

Laparoscopic Management of Acutely Symptomatic Chylous Mesenteric Cyst

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Abstract

Acutely symptomatic chylous mesenteric cyst is a very rare cause of acute abdomen. We report a case of acutely inflamed chyle-containing benign mesenteric cyst, highlighting the role of laparoscopy as a safe diagnostic and therapeutic modality.

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