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# The COLoSARC project: Strategies for Resection and Reconstruction of the Colon and Rectum in Retroperitoneal Sarcoma Surgery

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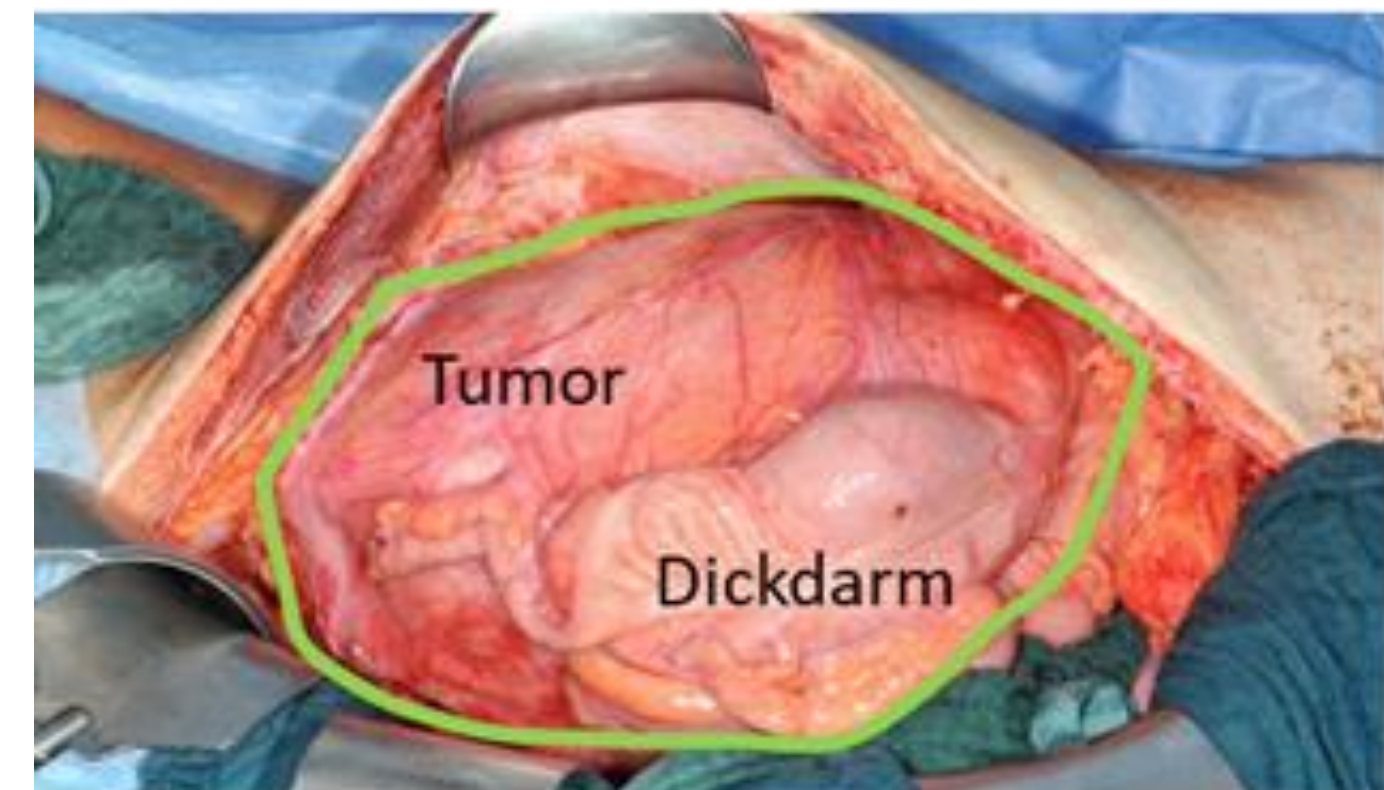
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## Background

- More than 50% of all RPS cases will undergo colorectal resection
- Primary anastomosis is probably aimed for in most cases.
- Anastomotic leakage is a typical risk of colorectal resections that may lead to severe postoperative events (Clavien-Dindo  $\geq 3$  occur in up to 20% of all RPS cases).
- TARPS-WG published a 3% anastomotic leakage rate after radical resection of RPS – while the number of primary anastomoses and primary/secondary stomata was not reported.

# Aims of the COLoSARC project

- Provide an up-to-date assessment of colorectal resections and reconstruction techniques in the context of multivisceral resections for RPS
- Determine the number of primary anastomoses, their leakage rates, and the fraction of patients with primary and secondary stomas.
- Facilitate decision-making for colorectal resections in the context of multivisceral resections.





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# Design of the COLoSARC project

**Cohort:** All cases with colorectal resections

## **Required Data from RESAR:**

- Patient characteristics including preoperative medical conditions and comorbidities
- Tumor and treatment characteristics (e.g. histological subtype, size, preoperative RT)
- Data from Surgery (e.g. number of resected organs, blood loss)
- Colorectal resection and reconstruction techniques (e.g. right hemicolectomy with primary anastomosis, Hartmann's procedure)
- Postoperative adverse events

## **Additional Data (optional):**

- Treatment of anastomotic leakage
- Management after secondary stoma placement



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# THANK YOU

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