Dural AV Fistulas

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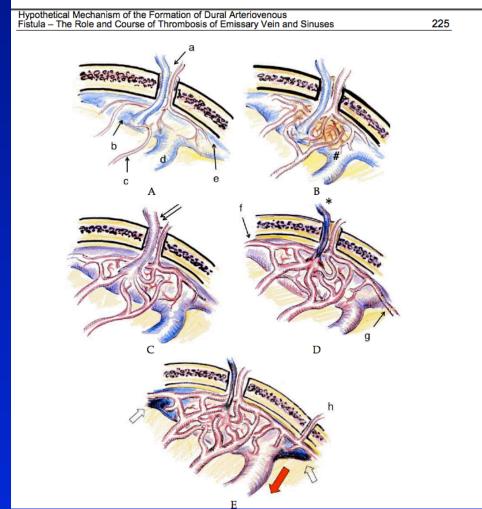
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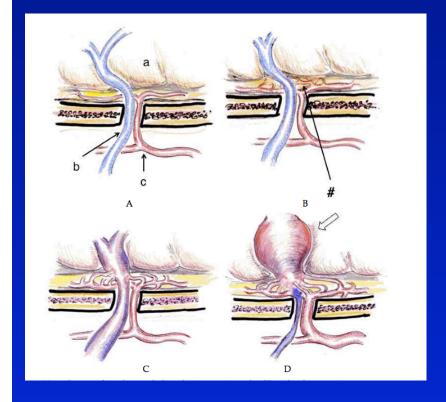
- Should it be Dural fistulas (Fistulae?)?
- Proper terminology maybe Dural Arteriovenous Fistulous Malformation (DAVFM) Borden et al
- Reflects the more complex nature of the disease where there is not a single hole fistula but a more complex weave of fistulous connections

Hypothetical Mechanism of the Formation of Dural Arteriovenous Fistula – The Role and Course of Thrombosis of Emissary Vein and Sinuses

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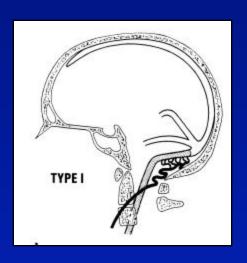


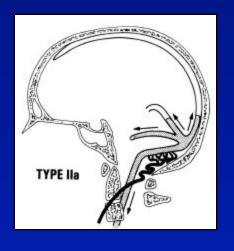


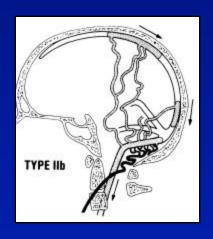


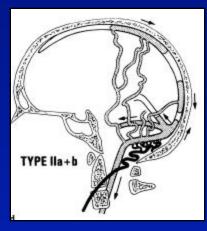


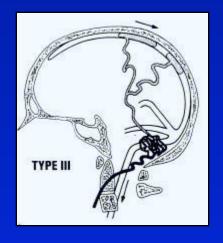
Cognard Classification

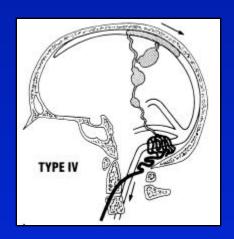


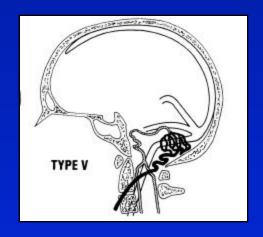


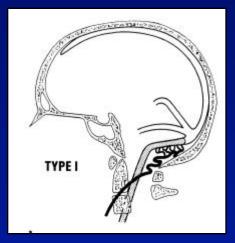


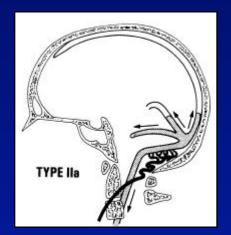




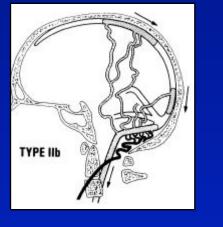


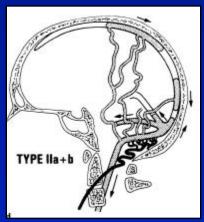






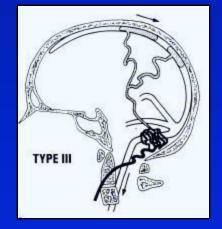
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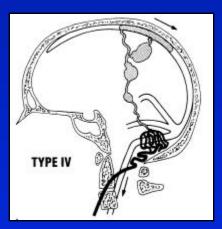


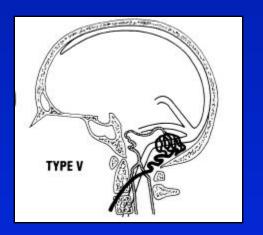


Borden 2

Borden 1







Borden 3

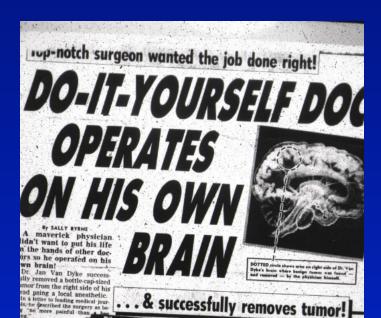
Clinical- Generalities

- Lesions related to large dural sinuses are less likely to bleed than those with restricted flow
- Leptomeningeal drainage, varices, galenic drainage are more dangerous situations

Historical Treatments

- Surgical
- Endovascular
 - Polyvinyl alcohol PVA
 - N butyl-cyanoacrylate NBCA (glue)
 - Coils Coated or platinum
 - Stents
- Arterial versus venous approach

Onyx



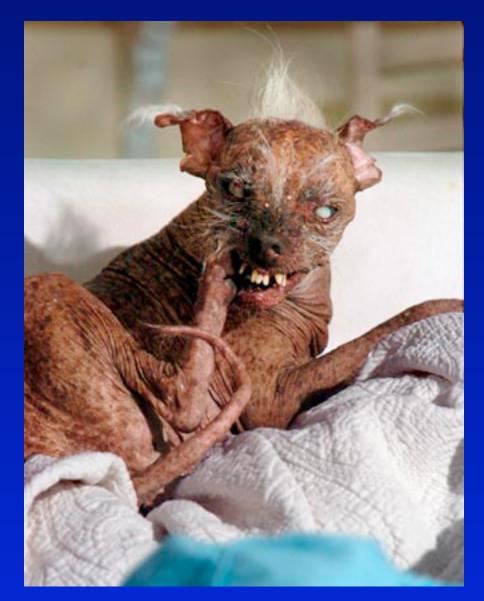
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Soldier shocked when he learns

Rebel tank he blew up was his big brother's

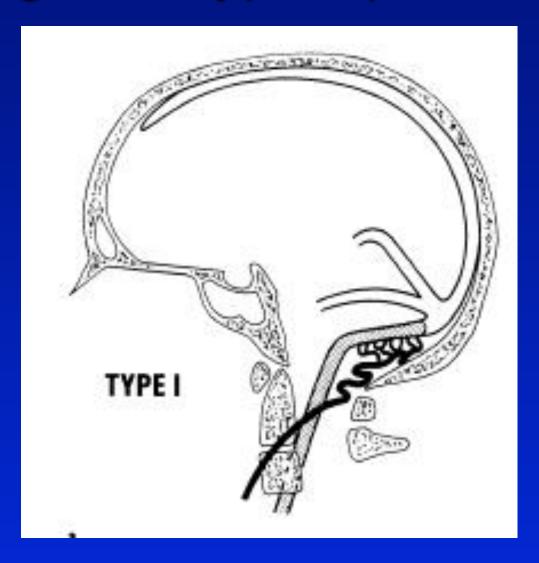


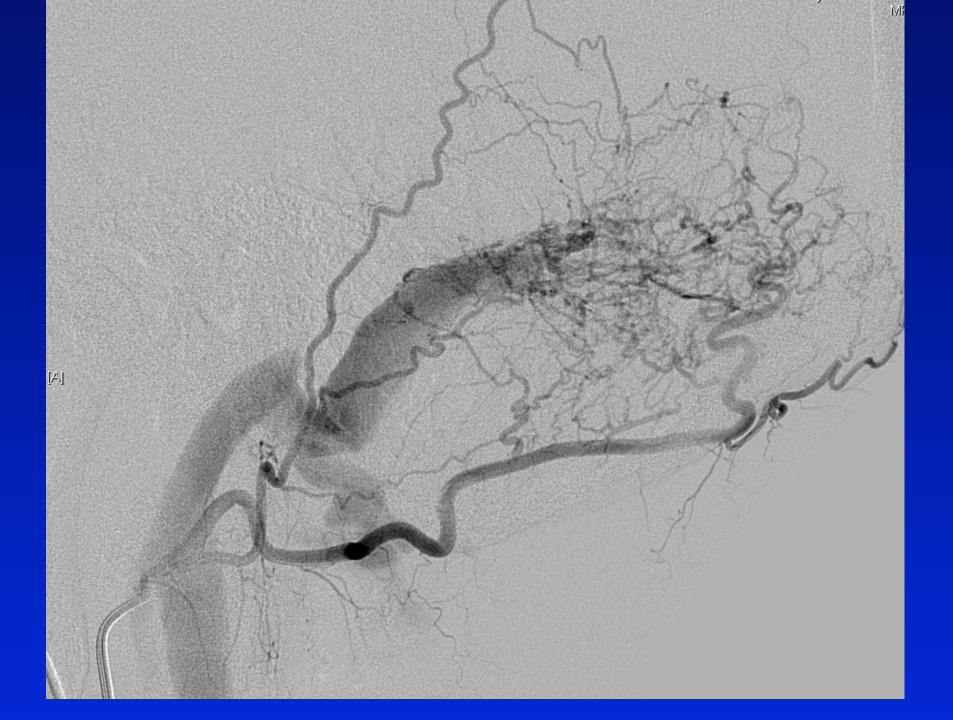
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Cognard Type I (Borden I)





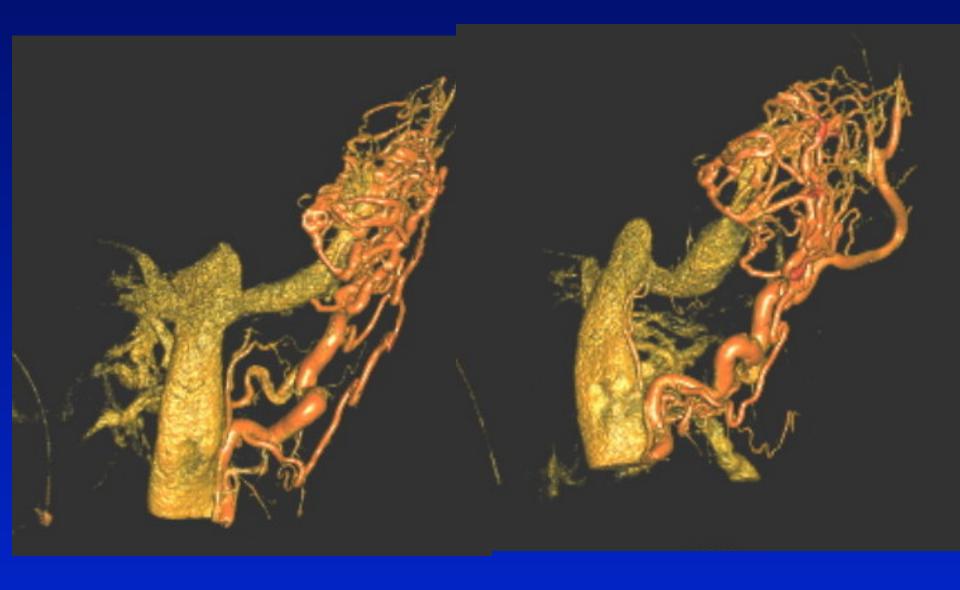
Type I Presentation

- Type I considered non-aggressive present with bruit, pulsatile tinnitus and sometimes increased ICP
- Treatment based on symptoms as these can alter lifestyle

