



# Scoliosis

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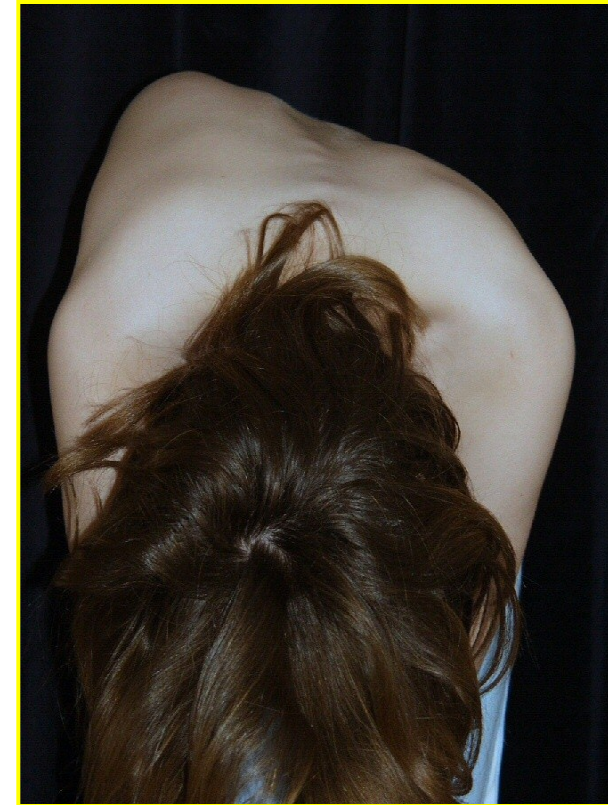
# Scoliosis = 3 D deformity



**Frontální rovina**

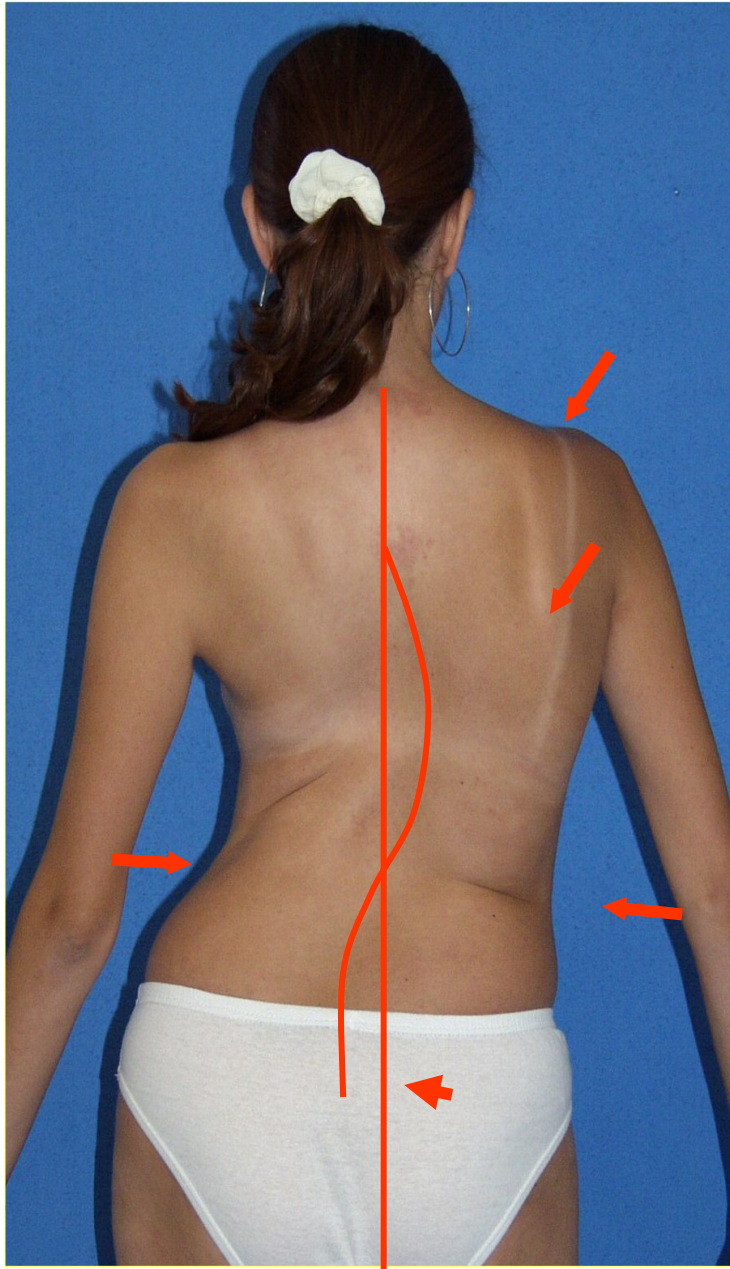


**Sagitální rovina**



**Axiální rovina**





## Shoulder height disbalance

Gibbus – paravertebral prominence

Waist asymetry

Trunk decompensation - frontal plane , C7 plumb line

# Bending forward! = Adams test

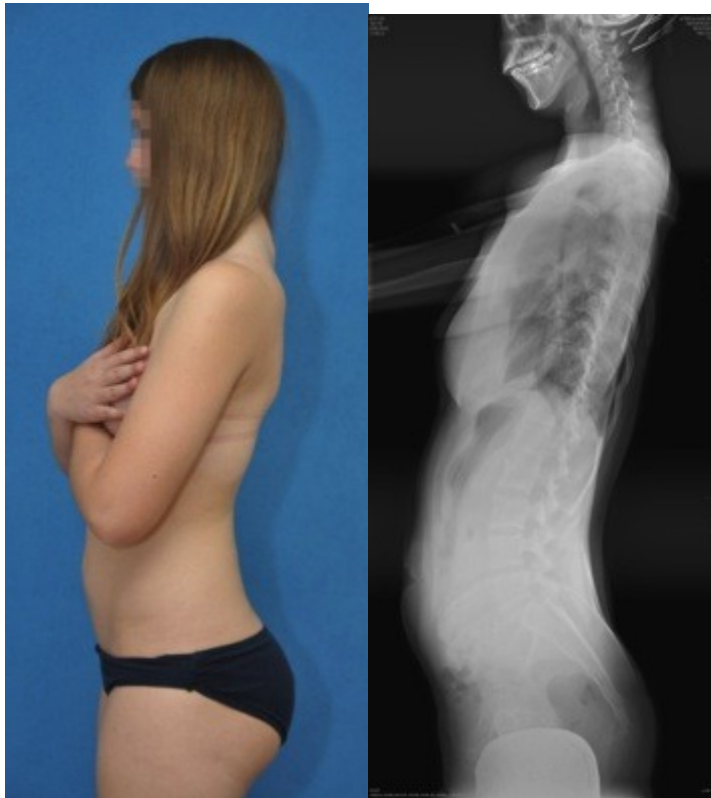




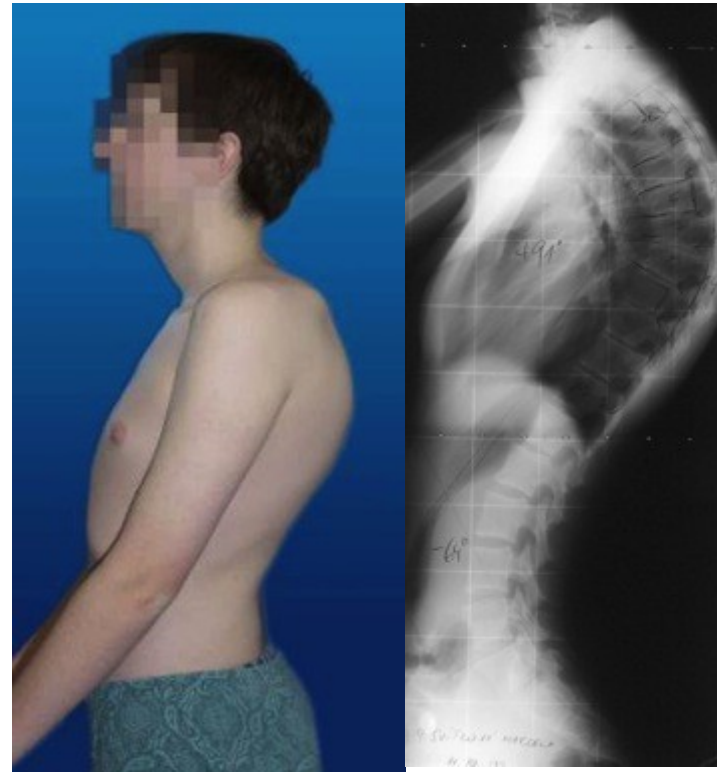
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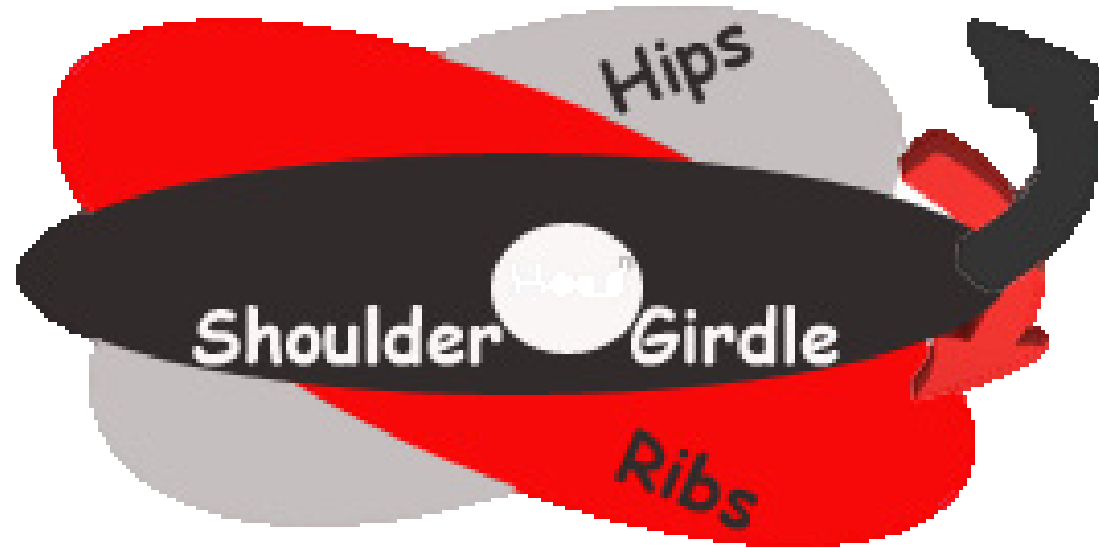
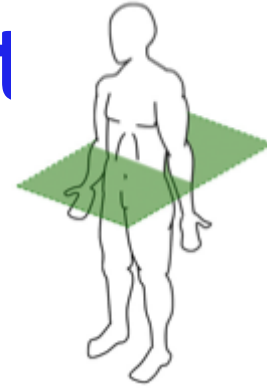
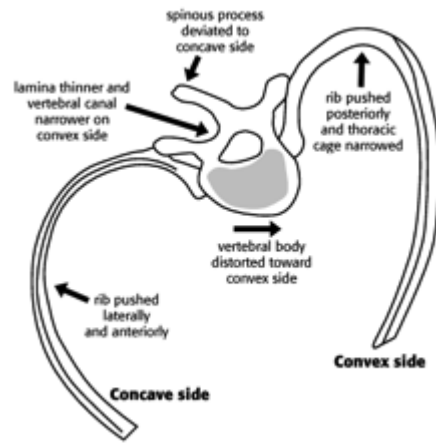
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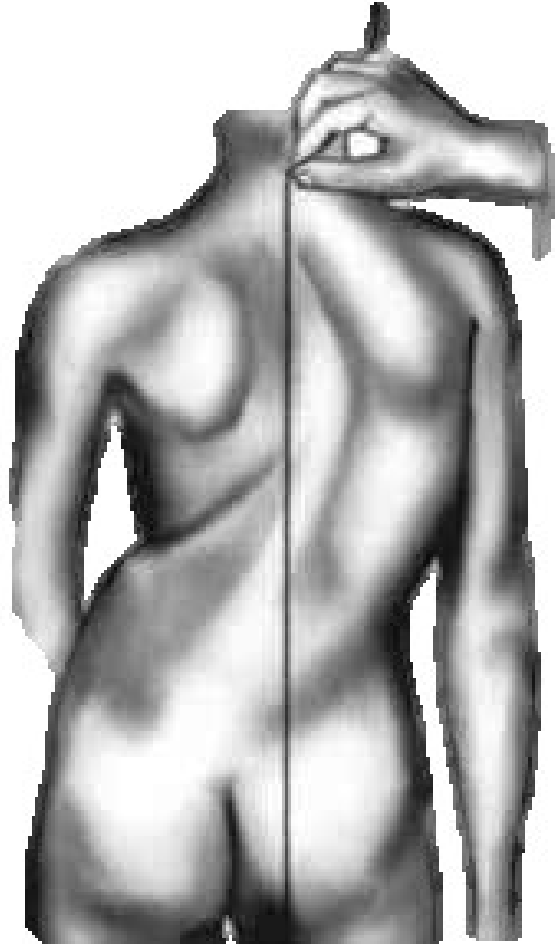
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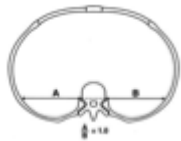
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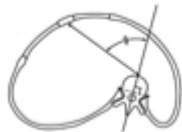
# Scoliotic patient EVALUATION



normal



scoliosis





# X-RAY



AP



lateral

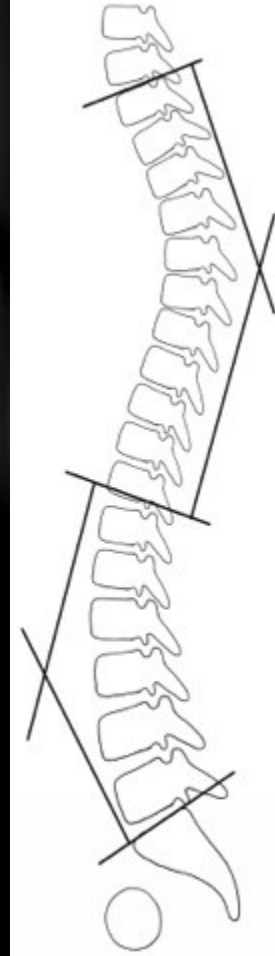
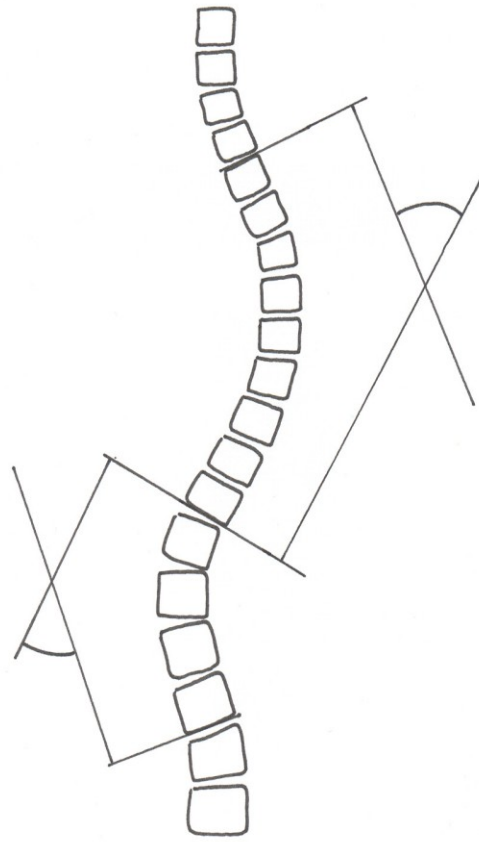
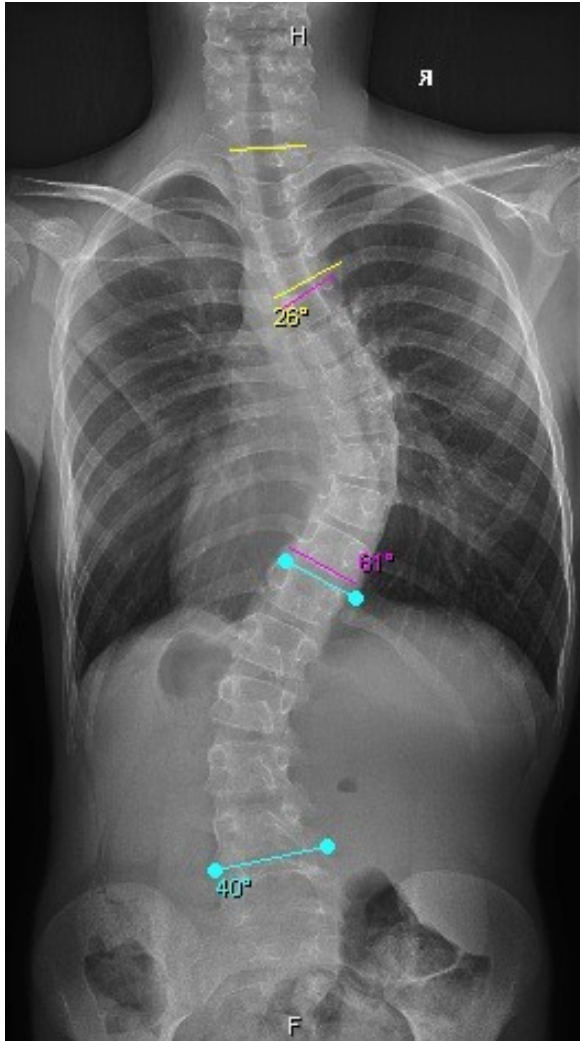


bending



traction

# COBB'S angle



# Descriptive terminology

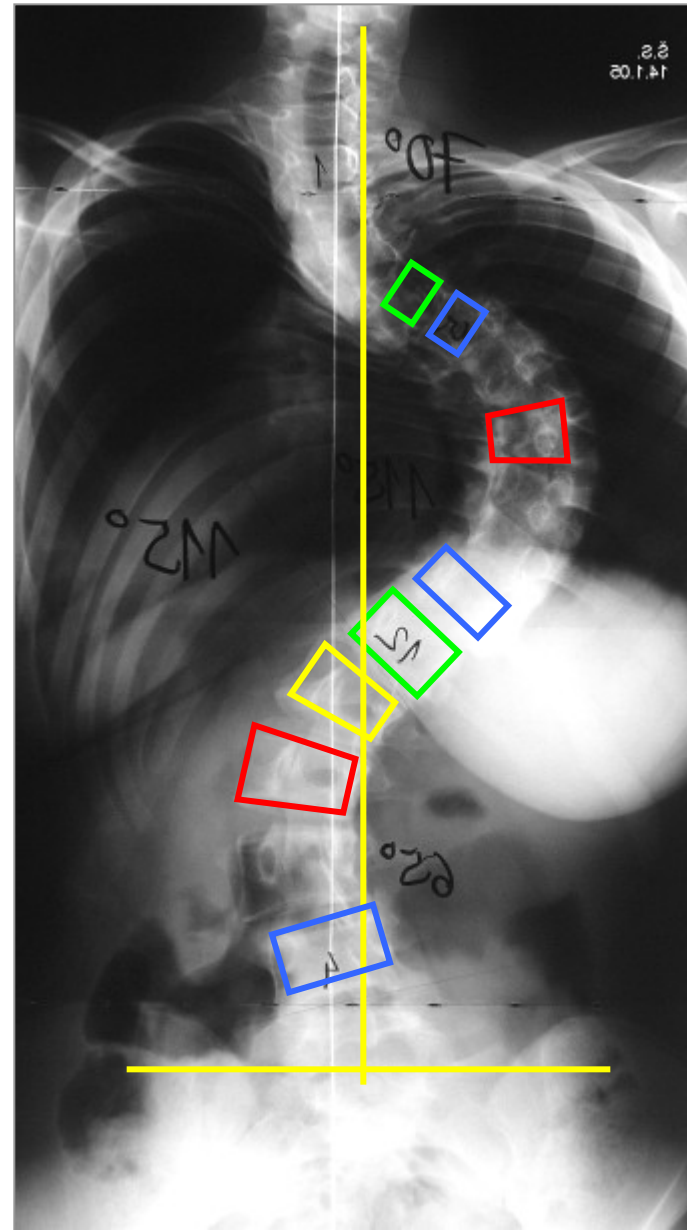
**Apical vertebra**

**End vertebra**

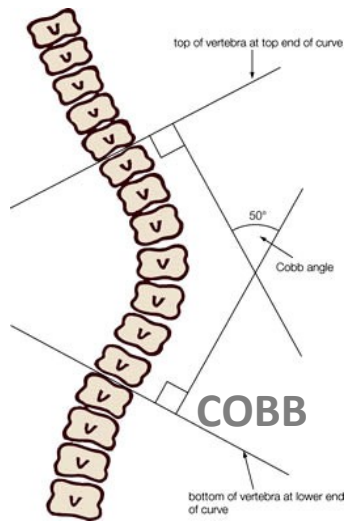
**Neutral vertebra**

**CSVL**

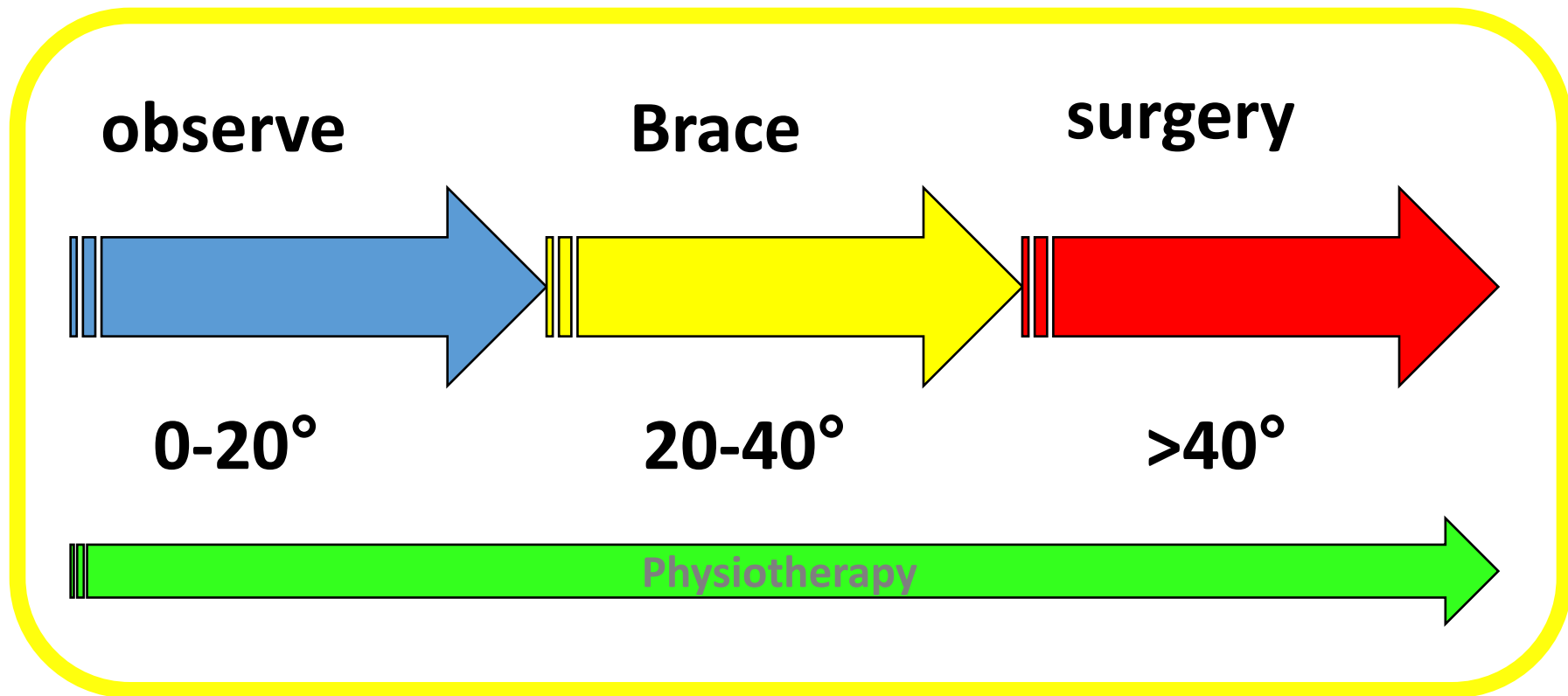
**Stabile vertebra**







# Therapeutic scheme



# Natural evolution of untreated juvenile idiopathic scoliosis

10+5



45°

12+7



50°

14+3



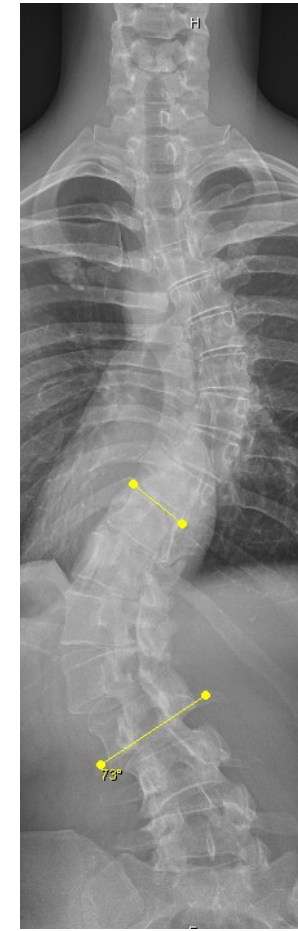
61°

16+5



68°

29+4



73°

# Deformity worsening

**68% pts had progresion even in adult age !**

(Weinstein et al)

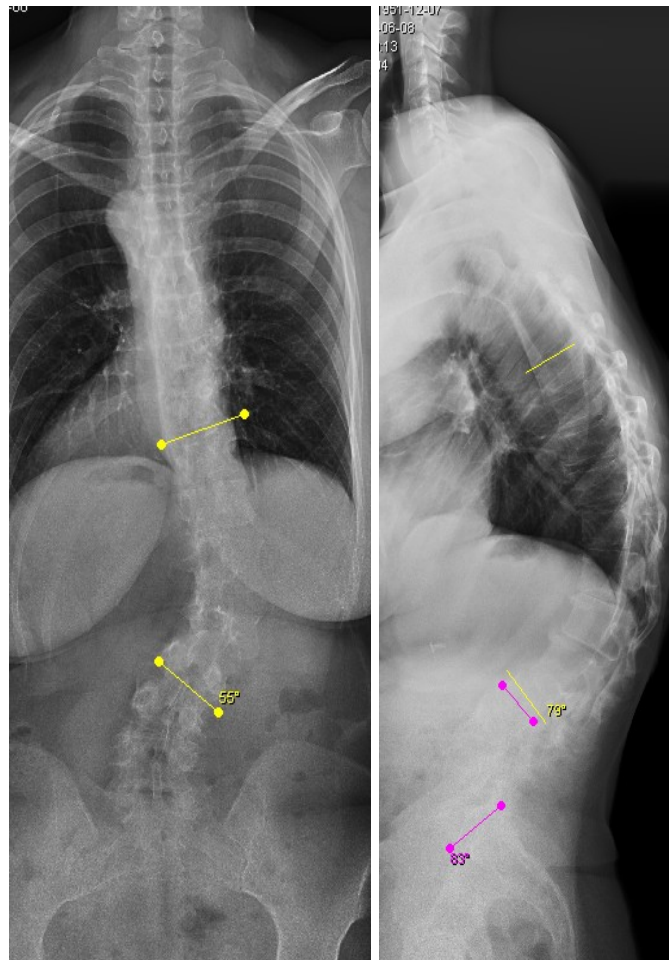
- Thoracic curves - 1 dg./year
- Thoracolumbar curves - 0,5 dg./year
- Lumbar curves - 0,24 dg./year



Sever complication of untreated scoliosis in childhood

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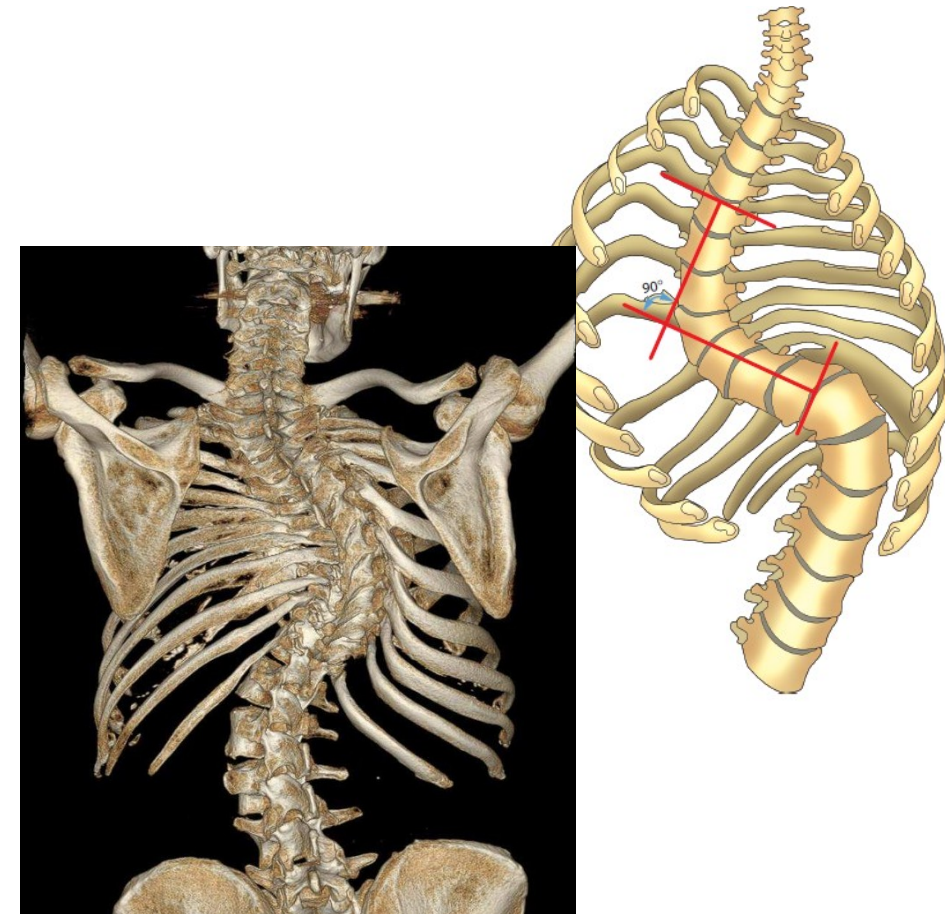
Degenerative changes and cardiopulmonary insufficiency



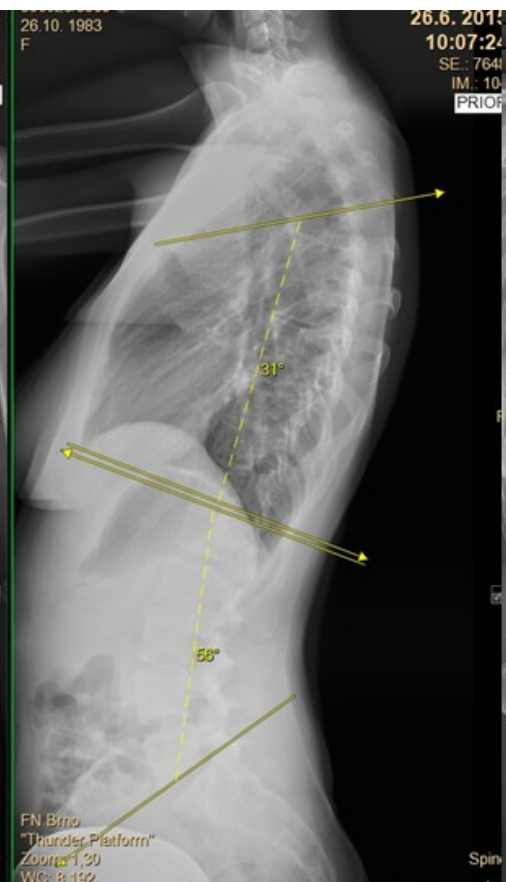
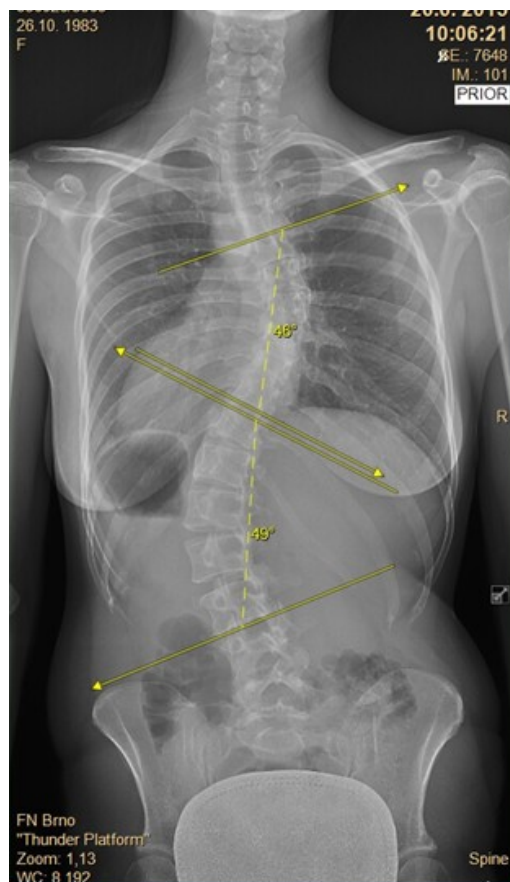
Spine arthritis



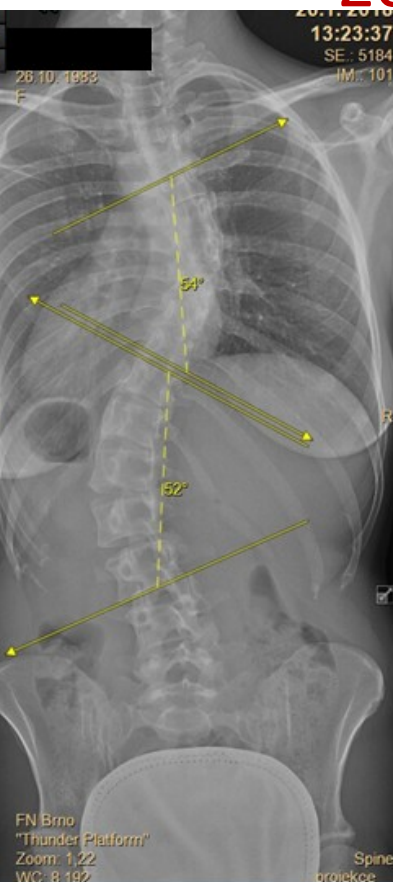
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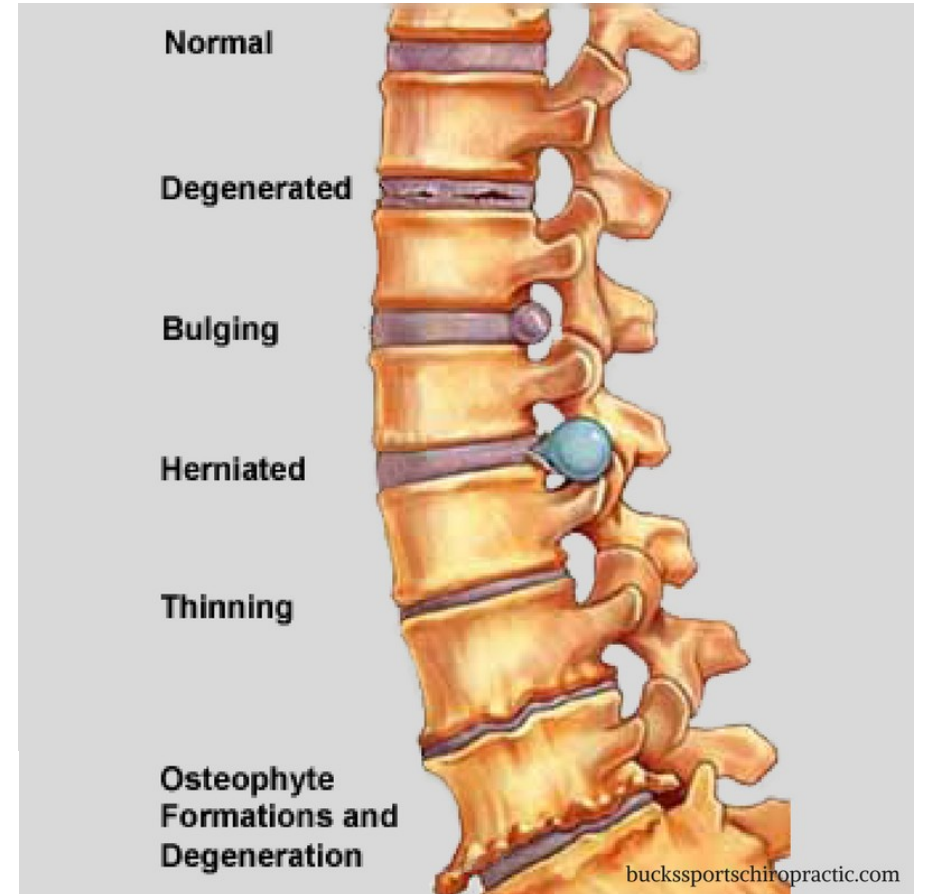
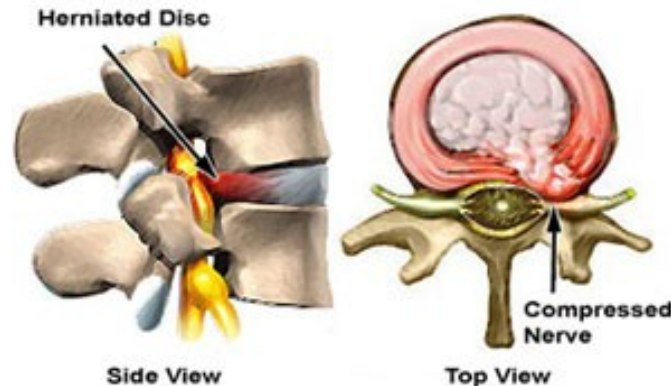


32 let

35 let

# Risks of curve progression

- Progressive oppression of intra-abdominal organs
  - Heart + Lungs
  - Indigestion
- **Degeneration of spine structures**
  - Intervertebral joints
  - Intervertebral disc->  
production of osteophytes with possible nerve compression !



# Goals of scoliosis surgery in childhood

- **Stop deformity progression**
- **Correction of deformity**
- **Improvement of cardiopulmonary functions**
- **Prevention of degenerative spine changes**



# Scoliosis surgery in adult age

- **Higher** surgery risks with **lower success** rate of deformity correction
- Often associated with nerve impairment
- Difficult tolerance of corrected torso and spine position
- Slow postoperative convalescence (pain)
  - long-term rehabilitation care is required



# Surgical risks in general

## From GA

- Venous thrombosis
- Pulmonary embolism
- Nausea, vomiting, rhythm disorders, etc.

## Chirurgické

- Surgical wound infection
  - ATB therapy
- Bleeding
  - blood transfusion

# Surgical risks specific for scoliosis surgery

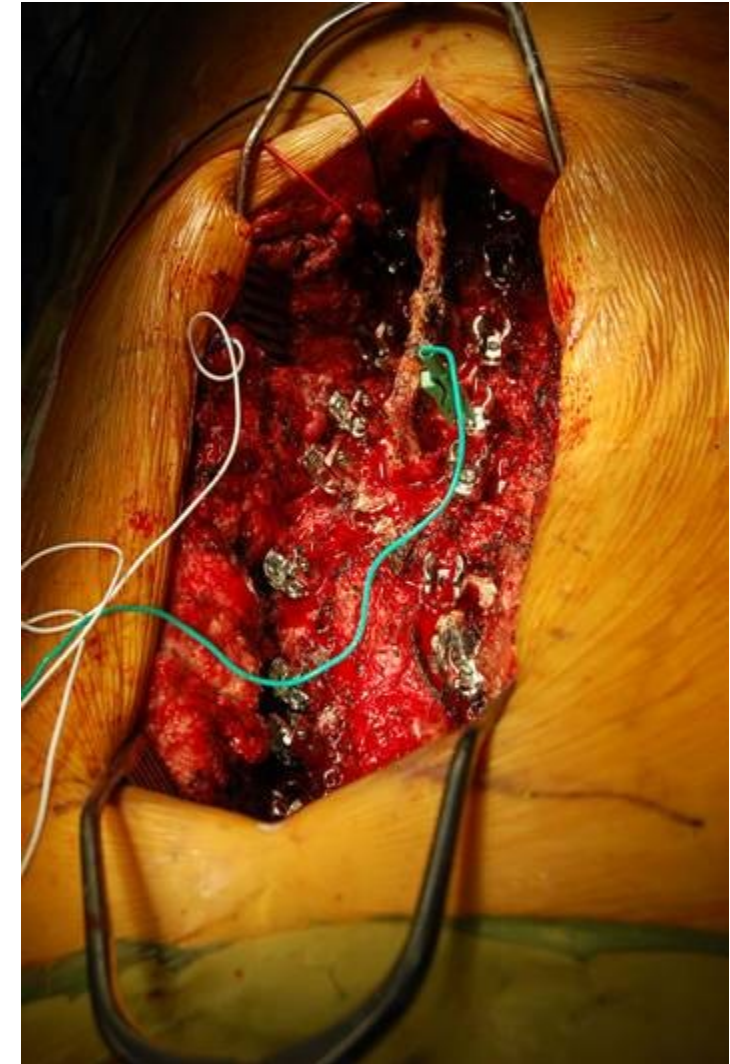
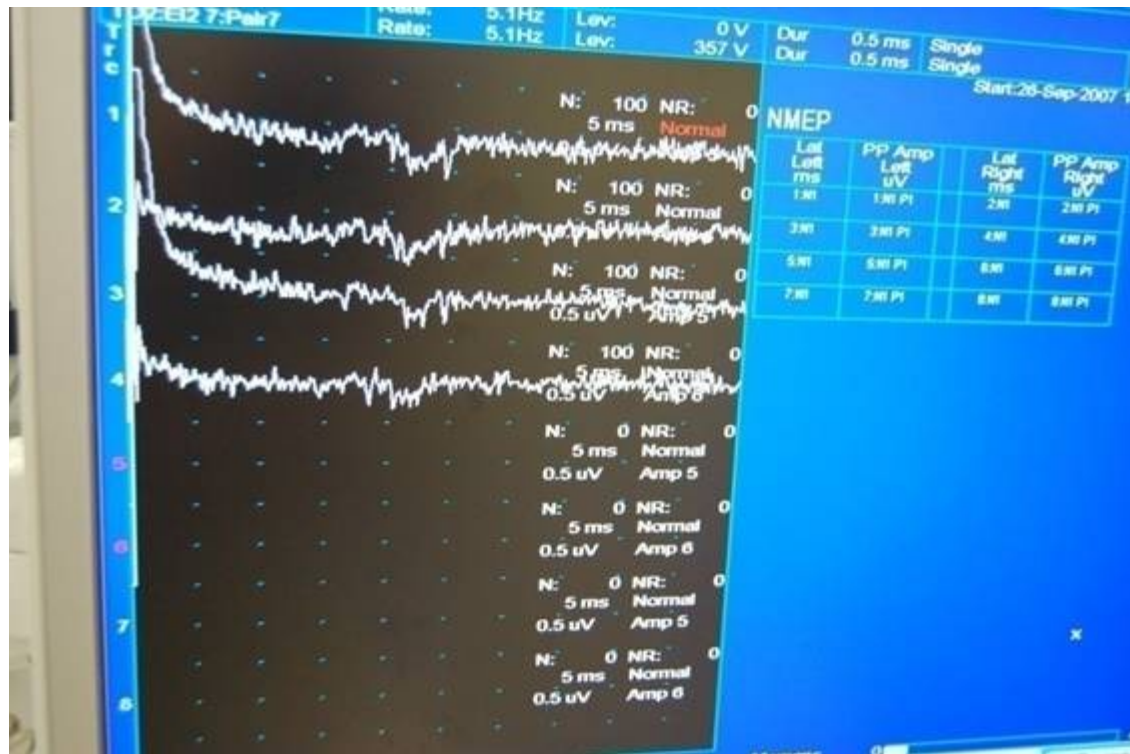
- Increased postoperative pain due to stretching of shortened muscles - in each patient
- Paralysis due to surgery
  - For thoracic and lumbar curves it refers to the lower limbs  
Very rare complication, but very serious as a result.

# MEP – motor evoked potentials (SSEP)

- Monitoring of nervous system functionality during surgery
- It enables immediate reaction to the problem and thus minimizes the risk of permanent nervous disability

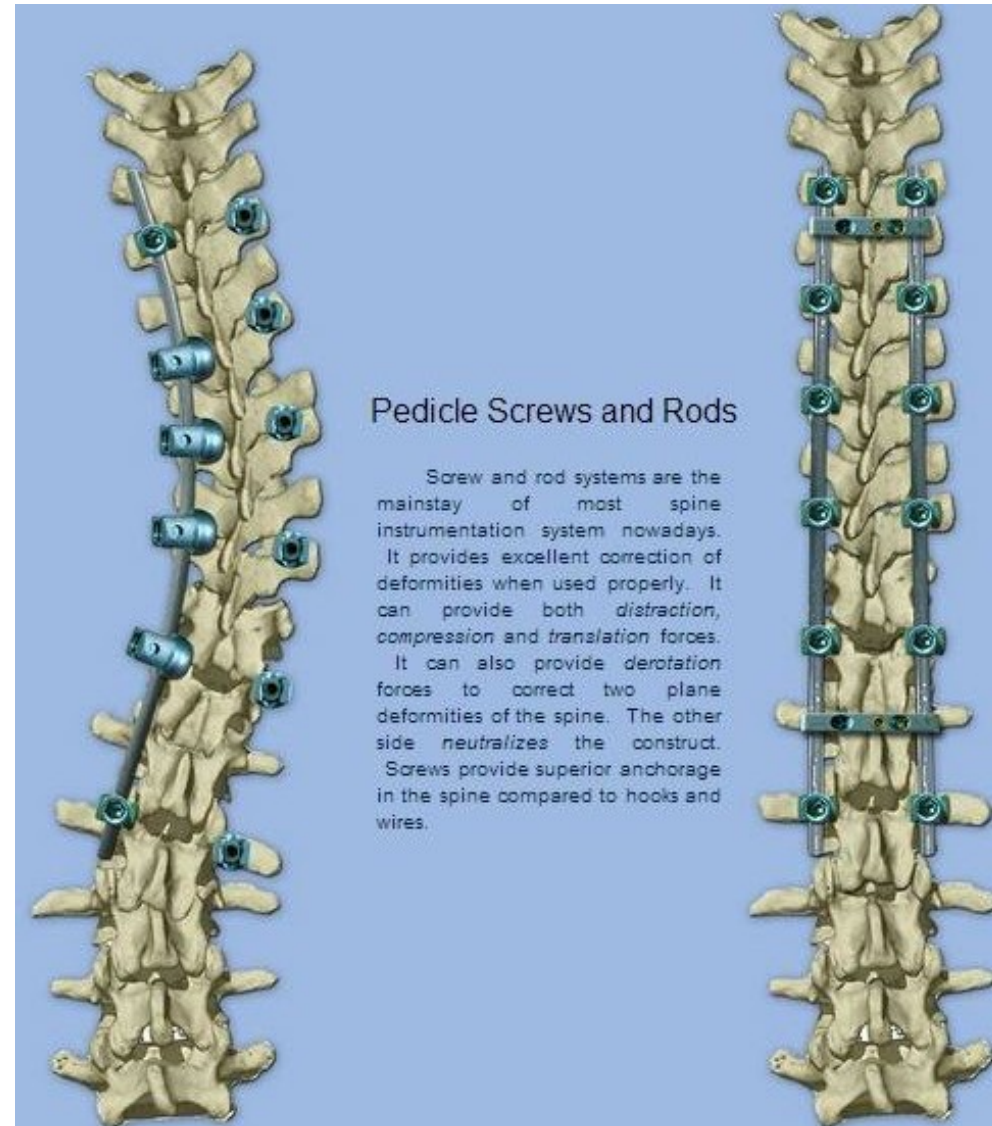


# MEP – motor evoked potentials (SSEP) SEP a MEP



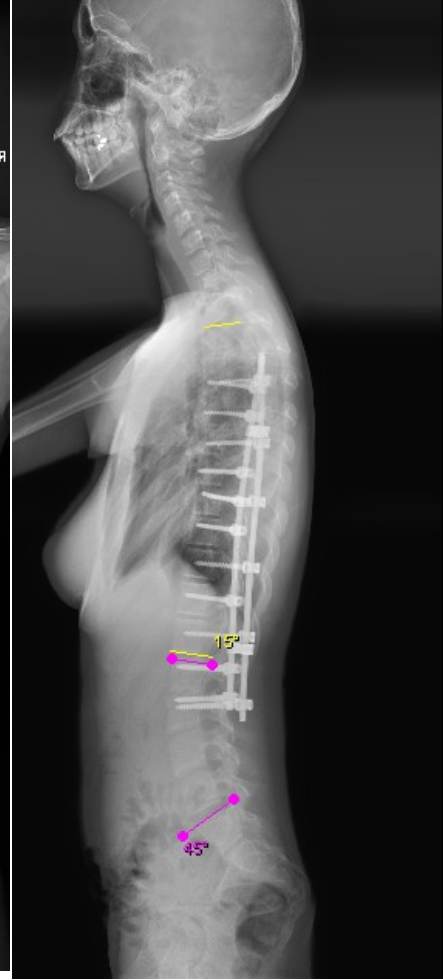
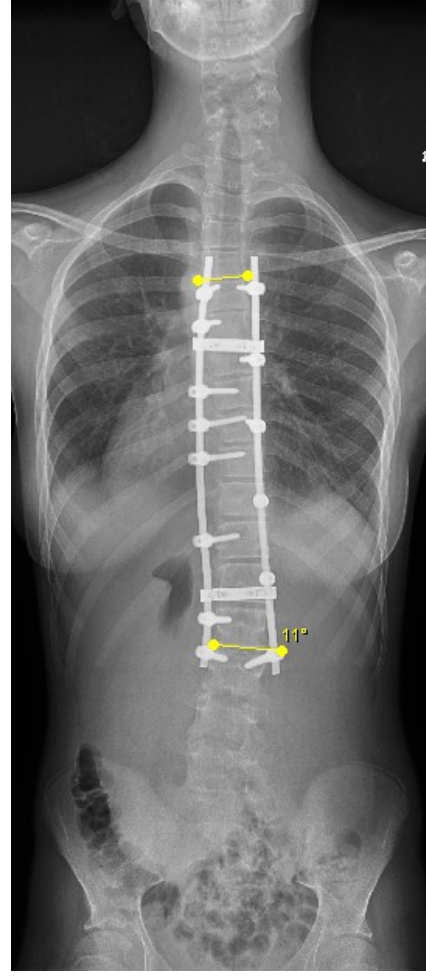
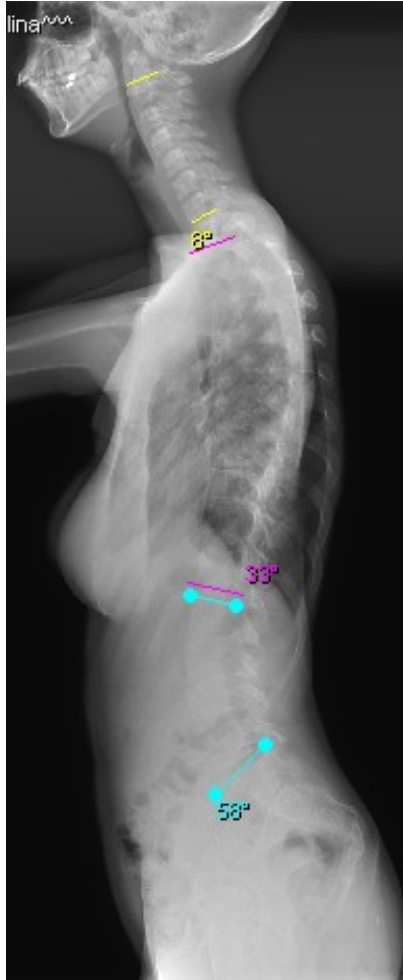
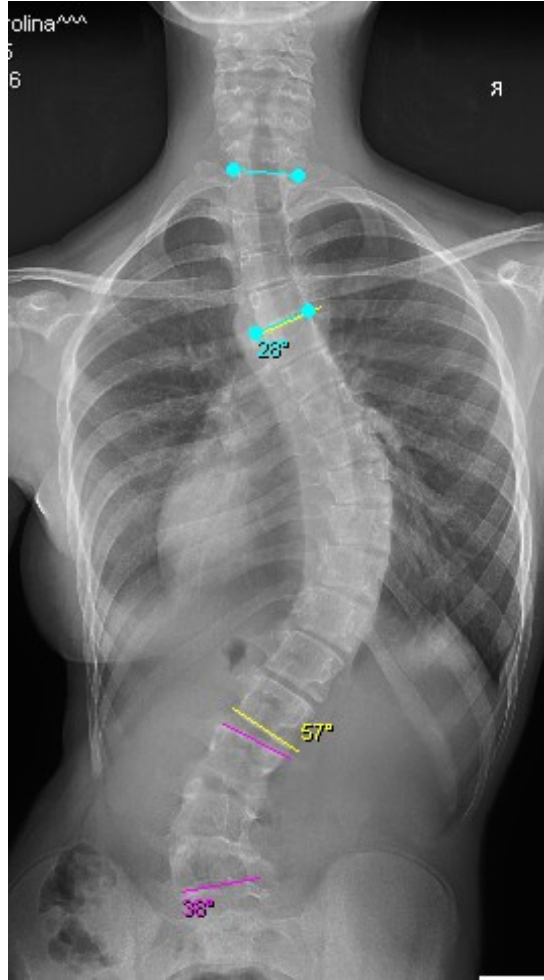
# Method of surgical scoliosis treatment.

