

Iliac CTO

Technical Lessons

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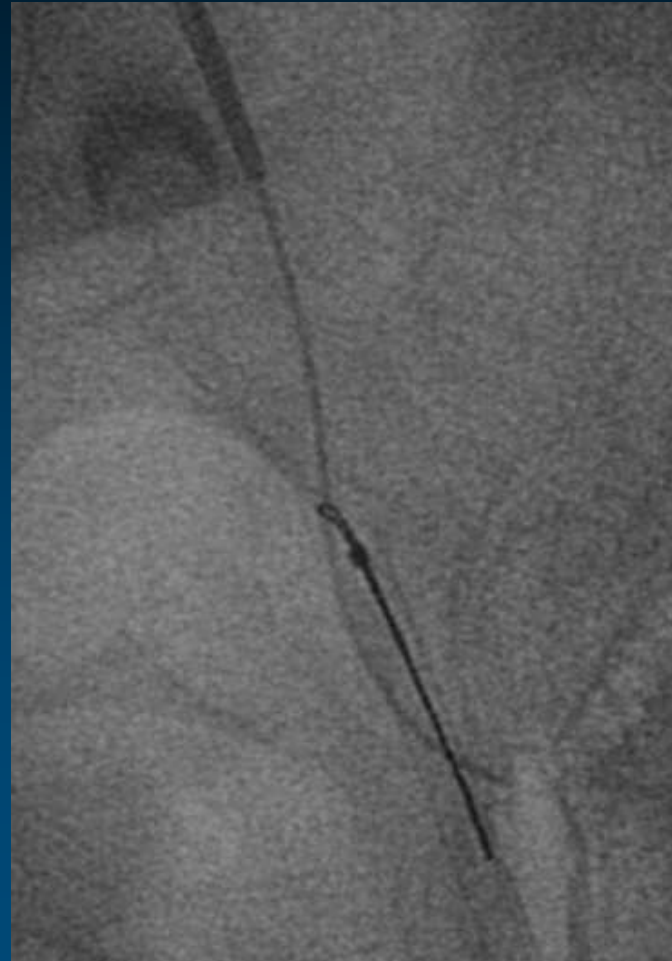
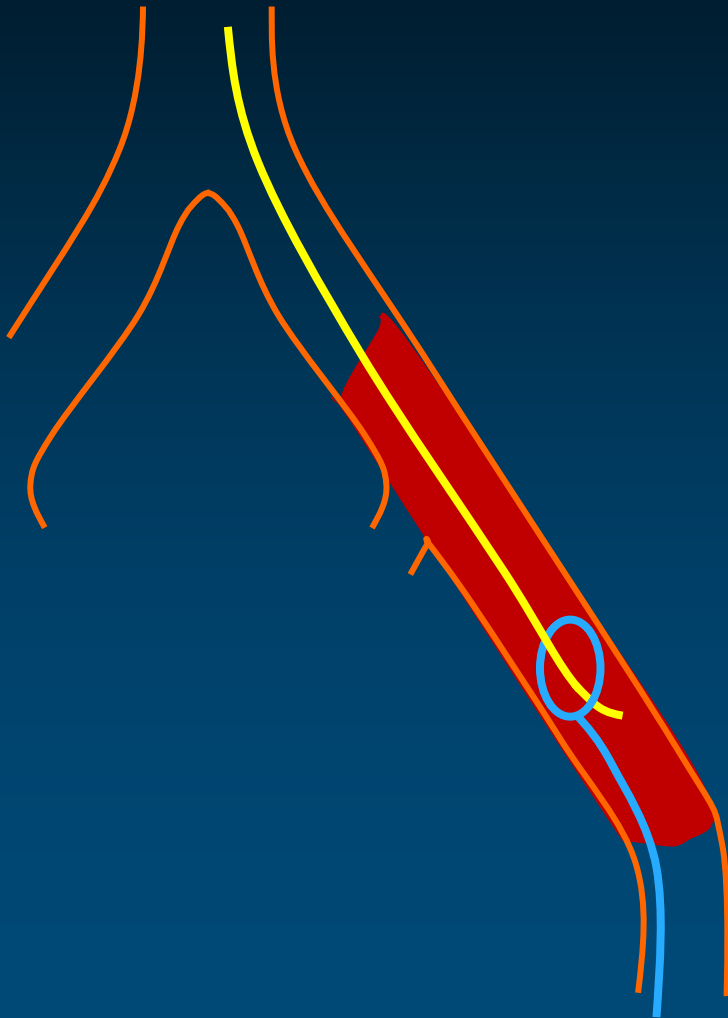


Vascular Disease
Foundation

Iliac CTO

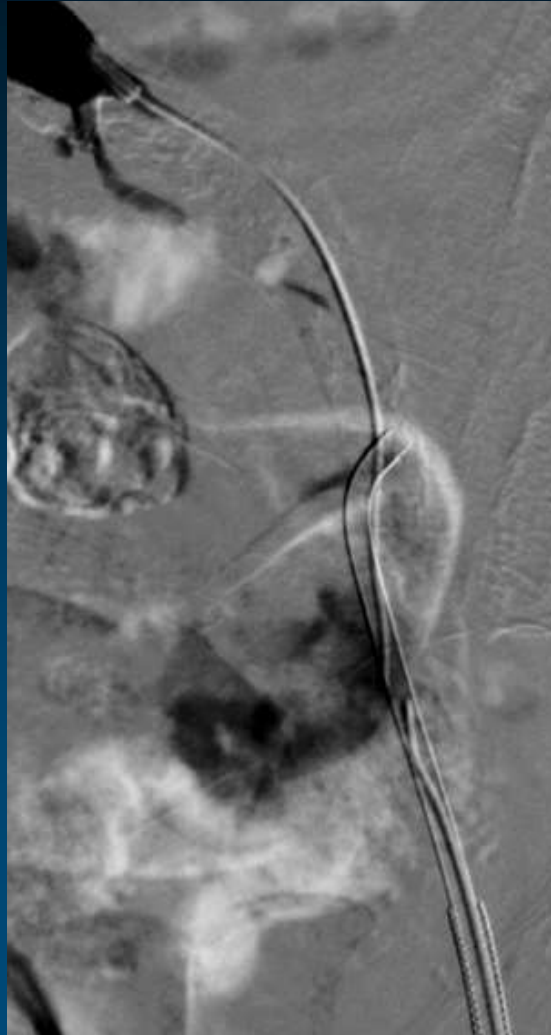
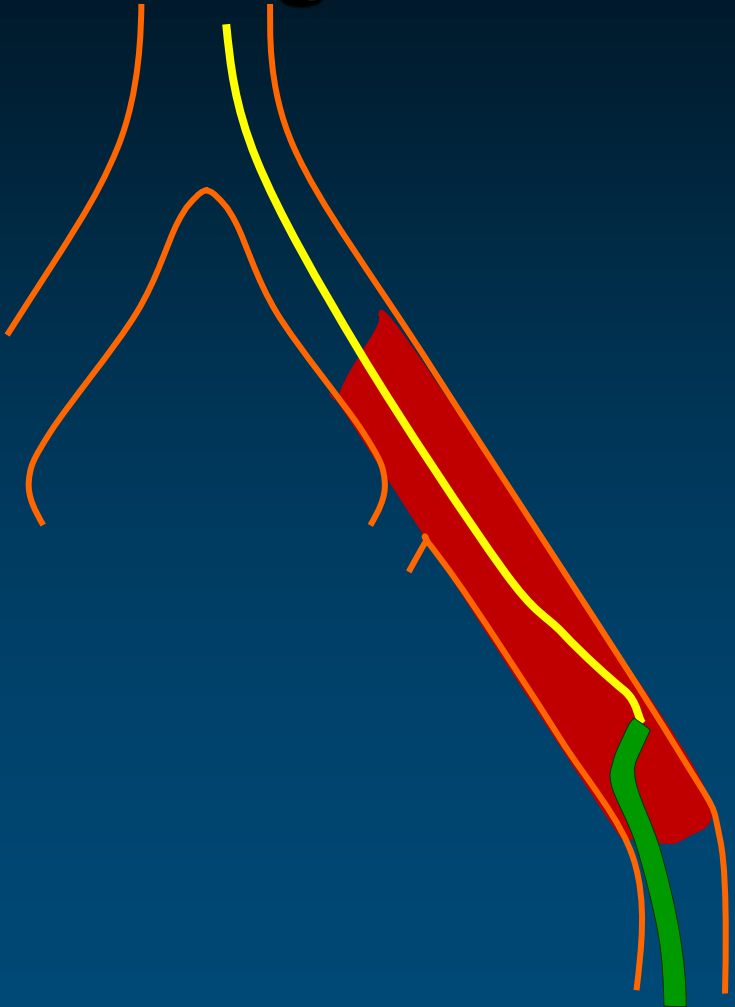
Communication

Iliac CTO Communication *Snaring*



Iliac CTO Communication

Wiring to contralateral guiding / sheath



Iliac CTO Communication

Outback reentry to contra balloon



Courtesy from A. Schmidt

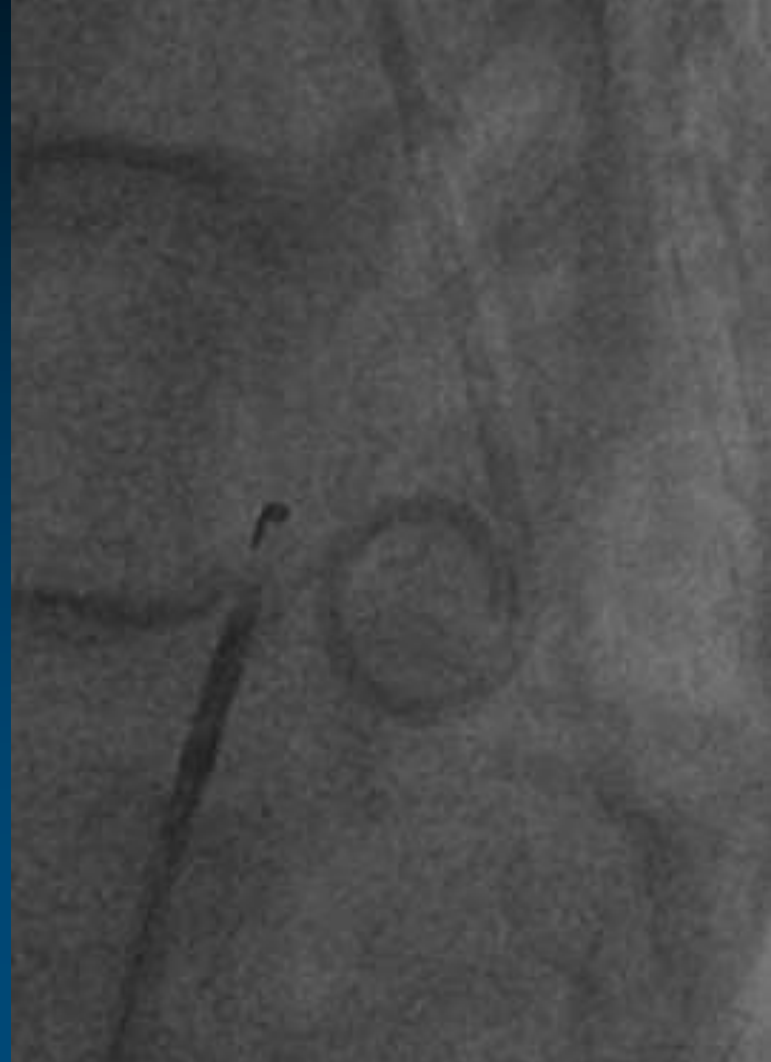
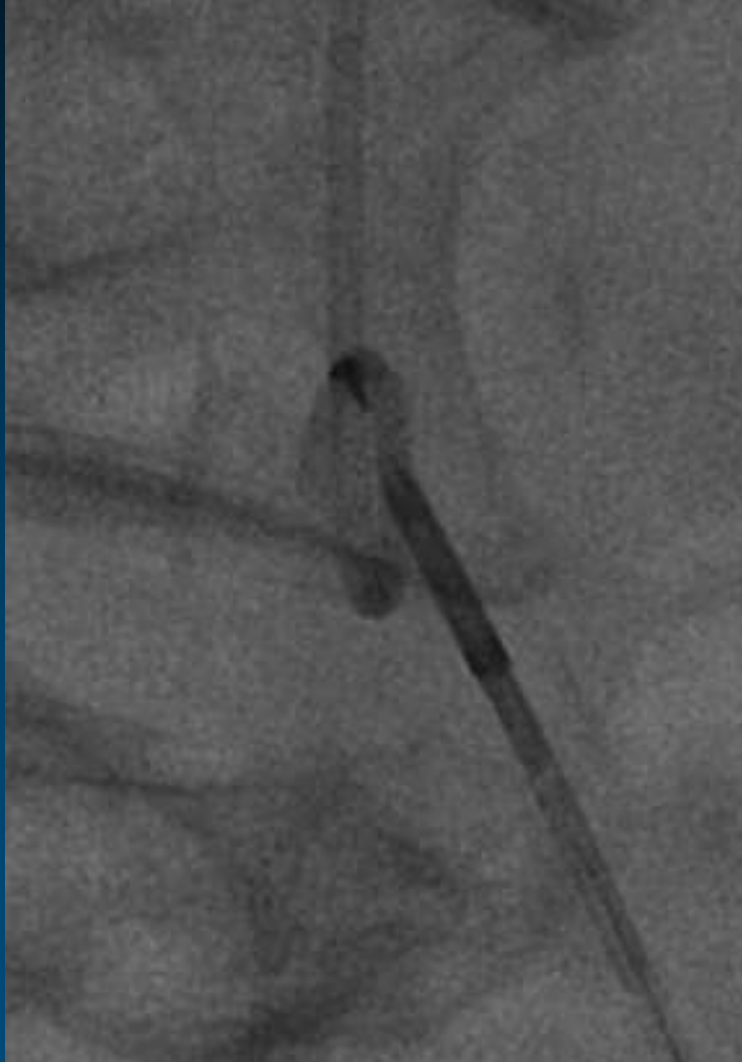
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Outback to aorta (flush occlusion)



