

## Kontroverze v terapii karcinomu rekta.

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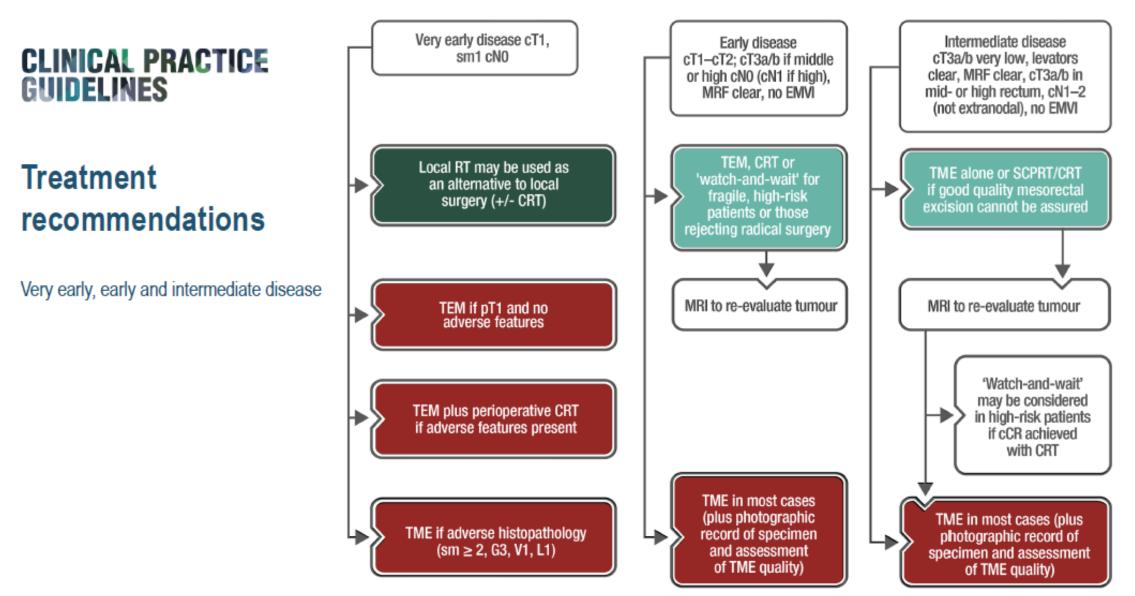
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## Jak využít radioterapii.

- umožnit rektum šetřící výkon

 minimalizovat nežádoucí efekt

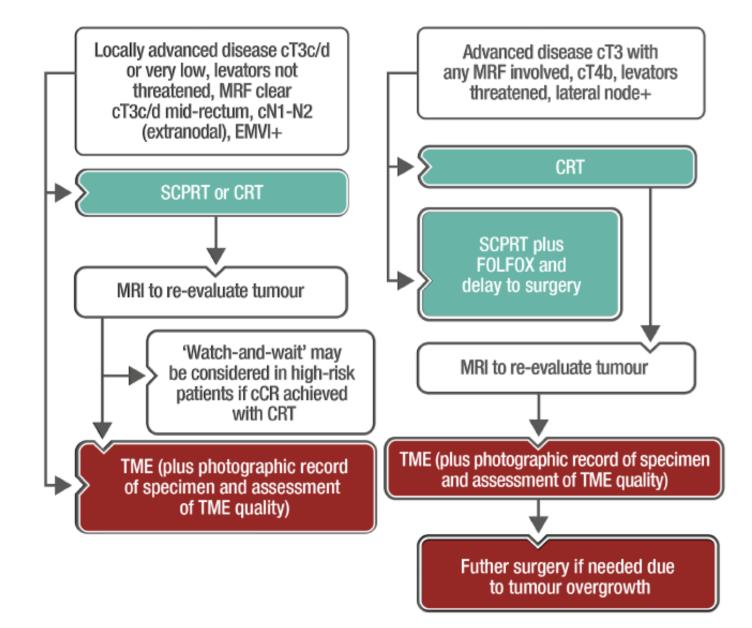




## CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES

# Treatment recommendations

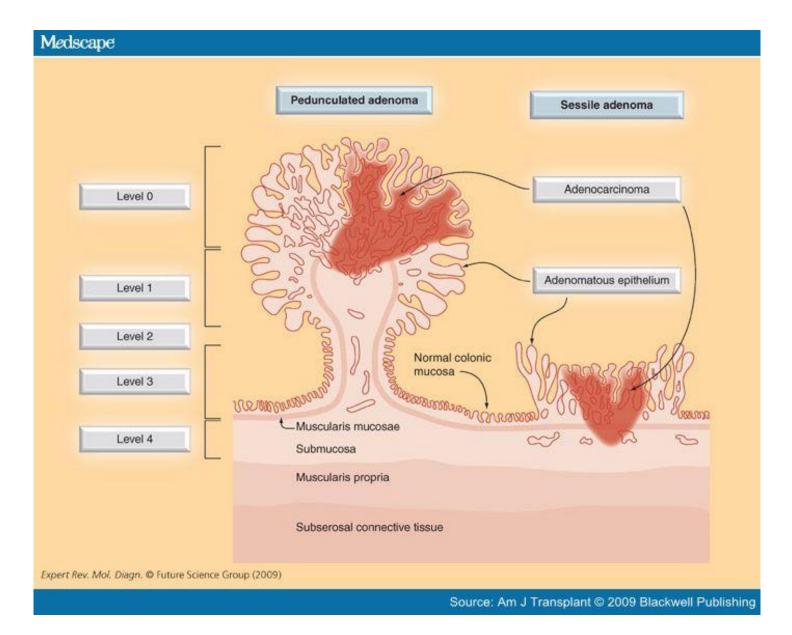
Locally advanced and advanced disease





# Jak ušetřit rektum?

Část 1.