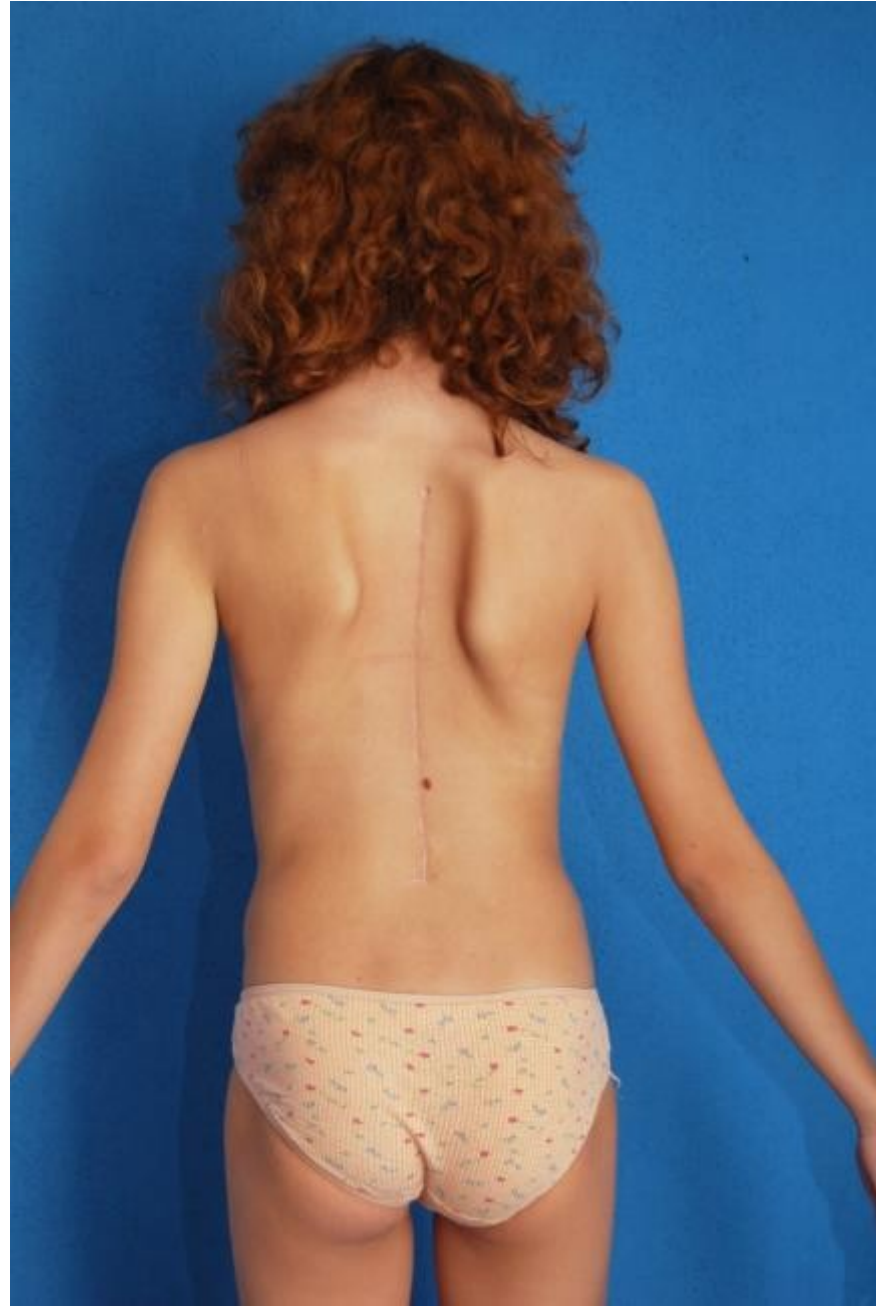
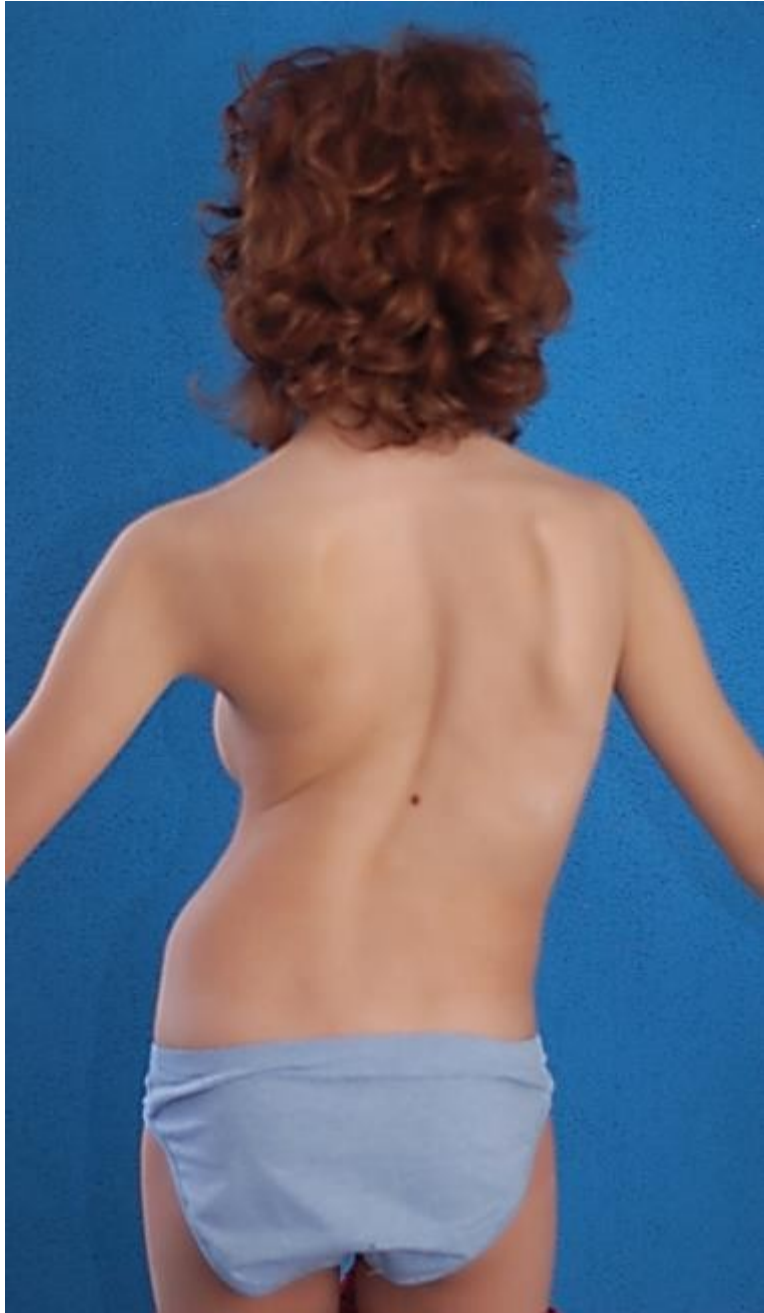
- Transpedicular screws
- Bended rods
- Bone grafts (autografts, allografts)
- = INTERVERTEBRAL FUSION











# Základní pojmy popisné

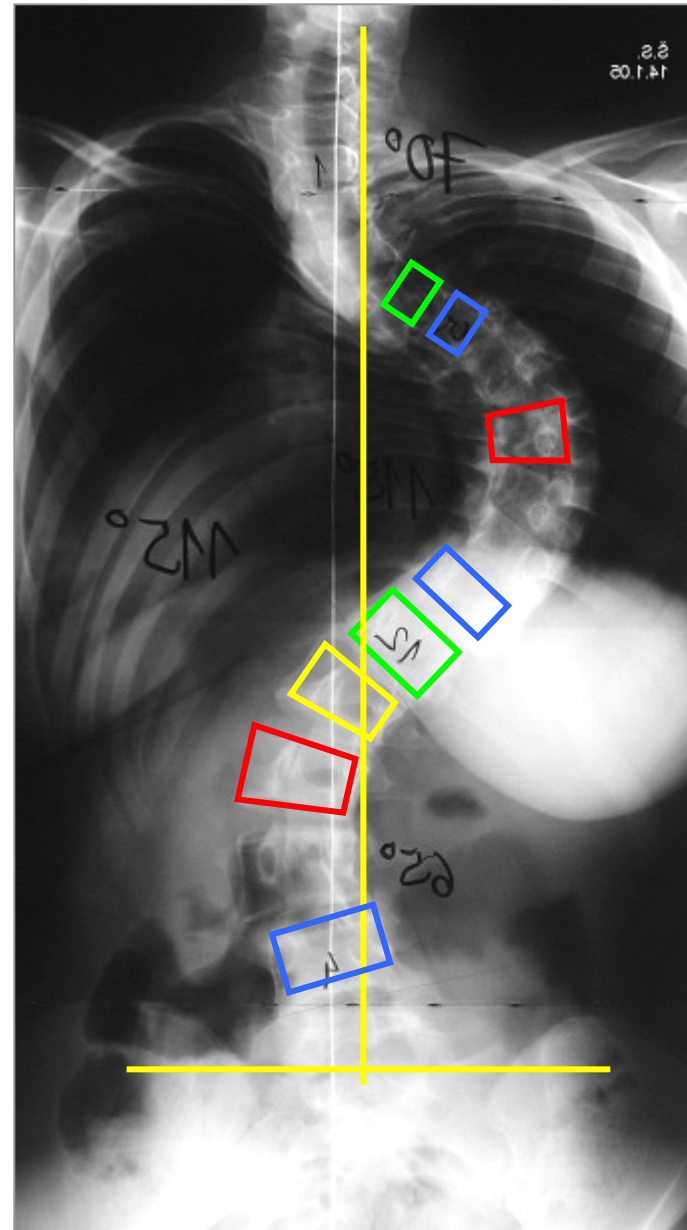
**Apical vertebra**

**End vertebra**

**Neutral vertebra**

**CSVL**

**Stabile vertebra**



# Scoliosis types due to ethiology

- Idiopathic.....4/5 **80%**
  - infantile
  - juvenile
  - adolescent
- Neuromuscular
  - neuropathic
  - myopathic
- Syndromic - Neurofibromatosis
- Secondary
  - postural
  - tumors
  - Other syndromes(Marfan, Ehlers-Danlos.....)
- Histerical
- Degenerative



# Scoliosis types due to ethiology

## TYPU deformity

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- Idiopathic
- Congenital
- Neuromuscular

## VĚKU pacienta

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- Infantile  
< 3 y
- Juvenile  
4-10 y
- Adolescent  
11-17 y
- Adult  
> 17 y

# SCOLIOSIS

= 3 dimensional deformity



Coronal plane

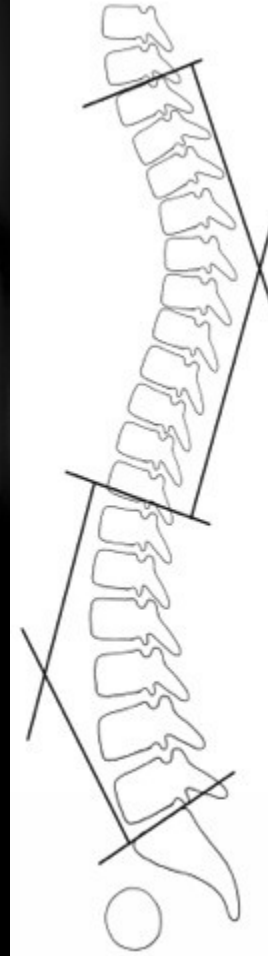
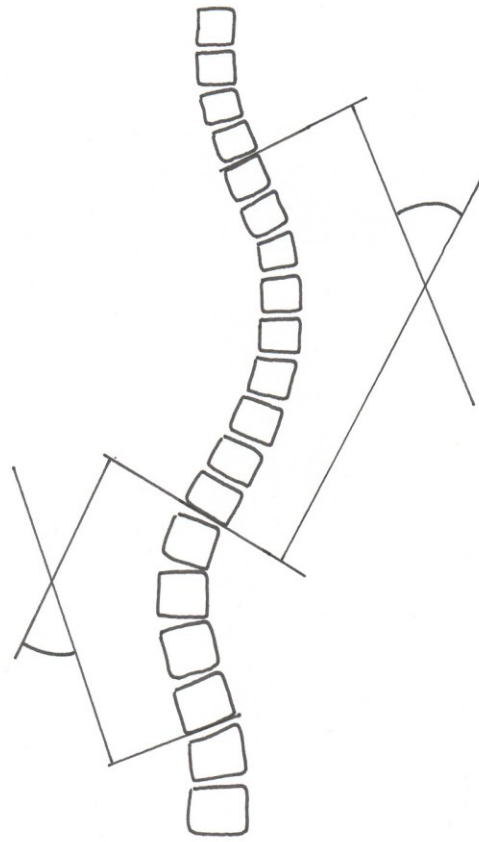
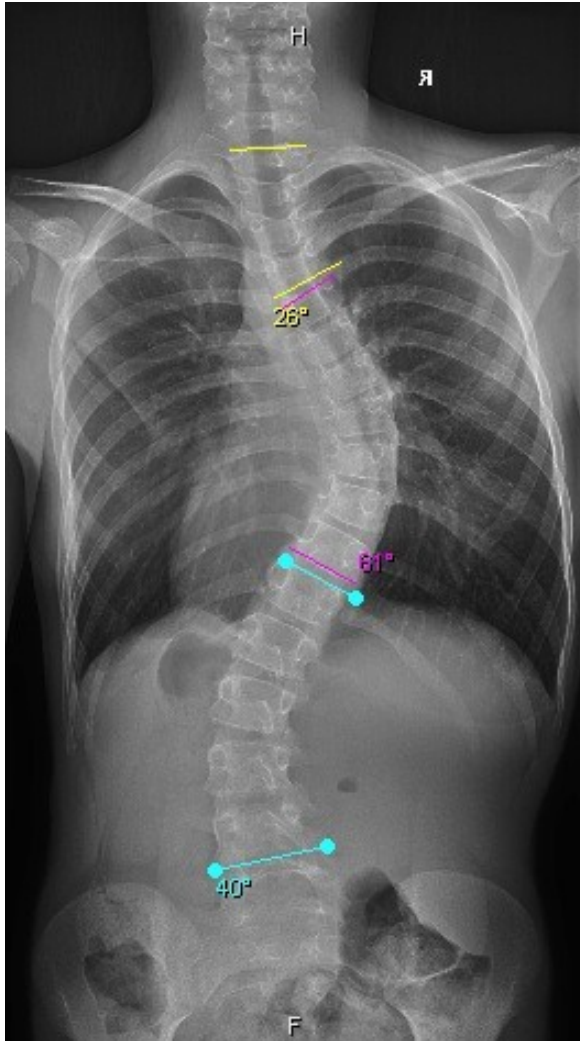


Sagittal plane



Transverse plane

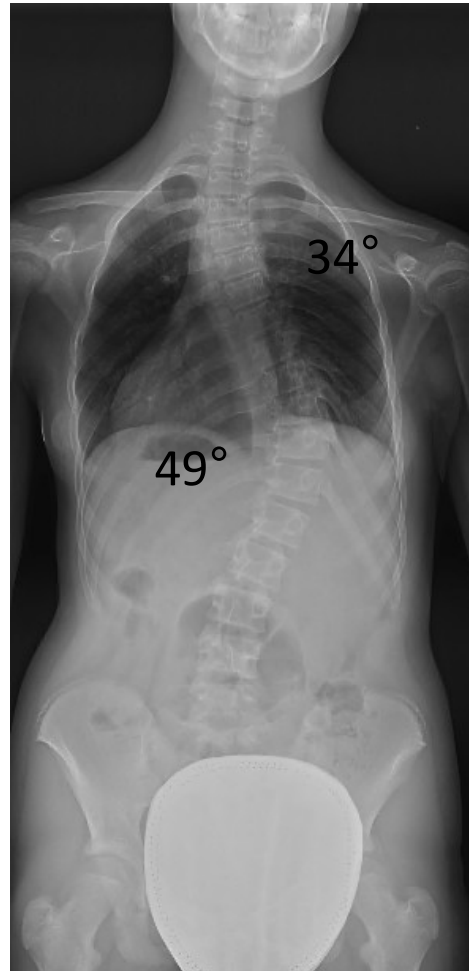
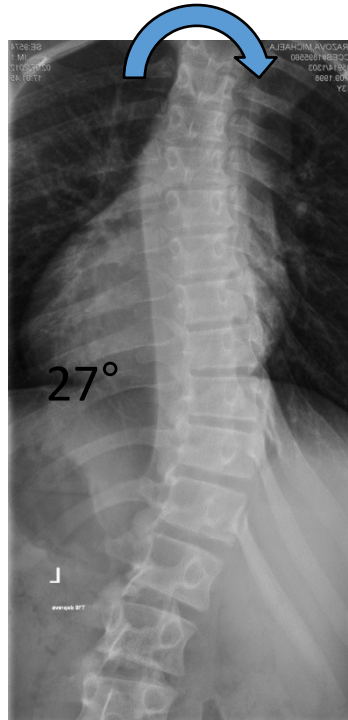
# COBB'S angle



# Essentially distinguish between:

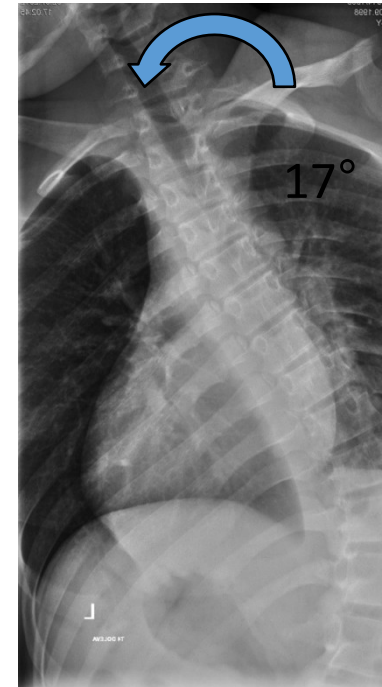
Structural  
curve

bending  $>25$



Non-structural  
curve

bending  $<25$



# EVOLUTION in scoliotic classifications

**KING-MOE**



**LENKE**



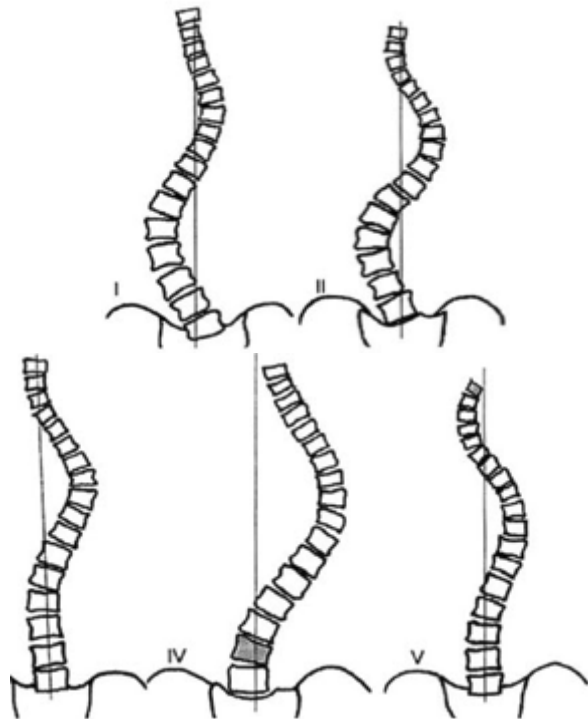
**3D**

**1D**

**2D**

**frontal**

**frontal+sagittal**



Lumbar Spine Modifier	Curve Type (1-6)					
	Type 1 (Main Thoracic)	Type 2 (Double Thoracic)	Type 3 (Double Major)	Type 4 (Triple Major)	Type 5 (TLA)	Type 6 (TLA-MT)
<b>A</b> (No to Minimal Curve)	1A*	2A*	3A*	4A*		
<b>B</b> (Moderate Curve)	1B*	2B*	3B*	4B*		
<b>C</b> (Large Curve)	1C*	2C*	3C*	4C*	5C*	6C*
Possible Sagittal structural criteria (To determine specific curve type)	Normal	PT Kyphosis	TL Kyphosis	PT + TL Kyphosis		

???

\* T5-12 sagittal alignment modifier: -, N, or +  
 -: <10°  
 N: 10-40°  
 +: >40°





# LENKE's classification

- **Curve type**
- **Lumbar spine modifier**
- **Thoracic sagittal profile**



# LENKE's classification

- **Curve type**

Type	Proximal Thoracic	Main Thoracic	Thoracolumbar/Lumbar	Description
<b>1</b>	Non-Structural	Structural (Major)*	Non-Structural	Main Thoracic (MT)
<b>2</b>	Structural	Structural (Major)*	Non-Structural	Double Thoracic (DT)
<b>3</b>	Non-Structural	Structural (Major)*	Structural	Double Major (DM)
<b>4</b>	Structural	Structural (Major)*	Structural (Major)*	Triple Major (TM) <sup>§</sup>
<b>5</b>	Non-Structural	Non-Structural	Structural (Major)*	Thoracolumbar/Lumbar (TL/L)
<b>6</b>	Non-Structural	Structural	Structural (Major)*	Thoracolumbar/Lumbar-Main Thoracic (TL/L-MT)

### STRUCTURAL CRITERIA (Minor Curves)

Proximal Thoracic - Side Bending Cobb  $\geq 25^\circ$   
 - T2-T5 Kyphosis  $\geq +20^\circ$

Main Thoracic - Side Bending Cobb  $\geq 25^\circ$   
 - T10-L2 Kyphosis  $\geq +20^\circ$

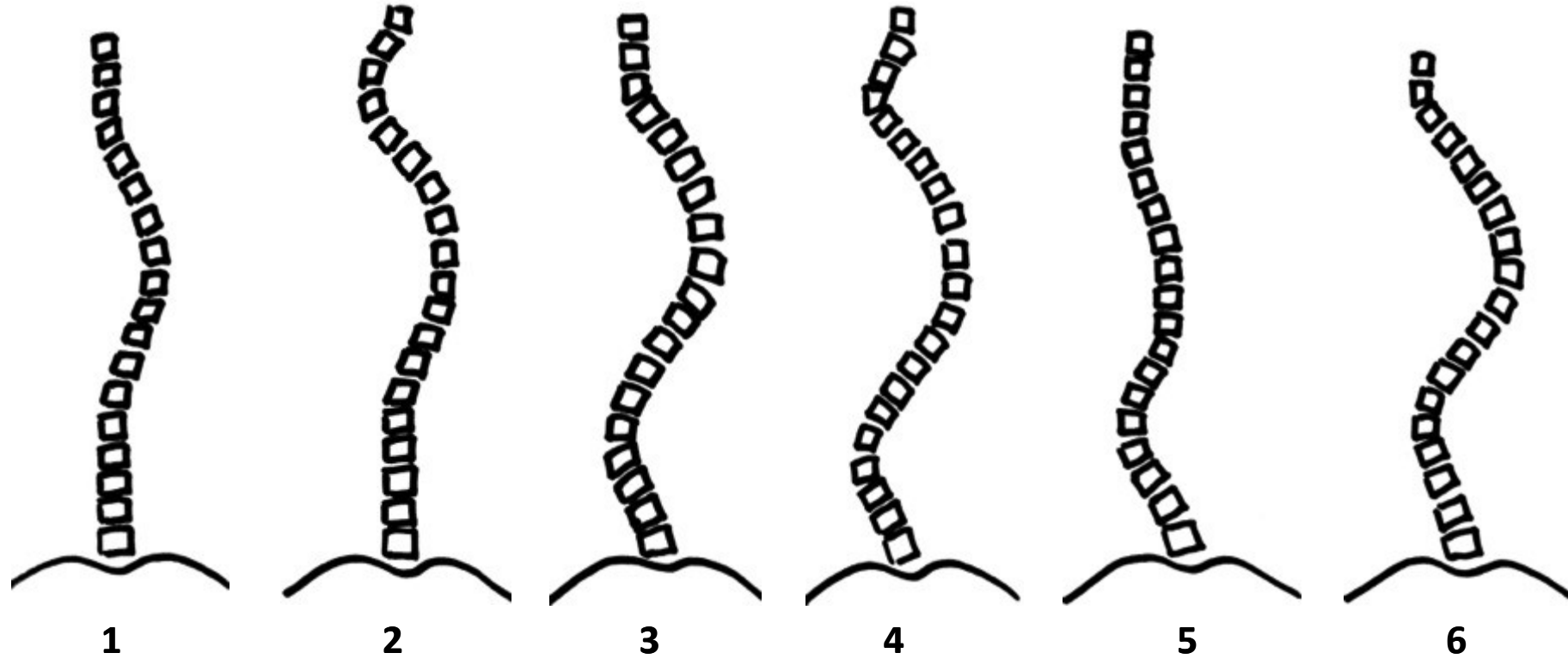
Thoracolumbar/Lumbar - Side Bending Cobb  $\geq 25^\circ$   
 - T10-L2 Kyphosis  $\geq +20^\circ$

\*Major = Largest Cobb measurement, always structural  
 Minor = All other curves with structural criteria applied  
<sup>§</sup>Type 4 - MT or TL/L can be major curve

### LOCATION OF APEX (SRS Definition)

<u>CURVE</u>	<u>APEX</u>
Thoracic	T2-T11/12 Disc
Thoracolumbar	T12-L1
Thoracolumbar/Lumbar	L1/2 Disc-L4

# Lenke's classification curve types



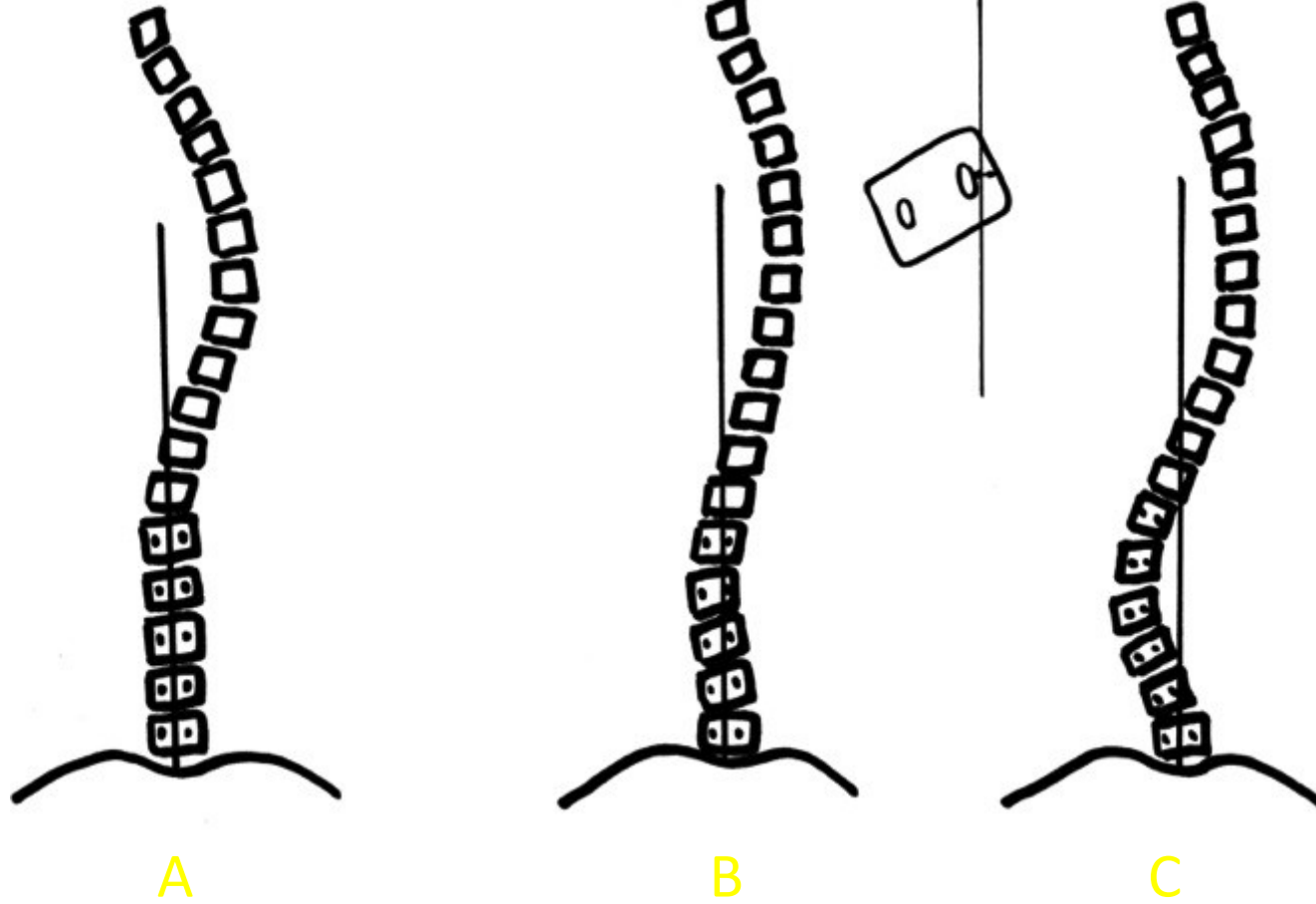


# LENKE's classification

- **Lumbar spine modifier**

Lumbar Spine Modifier	CSVL to Lumbar Apex	
<b>A</b>	CSVL between pedicles	
<b>B</b>	CSVL touches apical body(ies)	
<b>C</b>	CSVL completely medial	

# Lenke's classification lumbar parameter





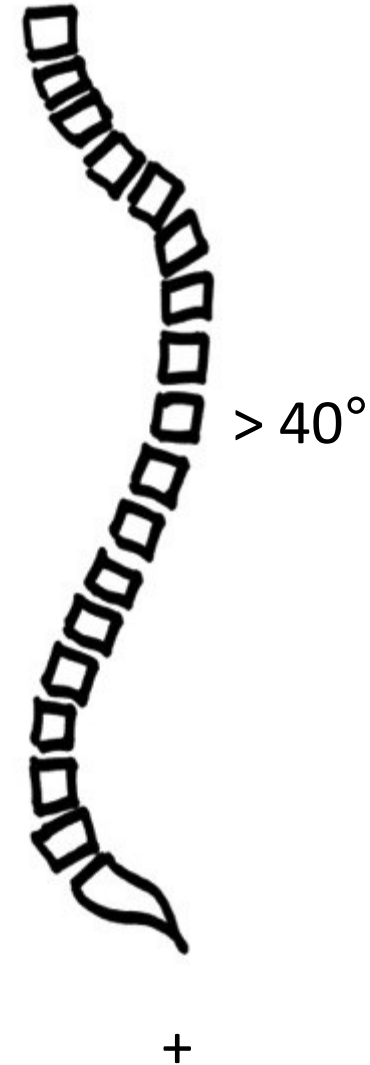
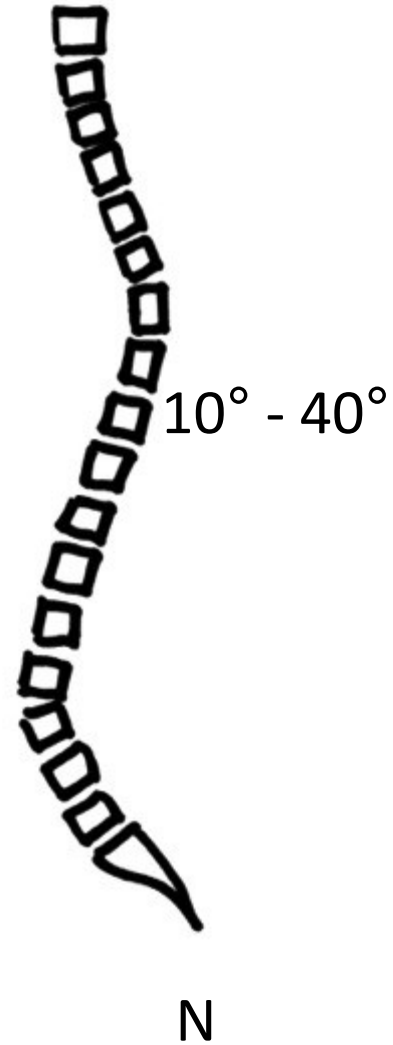
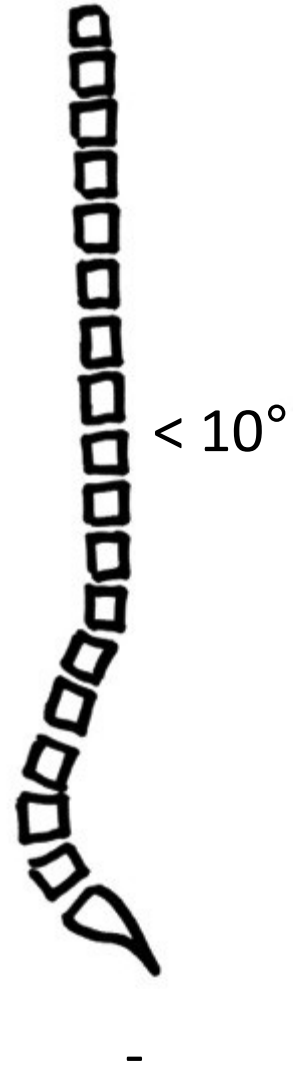


# LENKE's classification

- **Thoracic sagittal profile**

Thoracic Sagittal Profile T5-T12	
- (Hypo)	$< 10^\circ$
<b>N</b> (Normal)	$10^\circ - 40^\circ$
<b>+</b> (Hyper)	$> 40^\circ$

# Lenke's classification sagittal parameter



# Lenke's classification

## EXAMPLES

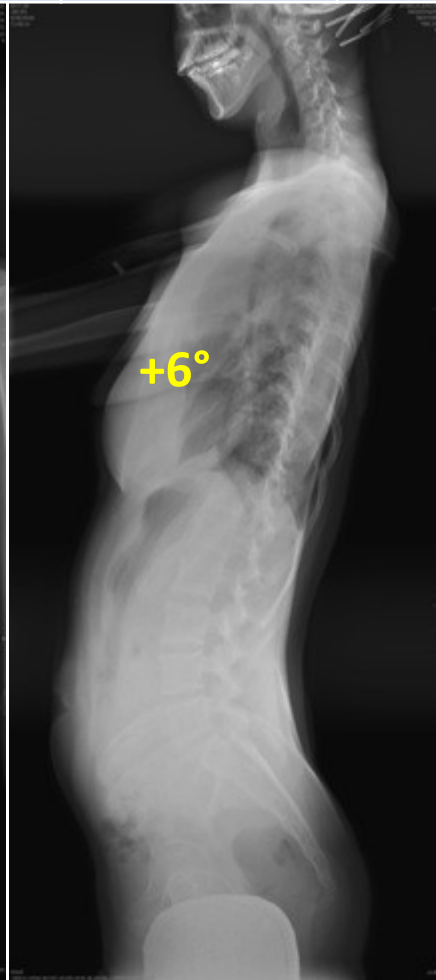
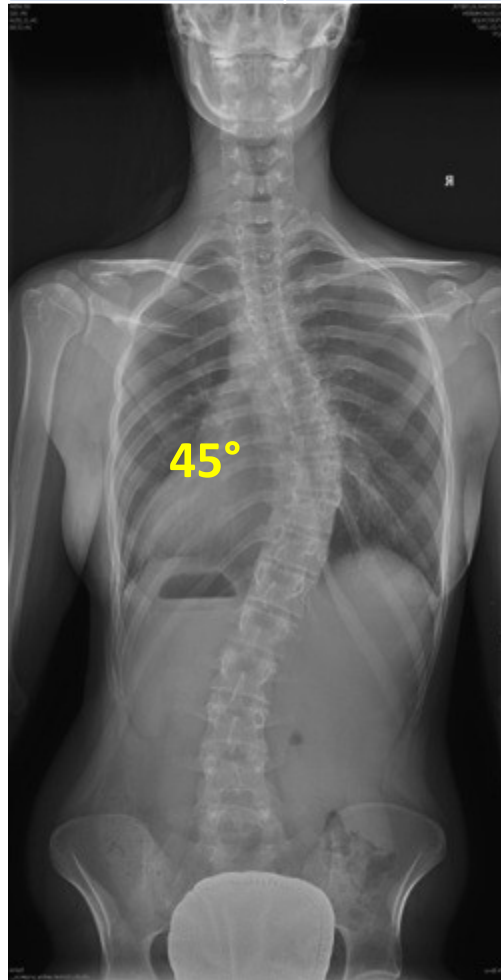
> 40°

# Lenke 1

# Lenke 1A-

Girl 13+9

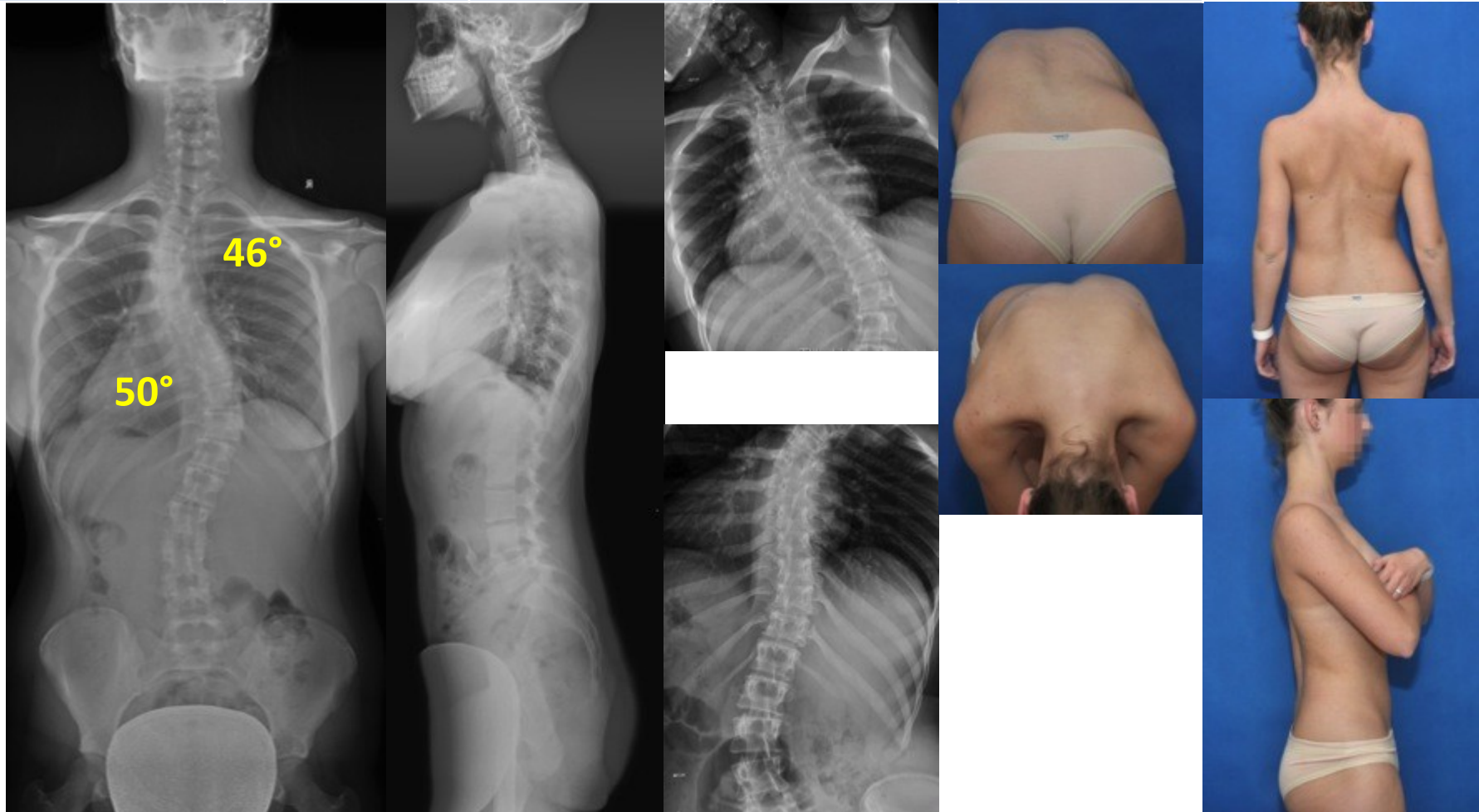
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1	Non-Structural	Structural (Major)	Non-Structural	MT (Main Thoracic)



# Lenke 2

Girl 14+1

type	Proximal thoracic	Main thoracic	Thoracolumbar/lumbar	Description
2	Structural	Structural (Major)	Non-Structural	DT (Double Thoracic)

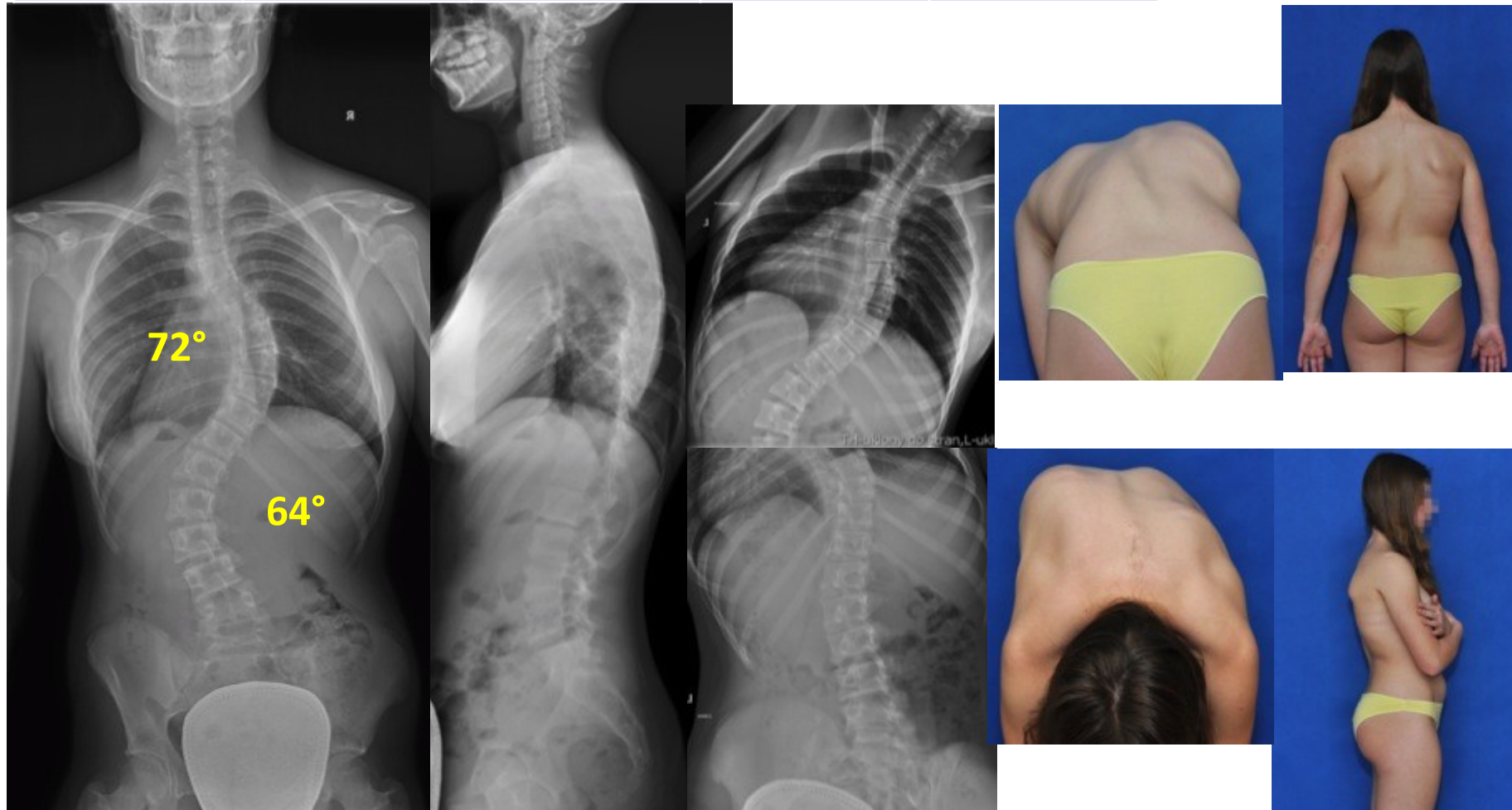




# Lenke 3

Girl 14+2

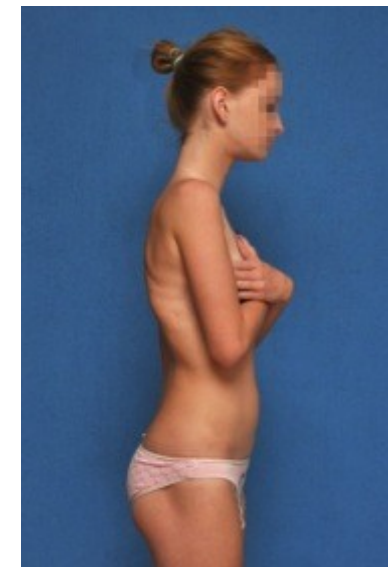
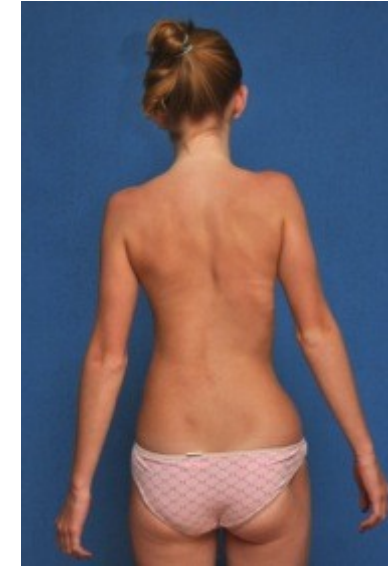
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# Lenke 4