Type I Combination Approach

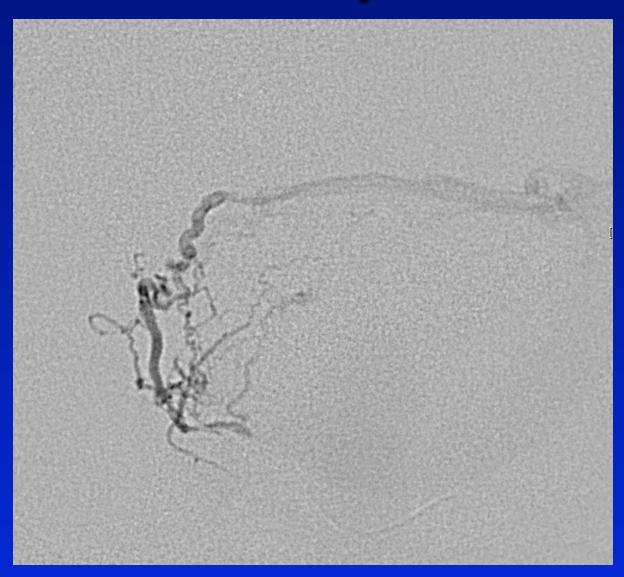
 One of the more common appearances and treatments is illustrated in this case



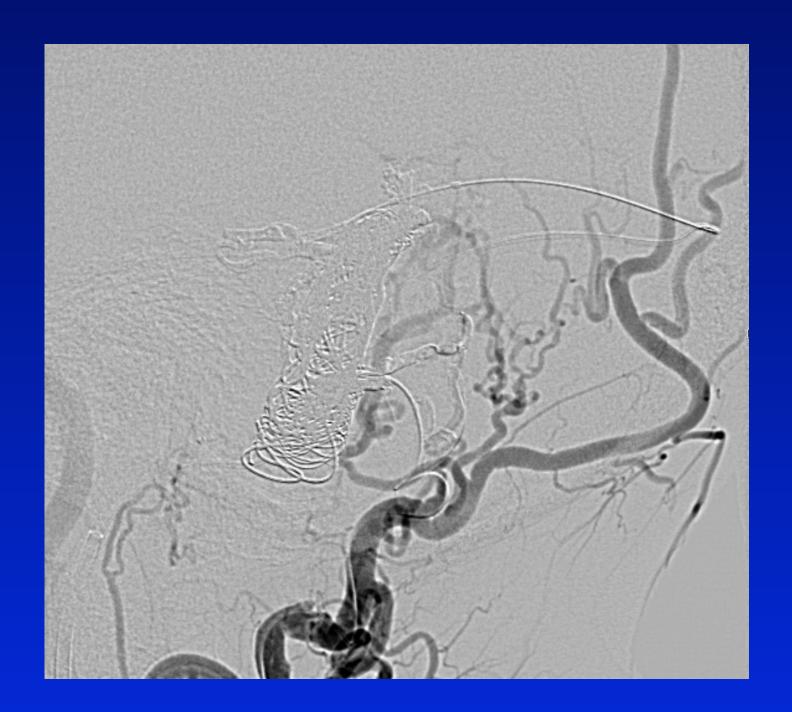


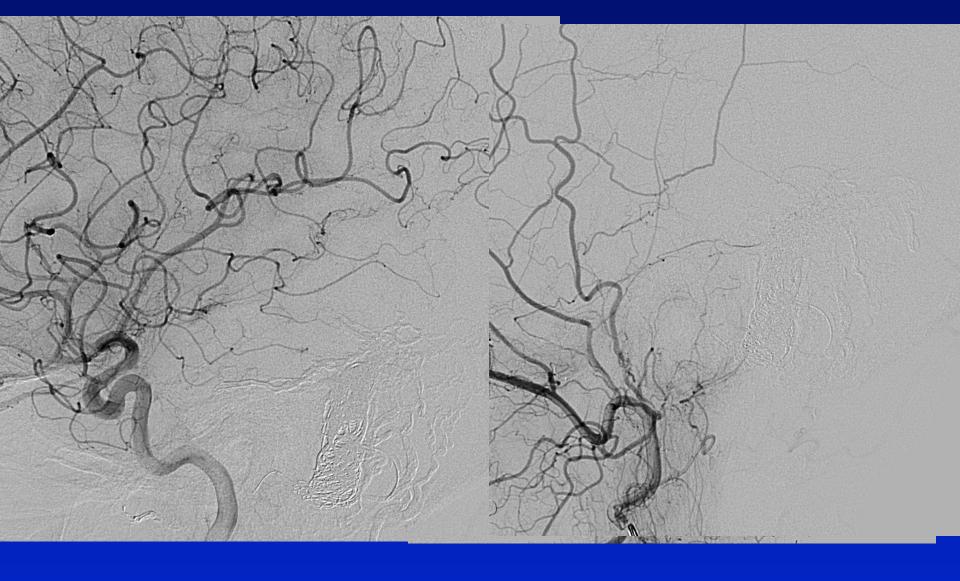


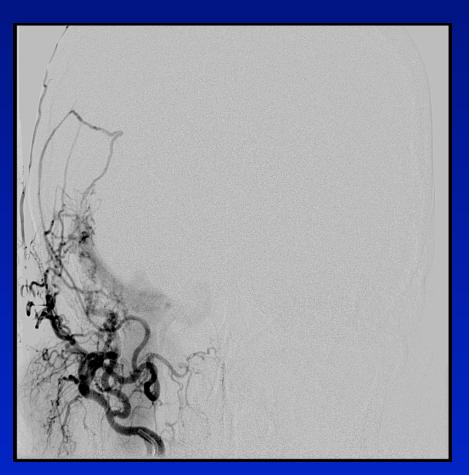
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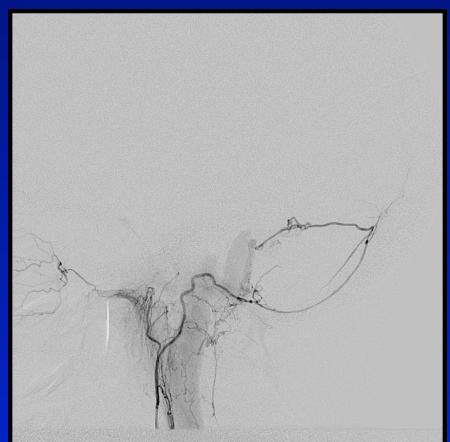