T1 .....LN +

Sm1 – 2% Sm2 – 8% Sm3 – 23%

T1 low risk					
	<b>Author</b>	No. Pts	LN + Low Risk	analysis of Sm depth	Signifficance of Sm
	Kikuchi 1995	64 Sm 1	0 %	yes	yes
	Blumberg 1999	42 low risk T1	7%	no	-
	Okabe 2004	304 T1	-	yes	yes
	Ueno 2004	56 low risk T1	0%	yes	yes
	Hassan 2005	78 low risk T1	<b>5,1</b> %	no	-
	Rasheed 2007	48 T1	-	yes	no
	Kobayashi 2010	101 low risk T1	1%	no	-
	Saraste 2012	128 T1	6%	yes	no

Qualitative predictive markers of LN involvement: LVI, grade (budding) Quantitative predictive markers of LN involvement: (width), depth of Sm invasion

## X T1 High risk - Sm2-3 G 3-4 L 1 V1 tumor -budding

## A systematic review of local excision followed by adjuvant therapy in early rectal cancer: are pT1 tumours the limit?

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Articles included in systematic review n = 22 804 pts

local excision + adjuvant therapy (long-course chemoradiation or radiotherapy)

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Median follow-up was 51 months (range 1–165).
LR:
5.8% (95% CI 3.0–9.5) for pT1
13.8% (95% CI 10.1–17.9) for pT2
33.7% (95% CI 19.2–50.1) for pT3
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overall median disease-free survival was 88% (range 50%–100%) pooled overall morbidity of 15.1% (95% CI 11.0–18.7).

#### Meta-analysis of oncological outcomes after local excision of pT1-2 rectal cancer requiring adjuvant (chemo)radiotherapy or completion surgery

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BJS 2016; 103: 1105-1116

14 studies ...... 405 pts adjuvant (chemo)radiotherapy 7 studies ...... 130 pts completion TME

weighted average local recurrence rate for locally excised pT1/pT2, CHRT vs. TME
14% (95% c.i. 11 to 18) X 7% (4 to 14)
weighted averages for distance recurrence
9% (6 to 14) X 9% (5 to 16)

LR for **pT1** were **10%** (4 to 21) and **6%** (3 to 15) LR for **pT2** were **15%** (11 to 21) and **10%** (4 to 22)

## Local excision - ypT0,1, 2

A prospective randomized study with a 5-year minimum follow-up evaluation of transanal endoscopic microsurgery versus laparoscopic total mesorectal excision after neoadjuvant therapy

G. Lezoche · M. Baldarelli · Mario · A. M. Paganini · A. De Sanctis · S. Bartolacci · E. Lezoche

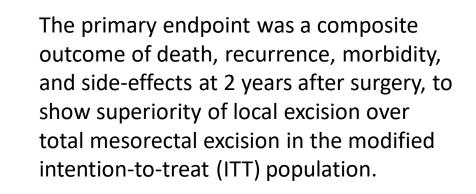
	TEM $(n = 35)$	LR $(n = 35)$	Statistical test	p Value
Gender, male: n (%)	23 (66)	20 (57)	Chi-square test	0.461ª
Age (years): median (25-75th % tile)	67 (61-70)	65 (60-69)	Wilcoxon test	0.360 <sup>b</sup>
Follow-up (months): median (25-75th %tile)	84 (71-97)	84 (76-96)	Wilcoxon test	0.416 <sup>b</sup>
Radiotherapy downstage: n (%)				
pT0	11 (32)	10 (29)	Chi-square test	0.939 <sup>a</sup>
pT1	6 (17)	7 (20)		
pT2	18 (51)	18 (51)		
	LR 6% (2)	LR 3% (	1)	
	DR 0	DR 3% (	1)	

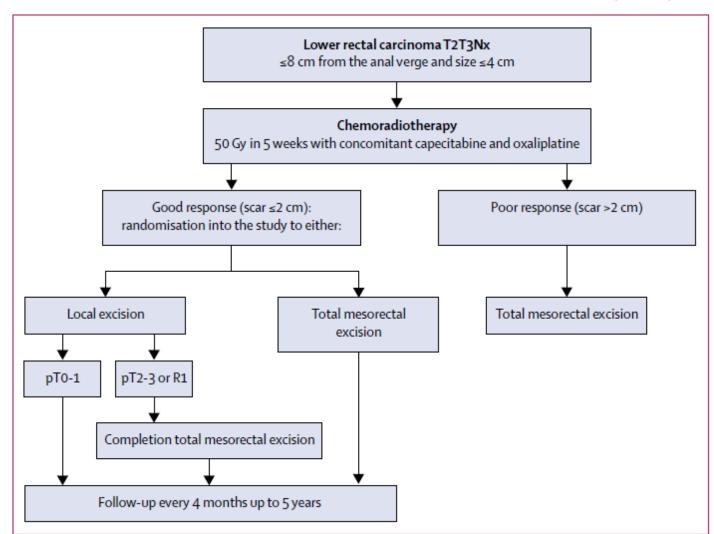
Ongoing study: ACOSOG Z6041 (USA), GRECCAR 1, GRECCAR 2 (France), CONTEM (UK, France, Denmark, Sweden), CARTS (Netherlans).

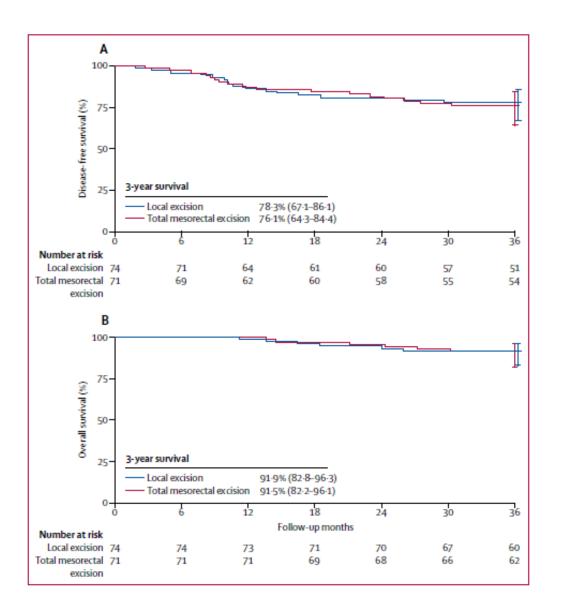
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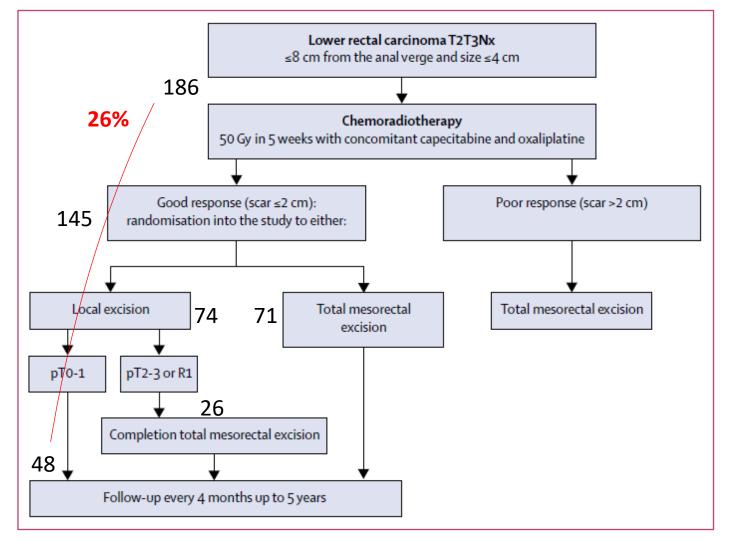
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The primary endpoint was a composite outcome of death, recurrence, morbidity, and side-effects at 2 years after surgery, to show superiority of local excision over total mesorectal excision in the modified intention-to-treat (ITT) population.