Girl 12+9

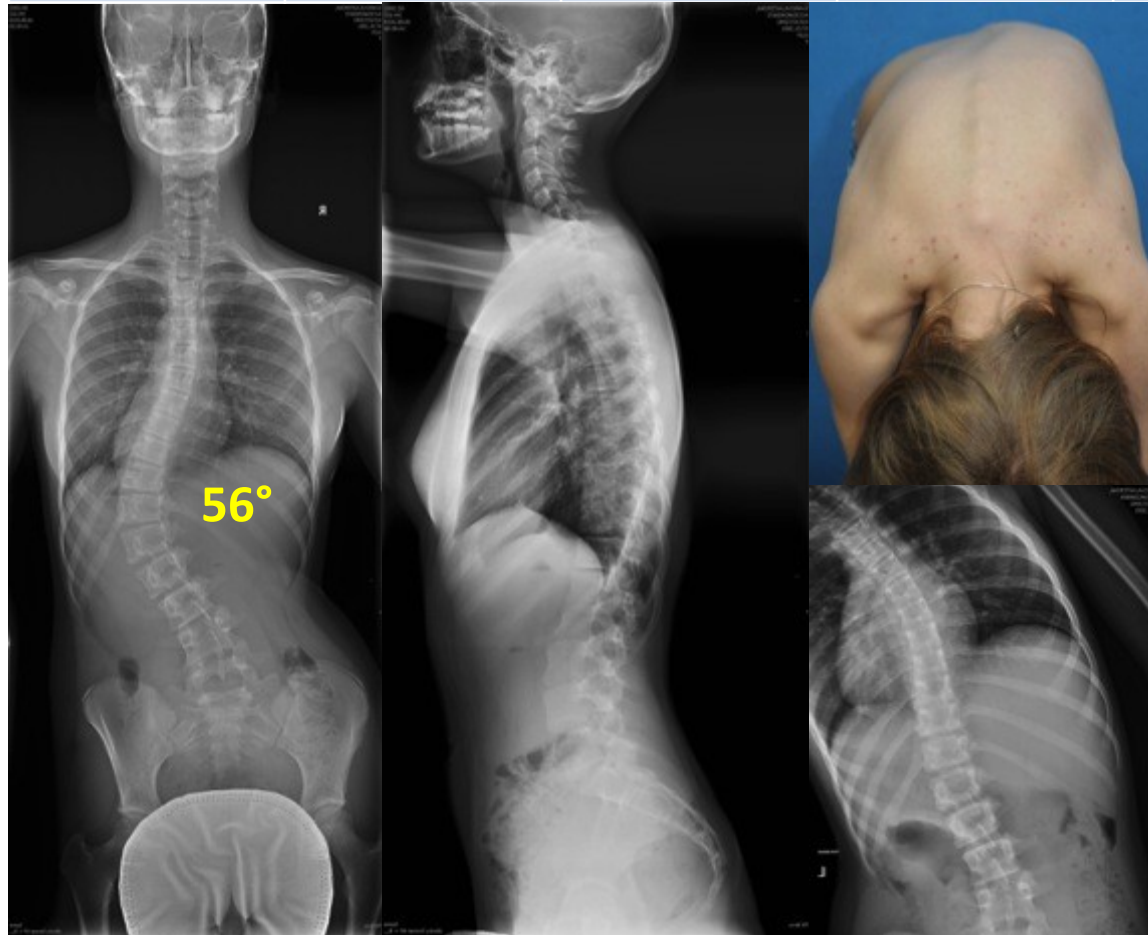
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# Lenke 5

Girl 12+5

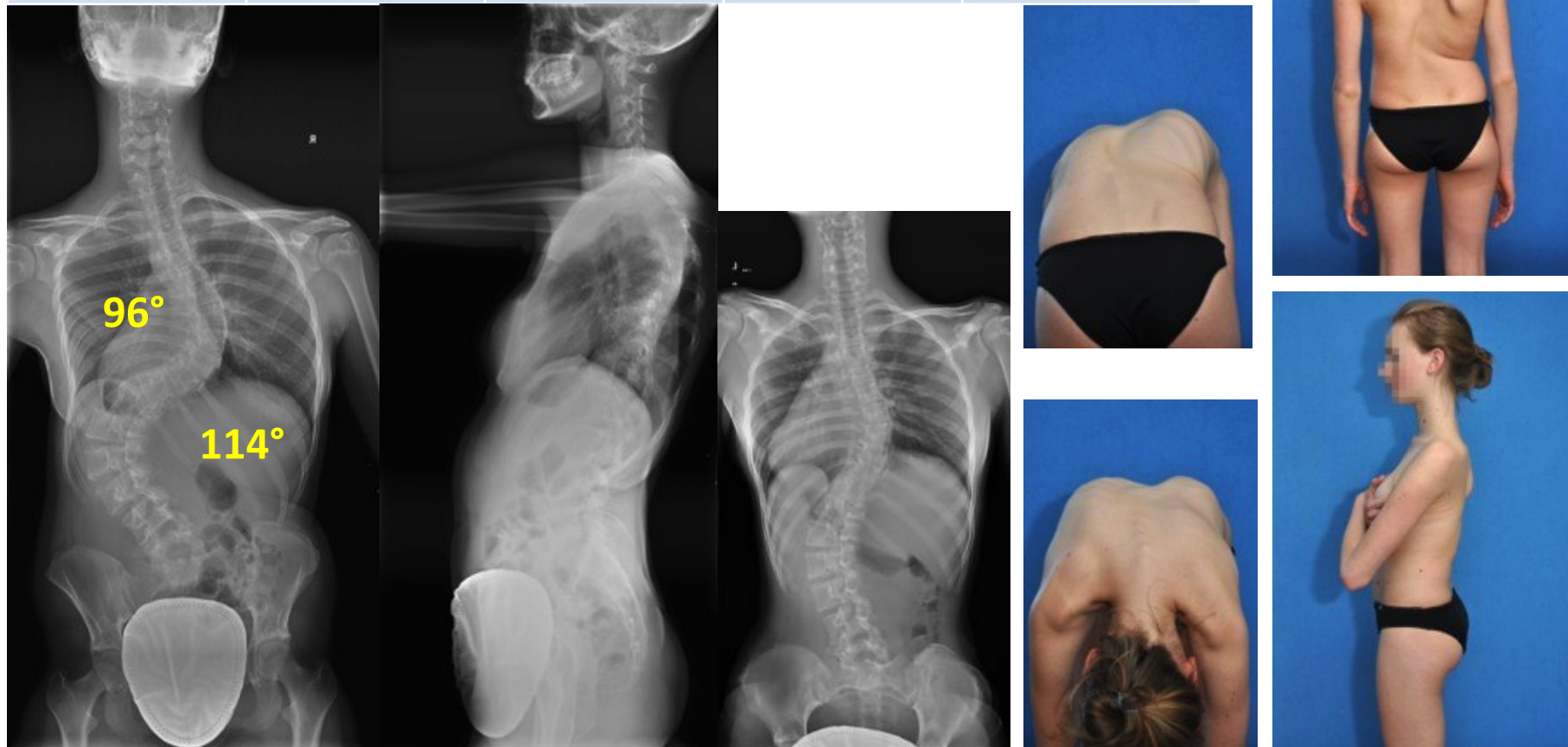
type	Proximal thoracic	Main thoracic	Thoracolumbar/lumbar	Description
4	Non-Structural	Non-Structural	Structural (Major)	TL/T (Thoracolumbar/Lumbar)



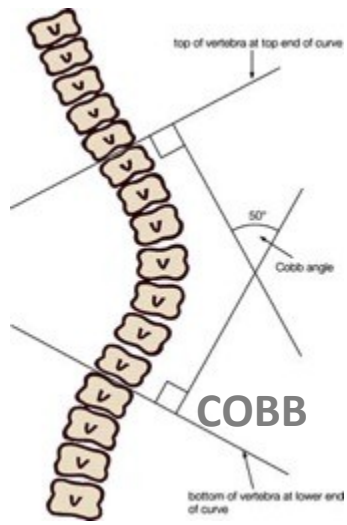
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Girl 16+9

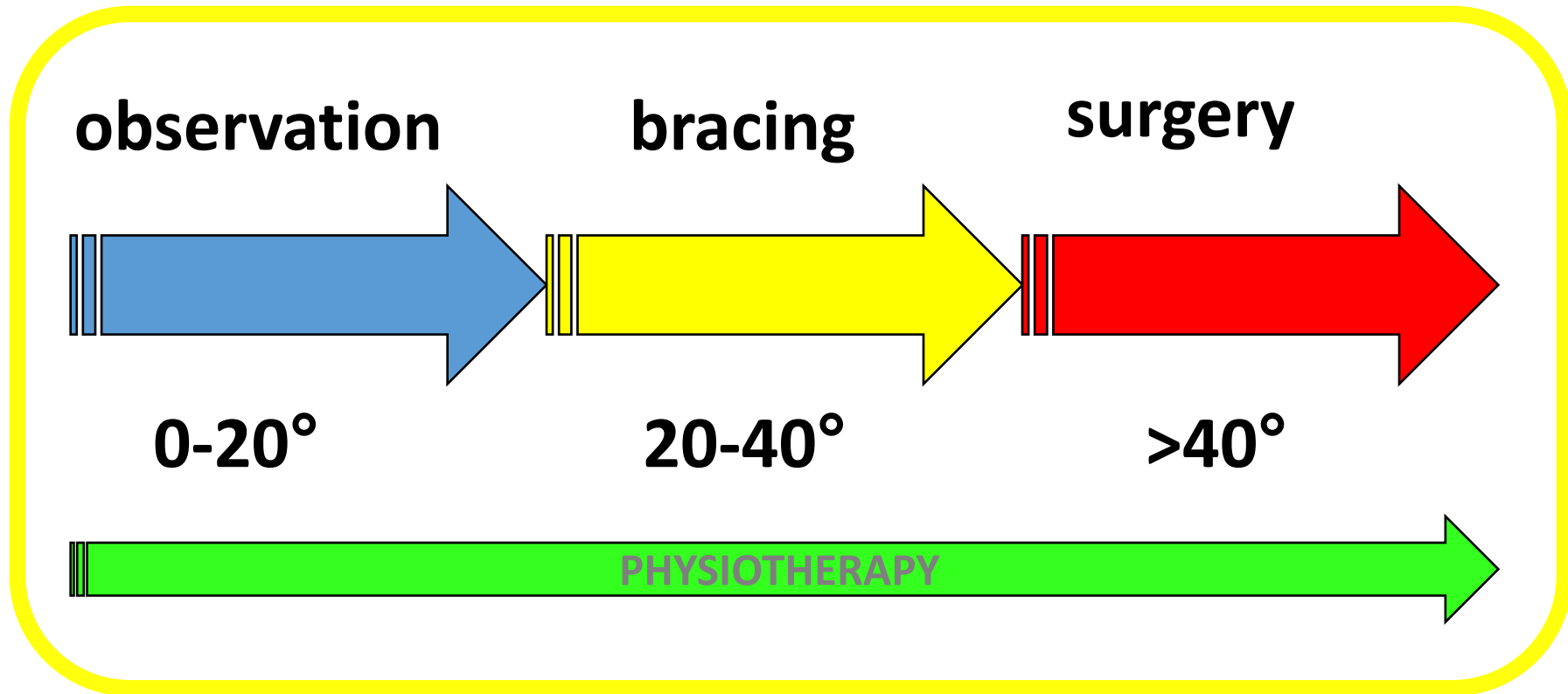
type	Proximal thoracic	Main thoracic	Thoracolumbar/lumbar	Description
4	Non-Structural	Structural	Structural (Major)	TL/T-MT (Thoracolumbar/Lumbar-Main Thoracic)







## Therapeutic chart





# Non-operative treatment

**physiotherapy**

**casting**

**bracing**

# CASTING

**Indication: INFANTILE scoliosis**

**Applying under the general anesthesia**

**Changing each and every 2 month**



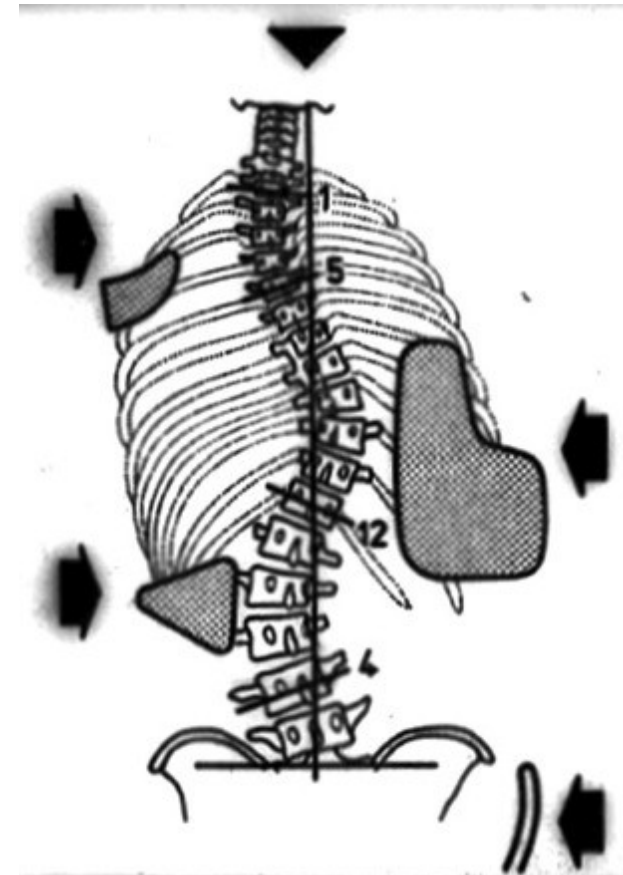
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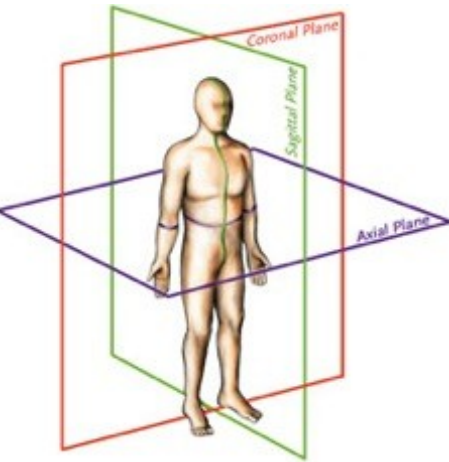
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Indication for bracing:

progressive scoliosis  
poor or no casting toleration  
unable to undergo surgery

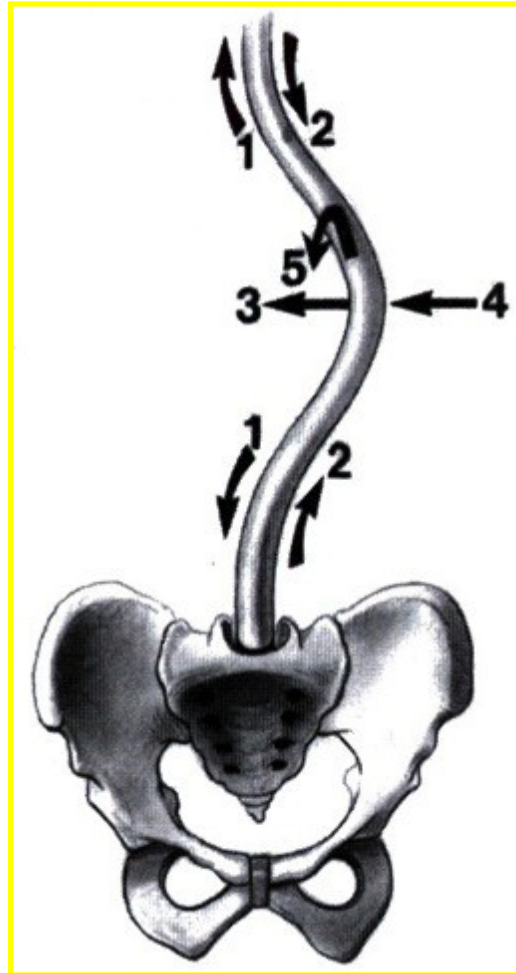


# 3D scoliotic correction





# Corrective methods

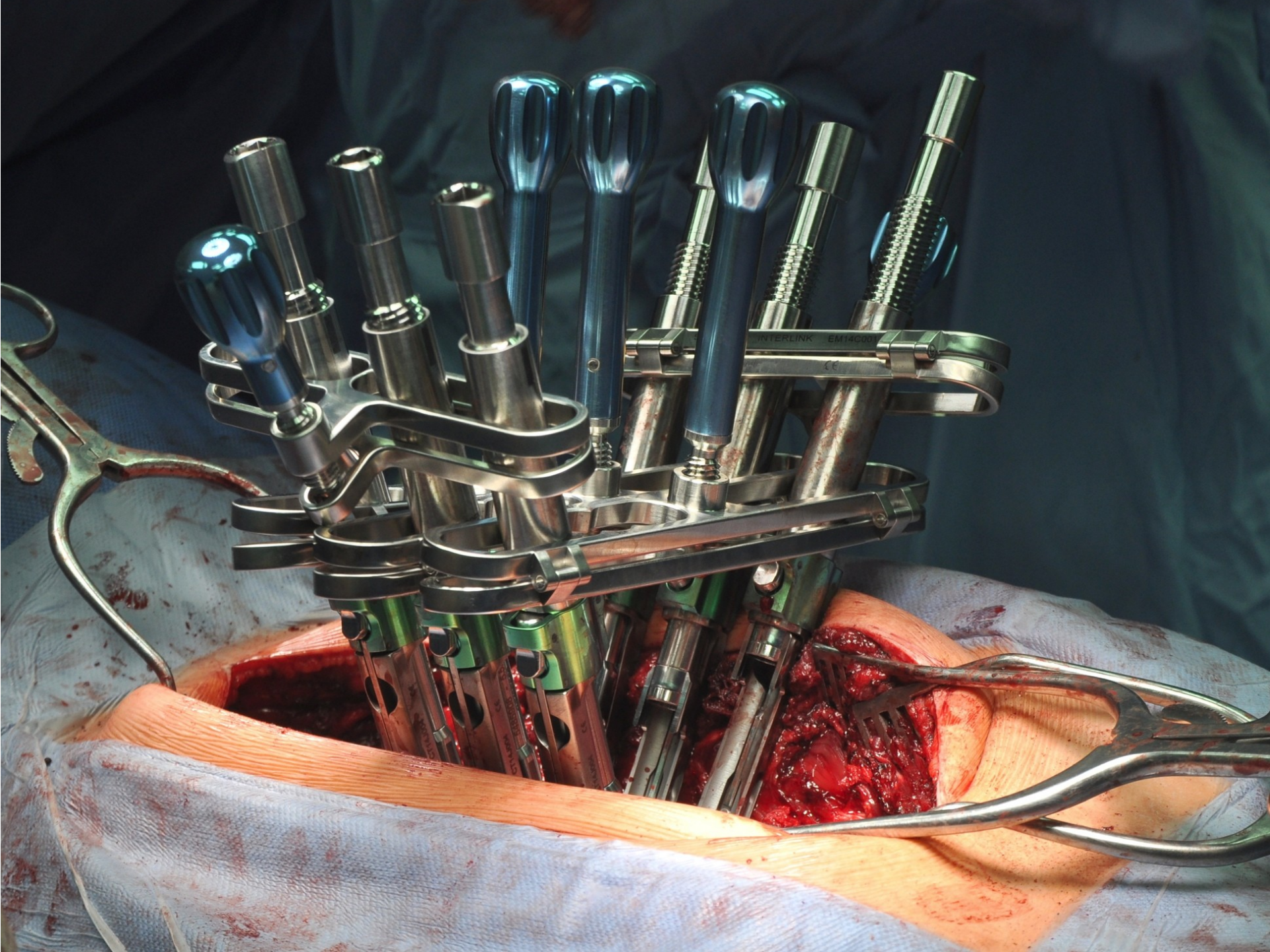


**1-distracton**

**2-compression**

**3,4-translation**

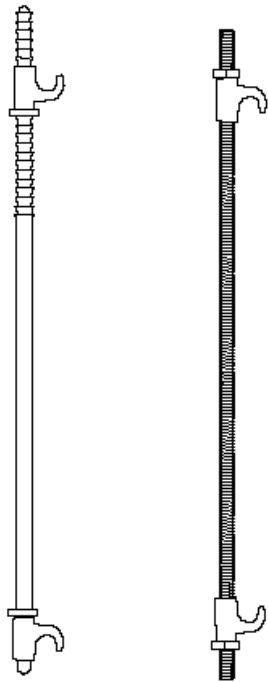
**5-derotation**



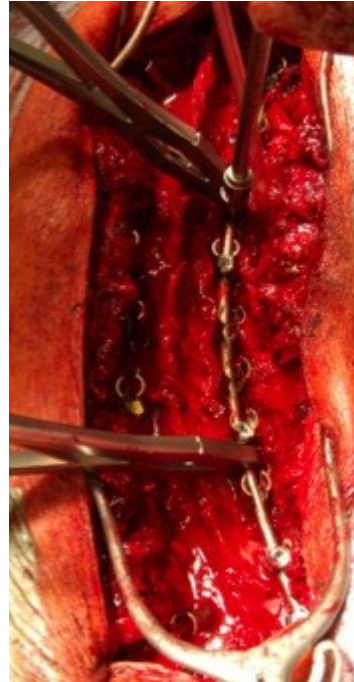


# EVOLUTION in corrective maneuvers

DISTRACTION → TRANSLATION → VCM → Rod Roduction



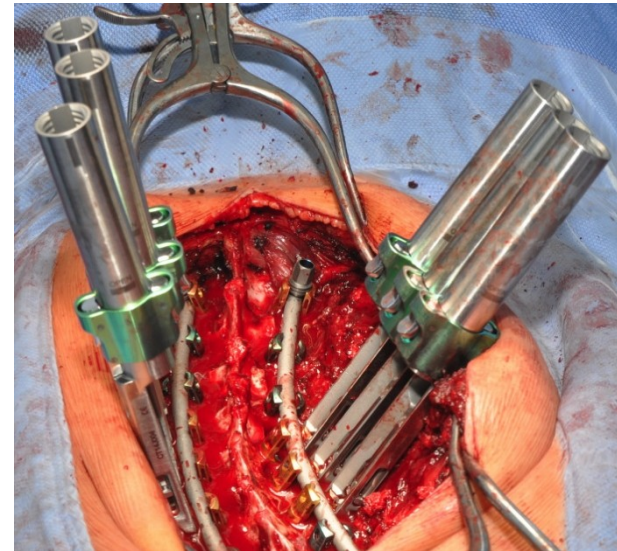
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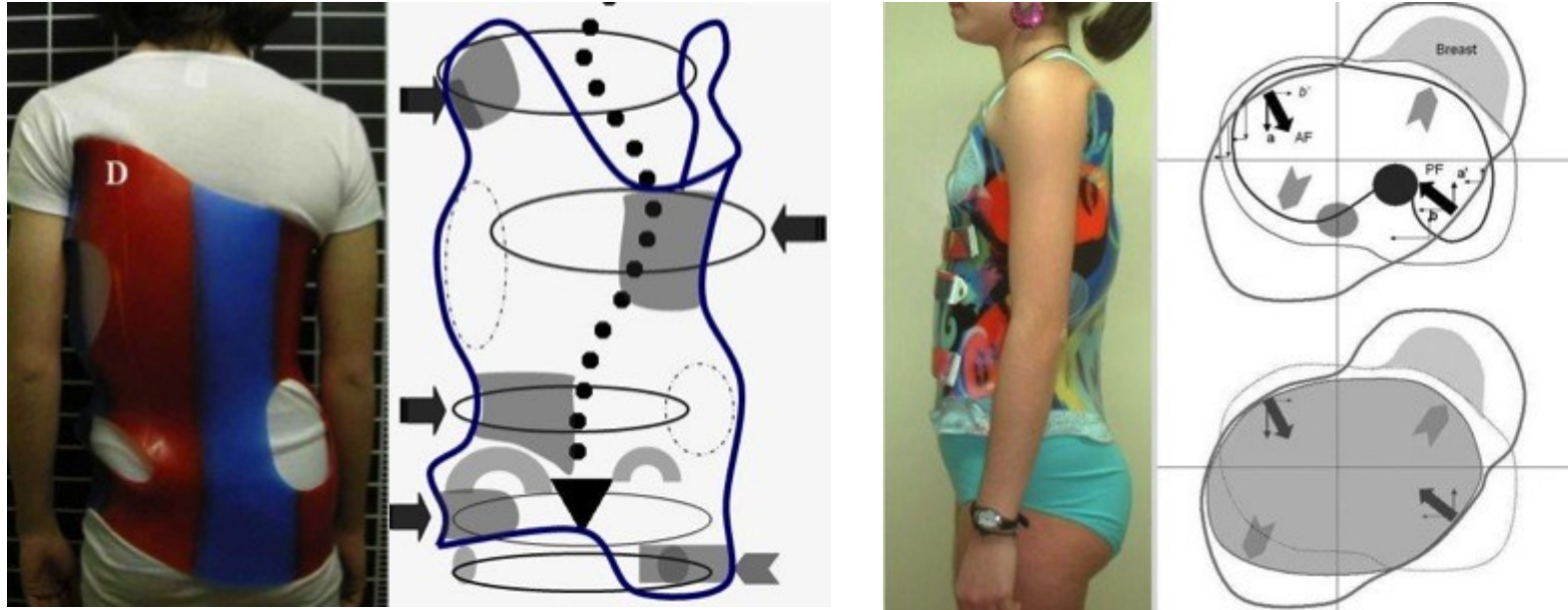


2D  
frontal, axial

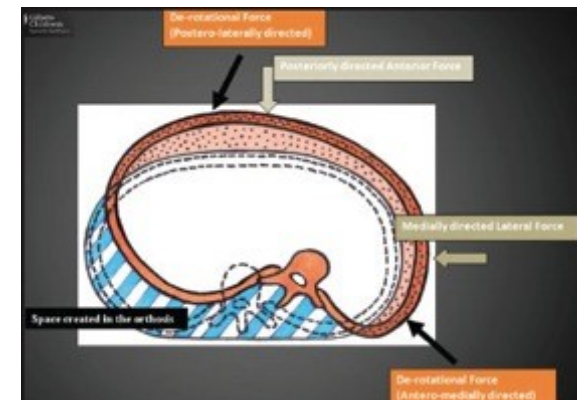
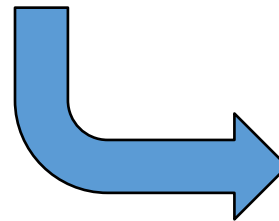


3D  
frontal, axial, sagittal

# BRACING



Source: Rigo et al, Scoliosis 2010



# BRACING

## Advantages:

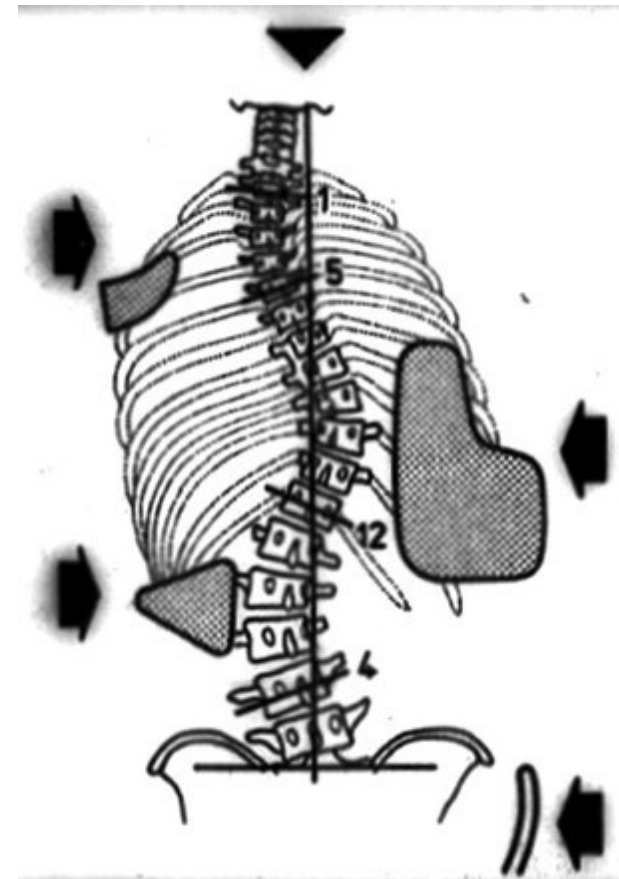
- Surgery elimination

## Disadvantages:

- Poor toleration
- Lung function decreasing
  - Muscle weakening

## Problems:

- **HYPOKYPHOSIS**
- **POOR DEROTATION**



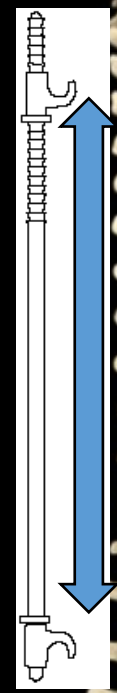
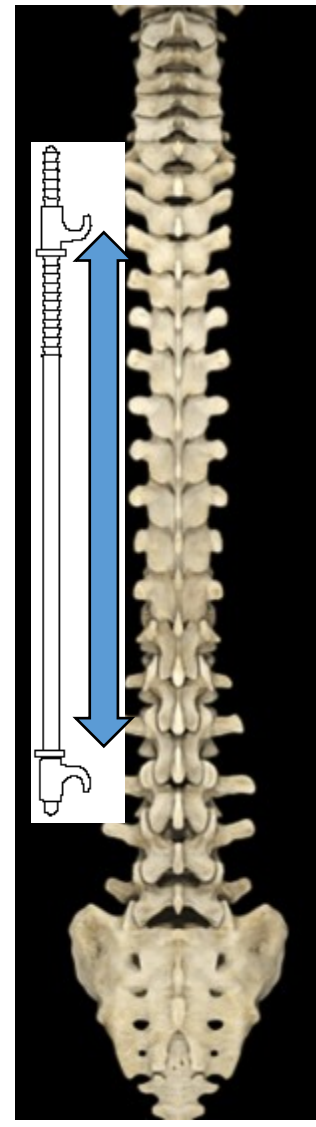


# DISTRACTION

**EVOLUTION**  
in corrective maneuvers



hypokyphosis



# DISTRACTION

## Advantages:

- Simple implantation
- Possibility of spine growth
- Miniinvasive approach

## Disadvantages:

- Uniplanar correction (frontal)
- High rate of complications

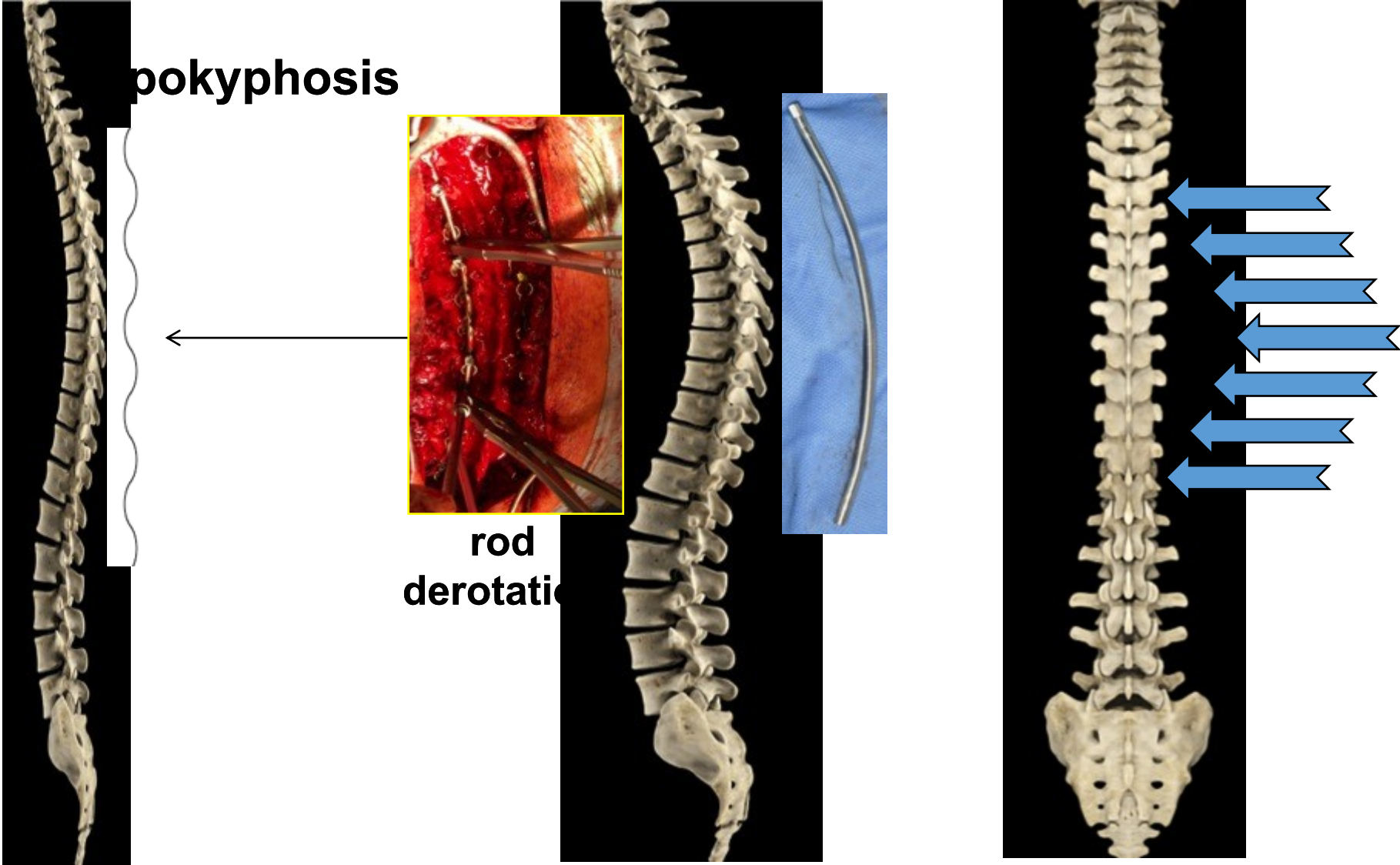
## Problems:

- **HYPOKYPHOSIS**
- **NO DEROTATION**



# TRANSLATION

**EVOLUTION**  
in corrective maneuvers



# TRANSLATION

## Advantages:

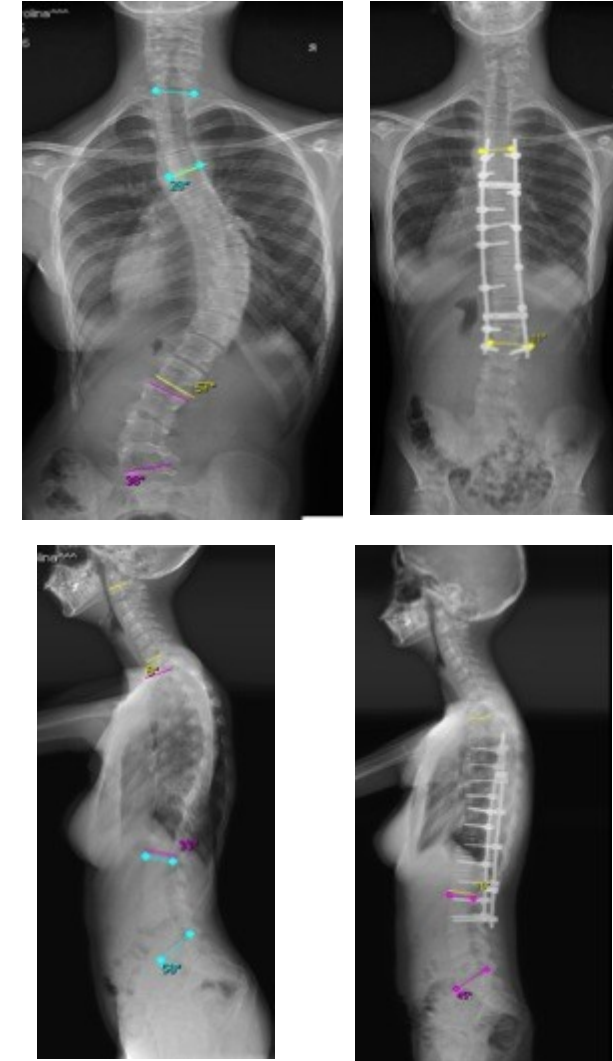
- Good frontal correction

## Disadvantages:

- Uniplanar correction (frontal)

## Problems:

- **HYPOKYPHOSIS**
- **NO DEROTATION**

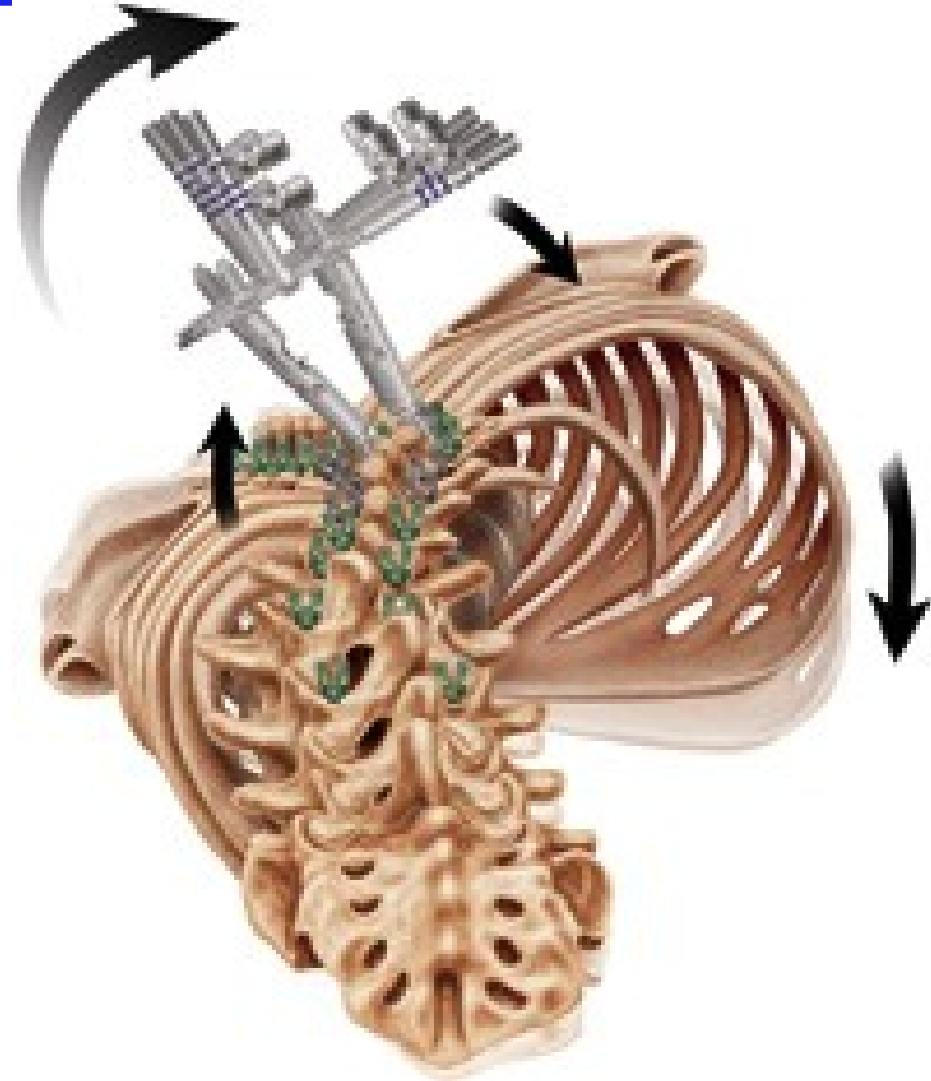
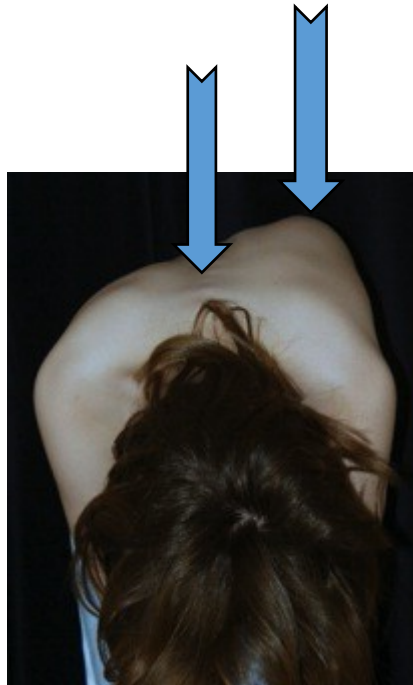


# VCM VERTEBRAL COLUMN MANIPULATION

**EVOLUTION**  
in corrective maneuvers



hypokyphosis





# Derotation

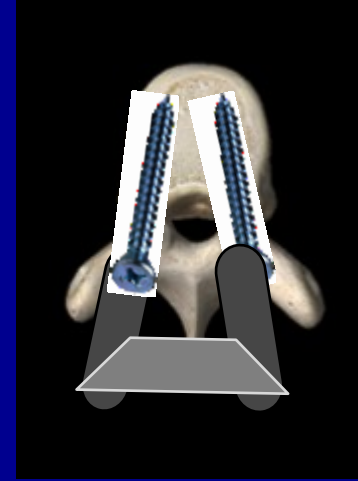
## WHY derotation?

- 3D scoliotic correction
- Correction of Rib Hump prominence
- Secondary curve correction in selective fusion

Balanced spine

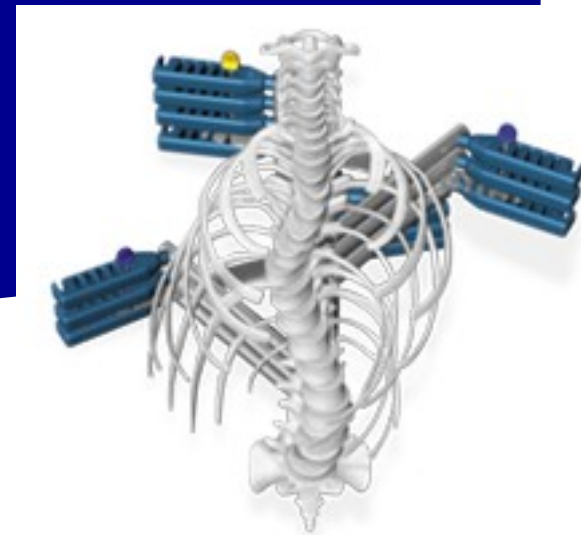
# Transpedicular screw constructs

- Allows effective derotation of single vertebra



## Derotation instruments

- Allows safe and effective derotation of single vertebra as well as the whole apical area.