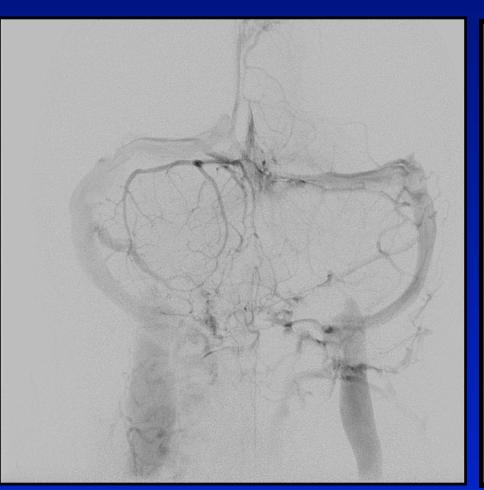




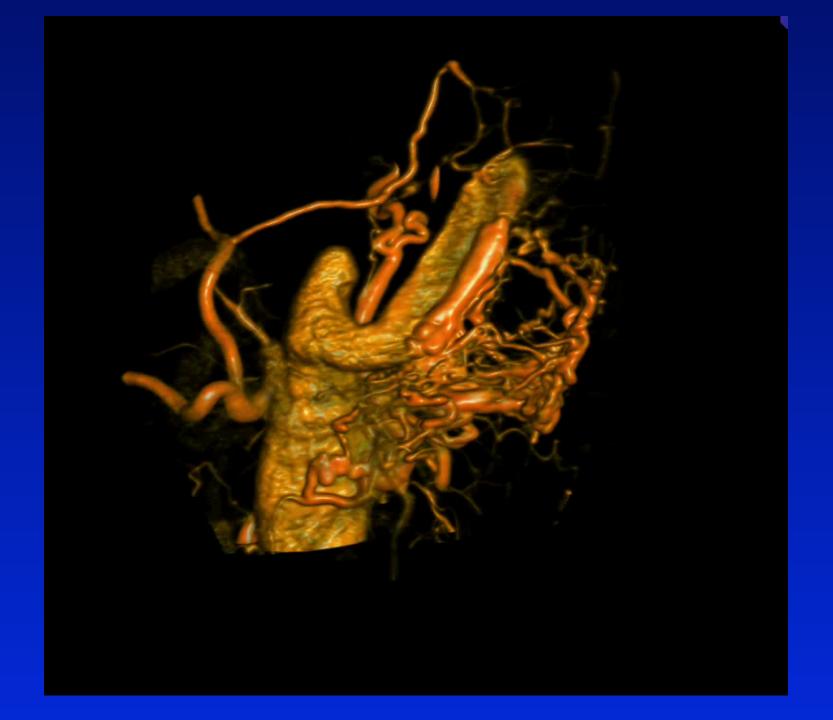


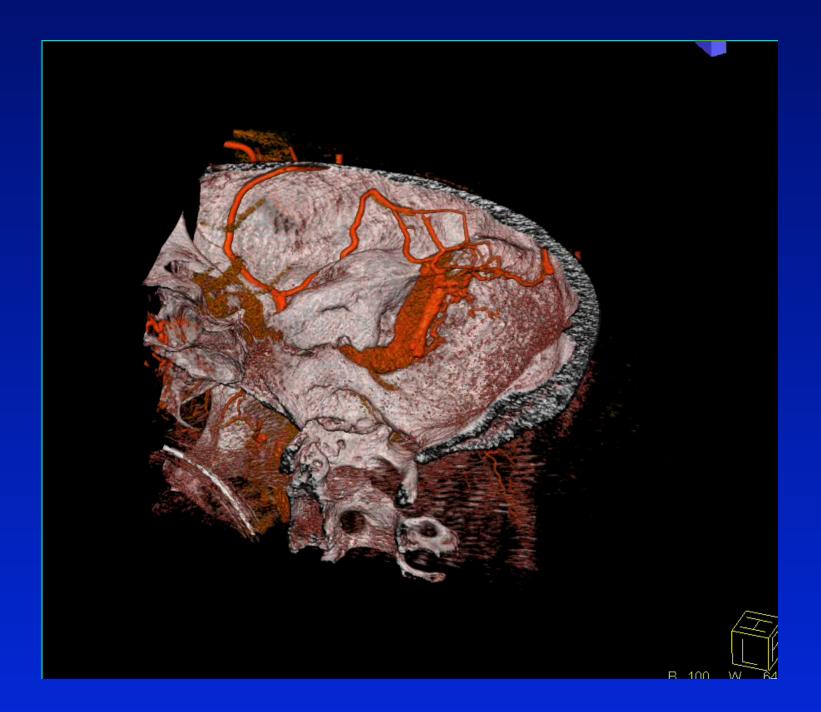


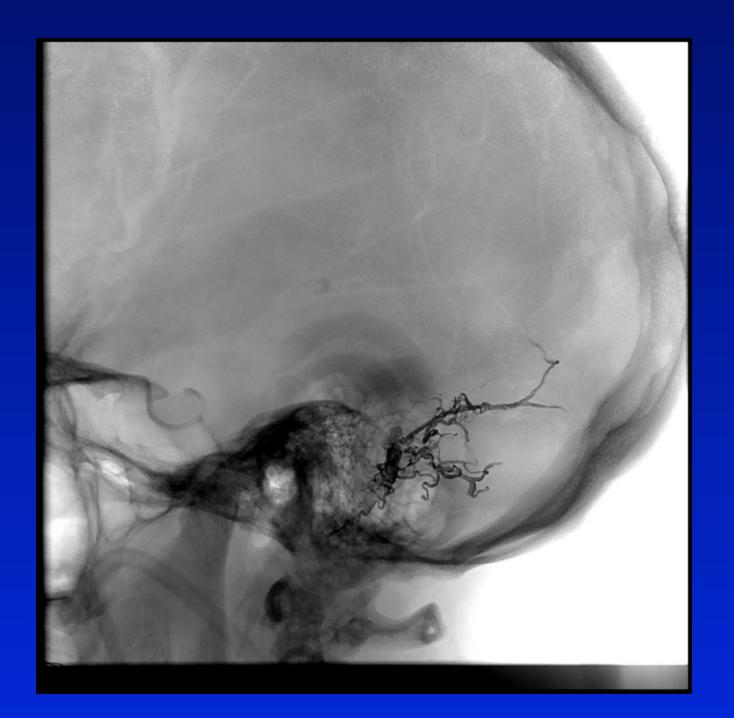




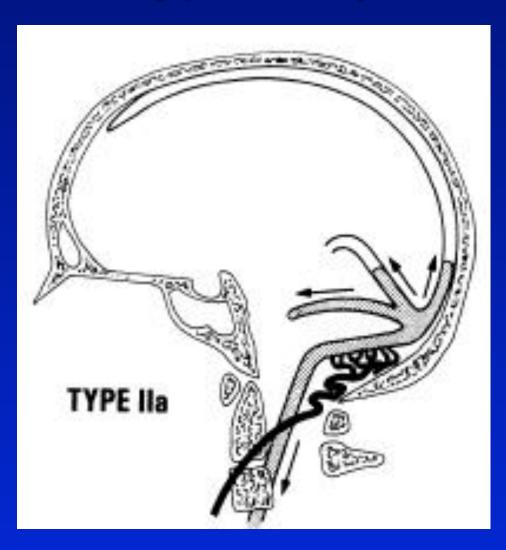








Cognard Type IIa (Borden I)



Type II Presentation

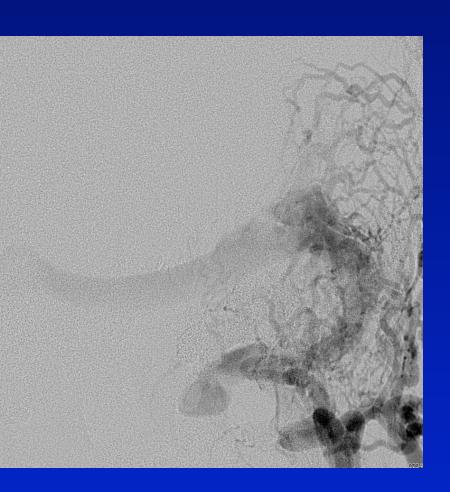
- Type IIa similar to Type I, considered non aggressive but can have HA's, papilledema
- However IIb, IIa+b have higher risk due to cortical venous involvement
 - Intracranial hypertension (do not shunt!)
 - Hemorrhage, more aggressive neurologic symptoms

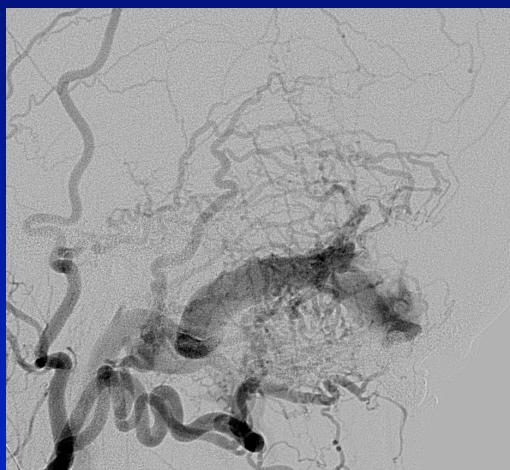
Combination of Covered Stents, Coils, Onyx

