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31 Precis: Laparoscopic cystectomy for endometrioma realized in a 10 steps

32 standardized surgery.

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Abstract:

35 **STUDY OBJECTIVE:**

- Laparoscopic cystectomy for endometrioma has the advantages of a minimally
- invasive approach. The standardization and description of the technique are the main
- objectives of this video. We described the surgery in 10 steps, which could help to
- make this procedure easier and safer.

40 **DESIGN**:

41 Step-by-step video demonstration of the technique

42 **SETTING**:

43 A French university tertiary care hospital.

44 **INTERVENTION**:

- 45 Two standardized laparoscopic cystectomy were recorded to realize the video. The
- local institutional review board ruled that approval was not required for this video
- 47 article because the video describes a technique and does not report a clinical case.
- 48 This video presents a systematic approach to cystectomy for endometrioma clearly
- divided into 10 steps: (1) preoperative evaluation¹; (2) diagnosis and exploration²; (3)
- adhesiolysis, mobilization of the ovary; (4) cyst rupture, exposition of the entry site; (5)
- 51 identification of the cleavage plan; (6) endometrioma easy dissection; (7)
- endometrioma difficult dissection; (8) hemostasis, reconstruction of the ovary³; (9)
- exploration of the ovarian fossa; (10) washing, extraction of the cyst ^{3,4}.

54 **CONCLUSION**:

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55 Standardization of laparoscopic cystectomy for endometrioma could make this

procedure easier and safer to perform. The 10 steps presented help to perform each

- part of surgery in logical sequence making the procedure easier to realize. Moreover,
- the standardization of the surgical techniques may reduce the learning curve.

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77 **Legend:**

Video article on laparoscopic cystectomy for endometrioma realized in 10 steps.