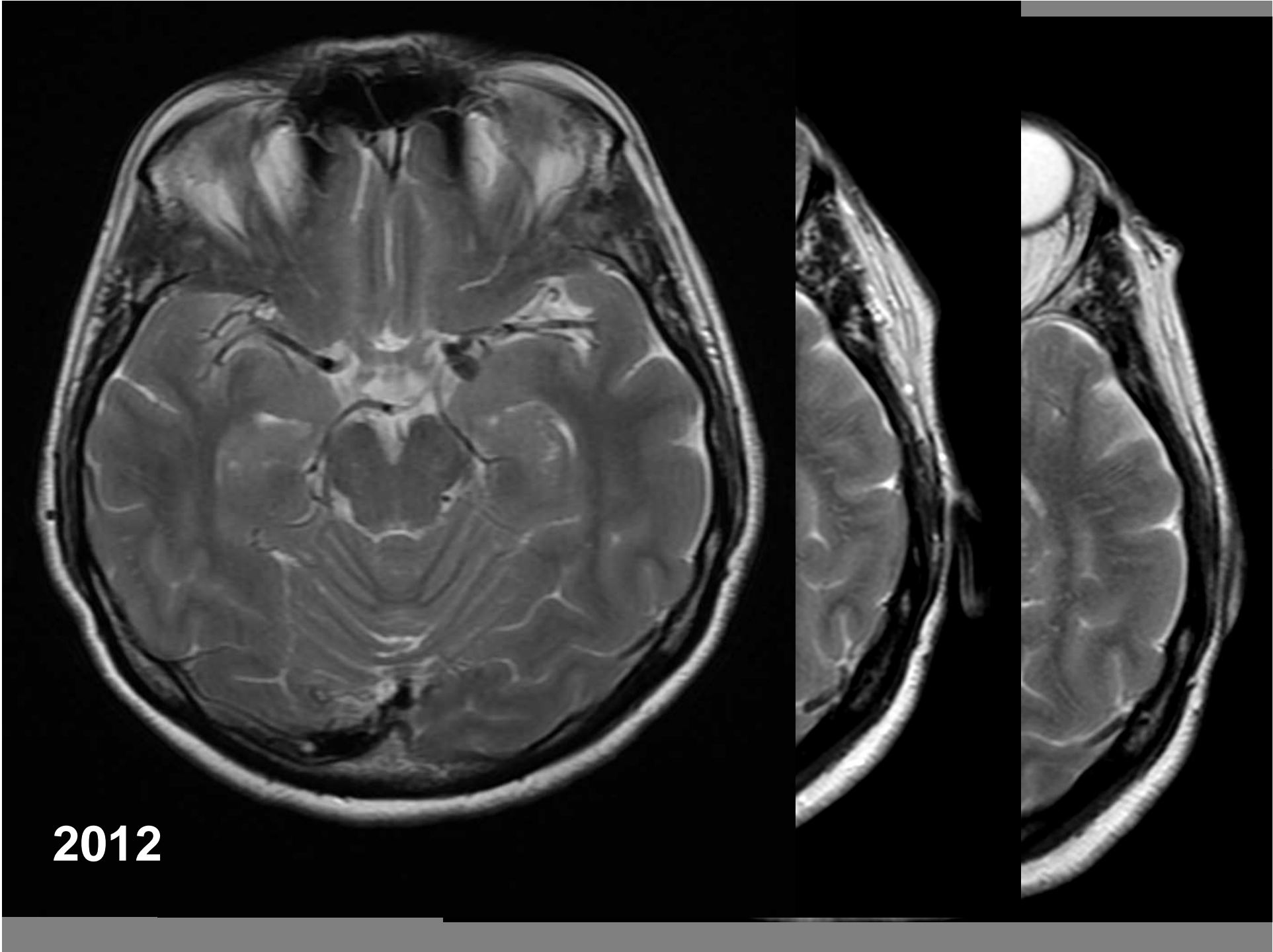
Aneurysm Size	Group 1 (No SAH)	Group 2 (Previous SAH)
2-6 mm	~0.1% 1/1000/year	~0.5% 1/200/year
7-9 mm	~0.5% 1/200/year	~0.5% 1/200/year
10-24 mm	7% in year #1, then 1%/year	1.0% 1/100/year
25+ mm	17% in year #1, then 2%/year	No data

# **ANEURISMI NON ROTTI**

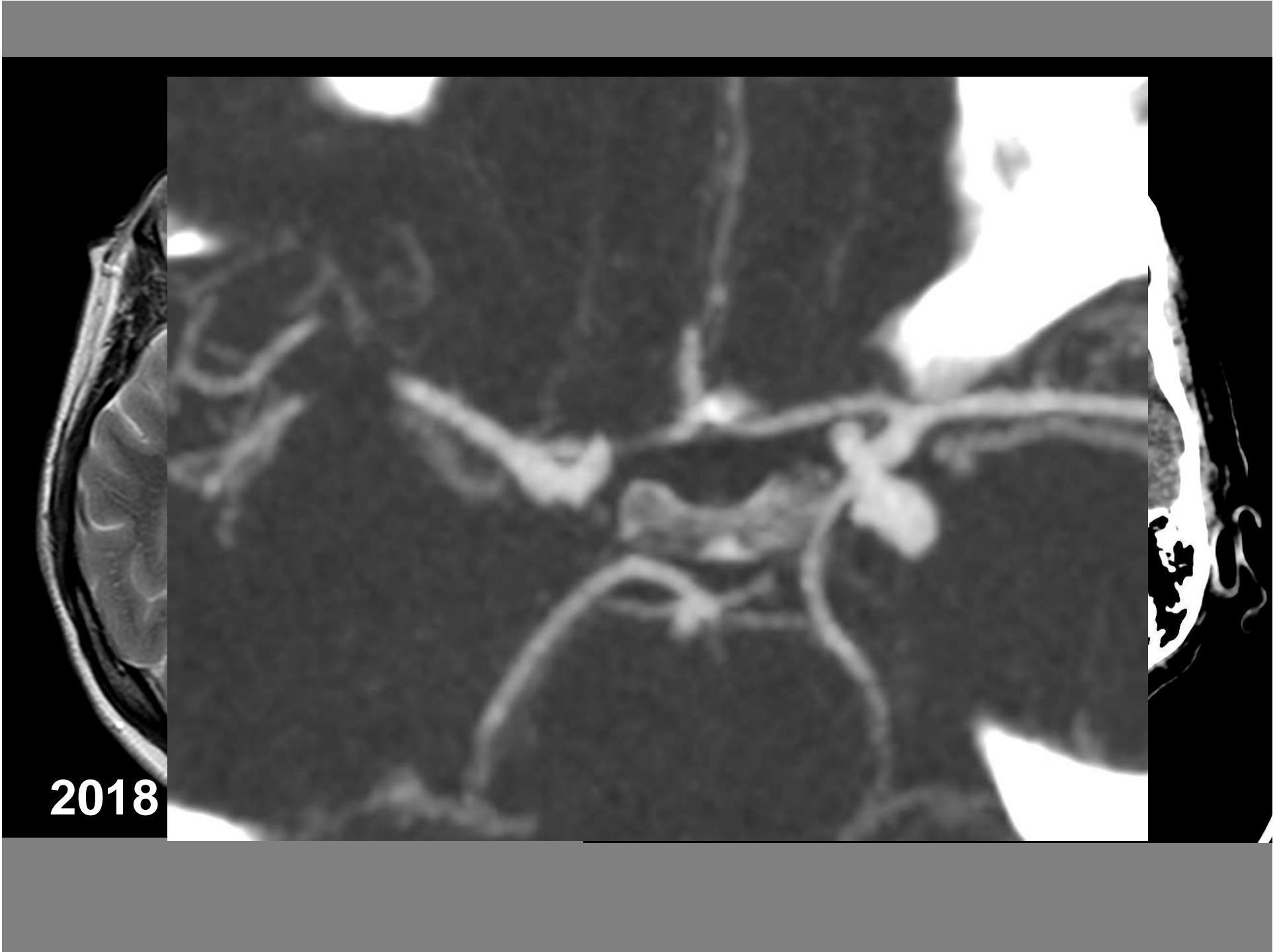
Scoperti incidentalmente in corso di esami:

**TC, Angio TC**  
**RM, Angio RM**

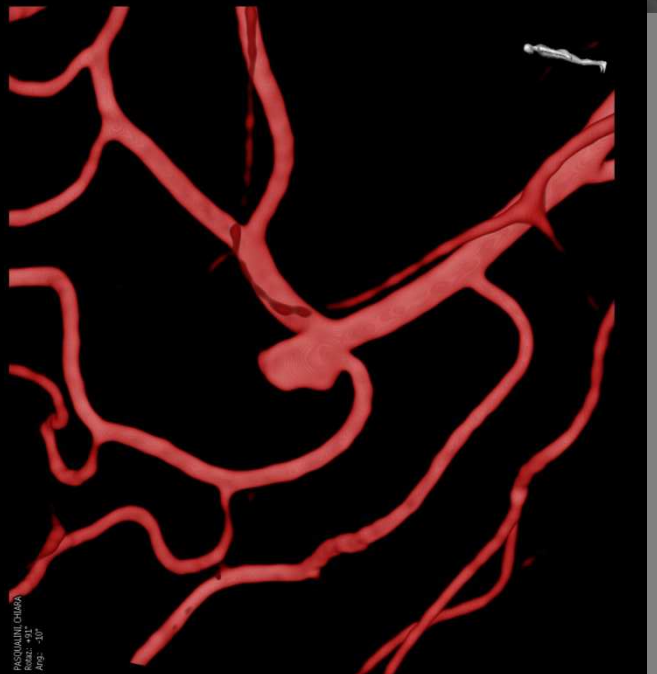
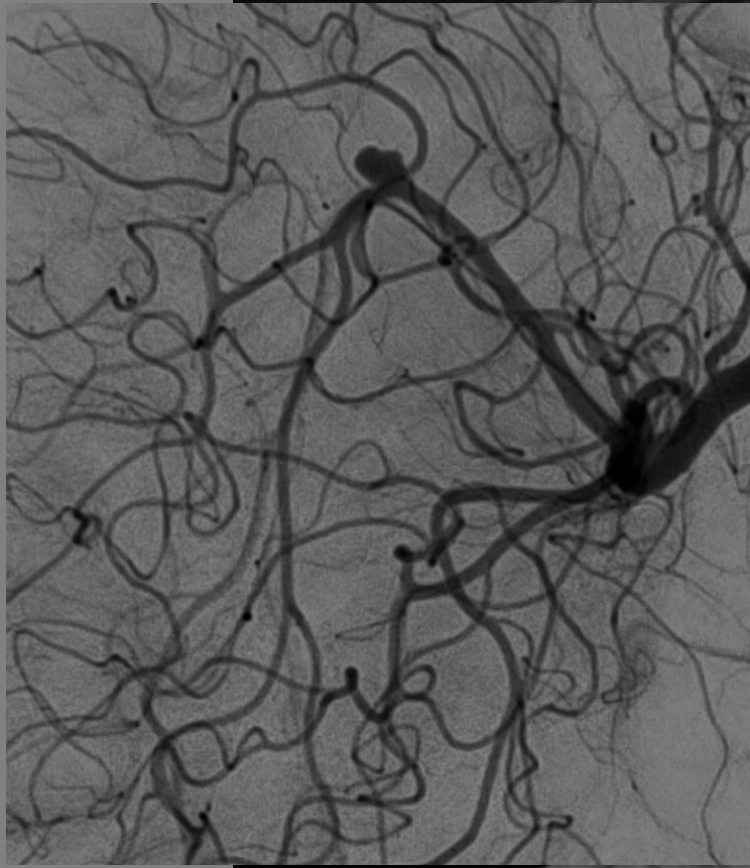
Visibili all'esame di base solo se di dimensioni  $> 3$  mm,  
con calcificazioni parietali, trombosi intrasacculari



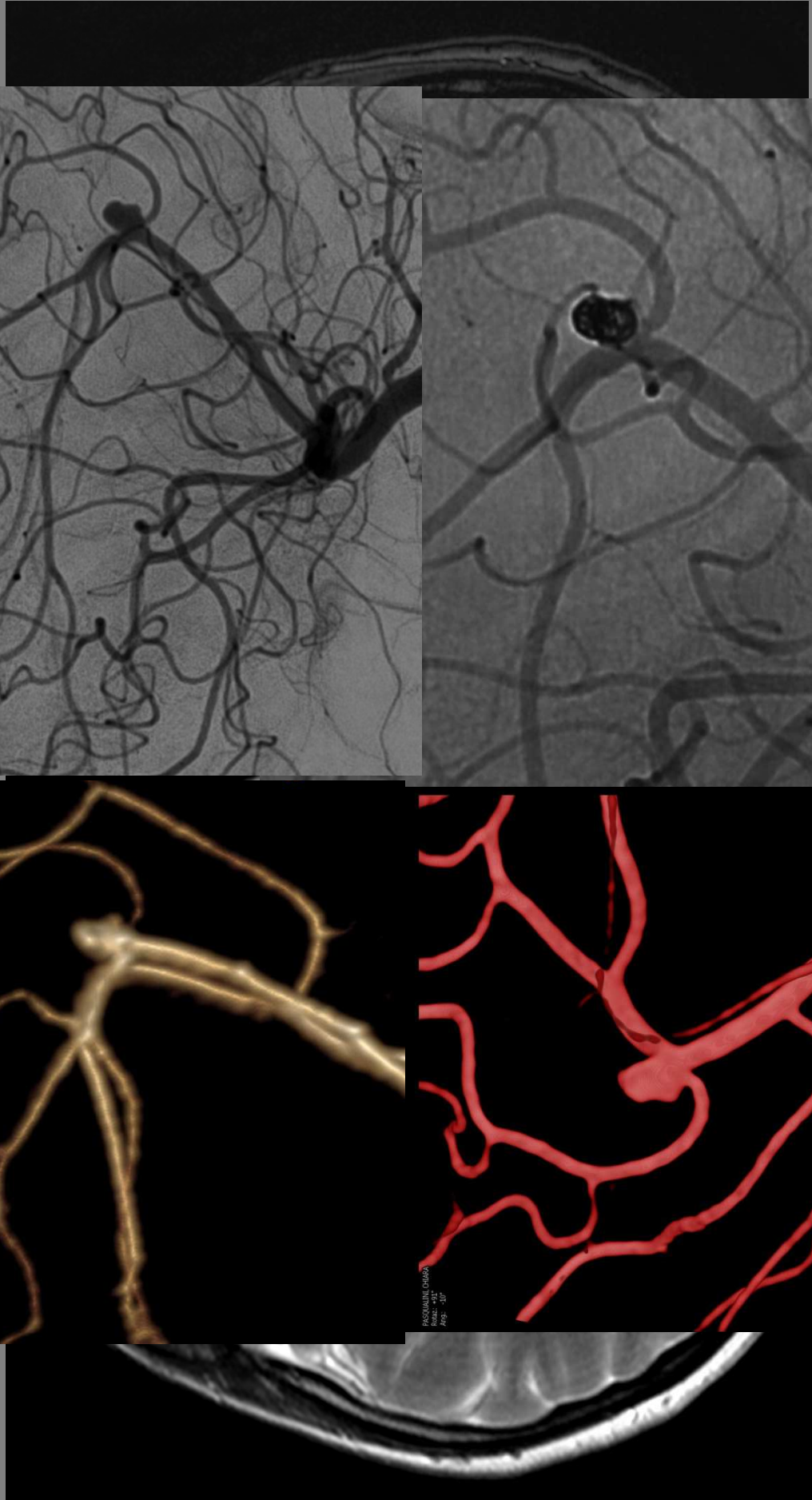
2012



2018



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**Table 1. Predictors, Criteria, and Points Composing the PHASES Score to Estimate the 5-Year Aneurysm Rupture Rate<sup>10</sup>**