- Middle aged male with audible bruit
- Noise is so bad he cannot sleep

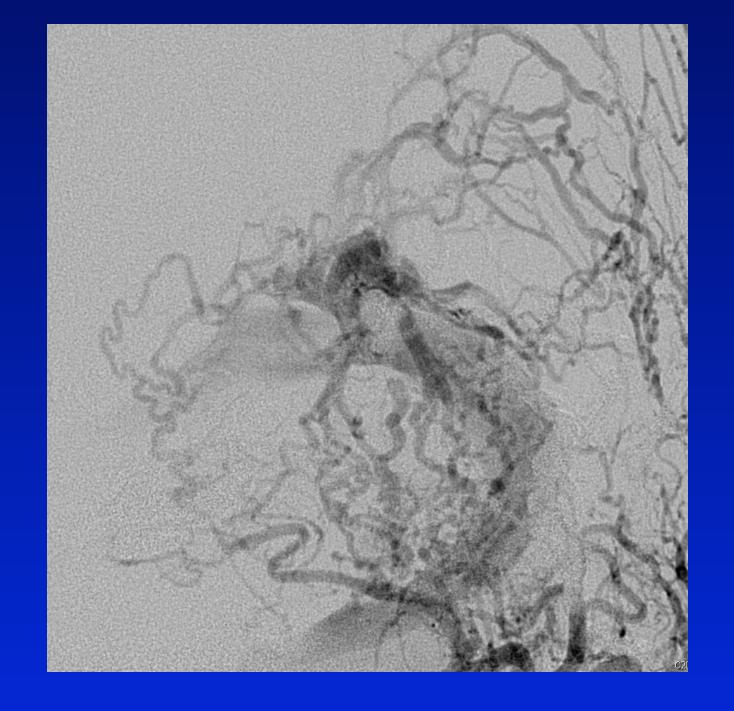


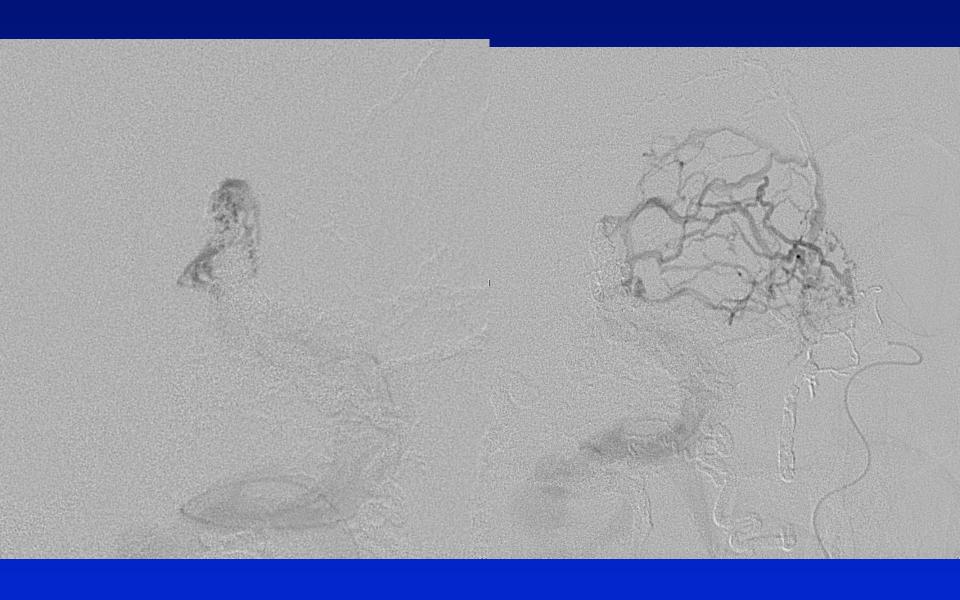


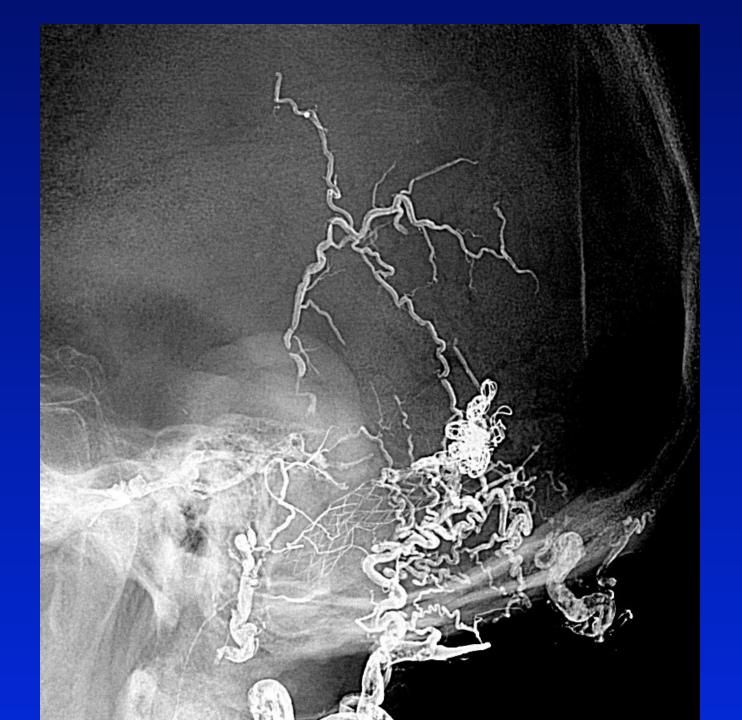


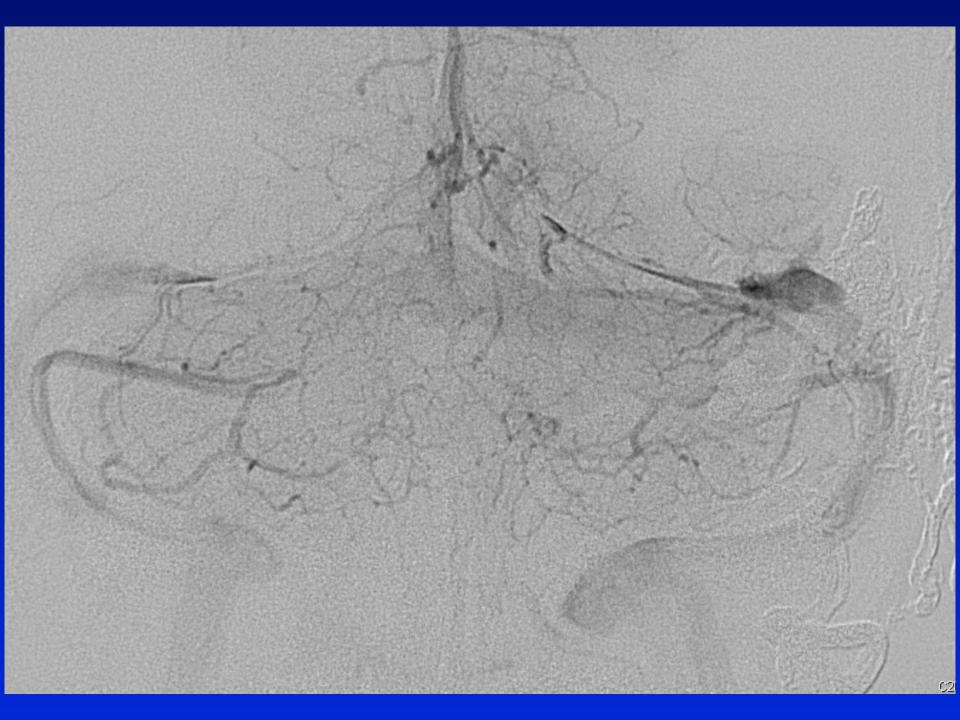






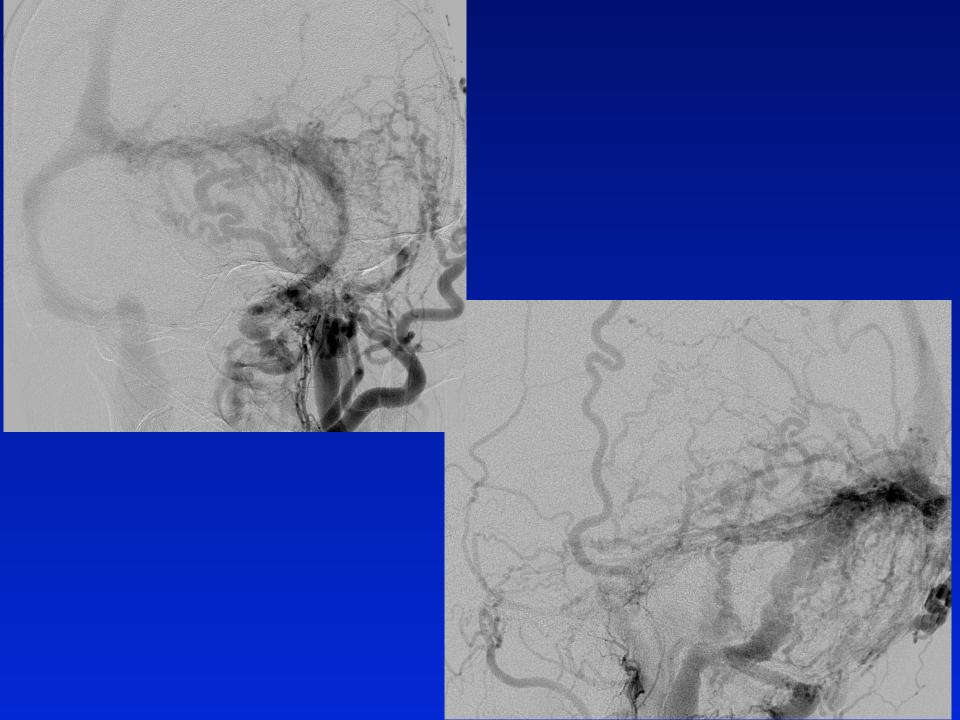


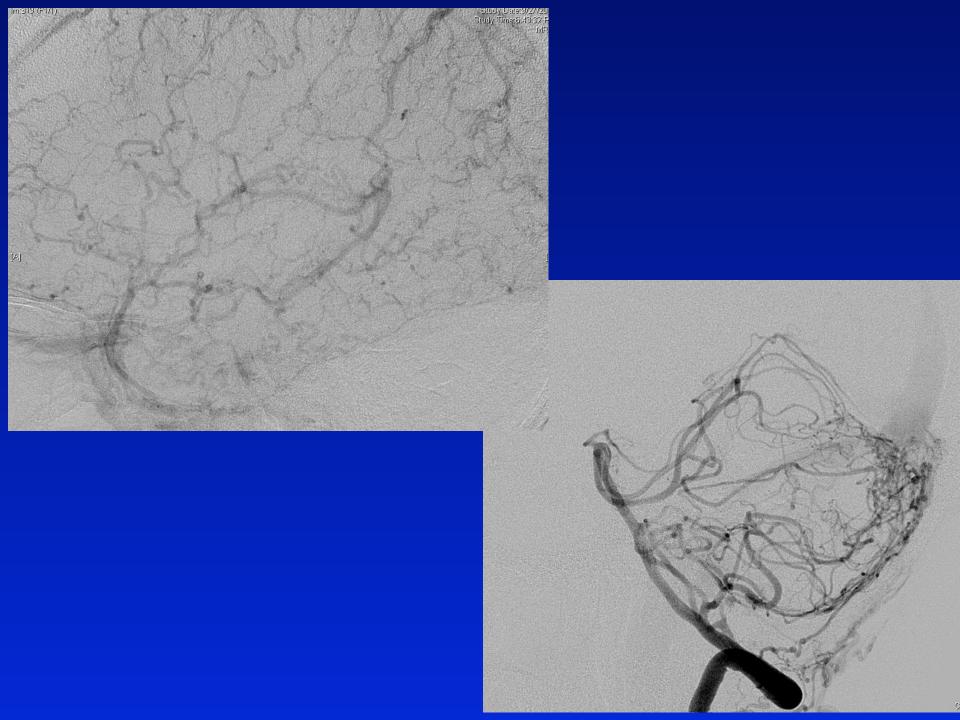


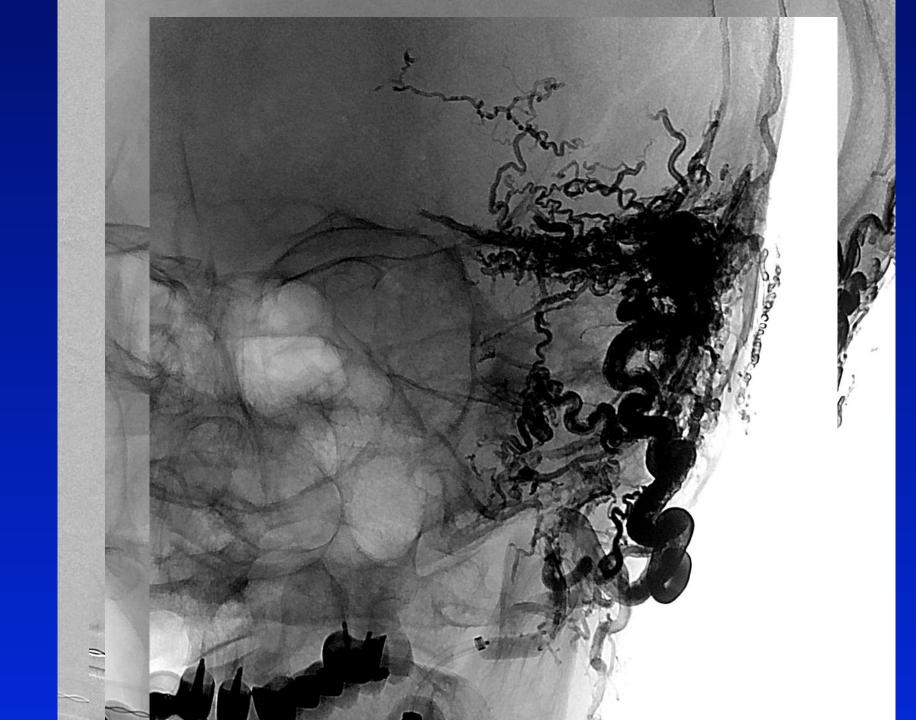


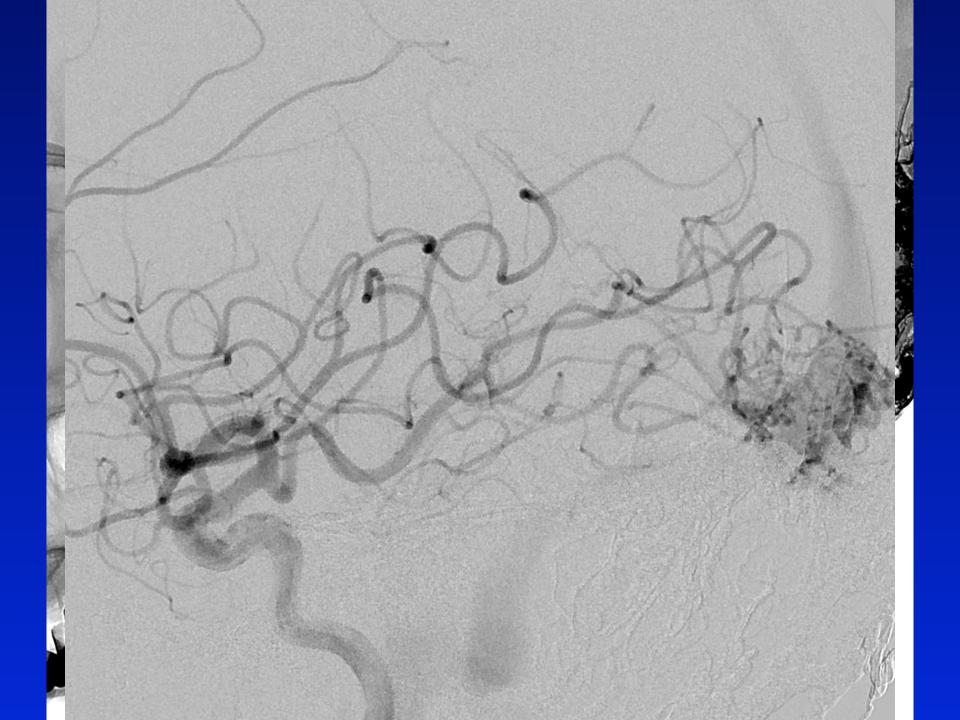
Type 2a Recent case using Scepter XC Balloon





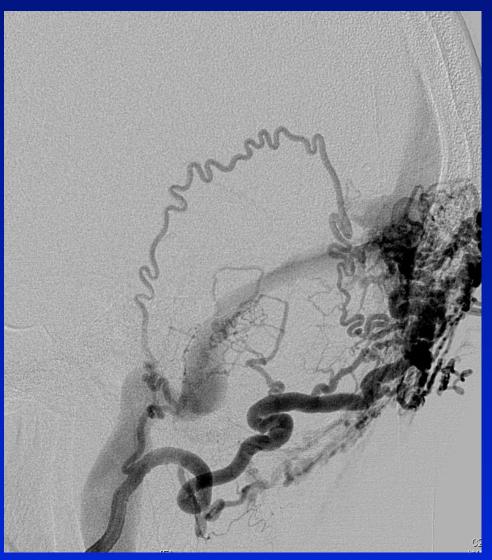




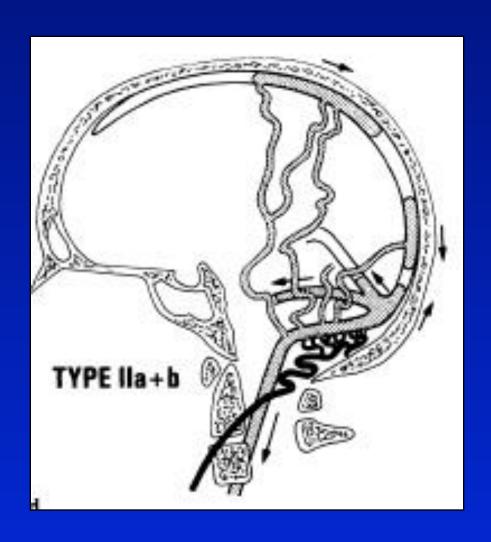


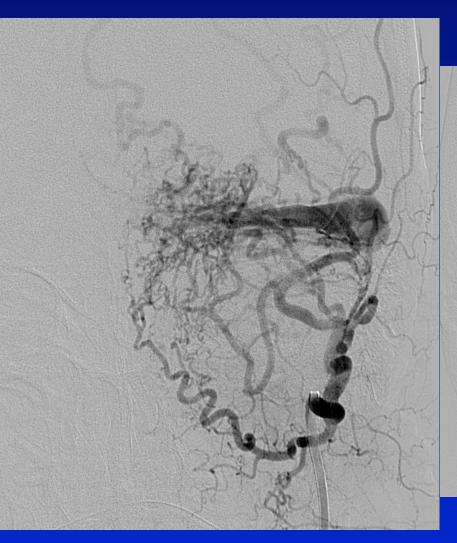
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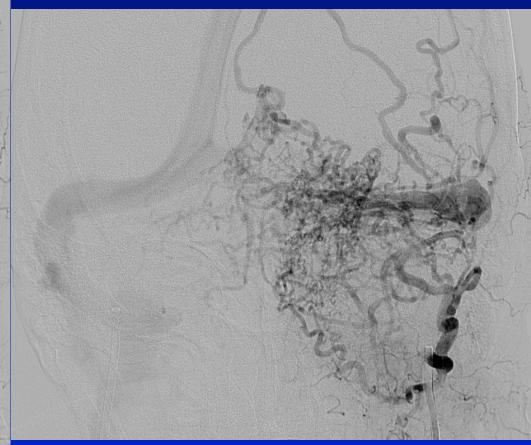