# VCM

## Vertebral column manipulation

### Advantages:

- Good frontal and axial correction

### Disadvantage:

- little too forced isolated technique

### Problem:

- **HYPOKYPHOSIS**



# RESULT of most correction maneuvers

- **HYPOKYPHOSIS**
- **ABSENCE or RESTRICTIVE DEROTATION**



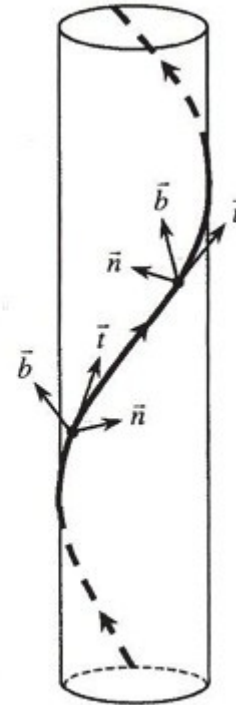
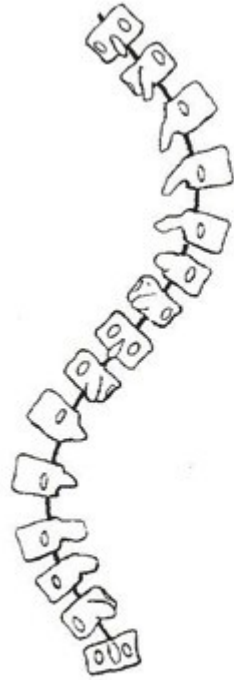
# DEROTATION

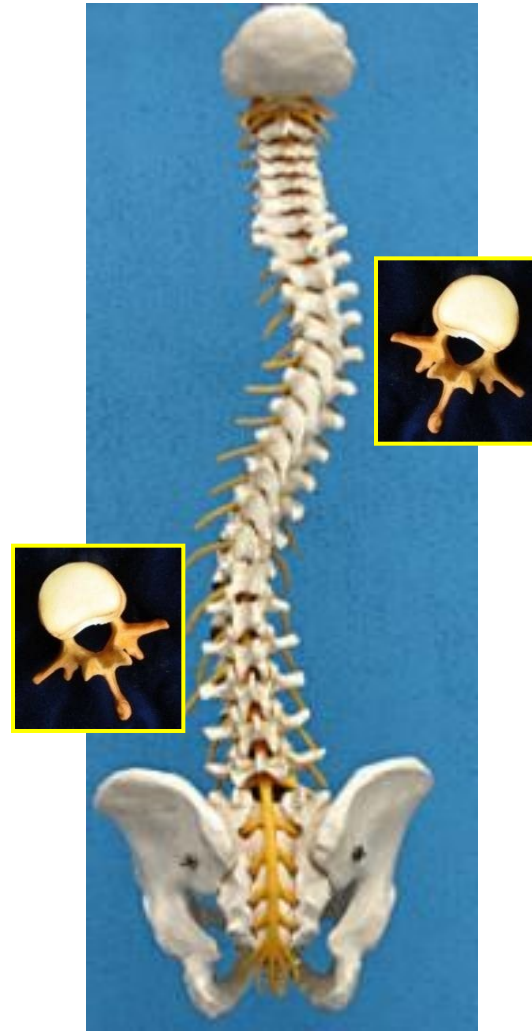
**Transversal plane**



# Scoliosis

## Spiral concept



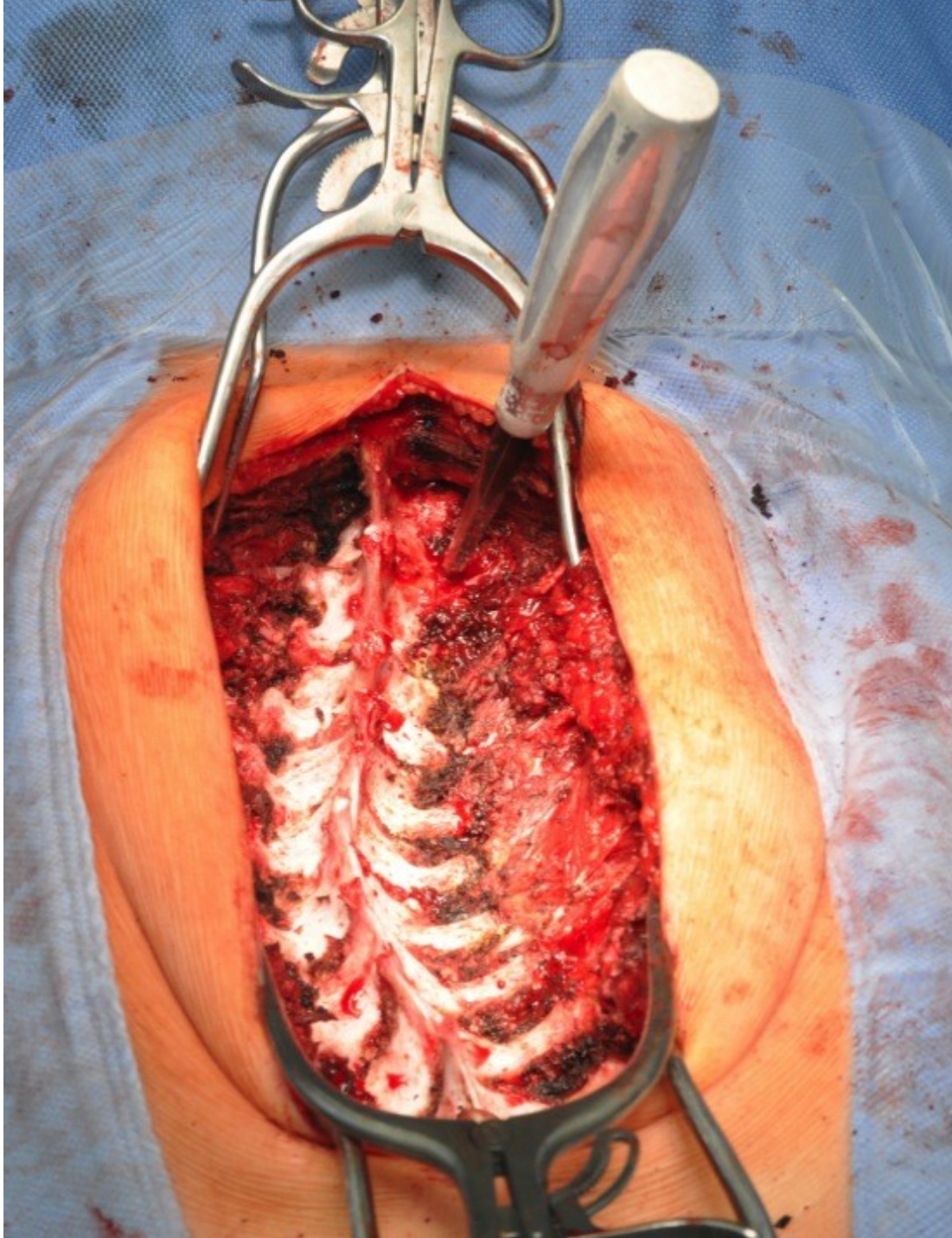


**3D geometrical changes**



**Surgical  
posterior  
approach**





**level  
checking**

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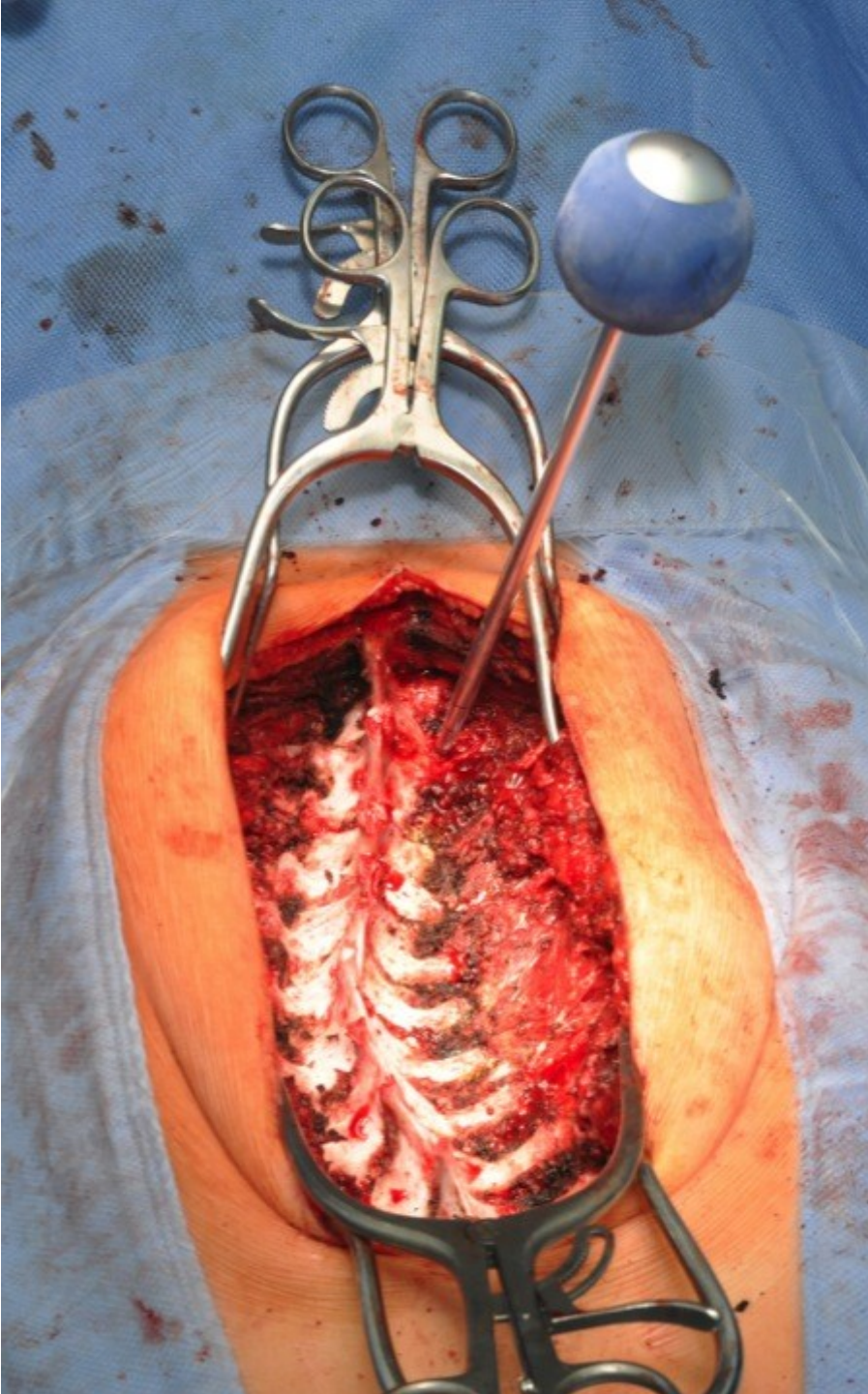
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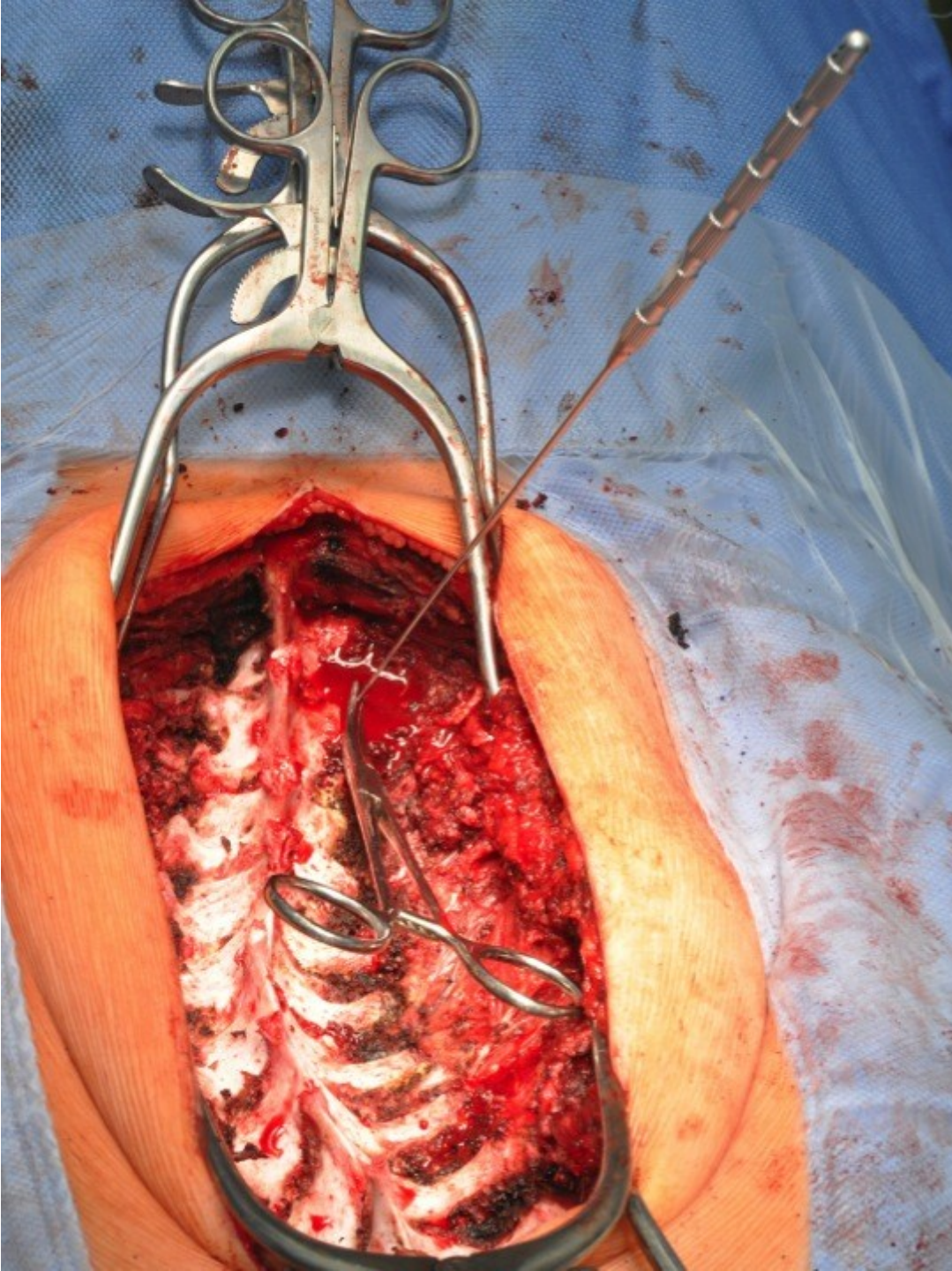
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**Probe  
-  
pedicle finding**





**Sound**

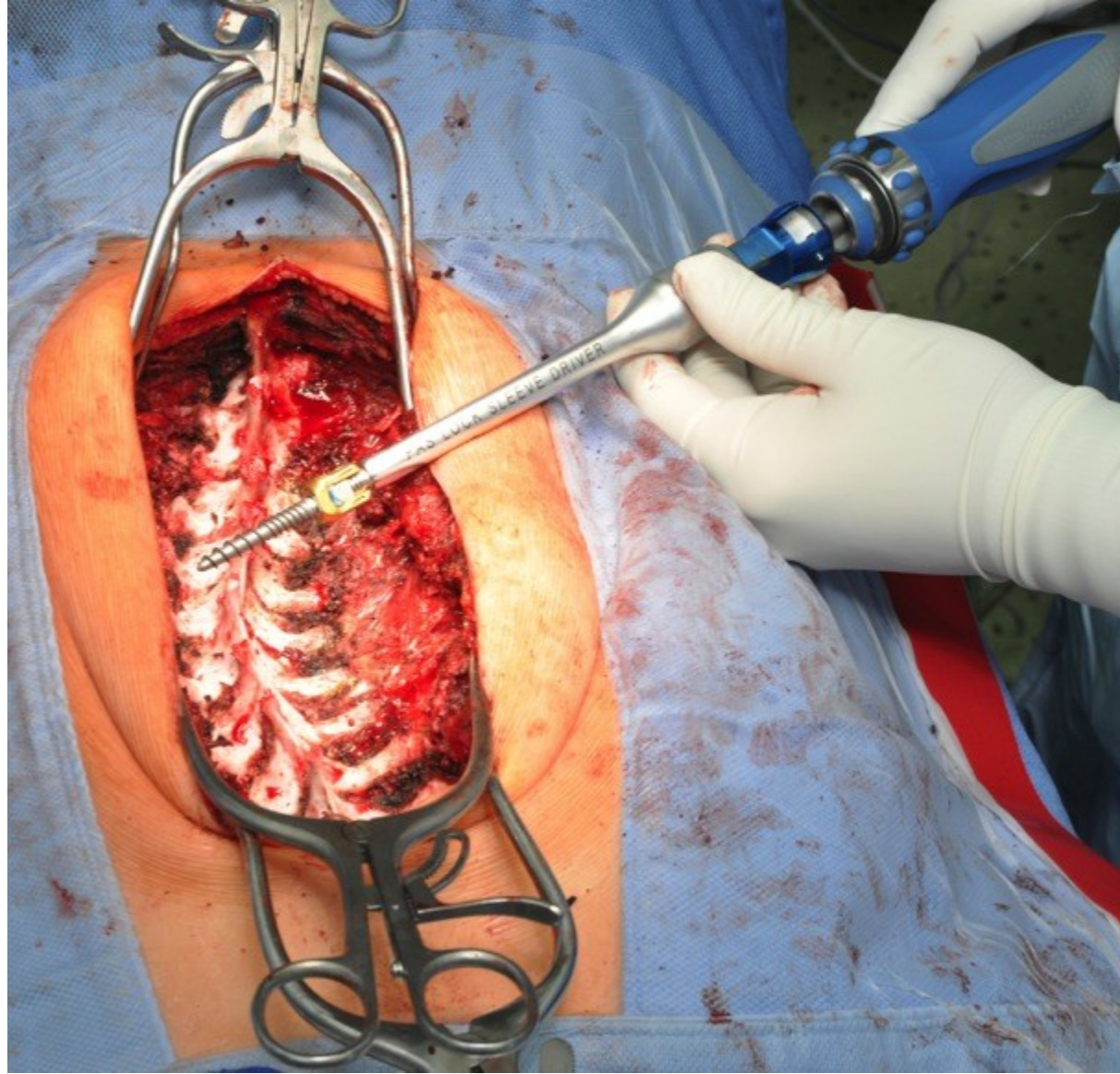
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**pedicle hole  
checking**

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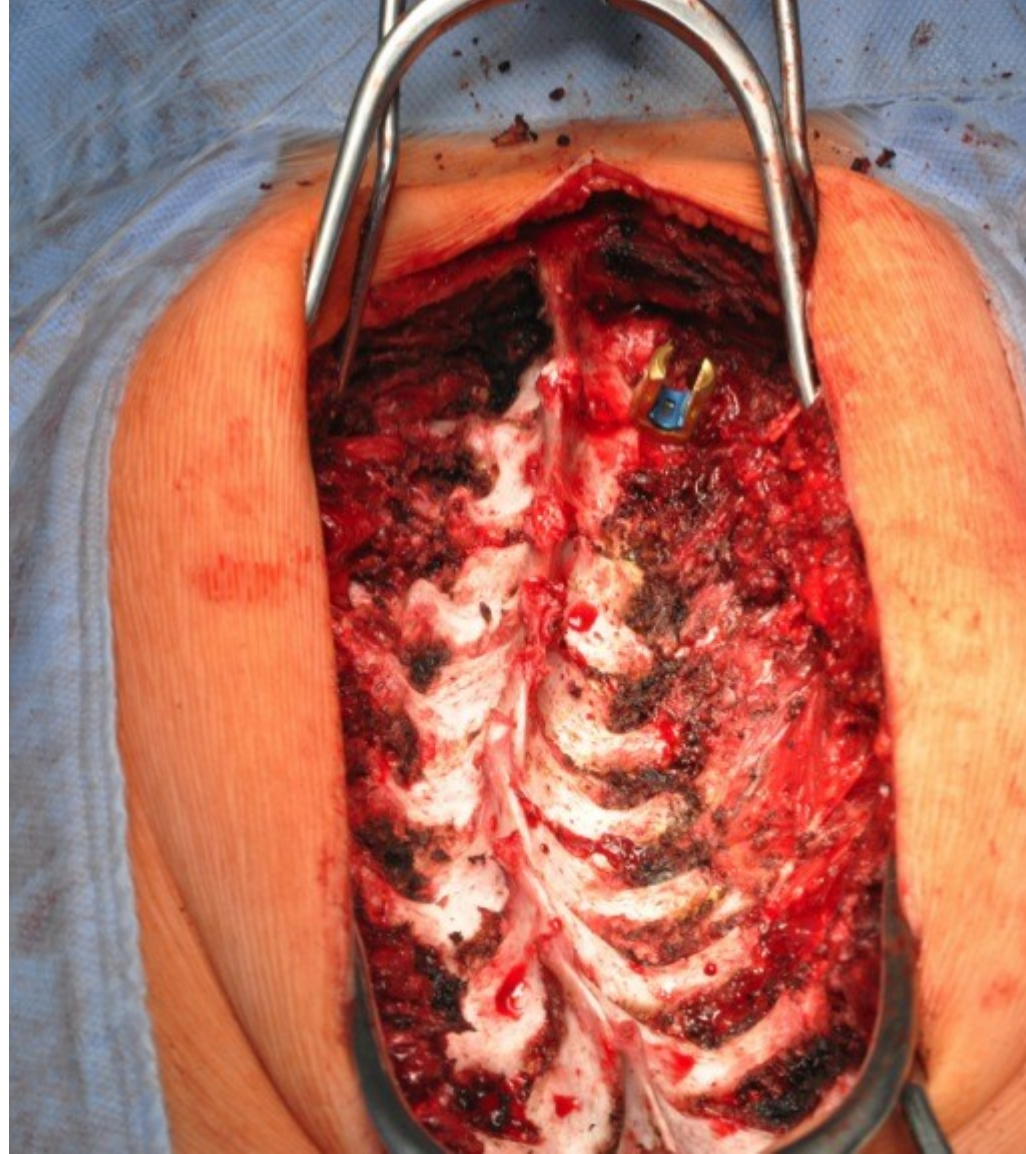
**screw length  
measuring**

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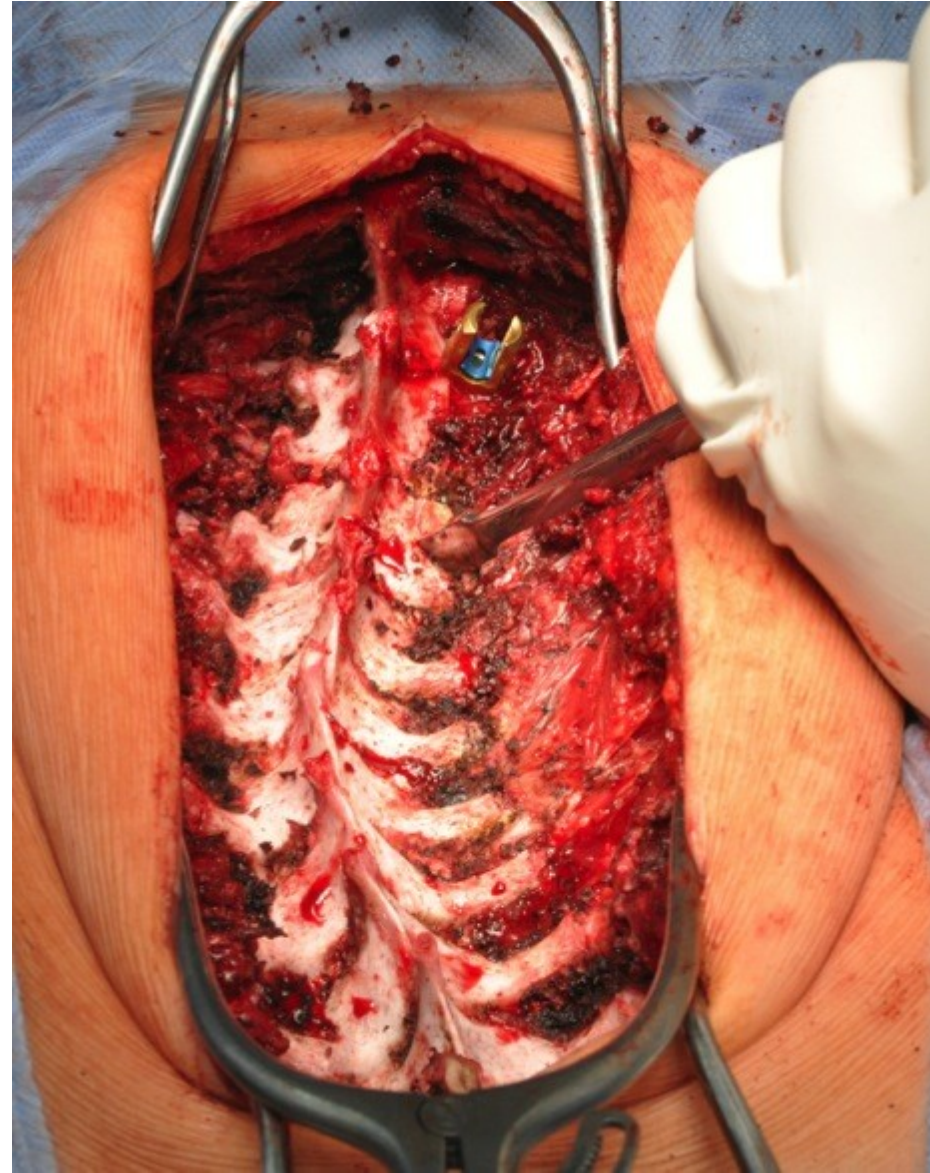
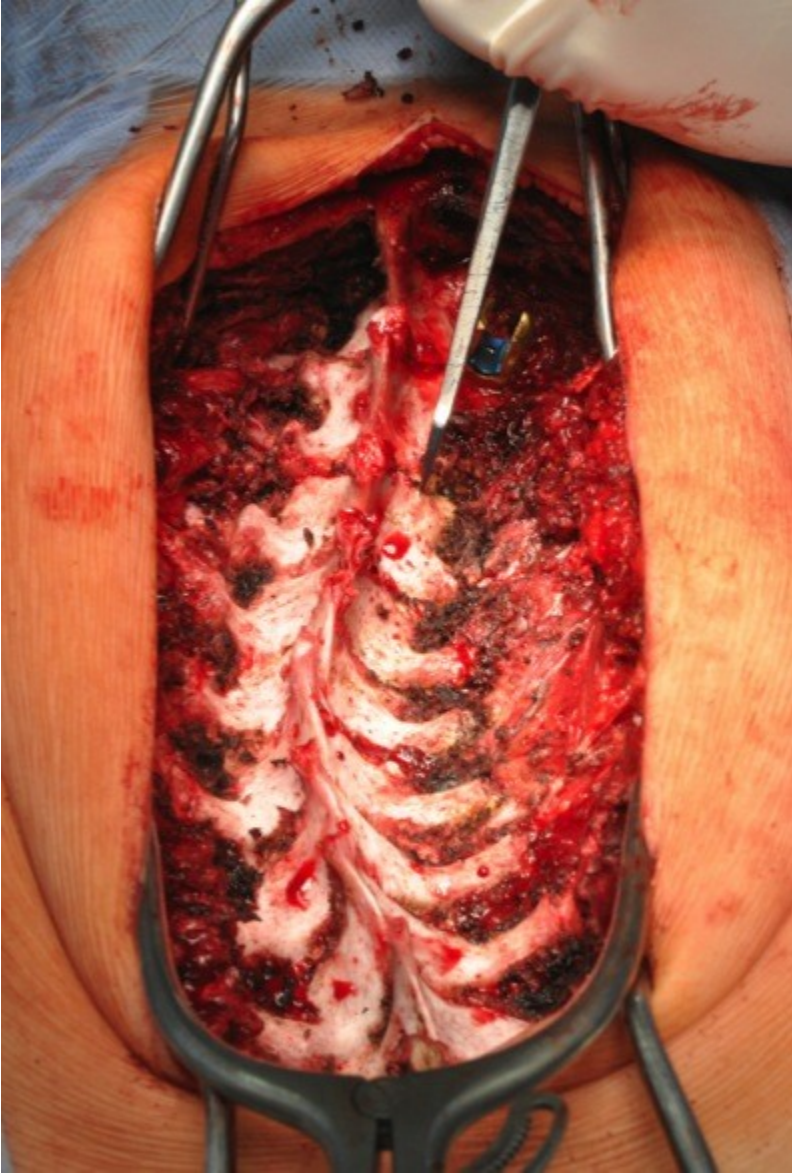




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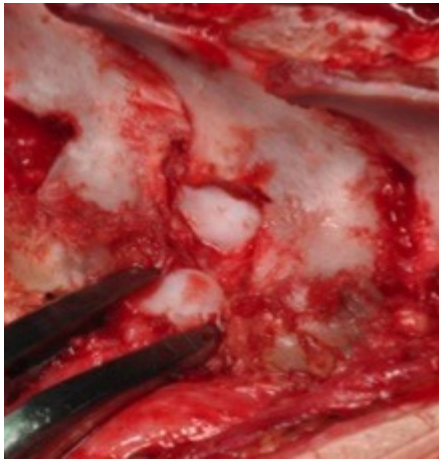
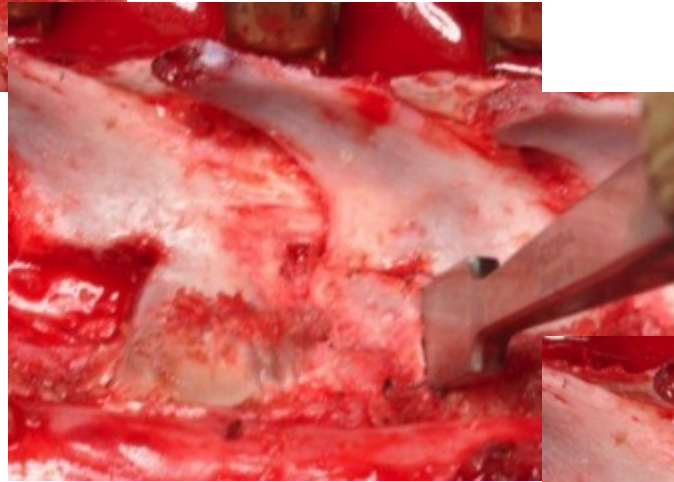
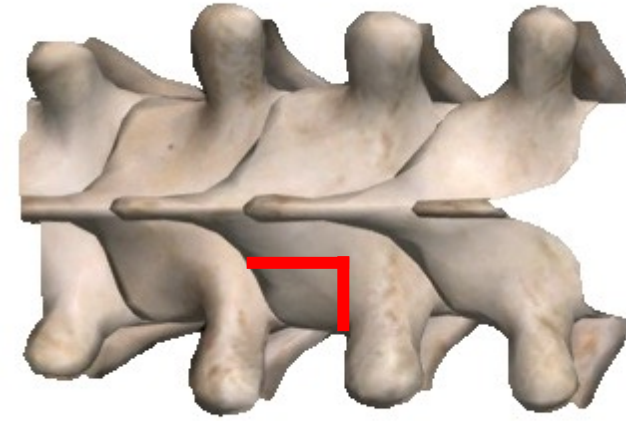


# Chisel – facet resection





# Chisel – facet resection

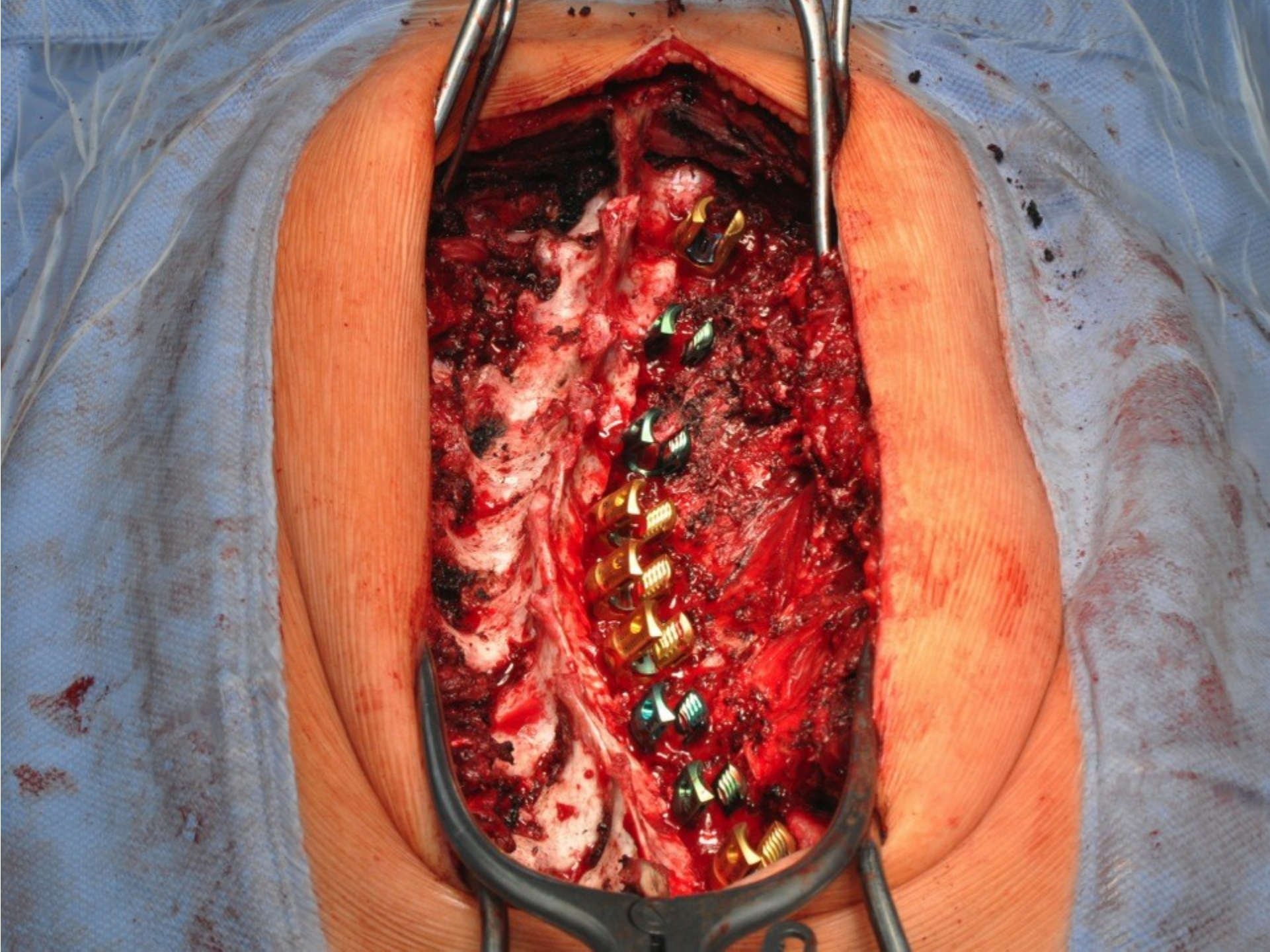




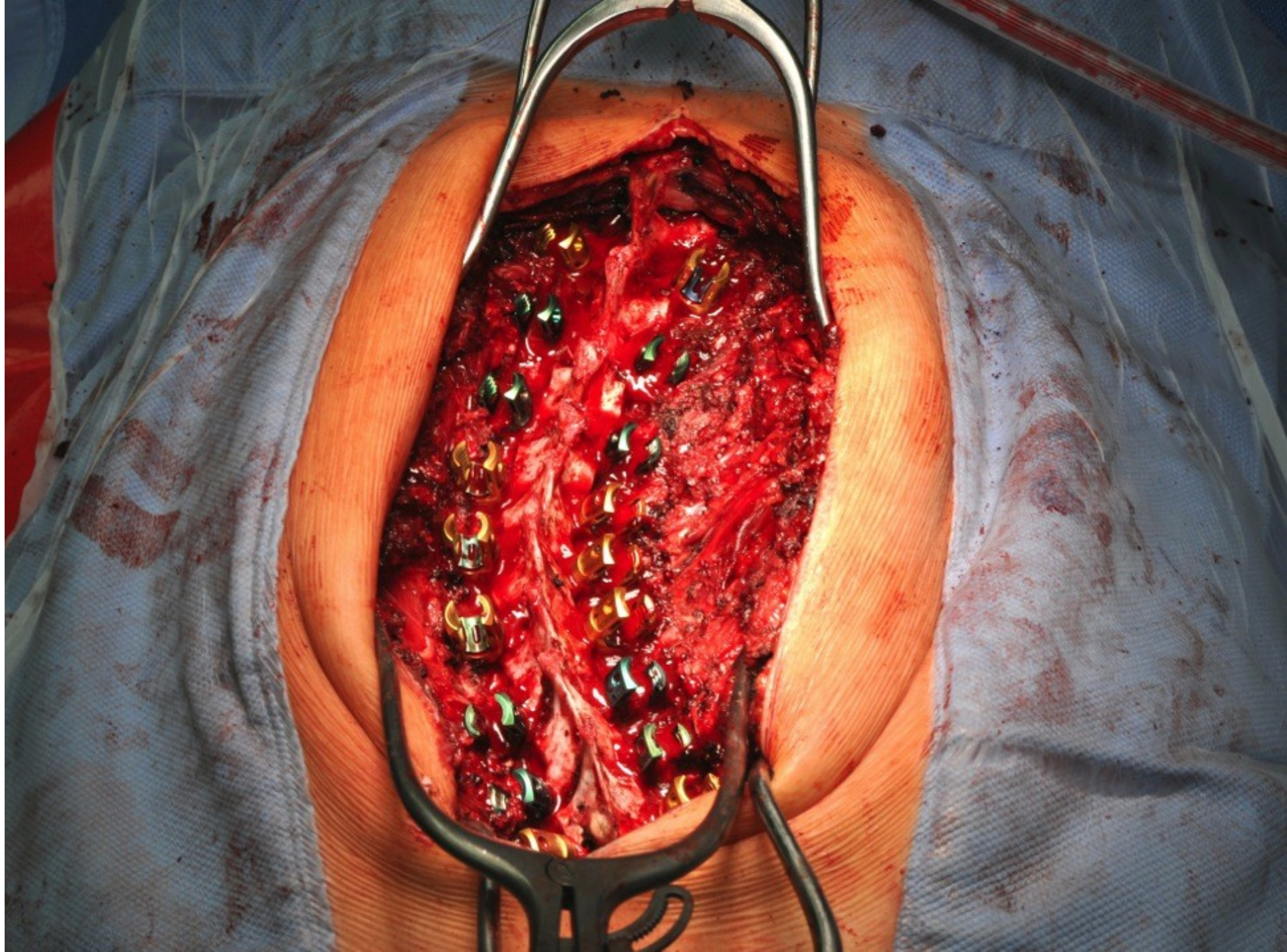
# Luer – cortex resection











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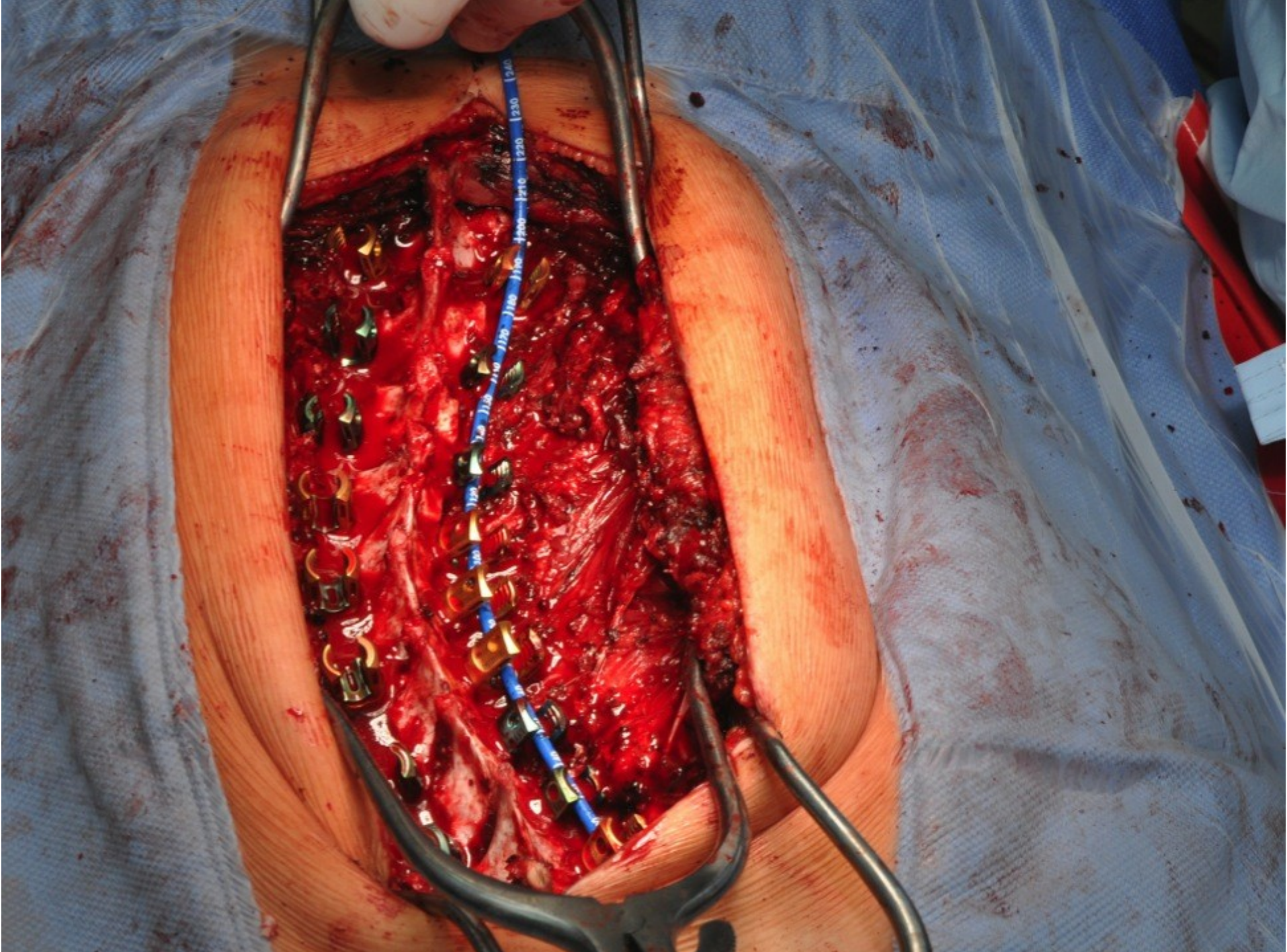
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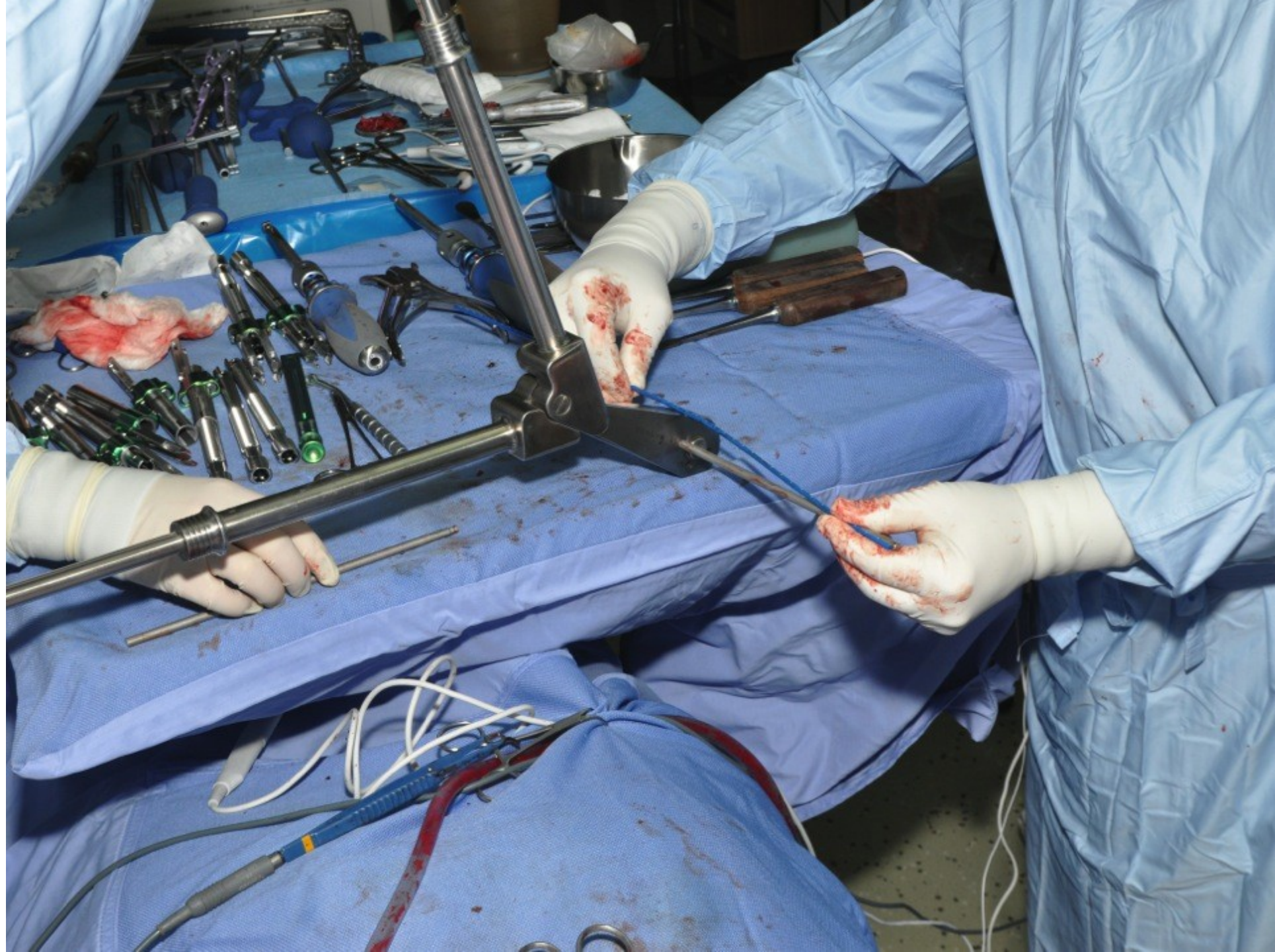
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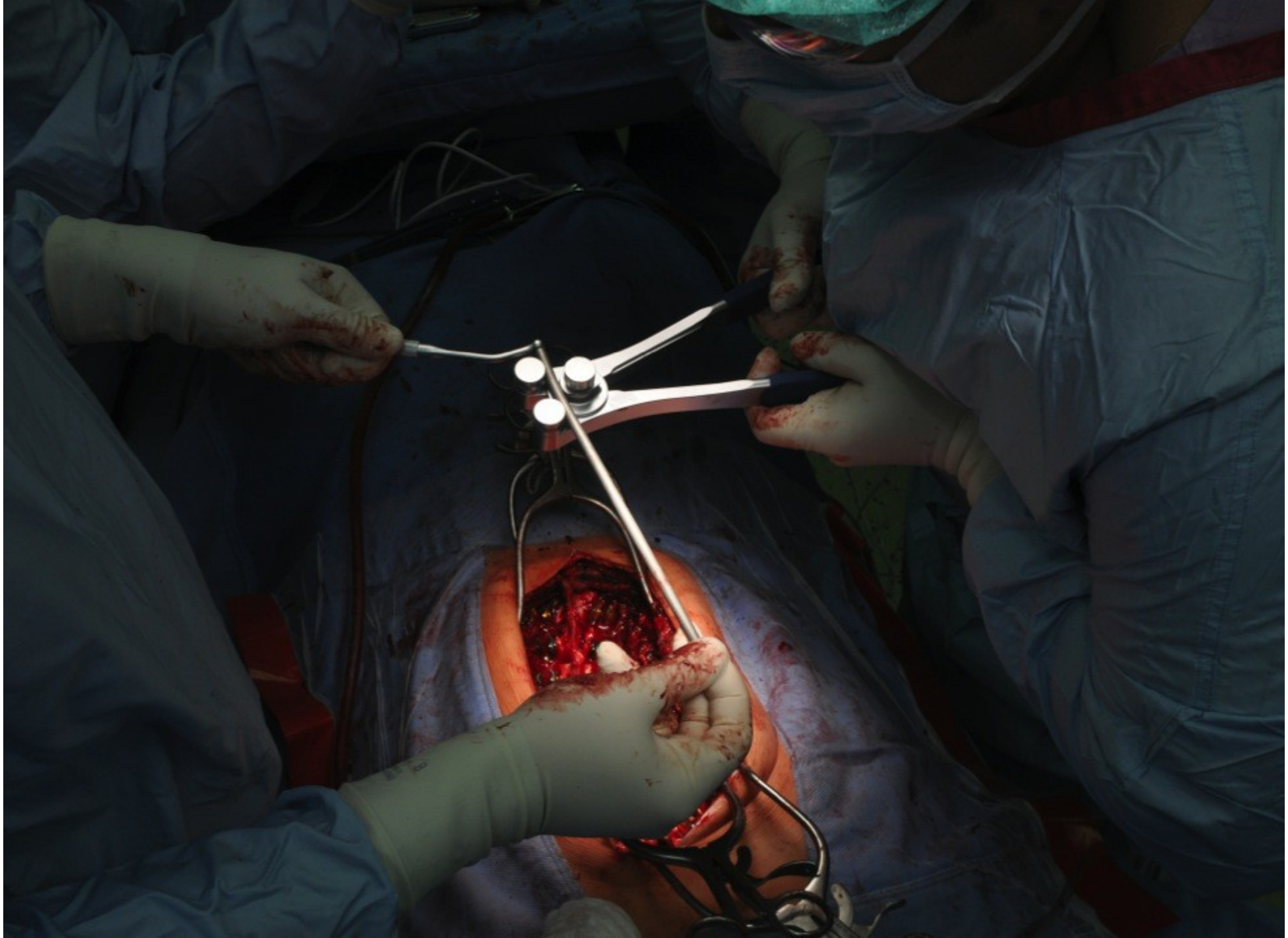




