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## COMPLICATIONS IN BARIATRIC SURGERY: OUR CENTER EXPERIENCE

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INTRODUZIONE Bariatric surgery is recognized as the most effective treatment for morbid obesity,

maintaining a stable weight reduction in the long term and reducing comorbidities, with a favorable impact on mortality. The aim of this study is to evaluate the complication rate and treatment techniques adopted in all patients undergoing bariatric surgery

procedures in our center.

METODI From May 2017 to November 2020, 154 patients with morbid obesity are admitted to

the Department of Medical and Surgical Science of the University Hospital of Foggia

undergoing bariatric surgery.

RISULTATI One hundred and nine patients underwent sleeve gastrectomy, fortythree gastric bypass

and one mini-gastric bypass, one SAGI and twelve of these were redo operation

procedures.

Regarding postoperative complications (8,4%), there were 3 gastric leak (1,9%), 7 bleedings (4,5%) - 1 intraluminal bleeding and 6 intra-abdominal bleedings, 2 port-sites infections (1,2%) and 1 haemoperitoneum due to splenic injury 1 month after discharge (0,65%). In our center we have also treated 3 cases of complications after bariatric

surgery procedures performed in others centers.

There were no deaths.

DISCUSSIONE Despite improvement in the performance of bariatric surgical procedures, complications

are not uncommon. Flexible endoscopy has become an essential tool in managing bariatric surgery patients and offers the benefit of providing both diagnostic and

therapeutic applications.

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