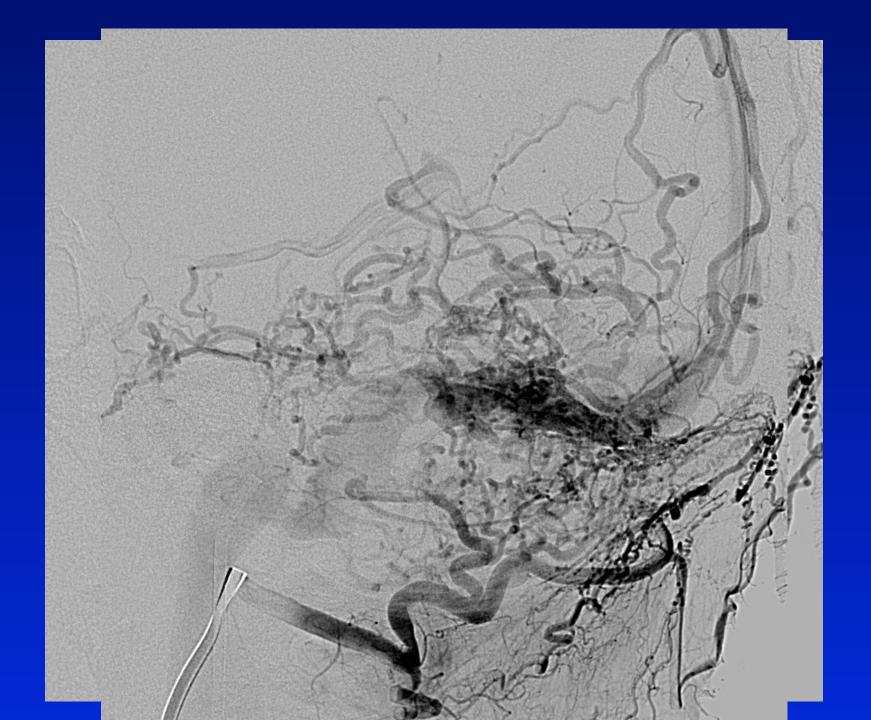


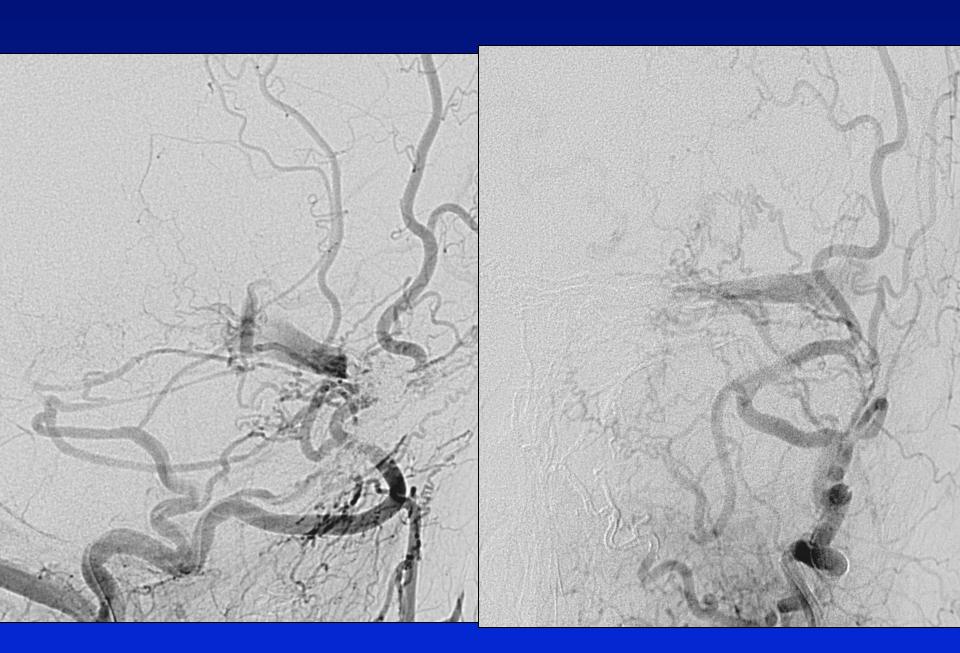
Cognard Type II b (Borden II)





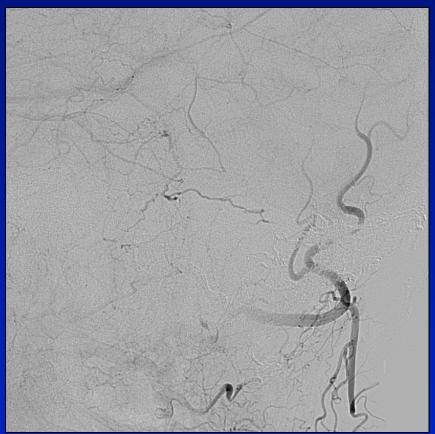




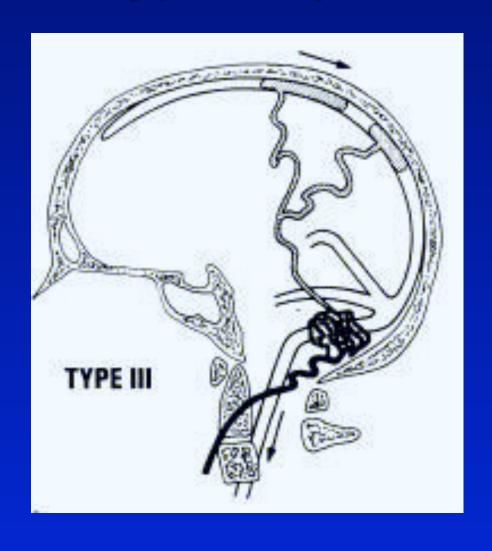








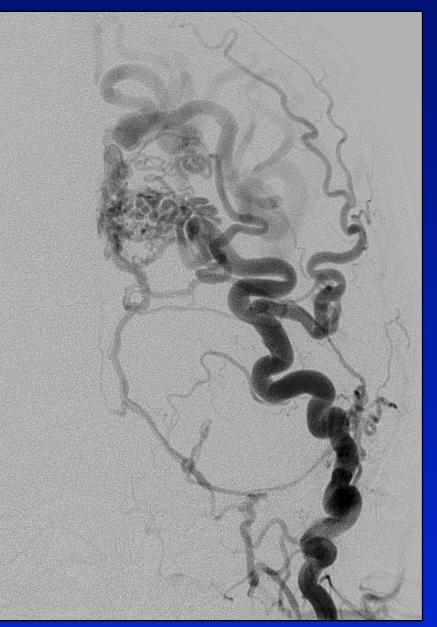
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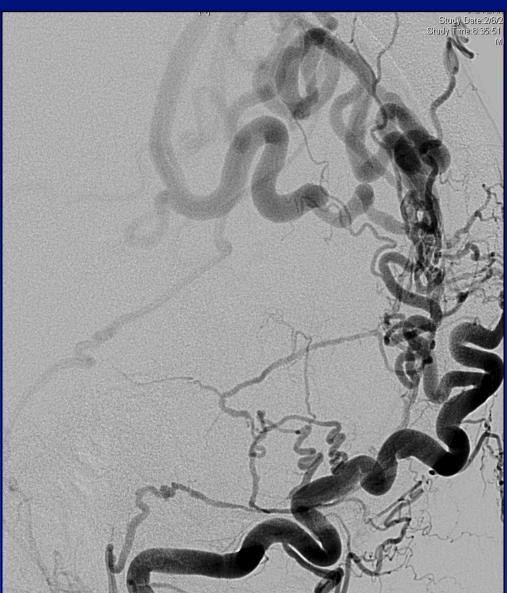


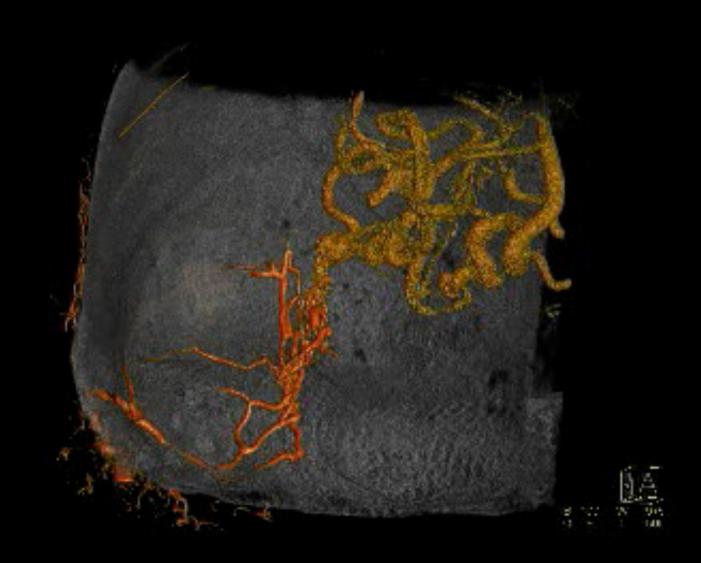
Type III and IV Presentation

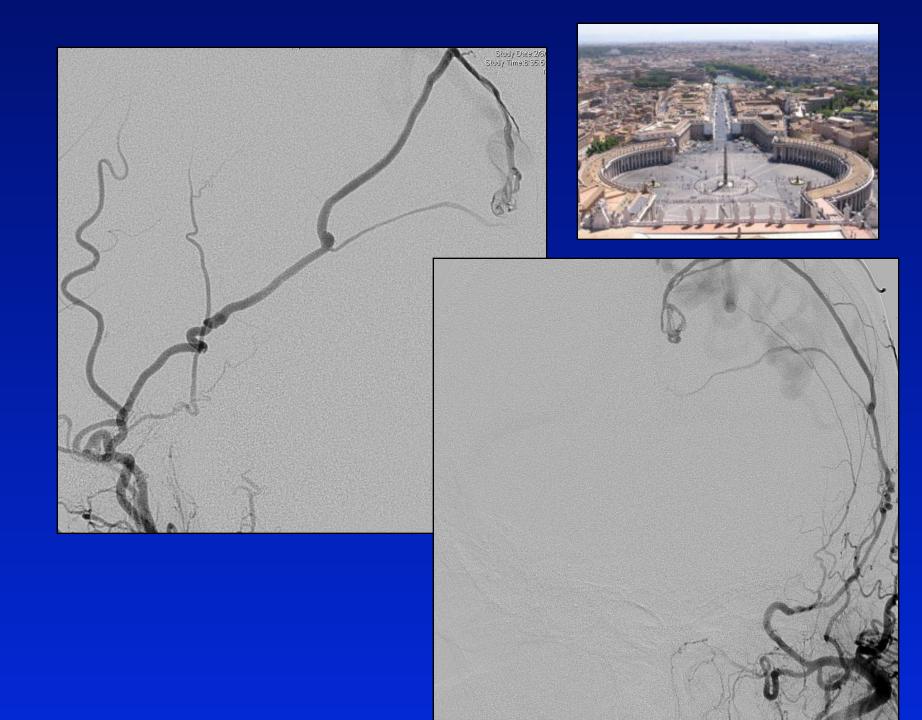
- Hemorrhage in 40% Type III, 65% in Type IV
- Must cure completely because subtotal produces risk for hemorrhage
 - Cases where pt died soon after embolization