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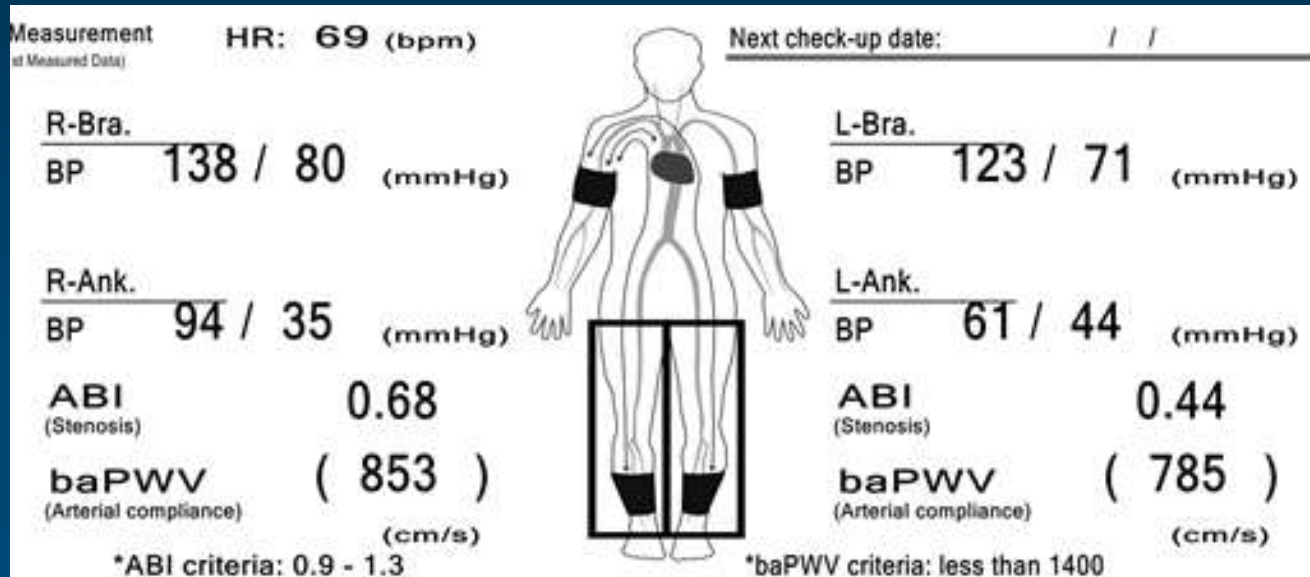
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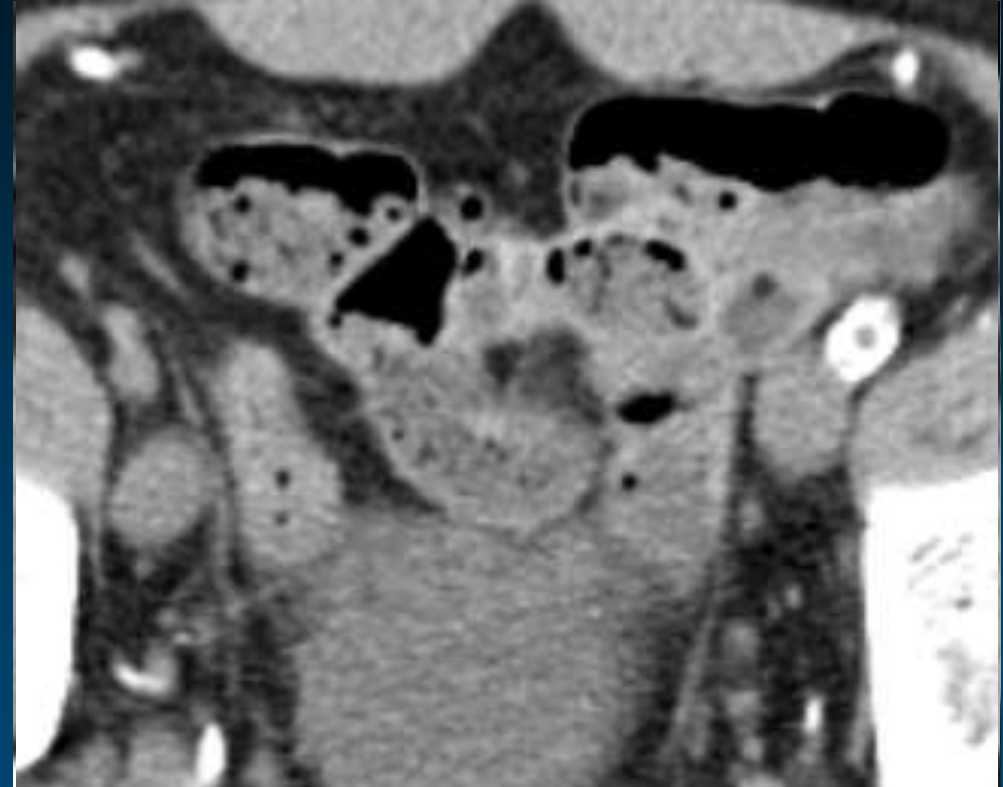
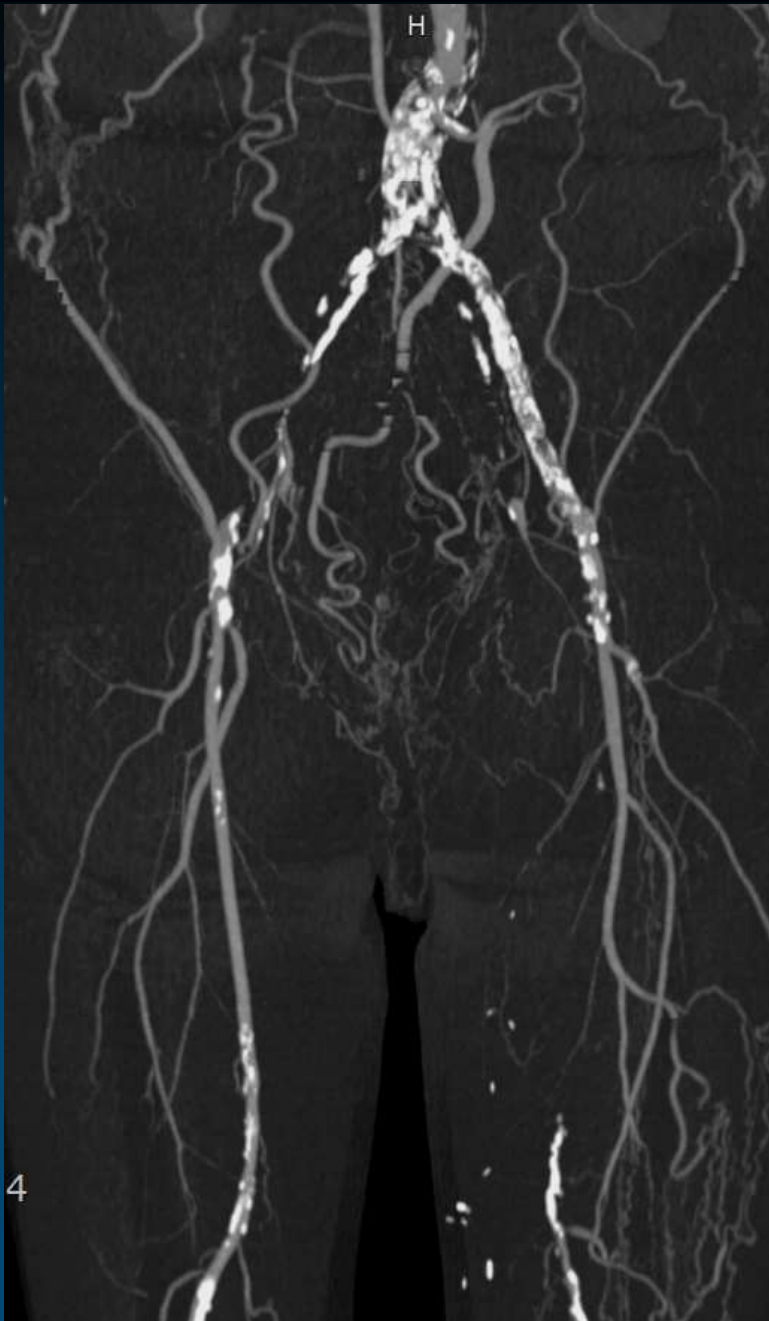
Aortoiliac Occlusion

Aortobiiliac occlusion

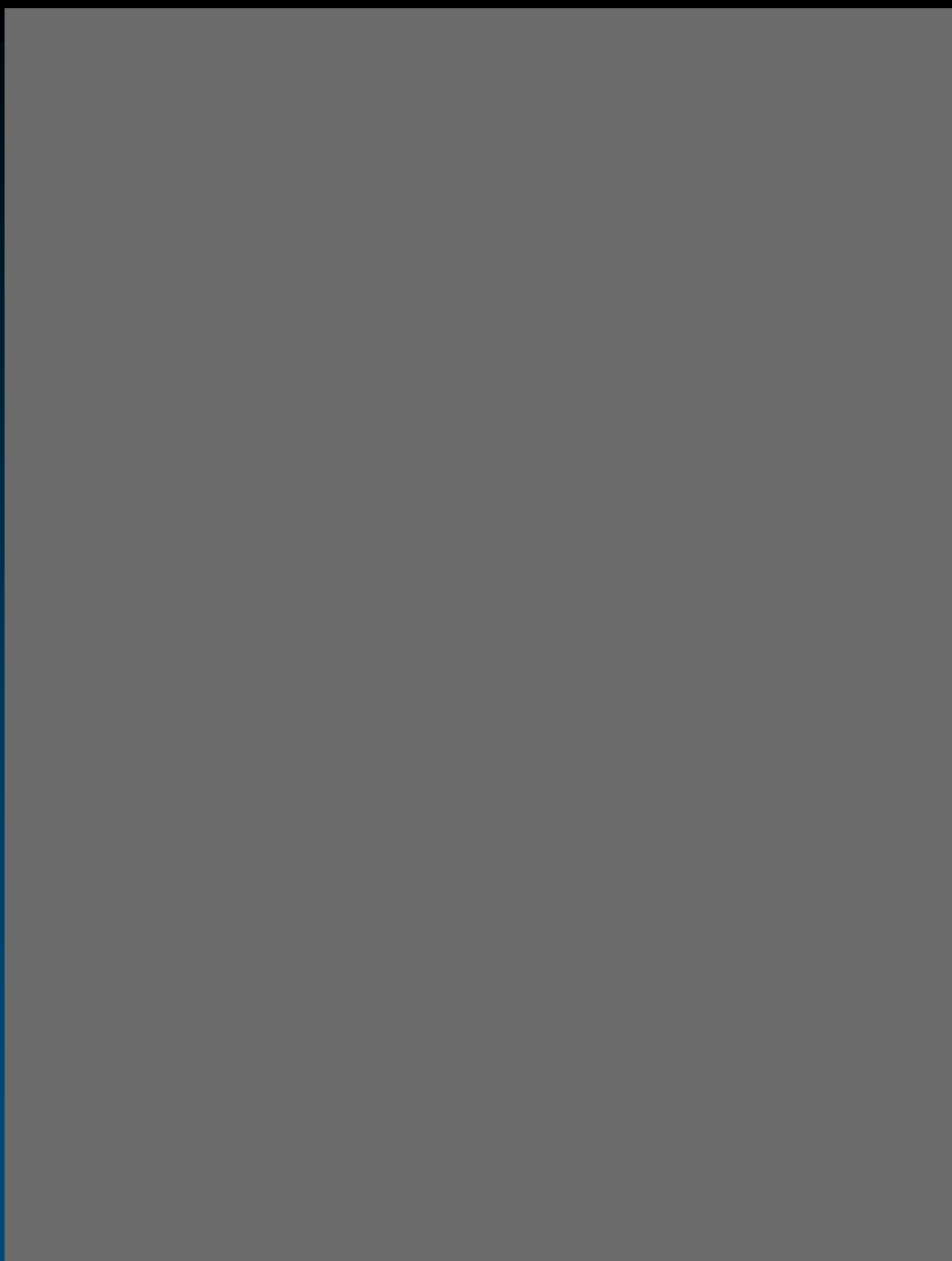
- 67 years old man
- 5 YA, S/P CABG (LIMA-LAD, TRA-Dx-OM, SVG-PDA)
 - Stenting for LIMA graft 4 YA
- DM, HTN, Hyperlipidemia
- CKD, Cr 1.5
- 4YA, S/P Left iliac stenting
- Claudication IIb, both
- Normal EF with apical hypokinesia
- Both femoral pulse; not palpable



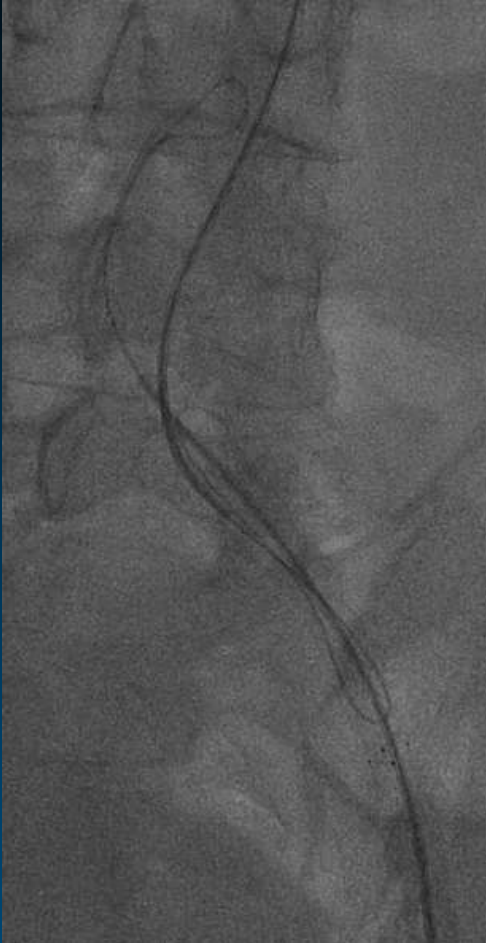
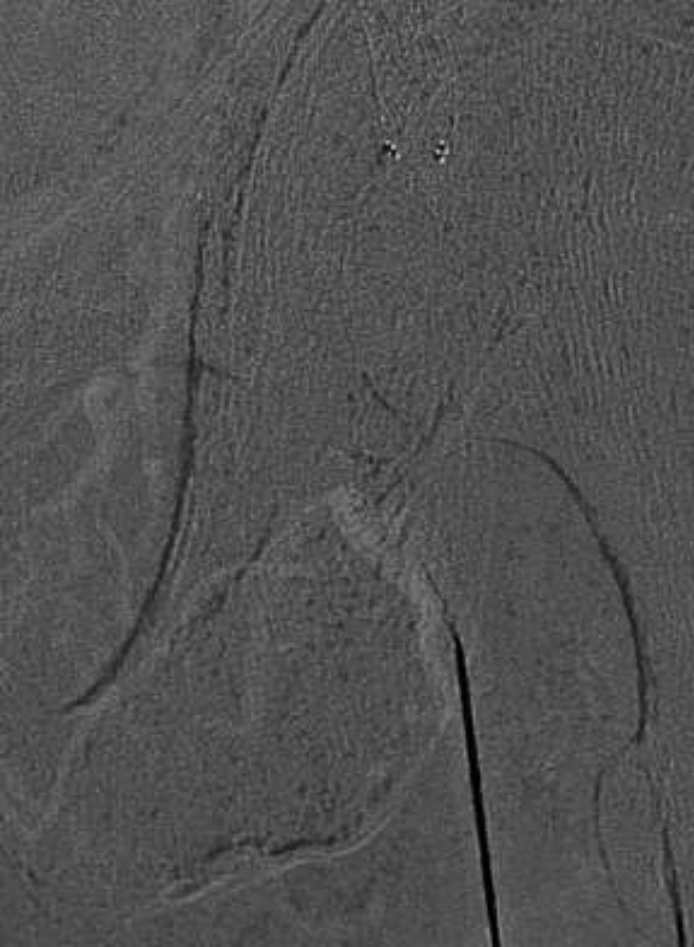
Aortobiiliac Occlusion



