

STELLINGEN

Behorende bij dit proefschrift

The Multimodality Treatment of Rectal Cancer

1. The overall survival of patients with T4 rectal cancer is higher in high volume centers (this thesis)
2. Patients with solitary inguinal lymph node metastasis should not be considered incurable (this thesis)
3. The perfect closure technique for perineal wounds is still elusive (this thesis)
4. Gross incomplete resections of locally recurrent rectal cancer is futile (this thesis)
5. Total pelvic exenteration results in good oncological outcomes, also in elderly patients (this thesis)
6. A colon conduit is a good alternative for a Bricker ileal conduit in patients receiving an end-colostomy (this thesis)
7. Growing old is not in itself a prerequisite to becoming frail
8. C'est en forgeant qu'on devient forgeron
9. The only place success comes before work is in the dictionary
10. Do not underestimate the complexity of proofreading
11. It ain't over till it's over

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