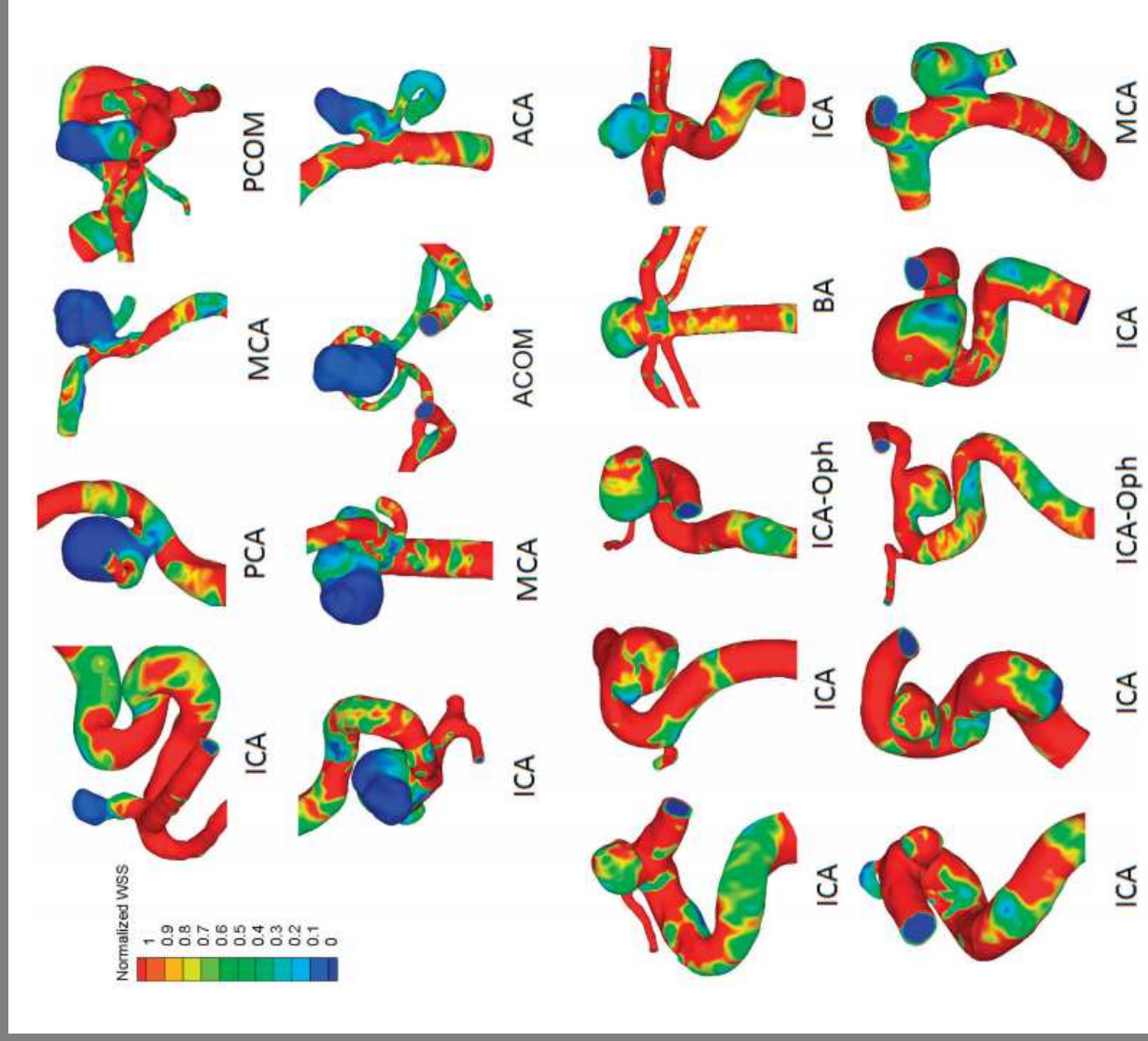
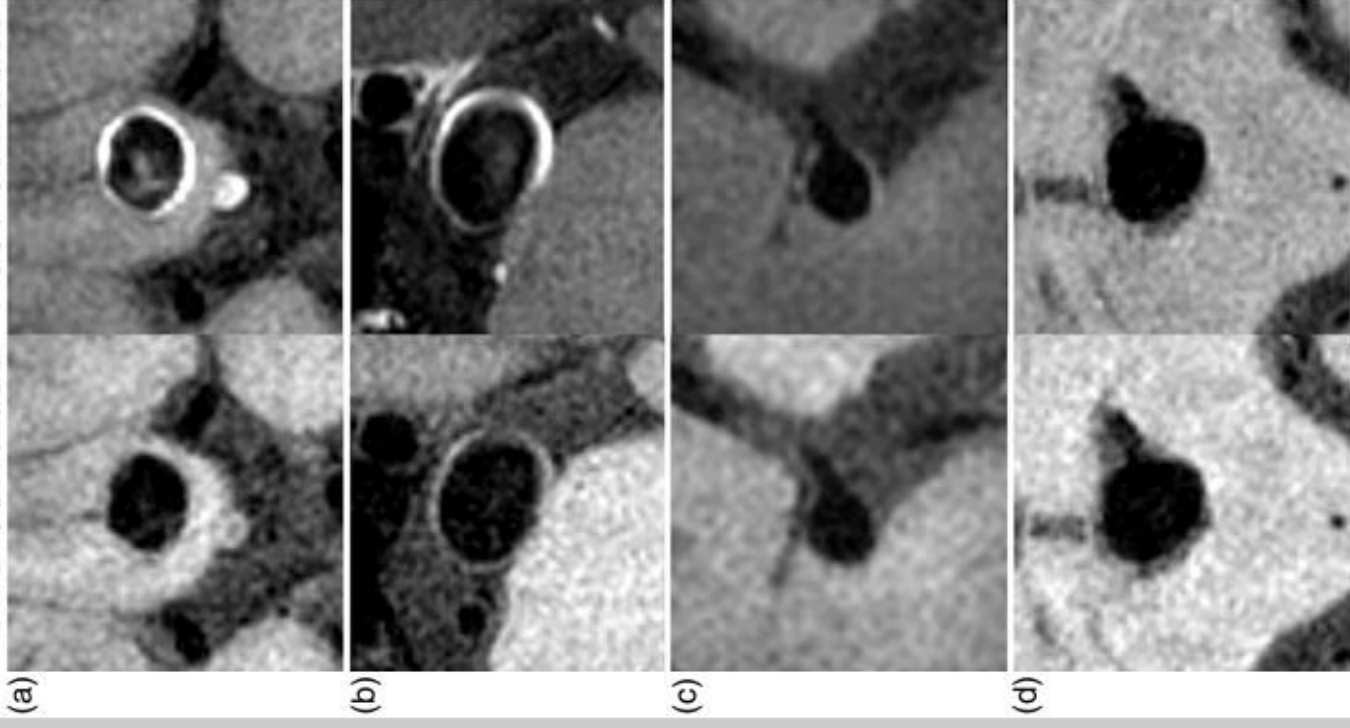
PHASES Aneurysm Risk Score	
Criteria	Points
<b>Population</b>	
North American, European (other than Finnish)	0
Japanese	3
Finnish	5
<b>Hypertension</b>	
No	0
Yes	1
<b>Age</b>	
<70 y	0
≥70 y	1
<b>Size of aneurysm</b>	
<7.0 mm	0
7.0–9.9 mm	3
10.0–19.9 mm	6
≥20.0 mm	10
<b>Earlier SAH from another aneurysm</b>	
No	0
Yes	1
<b>Site of aneurysm</b>	
ICA	0
MCA	2
ACA/PcoA/posterior circulation	4

**PHASES Score for the Management  
of Intracranial Aneurysm**  
**A Cross-Sectional Population-Based Retrospective Study**

Philippe Bijlenga, MD, PhD; Renato Gondar, MD; Sabine Schilling, PhD;  
Sandrine Morel, PhD; Sven Hirsch, PhD; Johanna Cuony, MS;  
Marco-Vincenzo Corniola, MD; Fabienne Perren, MD; Daniel Rüfenacht, MD; Karl Schaller, MD

**Stroke. 2017;48:2105-2112**

Pre-contrast    Post-contrast

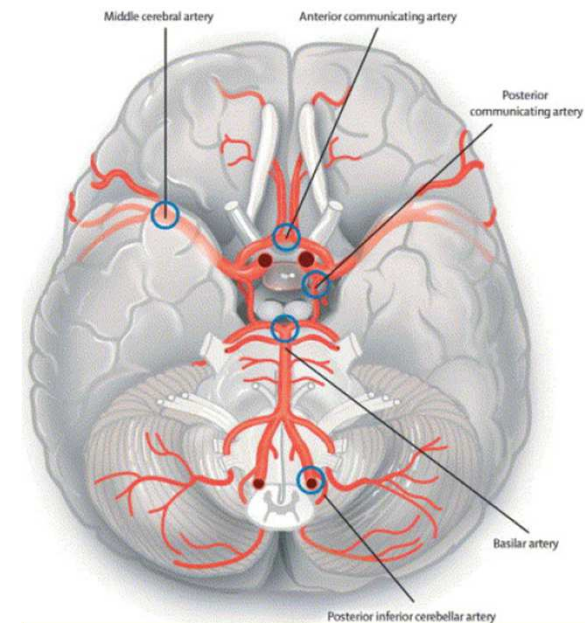
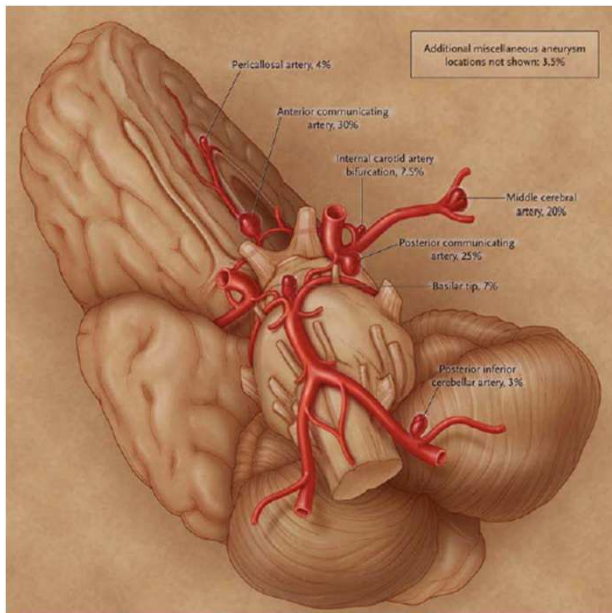


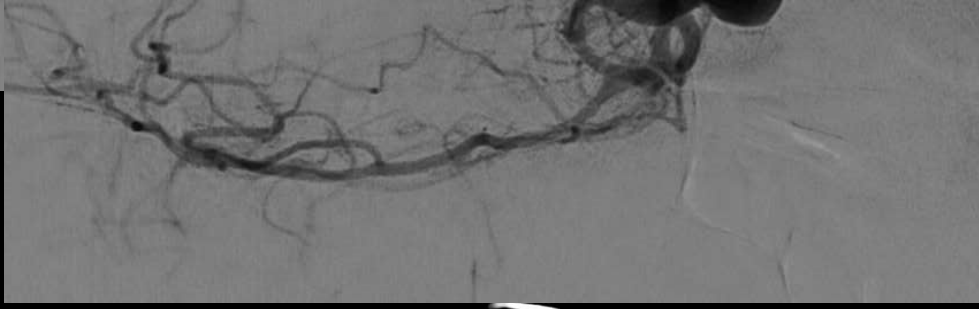
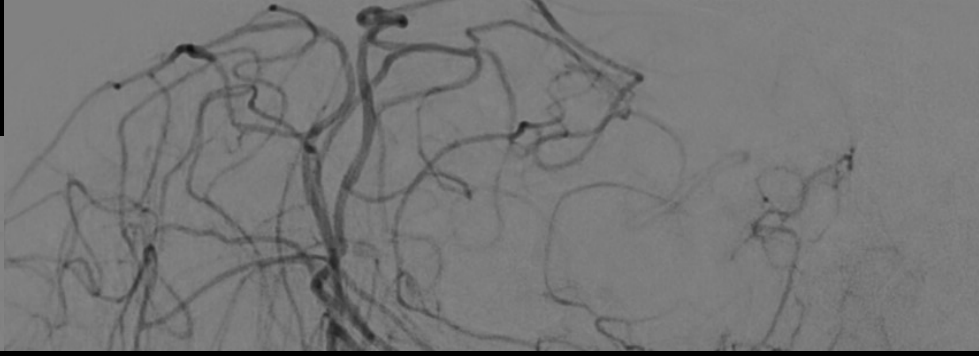
## **Aneurismi rotti**

- **TC**: ESA acuta/subacuta ed ematomi intraparenchimali (la distribuzione del sangue può fornire sospetti sulla sede dell'aneurisma)
- **Angio TC** solo se intervento NCH emergente (ematoma intraparenchimale)
- **RM** più sensibile nelle fasi più tardive in sospetto di ESA
- **AGF GOLD STANDARD**

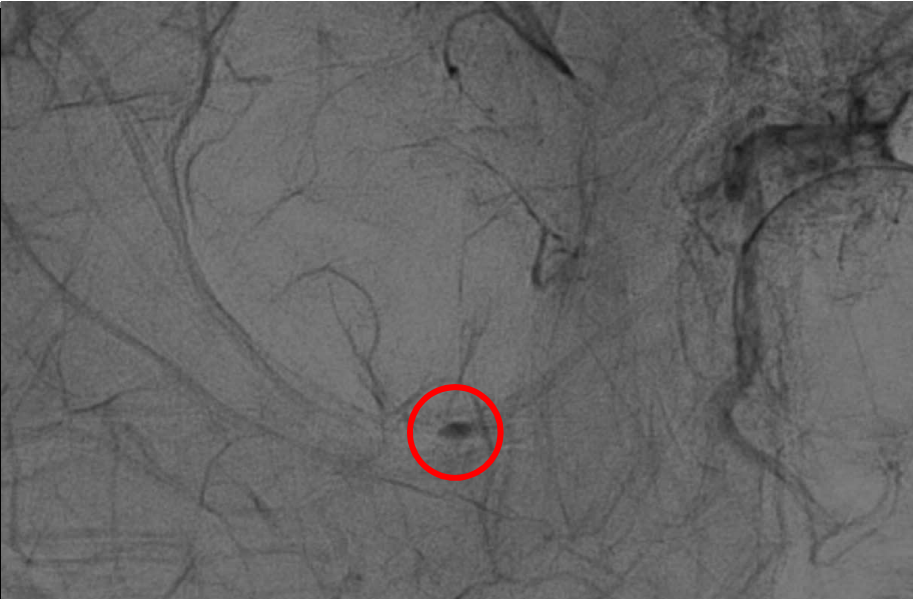
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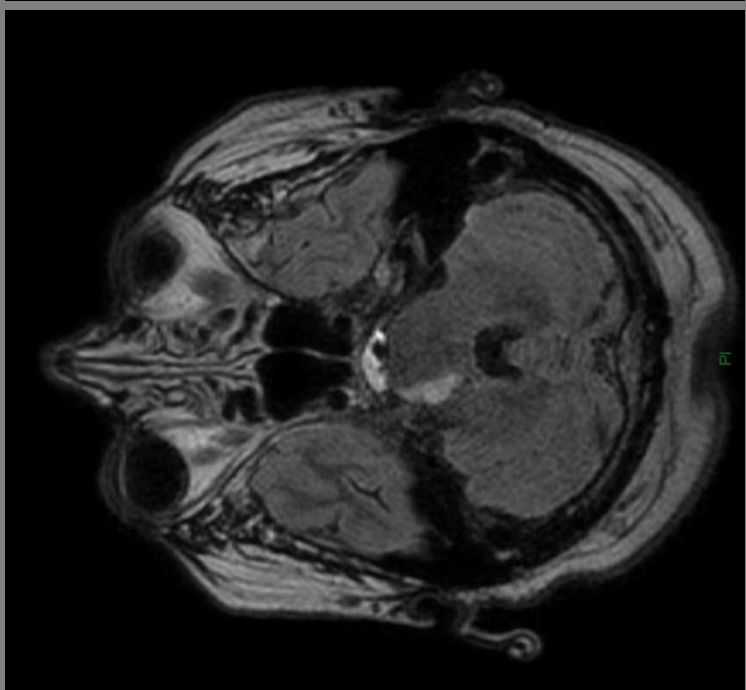
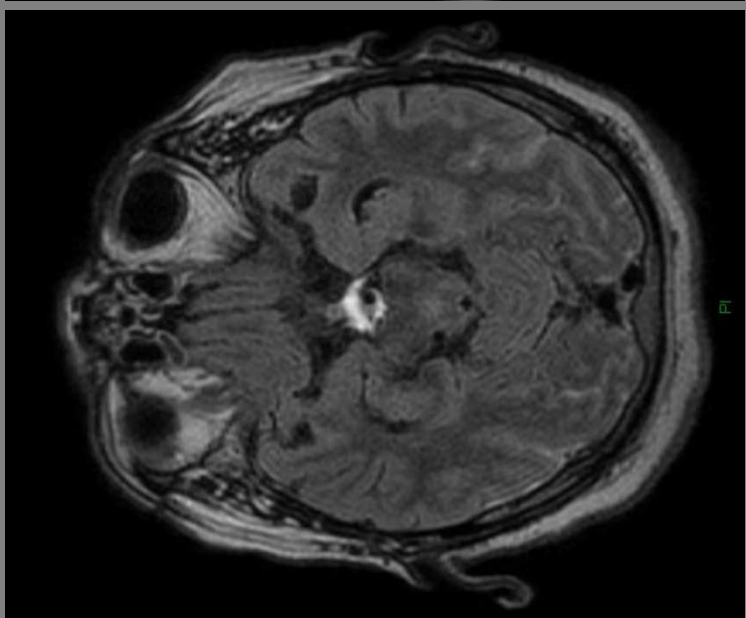
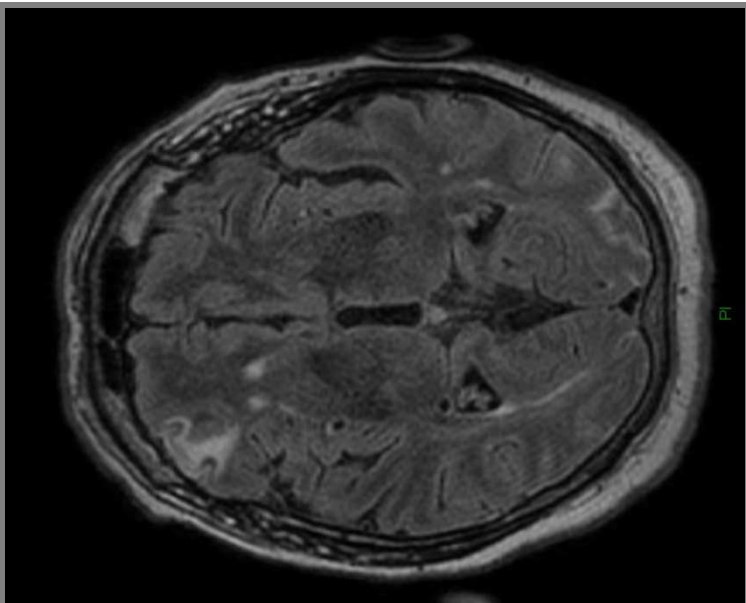
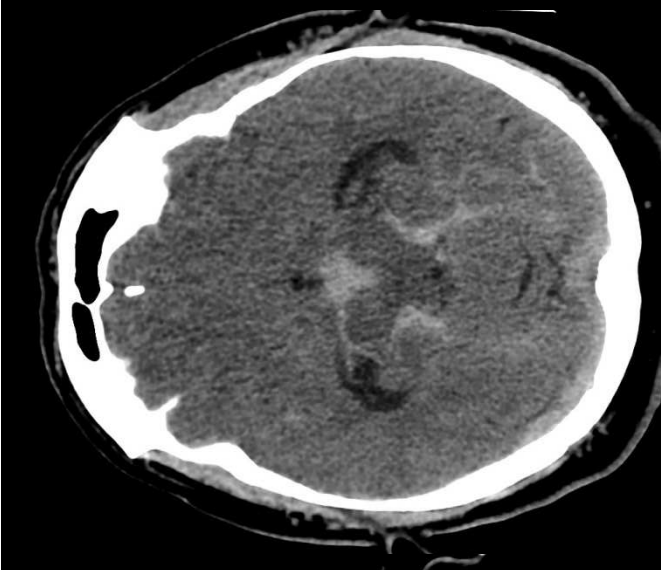
- Identificare la lesione, morfologia, dimensioni
- Valutare la sede / numero di aneurismi (quale si è rotto)
- Valutare il diametro del colletto (rapporto sacca/colletto)
- Valutare i rapporti con il vaso d'origine e con i vasi vicini
- Valutare l'eventuale presenza di vasospasmo
- Dare all'interventista/chirurgo informazioni utili per l'approccio e pianificazione terapeutica