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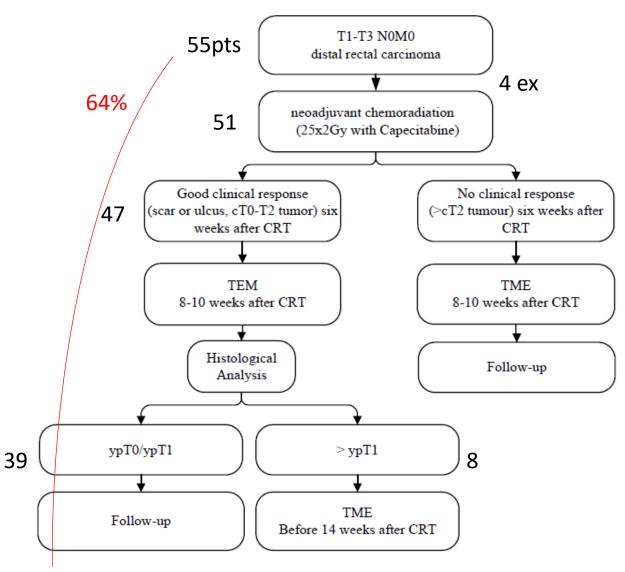
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At 2 years in the modified ITT population, one or more events from the composite primary outcome occurred in 41 (56%) of 73 patients in the local excision group and 33 (48%) of 69 in the total mesorectal excision group (odds ratio 1.33, 95% Cl 0.62-2.86; p=0.43).

Substantial proportion of patients analyzed in the local excision group eventually underwent a completion TME. Major morbidity or adverse effects were experienced in 78% of these patients compared with 29% of patients who underwent local excision alone and 38% of patients who underwent only TME surgery after CRT.

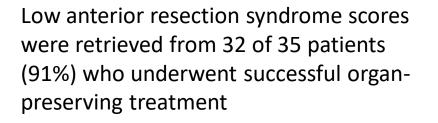


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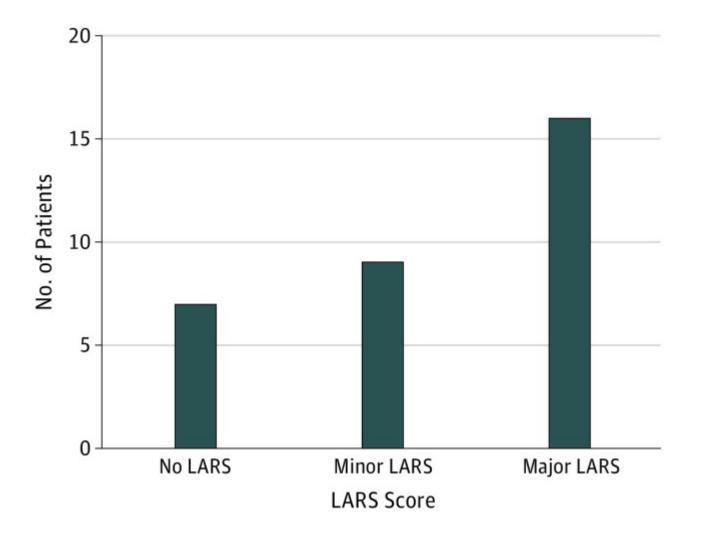
35 OK + 4 LR (10%) → TME

Long-term Oncological and Functional Outcomes of **Chemoradiotherapy Followed by Organ-Sparing Transanal Endoscopic Microsurgery for Distal Rectal Cancer** The CARTS Study JAMA Surg. 2019 Jan; 154(1): 47–54. Characteristic Patients (N = 55)Age, median (interquartile range), y 64 (39-82) 30 (55) Male, No. (%) Tumor size, median (interquartile range), 3.4 (3.0-5.0) cm Clinical tumor category, No. (%) cT1 10 (18) cT2 29 (53) cT3 16 (29) Clinical node category, No. (%) cN0 50 (91) cN1 5 (9) 3.5 (2.0-6.0) Distance to anal verge, median (interquartile range), cm Median follow-up 53 m

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These scores were retrieved 48 to 68 months after surgical treatment.



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Associated factor	Patients, <i>n</i> (%)	Unadjusted OR (95% CI)	<i>p</i> value	Received: May 31, 2018 Accepted: December 19, 2018 Published online: June 11, 2019
Age at follow-up, years, median (range)	72 (49-86)	1.03 (0.96-1.10)	0.401	
Gender, <i>n</i> (%)				
Male	35 (63.6)	Reference		
Female	20 (36.4)	4.00 (1.20-13.36)	0.024	<b>:r</b>
Marital status				ctal
Married	40 (72.7)	Reference		
Single/widowed	15 (27.3)	1.76 (0.51-6.10)	0.374	Иајог
TNM stage				
TONO	7 (12.7)	1.67 (0.23-12.22)	0.615	
T1N0	39 (70.9)	0.38 (0.83-1.70)	0.203	
T2N0	9 (16.4)	Reference		
Tumour height (distance from anal verge)				
High rectum (10–14.9 cm)	15 (27.3)	Reference		
Mid rectum (5-9.9 cm)	21 (38.2)	1.10 (0.25-4.86)	0.900	
Low rectum (<5 cm)	19 (34.5)	1.60 (0.37-7.02)	0.530	
Tumour location				
Anterior	17 (23.0)	2.67 (0.36-19.71)	0.337	
Left Lateral	15 (20.3)	2.00 (0.28-14.20)	0.488	
Posterior	19 (25.7)	2.00 (0.30-13.17)	0.471	
Right Lateral	10 (13.5)	Reference		
Specimen size (cm <sup>2</sup> ), median (range)	8.60 (1.70-38.50)	1.01 (0.95-1.07)	0.815	
Specimen thickness, mm, median (range)	8 (2-30)	1.10 (1.01-1.20)	0.023	
Interval since treatment, years, median (range)	4.3 (2.5-8.0)	1.01 (0.97-1.04)	0.912	
Neo-adjuvant therapy				
No neo-adjuvant therapy	38 (69.1)	Reference	0.037	
(Chemo) radiotherapy	17 (30.9)	3.63 (1.08-12.17)		
ASA grade				
Grade I–II	45 (81.8)	Reference		
Grade III–VI	10 (18.2)	0.95 (0.21-4.22)	0.945	
Complication (Clavien-Dindo)				
Grade 0 (no complication)	47 (85.5)	Reference		
Grade I–II	4 (7.3)	0.79 (0.08-8.22)	0.840	
Grade III–IV	4 (7.3)	2.36 (0.30-18.44)	0.414	

**Table 1.** Patient characteristics and univariate analyses of associations between patient, tumour and treatment characteristics, on the one hand, and major LARS, on the other hand, in patients who underwent TEM

LARS, low anterior resection syndrome; TEM, transanal endoscopic microsurgery.