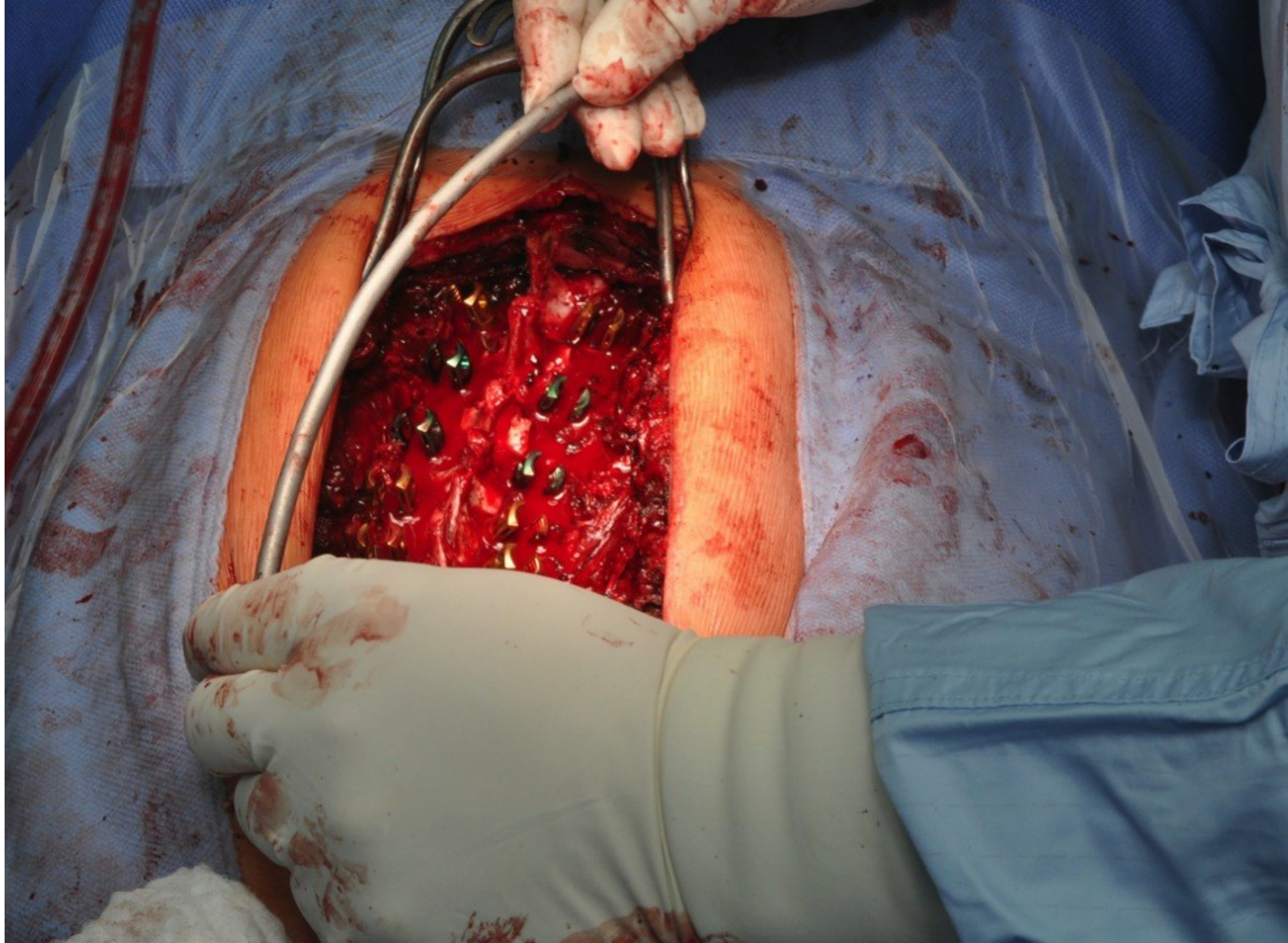




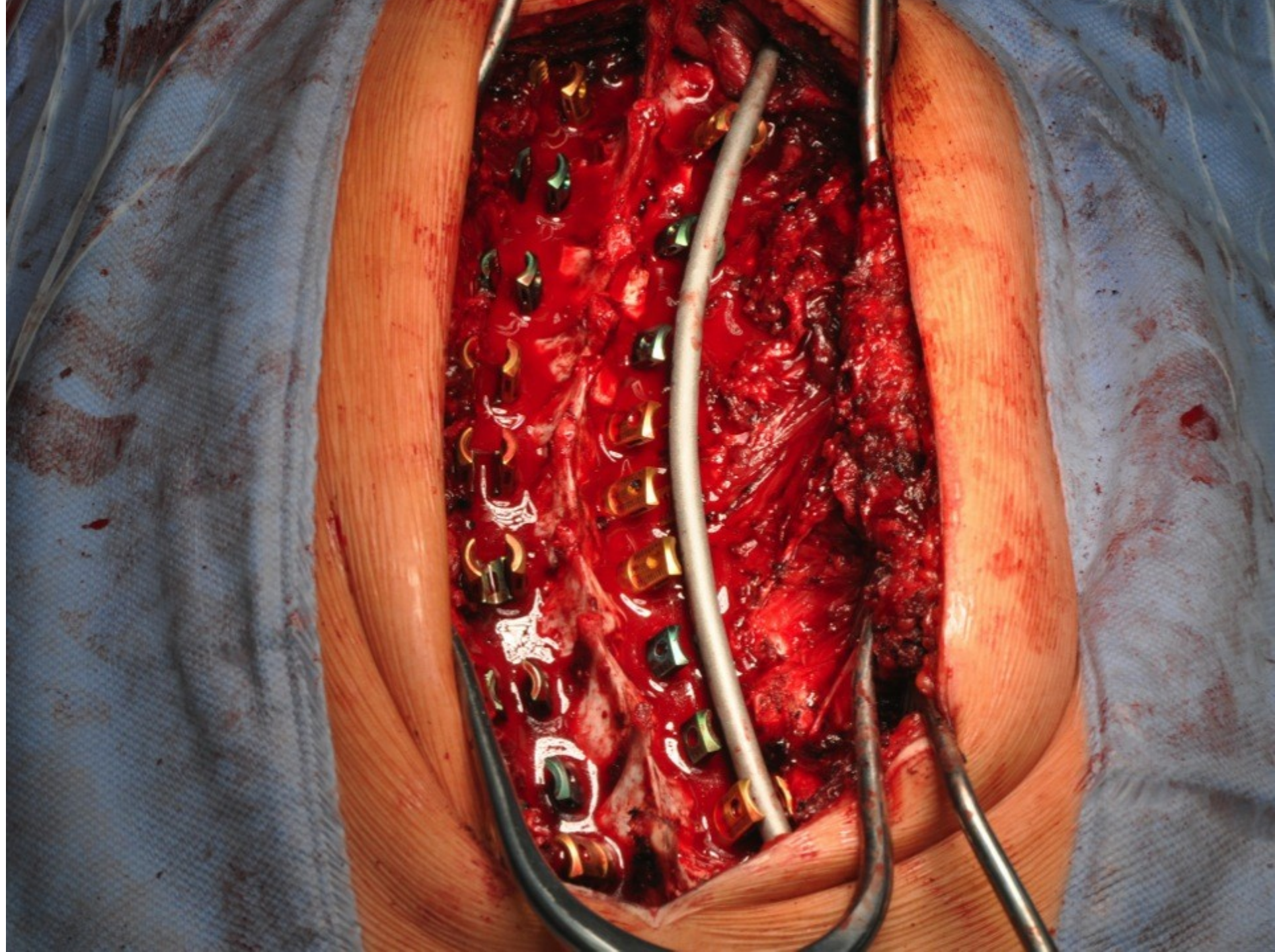




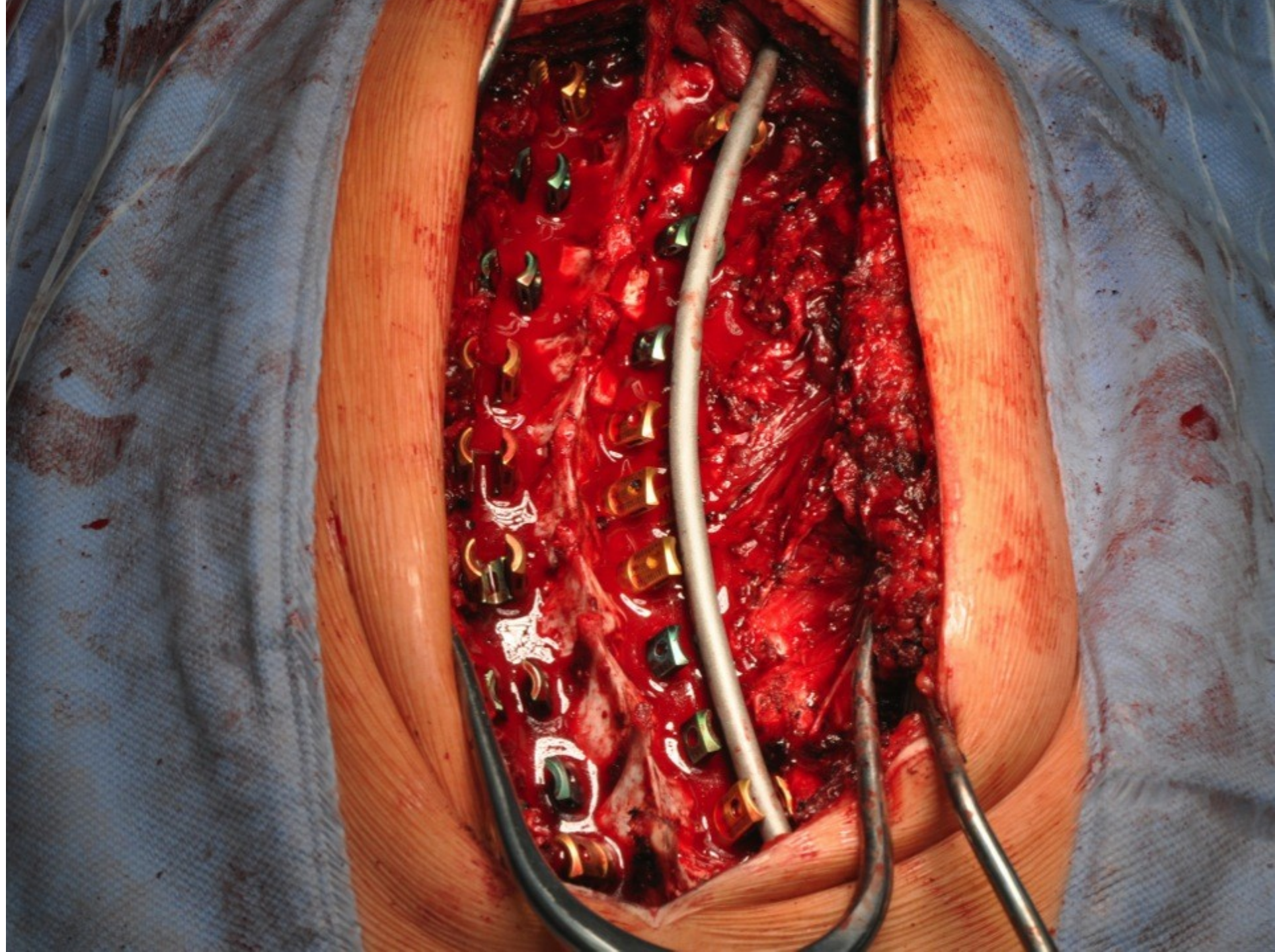




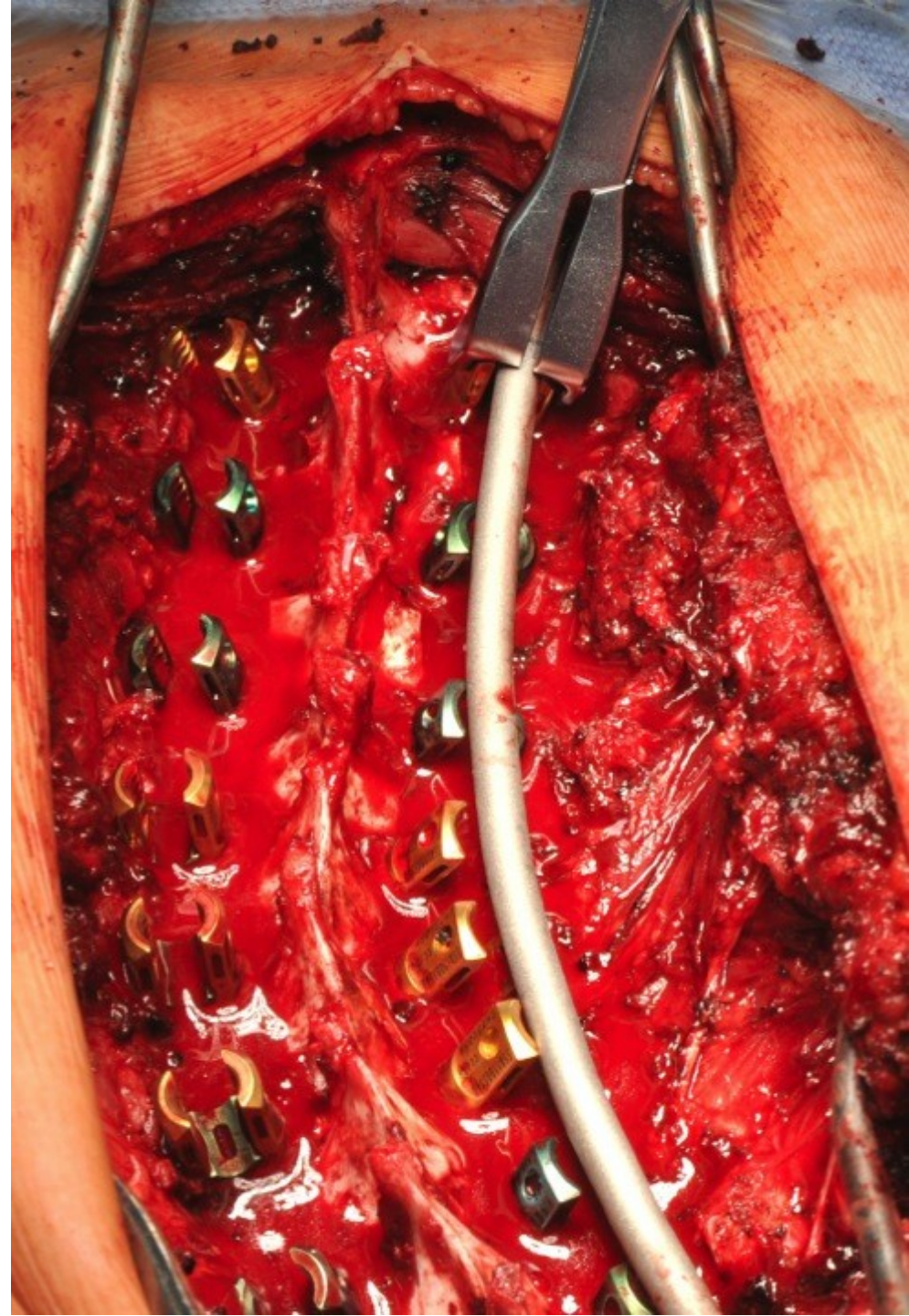
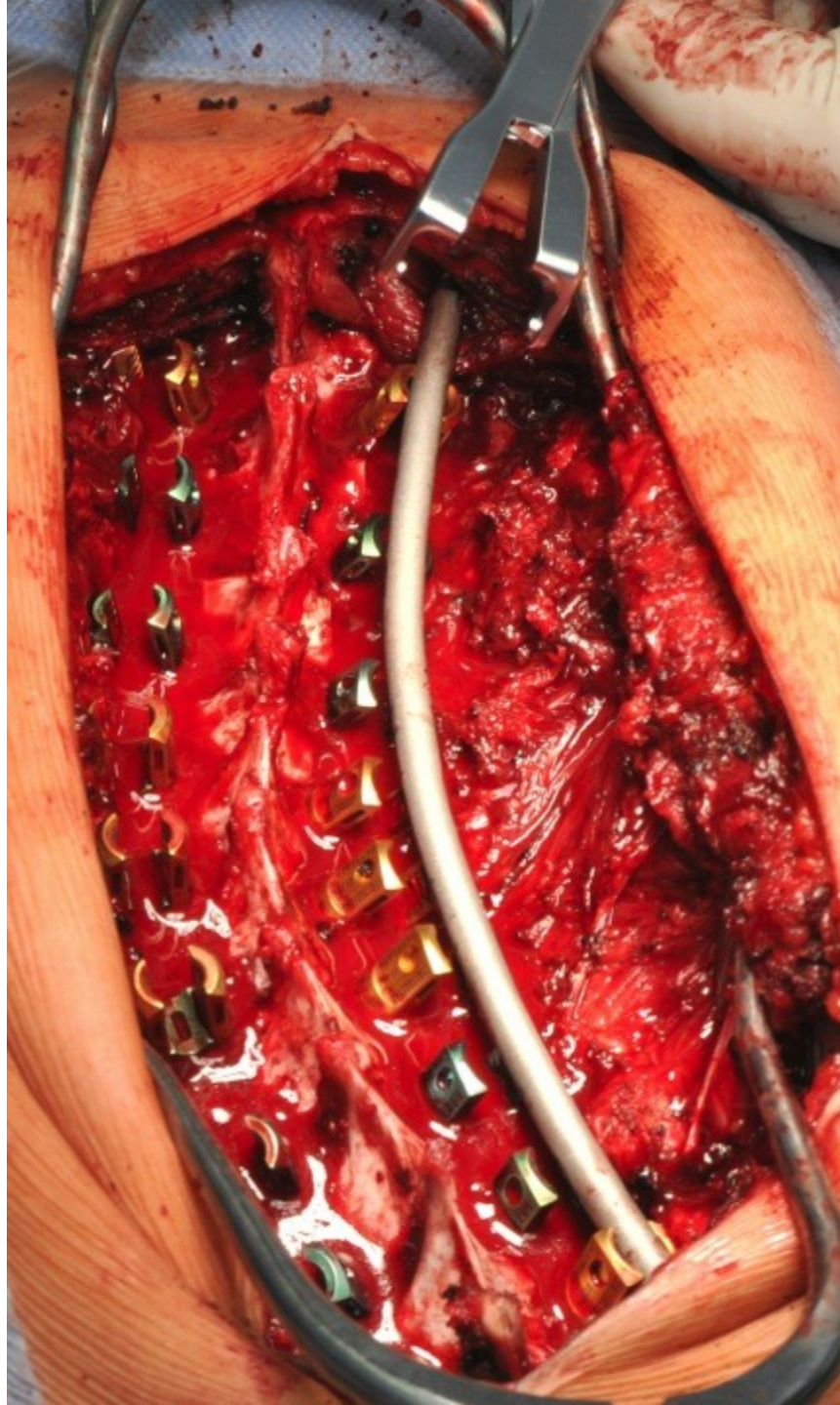