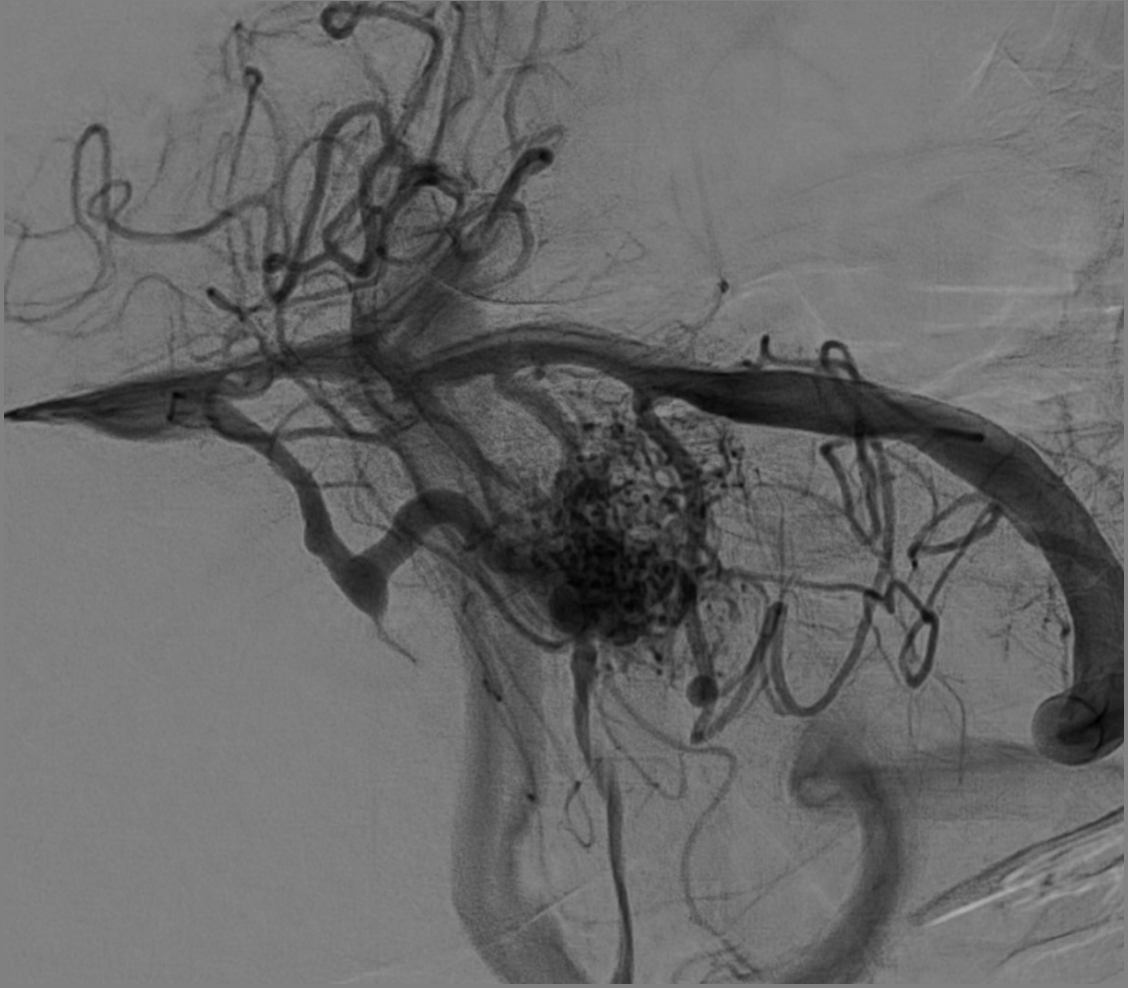












# ESA da rottura di aneurisma

## Storia naturale

- **Risanguinamento**
    - **Vasospasmo** 30% 15% sintomatico
  - **Ischemia** 30%
  - **Idrocefalo** 20-60%
    - precoce
    - tardivo
- 70% fatale**
- 24 h 4 - 10%
  - 3-7 gg. 1,5%
  - 2 sett. 20%
  - 1 mese 33%
  - 6 mesi 50%
  - Annuale 3%

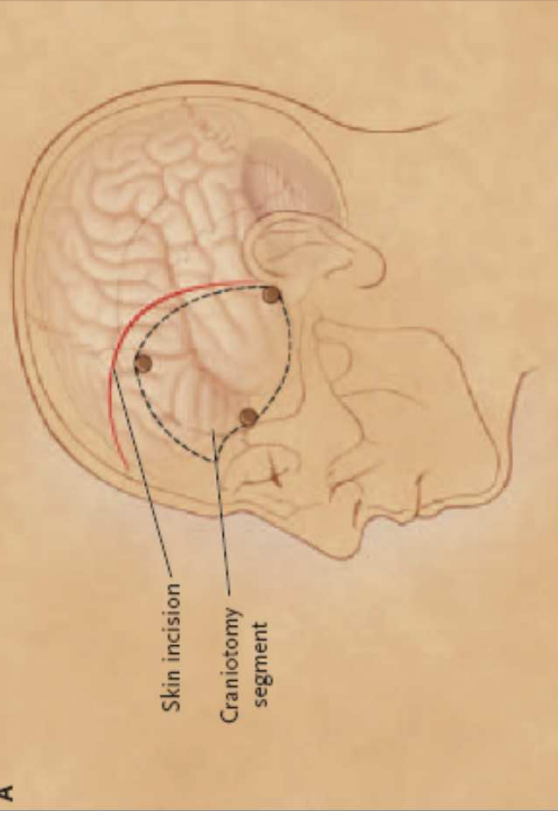
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## Prognosi

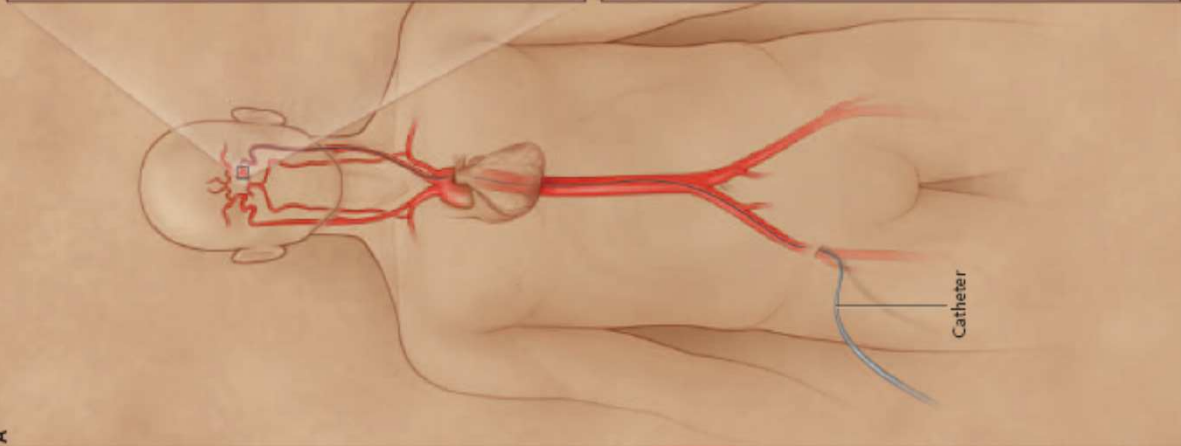
- Mortalità **35%** (12% prima del ricovero)
- Dipendenza **25%** (mRS =>3)
- Deficit cognitivi **20%** (specie dopo clipping)
- Recupero completo **20%**
  - ansia, depressione, disturbi del sonno, anosmia

**Non tutti tornano a fare il lavoro che facevano prima**

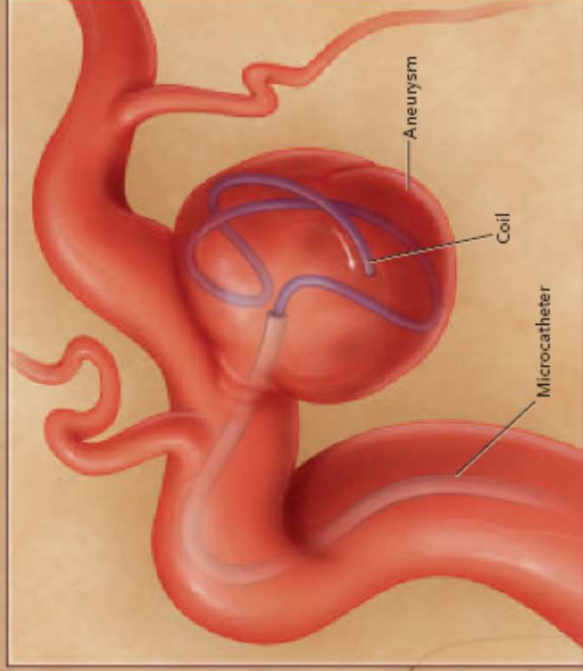
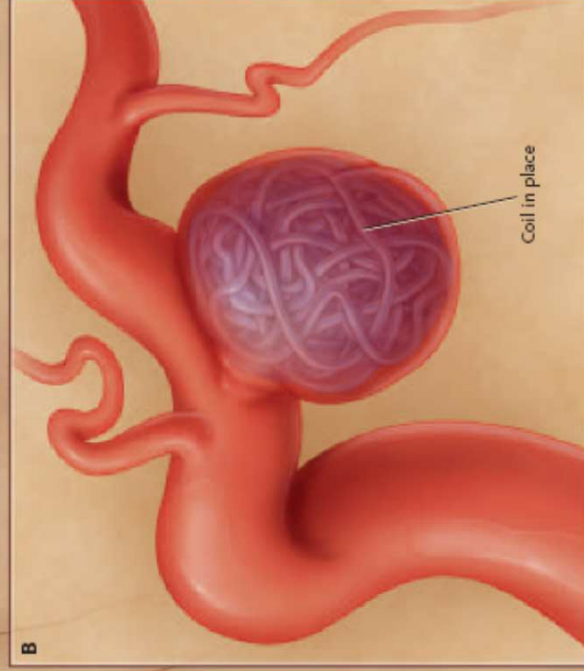
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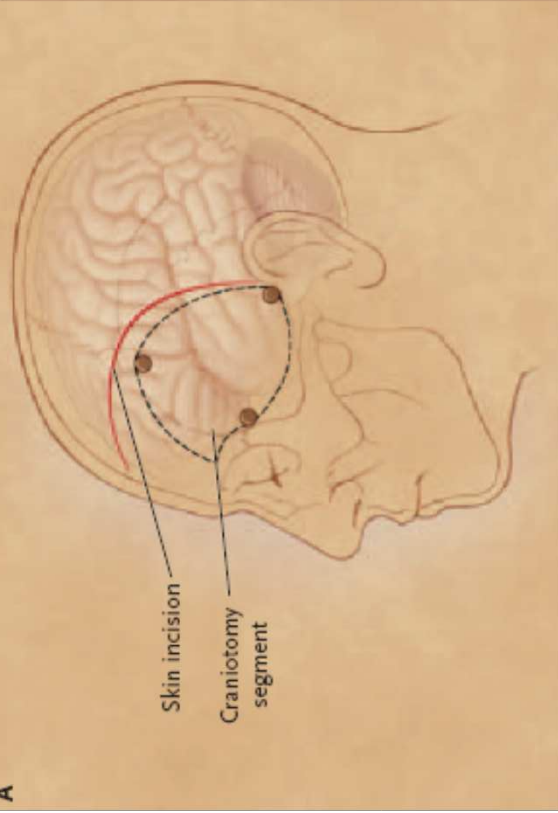
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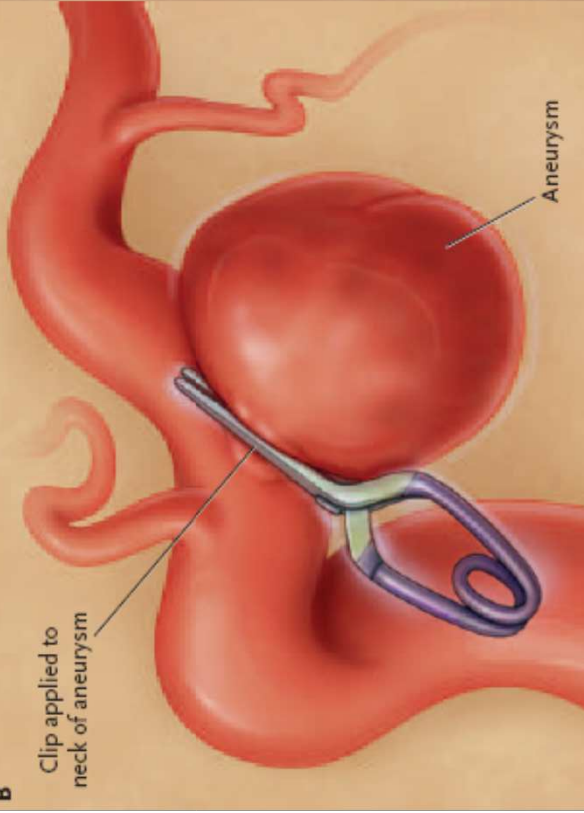
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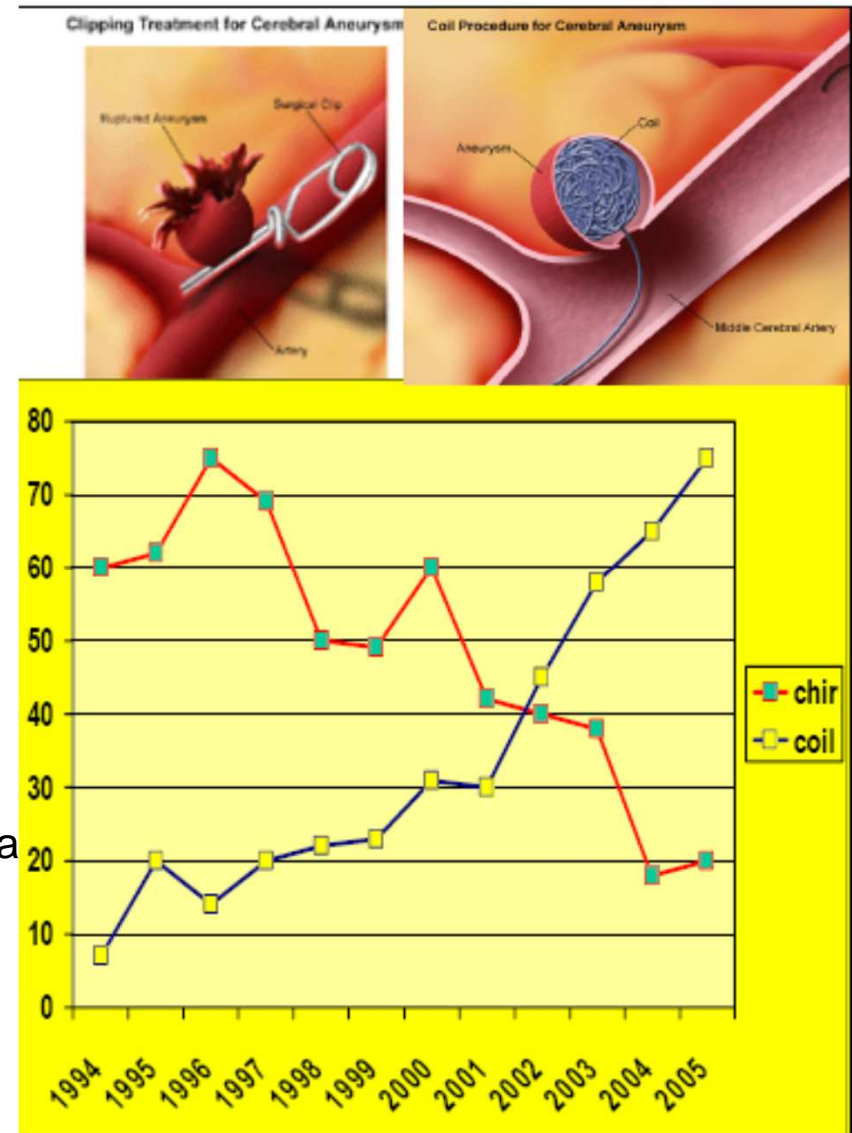
# Terapia endovascolare

## Vantaggi

- Rapidità
- < invasività
- Più di 1 aneurisma nella stessa seduta
- Minori giorni di degenza
- Reinserimento vita sociale più rapido

## Svantaggi

- Utilizzo radiazioni ionizzanti
- Minor stabilità di trattamento (alte recidive vs NCH ma non differenze significative per risanguinamenti)
- Necessari FU con ARM e AGF



Tendenza mondiale **70% EVT** vs 30% NCH

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## European Stroke Organization Guidelines for the Management of Intracranial Aneurysms and Subarachnoid Haemorrhage

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**Cerebrovasc Dis 2013;35:93–112**

### *Recommendation for Timing of Intervention*

- Aneurysm should be treated as early as logistically and technically possible to reduce the risk of rebleeding; if possible it should be aimed to intervene at least within 72 h after onset of first symptoms
- This decision should not depend on grading (class III, level C)

### *Recommendation for Interventional Prevention of Rebleeding*

- The best mode of intervention should be discussed in an interdisciplinary dialogue between Neurosurgery and Neuro-radiology
- Based on this discussion patients should be informed and included in the process of decision making whenever possible
- In cases where the aneurysm appears to be equally effectively treated either by coiling or clipping, coiling is the preferred treatment (class I, level A)

# Trattamento endovascolare degli aneurismi

## - differenti strategie -

Come **flusso**  
da modificare

- DB
- Trapping

Occlusione  
dell'arteria  
parente

Come **sacca**  
da riempire

- Coiling
- Remodelling
- Stent + coils
- WEB

Spazio  
interno da  
riempire

Come **parete**  
da curare

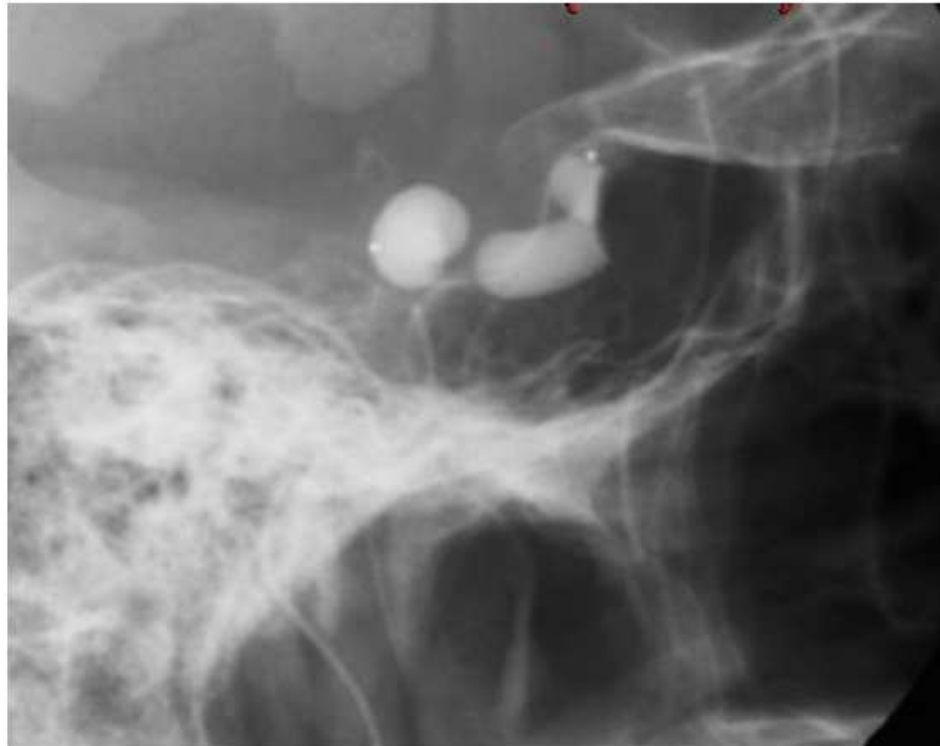
- Stent ricoperti
- Stent telescopici
- Diversori di flusso