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Bowel Function 14 Years After Preoperative Short-Course Radiotherapy and Total Mesorectal Excision for Rectal Cancer: Report of a Multicenter Randomized Trial

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Quality of Life in Rectal Cancer Patients After Chemoradiation: Watch-and-Wait Policy Versus Standard Resection – A Matched-Controlled Study

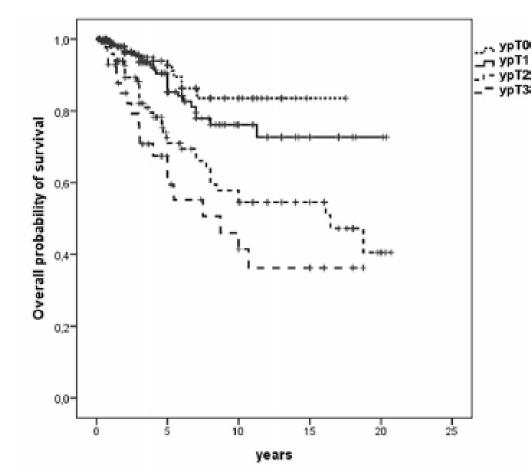
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Major LARS - 1/3 pts after nCRT + watch and wait

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Author	n	Local recurrence (%)	Systemic recurrence (%)	Overall survival (%)	Median follow-up (months) (range)
Coco 2013 [9]	22	1 (4.5)	2 (9)	19 (86.4)	99 (32–173)
Bujko 2013 [12]	89	13 (16.0) <sup>a</sup>	8 (9)	77 (86.5)	26.1 (2.4-85)
Guerrieri 2014 [7]	297	7 (2.4)	13 (4.4)	297 (100)	60.8 (12-243)
Stipa 2014 [8]	43	15 (34.9)	9 (20.9)	16 (37.2)	48 (3.7-252)
Perez 2014 [13]	23	3 (13)	6 (26.1)	20 (86.9)	44 (3-89)
Arezzo 2014 [10]	14	2 (14.2)	0	14 (100)	17.6 (1.6-55.5)
Restivo 2015 [11]	29	4 (13.8)	3 (10.3)	20 (69)	19.7 (3-214)
Total	517	45 (8.7)	41 (7.9)	463 (89.5)	38,8 (1.6–252)



#### Individual participant data pooled-analysis of risk factors for recurrence after neoadjuvant radiotherapy and transanal local excision of rectal cancer: the PARTTLE study

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		Univariate		Multivariate	
		OR (95% CI)	р	OR (95% CI)	р
Age	>70 vs ≤70 years	1.20 (0.65-2.22)	0.553		
Gender	M vs F	0.58 (0.32-1.08)	0.086	0.66 (0.32-1.36)	0.259
сТ	3-4 vs 1-2	1.13 (0.61-2.11)	0.699		
T	0	0.00 (1.70 17.00)	<0.00	4.79 (2.25-	<0.00
урТ	3 vs 1-2	9.20 (4.72-17.93)	1	10.16)	1
ypT			< 0.001		
	2 vs 0-1	4.91 (2.28-10.58)	< 0.001		
	3 vs 0-1	15.60 (6.83-35.67)	<0.001		
Tumor grade	high vs low	0.88 (0.33-2.38)	0.801		
Tumor size	>40 vs ≤40 mm	0.71 (0.34-1.48)	0.365		
Distance from anorectal junction	>60 vs ≤60 mm	0.86 (0.46-1.61)	0.638		
			< 0.00		< 0.00
Preoperative CRT	no vs yes	5.69 (3.02-10.71)	1	3.68 (1.78-7.62)	1
			<0.00	5.86 (2.33-	<0.00
Tumor size post RT	>10 vs ≤10 mm	9.52 (3.93-23.08)	1	14.74)	1
Dehiscence	yes vs no	1.06 (0.43-2.60)	0.905		
RT dose	LC vs SC	0.39 (0.20-0.76)	0.006		
Time between CRT and surgery	>8 vs ≤8 weeks	1.44 (0.68-3.03)	0.337		

CRT: chemo-radio therapy, RT: radiotherapy, LC: long course radiotherapy, SC: short course radiotherapy

Univariate and multivariate logistic regression for local recurrence

## (<u>NCT02945566</u>; <u>NCT02514278</u>; <u>NCT02505750</u>; <u>NCT01060007</u>; <u>NCT02860234</u>).

Local excision – the only therapy of pCR - results.

Author	Year	Number of ypT0 pts	Follow-up (months)	No. of Local Recurrencies	No. of Distant Recurrencies
Kim	2001	17	24	0	0
Schell	2002	8	48	0	1 (12%)
Ruo	2002	3	29	0	0
Hershmann	2003	7	33	0	0
Bonnen	2004	14	42	0	1(7%)
Stipa	2004	7	37	0	NR
Caricato	2006	3	NR	0	0
Borschitz	2007	7	24	0	0
Lezoche	2008	11	84	0	0
Nair	2008	19	64	1 (5%)	1(5%)
Huh	2008	4	91	0	1 (25%)
Kundel	2010	14	48	0	0
Callender	2010	23	63	0	1
Issa	2012	23	87	0	0
Noh	2014	10	75	1	0
Total		170	24-91 (avrg. 58)	2 (1,2%)	5 (2,9%)

### pCR - Outcomes of different therapeutical approaches.

watch and wait (ycCR)	LR 4-6%	DR 0-8,1%
Local excision (ypT0)	LR 1,2%	DR 2,9%
LAR/APR+ TME (ypCR)	LR 0,5-3,3%	DR 8,9-11%
Local excision of T1 low risk	LR 0-7% (11-18%)	