Right radial 5Fr



Bidirectional approach



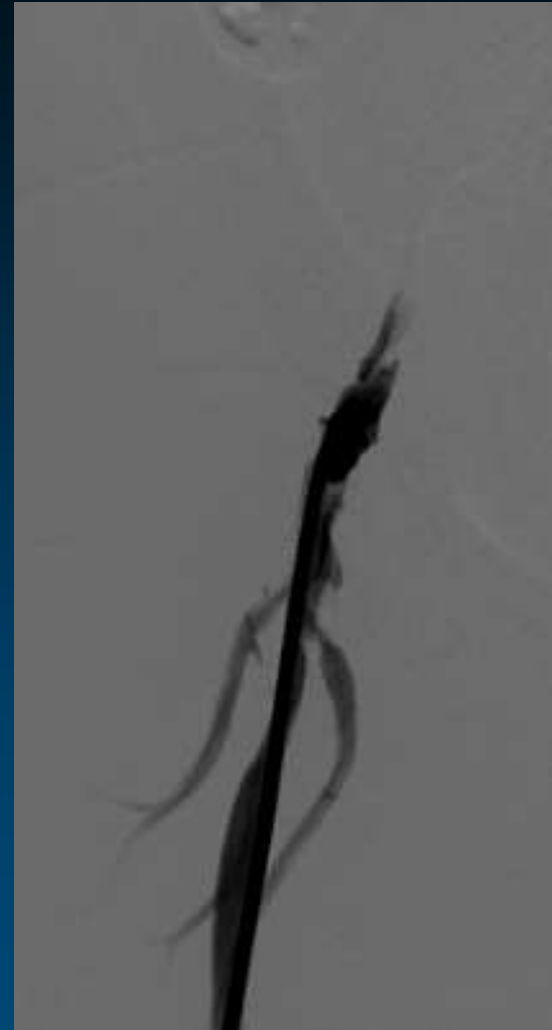
TRI with 125cm Headhunter + Stiff Terumo
TFI with Glide + Terumo

Externalization of antegrade wire

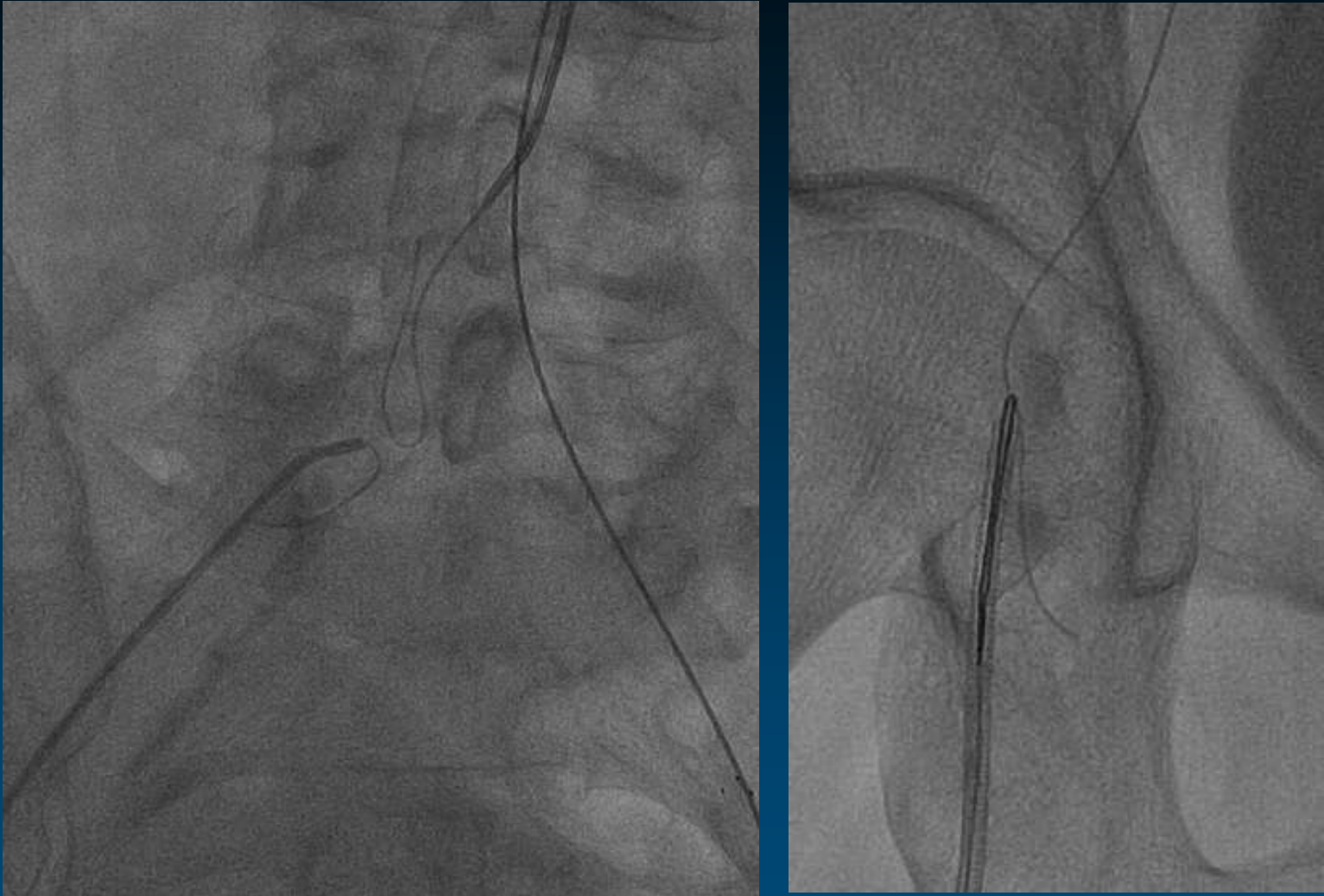


6.0x200mm, 10 atm

Fluoroscopy-guided pSFA puncture



Bidirectional approach



Externalization of antegrade wire with snare

Kissing balloon angioplasty



7.0x200 mm & 6.0x200 mm

Kissing stenting



**Kissing stenting; Two 12x80 mm, SMART stents
KB balloon; Two 10x60 mm balloons**

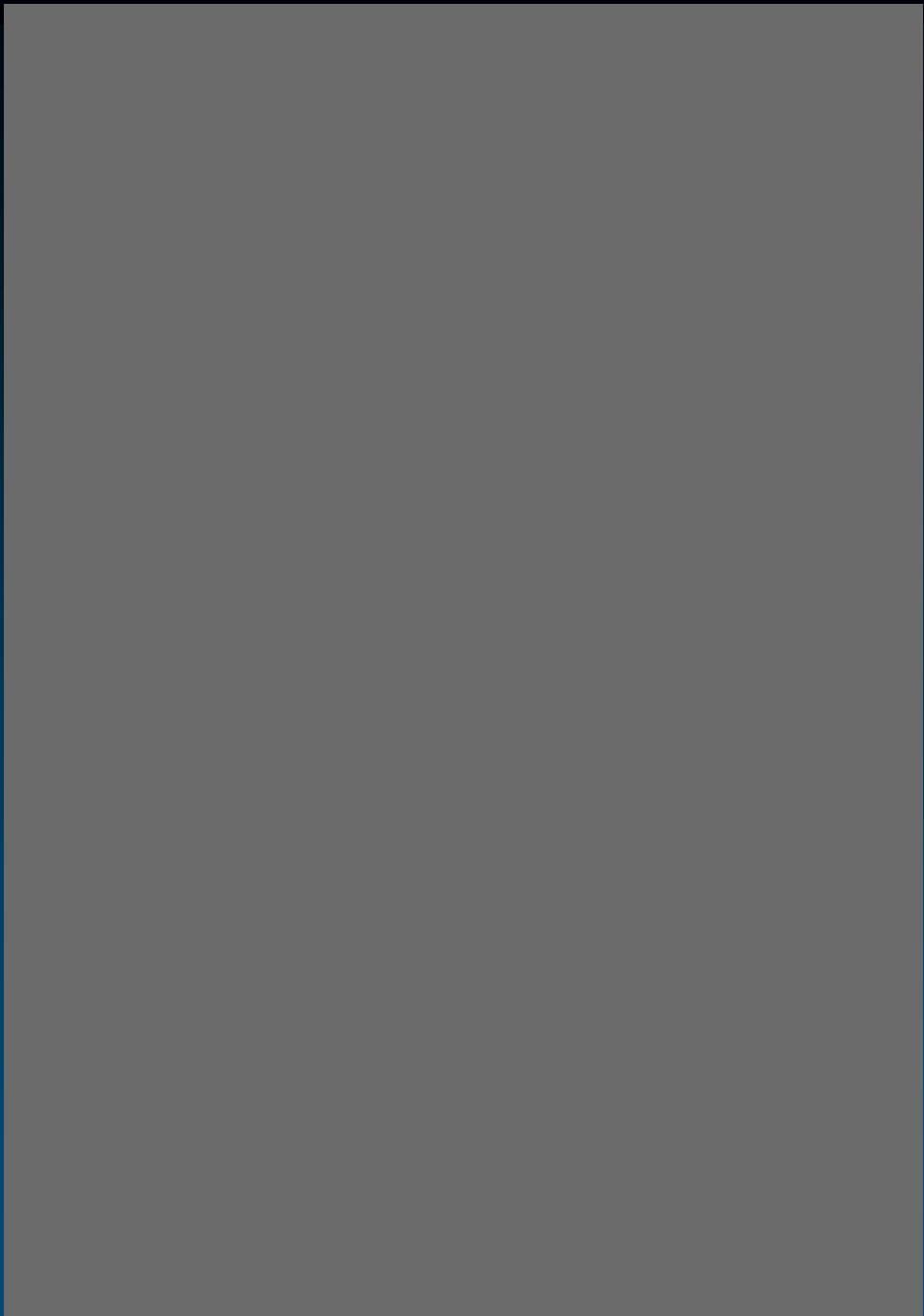
Two more stents for iliac arteries



10x40mm SE stent



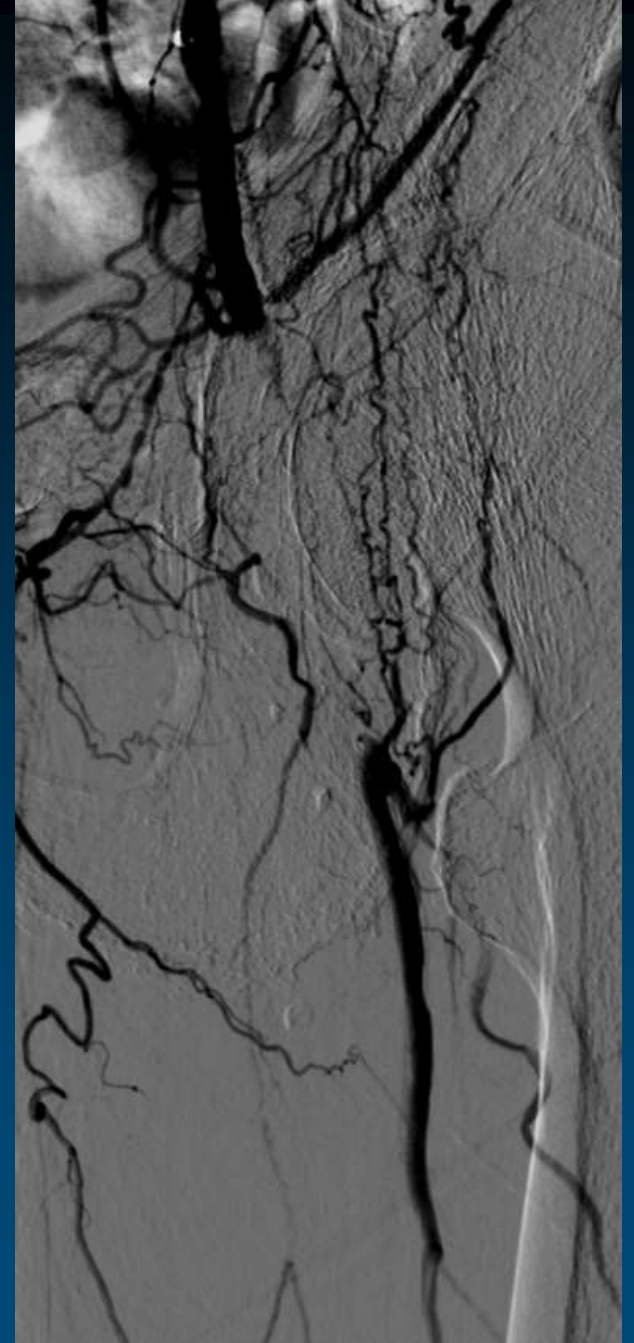
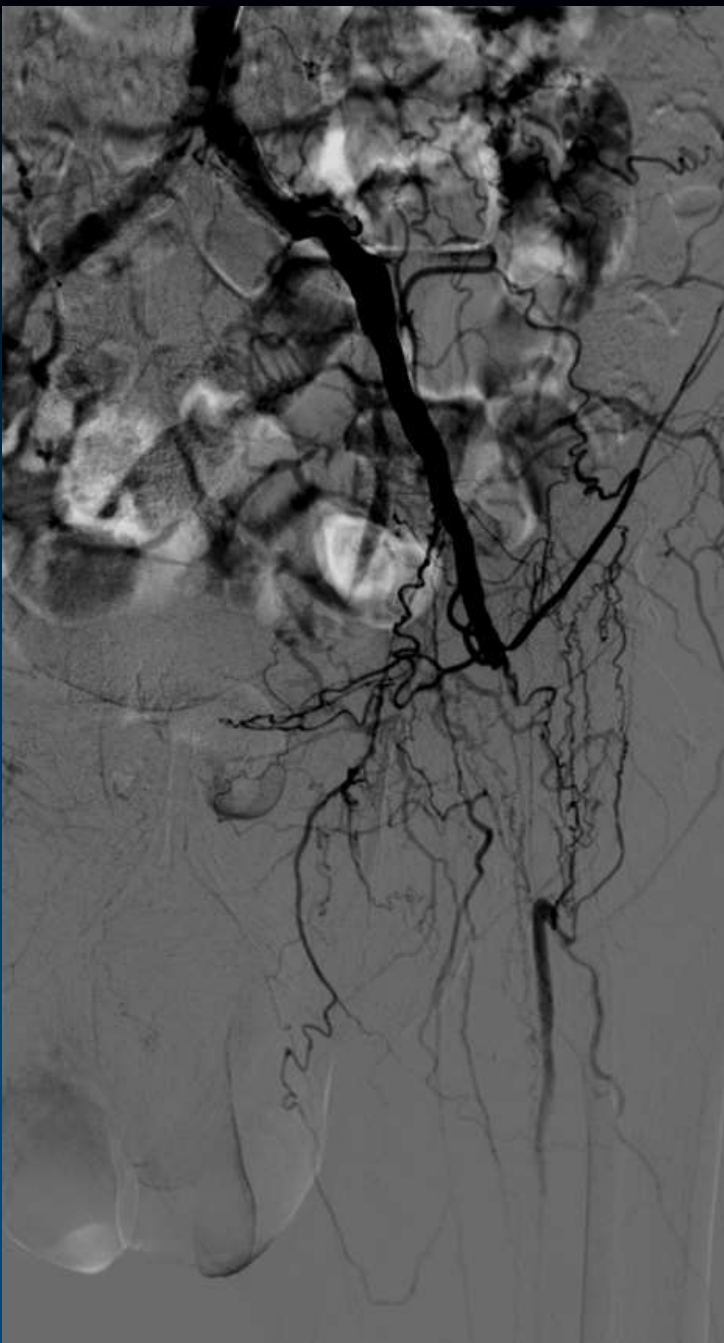
← 10x80mm SE stent