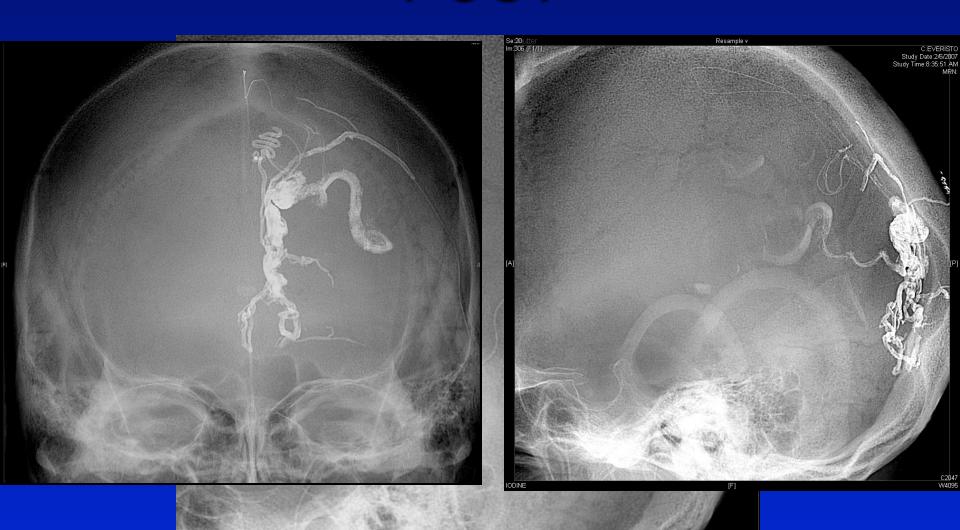




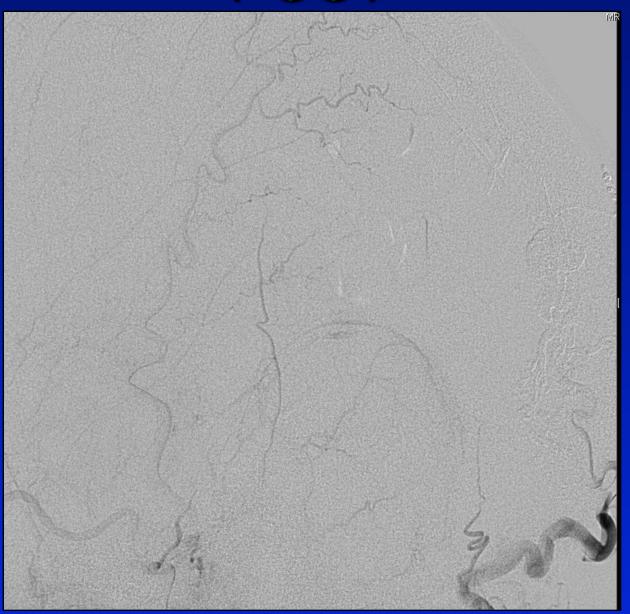




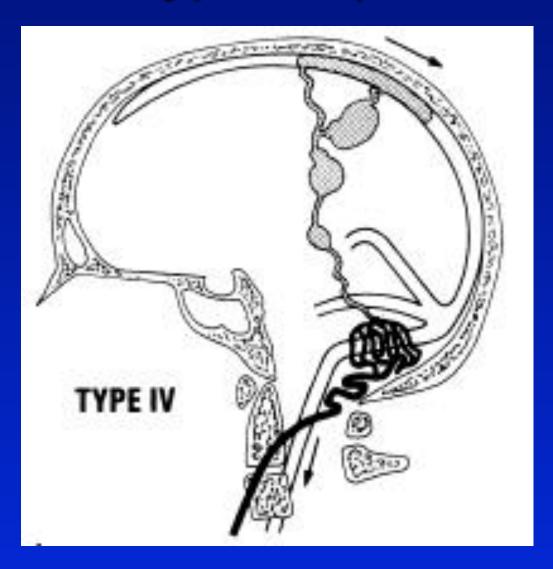
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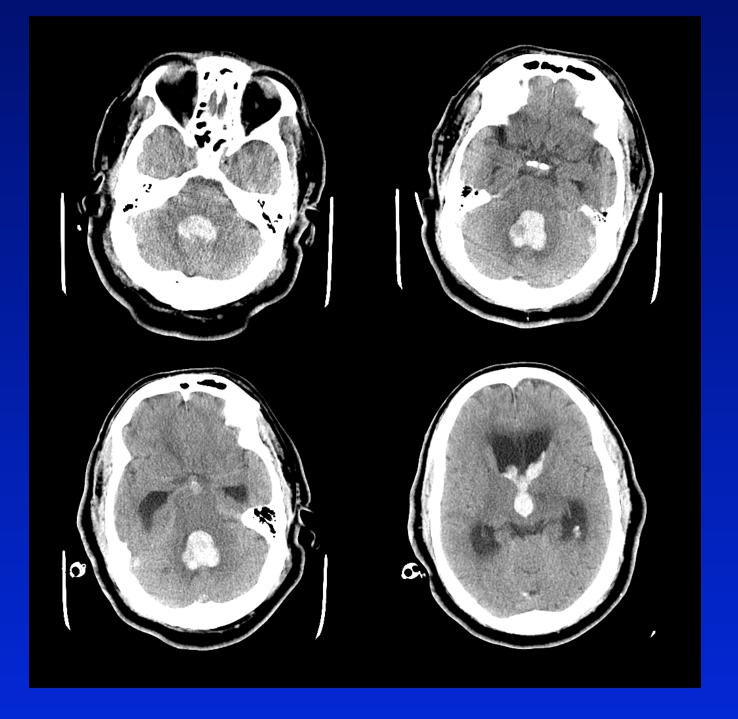


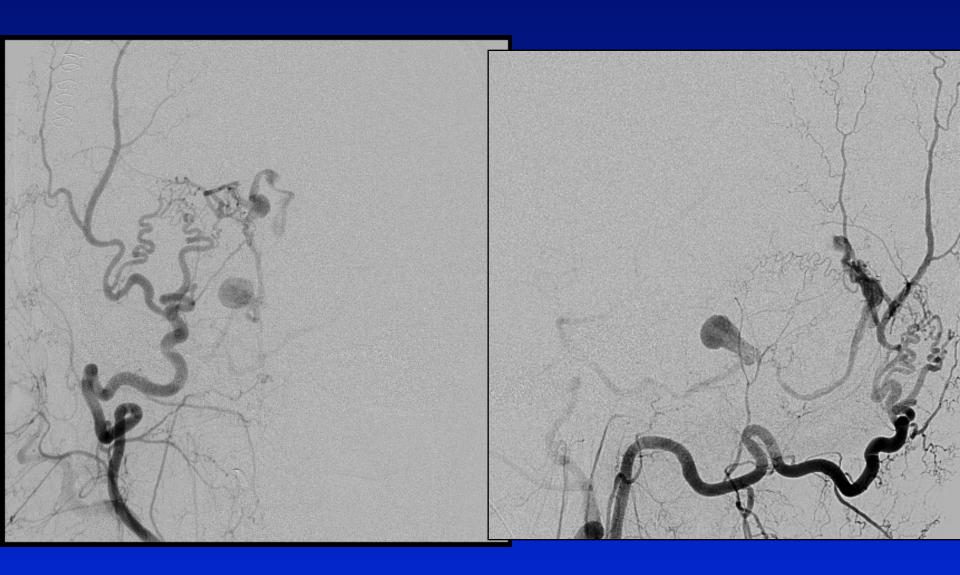
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Cognard Type IV (Borden III)