### 527 pts s pCR ..... N+ v 6,6%

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#### CLINICAL INVESTIGATION

#### Rectum

#### PROGNOSTIC VALUE OF PATHOLOGIC COMPLETE RESPONSE AFTER NEOADJUVANT THERAPY IN LOCALLY ADVANCED RECTAL CANCER: LONG-TERM ANALYSIS OF 566 ypCR Patients

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333 pts s pCR ..... N+ v 8,7%

Pathologic Complete Response of Primary Tumor Following Preoperative Chemoradiotherapy for Locally Advanced Rectal Cancer

Long-term Outcomes and Prognostic Significance of Pathologic Nodal Status (KROG 09-01)

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Study	Design	Mean time (weeks) <sup>a</sup>	Pat	ients	Age	(years)	Male :	Female		ollow-up nths)
			W&W ( <i>n</i> )	Control (n)	W&W ( <i>n</i> )	Control (n)	W&W	Control	W&W ( <i>n</i> )	Control (n)
Maas <i>et al</i> , 2011 <sup>8</sup>	Prospective	6.5	21	20	65	64	14:7	16:4	25	35
Dalton et al, 2012 <sup>15</sup>	Retrospective	6								
Smith et al, 201514	Retrospective	12	18	30	62.3	60.4	15:3	20:10	68.4	46.3
Habr Gama et al, 20047	Prospective	8	71	22	58.1	53.6	12:10	18:14	48	28
Smith et al, 201213	Retrospective	4–10	32	57	70	60	18:14	27 : 30	42	47.7
Araujo <i>et al</i> , 2015 <sup>24</sup>	Retrospective	12	42	69	63.6	60.1	17:25	34 : 35	46.7	49.9
Lai <i>et al</i> , 2015 <sup>12</sup>	Retrospective	n/a	18	26	67.6	63.8	15:3	12:14	49.4	42.3
Li et al, 2015 <sup>16</sup>	Retrospective	n/a	30	92	62	56	18:12	60 : 32	58	58
Nahas <i>et al</i> , 2016 <sup>23</sup>	RCT	8.7	4	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	33.2	28.2



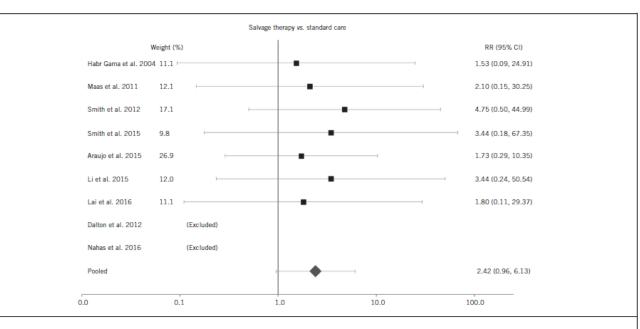
#### **REVIEW ARTICLE**

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Systematic review and meta-analysis on outcomes of salvage therapy in patients with tumour recurrence during 'watch and wait' in rectal cancer

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LR 30/248 - 12% DR 12/248 - 6%



Of 248 patients who followed the watch and wait strategy, 10.5% had salvage therapy for recurrent disease. No statistical heterogeneity was found in the results. The relative risk of overall mortality in the salvage therapy group was 2.42 (95% confidence interval 0.96–6.13) compared with the group who had conventional surgery, but this was not statistically significant (P > 0.05).

Figure 3 Forest plot of random effects meta-analysis demonstrating the overall risk of mortality in patients who had salvage therapy versus patients who had standard treatment. Overall effect size is not statistically significant (P = 0.06).

# Jak ušetřit rektum od radioterapie?

Část 2.

## CRM, LN

MRC CR07 and NCIC-CTG C016 studie	<u>Dutch TME trial, 12-year</u> follow-up	<u>Pooled analysis of 5</u> <u>European randomized</u> <u>clinical trials</u>
<ul> <li>1350 pts, Stádium I–III</li> <li>randomizace k nRCT či primární chirurgii</li> <li>selektivně pooperační RCT u posit. CRM (&lt;1 mm)</li> </ul>	81% pacientů s patologicky <i>negativním</i> <i>CRM profitovalo z nRCT</i> : <b>LR 5% vs. 11%</b>	N status - signifikantní prediktivní faktor nejen pro DR a OS ale i pro LR
3-y DSF 77.5% vs. 71.5%, p=0.013) <b>LR 4.4% vs. 10.6%,</b> p<0.0001	10-yr LR: stage cl: 1% vs. 3% stage cll: 4% vs.7% stage clll: 5 vs.17%. (p<0.0001):	<b>5y LR - 12,9%</b> 5y DR - 30.8% 5y OS - 30,4%

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Clinical lymph node staging in colorectal cancer; a flip of the coin?

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Clinical lymph node staging (cN) compared to pathological lymph node staging (pN) for patients diagnosed with rectal cancer between 2011 and 2014, who received short neoadjuvant radiotherapy scheme (5  $\times$  5 Gy) and 0–10 days from the start of radiotherapy until resection.

	Pathological lymph node diagnosis		
	pN+	pN-	
dN+ dN-	460 <sup>a</sup> (47) 360 <sup>c</sup> (25)	525 <sup>b</sup> (53) 1060 <sup>d</sup> (75)	

Note. Data are absolute numbers with percentages between parentheses.

Parameters of clinical lymph node staging in rectal cancer patients treated with short neoadjuvant radiotherapy.

Sensitivity =  $a/(a+b)^* 100\% = 56\%$ , Specificity =  $d/(c+d)^* 100\% = 67\%$ , PPV = a/(a+c)\*100% = 47%, NPV = d/(b + d)\*100% = 75%.