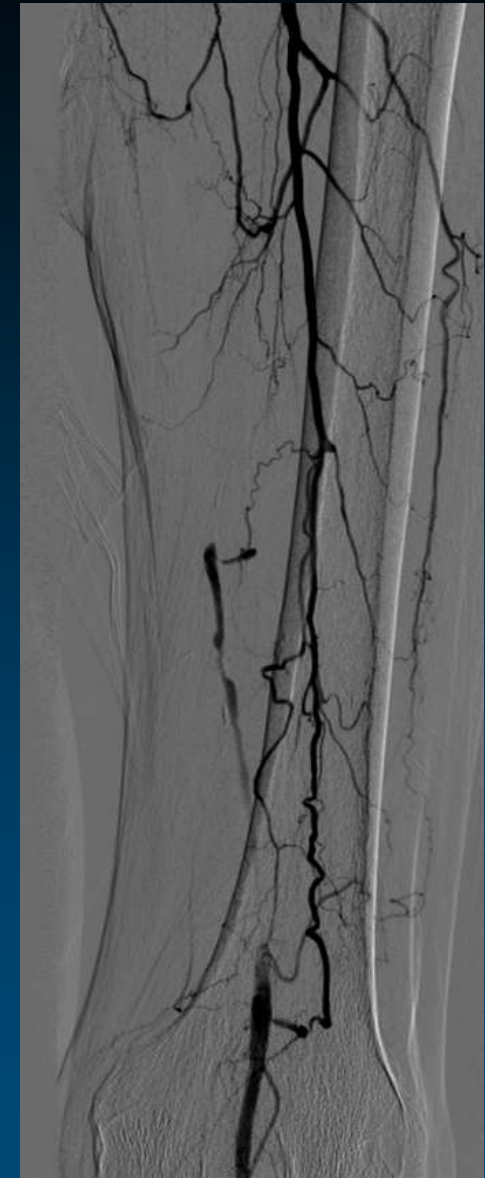
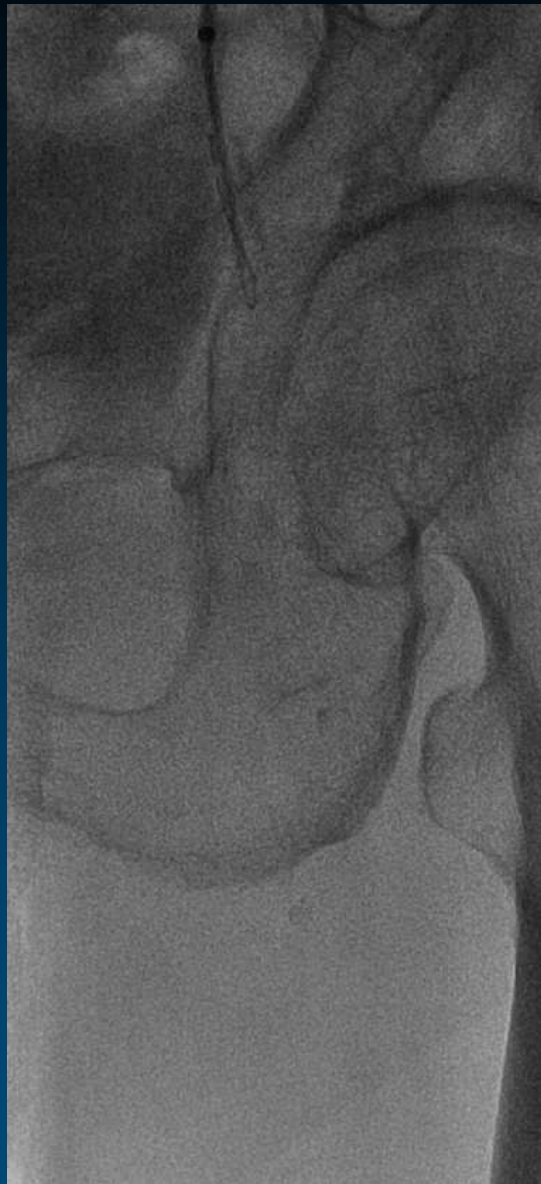


Iliac CTO Extended To Femoral Artery

72 YO man, a hearing and speech-impaired person
HTN, Smoking
Left pretibial gangrene d/t repetitive hand scratch
NSTEMI with CHF







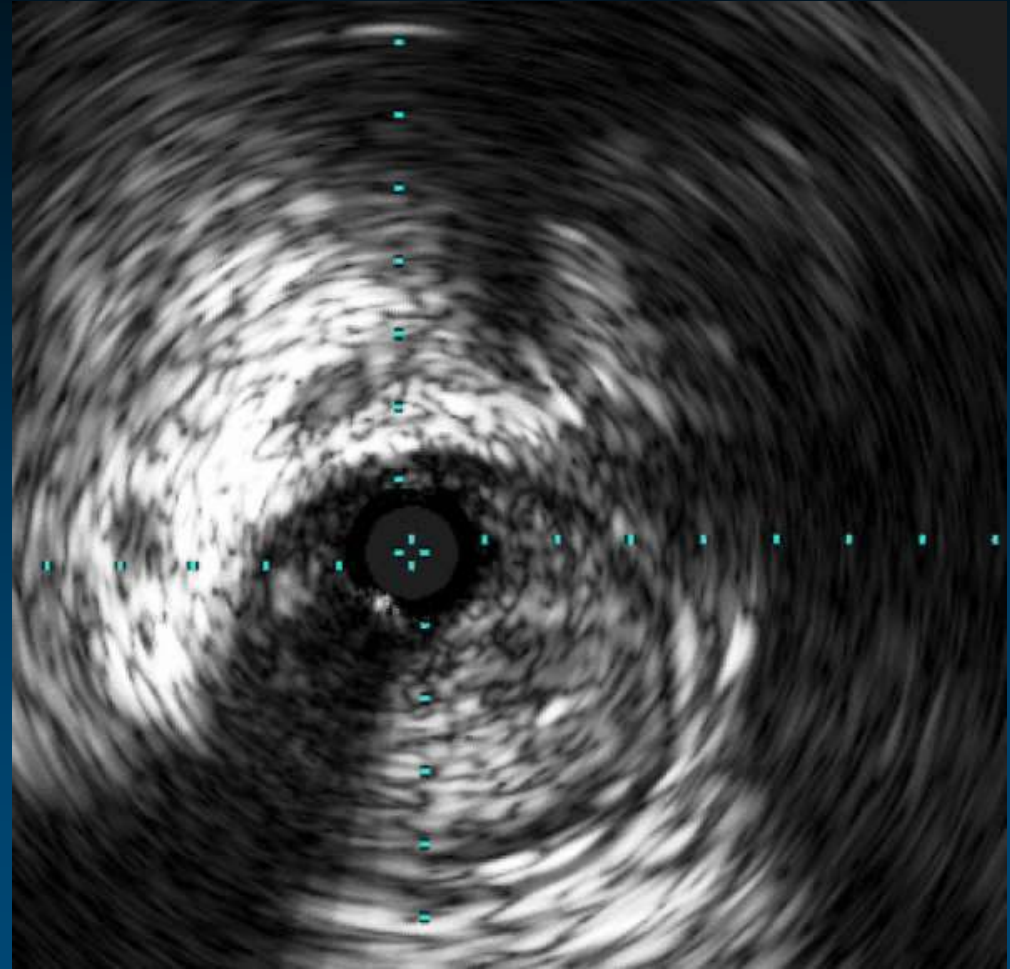
5 Fr Glide + Angled J Terumo

CFA to DFA ballooning



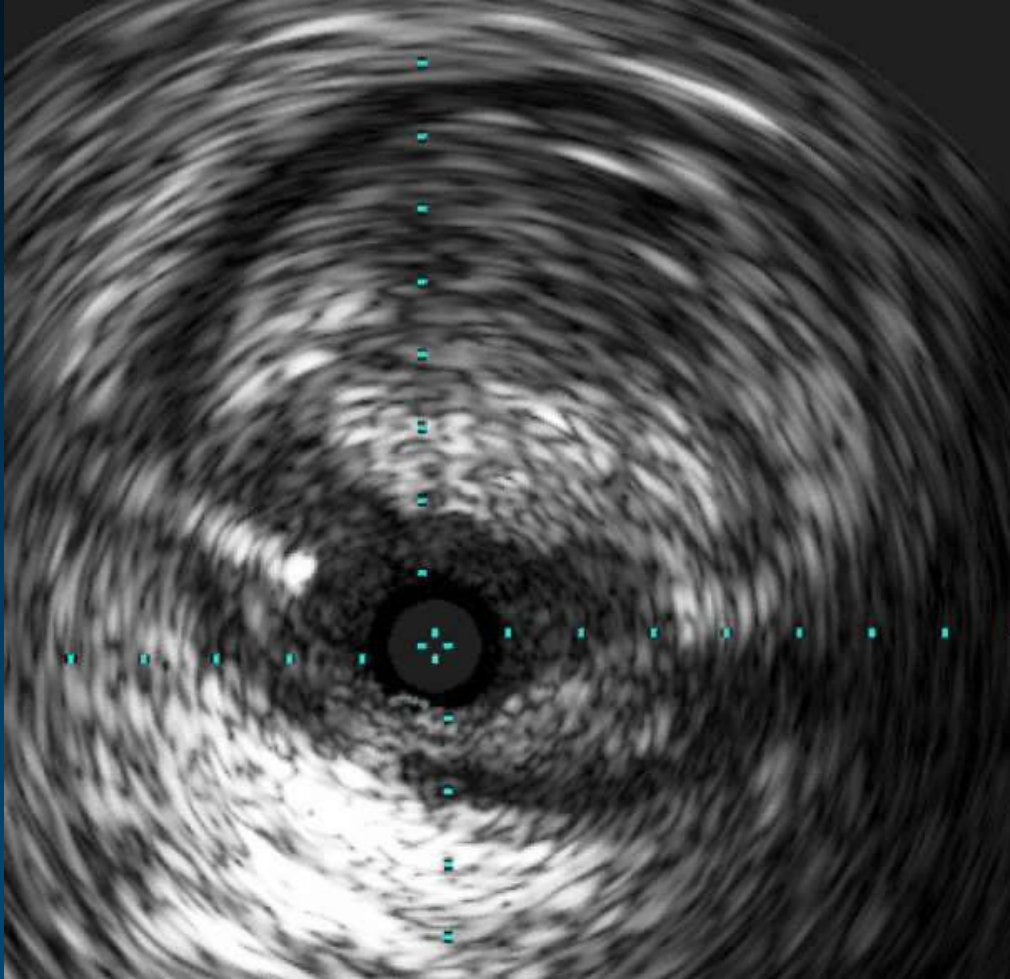
4.0×100 mm balloon, 10 atm

IVUS-guided SFA ostial wiring



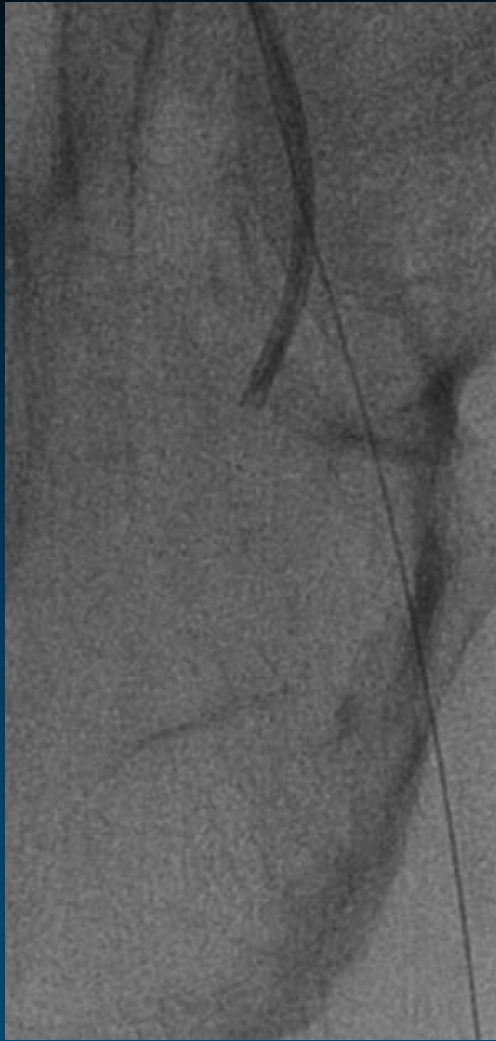
0.014" GW + Finecross

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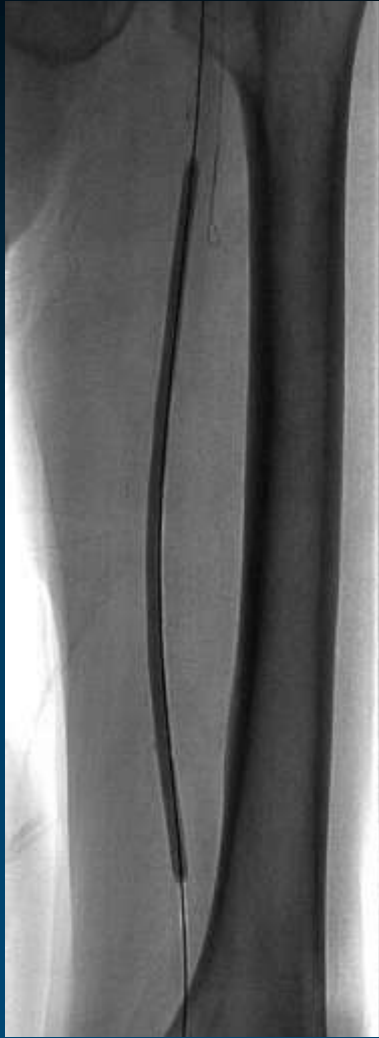
5 Fr Glide + 0.035" Terumo wire