Chiusura  
della breccia  
di parete

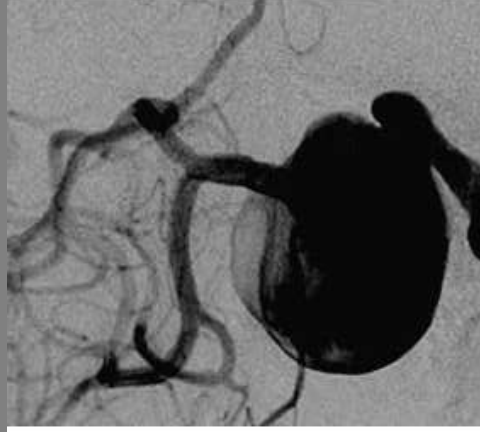
Diversione  
del flusso

# Occlusione arteria parente

- Con palloncini distaccabili
- Con spirali

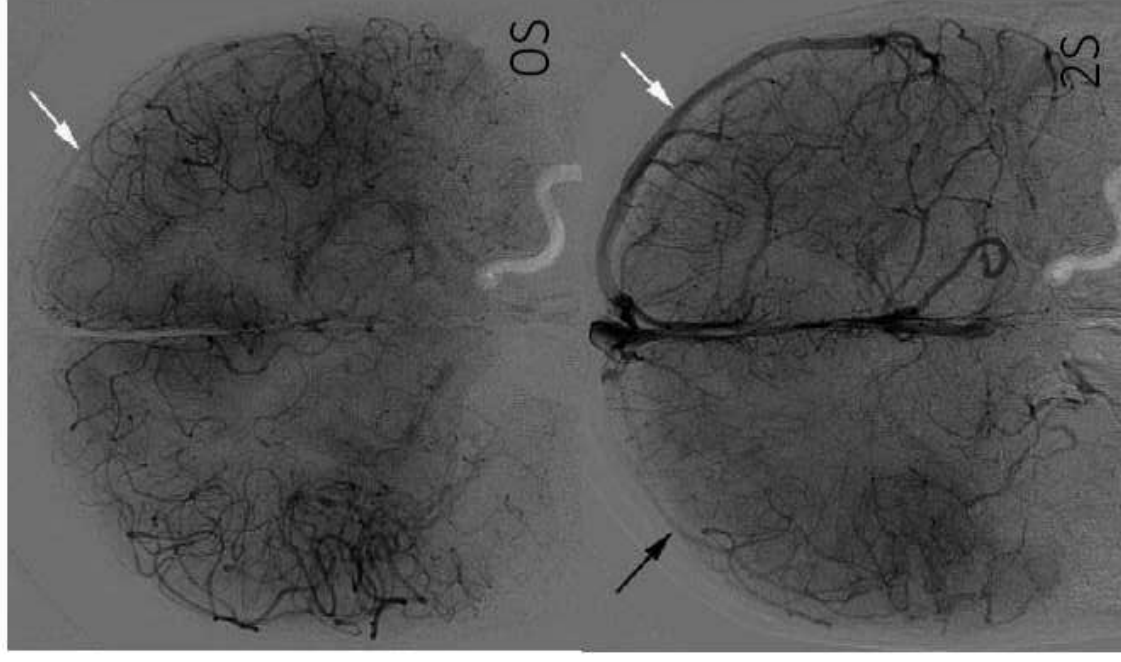
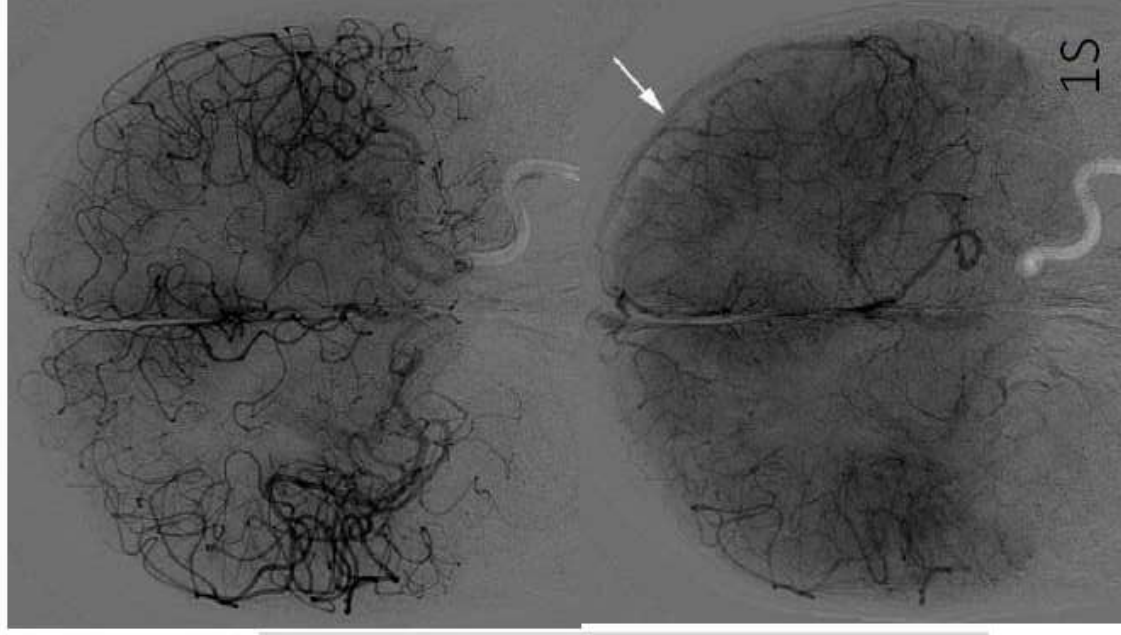


Attualmente sempre meno frequente ma comunque molto efficace



# Sacrificio del vaso parente

## Test di occlusione



Venous opacification symmetry in the tested and control vascular territories was a reliable predictor of a subject's ability to tolerate carotid occlusion. Carotid sacrifice was found to be possible when the delay was  $<3$  sec.

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Come **sacca**  
da riempire

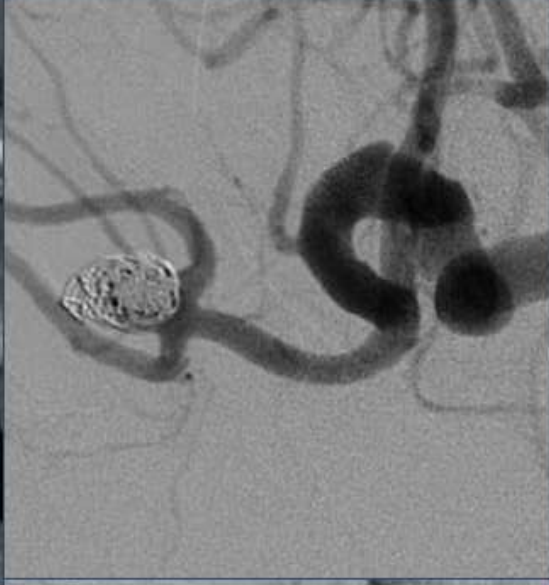
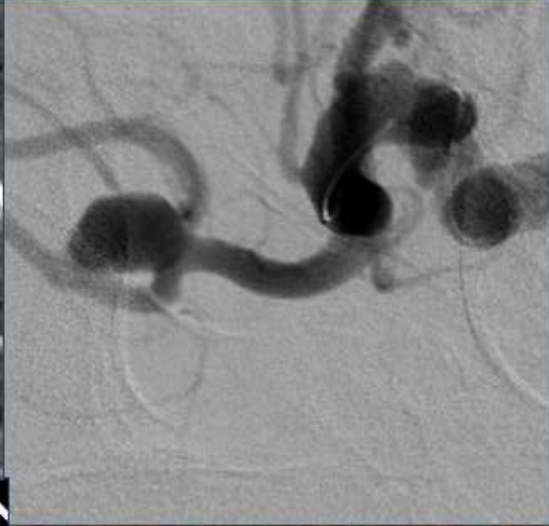
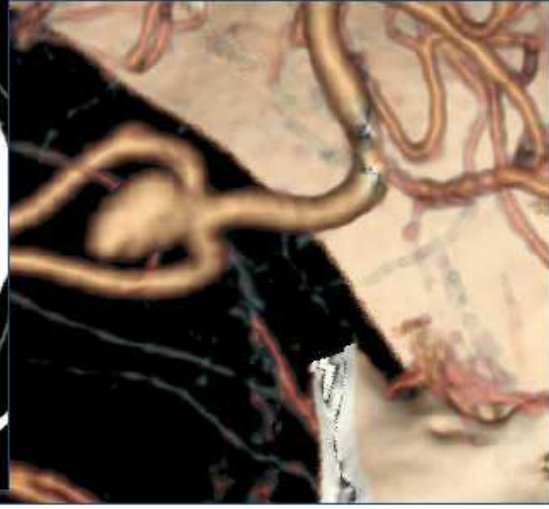
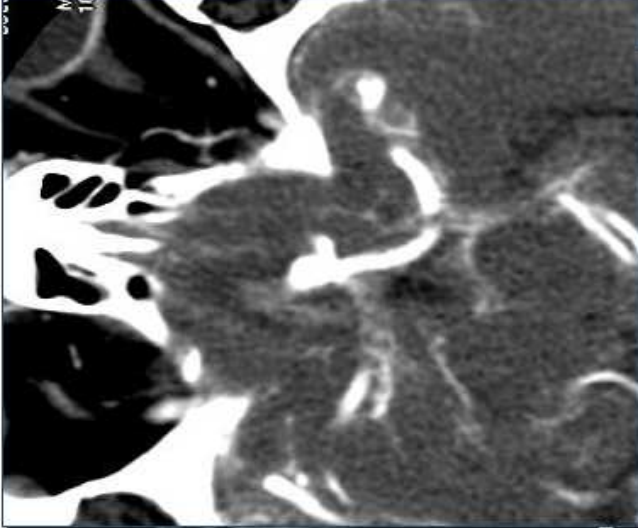
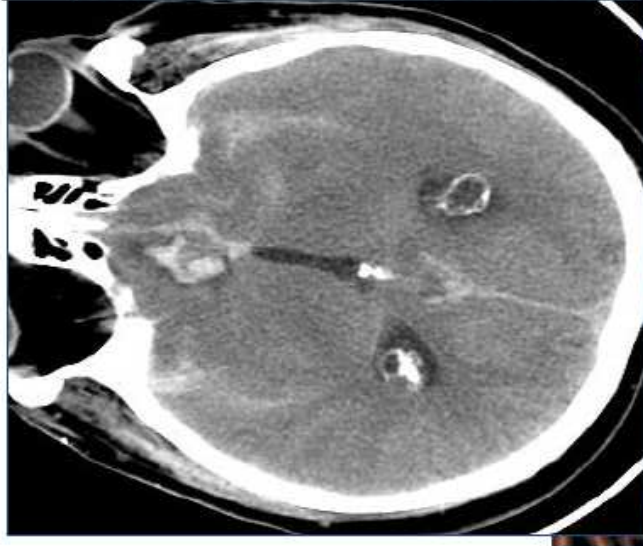
- Coiling
- Remodelling
- Stent + coils
- WEB

Spazio  
interno da  
riempire

Come **parete**  
da curare

- Stent ricoperti
- Stent autoesp.
- Diversori di flusso

# Spirali distaccabili

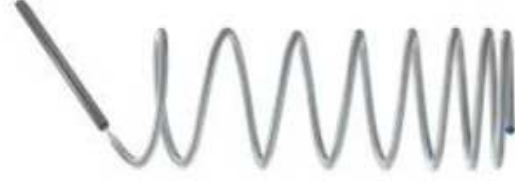


## Configurazione

- Helical 2D
- 3D spherical
- 3D omega
- 360°
- Delta

## Grado di morbidezza

- Standard
- Soft
- Ultra
- Supersoft



helical



spherical



omega

impalcatura

riempimento



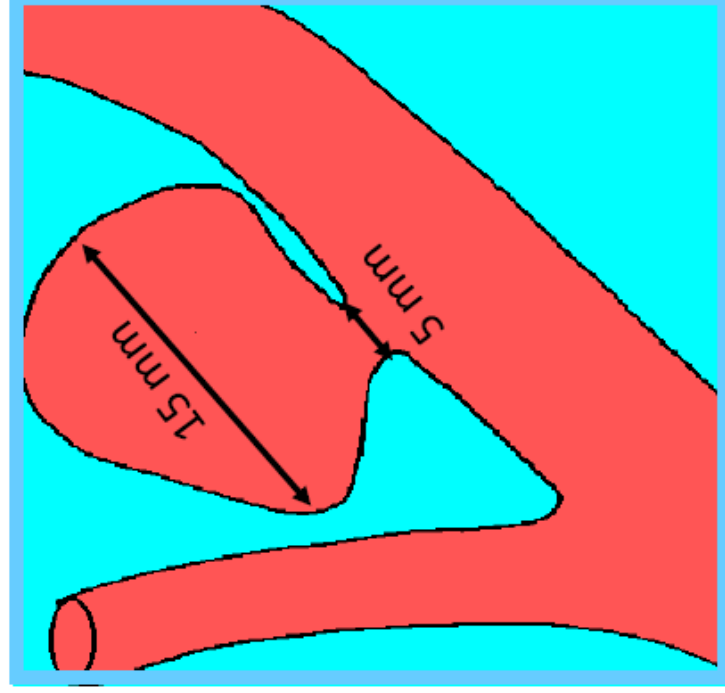
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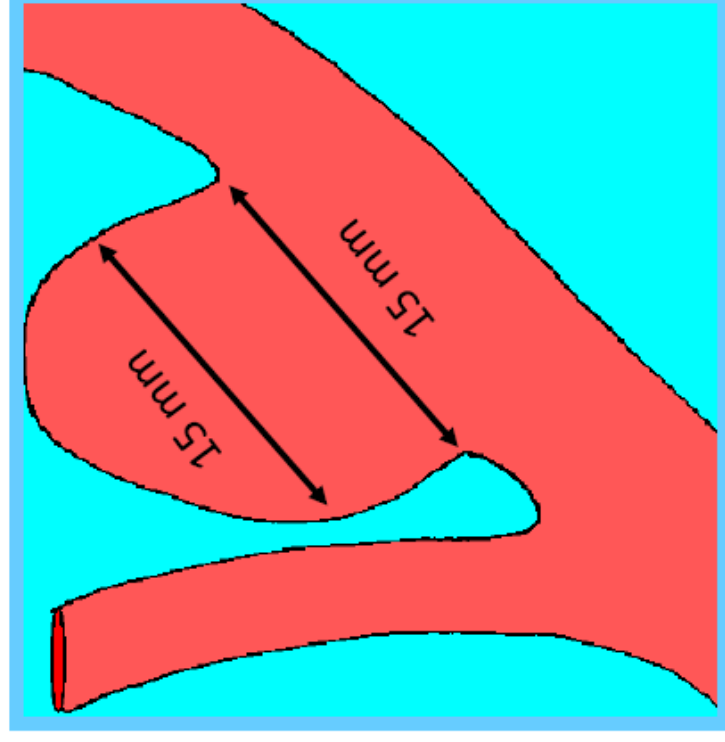
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# RAPPORTO SACCA – COLLETTA (dome to neck ratio)

rapporto 3



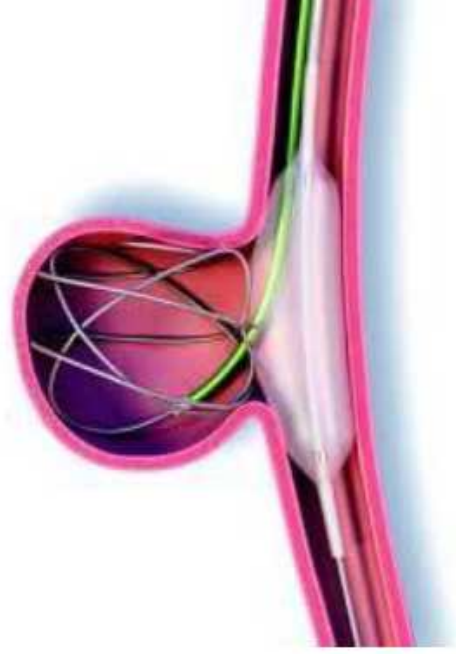
rapporto 1



Favorevole se  $> 1.6$

# Embolizzazione Assistita

Per il trattamento degli aneurismi a colletto largo in cui, con il trattamento standard, le spirali rischiano di migrare fuori dalla sacca o in cui non è possibile ottenere un adeguato grado di occlusione e di compattamento della matassa, si sono affermati dei sistemi di assistenza al coiling:

