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Falciform ligament tubular graft: A fast and easy alternative for possible venous reconstruction in advanced pancreatic surgery



Injerto tubular con ligamento falciforme: una alternativa fácil y rápida para una posible reconstrucción venosa en cirugía pancreática avanzada

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A 58-year-old patient presented with a tumor in the body of the pancreas measuring 28×22 mm in diameter, with involvement of the portal vein, thrombosis of the splenic vein, and collaterals at the mesenteric-portal axis. Excision of the neoplasm required total pancreatectomy, which included a venous segment. For reconstruction, we created a tubular segment that was 25 mm long $\times$ 15 mm in diameter using the falciform ligament as autologous tissue, which was obtained and prepared at the start of the intervention and modeled using a 5 mL syringe as a reference.

Appendix A. Supplementary data

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