Subintimal Angioplasty



5 Fr Glide + Angled-J Terumo wire

Balloon angioplasty



5.0 × 200 mm



6.0 × 100 mm

Final Angiogram



PTA → Debridement → Skin graft



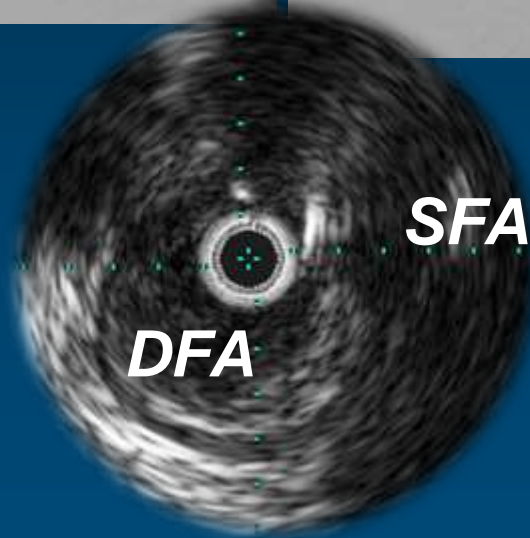
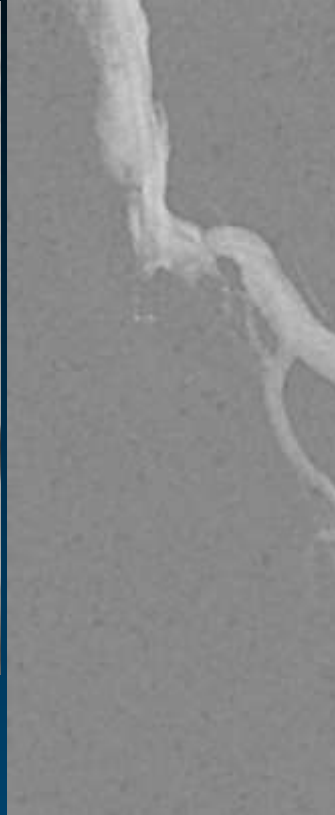
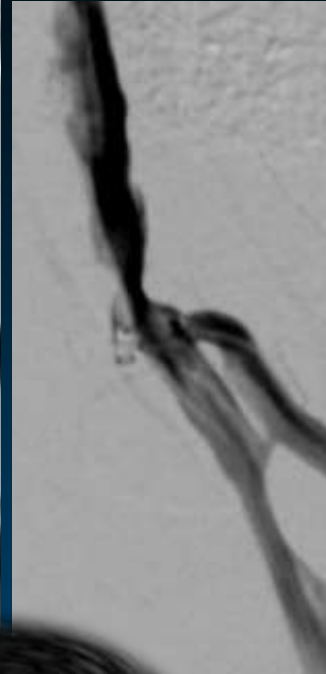
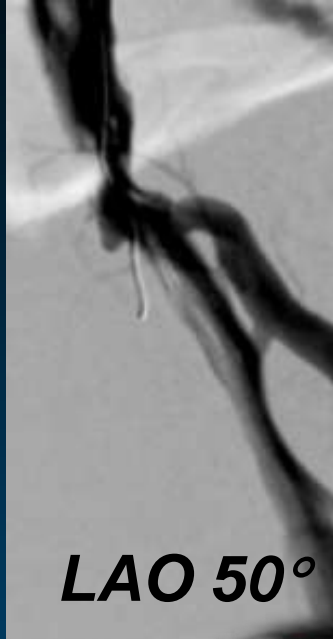
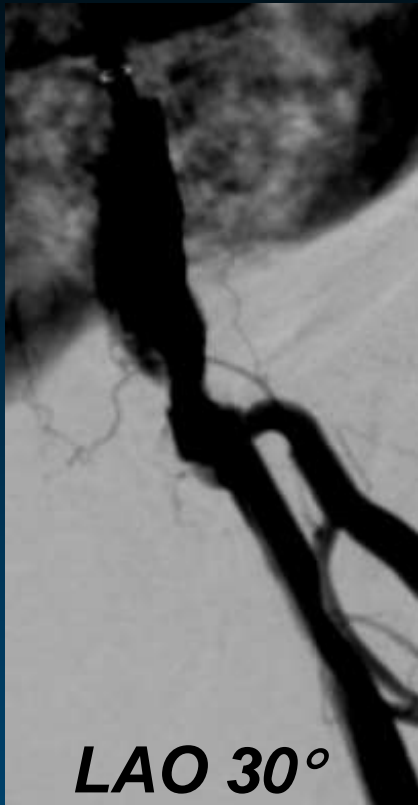
Ilio-SFA CTO, M/71, Rutherford III claudication



Ilio – CFA CTO recanalization



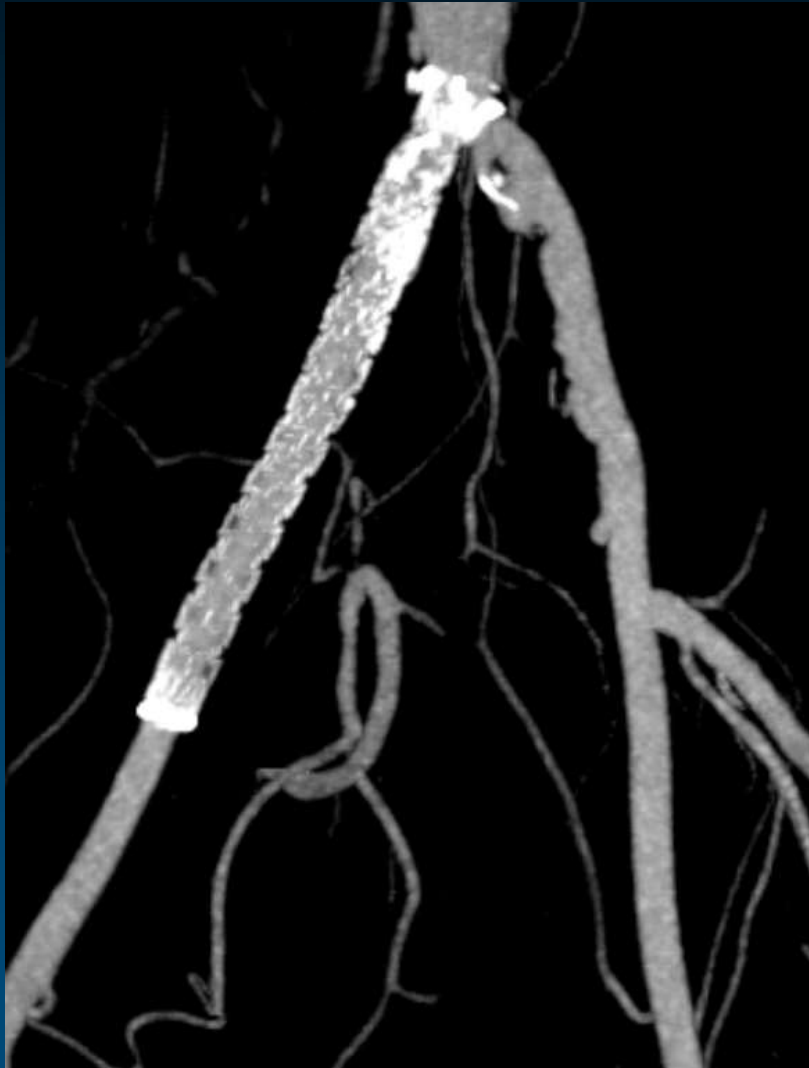
Ilio – SFA CTO

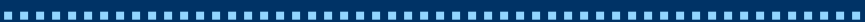
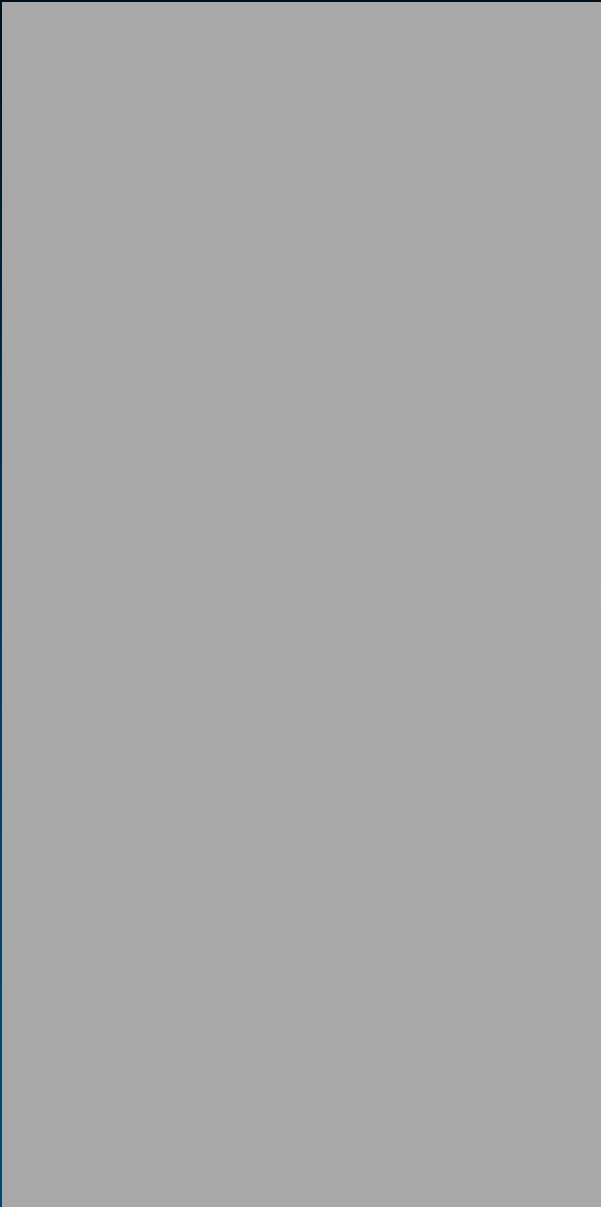


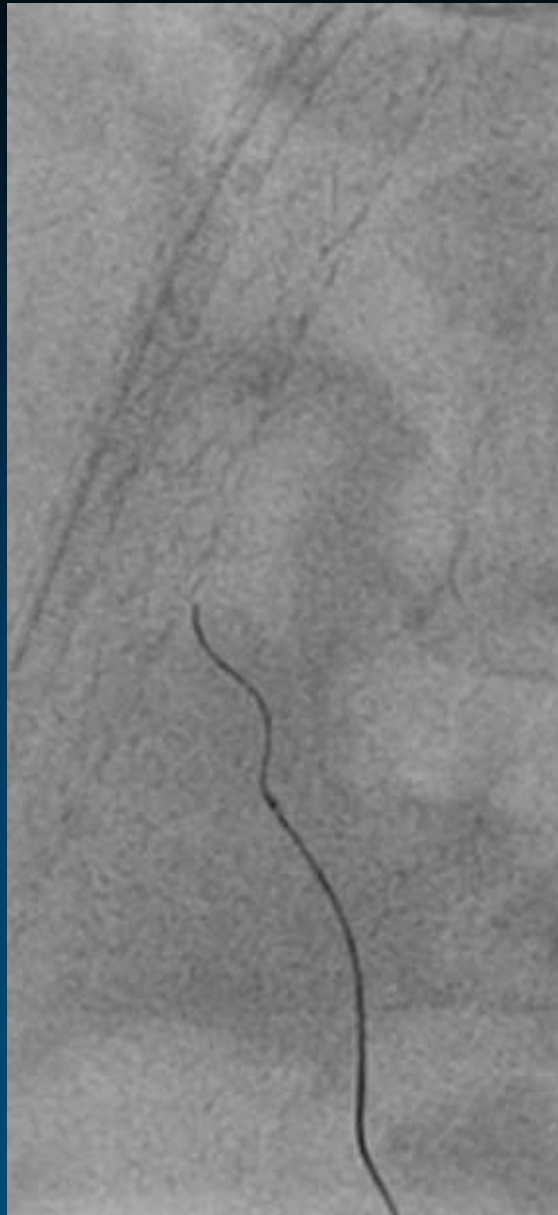
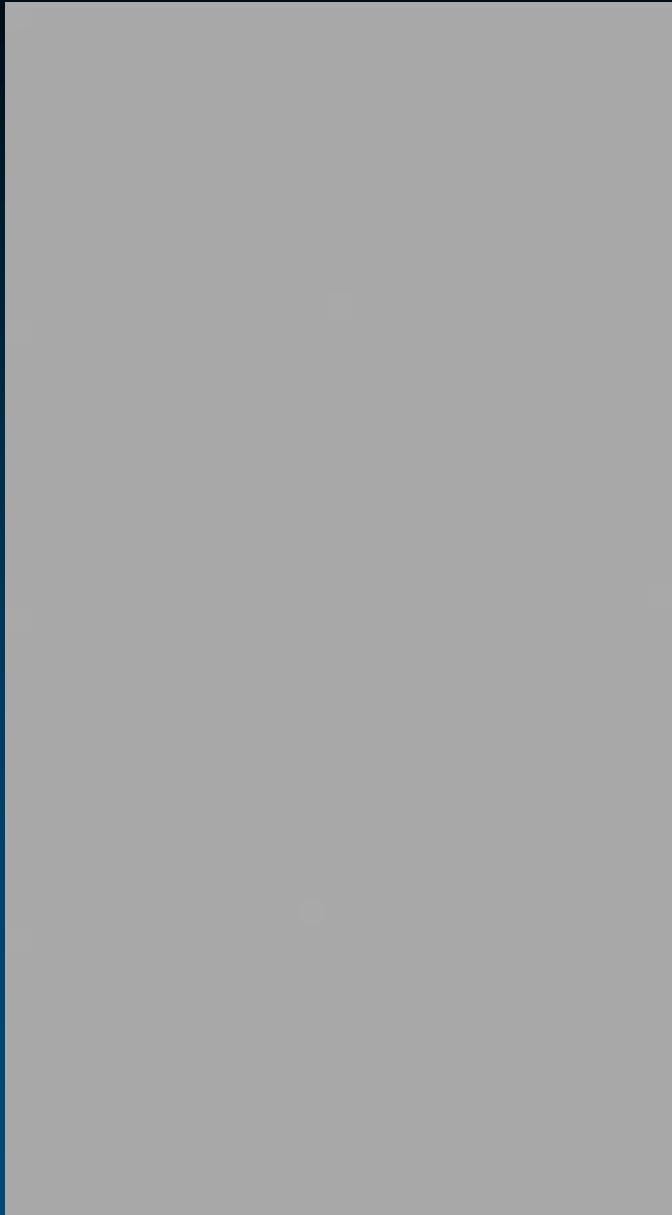
Occlusion of Internal Iliac Ostium

