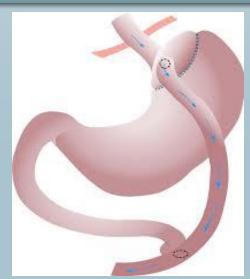
Nutritional Complications following a Roux-en-Y and Reversal Procedure



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Objectives

- Describe unique characteristics of Rouxen-Y and reversal
- Demonstrate a clear understanding of pathophysiology, etiology and treatment related to nutritional complications after Roux-en-Y and reversal
- Gain perspective of appropriate nutrition interventions for patients s/p gastric bypass



- Bariatric surgery: a surgical treatment for morbid obesity
- 1954-the first bariatric surgery^[1]
- 220,000 bariatric surgeries performed annually in the U.S in 2008 and 2009[2]
- Overall 30 day mortality is <1% [3]

Treatment Criteria for Bariatric Surgery

- BMI >40 kg/m² or BMI 35-40 kg/m² with significant comorbidities
- Documented failure of non-surgical weight loss programs
- Psychologically stable patient with realistic expectations

Treatment Criteria for Bariatric Surgery

- Well informed and motivated patient
- Supportive family and social environment
- Absence of uncontrolled psychotic or depressive disorder
- No active alcohol or substance abuse

(National Institutes of Health Consensus 1991, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute Guidelines 1998)

Psychiatric Disorders of Patients Seeking Obesity Treatment [4]

- Aim: Understand the prevalence of psychiatric disorders among patients seeking obesity treatment
- Subjects: 841 patients
- **Results:** 42% with at least one psychiatric disorder
- **Conclusion:** A high prevalence of psychiatric disorders

Lin HY, Huang CK, Tai CM, Lin HY, Kao YH, Tsai CC, Hsuan CF, Lee SL, Chi SC, Yen YC. Psychiatric disorders of patients seeking obesity treatment. *BMC Psychiatry*. 2013 Jan 2;13:1.

Morbidly Obese Patients: Psychopathology and Eating Disorders^[5]

- Aim: To analyze the importance of psychological evaluation prior to gastric bypass
- Subjects: 547
- Results: > 50% suffered from 1 or more mental disorders
- Conclusion: Important to identify patients who are not ideal candidates for bariatric surgery, or need additional psychiatric treatment

Kinzl JF, Maier C, Bösch A. [Morbidly obese patients: psychopathology and eating disorders -Results of a preoperative evaluation] *Neuropsychiatry*. 2012;26(4):159-65.



- A form of restrictive and malabsorptive bariatric surgical procedure
- Best accepted and most commonly performed_[6]
- Achieves and maintains substantial long-term weight loss
- Neurohormonal pathways

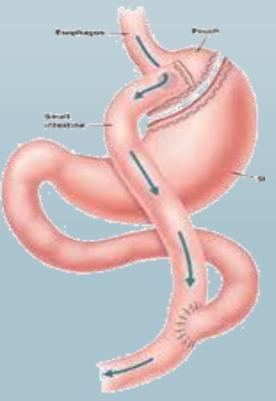
Neurohormonal Pathways^[7]

- **Objective:** To analyze GI motility in order to examine the effects of altered anatomy on hormonal changes post RYGB
- Subjects: 17 patients and 9 healthy control
- **Results:** Fast pouch emptying associated with Increased secretion of GLP-1 and PYY
- **Conclusions:** The rapid exposure of the gut epithelium contributes to the exaggerated release of GLP-1 and PYY after RYGB.

Dirksen C, Damgaard M, Bojsen-Møller KN, Jørgensen NB, Kielgast U, Jacobsen SH, Naver LS, Worm D, Holst JJ, Madsbad S, Hansen DL, Madsen JL. Fast pouch emptying, delayed small intestinal transit, and exaggerated gut hormone responses after Roux-en-Y gastric bypass. *Neurogastroenterol Motil*. 2013 Jan 29.

Roux-en-Y Procedure^[6]

- Involves gastric resectioning
- The creation of a small gastric pouch(20-30mL)
- Bypassing distal stomach and entire duodenum
- Jejunum is connected to the upper portion of the stomach
- Biliopancreatic limb is anastomosed to distal jejunum



 $http://www.webmd.com/diet/weight-loss-surgery/slideshow-weight-loss-surgery\#surgical_methods_animation.$

Diet Recommendation after Roux-en-Y_[8]

Diet Stage	Begin	Foods/Fluids
Stage I		
	Post op day1-2	Clear Liquids
Stage II		
	Post op day 3	Clear Liquid \longrightarrow GBP full liquids
Stage III		
Week 1	Post op day10-14	Full liquids ————————————————————————————————————
Week 2	4 weeks post op	Protein, Pureed \longrightarrow chopped, ground
Week 3	5 weeks post op	Protein, fruits & vegetables
Stage IV		
		Supplements, Healthy solid diet

