



Procedure Information – T-tube Cholangiogram

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Introduction

1. T-tube cholangiogram is used to check whether the T-tube (after surgery) is in correct position and the bile duct patency by injection of contrast medium.
2. The procedure will be performed by a radiologist. The procedure will generally be performed in the Radiology Department under fluoroscopic x-ray guidance.

Procedure

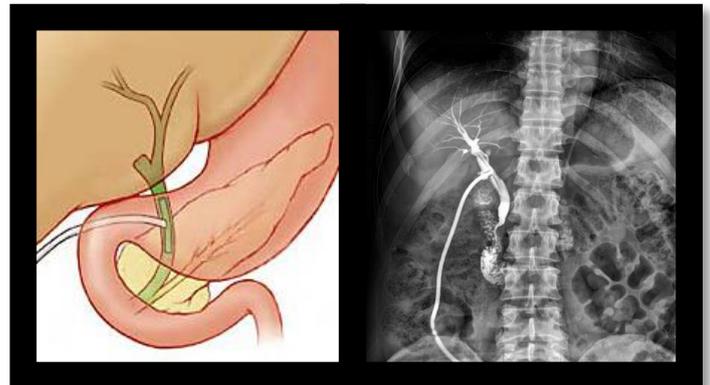
1. The biliary drainage tube area is cleaned and sterilized by the radiologist.
2. Contrast medium will then be injected via the drainage tube into the bile duct under fluoroscopy.
3. The radiologist will take a series of x-rays. Patient may be asked to have different position for taking some spot films.

After examination

1. Avoid touching the tube region and keep the wound dry.
2. The drainage bag should be placed below the stoma to prevent bile from flowing back.

Potential Risks and Complications

1. Uncommon complications include bleeding.
2. Rare but serious complications include infection, peritonitis and allergic reaction towards contrast medium used



Disclaimer

This leaflet only provides general information pertaining to this operation / procedure. While common risks and complications are described, the list is not exhaustive, and the degree of risk could also vary between patients. Please contact your doctor for detailed information and specific enquiry.



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Reference

ACR Manual on Contrast Media (2023)

I acknowledge that I have understood the above information and was given opportunity to ask questions concerning my procedure.

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