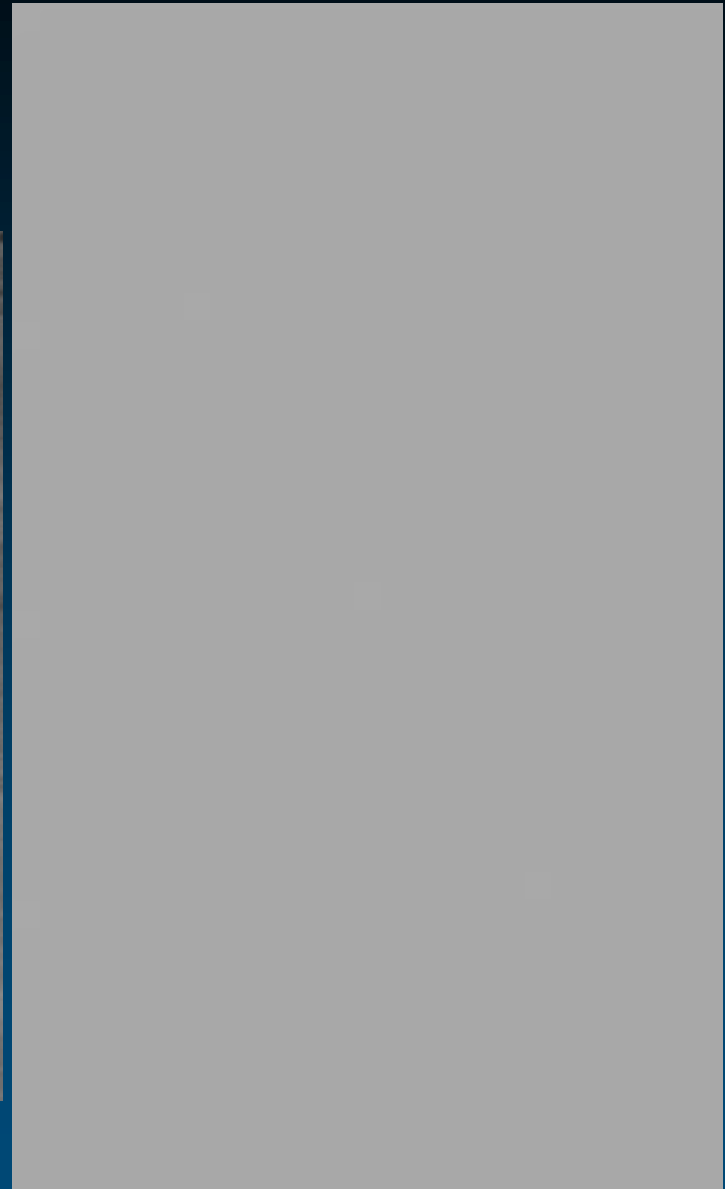
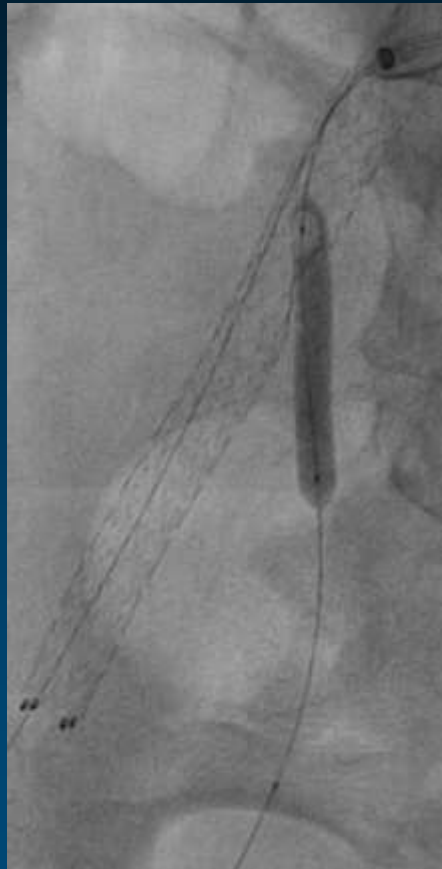
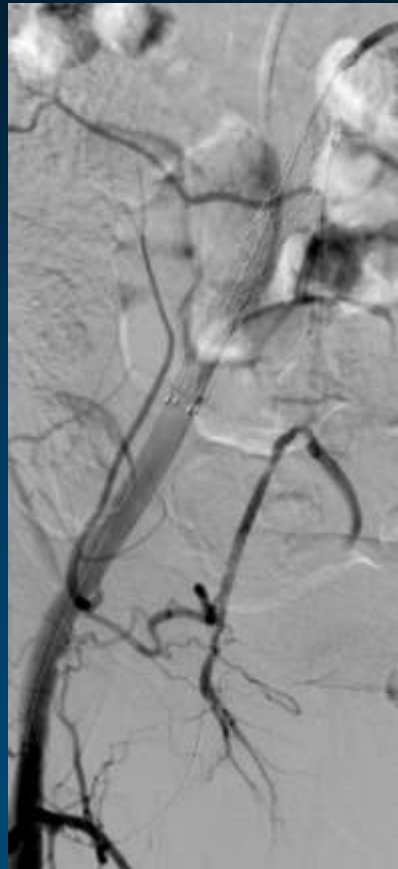
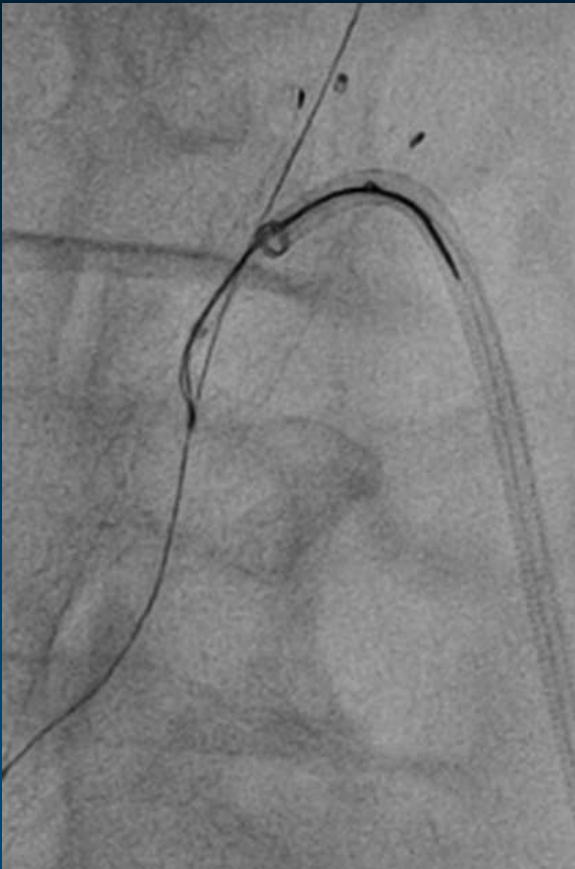
M/56 S/O Right CIA-EIA stenting, 2YA

→ Recurred buttock claudication, Rutherford 2, R>L



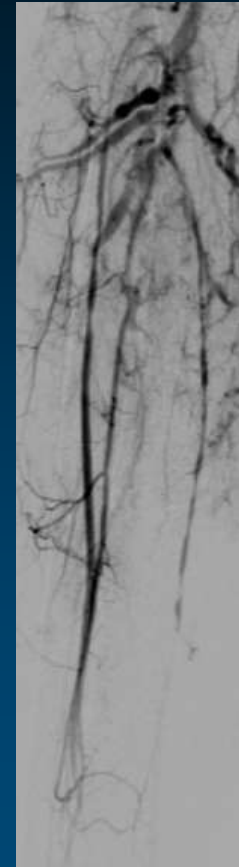
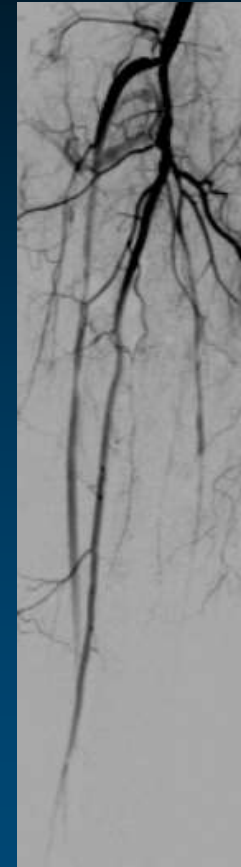






Management of Complication

**F/63, DM, Fontaine IIa claudication, R > L
ABI 0.77/0.85**





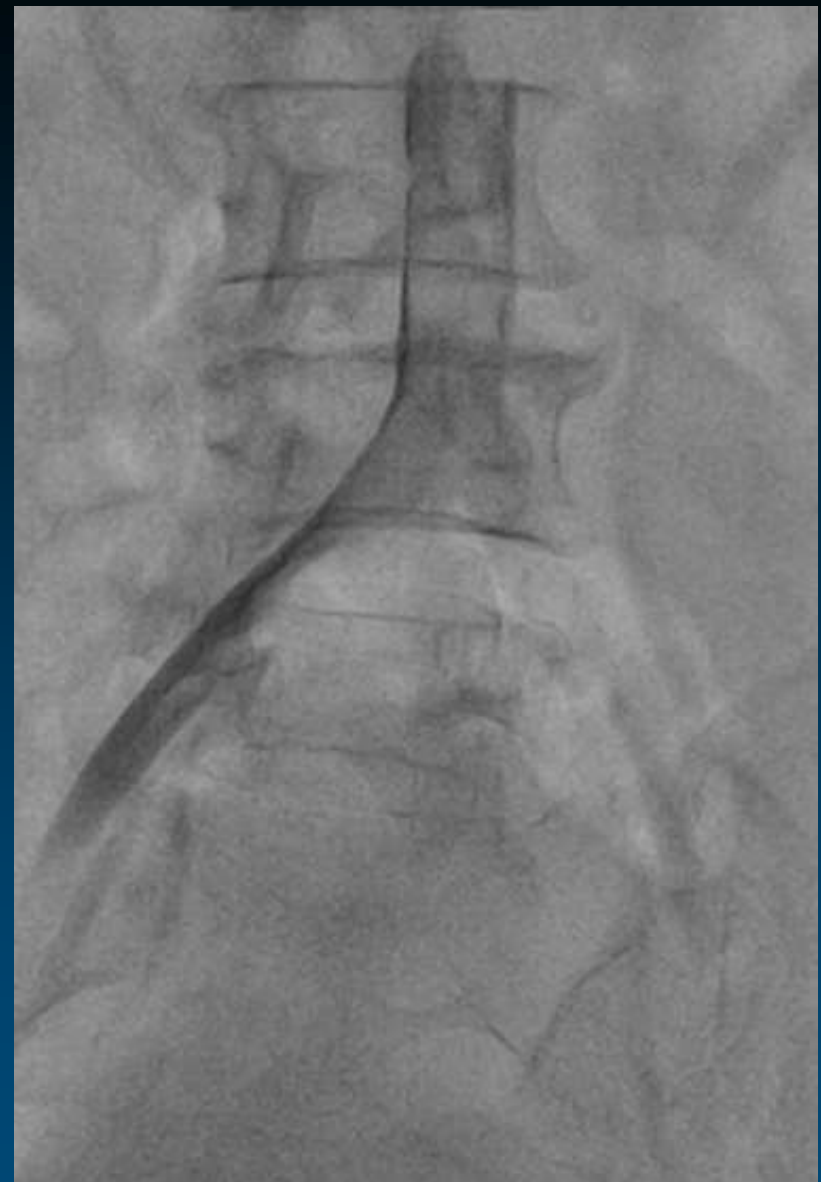
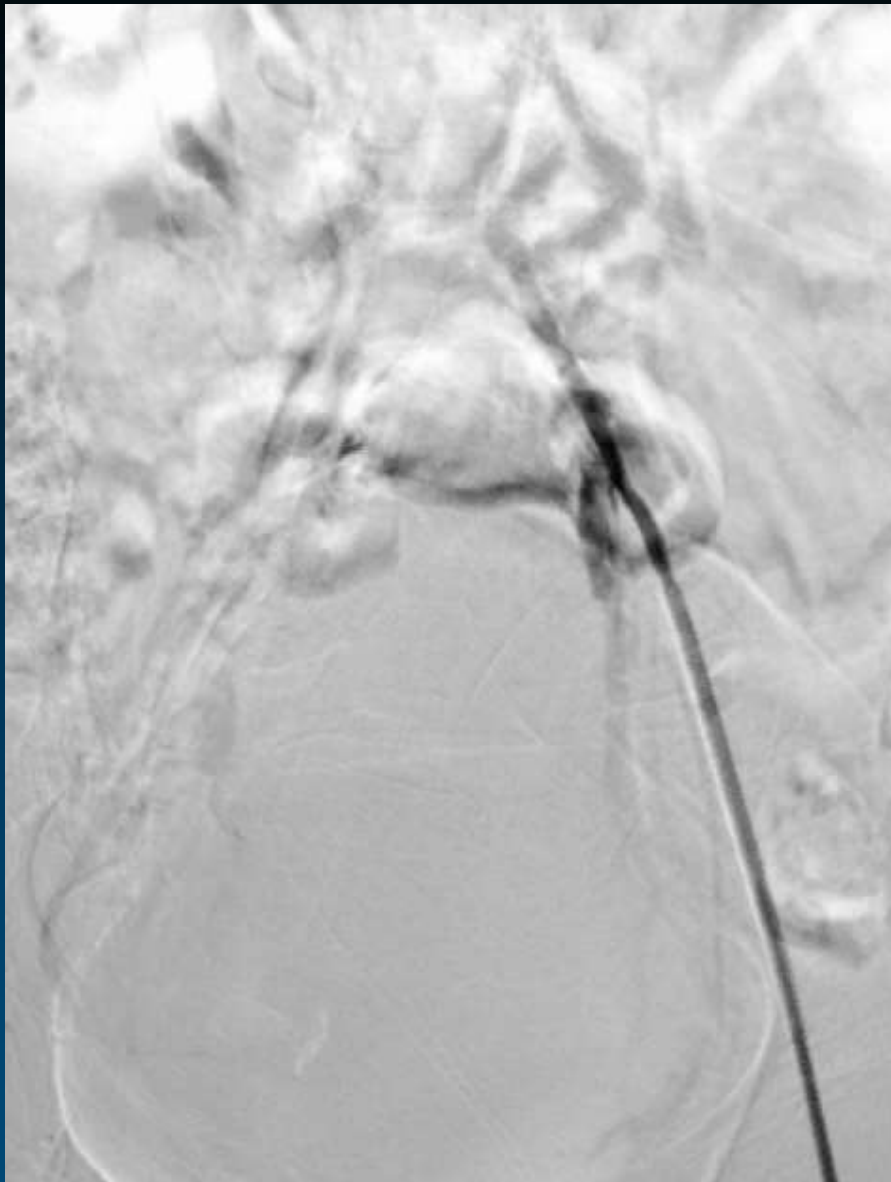
6.0x40mm