Complications after Gastric Bypass_[9]

- Wound Infection
- Anastomotic Leakage
- Vomiting
- DVT/Pulmonary Embolism
- Gallstones/Kidney Stones
- Hernia
- Marginal Ulcers

Nutritional Implications[6,9]

- Decreased oral intake
- Early satiety
- Dumping syndrome
- Fat maldigestion/malabsorption
- FTT
- Osteoporosis
- Nutritional deficiencies

Supplementation after Roux-en-Y_[9]

Supplement	Monitoring	Supplement	Monitoring
Vit A		Calcium	25-Hydroxyvitamin D
Vit B1	Thiamine	Vitamin D	
Vit E		Vit B 12	CBC, Vit B12
Vit K	PT/INR	Selenium	
Iron	TIBC, ferritin, CBC	Zinc	
Folic acid	RBC folate	Copper	
Biotin			

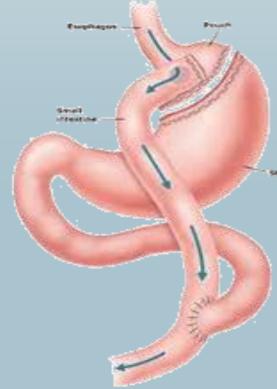
Reversal of Gastric Bypass

Most common indications[10]

- Short gut syndrome
- Renal failure
- Marginal ulceration
- Malnutrition

Roux-en-Y Reversal

- Anastomosis of the proximal gastric pouch to the remnant stomach
- Reversal of the Roux-en-Y loop
- Often performed as an open procedure



Case Study Patient

- 33 YO, Hispanic, F; Mrs. X
- Marital Status: Married
- Religion: Catholic
- Education: Some college
- Profession: Legal assistant
- Social hx: Tobacco use
- Allergy: Mushrooms

Past Medical History					
Pre-GBP Hx	Post-GBP Hx				
•Morbid obesity (BMI:49.9)	 Encephalopathy with hepatic insufficiency 				
•PTSD	 Laparoscopic cholecystectomy (2009) 				
•Sleep Apnea	 Severe Protein/Kcal Malnutrition 				
 Chronic back pain 	Reversal Roux-en-Y				
•Laparoscopic GBP (2008)	(2013)				

Previous Admissions at LifeCare

Admit Date	DX	BMI	Wt kg	Intake %	Misc
10/16- 12/10/09	Encephalopathy	21.8	6 1	25 ↓ 100	Regular psychological therapy
3/19- 5/24/10	Liver dysfunction	22.7	7.4 ↑	varied	Increased ammonia level
8/6- 8/30/12	Complications of Bariatric procedure	27.1	5.3↓	varied	Paracentesis

Primary focus of care: Nutrition

LifeCare Admission

- Admitted: 1/23/13 from Methodist Specialty Transplant Hospital
- Dx: s/p Roux-en-Y reversal with hepatic insufficiency, FTT and severe malnutrition
- PO Diet: Regular
- Tube feed: Promote @50cc/hr/NGT (1200 kcal,72g pro)
- 16kcal/kg & 1g pro/kg

Assessment

- Ht:5'5"
- Wt:73.1kg (161#)
- BMI: 26.7 (overweight)
- IBW: 125# (128%)
- UBW: 300 # (pre-GBP)
- UBW: 155# (103%, post GBP)

Estimated Needs

- Energy Needs
- o 73.1kg (CBW):20-25 kcal/kg
- o 1462-1828 kcals/d
- Protein Needs
- o 73.1kg (CBW):1.5-2.0g/kg
- o 109-146g/d
- Fluid
- o 1800ml (1ml/kcal)

Nutrition Diagnosis

Altered GI function (NC-1.4) R/T S/P gastric bypass (Roux-en-Y) AEB poor appetite, FTT, malnutrition and EN for nutrition support therapy

Medical Nutrition Therapy

Enteral

Jevity 1.5 @ 45ml/hr/NGT + ProPass 2sc TID/NGT

(1620 + 180= 1800 Kcal/d)

