

SURGICAL QUIZ

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57 yrs old male patient was coming complaining of one week history of colicky abdominal pain & bilious vomiting & absolute constipation he also giving a history of 2 attacks of bleeding per rectum he is neither diabetic nor hypertensive his B.P 90 /60 & pulse rate was 108/min clinically he was severely dehydrated. Abdominal examination revealed lax mildly distended abdomen & hyper audible intestinal sounds. Digital rectal examination revealed an empty rectum.



The operative finding is shown in the photograph.

1. What is your diagnosis?
2. What investigation did you and should ask for?
3. What would you prefer to do before surgery?
4. What sort of surgical procedure you intend to do and how?

Please Send your answer to ejs@ess-eg.org

The correct answer and a short comment on the condition will be presented in the next issue of the journal.

The correct answer for previous Photo Quiz (Vol. 29, No. 3, July, 2010)

The right answer is (A,B,C,D):

- a) Vomiting
- b) Heamatemsis
- c) Pain
- d) Heartburn

This x-ray is a coronal abdominal section showing large gastric neoplasm occupying the pylorus and completely obstructing it. The stomach is dilated. This patient presented with gastric outlet obstruction with persisant vomiting. Pain, heamatemsis and heatburn can also be present.

