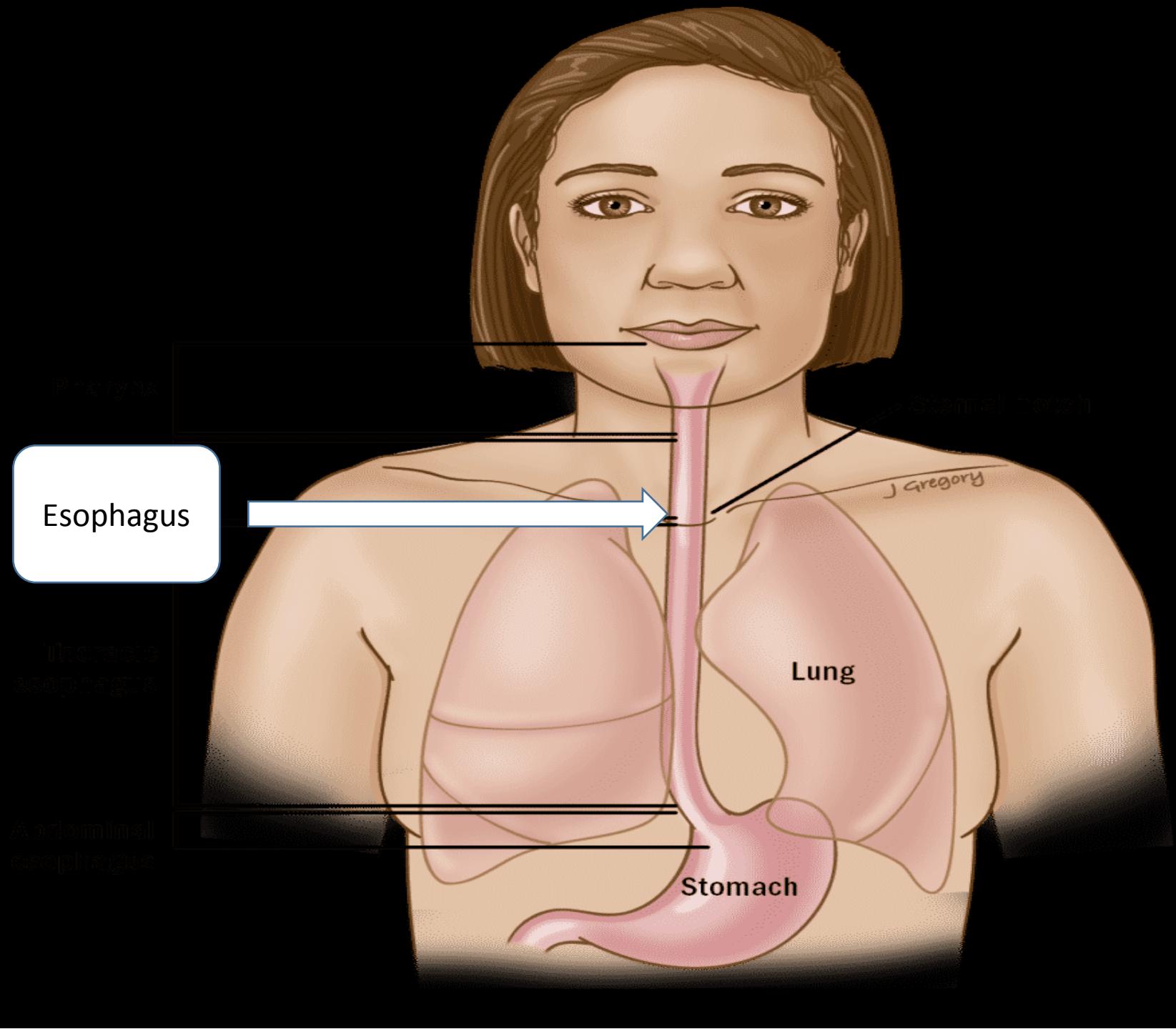


# Cancer of the Esophagus

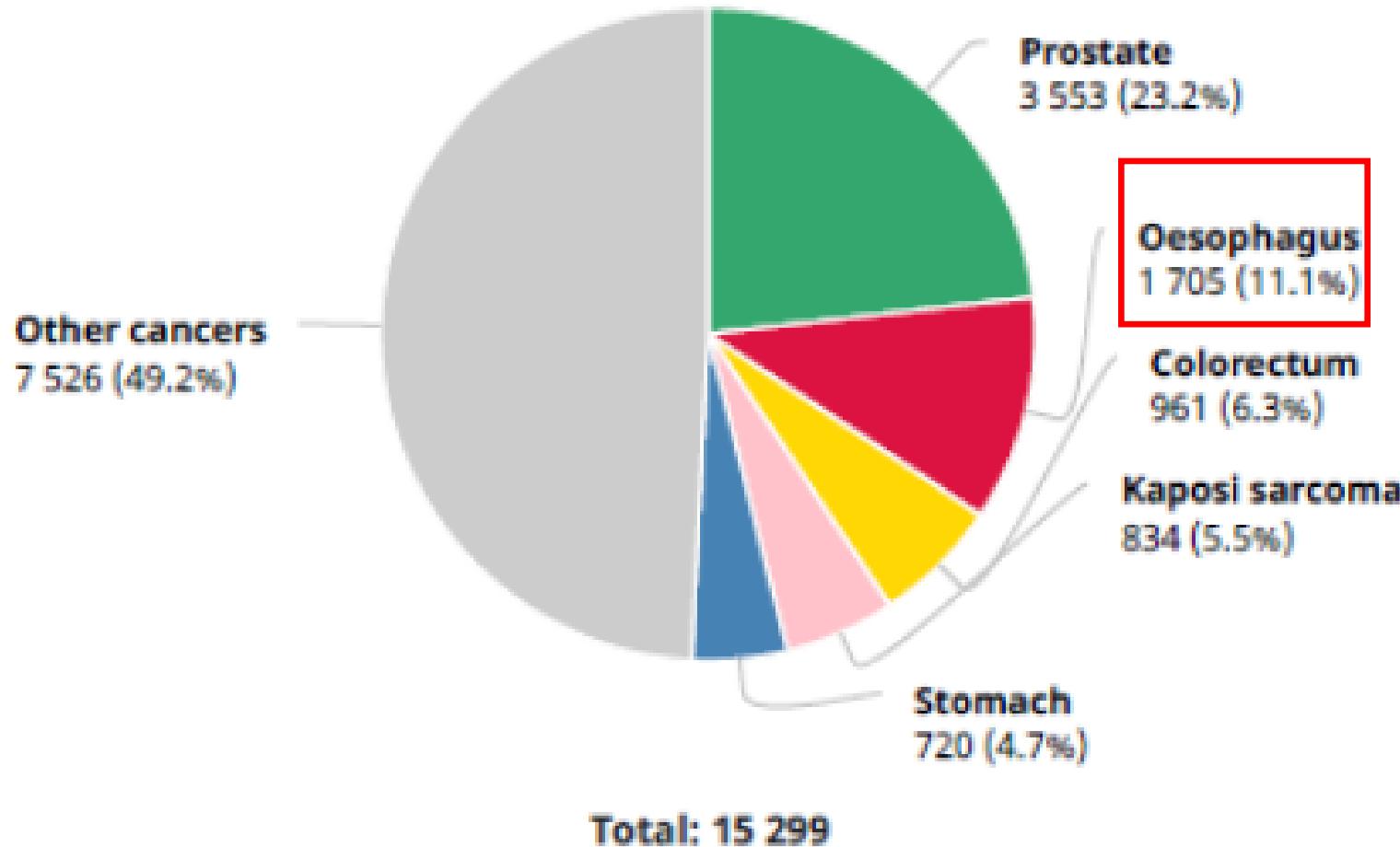
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## Number of new cases in 2020, males, all ages



## Number of new cases in 2020, females, all ages

# Tanzania, United Republic of

Source: Globocan

## Incidence, Mortality and Prevalence by cancer site

Cancer	New cases					Deaths				
	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk		Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	
Cervix uteri	10 241	1	25.3	7.43		6 525	1	24.2	5.36	
Breast	3 992	2	9.9	2.74		1 973	4	7.3	1.44	
Prostate	3 553	3	8.8	4.23		1 985	3	7.4	2.20	
Oesophagus	2 642	4	6.5	1.07		2 514	2	9.3	1.03	
Kaposi sarcoma	1 354	5	3.3	0.36		800	8	3.0	0.21	