(65 +36= 101 g pro/d) & Fiber: 26.4g/d

Providing: 25kcal/kg & 1.4 g pro/kg

Diet order

Regular

Monitoring/Intervention

Goal

Meal Intake > 75% \longrightarrow D/C TF when PO intake adequate

Monitor

- Wt U/D, maintenance
- Tube feed tolerance at goal rate
- Labs

Intervention

Add HP smoothie(4 oz)L&D

Nutrition Intervention

- 1/24 Jevity 1.5 @45ml/hr/NG + Regular diet
- 1/25 Added to diet: HP smoothie 4 oz+ pro powder 2sc TID/NG +Regular diet, small portion sizes
- 1/29 A supplement to Ensure Complete, strawberry flavor, 4 oz, L&D/ PO
- 1/30 Snacks, pulled FT R/T clogging
- 1/31 48 hrs calorie count ordered, NG D/C by the MD
- 2/2 HS snack changed by MD, Regular portion sizes, Calorie count:101% kcal & 53% pro
- 2/5 Ensure Complete D/C
- 2/7 MD ordered: No dietary restrictions

Nutrition Monitoring

	1/24	1/25	1/29	1/30	1/31	2/2	2/4
Wt:kg	73	72		71			
Intake %	10%	33%	68%	38%	67 %	78%	100%
BMs	0	2	0	2	1	1	1
TF/diet tolerance	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL
Emesis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Nutrition Monitoring

	2/7	2/8	2/9	2/10	2/11	2/12
Wt: kg	73			70	70	
Intake %	100%	77%	15%	70%	73%	50%
BMs	1	2	3	1	1	2
Diet tolerance	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL	WNL
Emesis	0	1	0	0	0	0

Labs

	Normal Range	1/24	1/27	1/30	2/4	2/8
Pre-Alb	20-40 mg/dL	10.3			12.1	
Alb	3.4- 5.0 mg/dL	2.2	2.3		2.4	2.3
Mag	1.8-2.4 mg/dL	1.7				1.6
Na	136-145 mmol/L	134				
Cl	98-107 mmol/L	97				
K	3.5-5.1mmol/L		3.4			
ALKP	50-136 U/L	154	168		186	173
AST	15-37 U/L	63	39		50	38
ALT	25-65 U/L	67				
AMMON	11-35 umol/L				39	50
Glu	70-109mg/dL		127	137		

CBC

_	Nerveel Deve	4/24	4/27	4/20	2/4	2 (0	2/42	
	Normal Range	1/24	1/27	1/30	2/4	2/8	2/12	
RBC	3.80- 5.20M/uL	3.36	3.52	3.35	3.64	3.68		
HGB	12-16 g/dL	9.8	10.3	9.6	10.6	10.5		
НСТ	36-46%	29.9	31.1	30.2	32.6	32.7		
PLT	150-400 K/uL				144	145		
			Lipid	Profil	е			
CHOL	< 199mg/dL					66		
TRIG	< 149mg/dL					73		
HDL	>60mg/dL					23		
Vit D- 25	30-100 ng/mL						12	

Pertinent Medications PTA[11]

Medication	Function	Nutritional Consequences
Aldactone	Diuretic	Anorexia, ↓wt,↑thirst, avoid natural licorice
Bumetanide	Diuretic	↑ thirst, dehydration, electrolyte imbalance
Cipro	Antibiotic	Nausea, dehydration
Protonix	Anti-GERD	Nausea, abd pain, diarrhea, ↑ gastric pH
Selenium	Supplement	[↑] Requirement in GBP
Thiamine	Supplement	Nausea, [↑] requirement in GBP
Lovenox	DVT	Avoid if pork allergy

Pertinent Medications PTA_[11]

Medication	Function	Nutritional Consequences
Lactulose	Laxative/tx of ammonia	N/V, diarrhea, [↑] absorption of Ca & Mag
Remeron	Anti- depressant	↑ appetite,↑ wt,↑thirst
Xanax	Anti-anxiety	Anorexia,↓ wt
Zofran	Anti- N/V	Xerostomia, abd pain, constipation
Dilaudid	Opiod	\downarrow motility, N/V, constipation
Vit D 2	Supplement	Anorexia, \downarrow wt , \uparrow Ca absorption
Zinc Sulfate	Supplement	N/V, diarrhea, dyspepsia

Pertinent Medications[11]

Medication	Function	Nutritional Consequences
Mag sulfate	Mineral supplement	N/V, cramps, diarrhea
Heparin	Anticoagulant	N/V, abd pain, Gi bleeding
Lorazepam	Anti-anxiety	Anorexia, N/V, xerostomia
Dulcolax	Laxative	Nausea, diarrhea, wt↓
K chloride	Electrolyte	GI irritation, \downarrow N/V , abdominal pain, diarrhea, flatulence

Nutrition Diagnosis

Not ready for diet changes (NB-1.3) R/T denial of need to change AEB current intake patterns.

The True Practice of Dietetics!!!!!

- Looking at the big picture
- Inconsistency of information
- General misconceptions of the family
- Bottom Line: finding the right balance



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