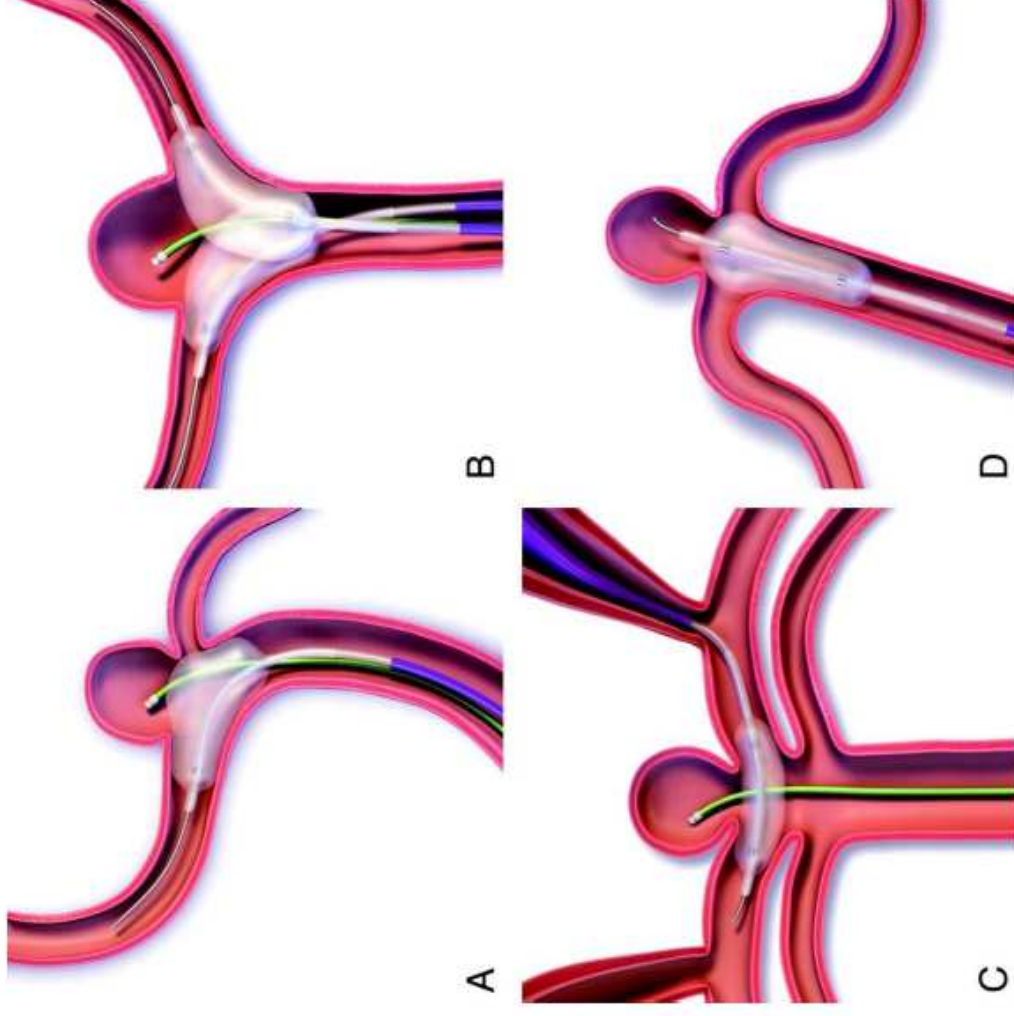


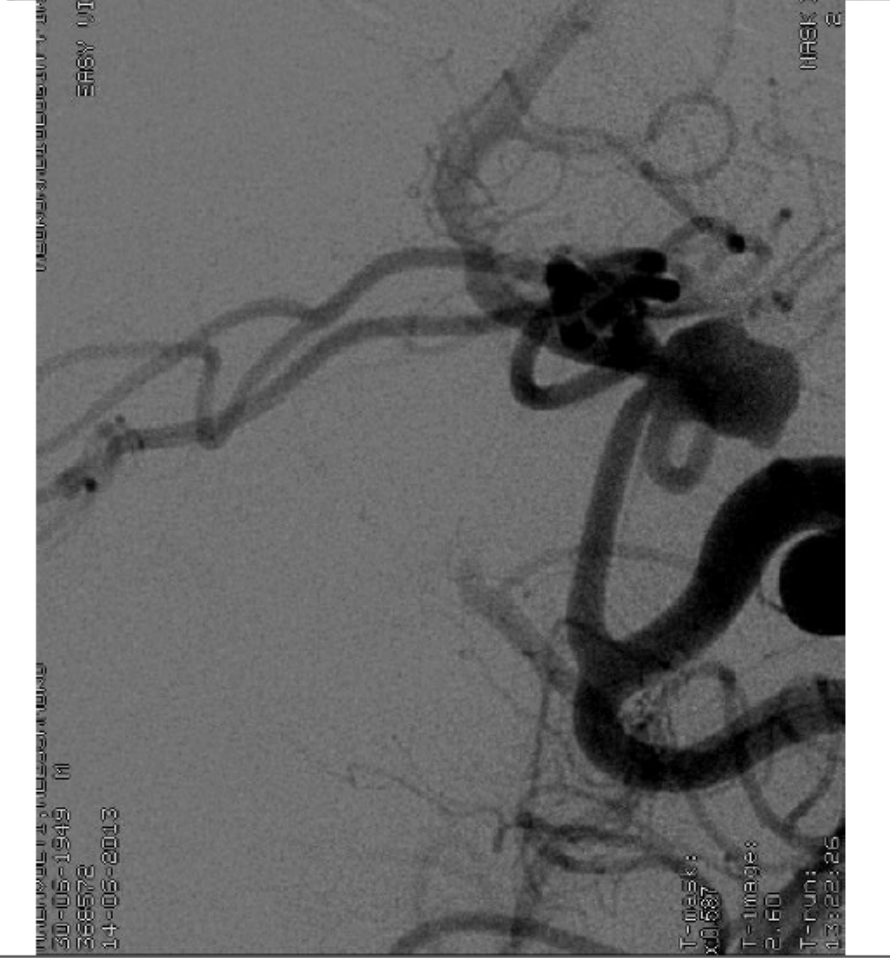
Balloon-assisted coiling



Stent-assisted coiling

# Balloon-assisted Coiling Technique “Creative”





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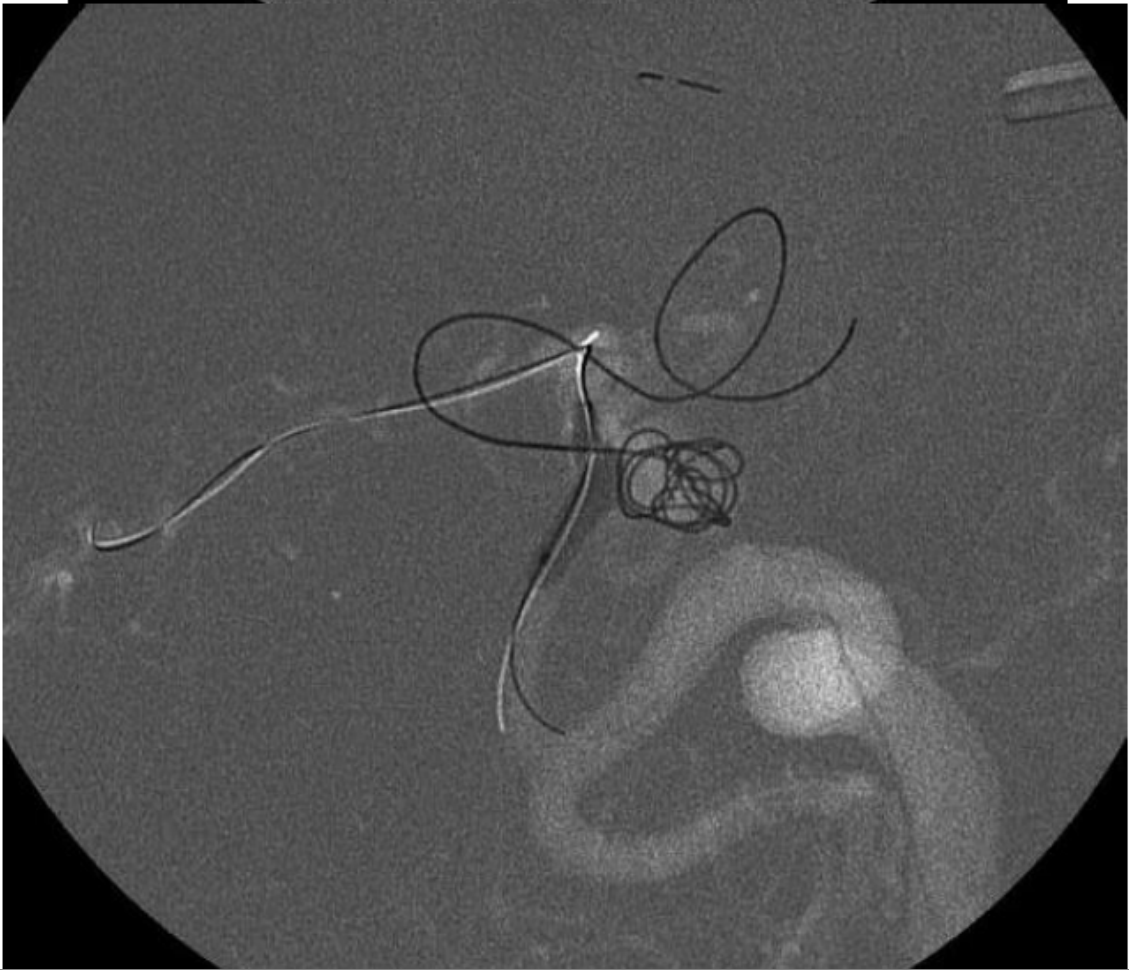
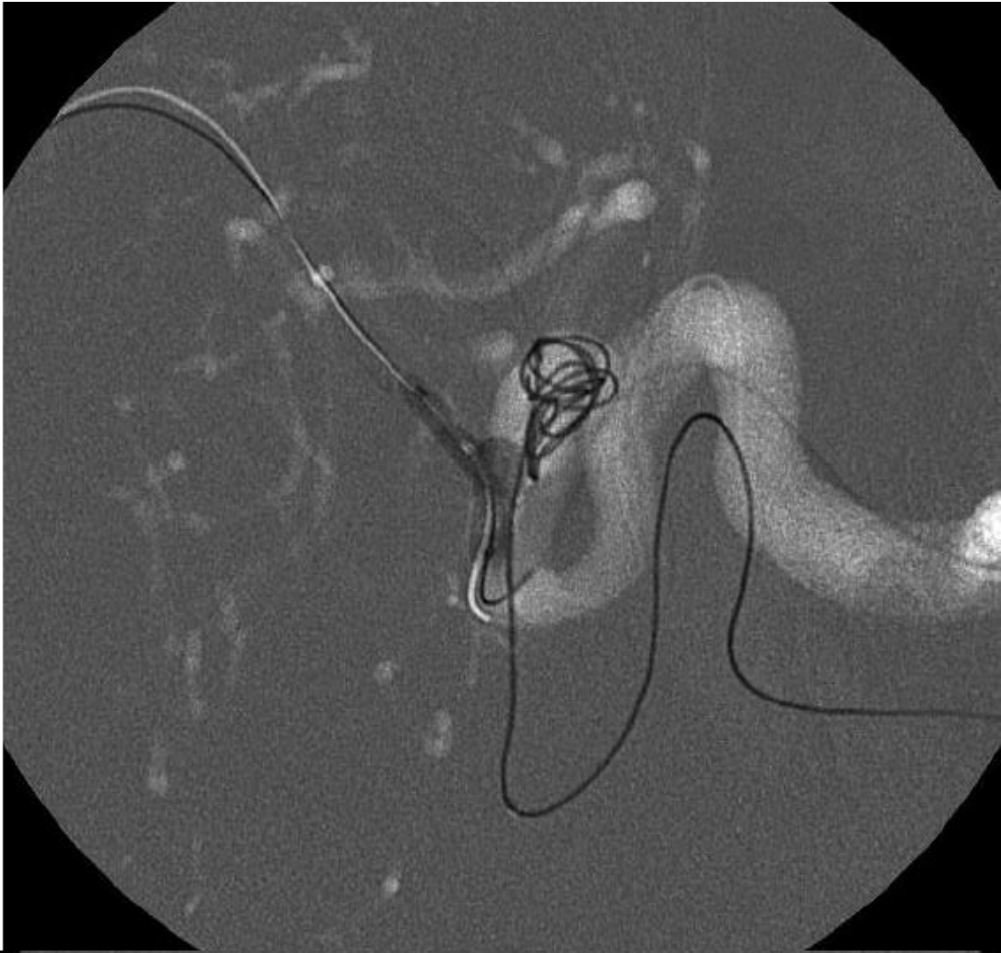
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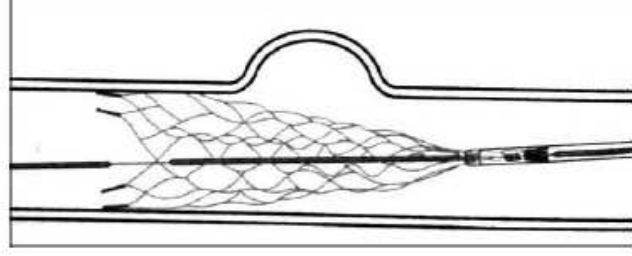
Rilasciando lo stent a copertura del colletto prima del rilascio delle spirali se ne previene la migrazione nel vaso parente e si favorisce la riparazione endoteliale

## Stent

su pallone

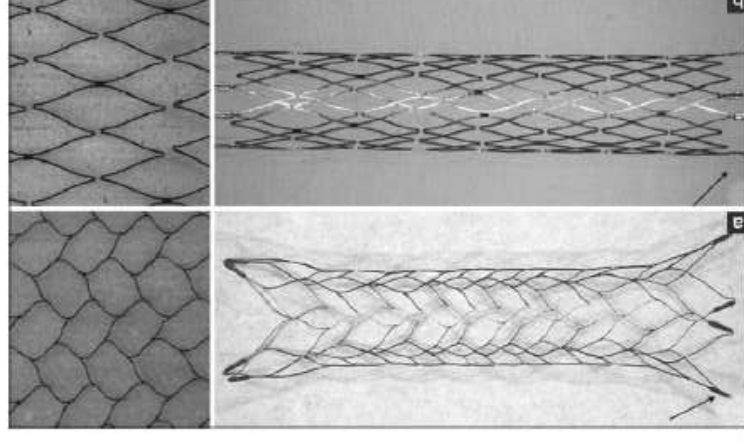


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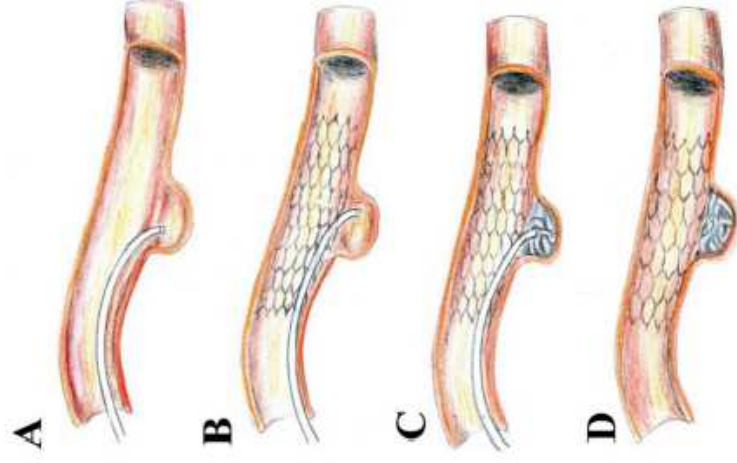


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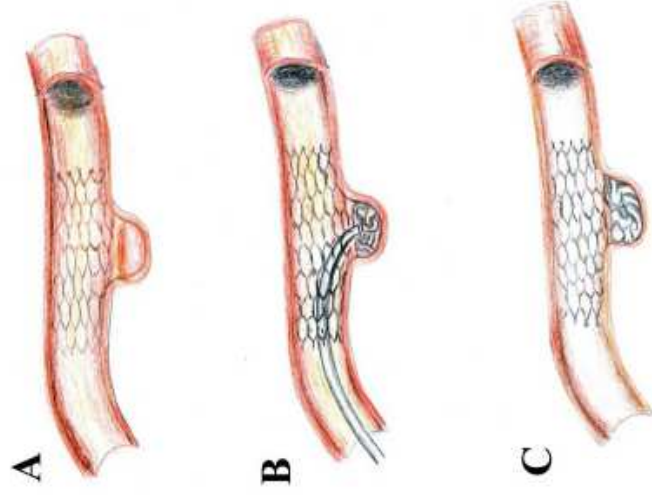
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# Stent-assisted Coiling