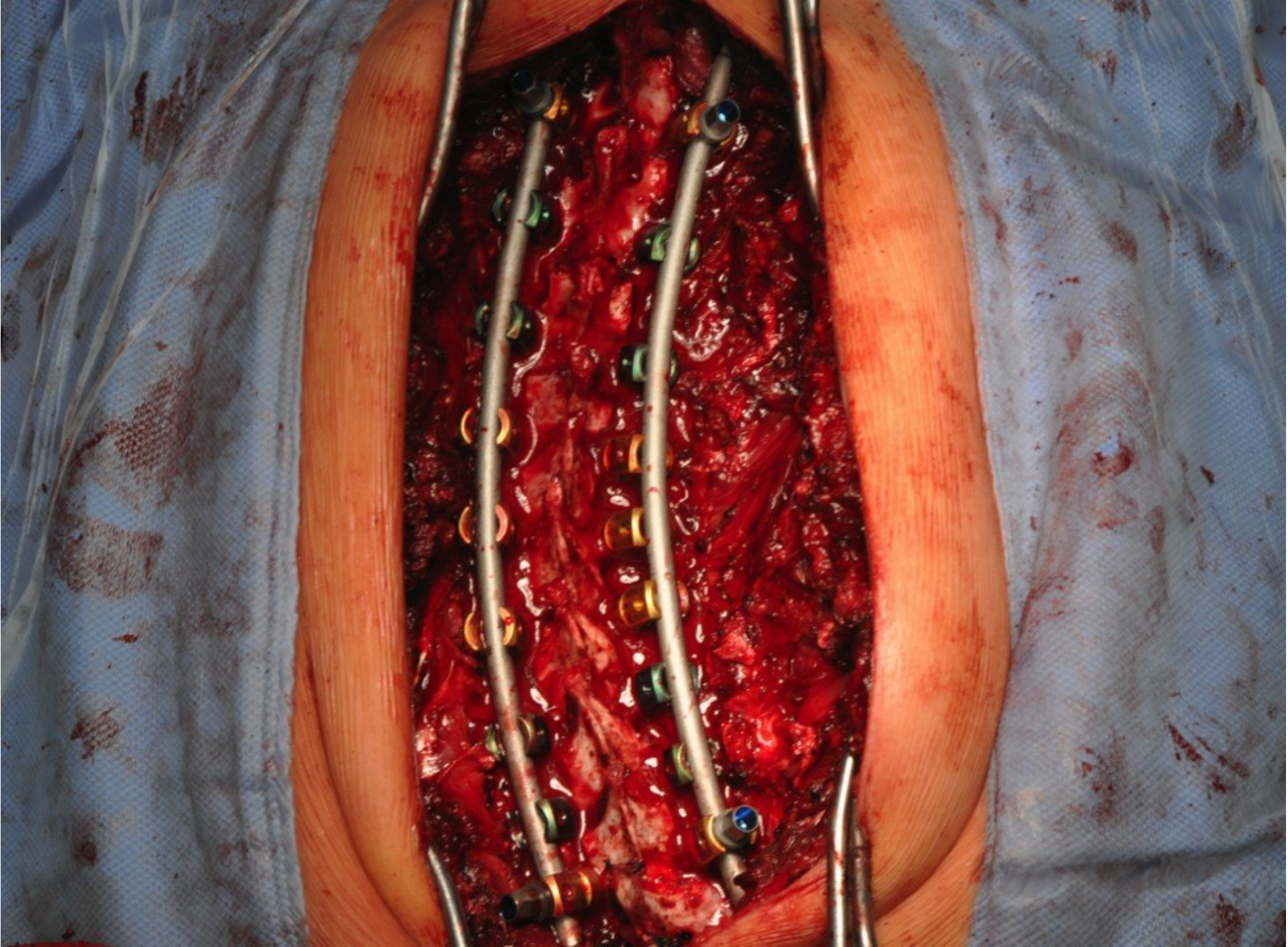




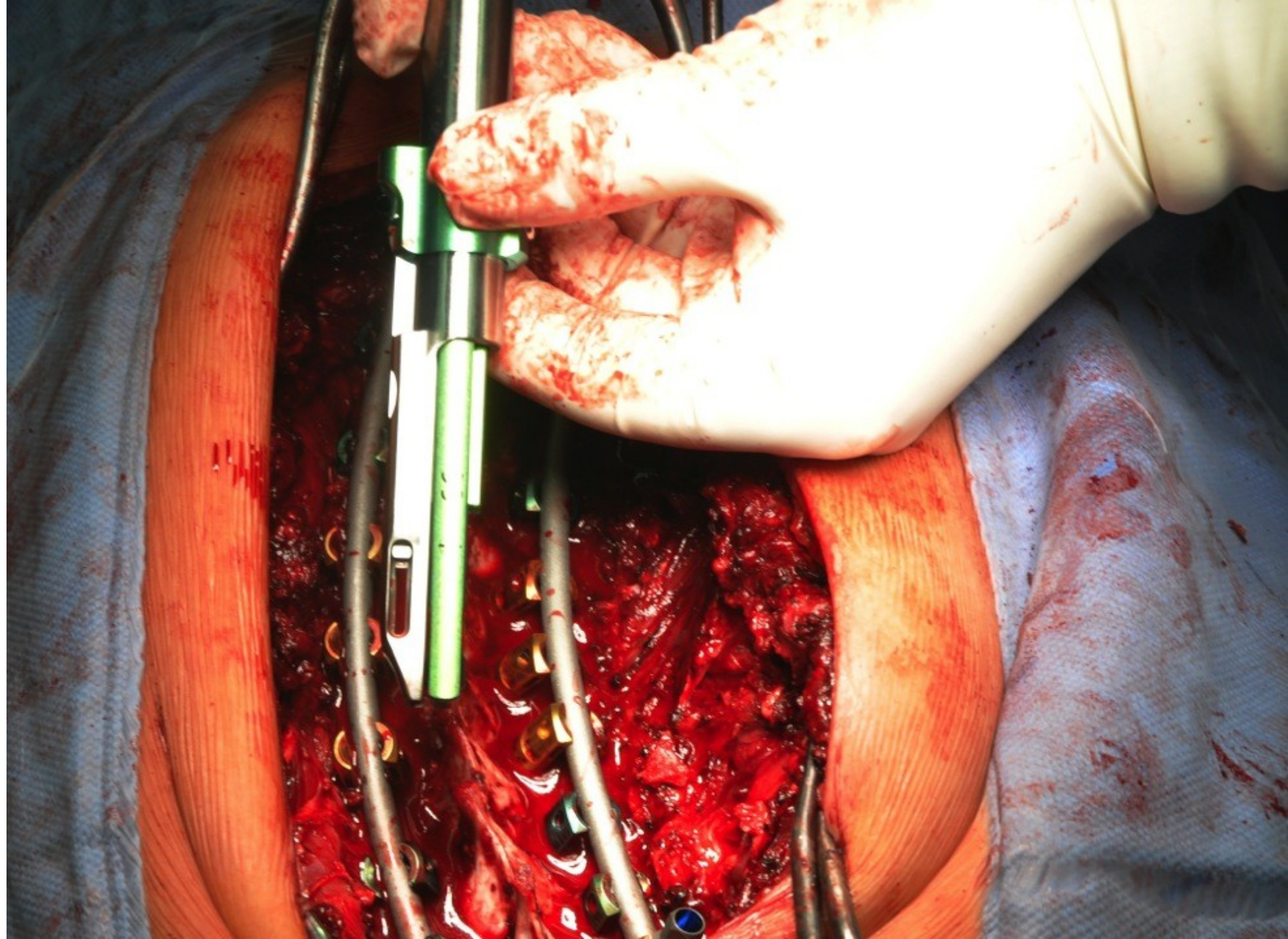




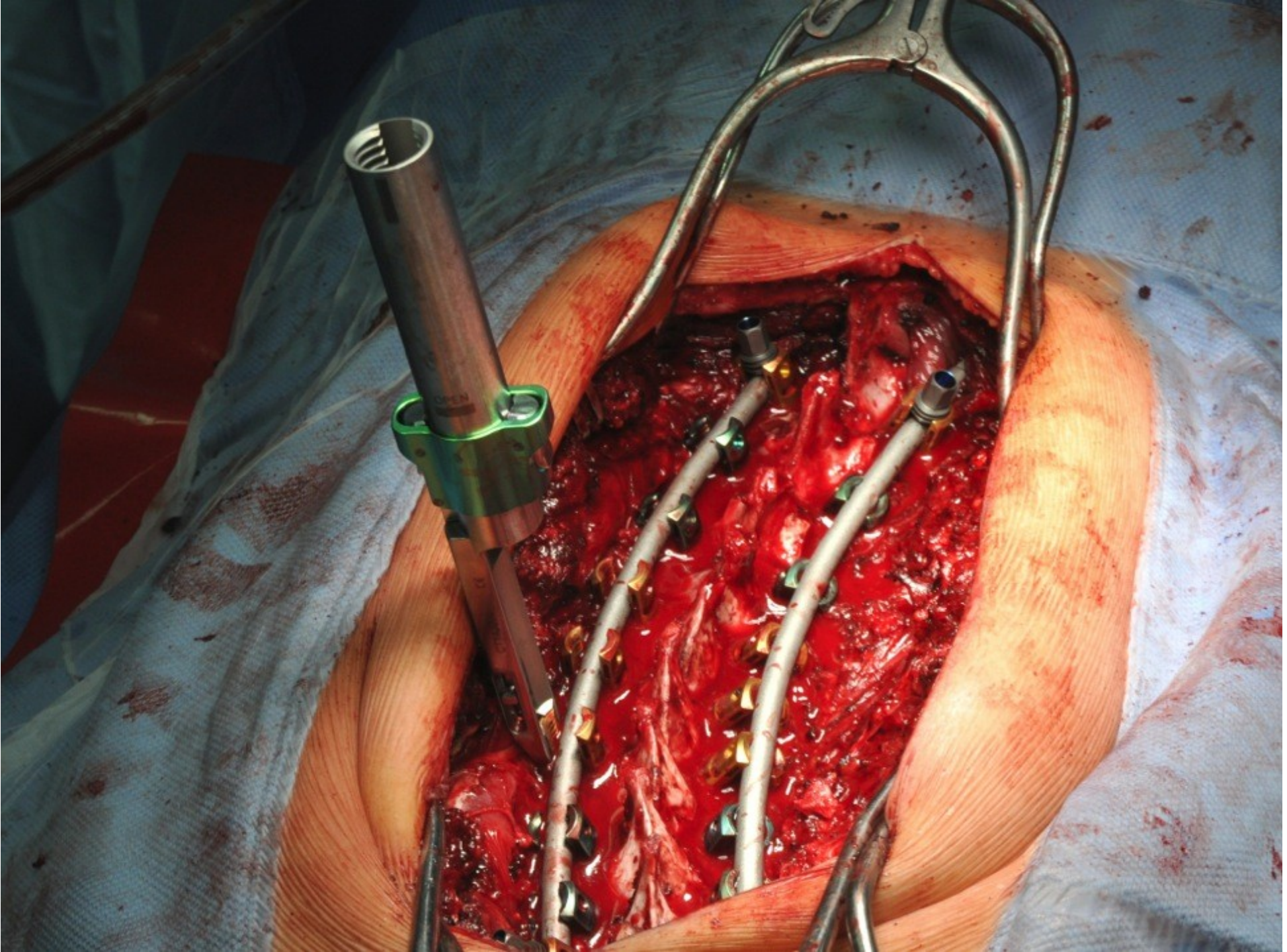




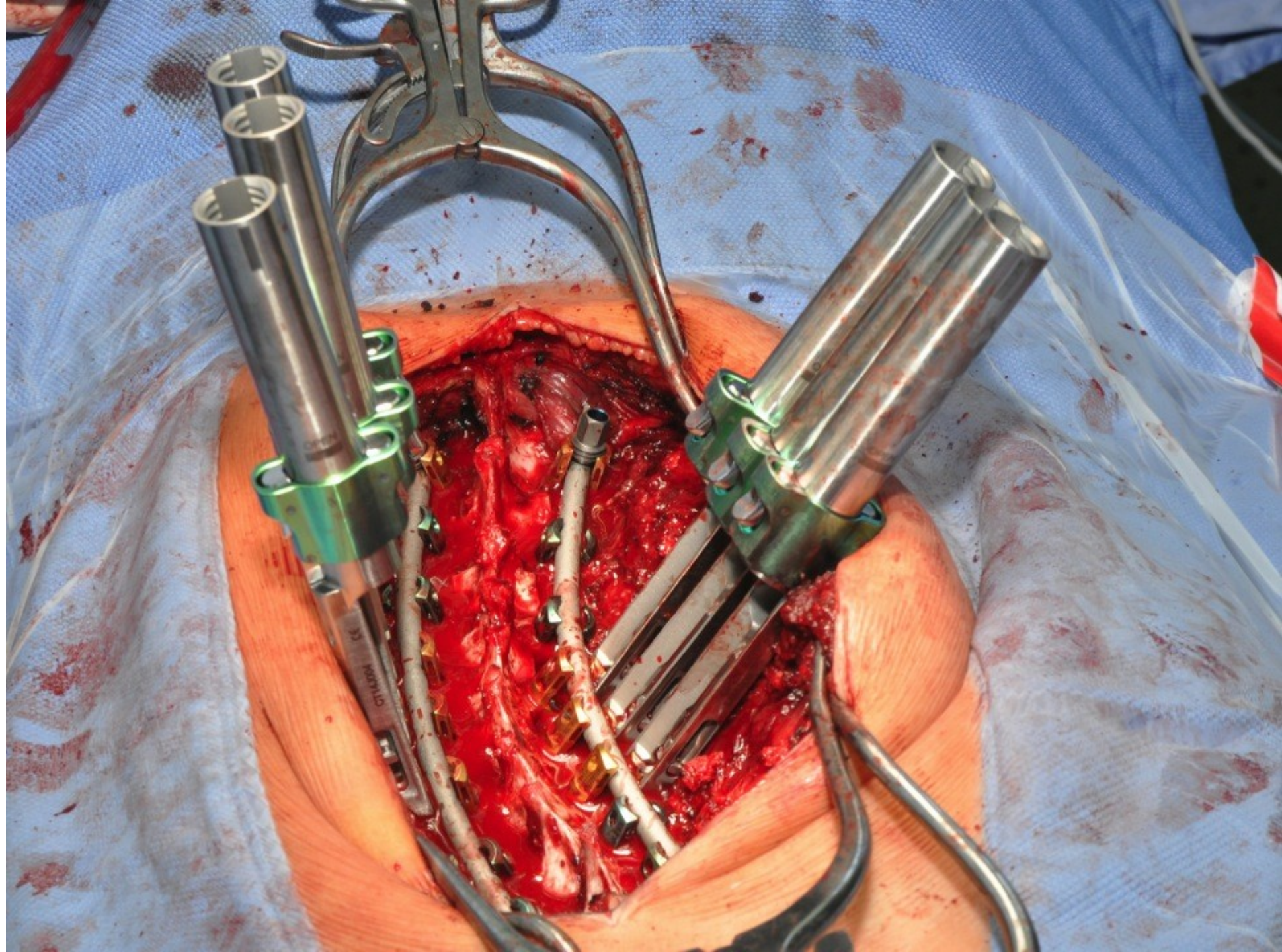




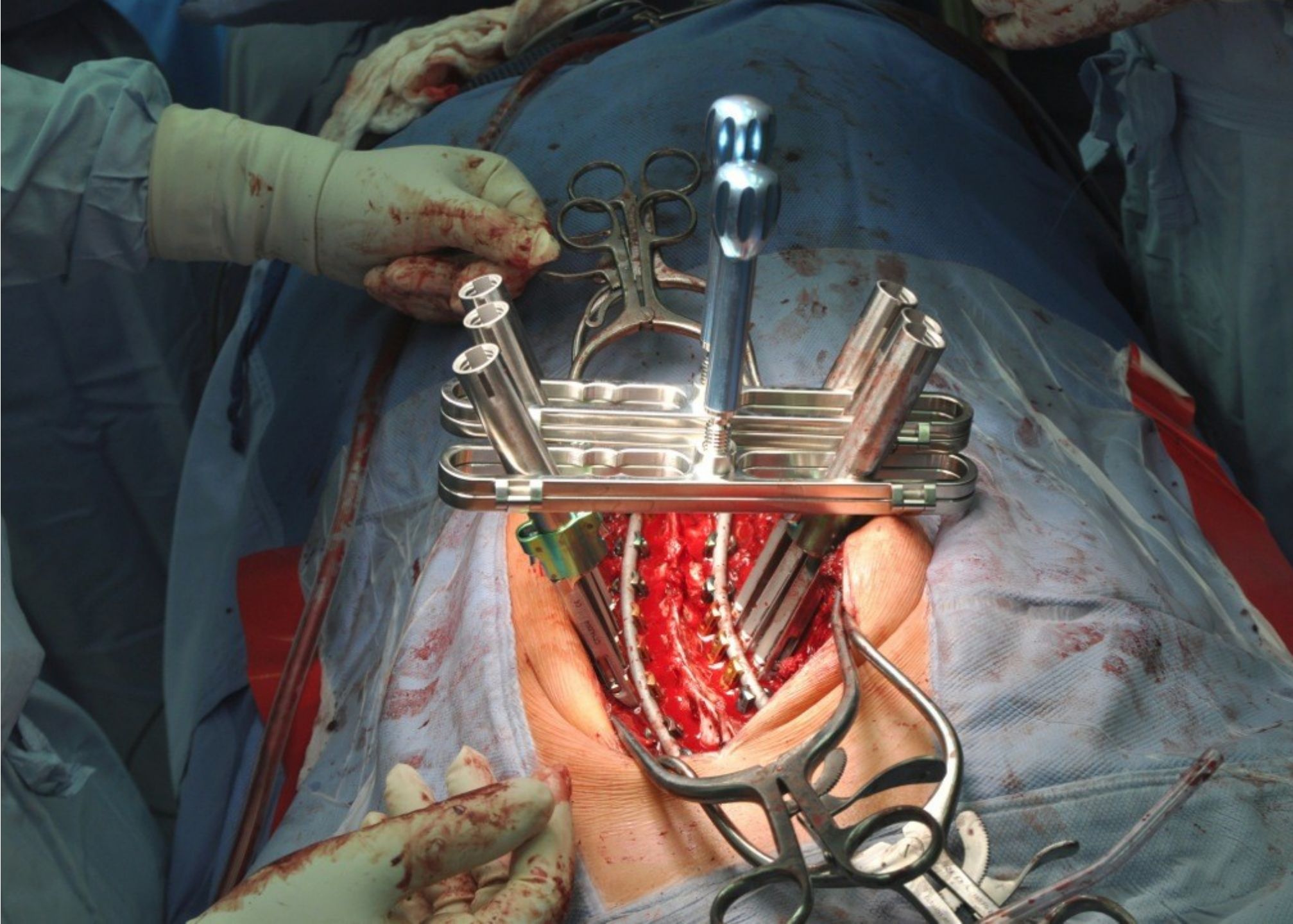




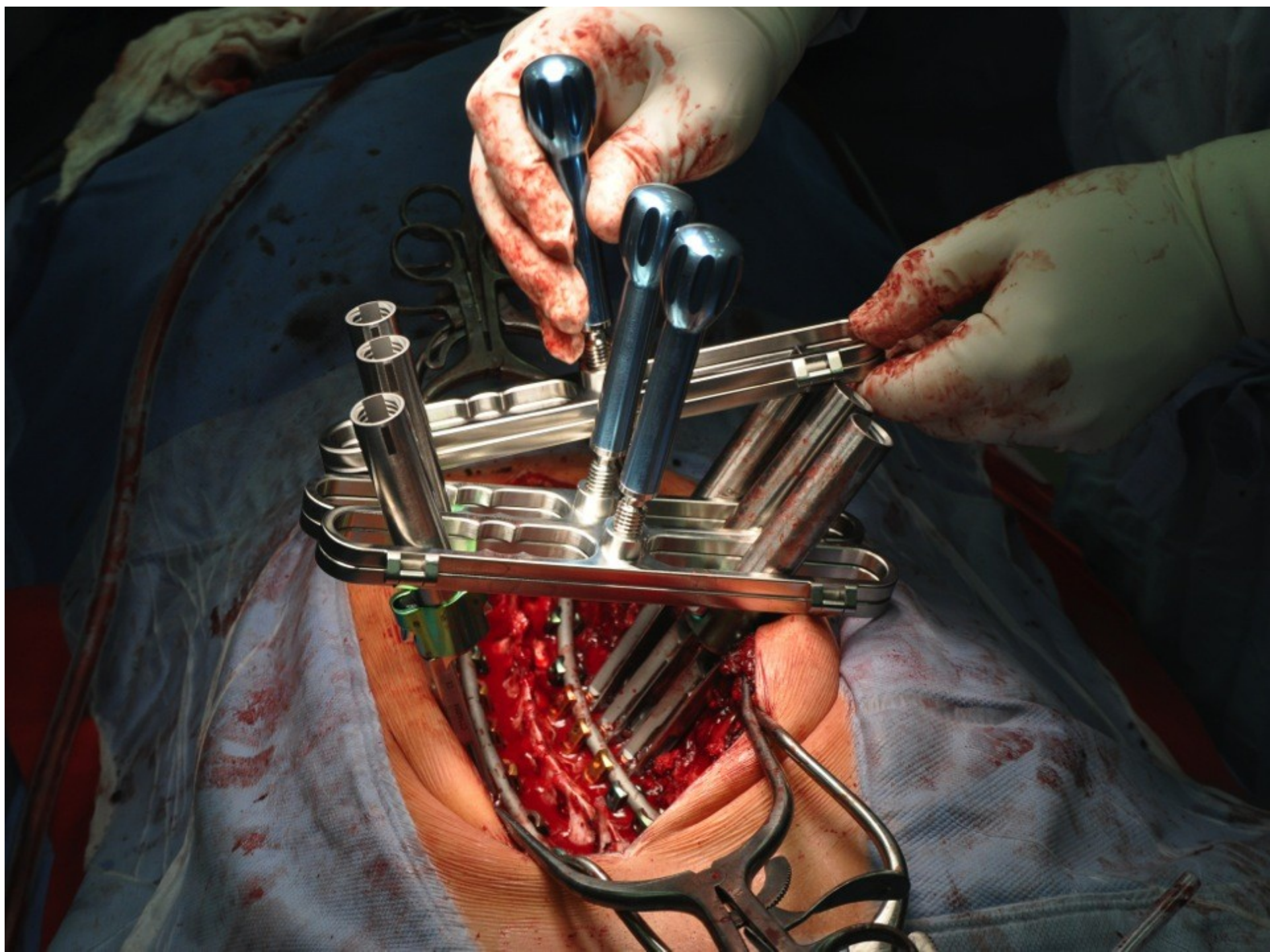




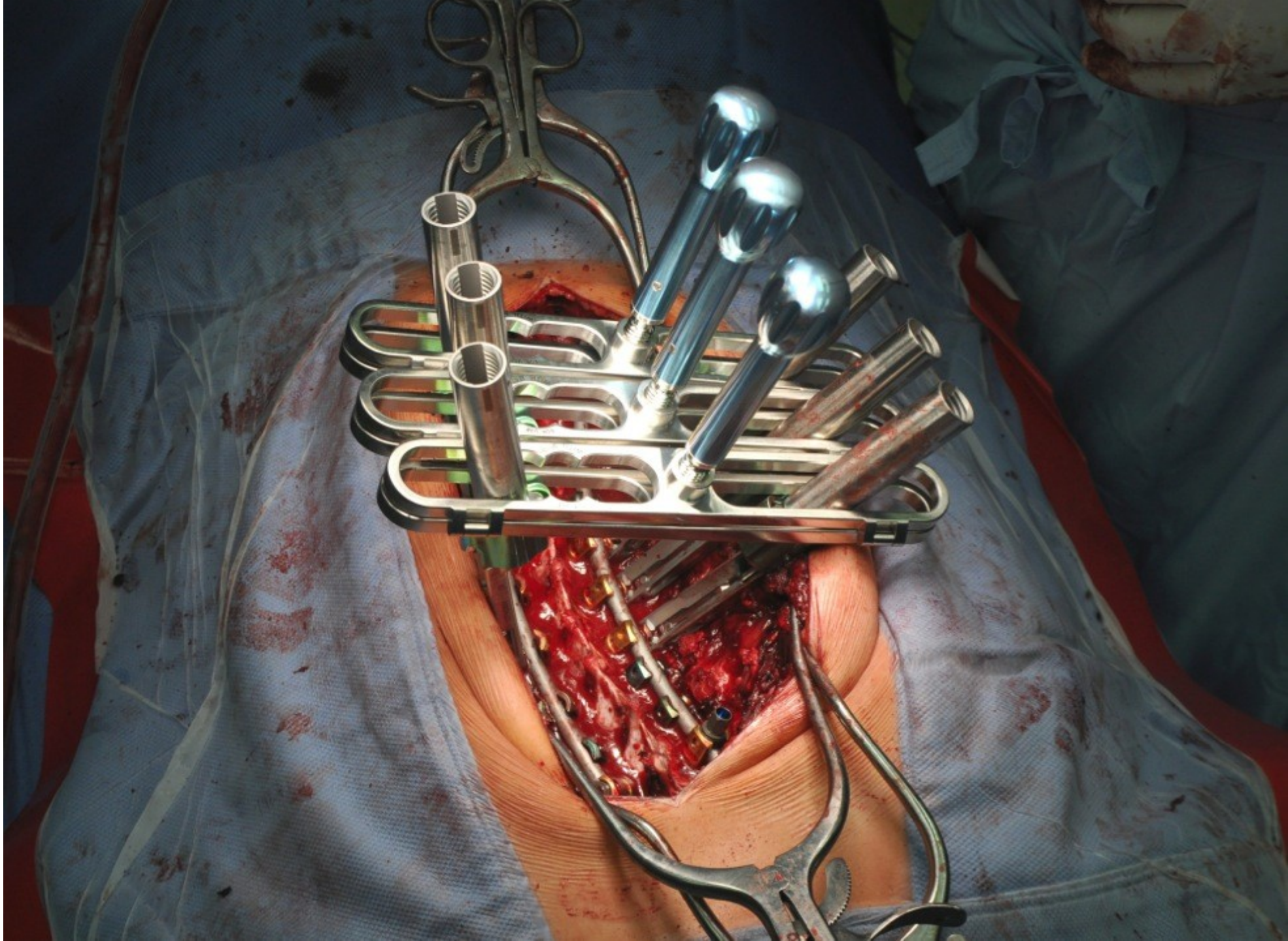




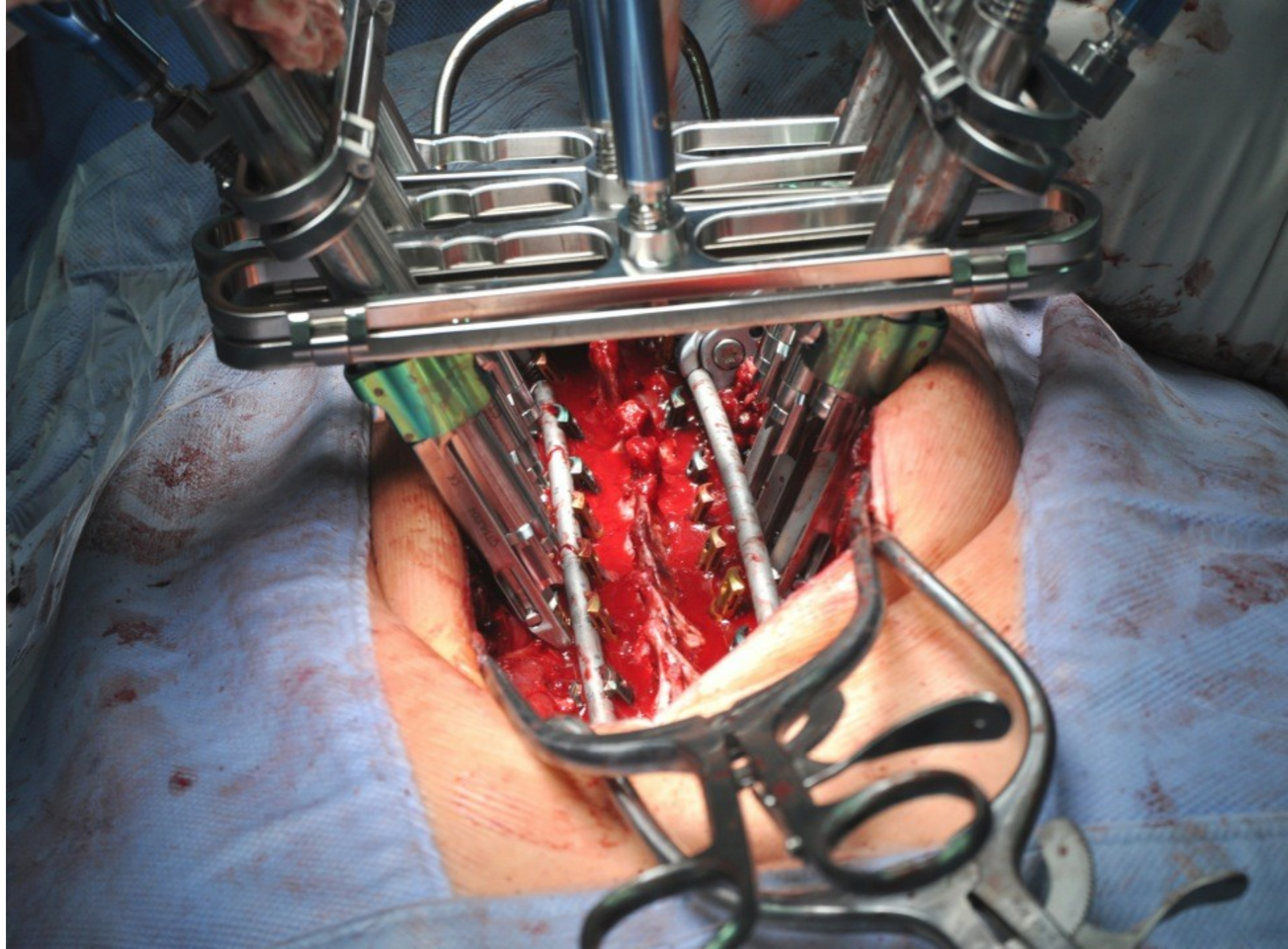




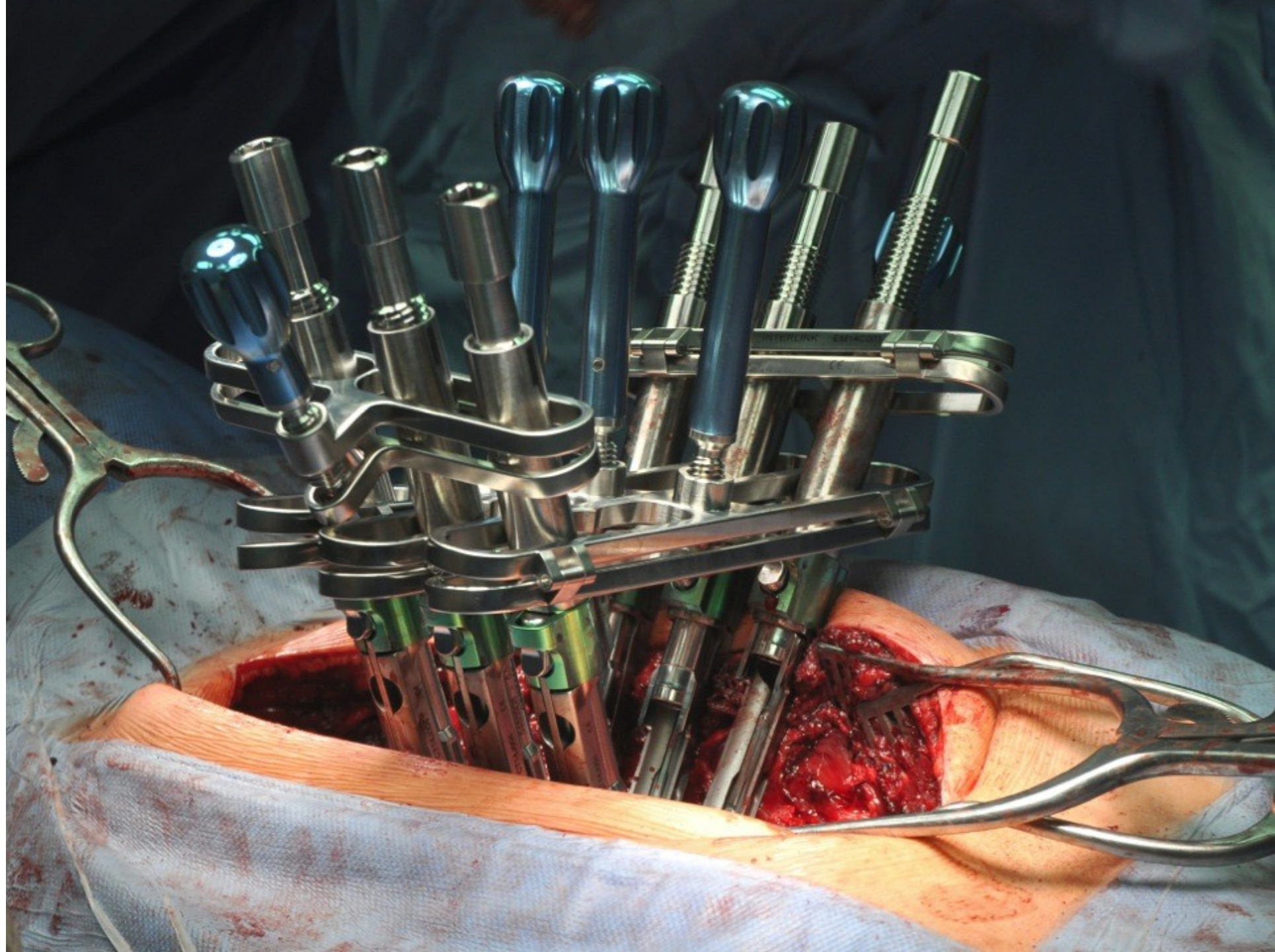




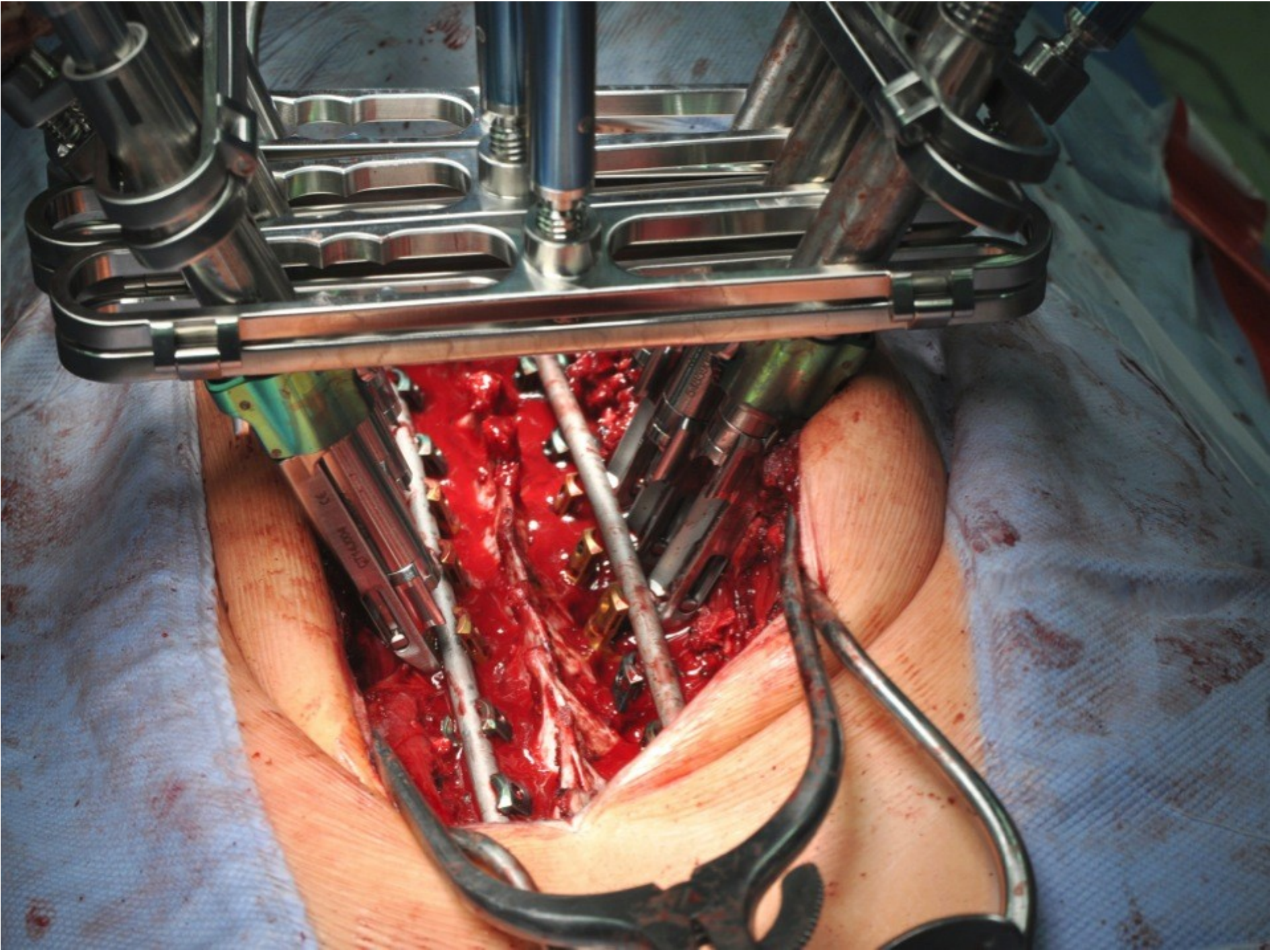




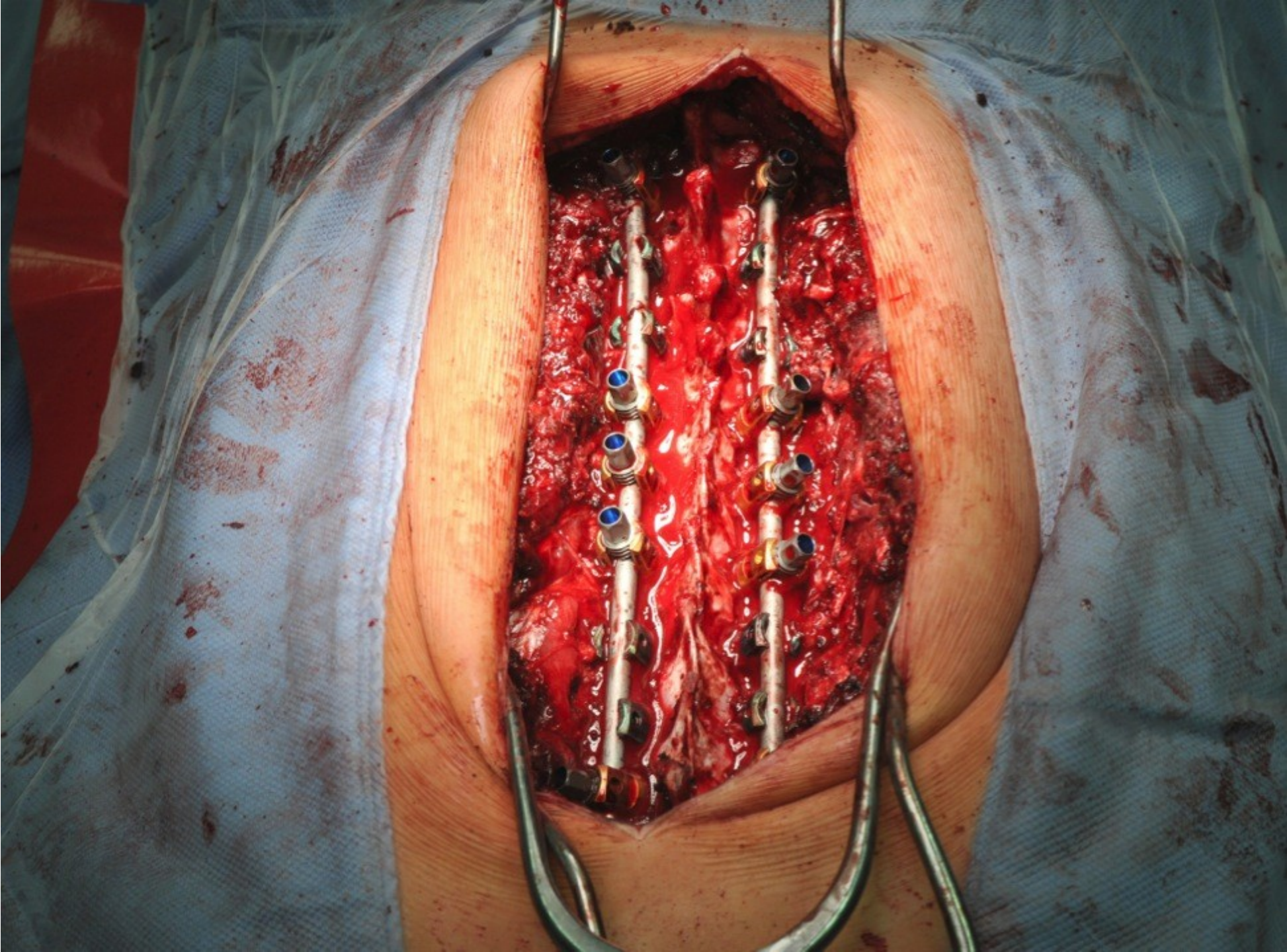






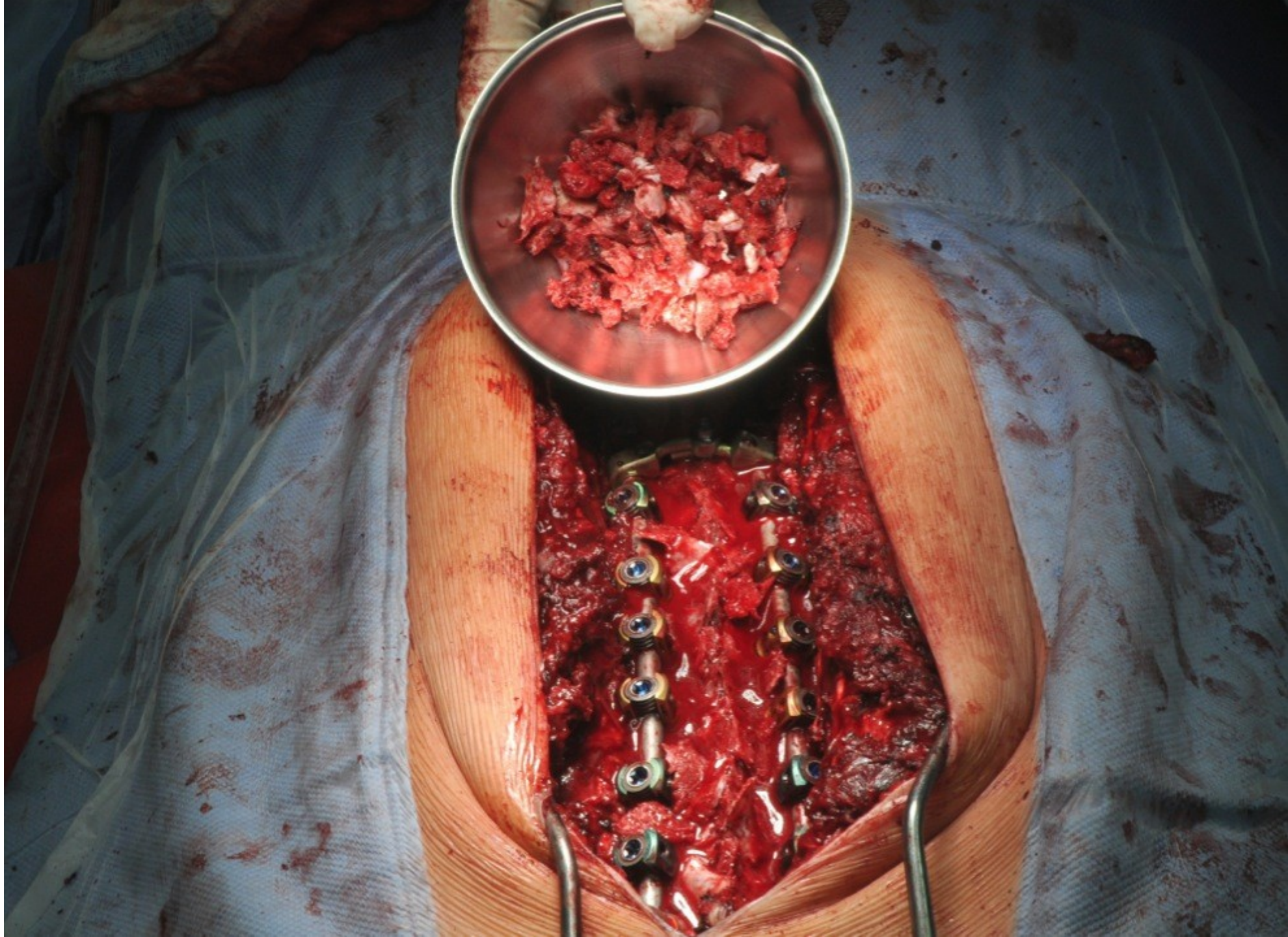




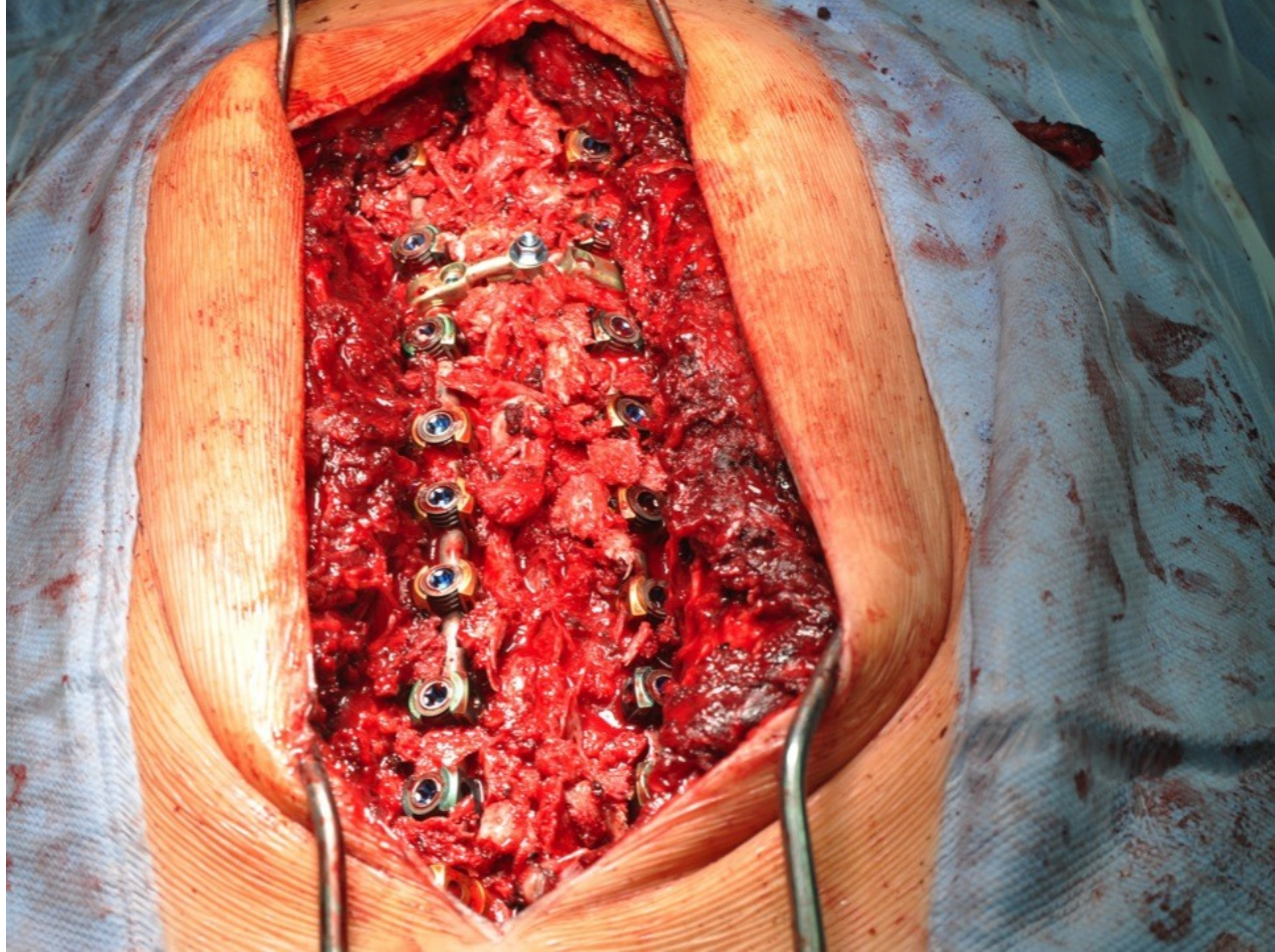






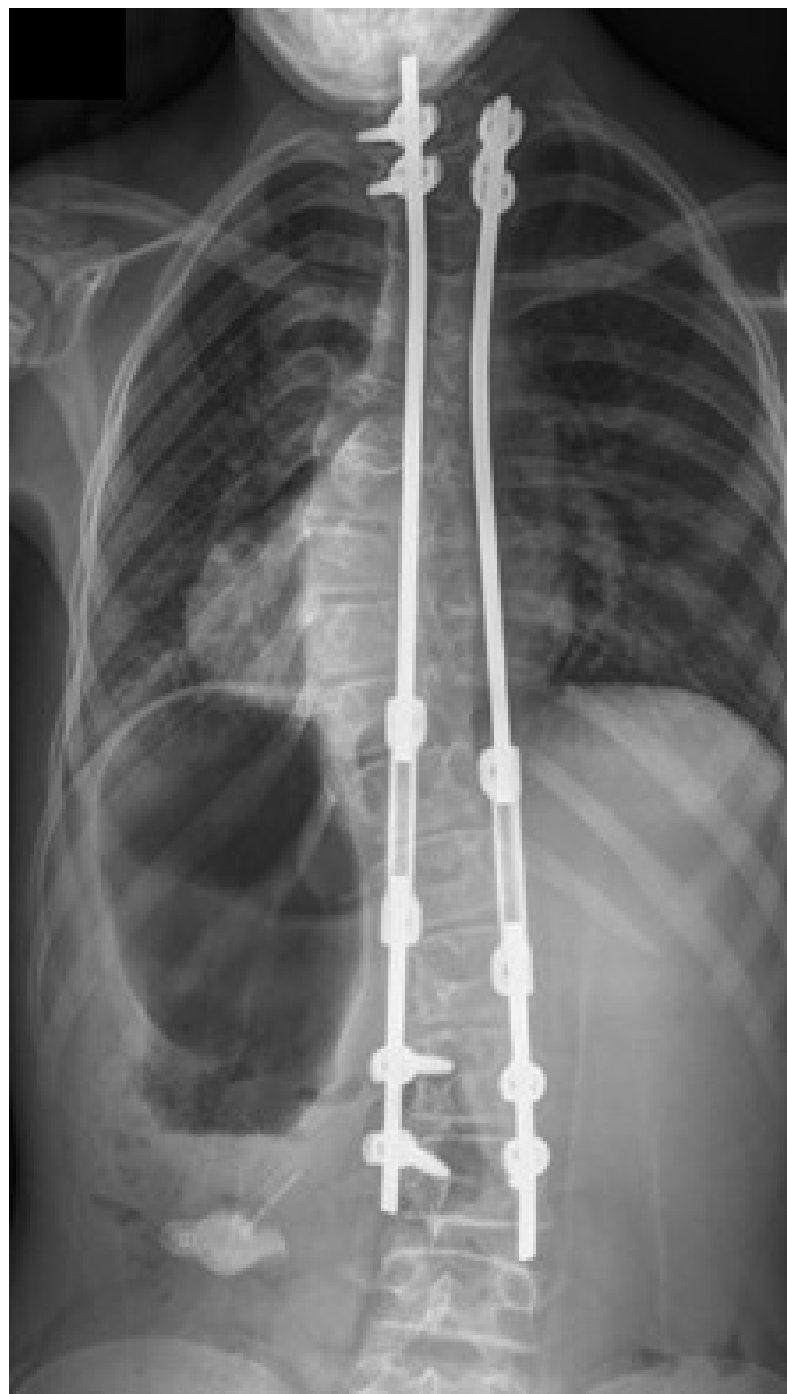








# Nonfusion surgery methods



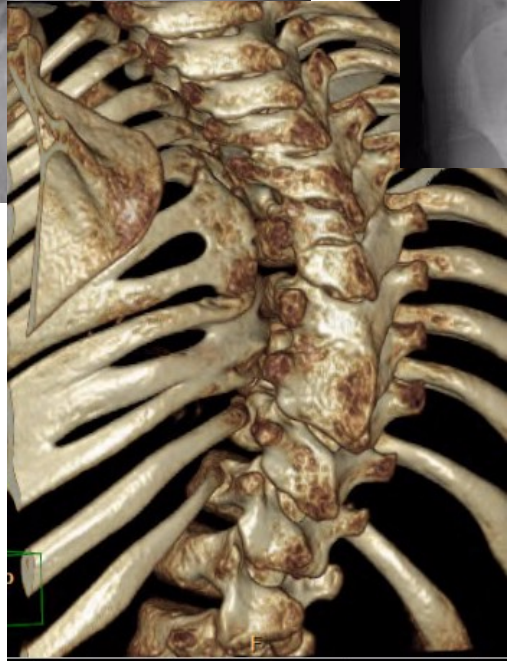
# VEPTR

= **vertical expandable prosthetic titanium rib**

- Indikace: kong. def. + thoracic insufficiency syndrom  
+ kostní nezralost
- Cíl: zvětšení objemu hrudníku + korekce deformity
- Nutné opakované redistrakce



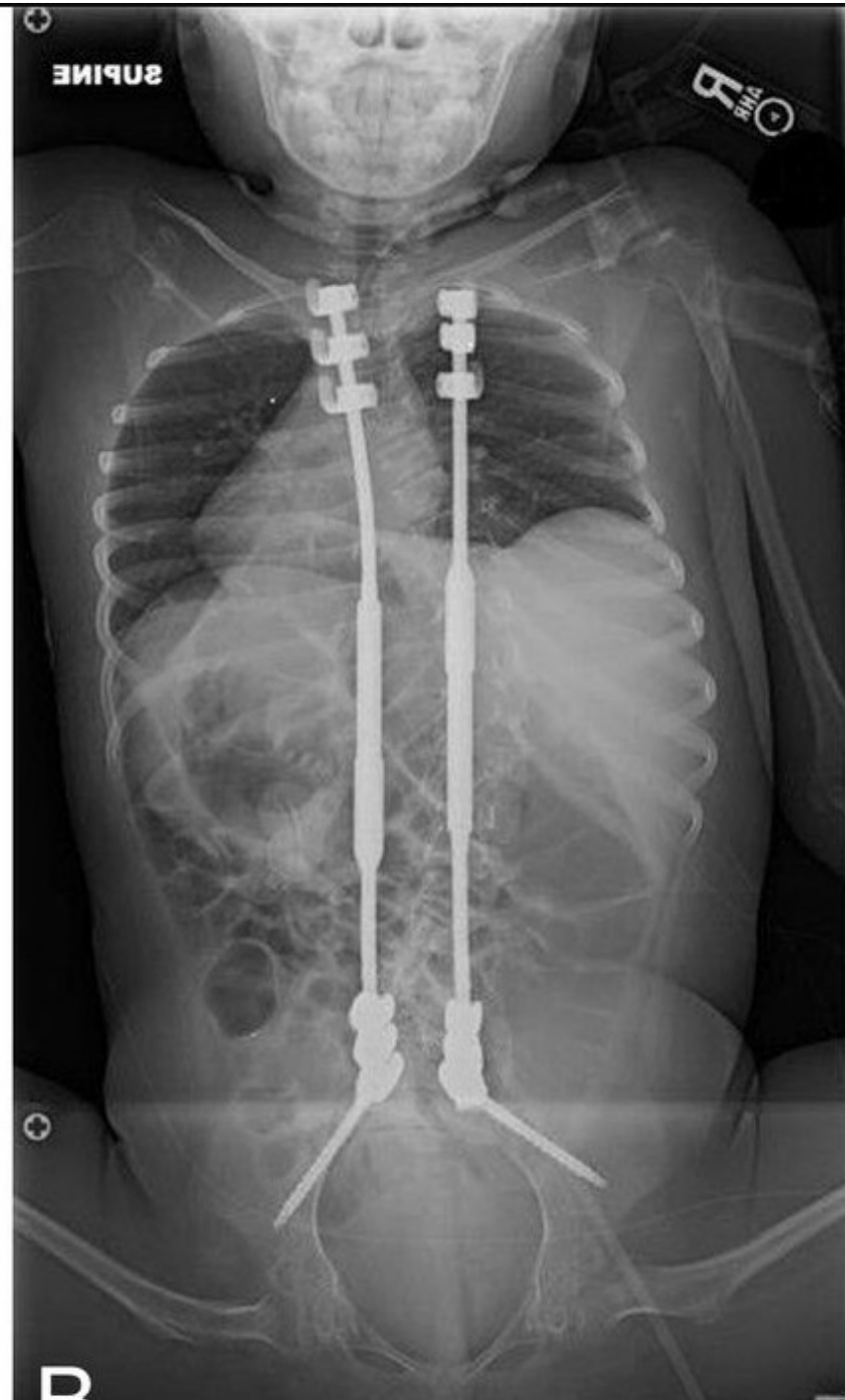




# Magnetické tyče (Magnetic rods)



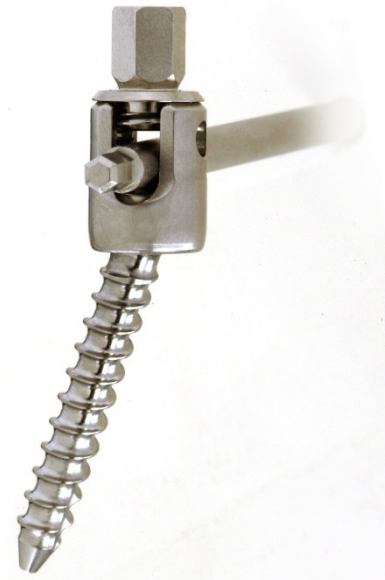


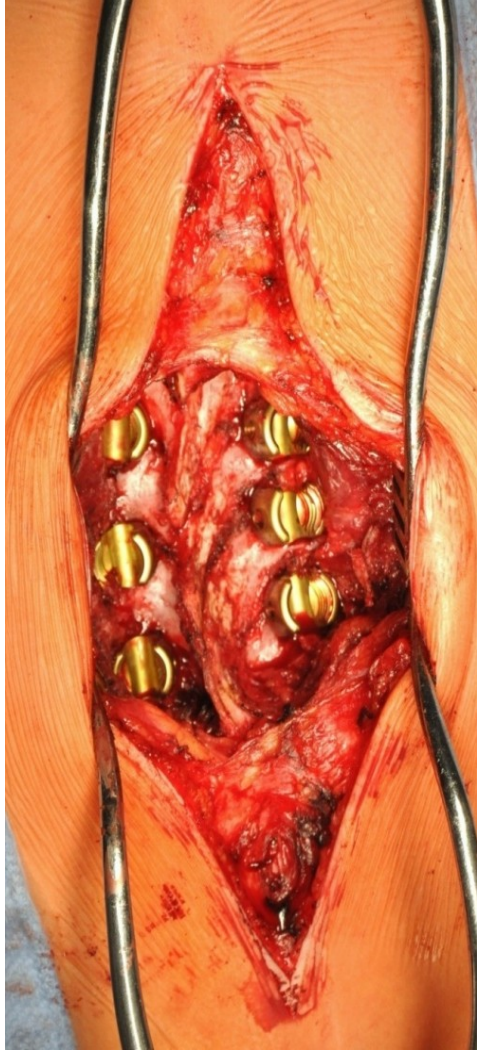


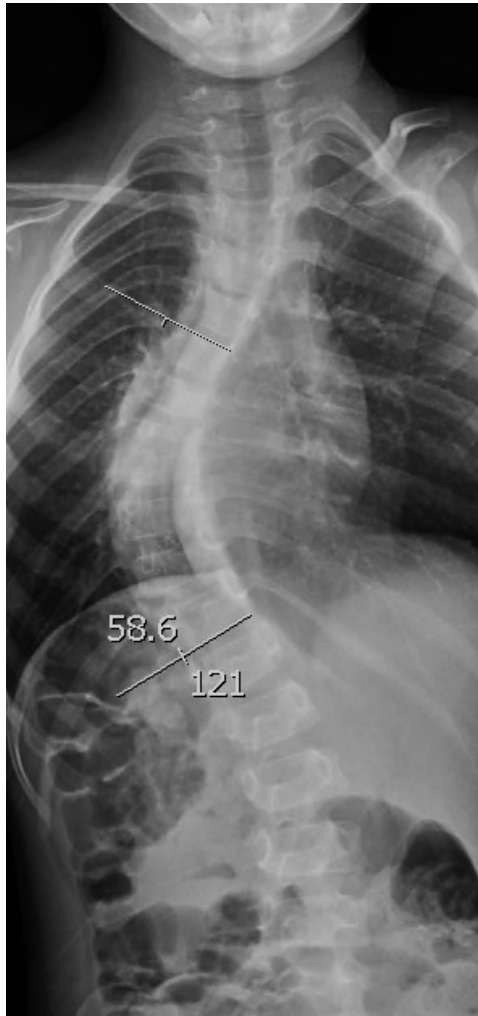


# Growth Guided System

- Deformity correction + growth enabled
- Fusion of the apex of the curve
- The rest of spine grows guided along the rods



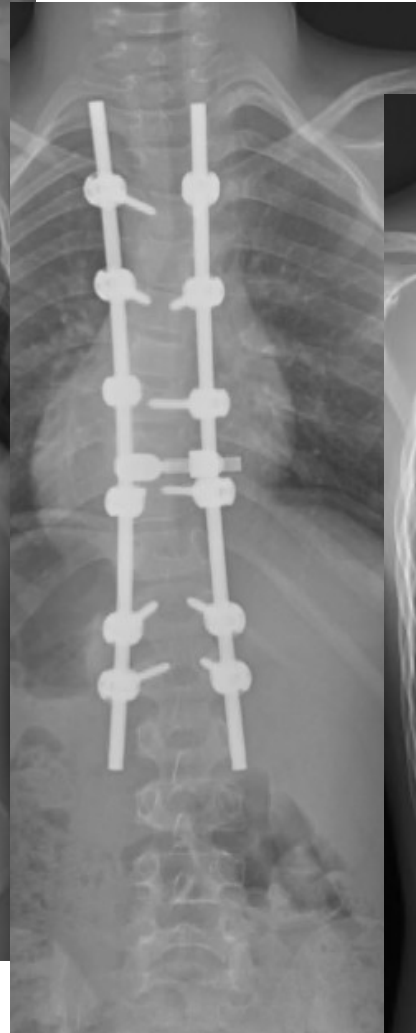




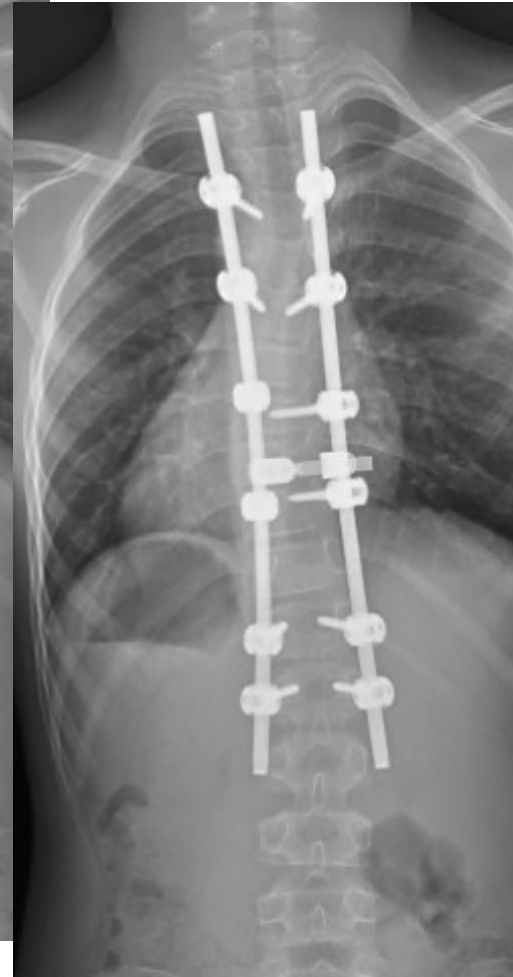
3+9



3+10



5+10



7+5





10 +9



poop



13+8



15+1

# GGs requires definitive fusion !

Pts need 2 surgeries at least !

Conversion to definitive fusion after skeletal maturity.



# Scoliosis types due to ethiology

## TYPU deformity

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- Idiopathic
- Congenital
- Neuromuscular

## VĚKU pacienta

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- Infantile  
< 3 y
- Juvenile  
4-10 y
- Adolescent  
11-17 y
- Adult  
> 17 y



# Congenital scoliosis

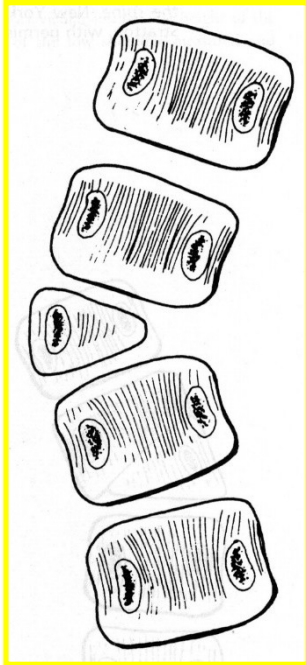
- Congenital Scoliosis- inborn spine deformity due to imperfect formation of vertebrae and their association.
- Hard to predict development and deformity progression ...

# Congenital scoliosis

- deformity occurs during the first 6 weeks of embryonic development without hereditary burden, it is not hereditary
- wide diversity of severity of disability
- dg. newborns / toddlers, can occur at any time during growth

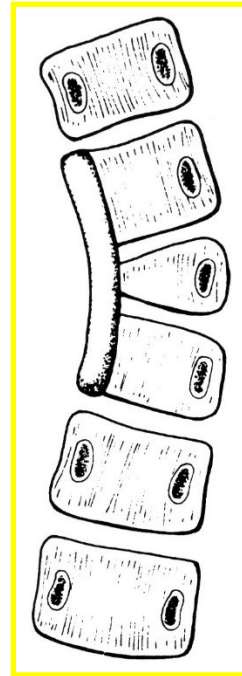
# CONGENITAL scoliosis

**Failure of  
FORMATION**

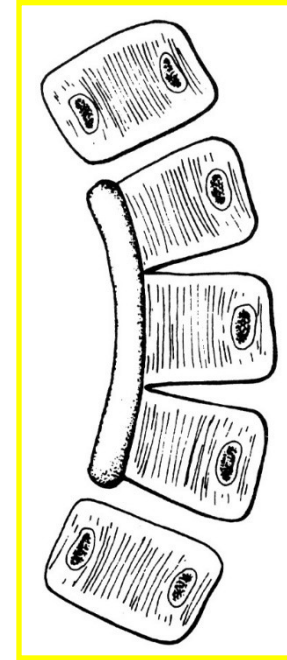


**Hemivertebra**

**COMBINED  
failure**



**Failure of  
SEGMENTATION**



**Unsegmented bar**



# Congenital scoliosis

- Failure of SEGMENTATION- failure of the connection of one or more vertebrae on one side
- Failure of FORMATION- most often, disorder of vertebra formation, shape anomalies
- COMBINED failure

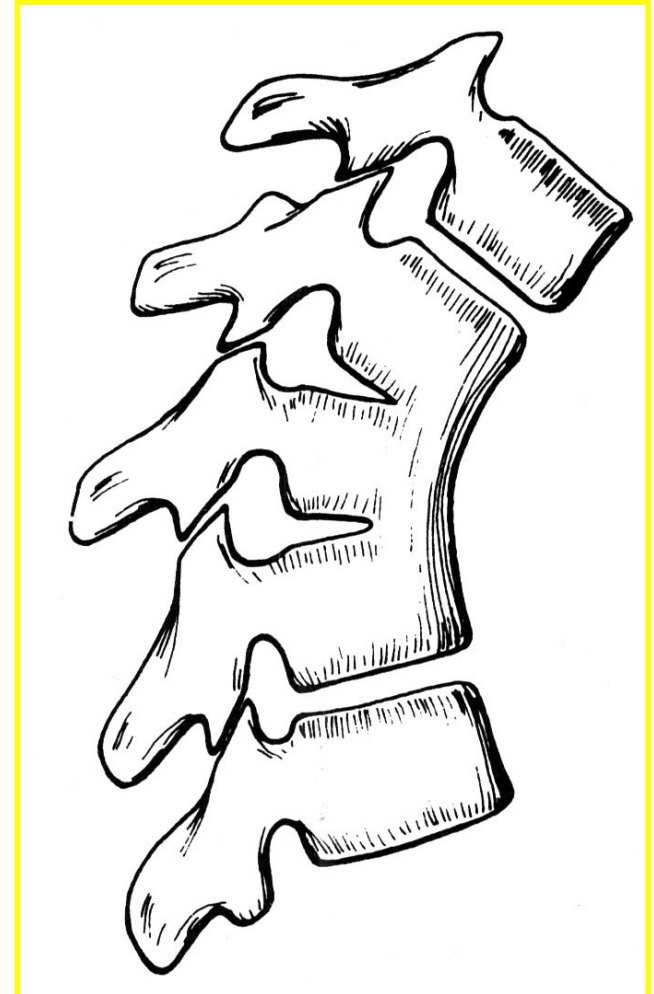
# Failure of segmentation

- Anterior :

Vertebrae are held together due to unsegmented normally all the posterior structures

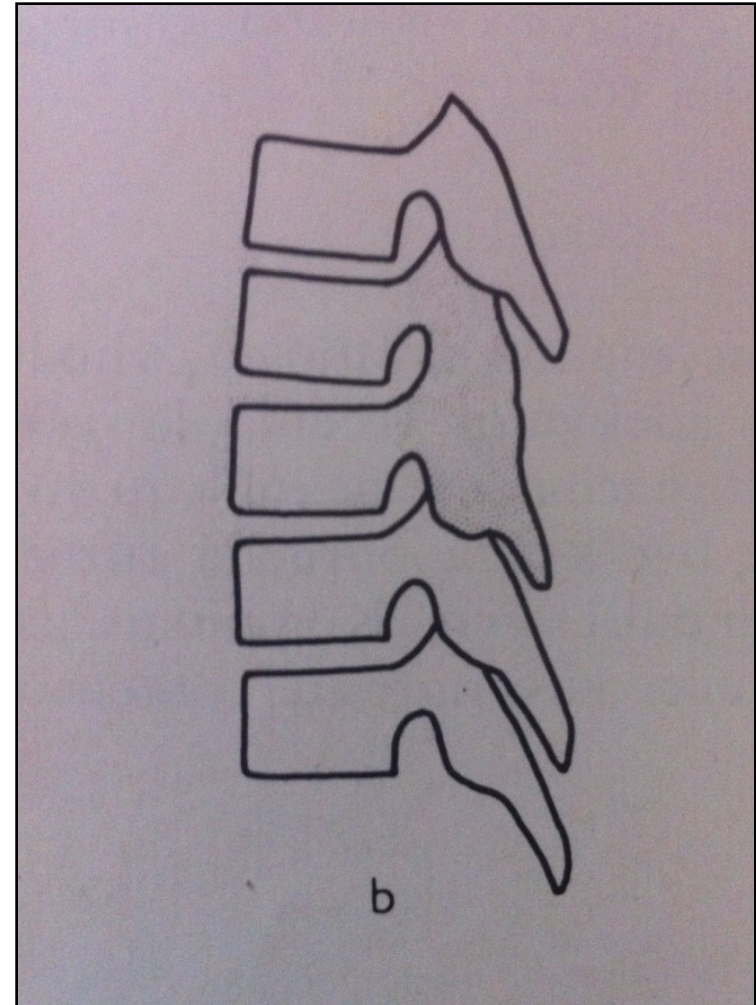
-> kyphosis !

„anterior unsegmented bar“



# Failure of segmentation

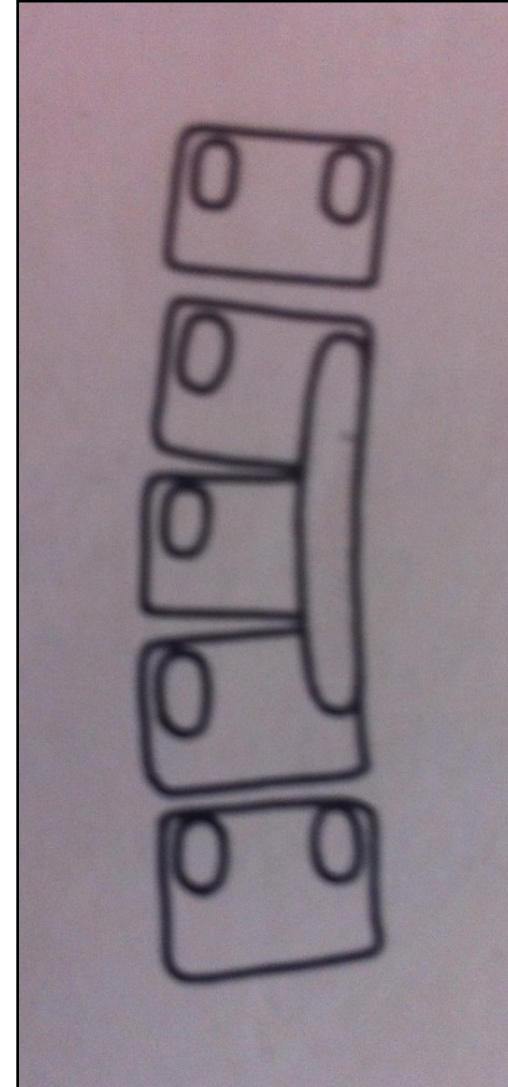
- Posterior unsegmented bar – fusion of intervertebral joints and laminae  
-> lordotization





# Failure of segmentation

- Unilateral unsegmented bar leads to severe scoliosis deformity

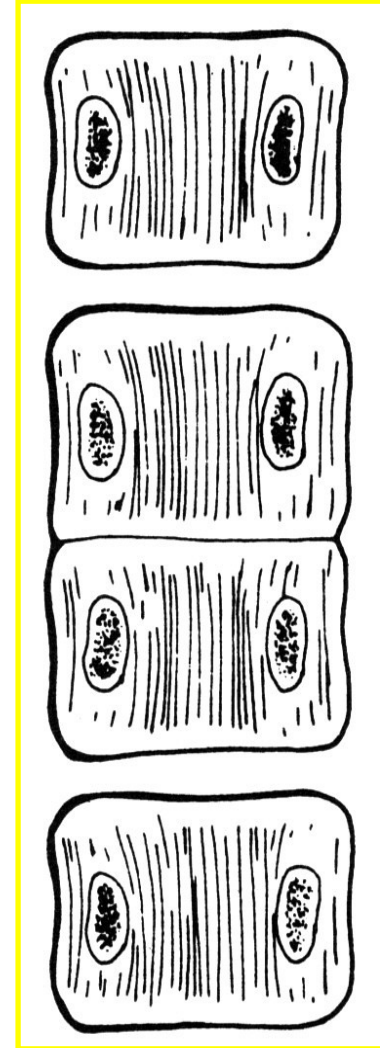


# Failure of segmentation

Usually asymptomatic

Can lead to relative shortening of spine

„block vertebra“ – iv disc is missing



# Failure of formation

- anterior

Could affect just part of vertebra / all structures

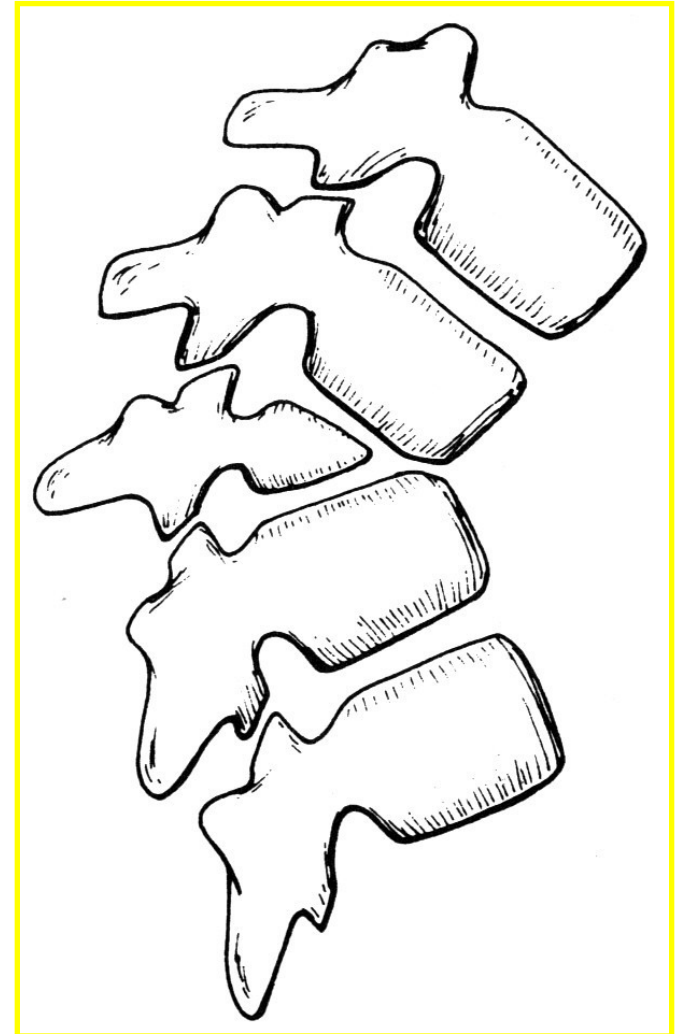
Solitary or multiple changes

„posterior hemivertebra“

-> kyphosis

- posterior – much less common

- > lordosis

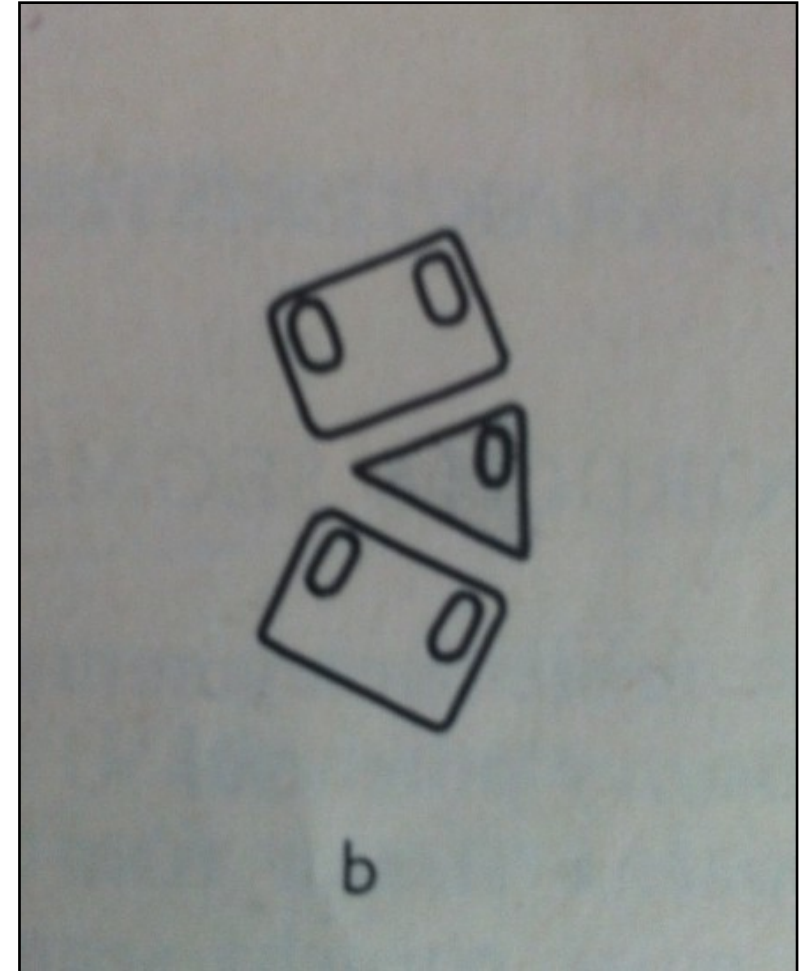




# Failure of formation

- Lateral
  - Hemivertebra
- > scoliosis deformity

Important one !