# Risk Factors

- Familial History
- Age >60yrs
- Sex- M:F is 4:1
- Smoking & Alcohol consumption
- Diet – Low fruit & vegetables, Aflatoxins
- Drinking high temperature beverages
- Esophageal Diseases eg G.E.R.D

# How it Presents

- Painful swallowing (Solid food then liquids)
- Heartburn
- Blood in stool(Black stool)
- Weight loss
- Voice Hoarseness

# Tests Usually Done

## Blood:

- Full Blood Count
- Kidney function test
- Liver Function test

## Imaging:

- Endoscopy (O.G.D)
- Barium Swallow
- Chest X-Ray/ CT Scan
- Abdominal Ultrasound/ CT Scan

# Barium Swallow

Fig .Radiopedia



# Upper Endoscopy

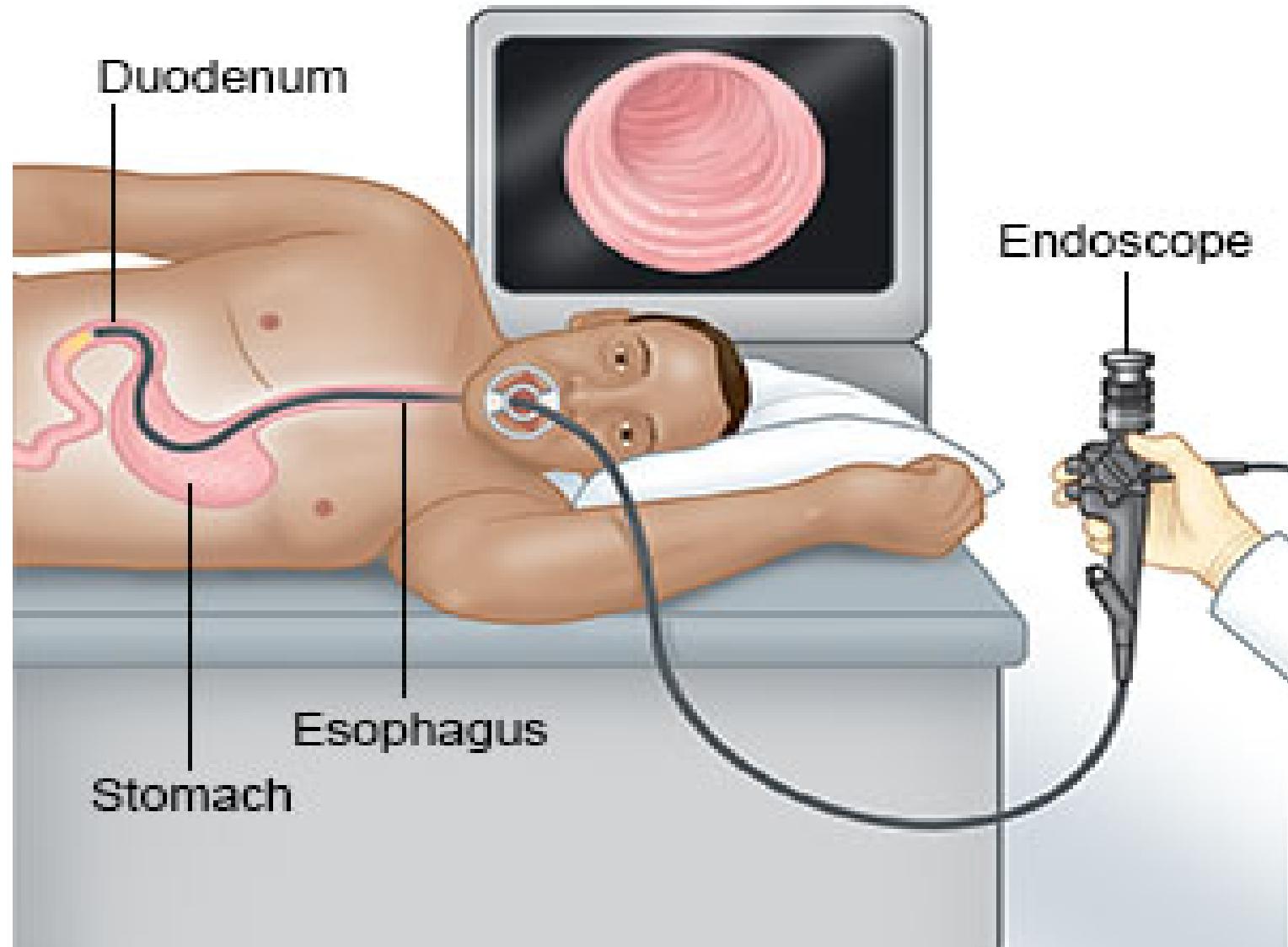
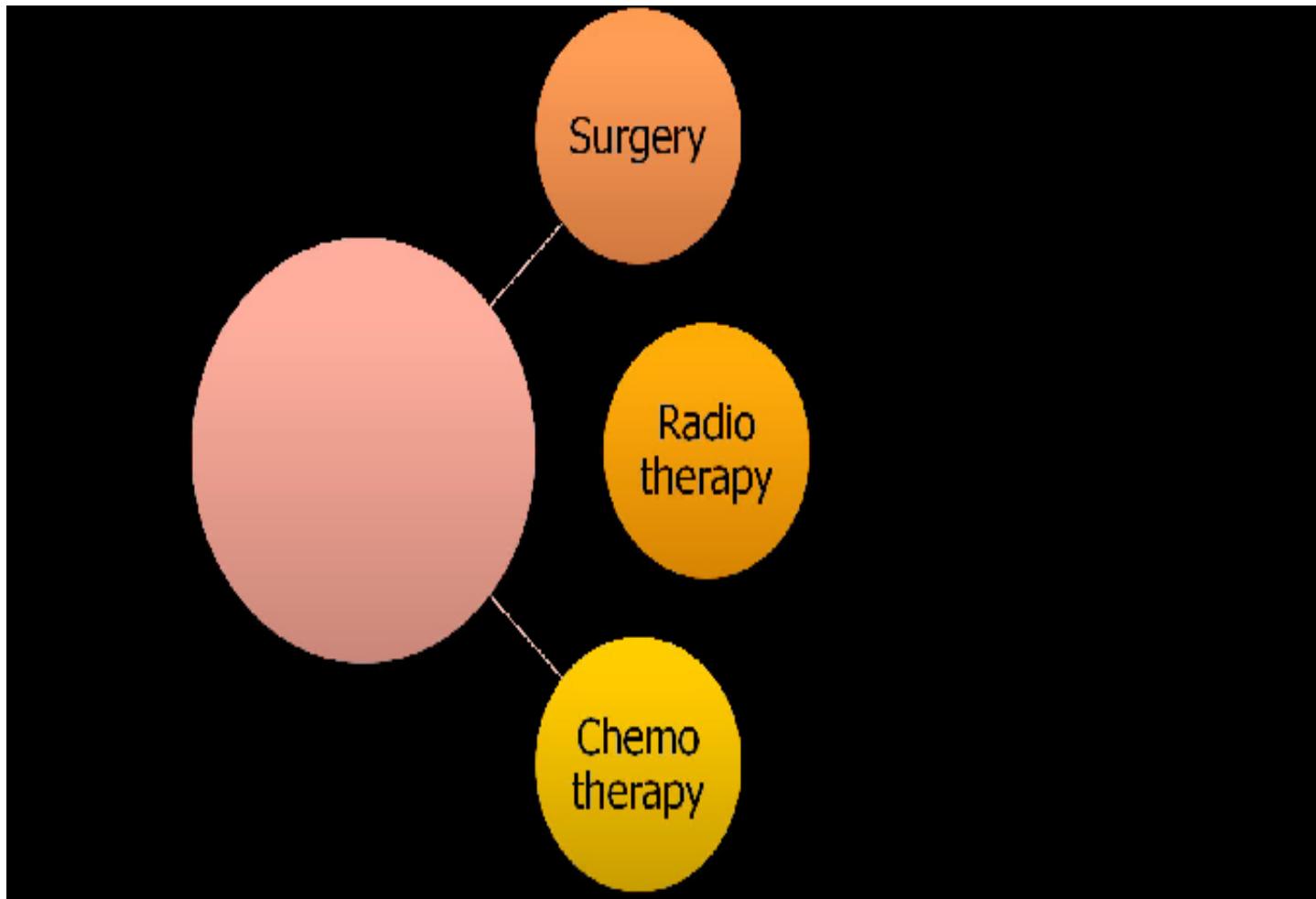