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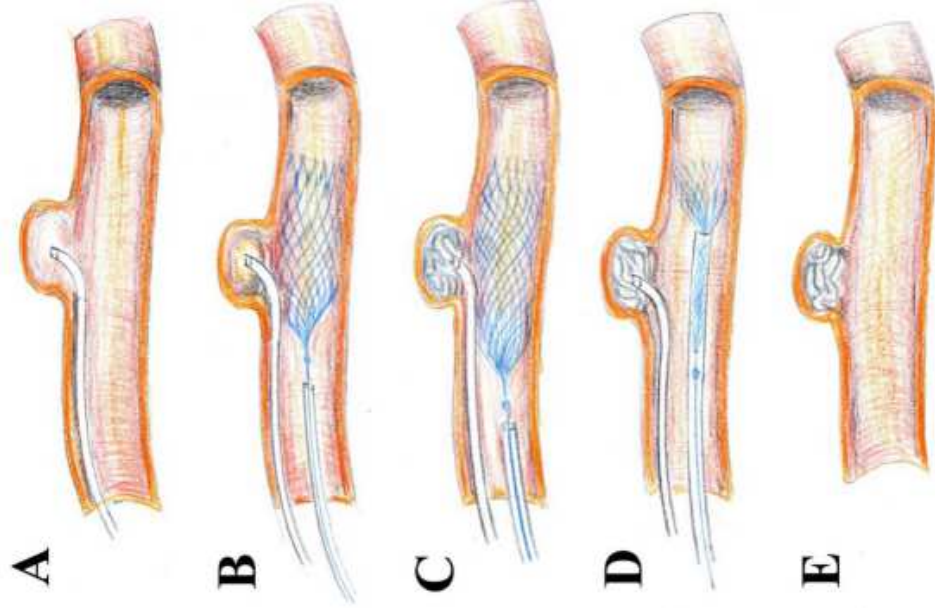


tecnica  
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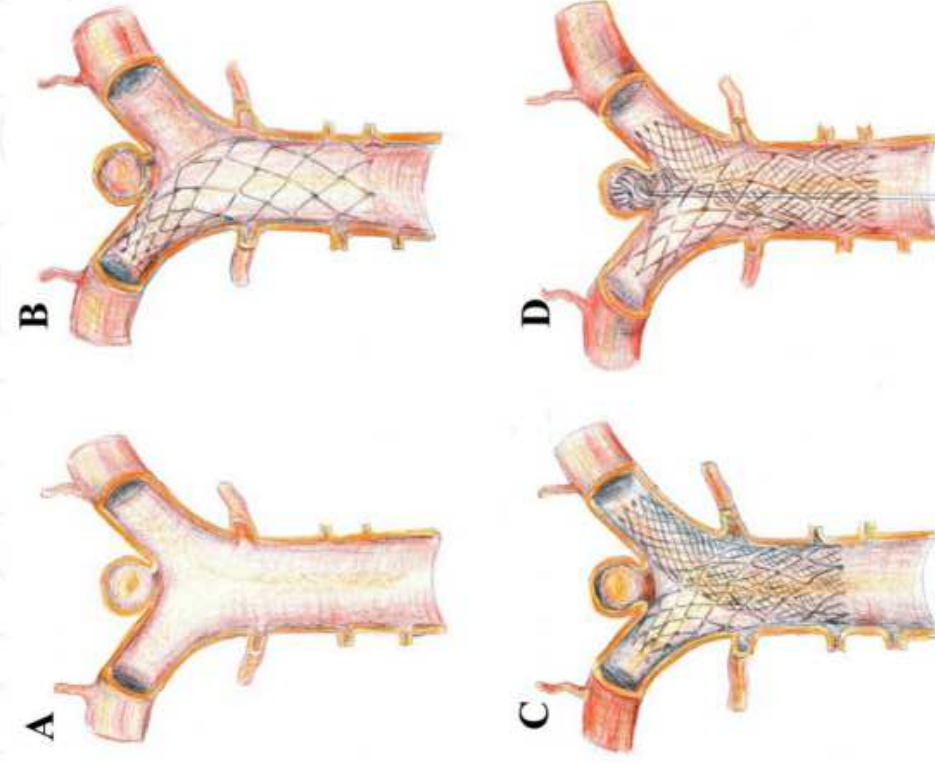
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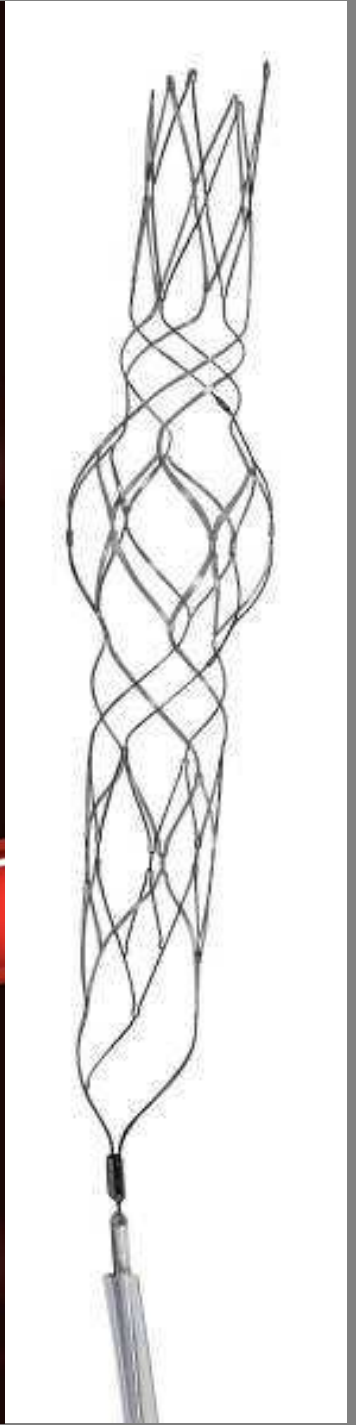
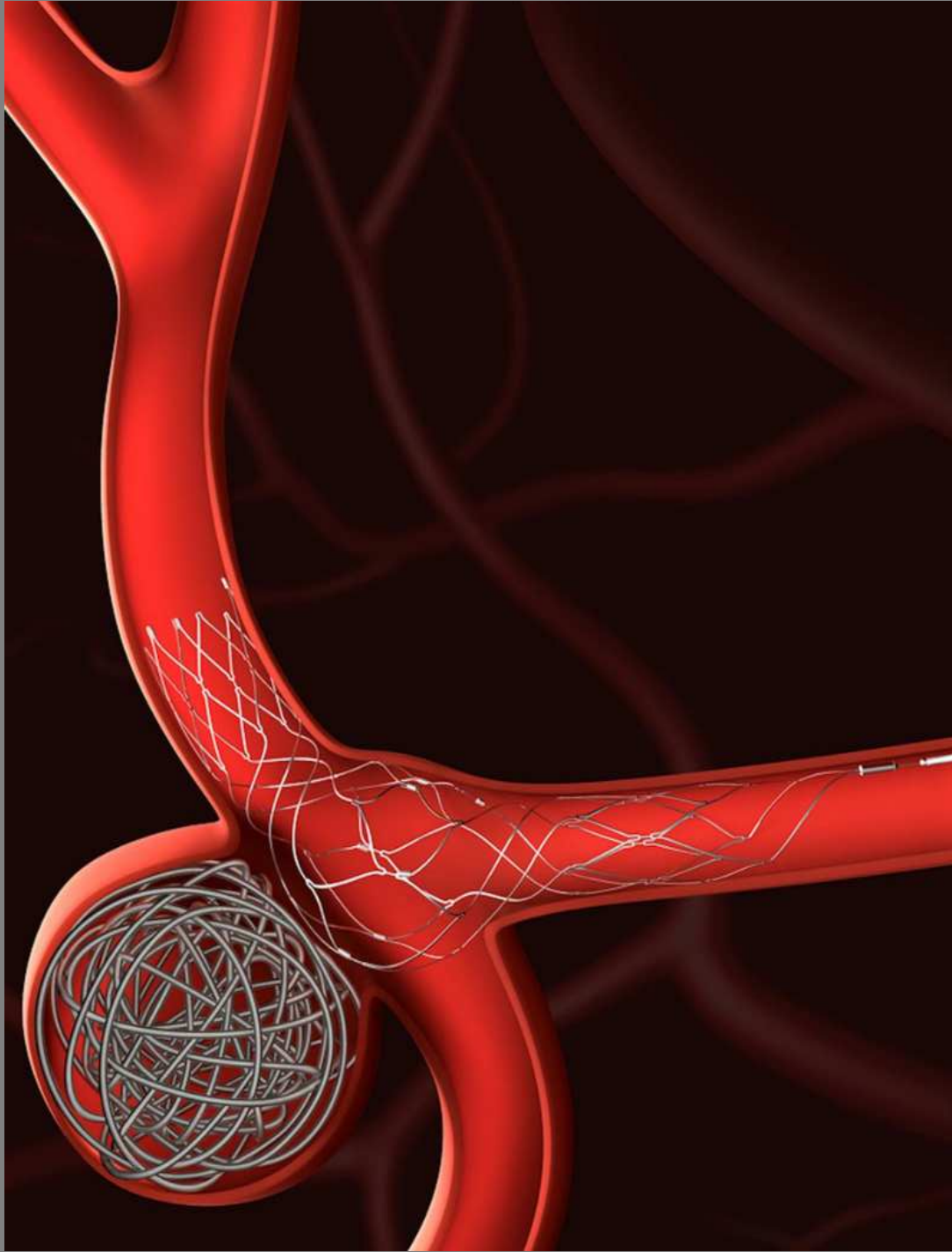
## Tecniche "Creative"

stenting temporaneo



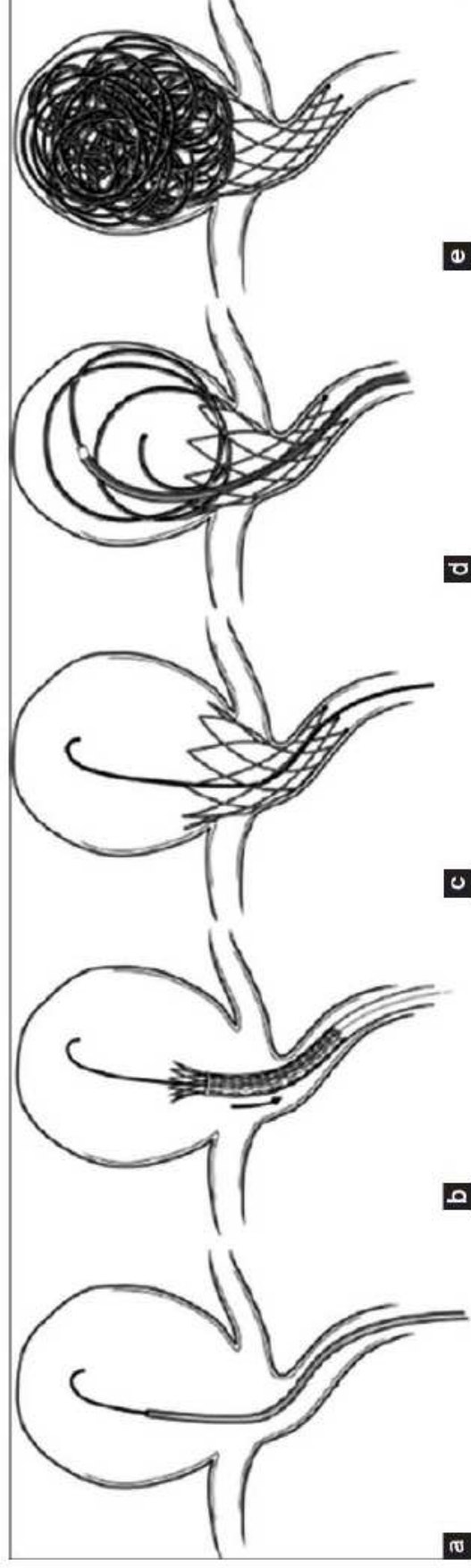
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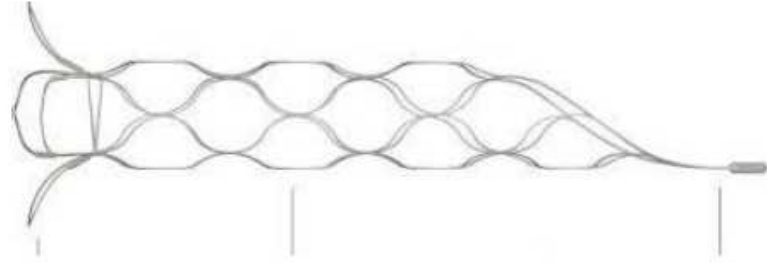
# Stent-assisted Coiling Tecniche “Creative”

Stenting a cono gelato  
(Waffle cone)



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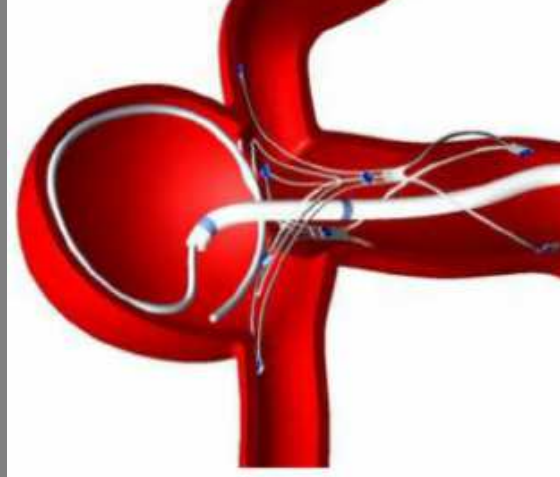


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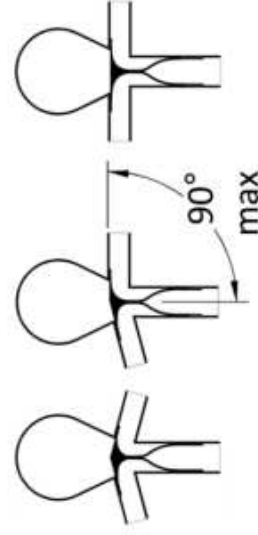
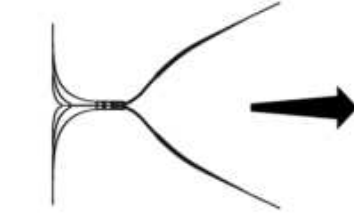




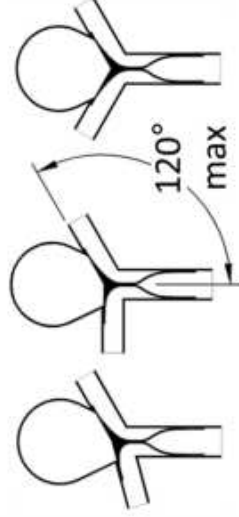
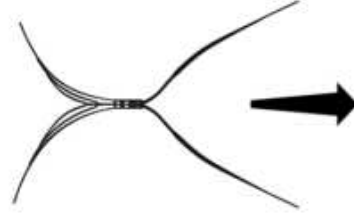
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Y PulseRider



Typical examples of anatomical variations appropriate for "T" shape PulseRider



Typical examples of anatomical variations appropriate for "Y" shape PulseRider

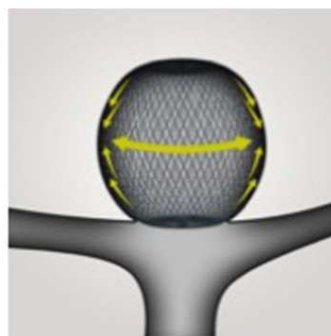
# DIVERSORI DI FLUSSO INTRASACCOLARI



WEB-SL  
(Single Layer)



WEB SLS  
(Single Layer Spherical)



Radial compression holds WEB in aneurysm sac while conforming to aneurysm wall and sealing the neck