# Failure of formation

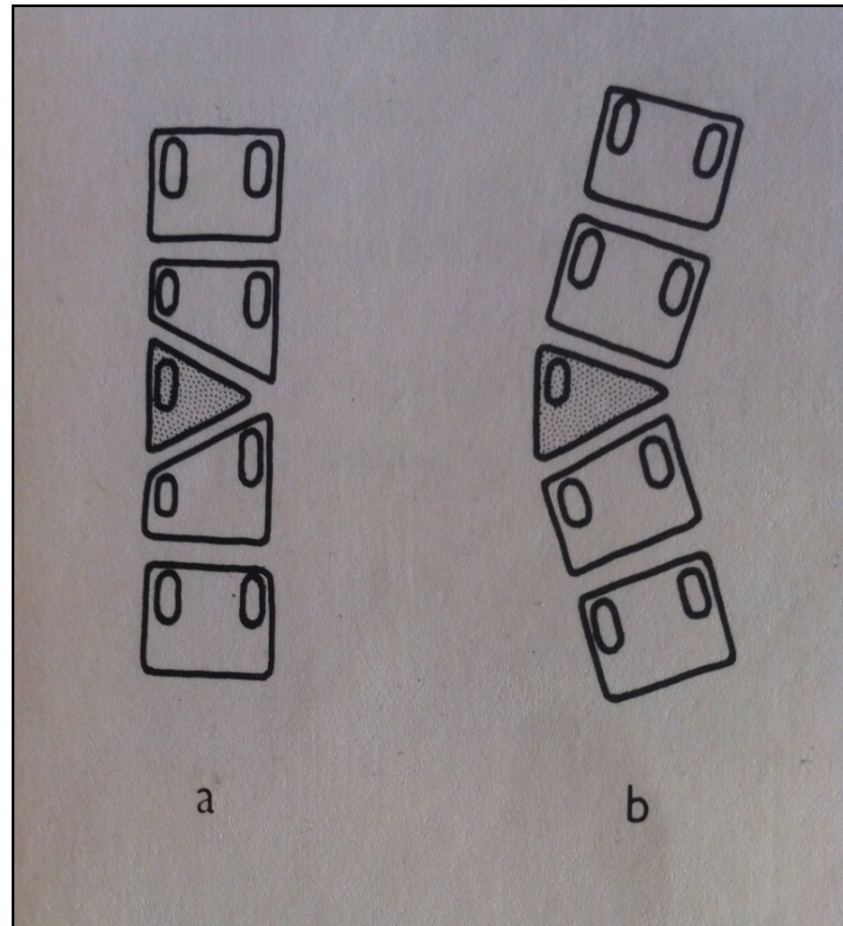
Postižení solitární až mnohočetné

Postižení sousedních obratlů nebo  
v různých úsecích páteře



# Hemivertebra types

closed type / neuzavřený poloobratel



bez progresse / progresse deformity



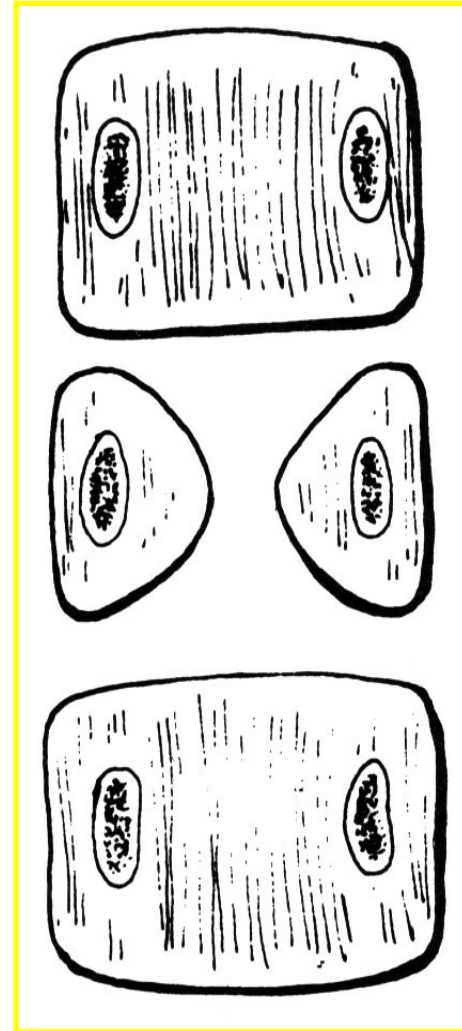
# Failure of formation

- Anterior central defect

The two parts of vert. are not connected together

„butterfly vertebra“

- According to severity of the anterior defect can lead to kyphosis or is completely asymptomatic

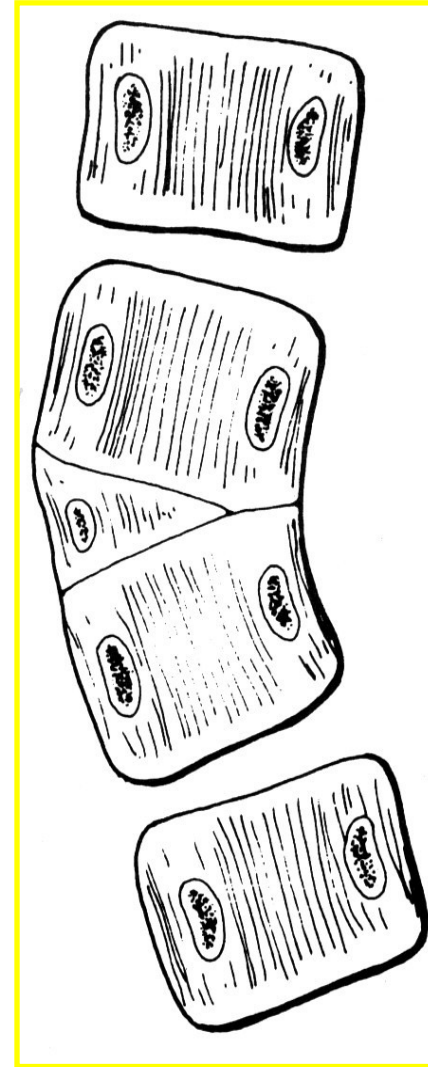
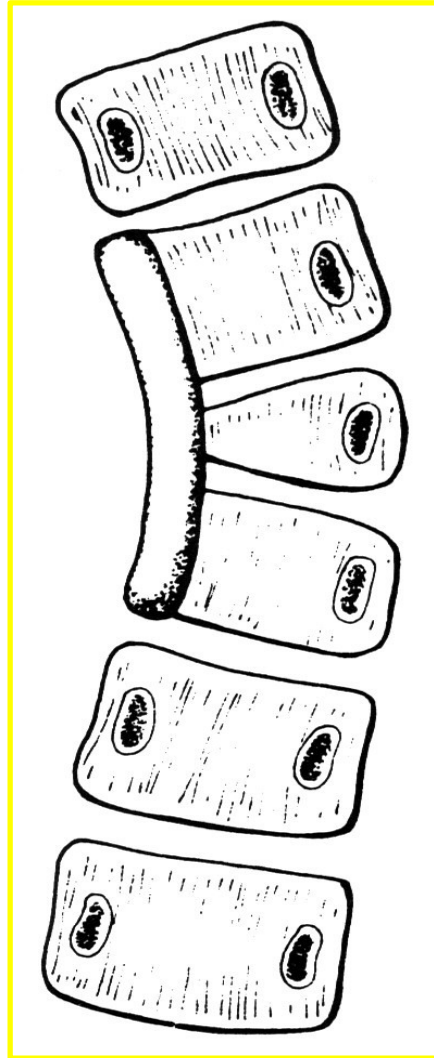
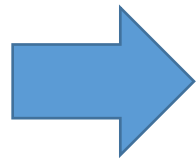


# Combined failure

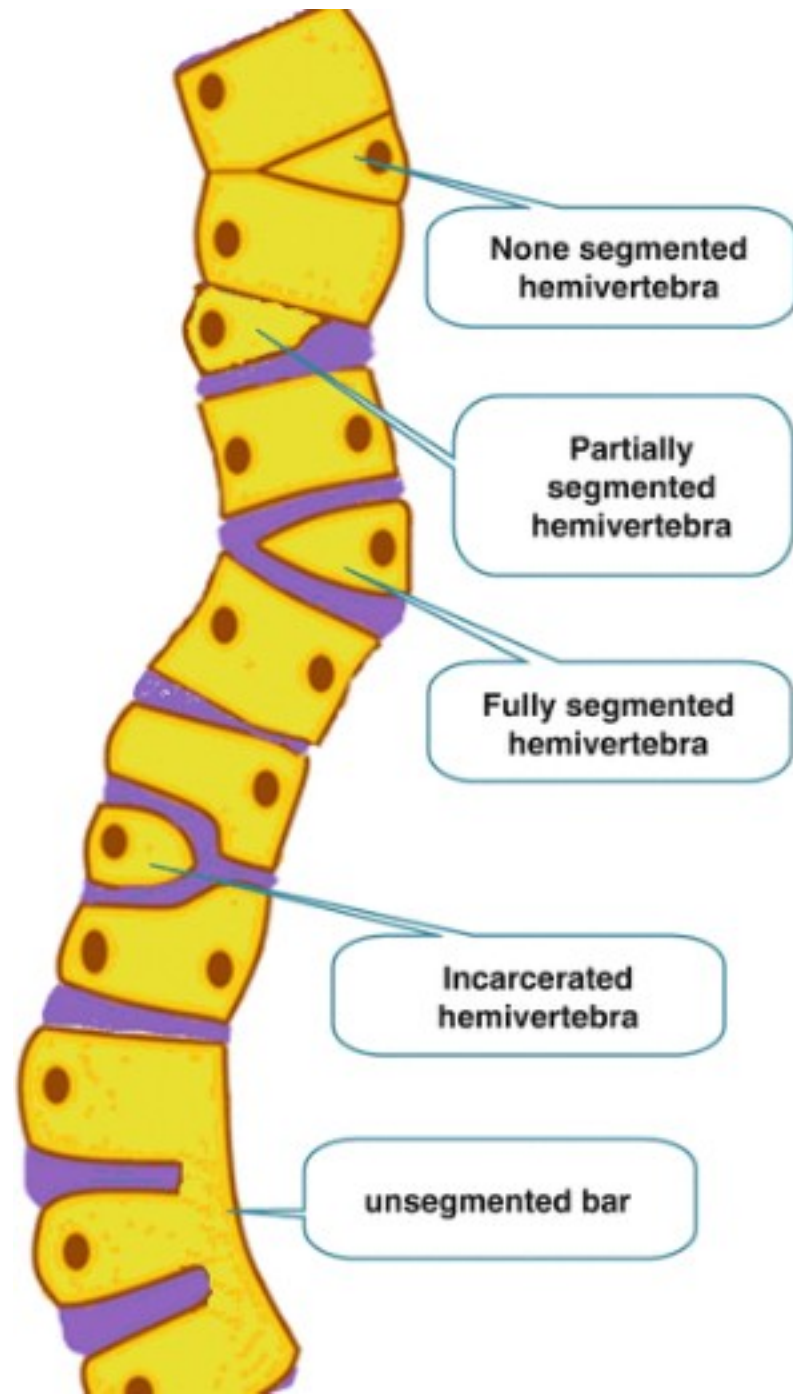
- Very common
- Multiple changes
- Very individual
- Hard to predict progression in multiple changes, observation is the key.

# Combined failure

The highest risk of progression = Fully segmented hemivertebral + contralateral unsegmented bar !!







# Congenital scoliosis - therapy

Main rule – STOP the progression !

Observation – X-ray á 6months

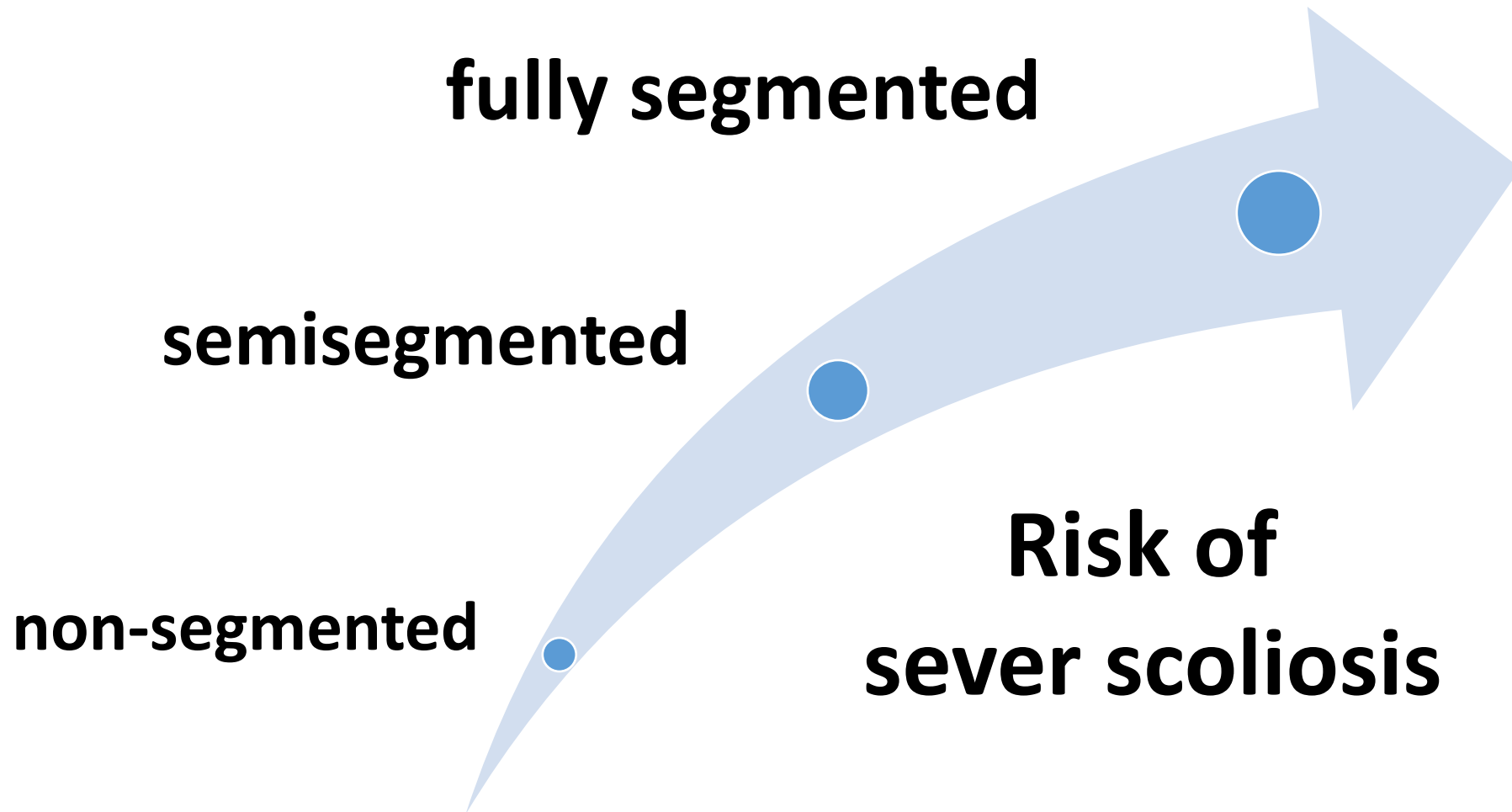
if there is progression of deformity -> surgery

**fastest growth**– frist 5y of age

+ adolescent growth spurt

-> **highest risk of progression !!!**

# Hemivertebra





# 2 main used surgical techniques

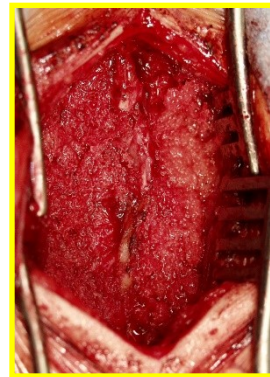
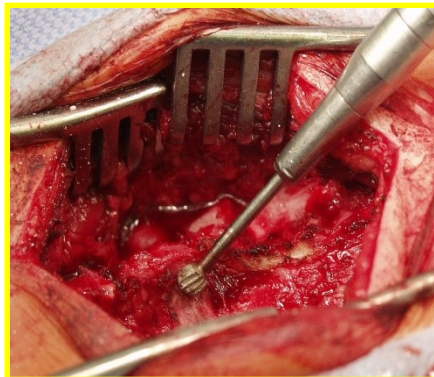


## Simple bony fusion

Arrest of curve progression

(without direct correction)

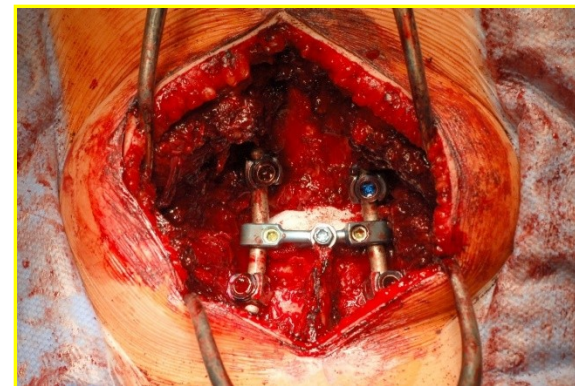
- in small curves
- in early detection



## Hemivertebrectomy with instrumentation

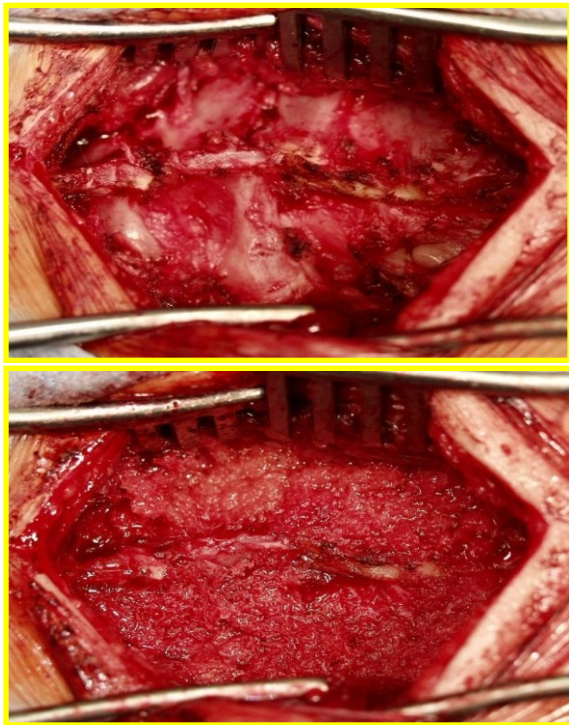
Correction of scoliotic curve

- in greater curves
- in supposed curve progression



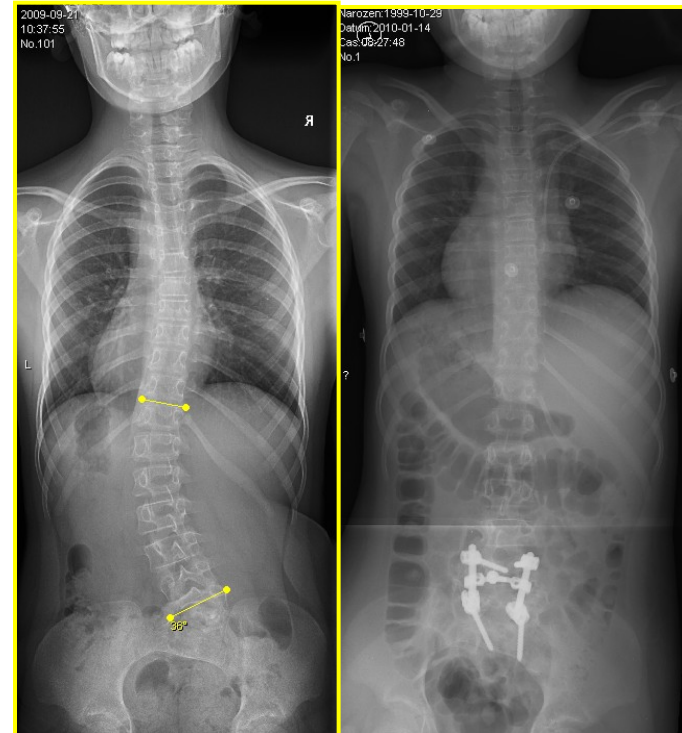
# Surgery of hemivertebra

## Simple fusion



- Small deformities
- Blockage of worsening
- Without correction possibility

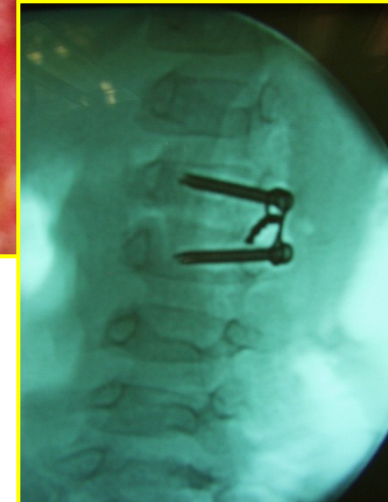
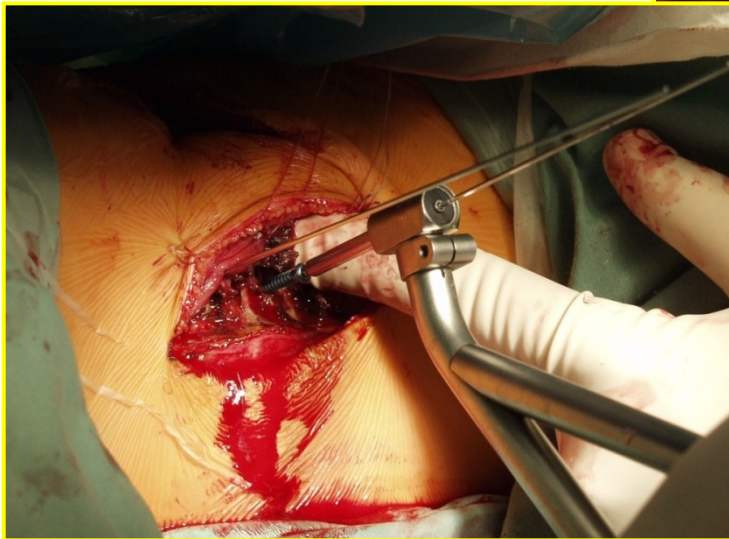
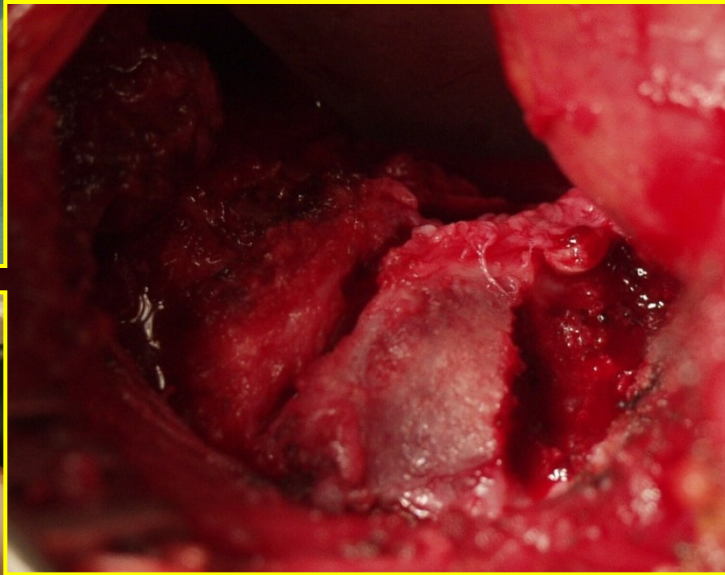
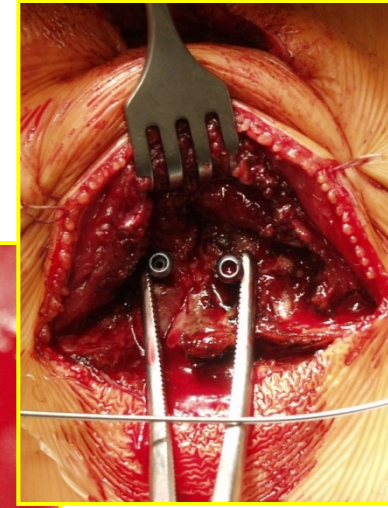
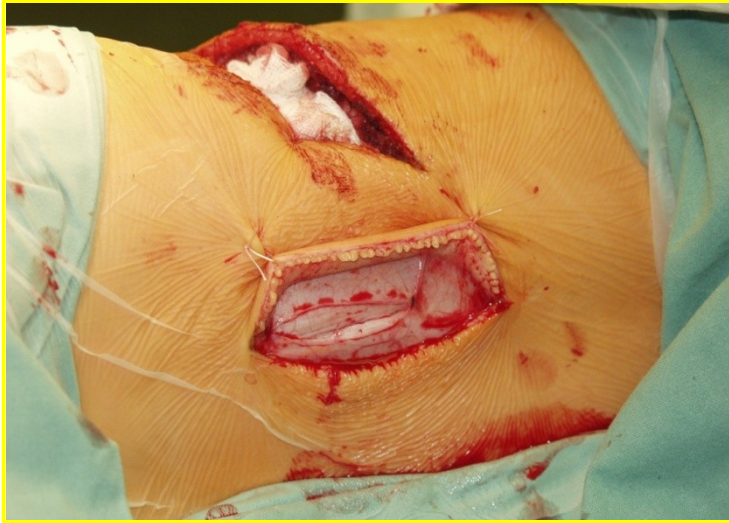
## Hemivertebrectomy



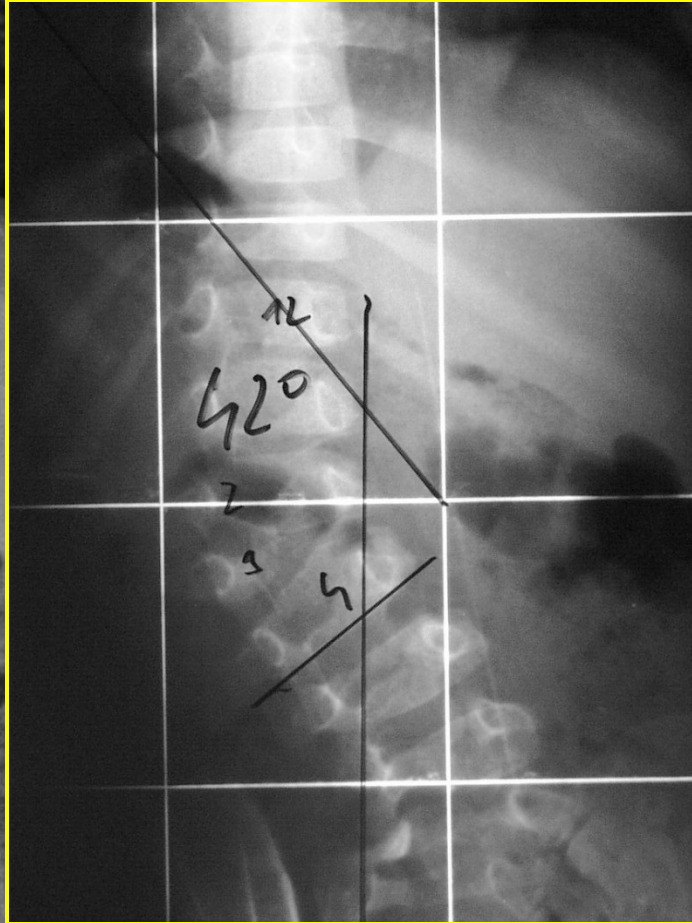
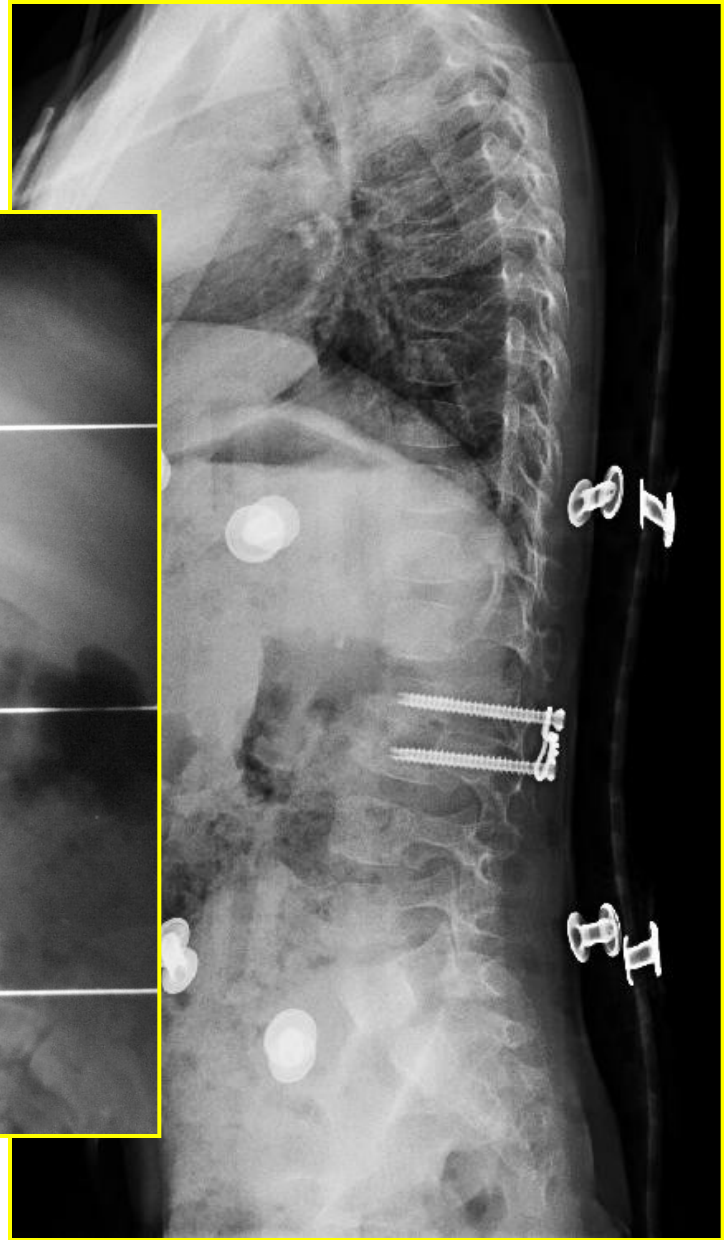
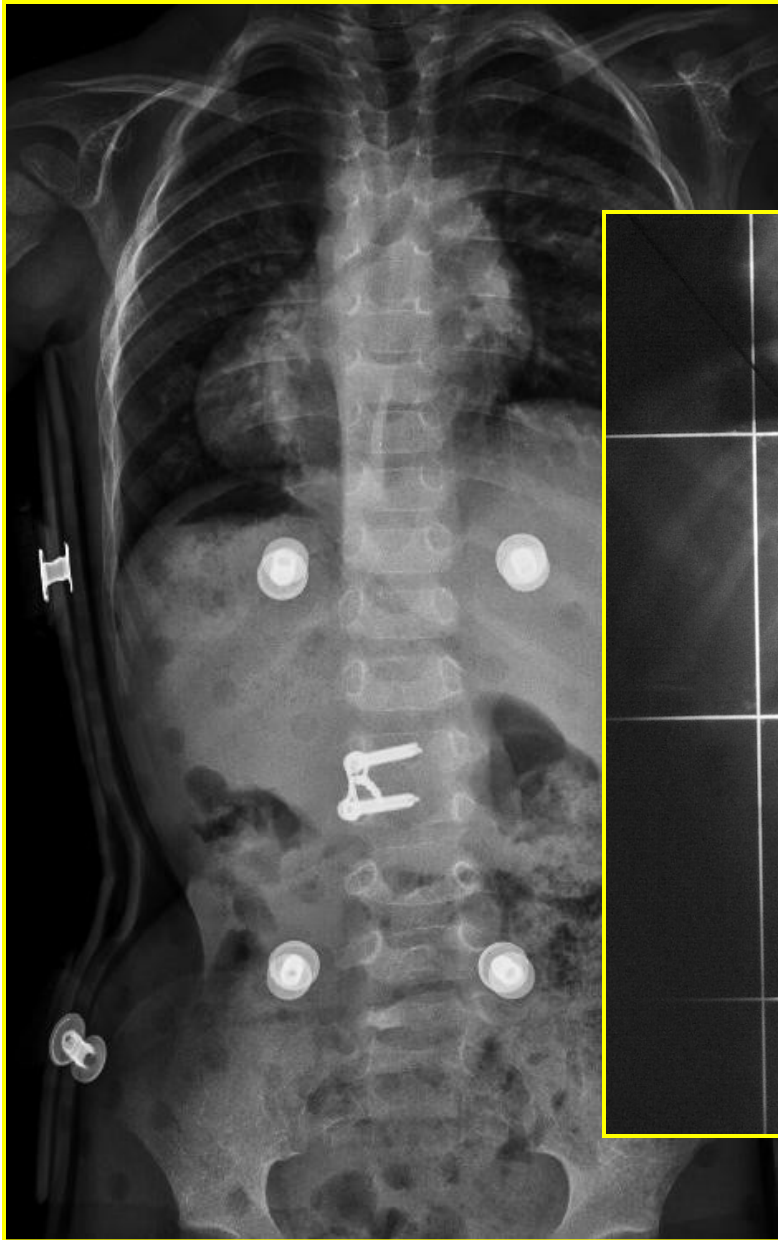
- Larger deformities
- Curve correction
- Prevention of secondary curves



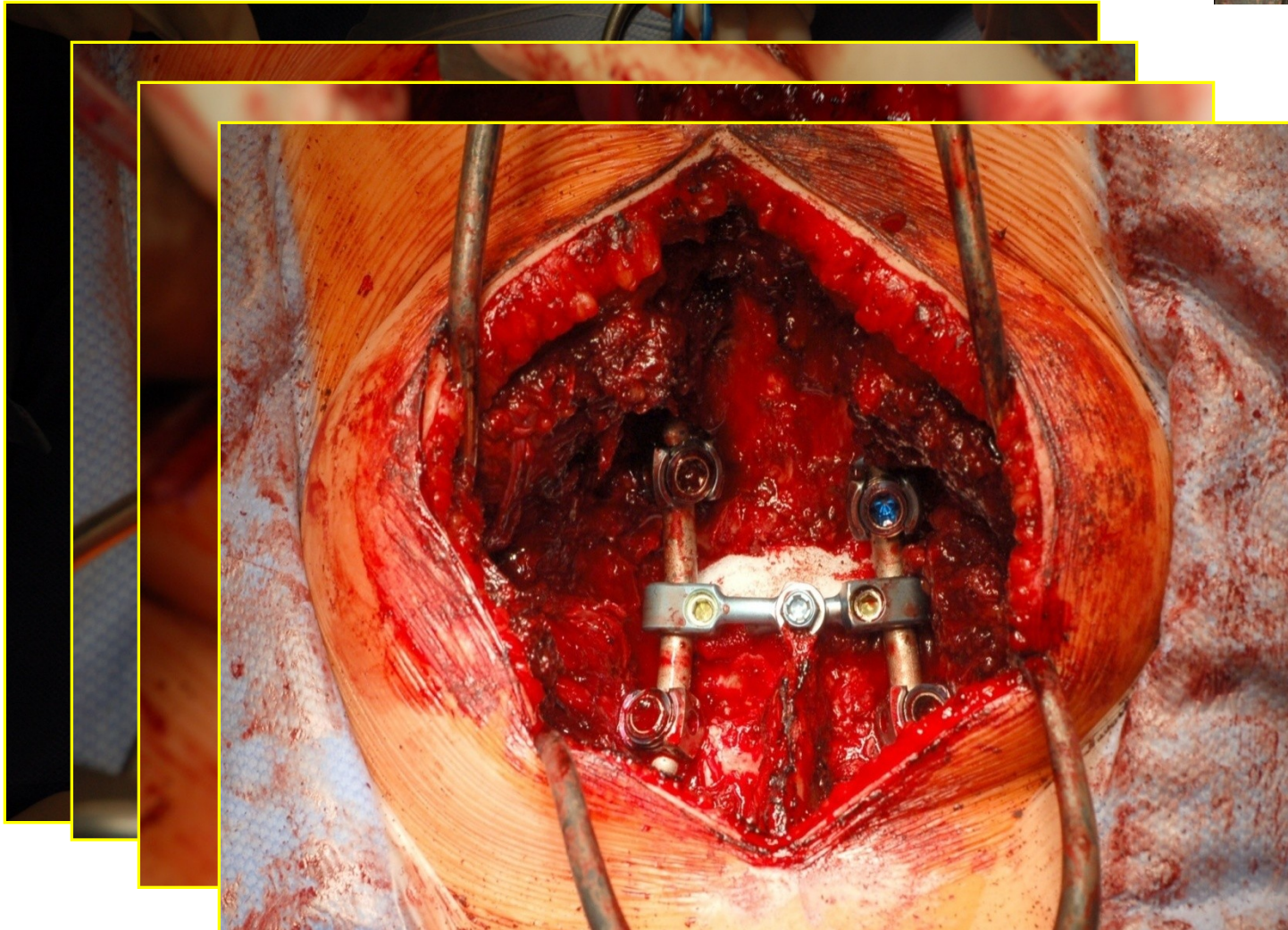
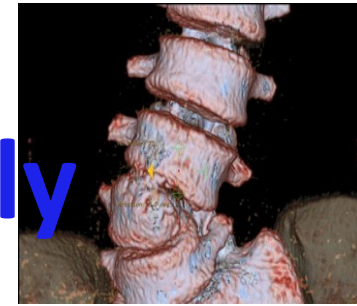
# Hemivertebrectomy combined approach



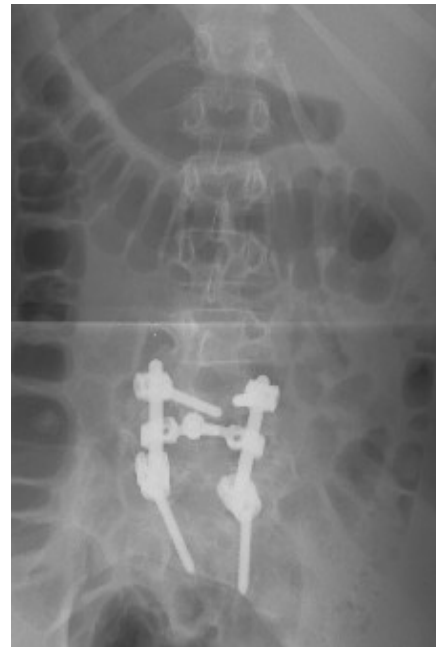
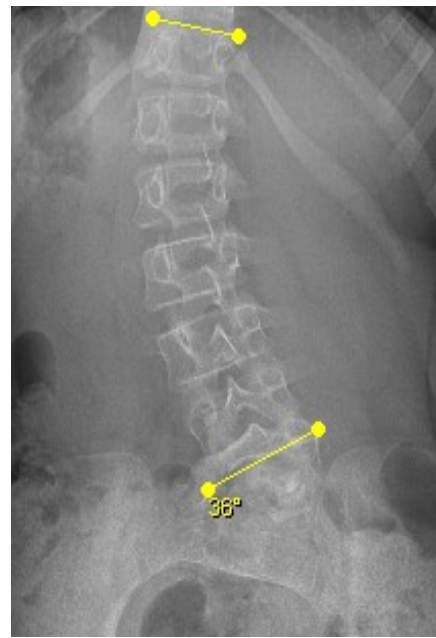
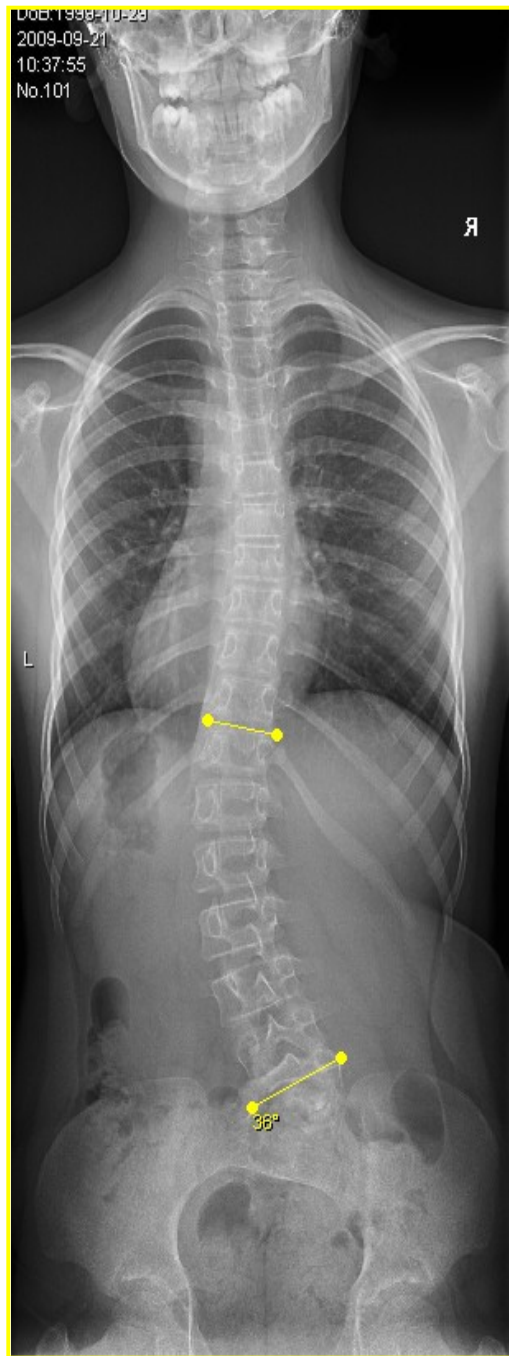




# Hemivertebrectomy posterior approach only





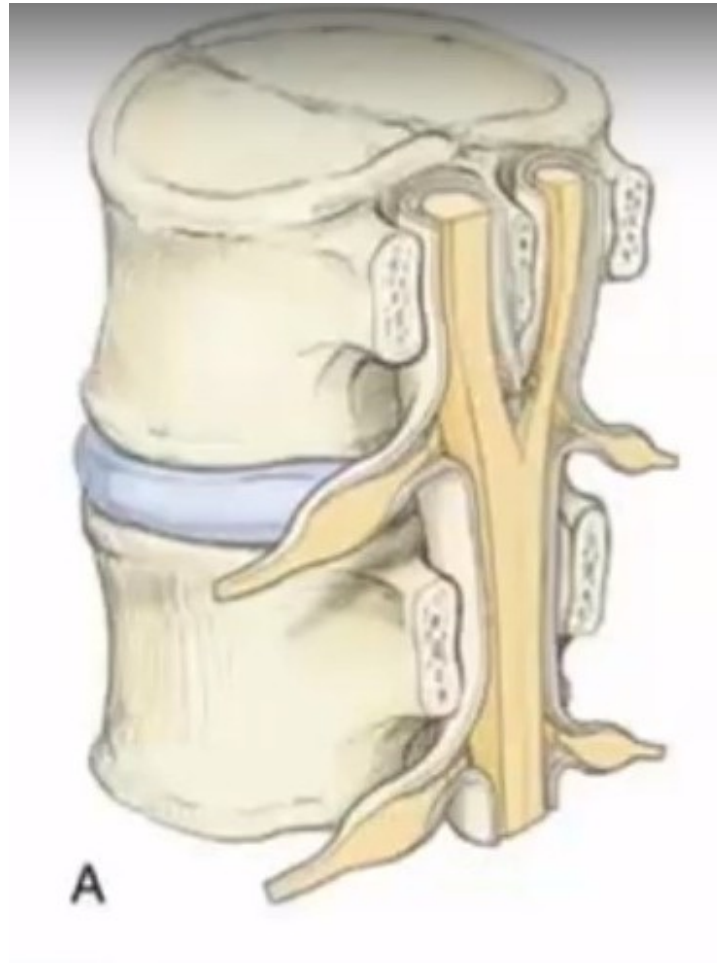




## **The main factors of successful treatment of congenital scoliosis**

- **early detection**
- **good timing**
- **adequate surgical approach**

# Diastematomyelie



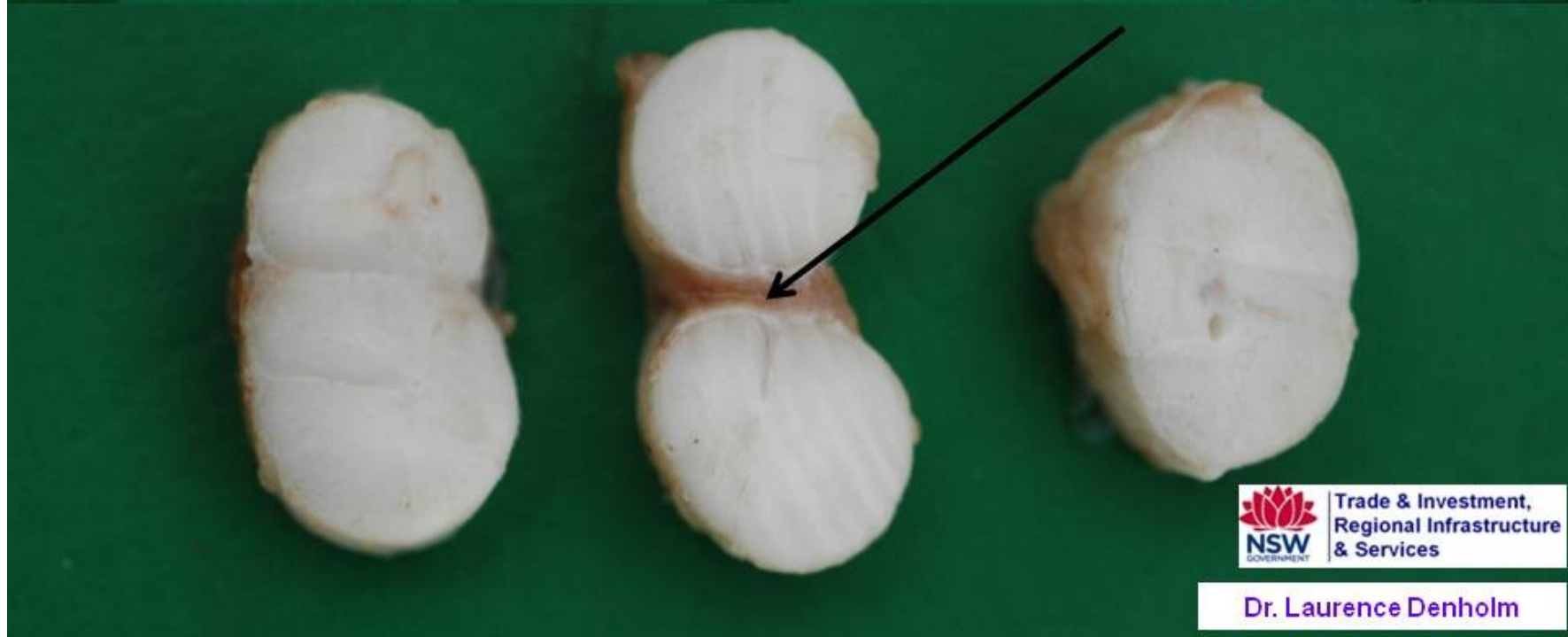
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Thoracolumbar Spinal Cord



Bundle of nerves to teratoma

Diastematomyelia

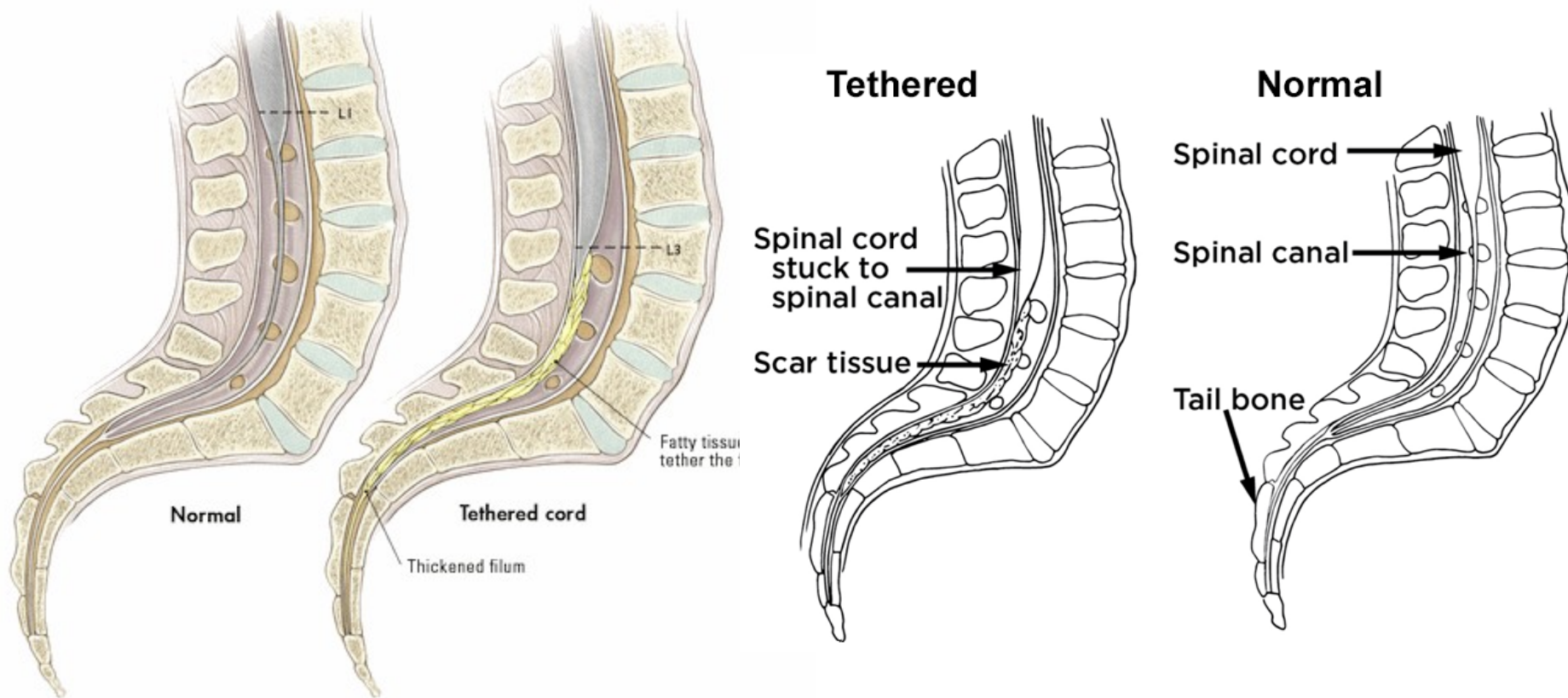


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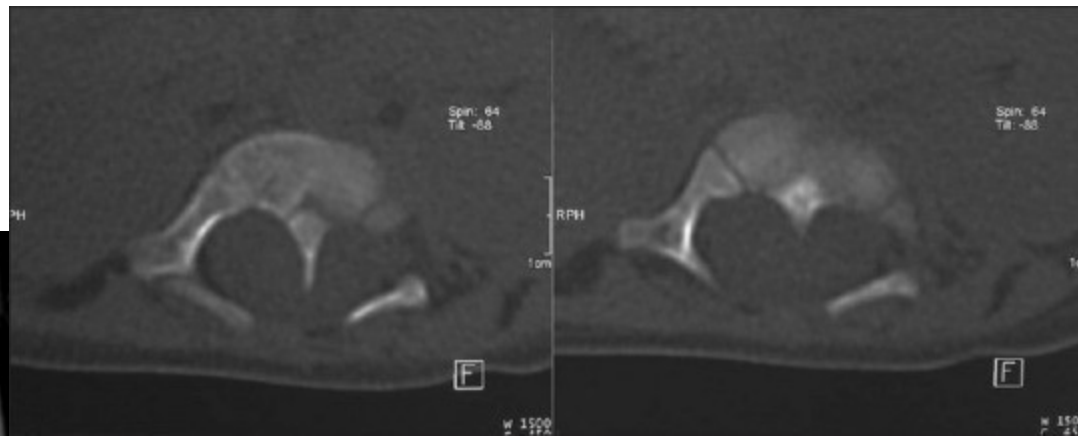
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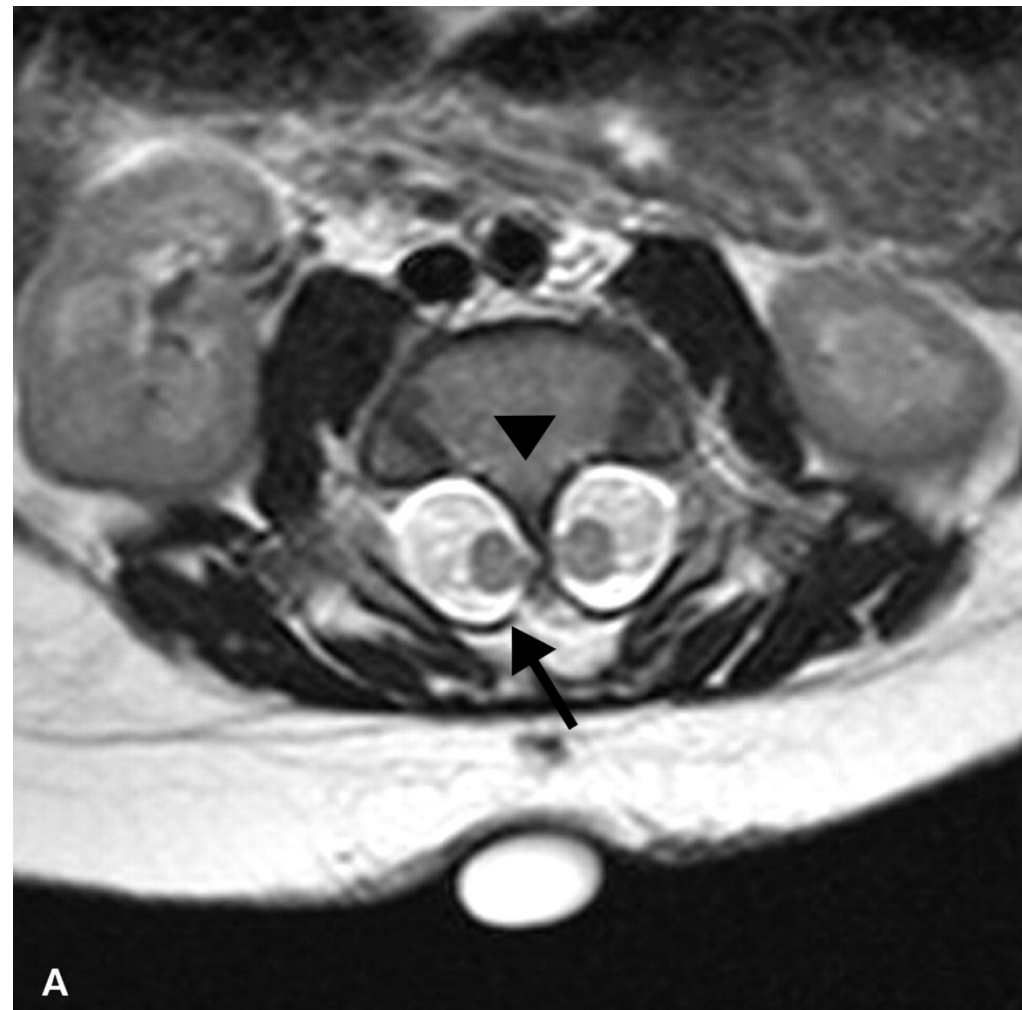
# Tethered cord syndrome