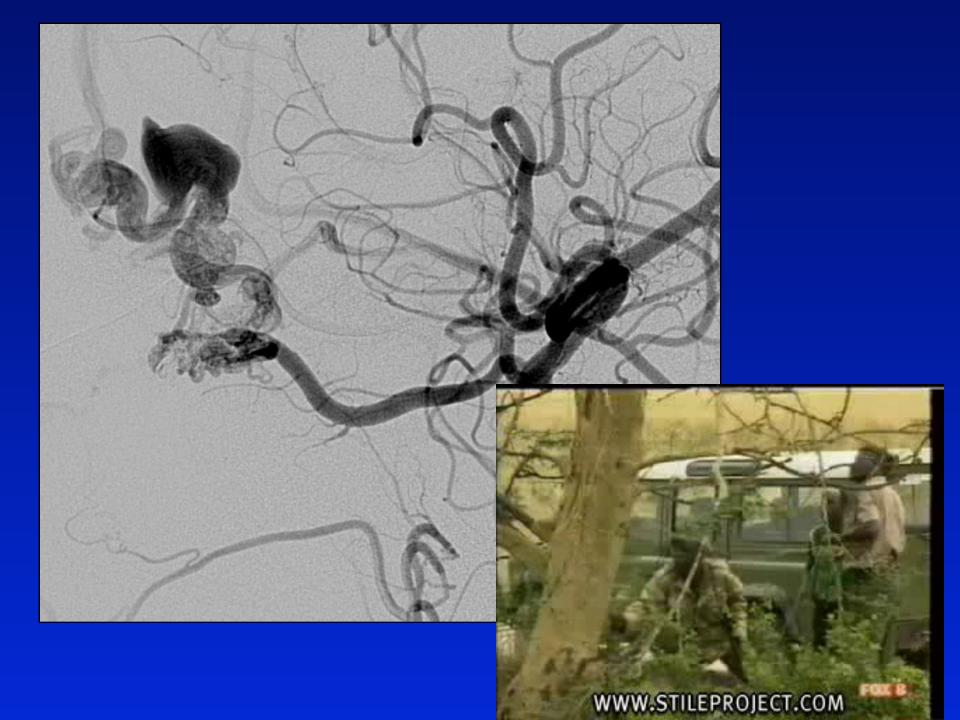




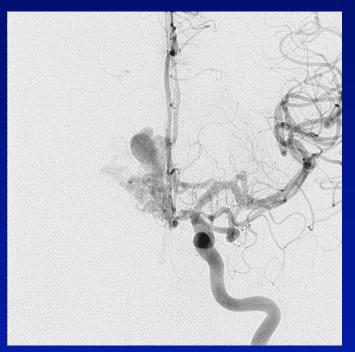


Lesion we would never have touched with glue

 Pt has proptosis, headaches, feels pressure sensation over sinuses













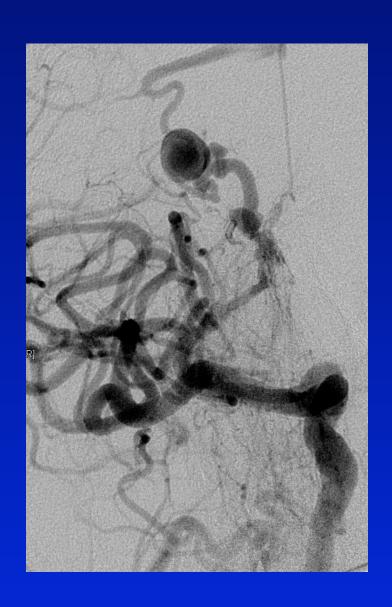
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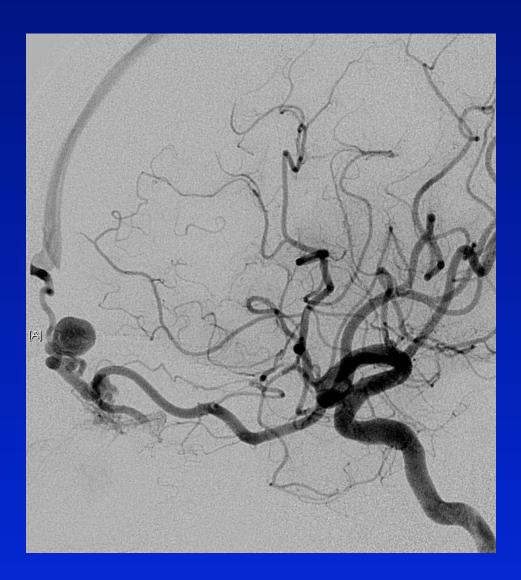
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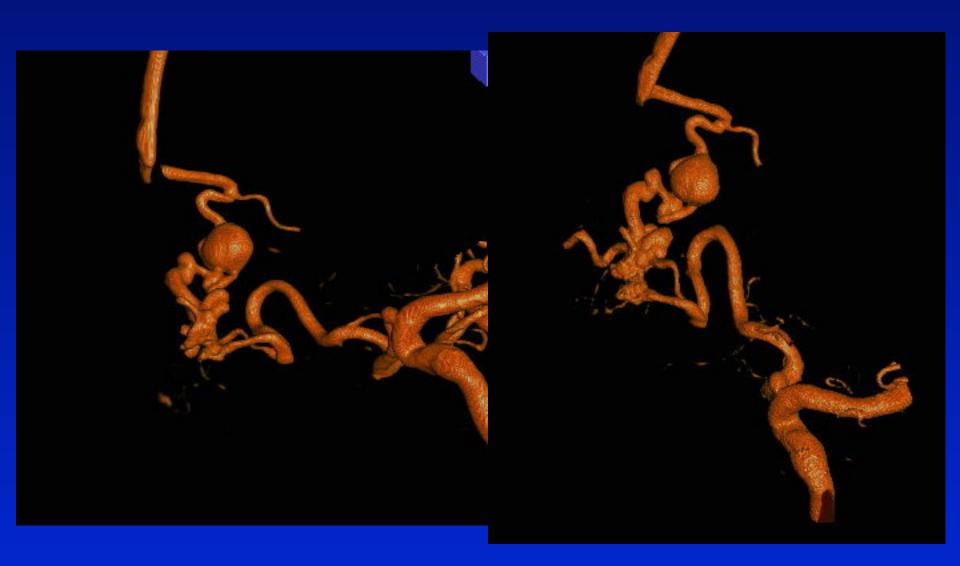


Similar case but several years later

Done 2 weeks ago

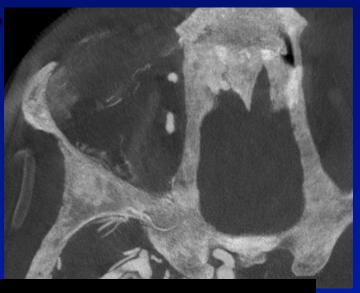


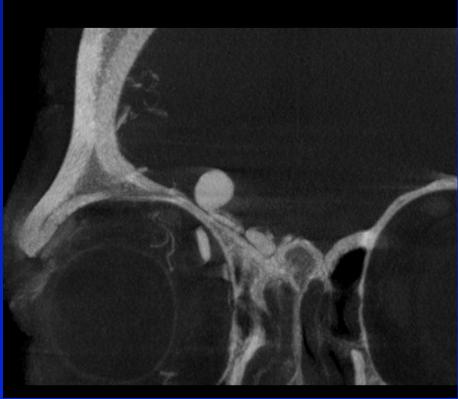


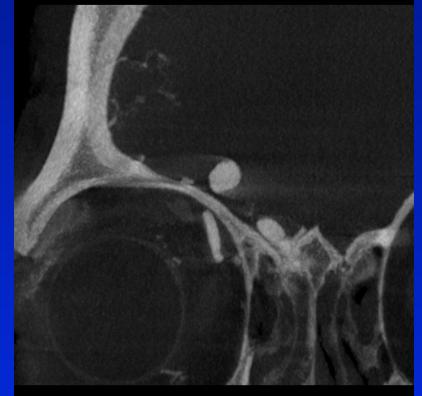


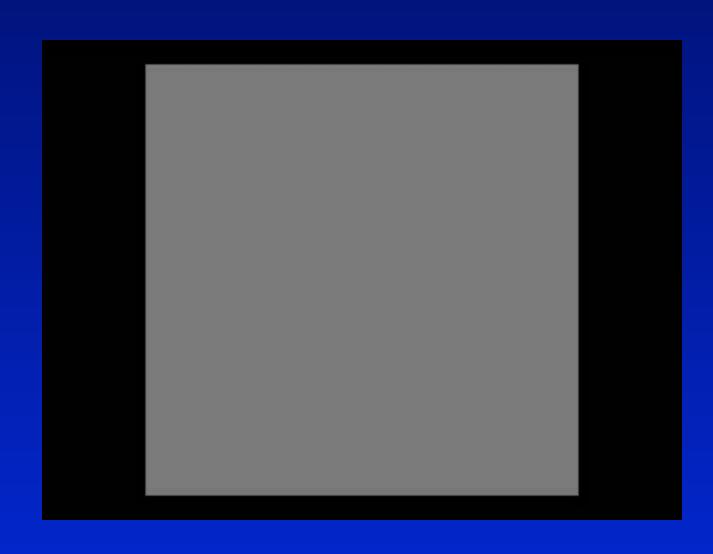


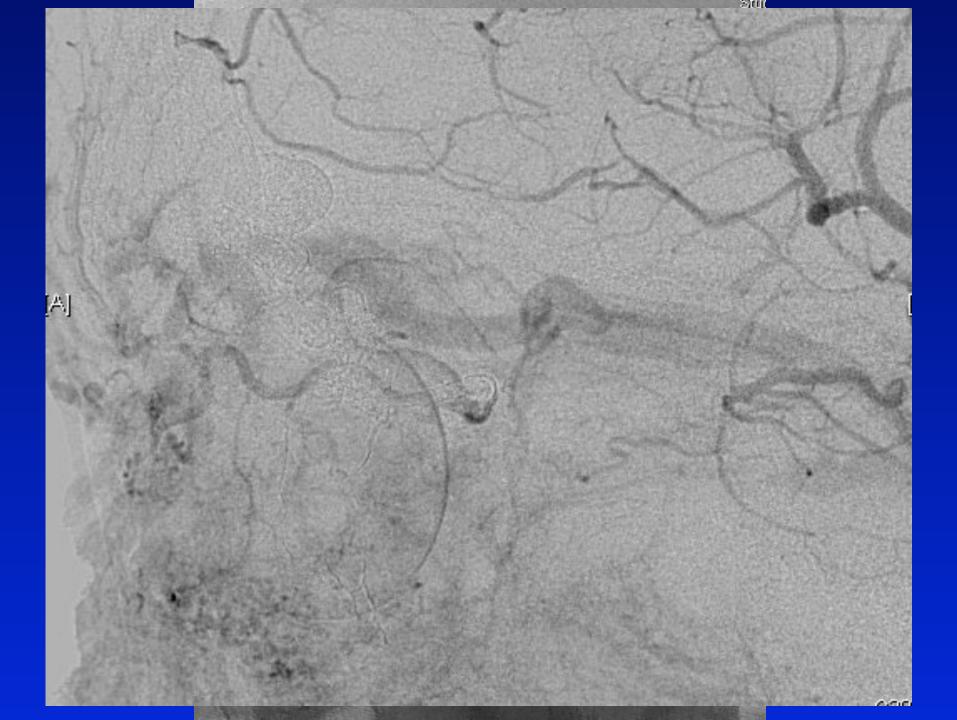
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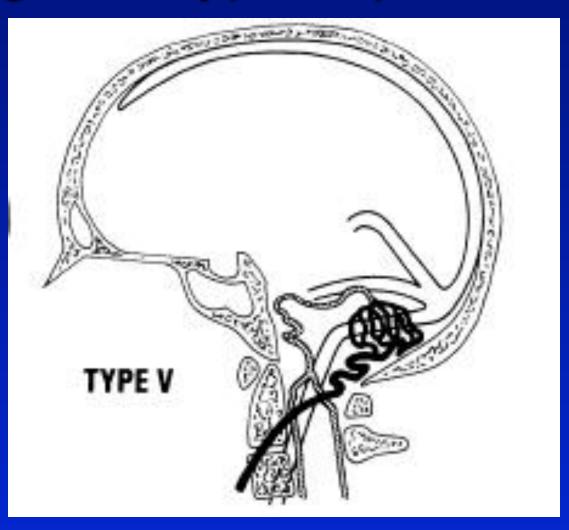








Cognard Type V (Borden III)

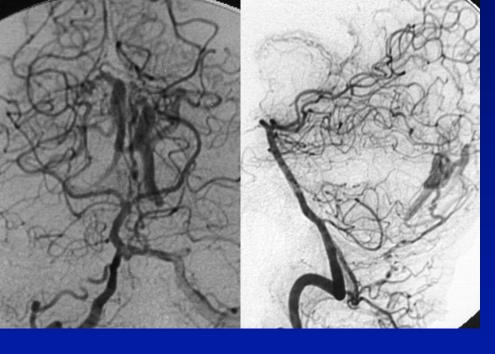


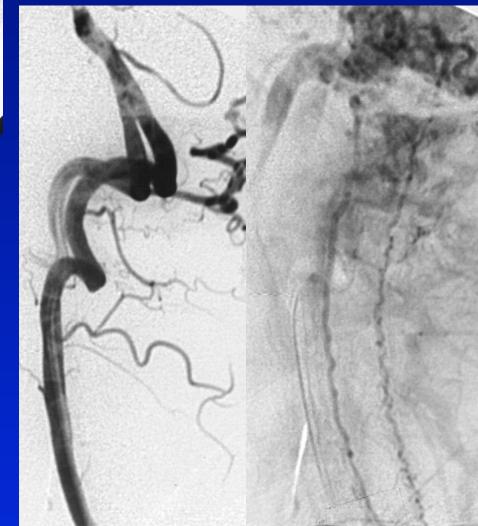
Type V Presentation

- Unique due to drainage into spinal veins
- Can produce spinal cord venous hypertension, myelopathy with slow flow spinal perimedullary venous drainage