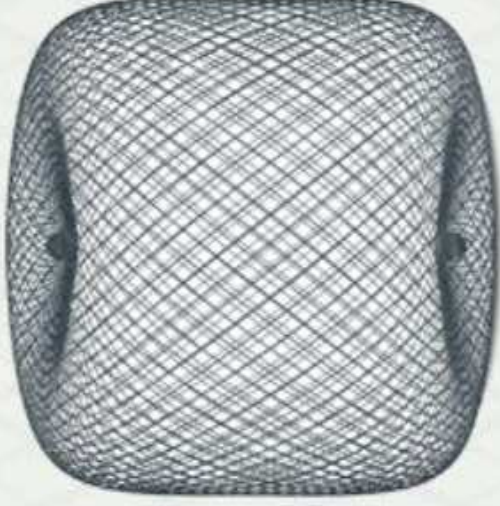


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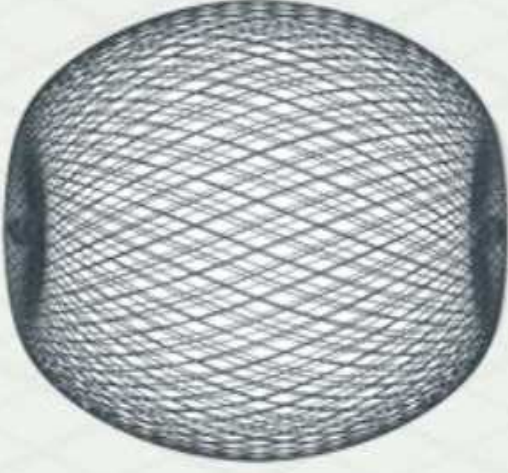
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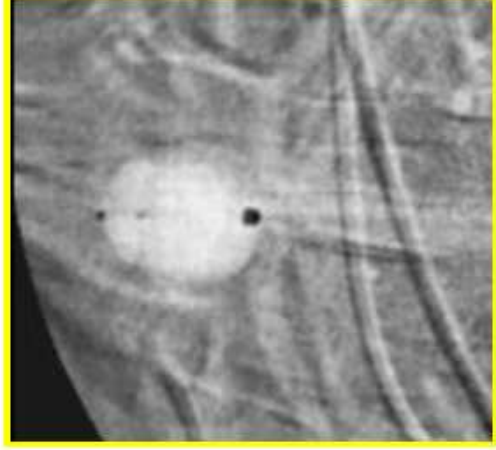
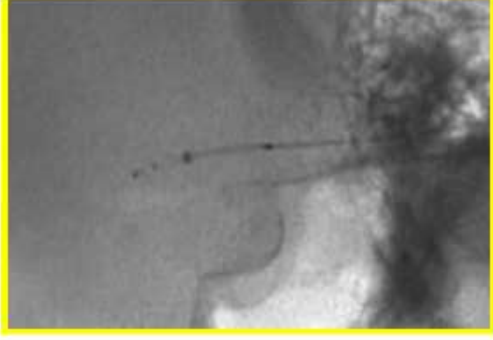
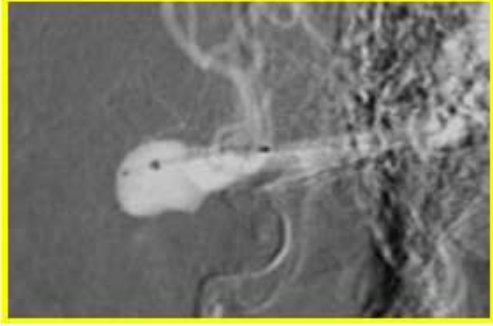
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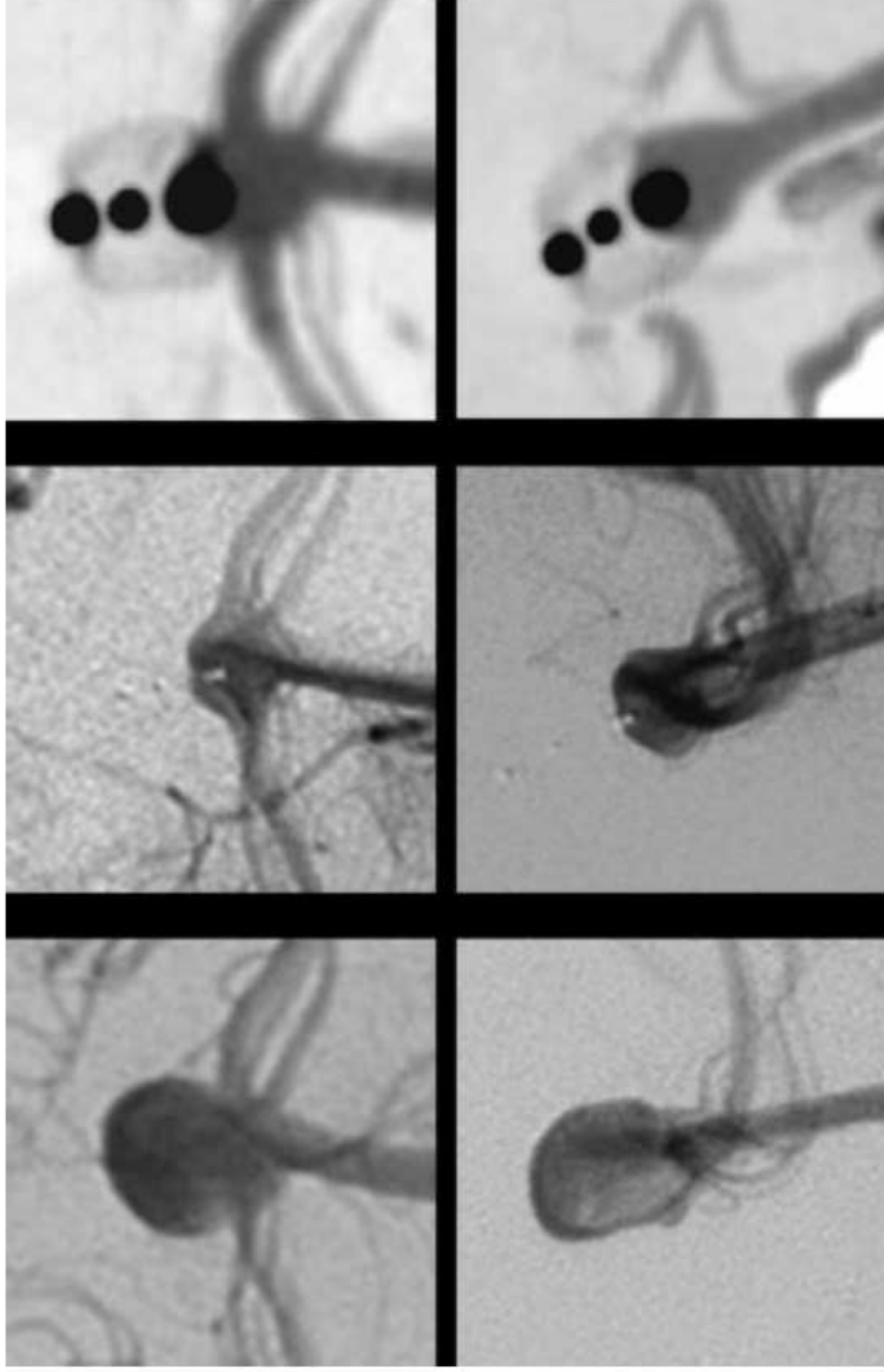
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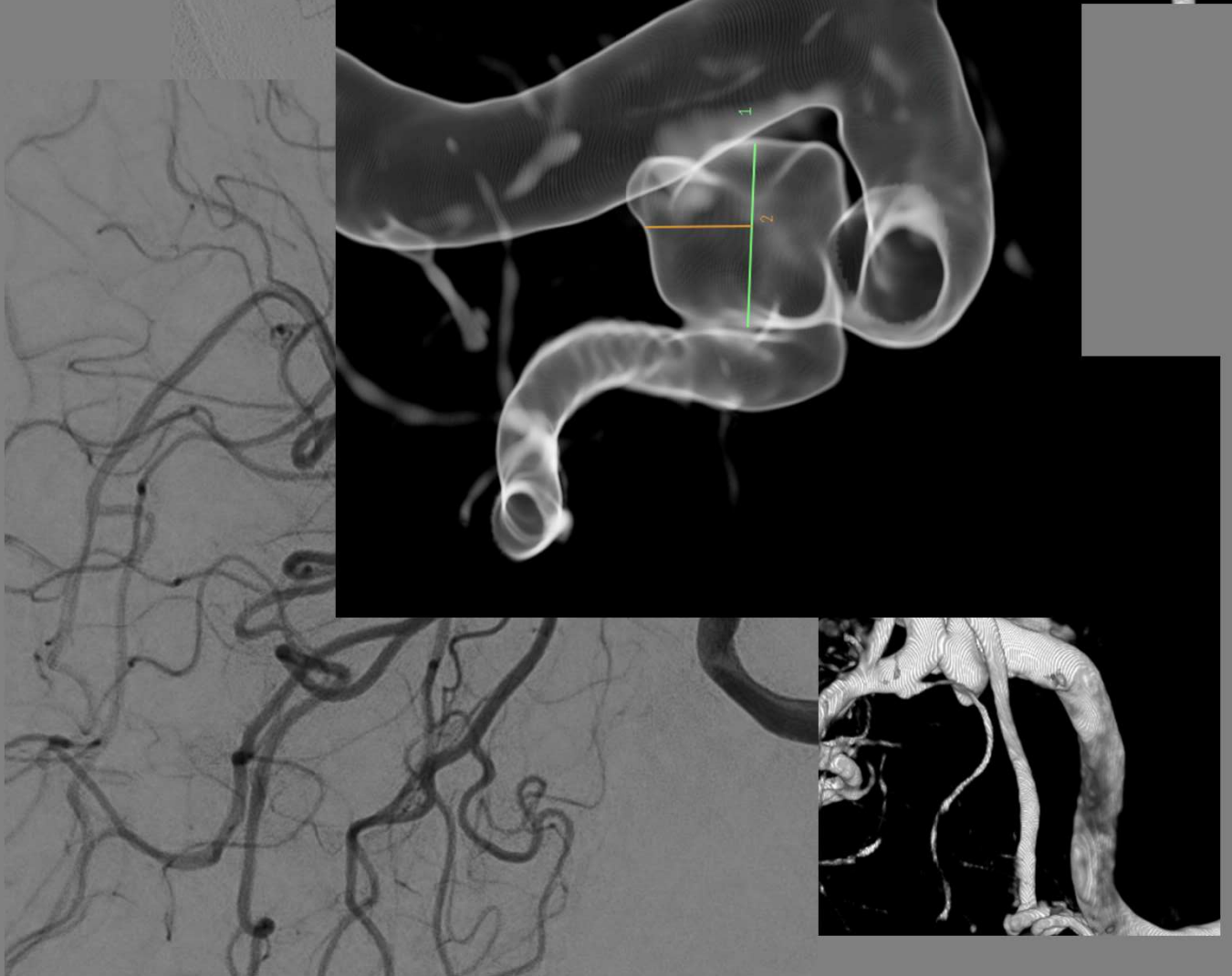
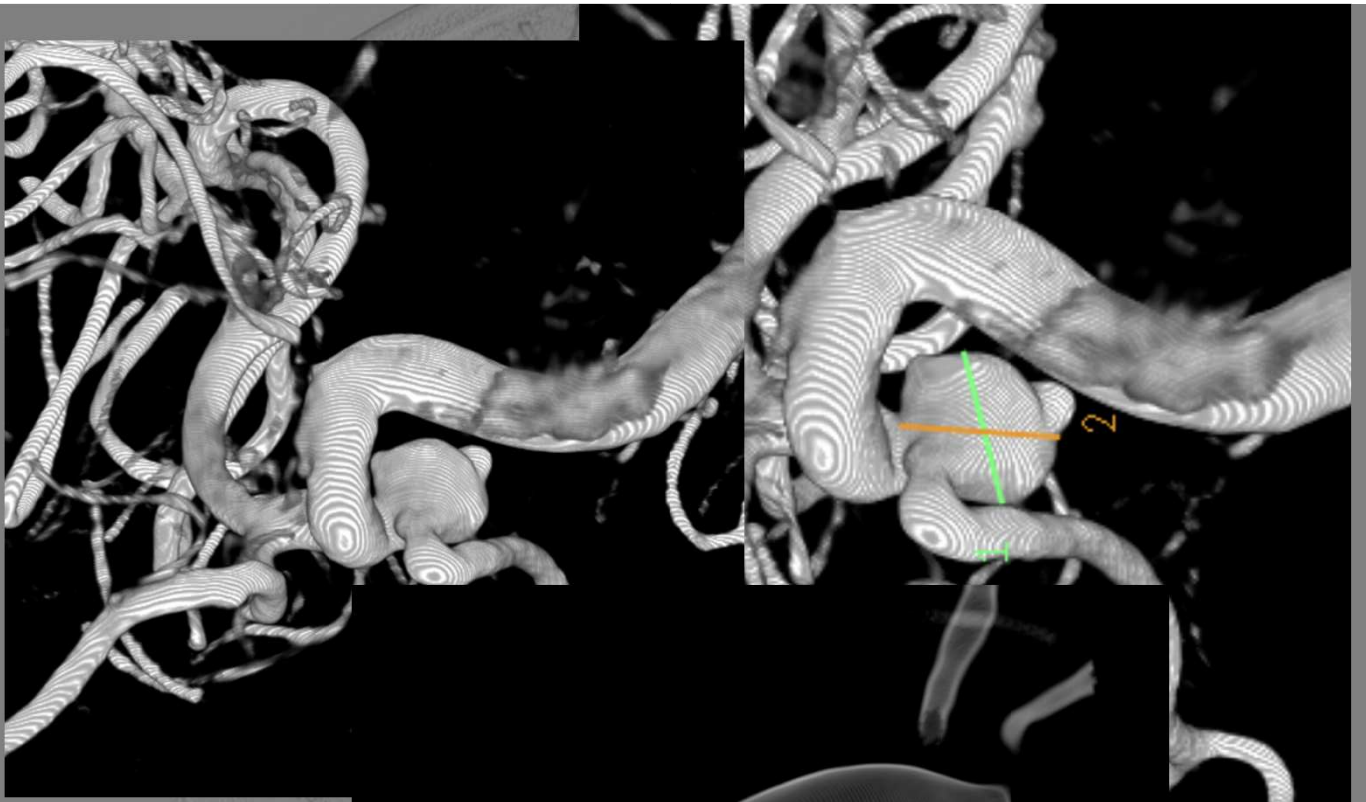
Aneurisma apice della basilare intatto  
Ø 10,5 x 9,6 x 9,5 mm

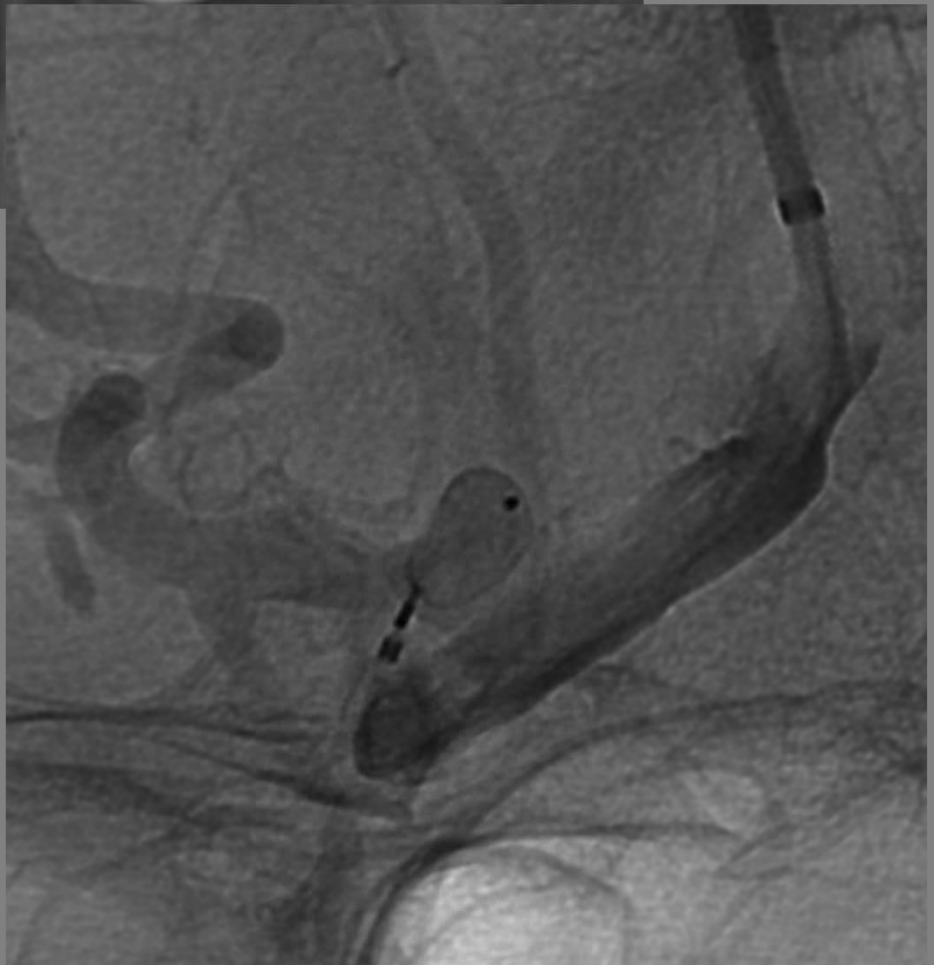
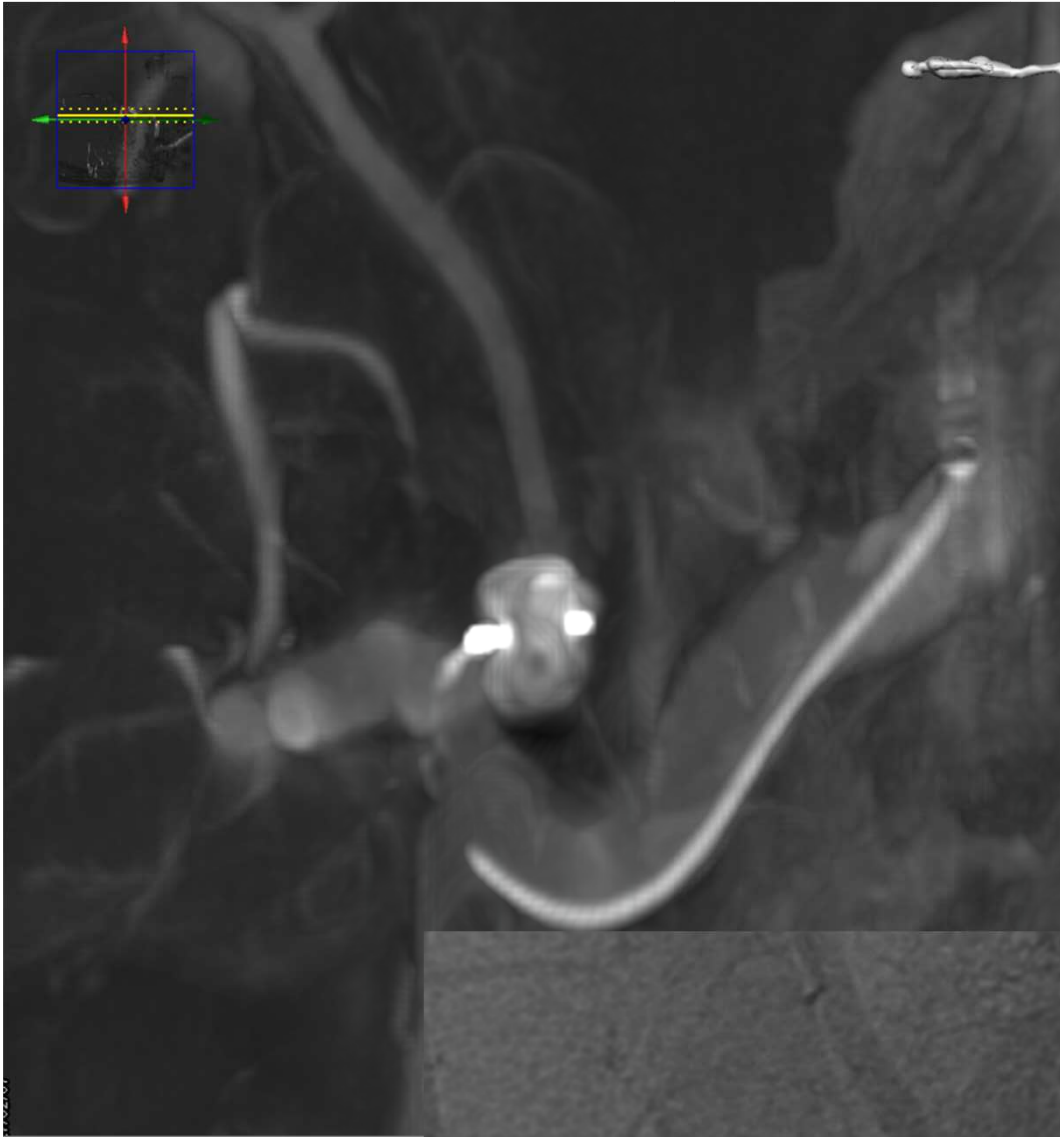


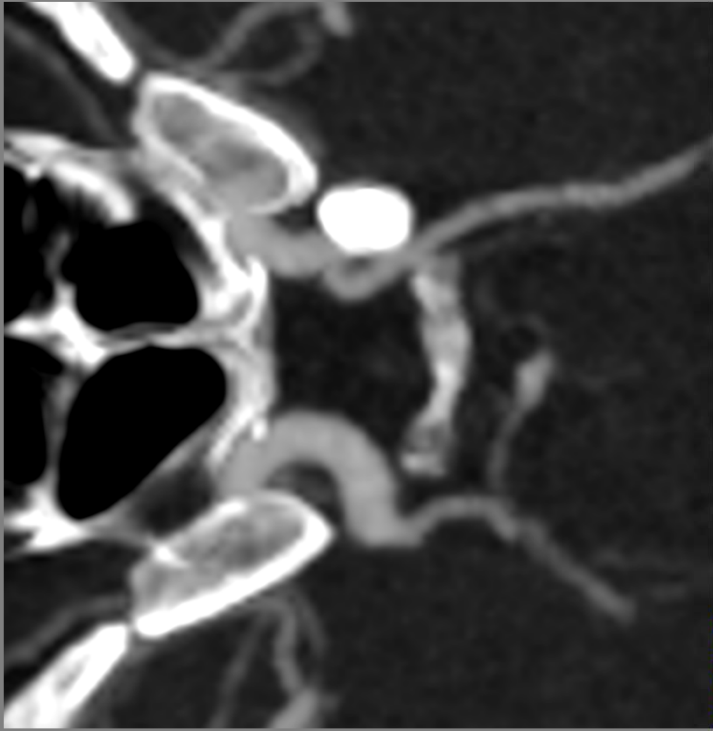
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dopo 1 anno







# Trattamento endovascolare degli aneurismi

## - differenti strategie -

Come **flusso**  
da modificare

- DB
- Coiling

Come **sacca**  
da riempire

- Coiling
- Remodelling
- Stent + coils
- WEB

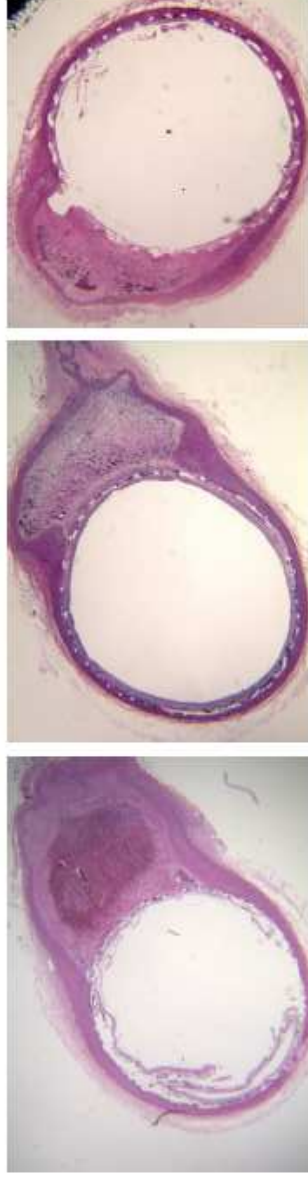
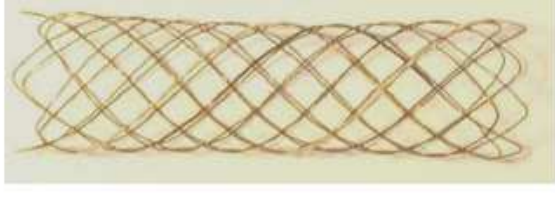
Come **parete**  
da curare