CT



# MRI





# Neuromuscular scoliosis



# Scoliosis types due to ethiology

## TYPU deformity

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- Idiopathic
- Congenital
- Neuromuscular

## VĚKU pacienta

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- Infantile  
< 3 y
- Juvenile  
4-10 y
- Adolescent  
11-17 y
- Adult  
> 17 y

# Neuromuscular scoliosis

- Significant progression (even after growth)

- severe deformities
- combined with pelvic and hip deformities
- high degree of associated dysfunction
  - cardiopulmonary
  - urinary
  - pressure sores
  - osteoporosis



# Conservative treatment

## 1. physiotherapy

## 2. Protsthetic care

- braces
- Sitting support brace in wheelchair

## 3. Nursing care



# Léčebné postupy

## 1. Conservative treatment

disadvantages :

- small effect
- Poor orthosis tolerance
- negative influence of K-P function with orthosis
- decubits

## 2. surgery

indication:

- collapse and instability of the spine
- deterioration of cardiopulmonary functions by orthosis
- back pain
- the tendency to pressure sores

# Neuromuscular spine deformity = complex deformity

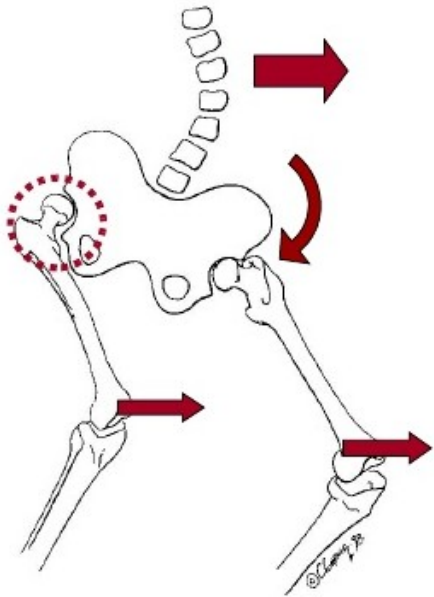
- Long thoracolumbar dx convex curve
- kyphoscoliosis
- hyperlordosis
- Hip anomaly
- Pelvic obliquity





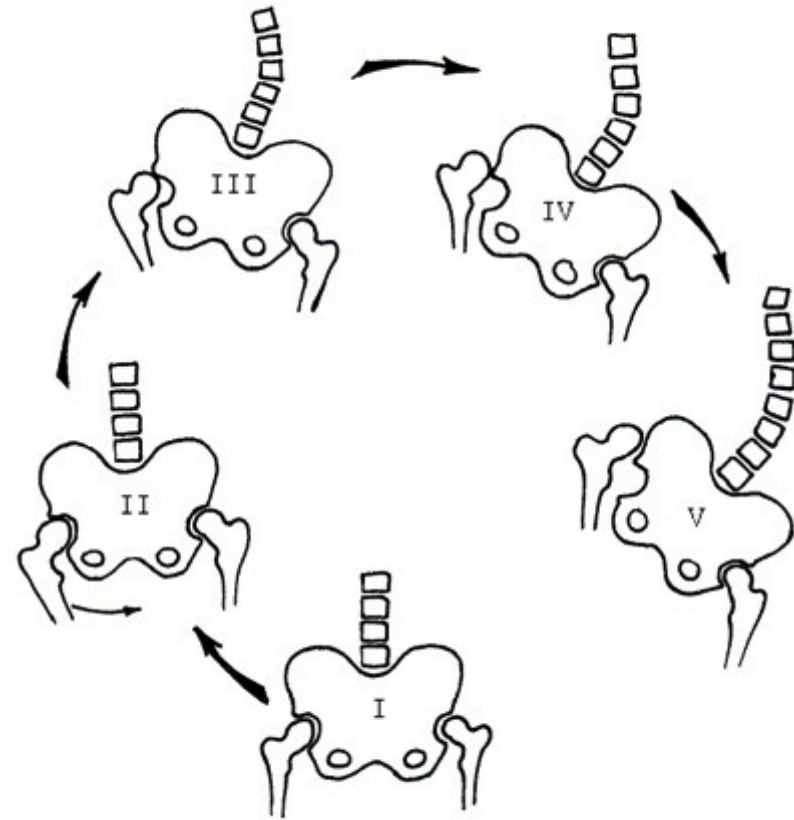
# Windswept hip

## Postural Management



- Scoliosis
- Pelvic Obliquity
- Windswept Hips
- Hip Dislocation

- Madigan & Wallace 1981  
(36 participants)
- Letts et al 1984  
(22 participants)
- Lonstein & Beck 1986  
(29 participants)
- Young et al 1998  
(26 participants)

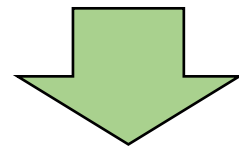


# Basic NM scoliosis types



## SPASTIC

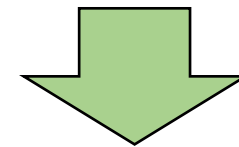
- brain
- cerebellum
- Upper motoneuron



Stiff , rigid  
deformities

## FLACCID

- Lower motoneuron
- Primary myopathy



Paralytic  
deformities

# NM spine deformities

## 1. Spastic forms



Rigid kyfosciosis



## 2. Hypotonic forms



paralytic deformities





# NM spine deformities

**Sitting instability**



**Standing instability**



# Clinical examination of NM deformities

Gibbus prominence meas.



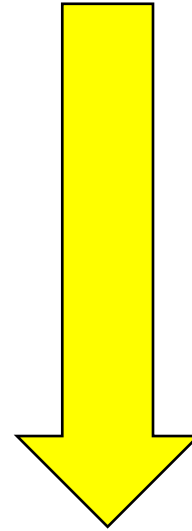
Plumb line



Correction in traction



# FLACCID deformity



gravity

Trunk collapse



# TYPES

## A. Neuropathic

### I. upper motoneuron failure

- cerebral palsy
- spinocerebellar degeneration  
(Friedrich's Ataxia, CHMT, Roussy-Levy syndrome)
- syringomyelia
- spinal tumors
- spinal cord injury

# A. Neuropathic

## II. lower motoneuron failure

- Poliomyelitis
- other viral myelitis
- Injuries
- SMA spinal muscular atrophy  
Werdnig-Hoffman, Kugelberger-Welander

## B . Myopathic curves

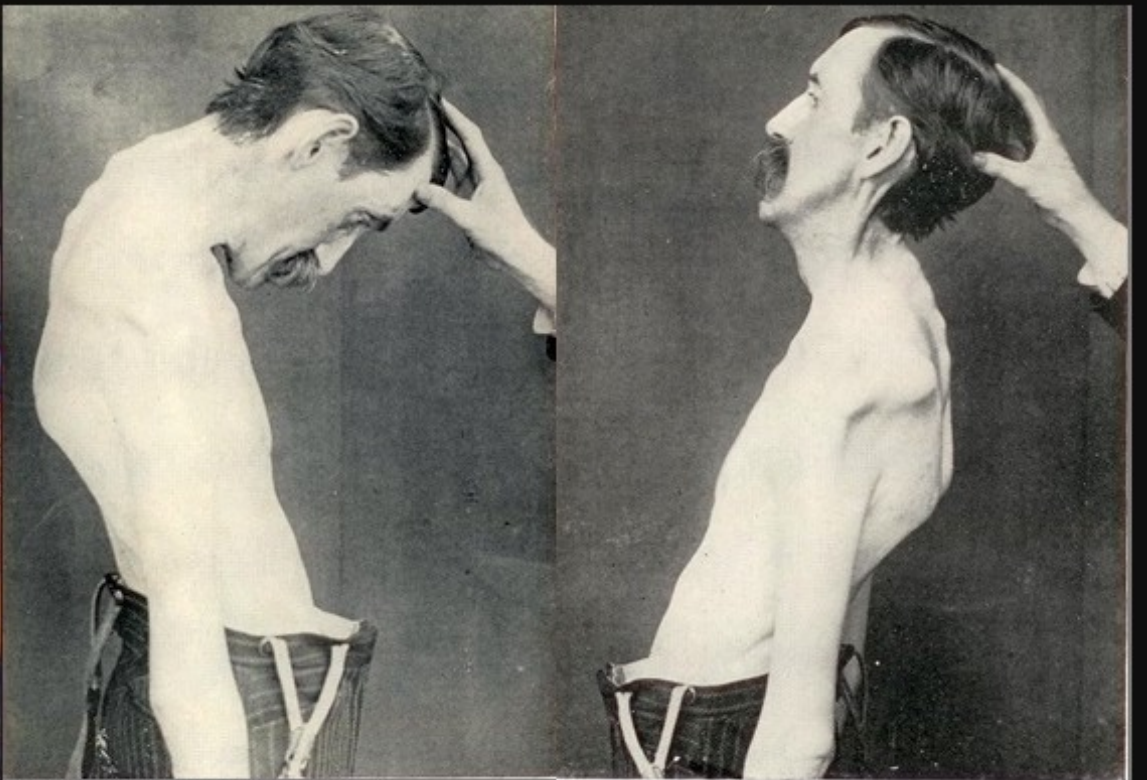
- Arthrogryposis (not progressive)
- Muscular dystrophy (Duchene, limb-girdle syndrome, fascioscapulohumeral syndrome)
- fiber type disproportion syndrome
- congenital hypotonia
- dystrophic myotonia



# SMA Infantile WERDING-HOFFMAN

- Most common
- Fleet contractures, disability
- Often without affecting the inteletctus
- Disability of the hips
- Scoliosis: paralytic curves, progression



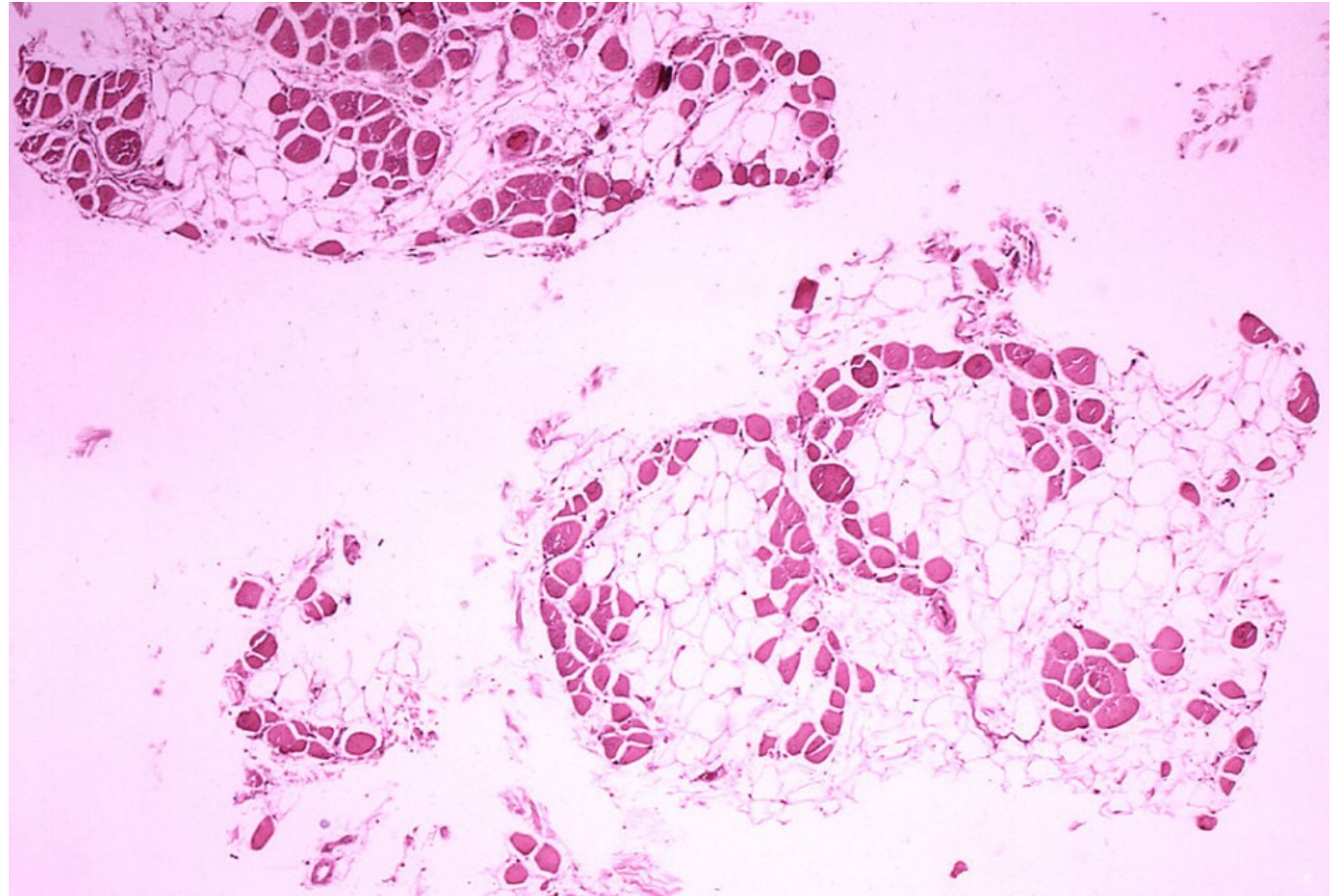


*Progresivní svalová  
atrofie PMA,  
(Duchen–Aranova muskulární  
atrofie)*



# Duchene muscular dystrophy

- - absence of dystrophin protein
- Muscle biopsy
- DNA tests - absence of dystrophin + significant creatine phosphokinase elevae
- Poor muscle regeneration
- Gradual replacement of muscles by fibrous tissue.





# Duchene muscular dystrophy

- 2– 6y - the first symptoms come, dystrophin deficiency and, as a consequence, dying muscle fibers are beginning to be replaced by ligaments.
- problems with walking, during, getting up from a lying or sitting position
- pseudohypertrophy of calves
- wheelchair
- development of kyphoscoliosis



**First motor neuron lesion**  
(spastic paraparesis)

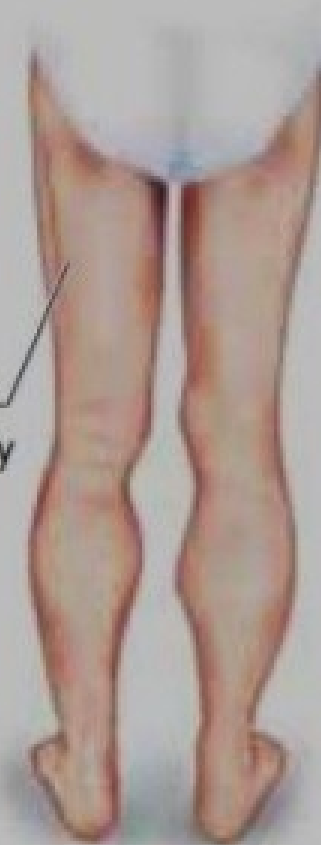


**Flaccid quadriplegia**  
(floppy infant; Werdnig-Hoffmann disease)



**Localized atrophy**  
(shoulder, scapula)

**Proximal muscle atrophy**  
(Kugelberg-Welander disease)



**Calf hypertrophy**

Dr. Juan C. Salazar Peñares

**Second motor neuron lesion**

## Terapeutický postup

- A. Muscular disbalance of the lower limbs
  - extension of adductors in DMO
- B. solution of hip dislocations
- C. deformity of pelvis and spine



# Operační léčba

## INDICATION

- Paralytic curves  
collapse and instability of the spine
- Progressive deformity
- Sitting instability
- Impairment of cardiopulmonary functions  
by orthosis
- Back pain
- Tendency to pressure ulcers

## CONTRAINDICATION

- Poor overall internal condition

Very low breathing capacity

General or local infection

Significant non-cooperation of the patient

# Operační léčba

## Cíle

- avoiding curve progression  
improved sitting stability
- reduction of back pain
- preventing further loss of motor and sensitive functions
- Improvement of cardiopulmonary and GIT functions.

## Komplikace

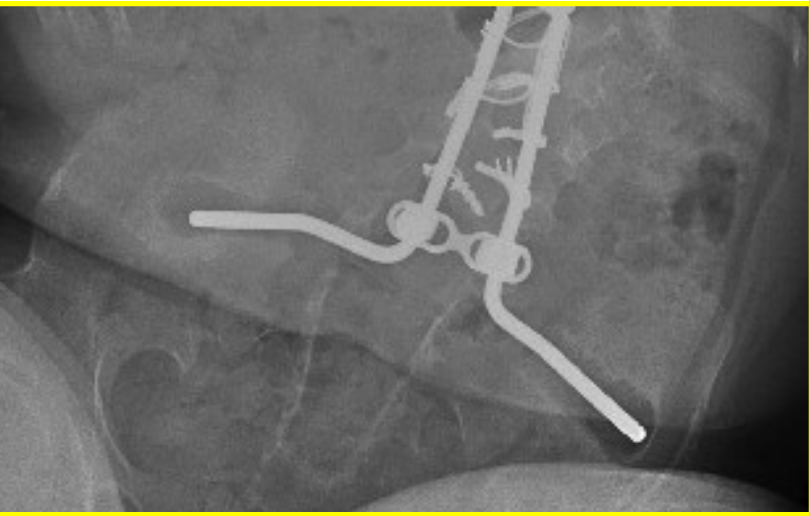
- nerve structures injury  
bleeding and extensive loss  
organ injury  
Heart Failure  
cerebral dysfunction  
sudden death  
neurological complications  
infection  
chronic infection  
instrumentation failure  
pseudoarthrosis



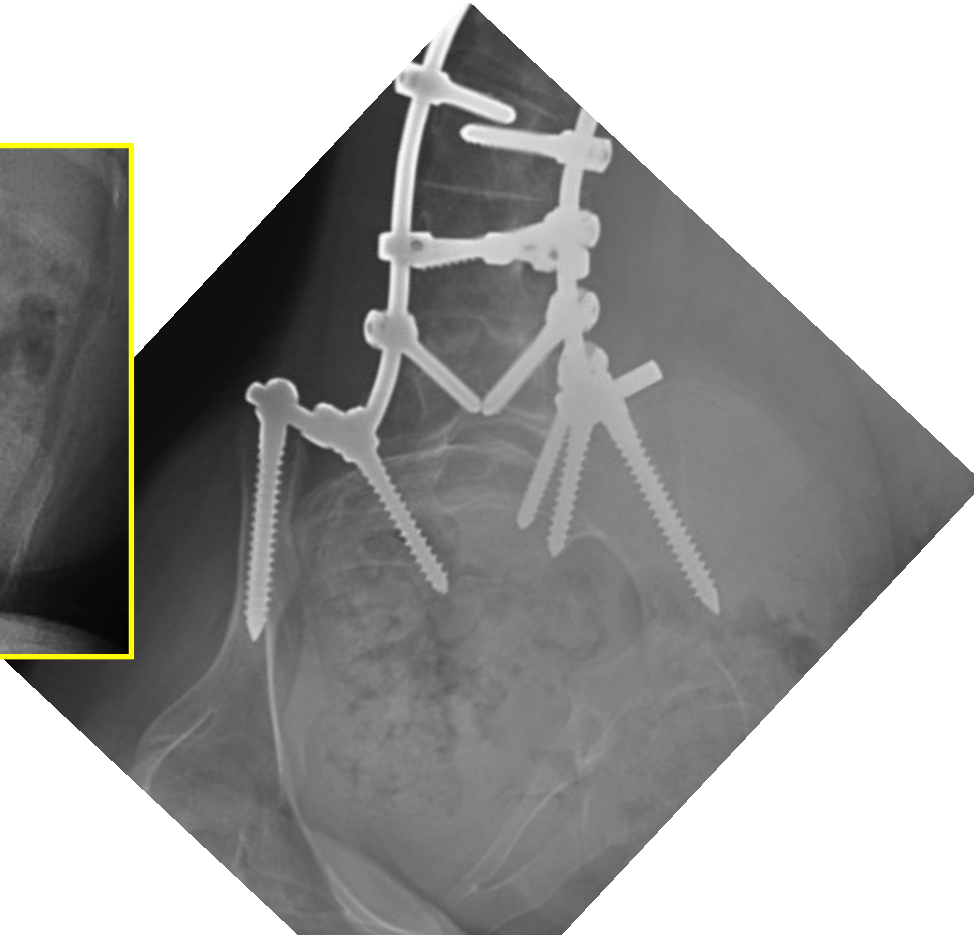


# Pelvic fixation

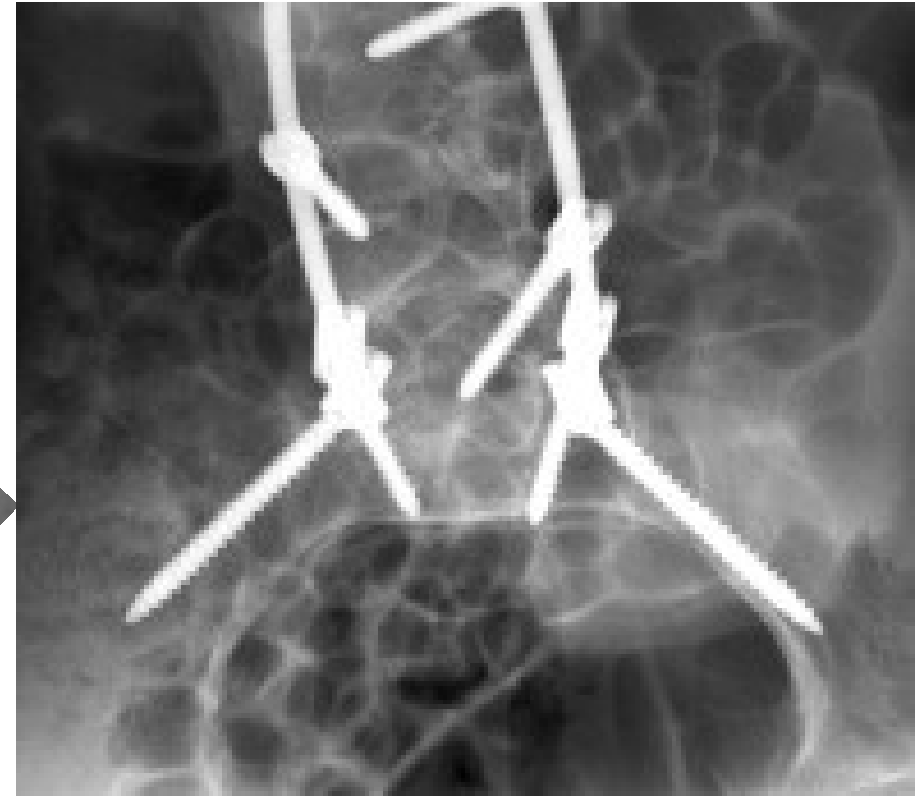
Galveston



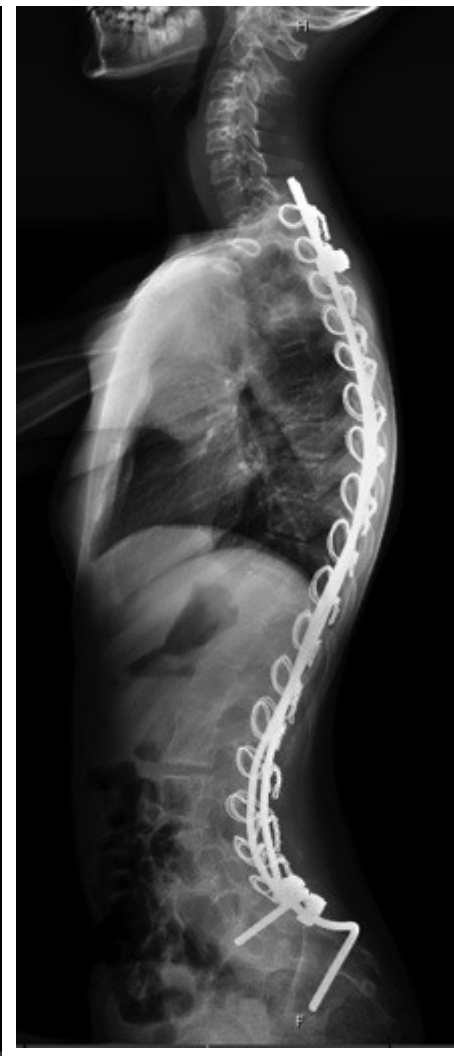
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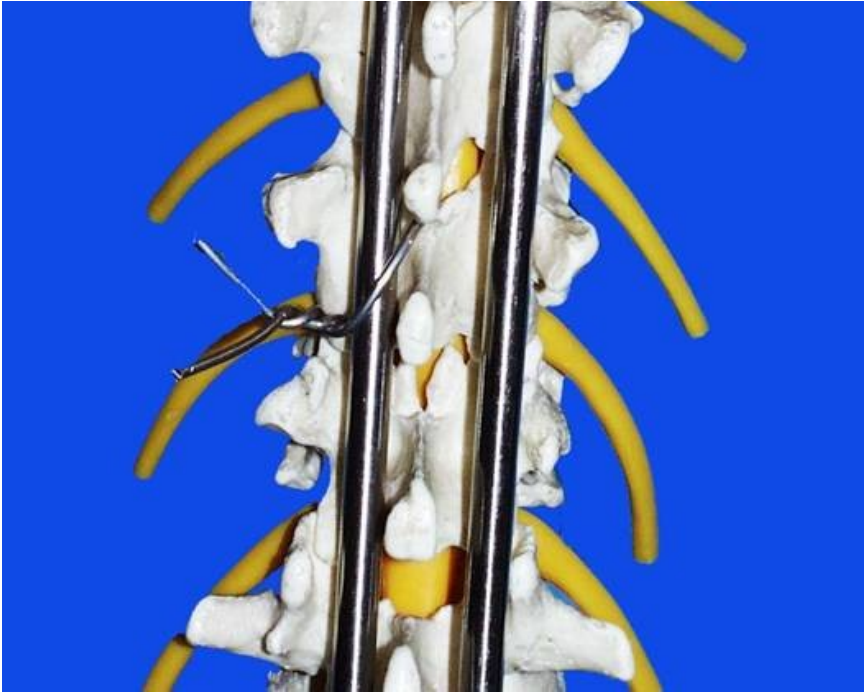


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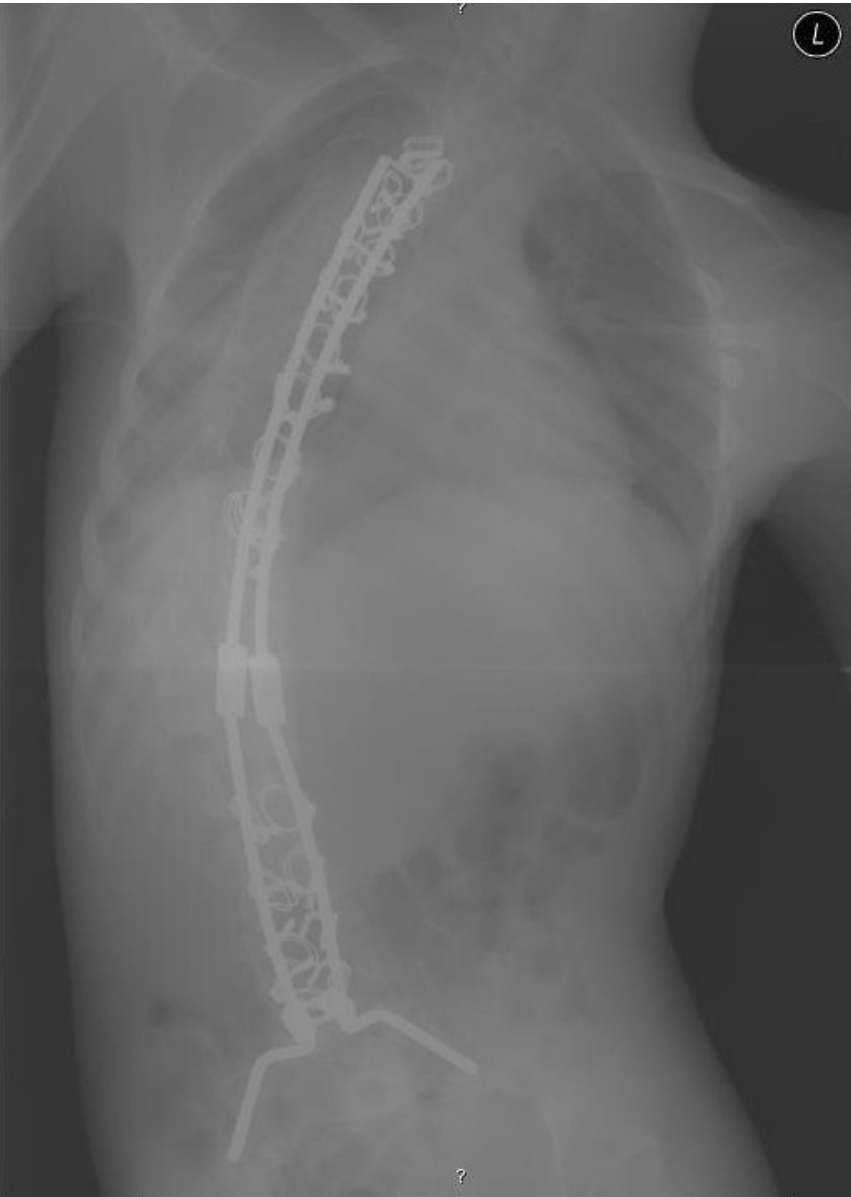
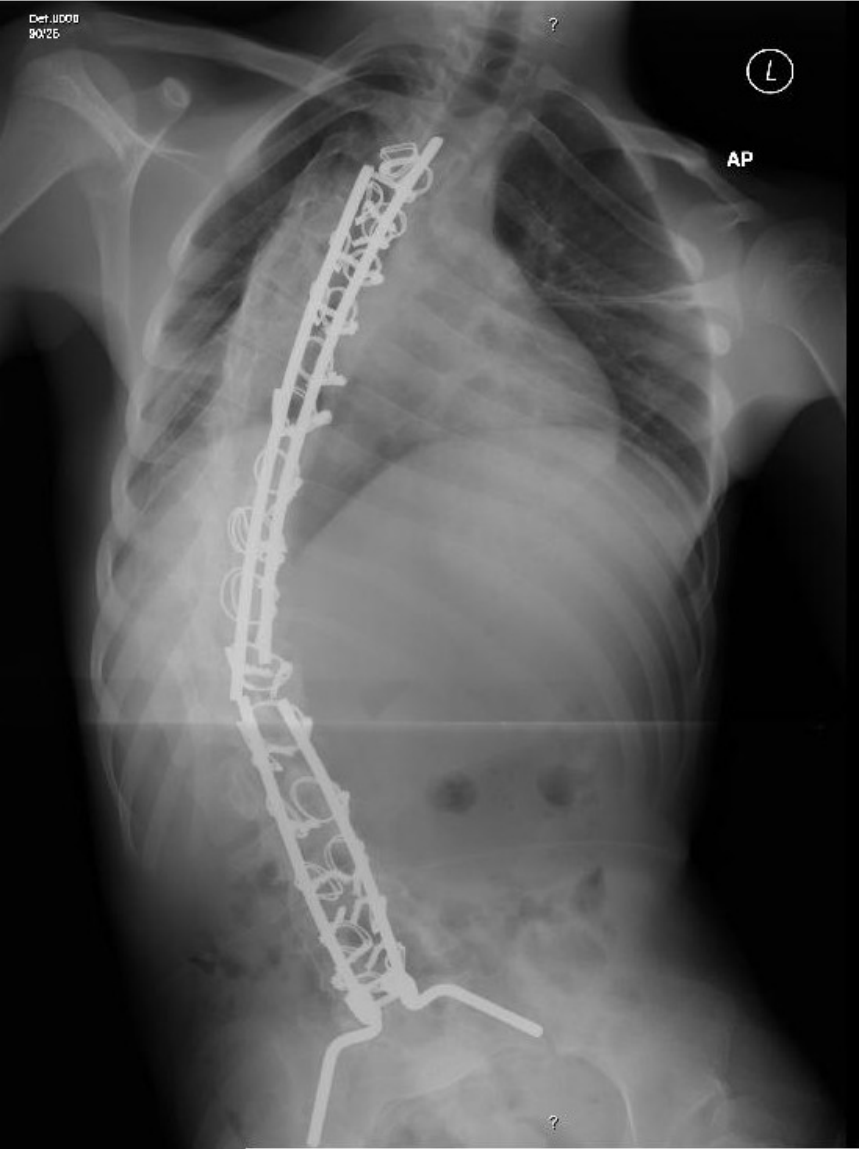


# Luque Galveston technique













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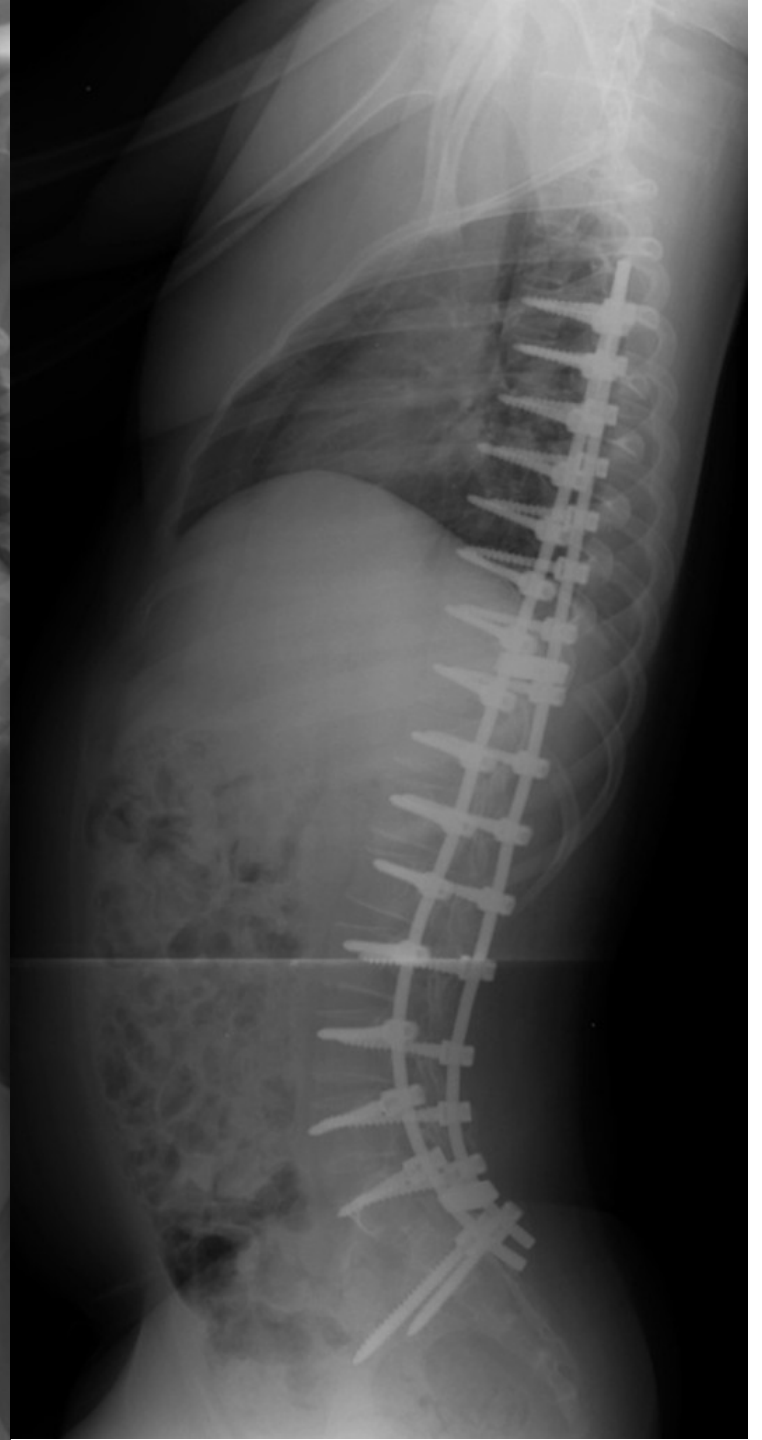
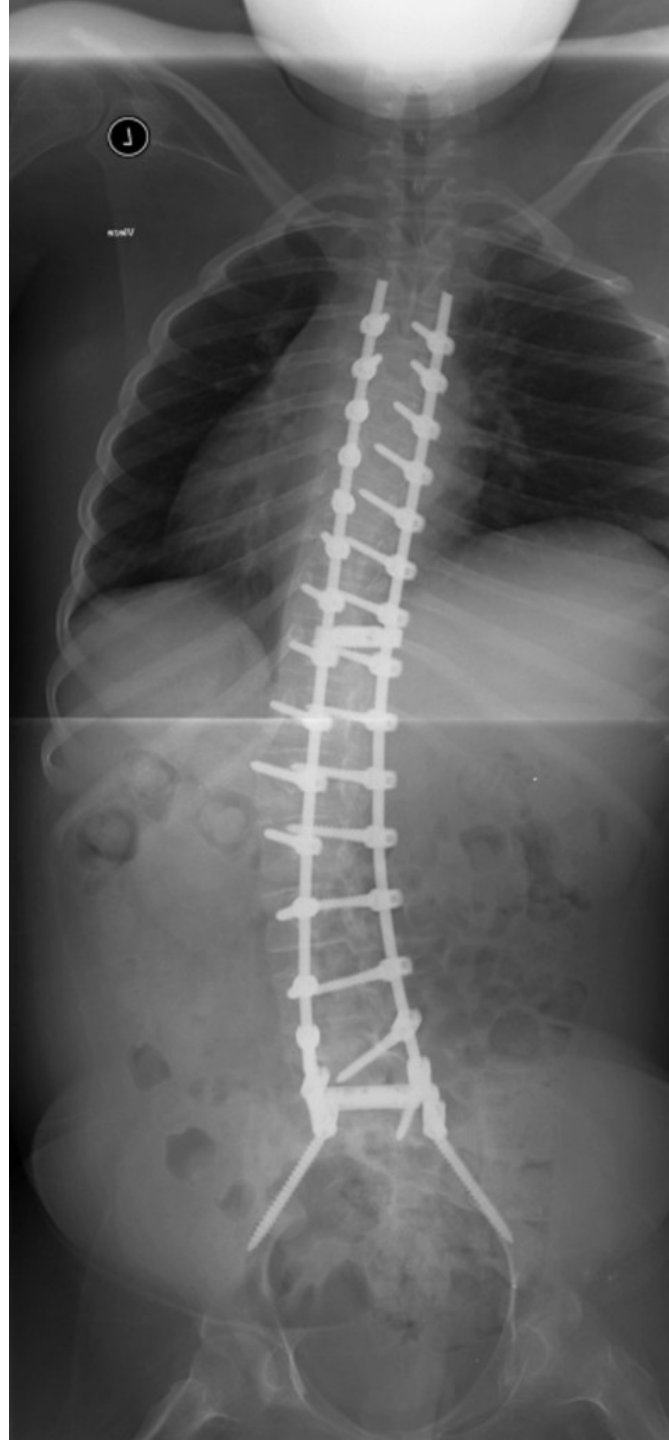


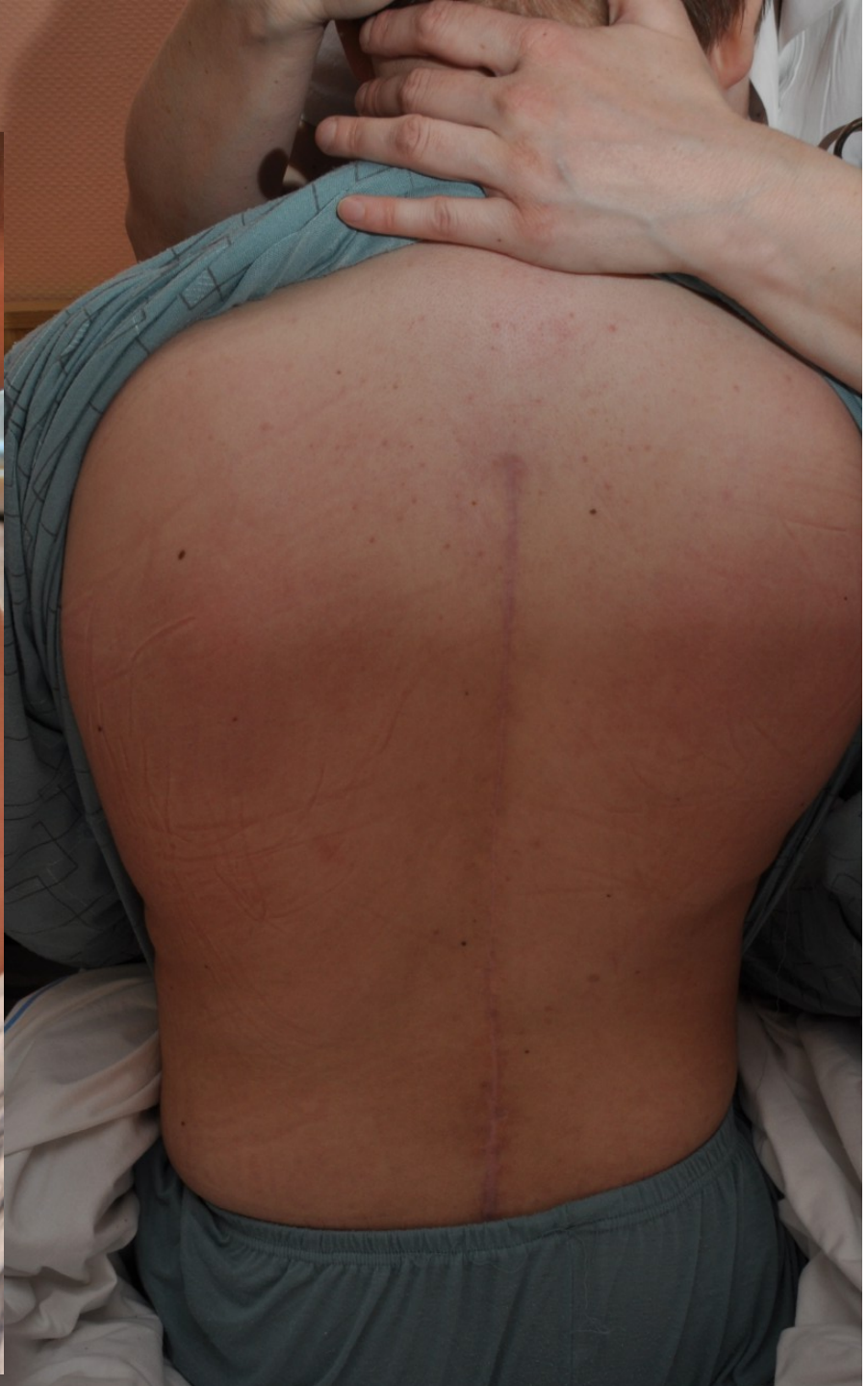
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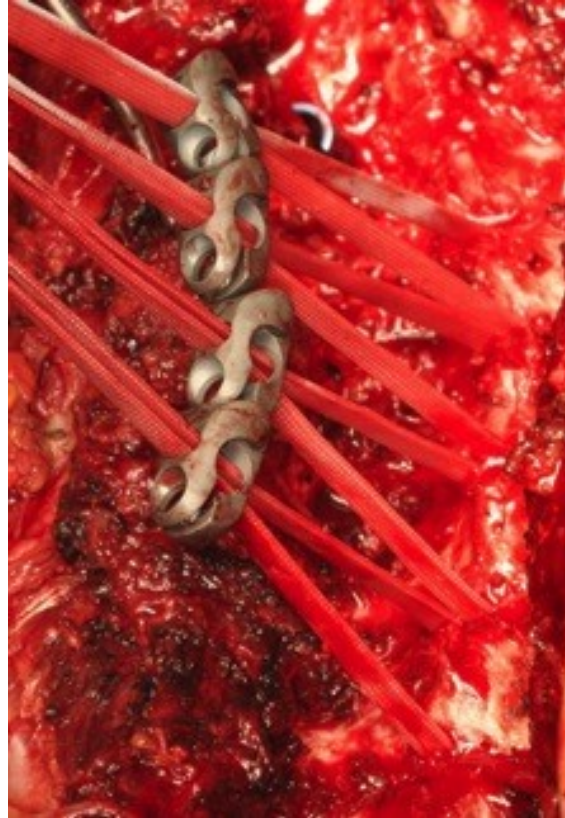




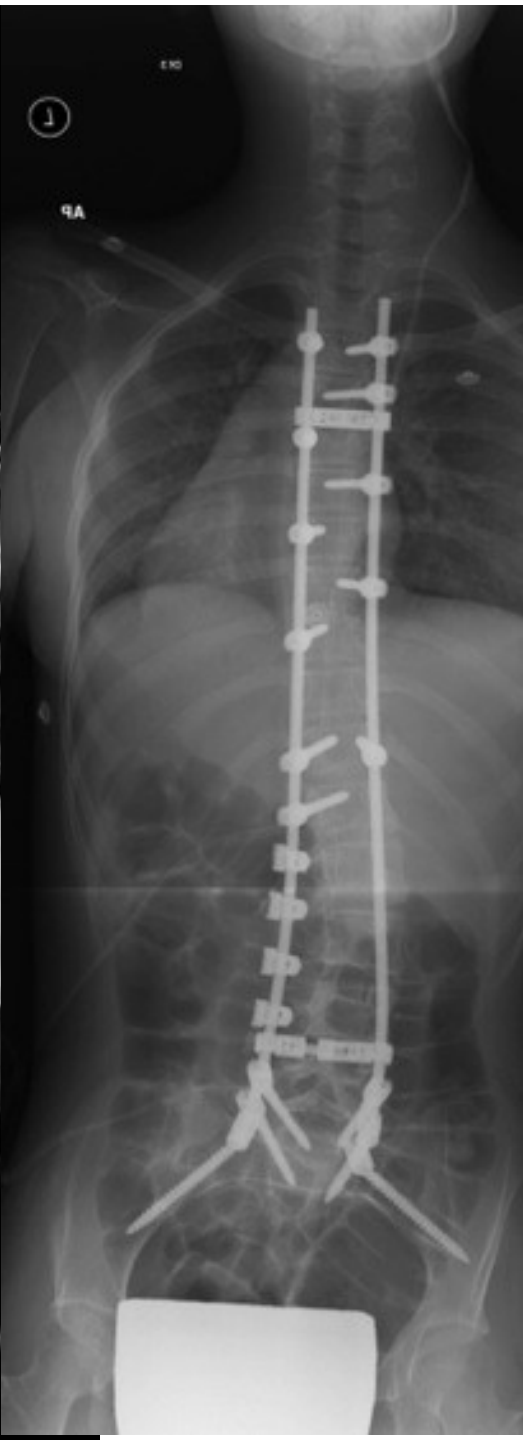




# Universal Clamp







# NM scoliosis – take home

- Progression after even after skeletal maturity
- Numerous comorbidities
- Higher peri and postoperative complications
- Necessity to include pelvic fixation in pelvic obstruction deformities
- The need for post-operative care.

# Scoliosis in general-take home message

- 3D deformity !
- AIS 80% of all deformities
- Physiotherapy does not stop progression in AIS !
- Brace from 20° Cobb to stop progression in growing patient
- Surgery above 40° Cobb angle