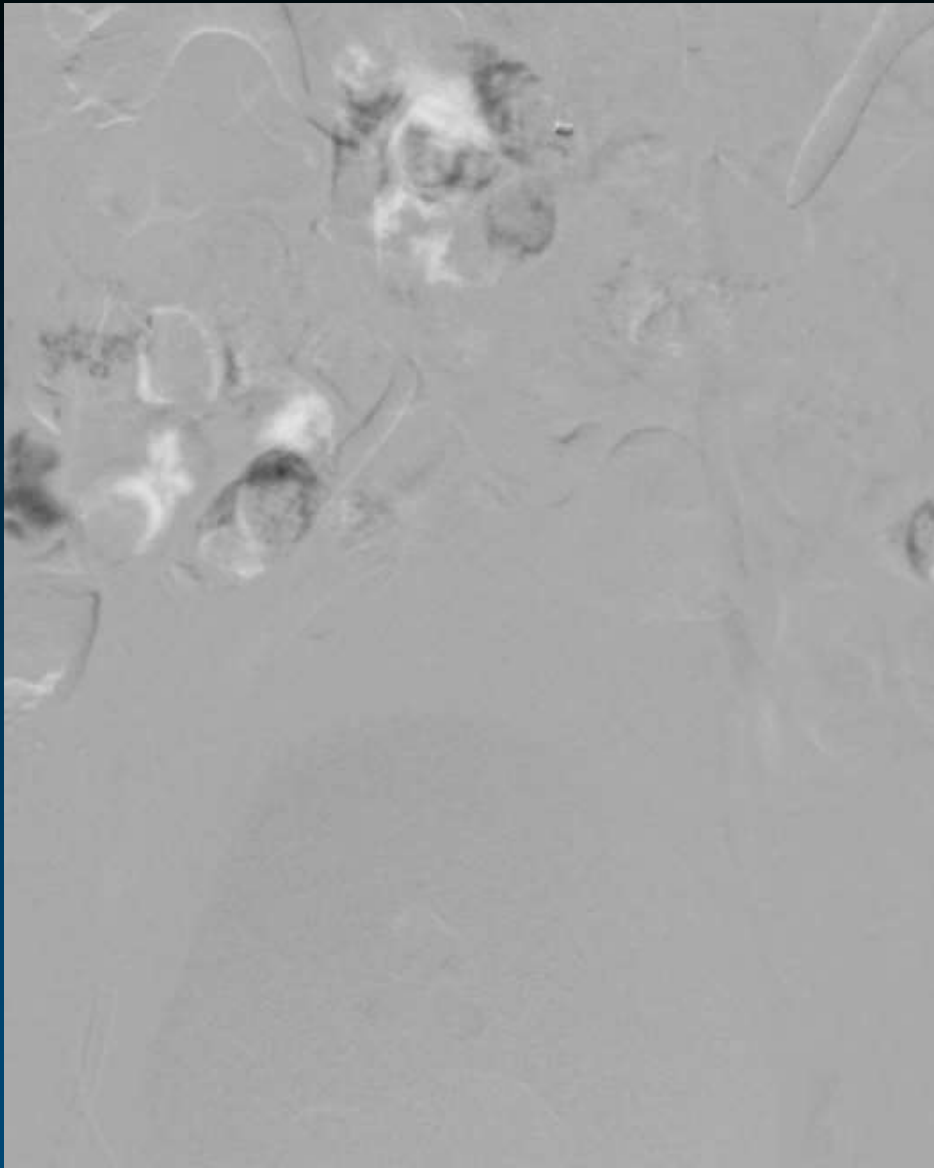
6Fr Ansel sheath

**Right SFA, ATA, PTA
balloon angioplasty**





Oops



***Transradial 5 Fr 110cm shuttle
Right femoral 7 Fr long sheath***



Antegrade wiring for left iliac



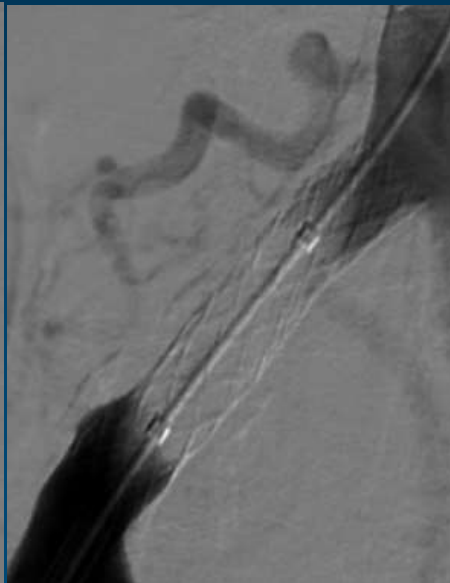
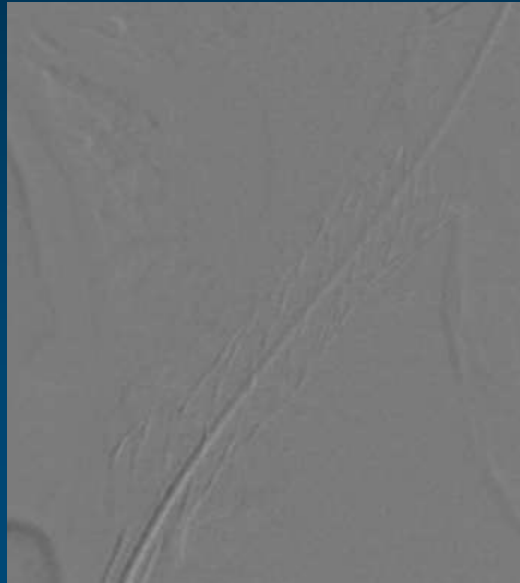
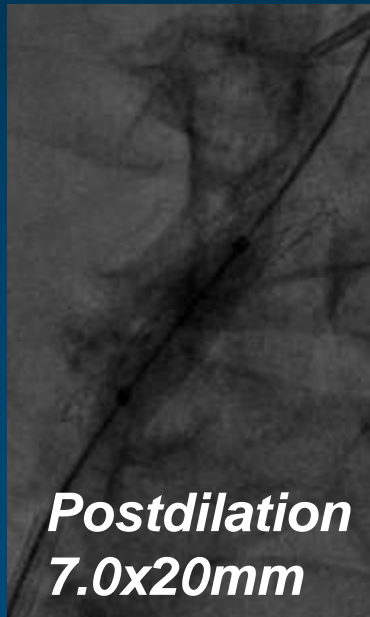
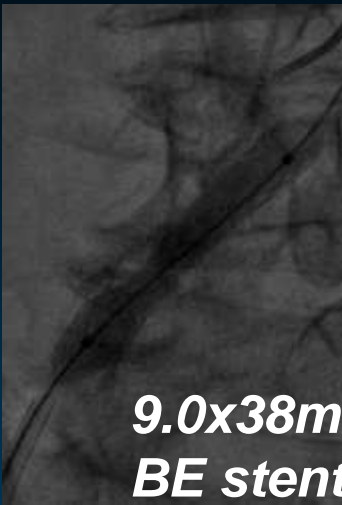
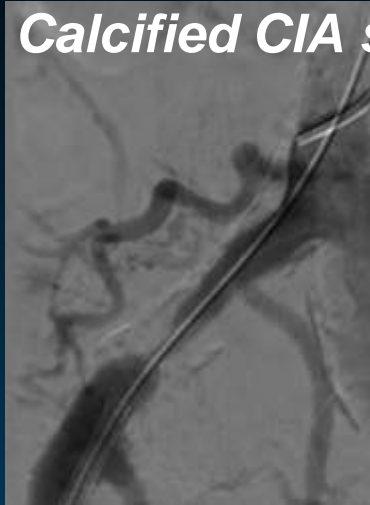
Kissing balloon



***Kissing stenting;
8.0x150 mm & 8.0x120 mm***

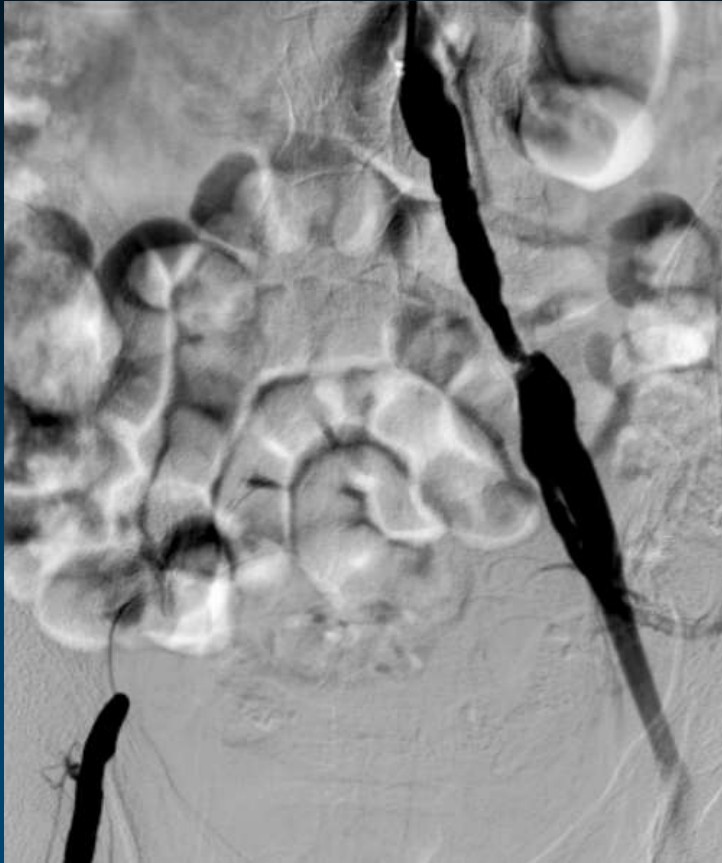
M/82, HTN, 50m claudication

Calcified CIA stenosis



Confined rupture → prolonged ballooning → sealed

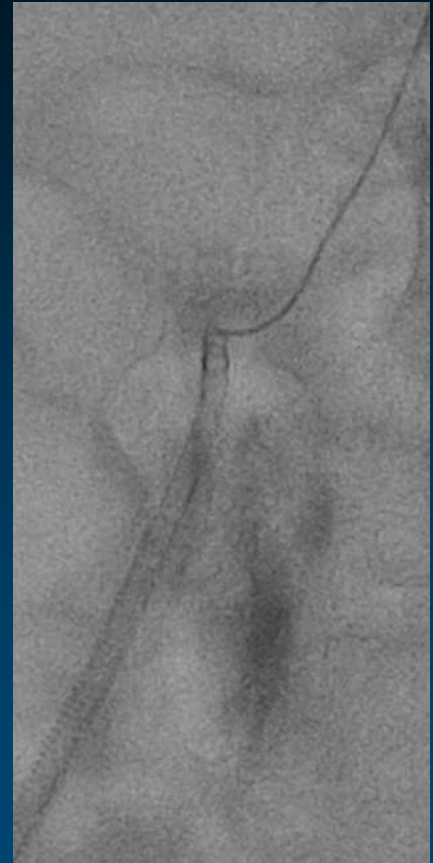
M/65, HTN, S/P Lung ca op
Both Fontaine IIb claudication, ABI 0.52/0.57



Transradial 5 Fr shuttle
Transfemoral 7 Fr long sheath

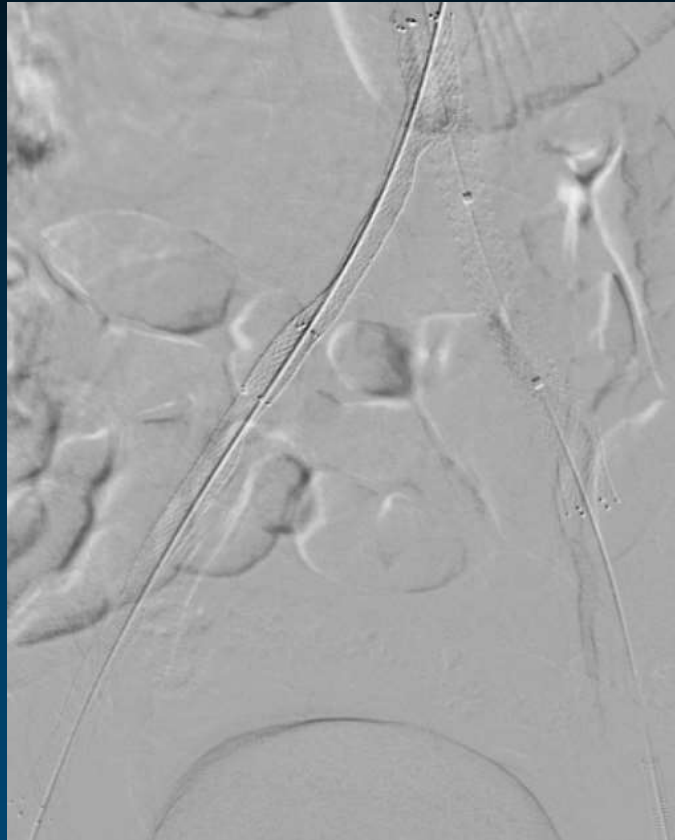


SAFARI (CART)
antegrade wire externalization



M/65, HTN, Lung ca op

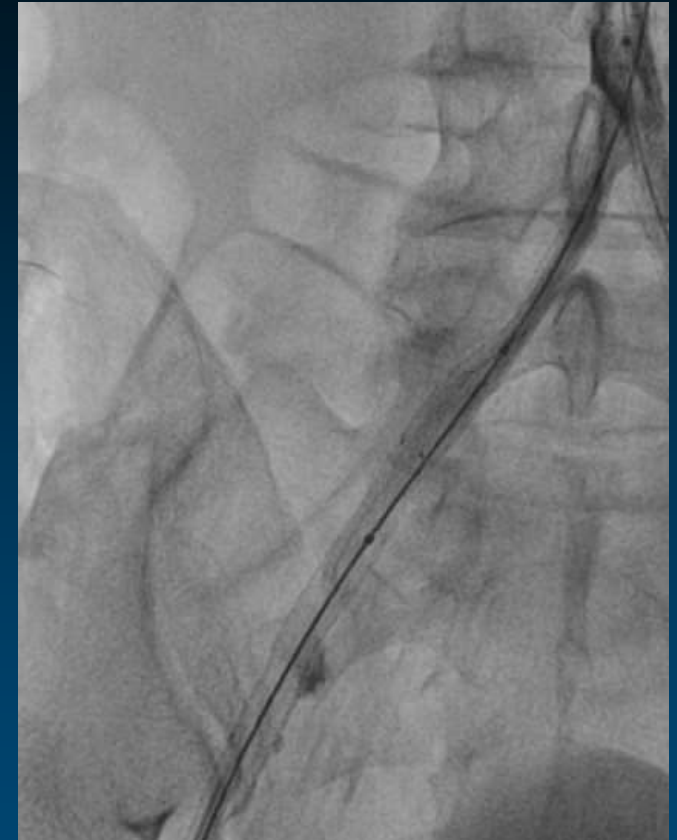
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***Kissing with SE Smart
Right; 9.0x80 mm & 7.0x100 mm
Left; 10.0x80mm***



***Kissing with
two 7.0x40mm***

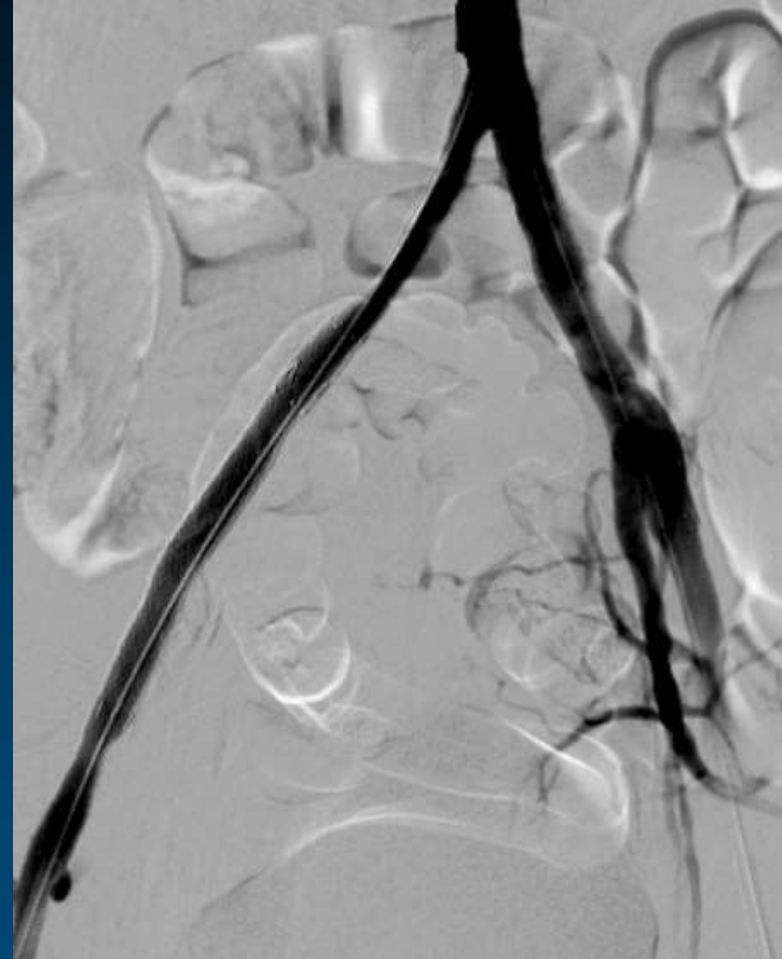


Right EIA Rupture

8 Fr sheath required for graft stenting
→ bleeding will continue while exchanging sheath



Transradial proximal occlusion during sheath exchange



S&G graft, 8.0x70 mm

Transradial Approach *for Aortoiliac CTO*

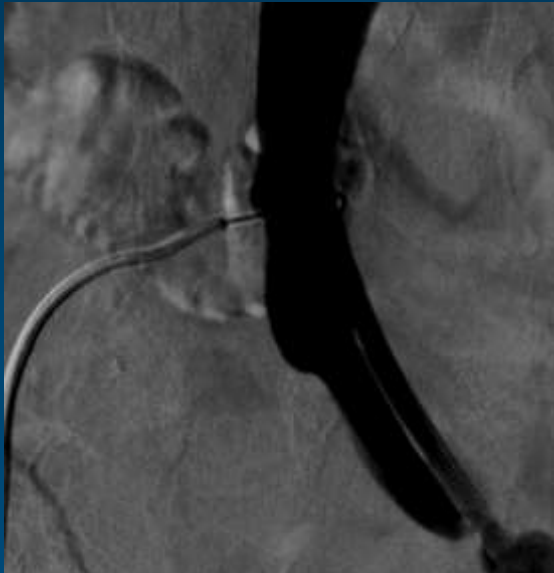
Conventional routes for iliac CTO



Drawback

Both femoral approach for iliac CTO

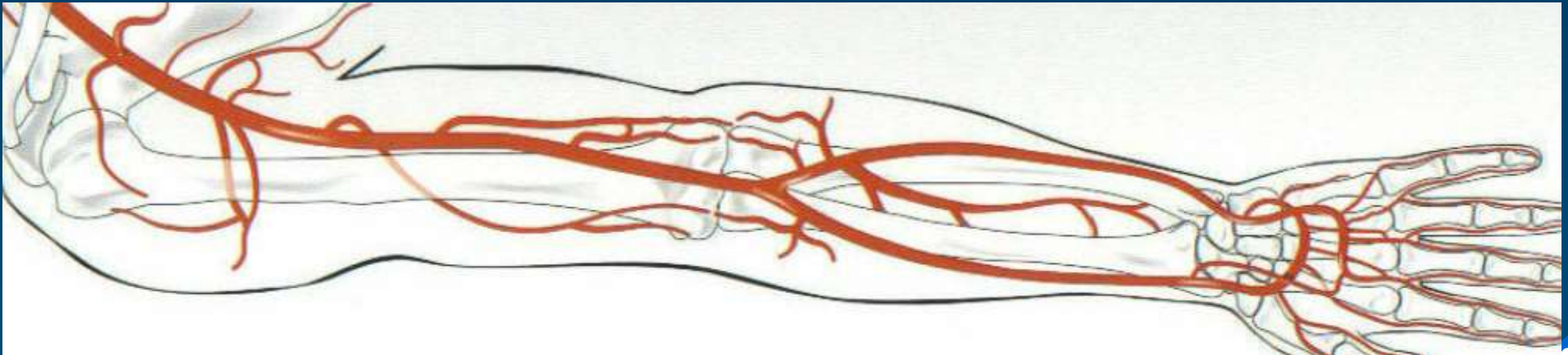
- More bleeding complication
- Less back up support, especially
 - stumpless CTO or hostile aortoiliac angle
- Difficult for angulated or calcified iliac arteries
- Hemostasis → perfusion disturbance or thrombosis



