

Laparoscopic Band Revision to bypass:A Single Stage procedure

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Background:As the number of Bariatric Surgeries increased, so did the number of Revisional Surgeries too. As per the recent meta-analysis by Buchwald et al, the number of Bariatric procedures performed in Asia in 2008 is the least .As the number of procedures being done is on the rise , we Asians including Indians might have to start facing more number of Revisional Surgeries too.Video:In this High Definition Video , we demonstrate one of our cases of a Laparoscopic Band Revision to bypass as a Single Stage procedure for weight Recidivism in a 35 yr old Female.Steps:-The adhesions over the band was released, the band was cut and removed along with the pseudo capsule after dividing the gastro-gastric sutures. -The gastric pouch was created using linear staplers in the standard fashion and the anastamosis was done using standard limb lengths, 75cm biliopancreatic limb and 75cm alimentary limb. -The gastrojejunostomy is being performed in antecolic fashion using linear staplers. -Mesenteric defects were closed as well.