

Stent-graft

Stentgraft is an endovascular prosthesis, a combination of a stent and a synthetic vascular prosthesis that is inserted via the endoluminal route, unlike conventional vascular prosthesis whose implantation is surgical.

Form

- **Grafted-stent** – the whole reinforcement consists of a stent, which is coated with artificial material;
- **Stented-graft** – the stent reinforces only the ends of the endovascular prosthesis.

Indication

- aneurysms;
- pseudoaneurysms
- dissecting aneurysms;
- arterial and venous ruptures;
- AV fistula.

References

Related articles

- Acute arterial occlusions

Source

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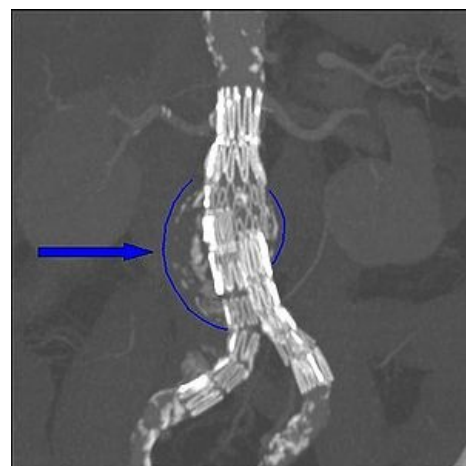
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Grafted-stent (8 mm; used for lesions aa. iliaca)



CT image of abdominal aorta: abdominal aorta (from aneurysm indication) reinforced by endoprosthesis