Fig. ViralKumar Patel MD

# Treatment Choices



# Surgery

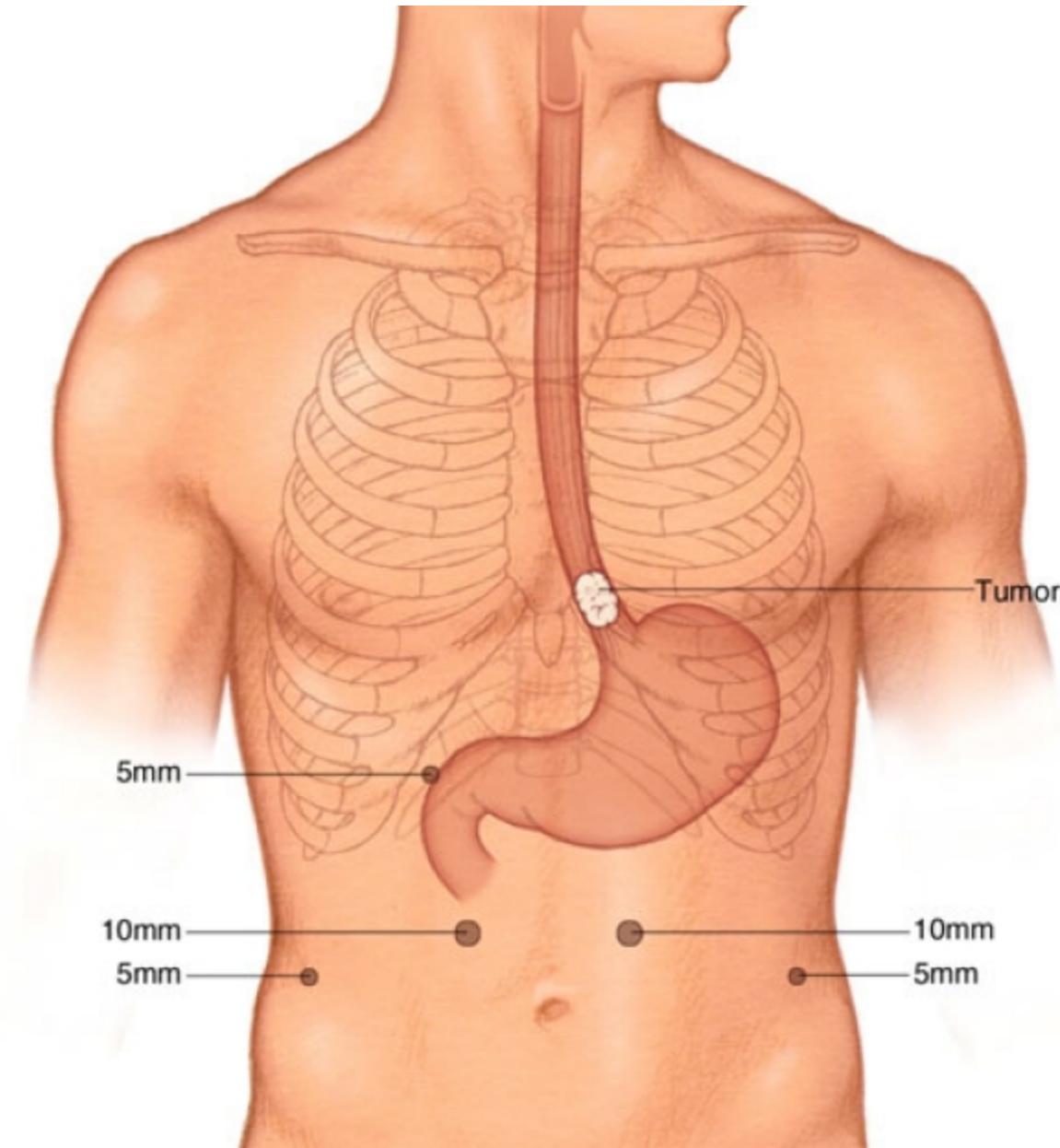


Fig. Stanford University

# Chemotherapy



Fig. TAMC



Fig. Gandhi Medicos

# Radiotherapy



Fig. National Cancer Institute

# Follow up

- Every 3-6 months for 1-2 years
  - Every 6-12 months for 3-5 years
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- Examination by Doctor, CT Scans