Drawback

Brachial approach for iliac CTO

- **Single route for hand**
 - **potentially lethal ischemic complication**
- **Difficult for hemostasis**
 - **more bleeding complication**



Pros & Cons

Transradial approach for iliac CTO

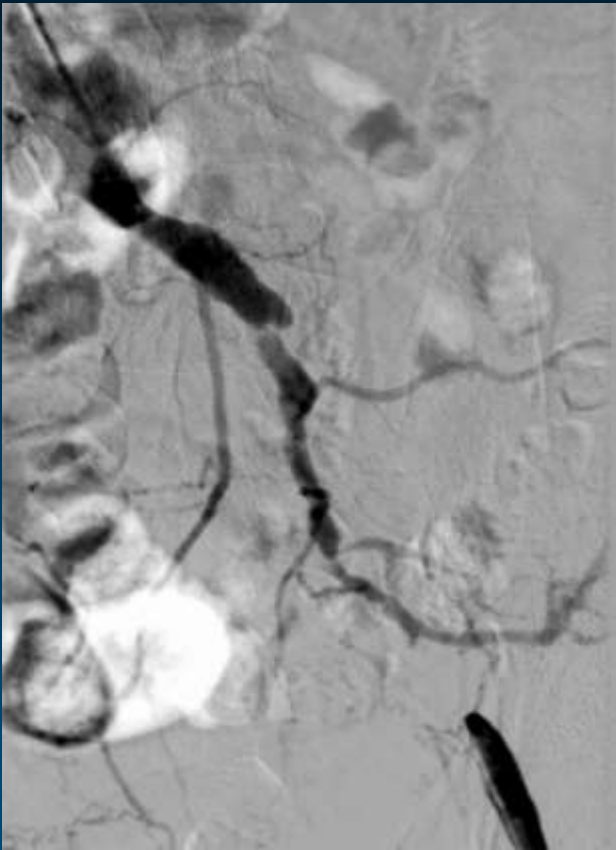
- **Disadvantages**
 - Smaller arterial caliver → smaller sheath
 - Too long to reach
 - Subclavian or aortic tortuosity
 - More radiation hazard to operator
- **Advantages**
 - Less bleeding complication
 - Longer and slender devices available
 - Powerful perpendicular back up support

Advance of TR approach for iliac CTO

- Longer and slender devices
 - Sheath; 110 long long shuttle, 5 Fr
 - Catheter; 125 cm head hunter, 5 Fr
150 cm MP, 5 Fr
 - Microcatheter; 150 length
 - Guidewire; 0.035" Terumo / 0.014" GW



Transradial approach for iliac CTO



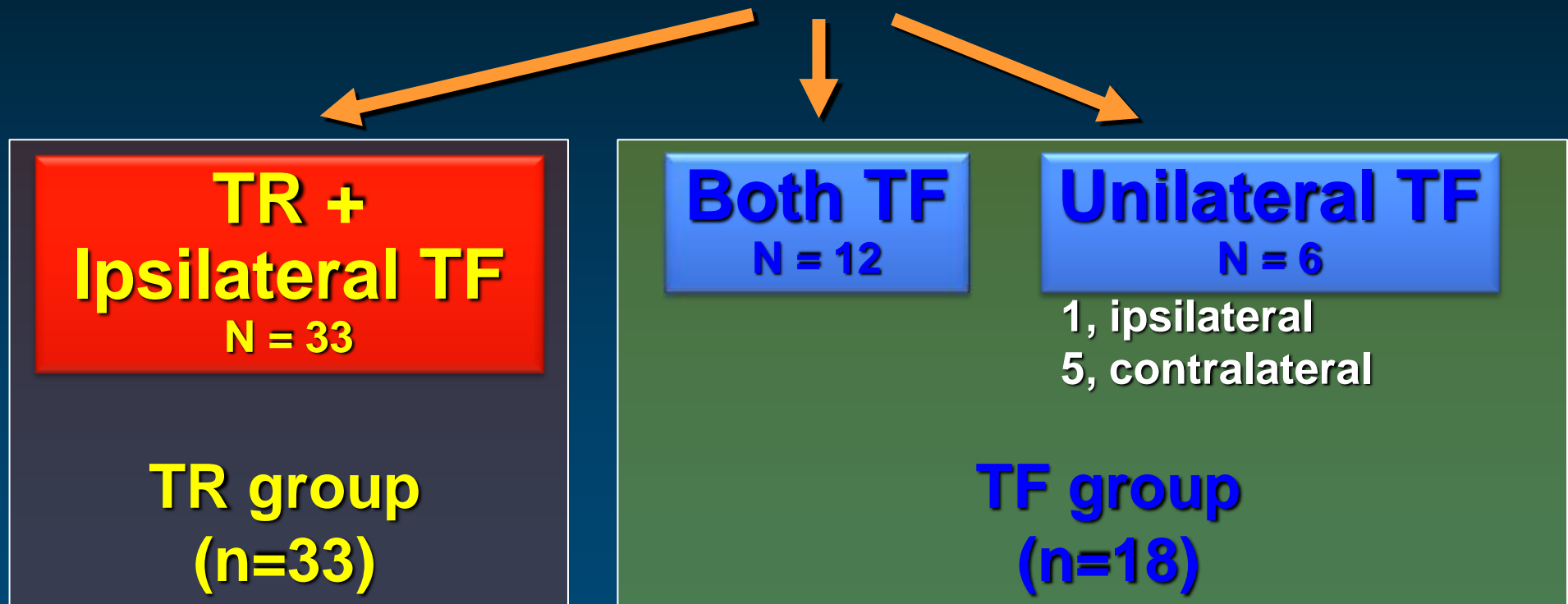
*TR 5 Fr with 125cm MP
TF 7 Fr long sheath*



*SAFARI (CART)
Antegrade wire externalization*



Aortoiliac CTO intervention (n=51 lesions)



Complete procedural and clinical data at 1 month

Baseline Clinical Characteristics

	TR (n=33)	TF (n=18)	<i>P-value</i>
Male	31 (94%)	17 (94%)	0.94
Age	68±9	67±9	0.66
DM	16 (49%)	8 (44%)	0.78
HTN	17 (51%)	11 (61%)	0.51
H/O Smoking	22 (77%)	14 (82%)	0.79
Dyslipidemia	16 (48%)	11 (61%)	0.39
S-Cr >2.0mg/dL	1 (3%)	2 (11%)	0.14
Atrial fibrillation	3 (9%)	0	0.19

Rutherford Category

	TR (n=33)	TF (n=18)	<i>P-value</i>
1	2 (6%)	1 (6%)	
2	3 (24%)	1 (6%)	
3	24 (75%)	8 (47%)	
4	1 (3%)	3 (17%)	
5	2 (6%)	3 (17%)	
6	0	1 (6%)	
CLI	3 (9%)	7 (40%)	0.009

CTO Location

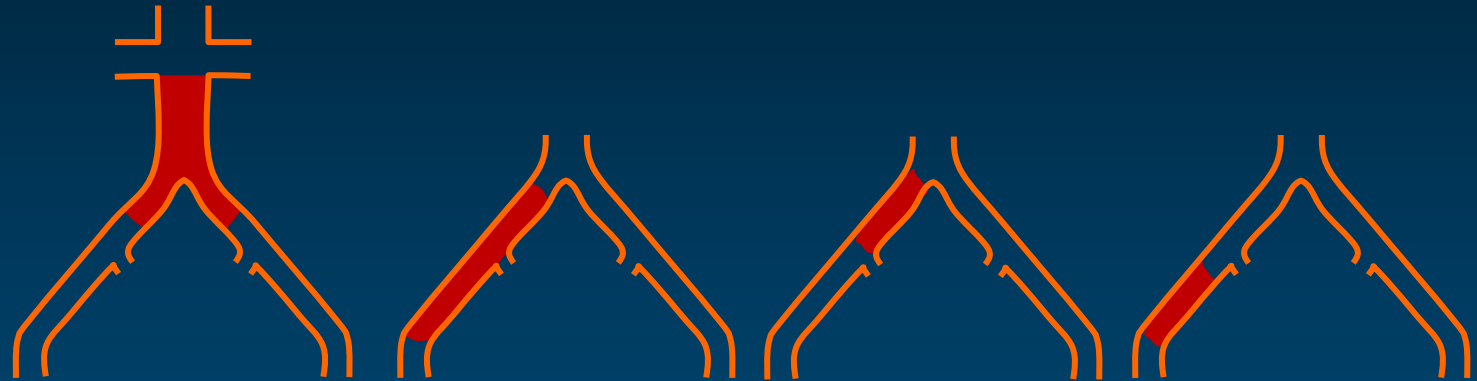
TR group
(n=33)

4(12%)

7(21%)

16(49%)

6(18%)



TF group
(n=18)

0

3 (17%)

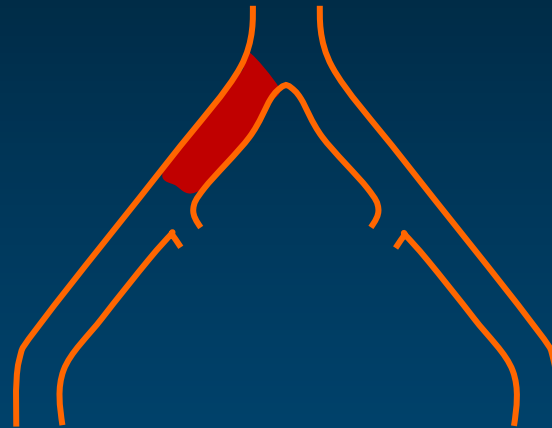
6(34%)

9(49%)

CIA Ostial Stump <5 mm

TR group
(n=33)

12 (36%)



$P=0.03$

TF group
(n=18)

1 (6%)

Techniques for GW Passage

TR group (n=33)

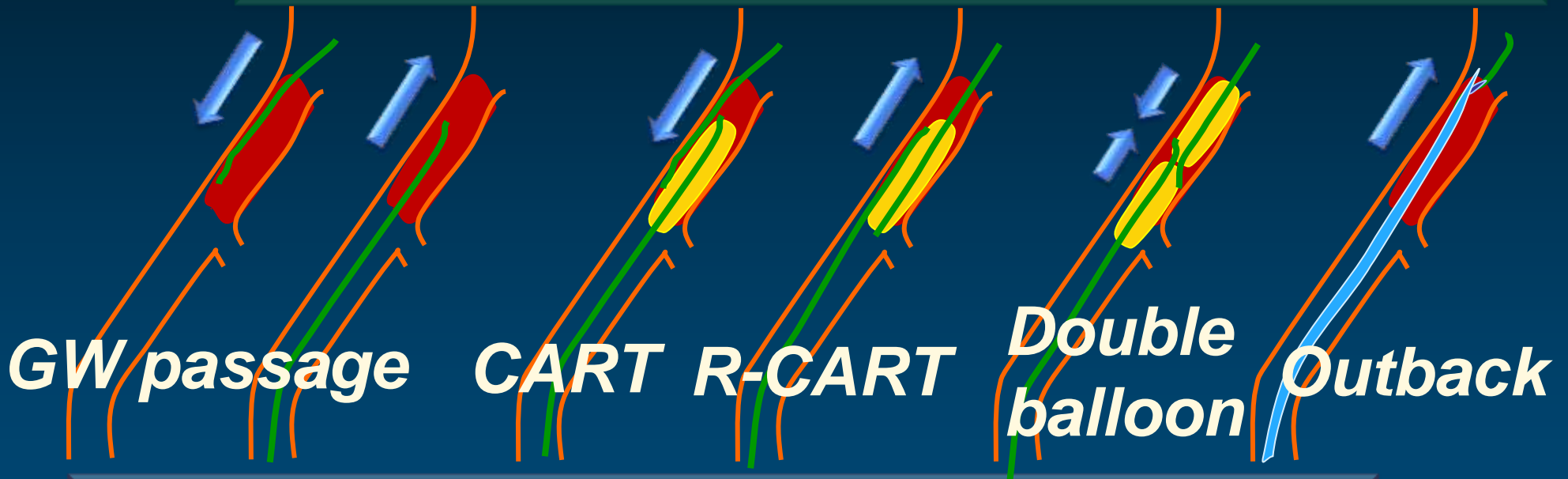
16(49%)

14(42%)

0

1(3%)

2(6%)



GW passage

CART R-CART

Double balloon

Outback

14(78%)

2(11%)

1(6%)

1(6%)

0

TF group (n=18)

Procedural result

	TR (n=33)	TF (n=18)
Procedural success	100%	100%
Access route change	1 (3%)	0
Iliac perforation*	2 (6%)	1 (6%)
Distal embolization	0	1 (6%)
Puncture site bleeding#	0	1 (6%)
Admission duration, days	6±12	10±15
1-month mortality	0	0

* One of each group treated with graft stent implantation

Surgery required retroperitoneal bleeding

Transradial aortoiliac CTO intervention

Advantages

- Less bleeding complication
- Higher success rate
- Does not increase procedural time
- Longer and slender devices available
- Powerful perpendicular back up support for stumpless iliac CTO or hostile aortoiliac angle
- Rapid return to life

Conclusion

For Successful Iliac CTO Intervention

- Appropriate site of access according to CTO location and morphology is considered.
 - Transradial is a good route for proximal approach
- Bidirectional approach such as SAFARI technique is essential technique to avoid dissection beyond CTO segment.
- To reduce rupture risk (CTO, Calcification, Bigger device, High pressure ...):
 - Smaller stent is safer and graft stents should be prepared at any time