- Stent ricoperti
- Stent autoesp.
- Divertori di flusso

Chiusura  
della breccia  
di parete

# STENT INTRACRANICI per Diversione di Flusso

- Celle molto strette con conseguente bassa porosità
- Marcato rallentamento del flusso ematico all'interno dell'aneurisma e conseguente progressiva trombosi
- Endotelizzazione dello stent con riparazione della parete arteriosa
- Occlusione ritardata dell'aneurisma (3-12 mesi)

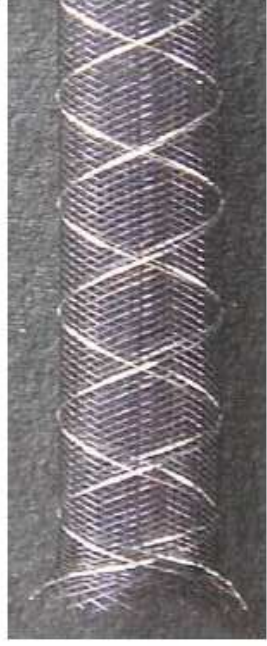


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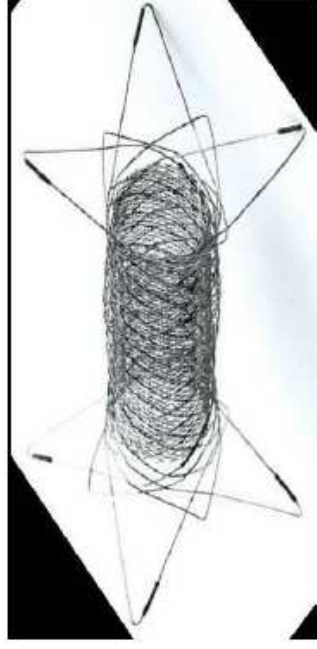
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# STENT INTRACRANICI per Diversione di Flusso



48 fili



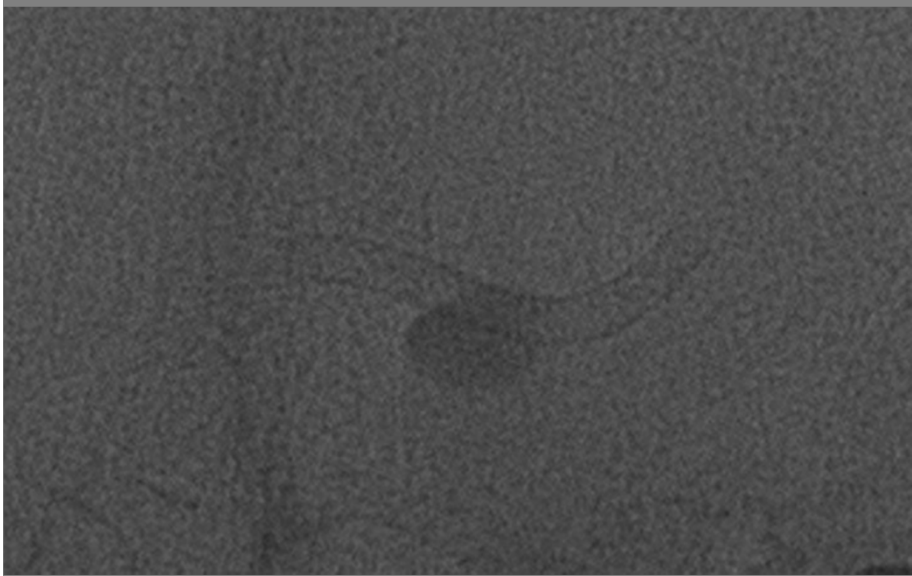
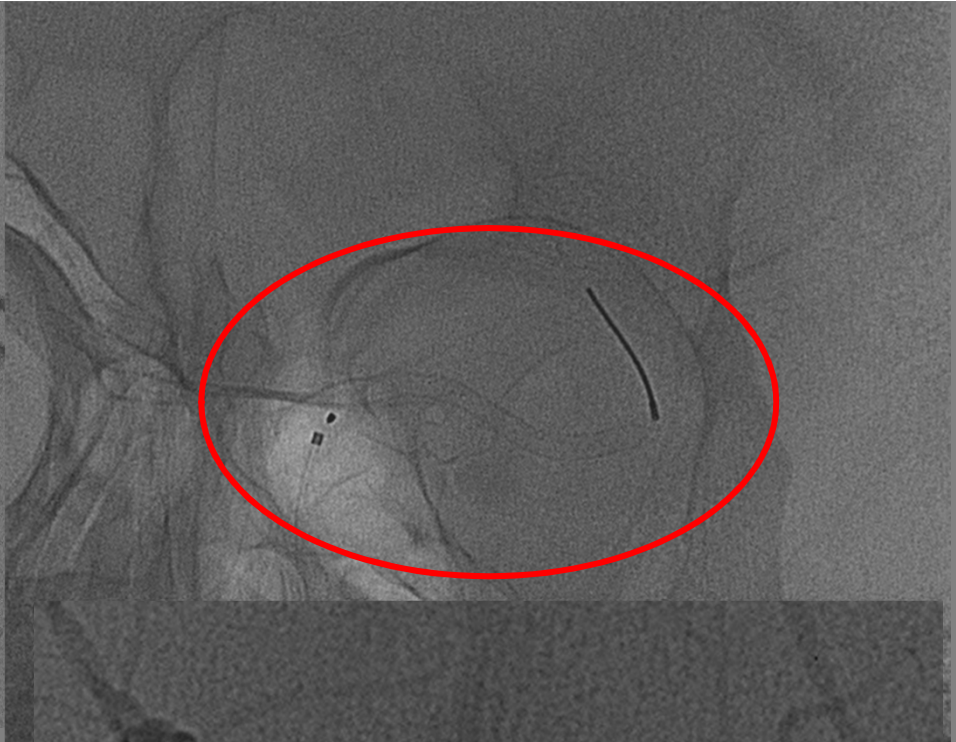
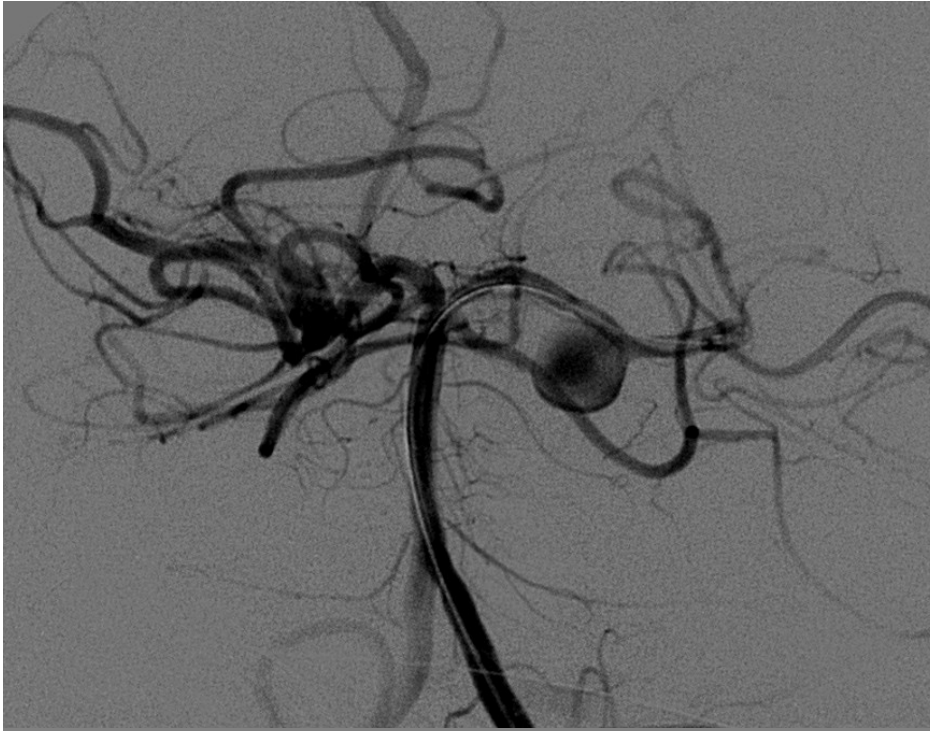
16 + 48 fili



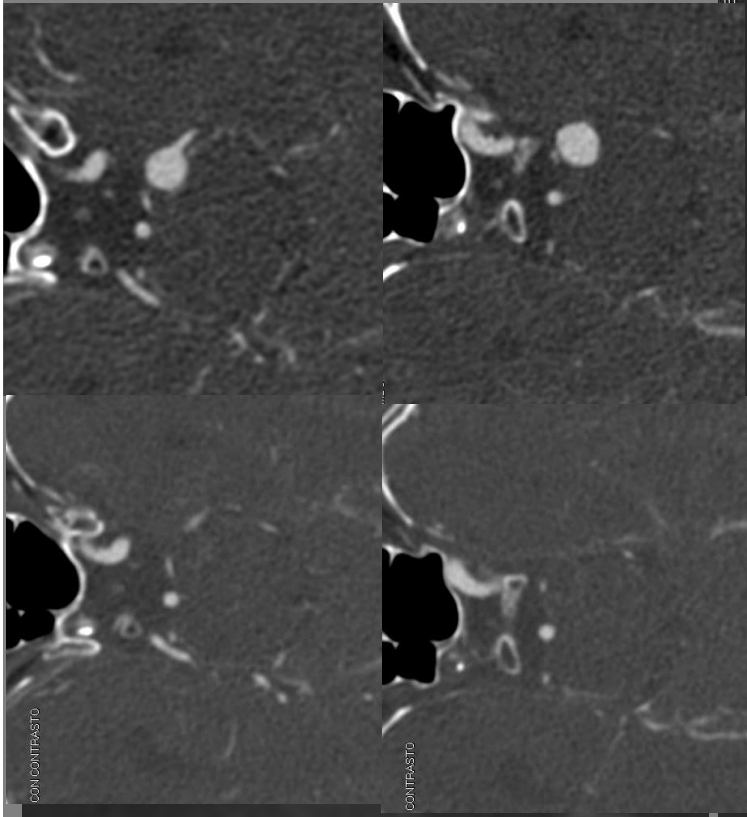
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96 fili



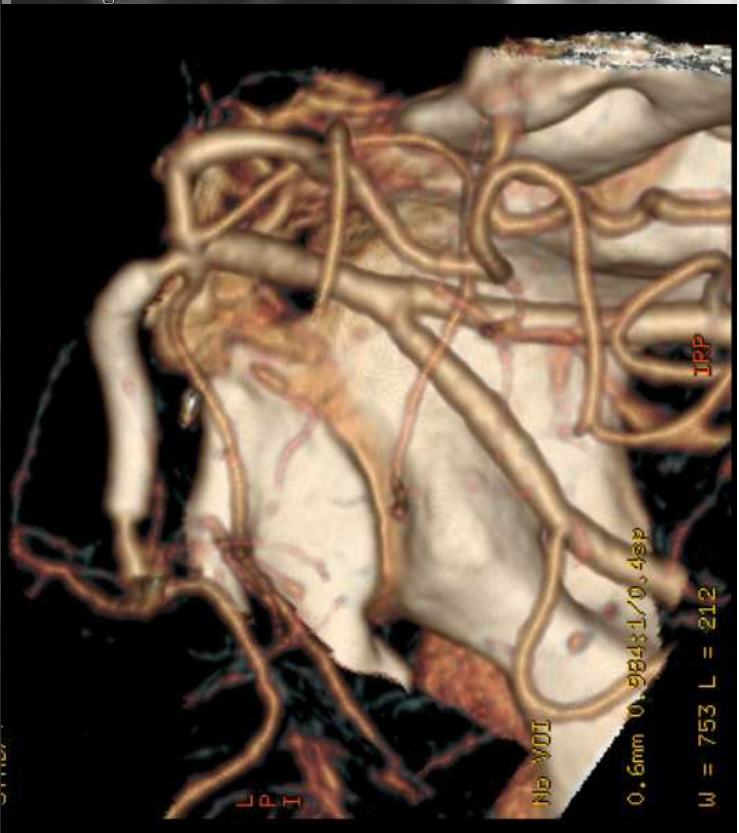
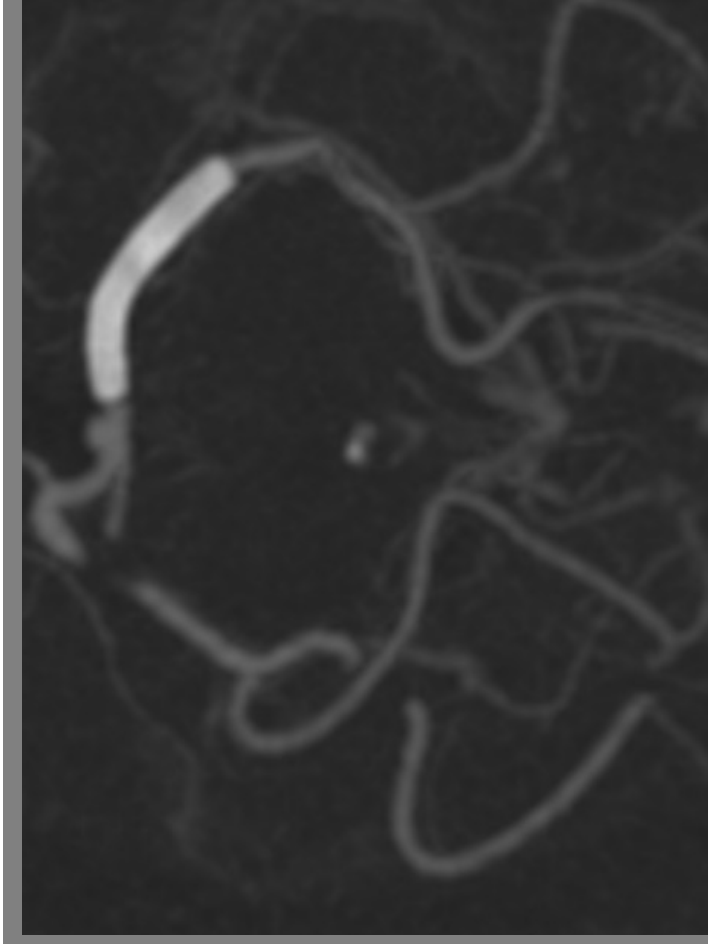
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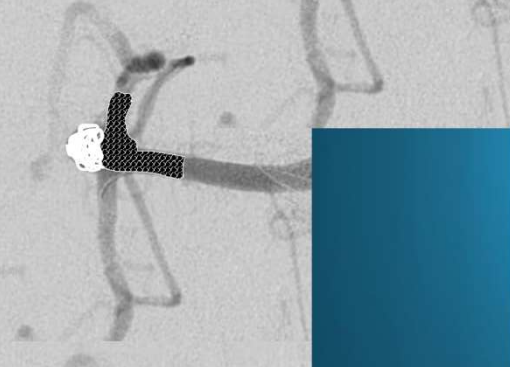
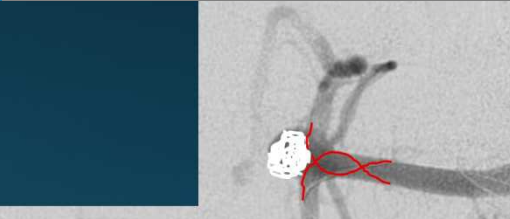
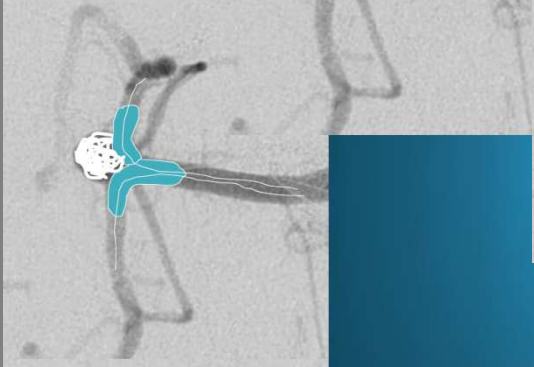
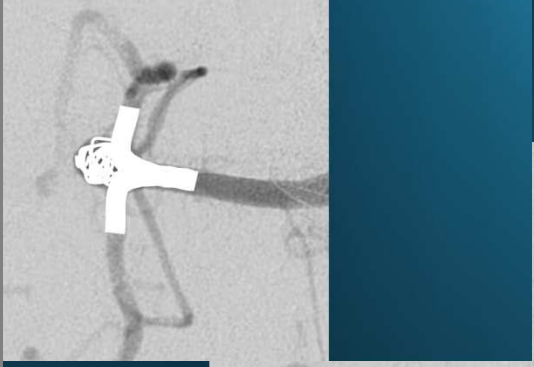
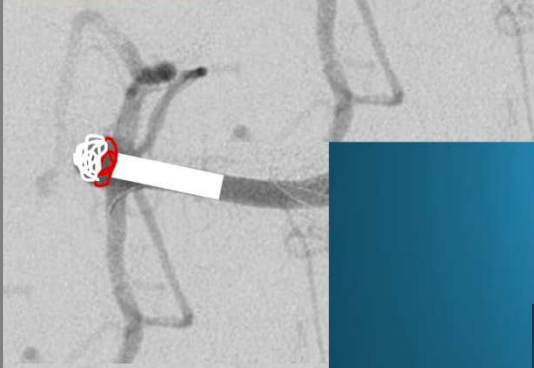
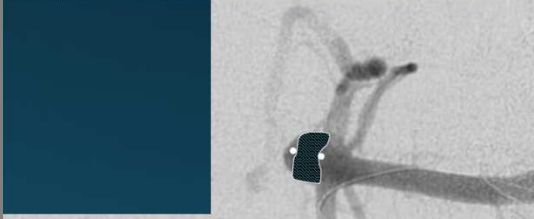


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SENZA E CON CONTRASTO







Grazie a voi per  
l'attenzione e.....  
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