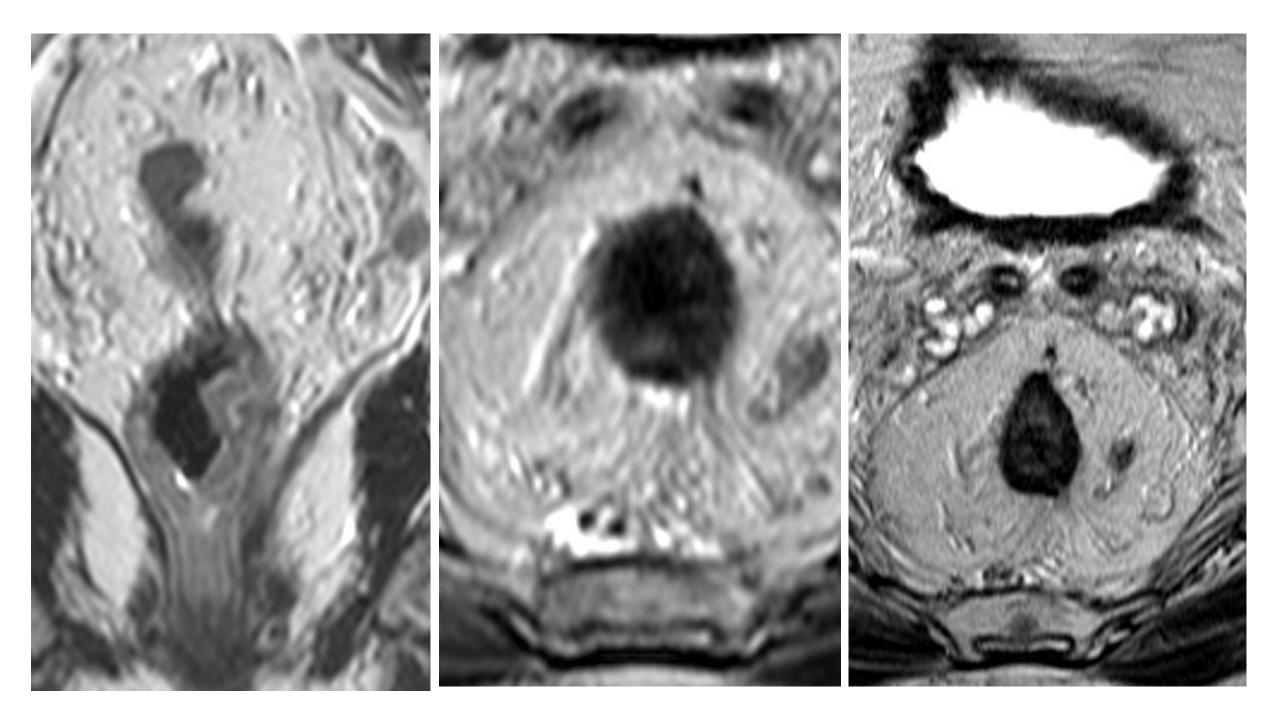
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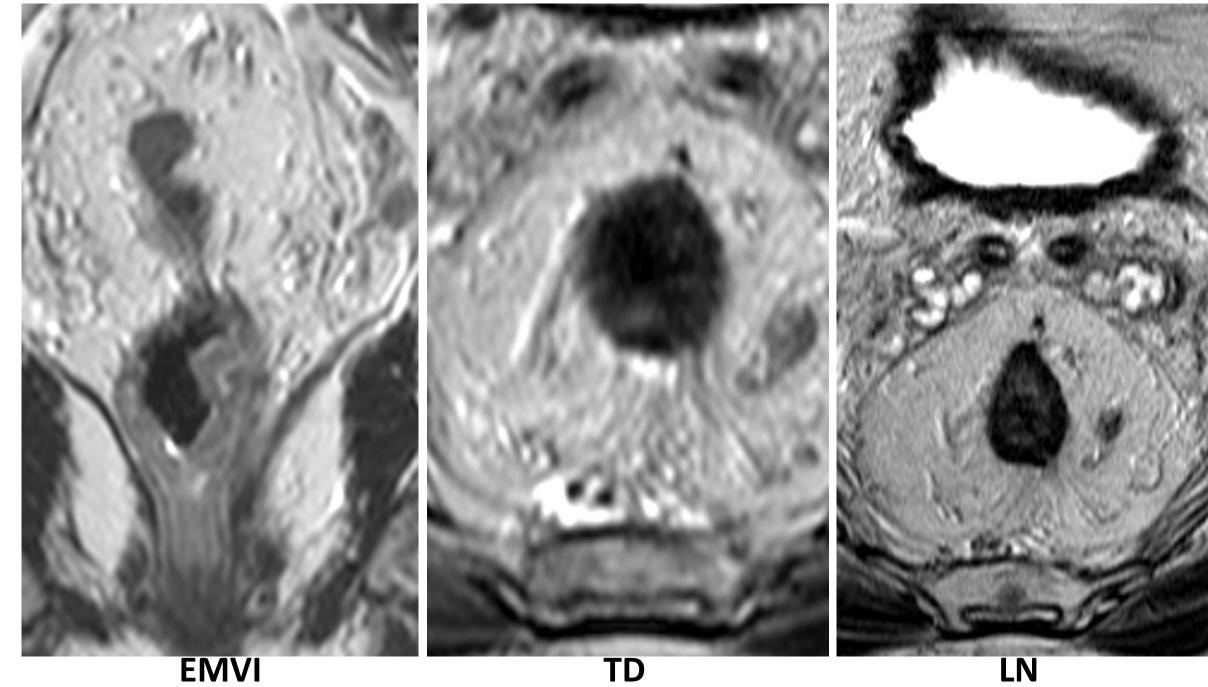
		Pathological lymph node diagnosis	
		pN+	pN-
Colon			
	cN+ cN-	3058 <sup>a</sup> (59) 4456 <sup>b</sup> (29)	2108 <sup>c</sup> (41) 11105 <sup>d</sup> (71)
Rectum			
	cN+	248 <sup>^</sup> (56)	192 <sup>c</sup> (44)
	cN-	402 <sup>B</sup> (24)	1257 <sup>D</sup> (76)

Note. Data are absolute numbers with percentages between parentheses. Parameters of clinical lymph node staging in patients without neoadjuvant treatment.

Colon cancer	Rectal cancer
Sensitivity = $a/(a+b)*100\% = 41\%$	Sensitivity = A/(A+B)*100% = 38%
Specificity = $d/(c+d)*100\% = 84\%$	Specificity = D/(C+D)*100% = 87%
PPV = $a/(a+c)*100\% = 59\%$	PPV = A/(A+C)*100% = 56%
NPV = $d/(b+d)*100\% = 71\%$	NPV = D/(B+D)*100% = 76%







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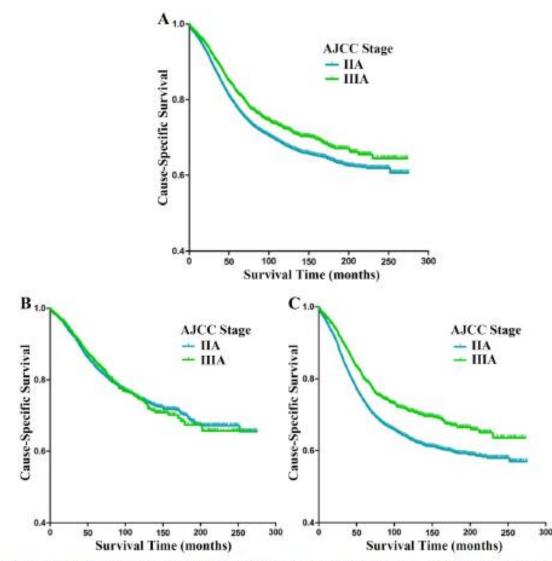


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SEER database

lla – 13551 pts llla – 3237 pts

IIa (T3N0M0) IIIa (T1-2, N1-2a, M0)

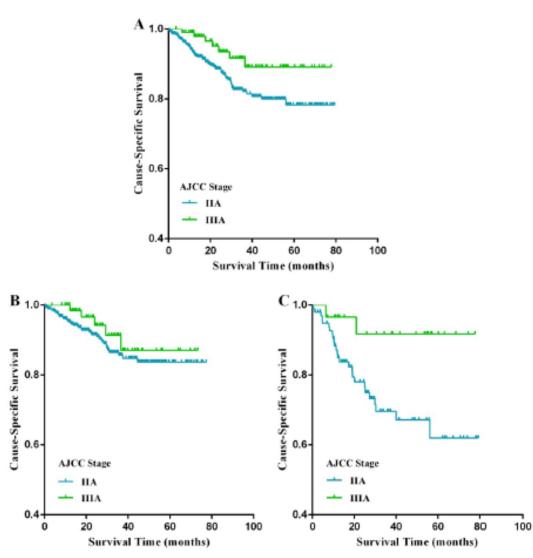


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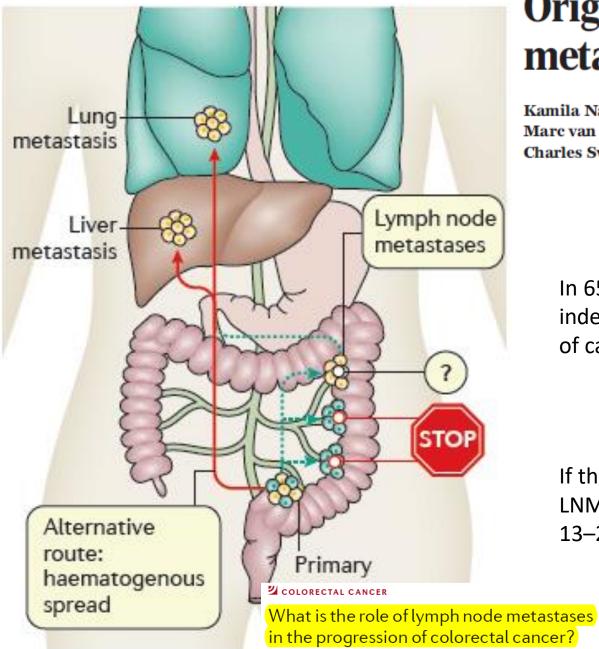
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FUSCC database

lla – 482 pts llla – 103 pts

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## Origins of lymphatic and distant metastases in human colorectal cancer

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In 65% of cases, lymphatic and distant metastases arose from independent subclones in the primary tumor, whereas in 35% of cases they shared common subclonal origin.

If the numbers are extrapolated, these findings indicate that LNM might be directly involved in disease progression in only 13–20% of metastatic CRC cases.

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Annals of Surgery. 253(4):711–719, APRIL 2011

MRI feature	Good prognosis	Poor prognosis
CRM	>1mm clear	<1mm involved
Low rectal <5cm	intersphincteric plane clear of tumor	intersphincteric plane involved by tumor
T stage	T1/T2, T3a<1mm, T3b,	
	1-5mm extramural spread	T3c>5mm extramural spread, T4
EMVI	negative	positive
N stage	any	any

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	Frequency (%)	Total	
Variable			
Path CRM	Clear	118 (96.7)	
	Involved	4 (3.3)	
Stage I or less			Actual no. of
			local recurrence
pT0N0	7 (5.7)		0
pT1N0	8 (6.6)		0
pT2N0	34 (27.9)	49	1
Stage II			
pT3aN0	20 (16.4)		0
pT3bN0	7 (5.7)		0
pT4N0	2 (1.6)	29	1
Stage III			
pT1N1	1 (0.8)		0
pT2N1	9 (7.4)		0
pT2N2	1 (0.8)		0
pT3aN1	8 (6.6)		1
pT3bN1	9 (7.4)		$0 (2 = CRM_{+ve})$
pT3bN2	7 (5.7)		$1 (1 = CRM_{+ve})$
pT3cN0	3 (2.5)		0
pT3cN1	4 (3.3)		$0 (1 = CRM_{+ve})$
pT4N1	2 (1.6)	44	0
	Total	122	

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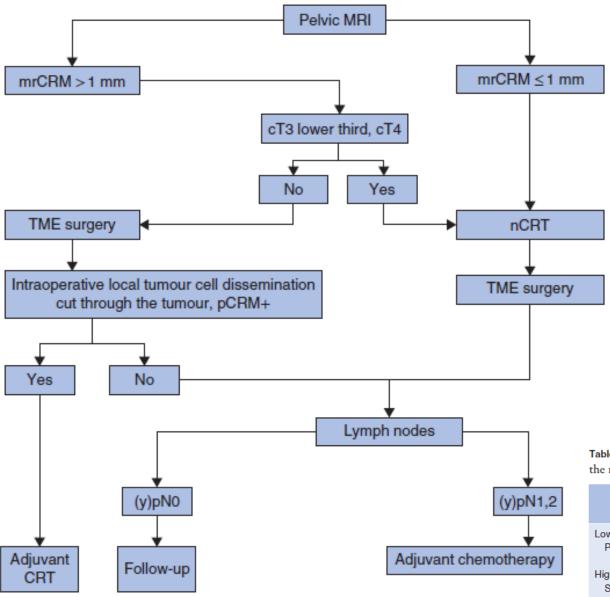
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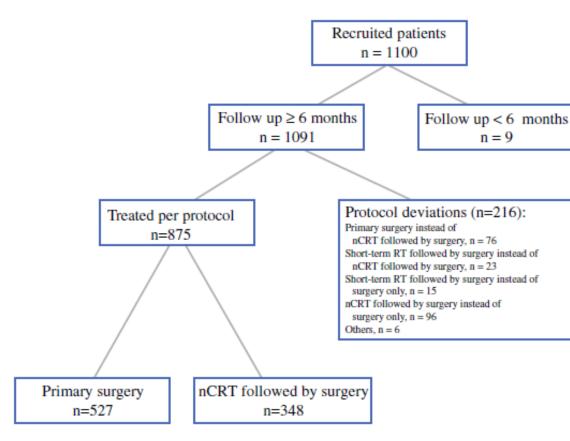
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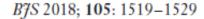
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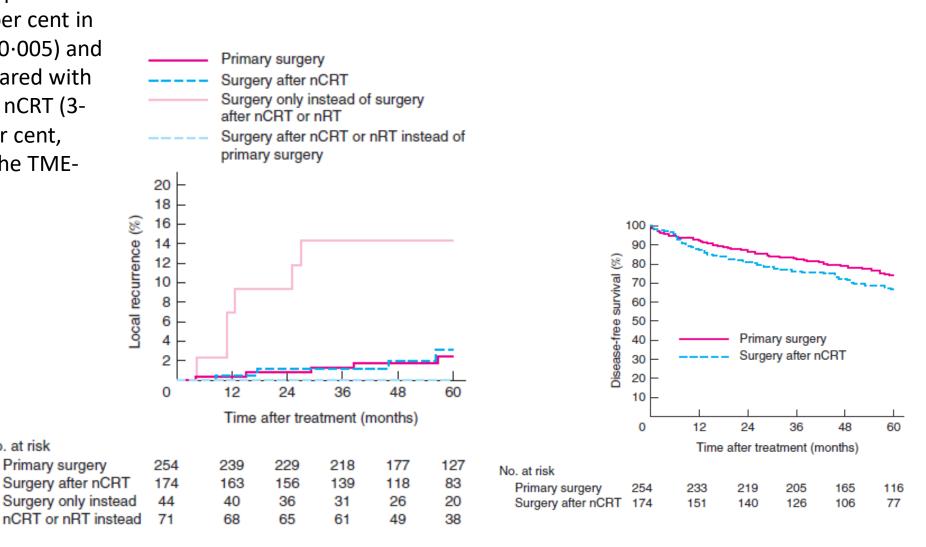
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MRI-Based Use of Neoadjuvant Chemoradiotherapy in Rectal **Carcinoma: Surgical Quality and Histopathological Outcome** of the OCUM Trial

<ul> <li>plane of surgery</li> <li>mesorectal in 604 (52%)</li> <li>intermediate intramesorectal in 398 (34%)</li> <li>muscularis propria plane in 154 (13%)</li> </ul>		Primary surgery [n = 527]	nCRT followed by surgery $[n = 348]$
	Mesorectal plane	496 (94.1)	299 (85.9)
	Intramesorectal plane	30 (5.7)	40 (11.5)
	Muscularis propria plane	1 (0.2)	9 (2.6)



## CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES

Personalised medicine

Summary of recommendations

There are no molecular markers to guide treatment approaches or to predict response to RT or CRT

Rectal cancers with distant metastases should be studied for RAS and BRAF mutational status and the other requirements addressed in the ESMO consensus guidelines on metastatic colorectal cancer



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# Děkuji za pozornost!

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Three Years' Follow-up Results of the Greccar-6 Randomized Multicenter Trial

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Patients with cT3/T4 or TxNþ tumors of the mid or lower rectum who had received RCT (45–50 Gy with 5- fluorouracil or capecitabine) were included and randomized into a 7- or 11week waiting period. Primary endpoint was the pCR rate. Secondary endpoints were 3-year overall (OS), disease-free survival (DFS), and recurrence rates.

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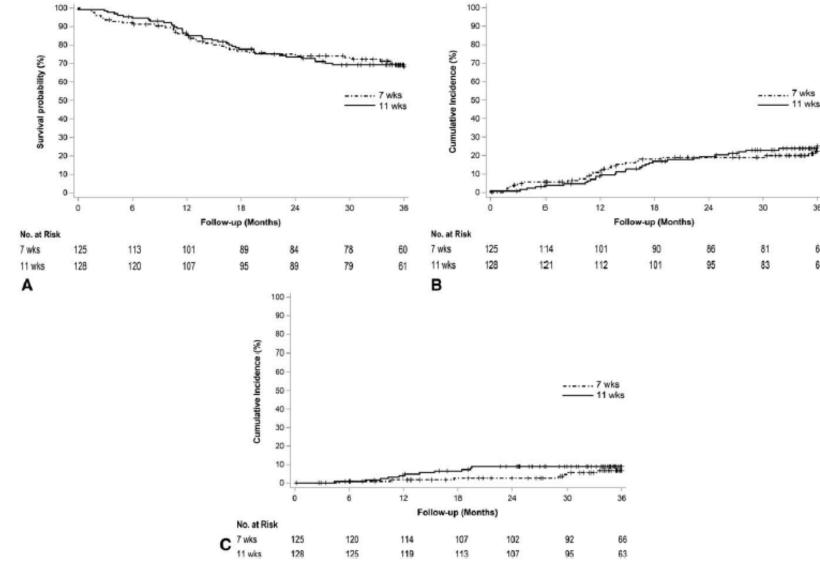


FIGURE 2. Survival curves according to the waiting period after radiochemotherapy (A) DFS (log-rank = 0.9409). (B) Metastatic recurrences (log-rank = 0.7432). (C) Local recurrences (log-rank = 0.3944).

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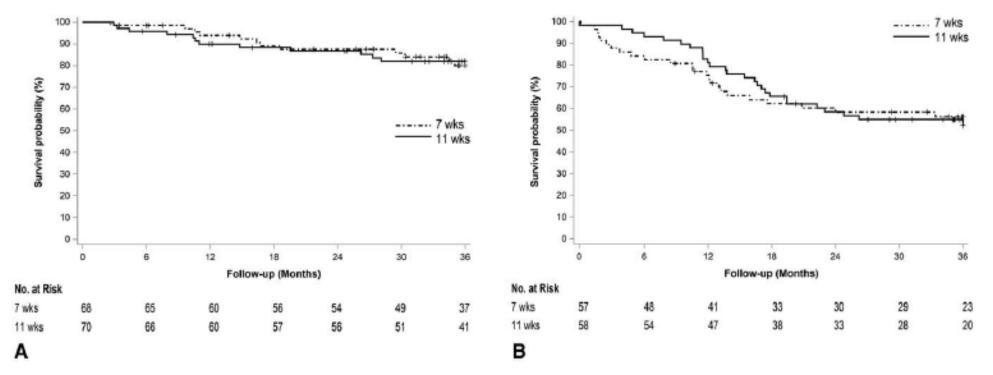


FIGURE 3. Disease-free survival according to the randomization group of: (A) good responders (ypT0-Tis-T1-T2) (log-rank = 0.9509); (b) bad responders (ypT3-T4) (log-rank = 0.9726).