Male 79 y/o 2 years progressive dysestesias in hands and feet





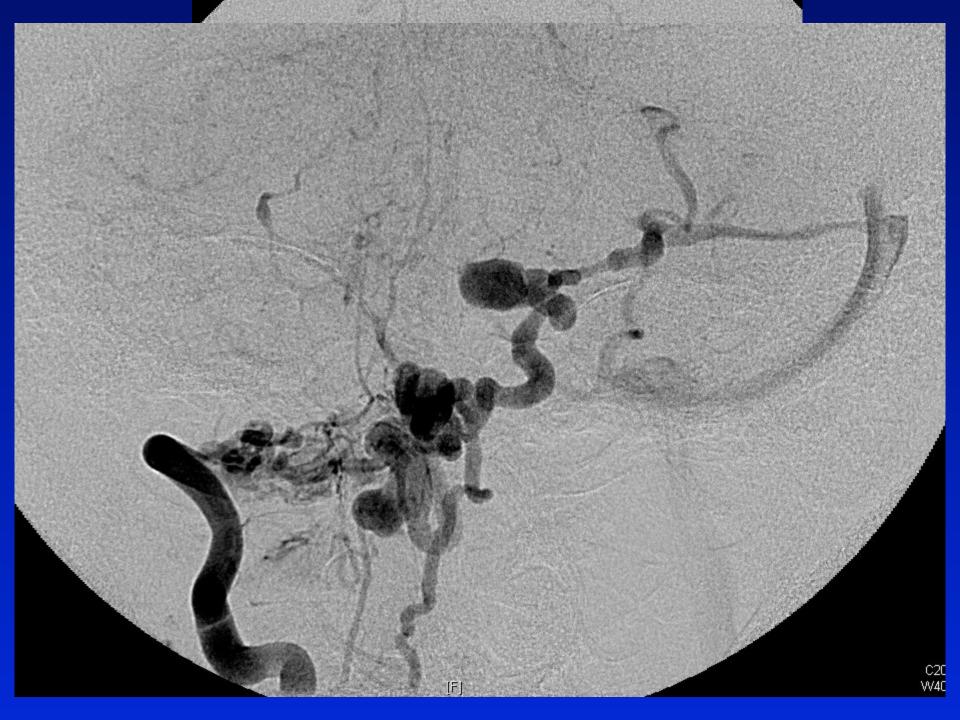


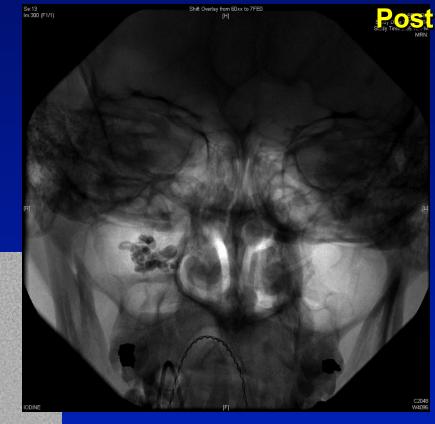
Illustrative case of how Onyx is better than glue

- Pt bled into posterior fossa and evaluated at another institution.
- When stabilized transferred to Houston
- Grade III-IV
- Following treatment returned to the other hospital for rehab

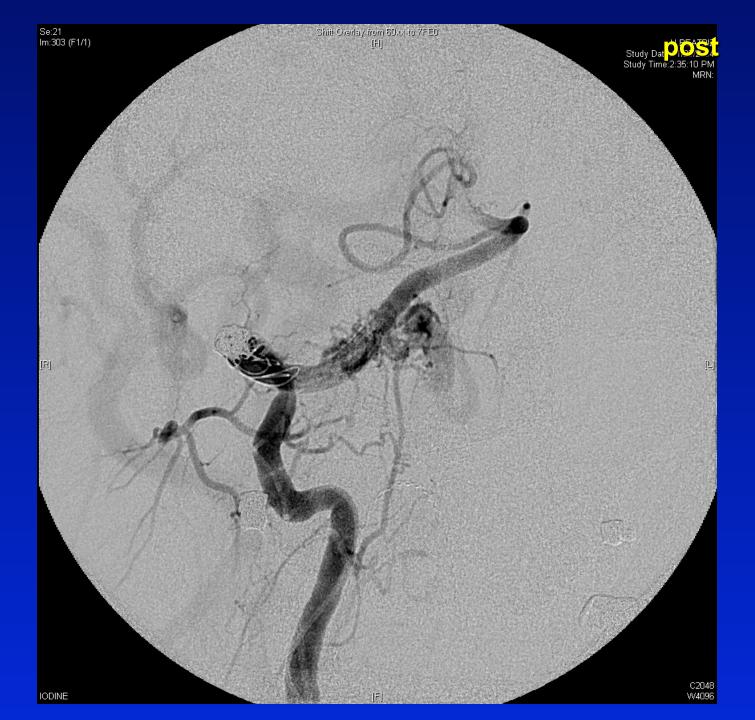






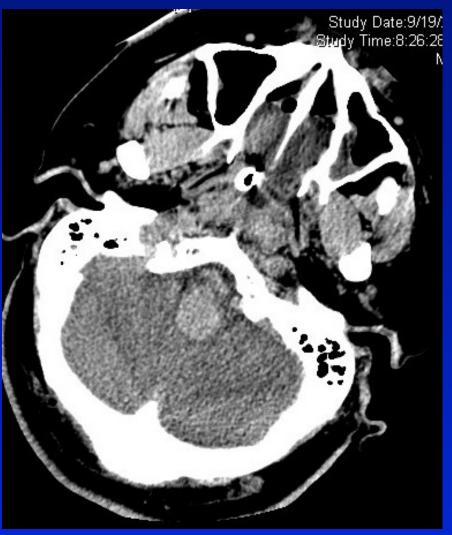




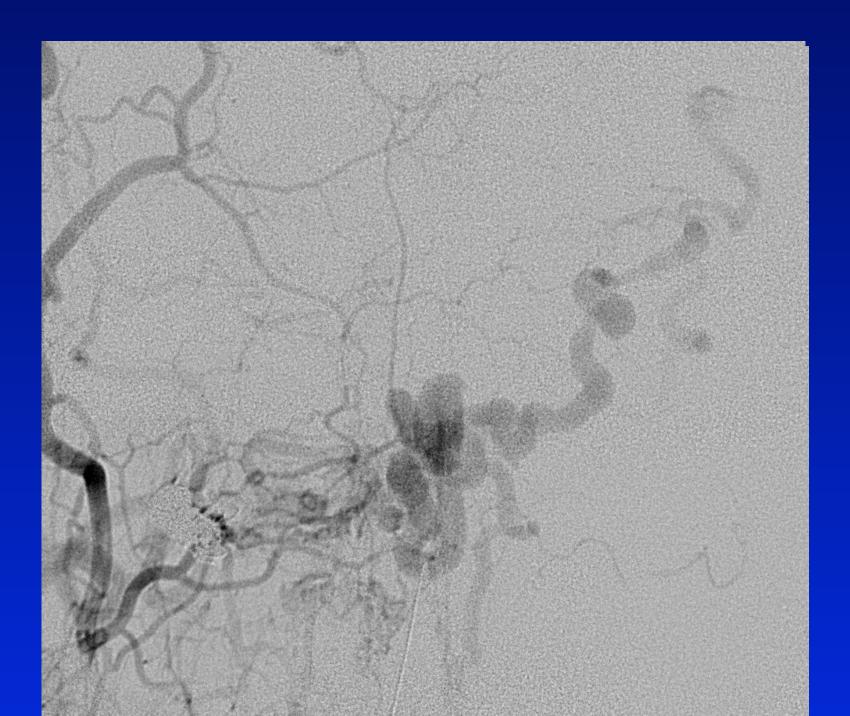


10 months later

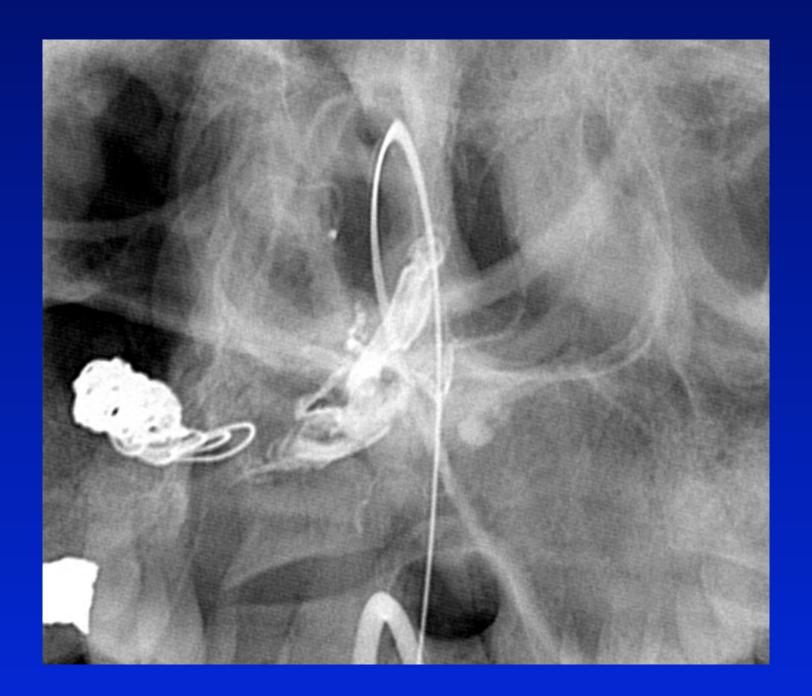


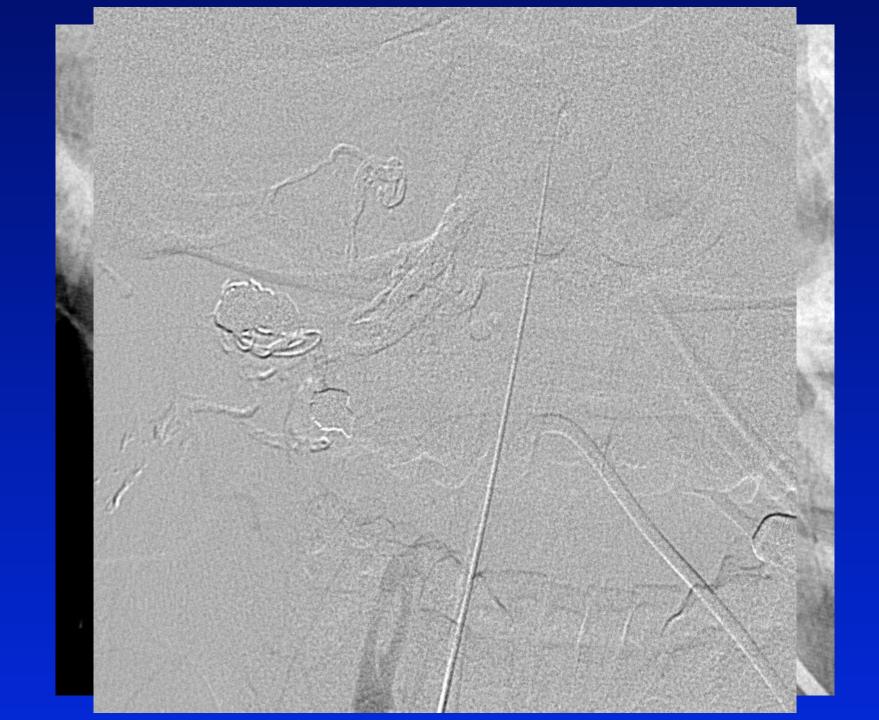












Summary

- Onyx is the best material for treatment of AVF's
- Type I-IIa are some of most difficult and may need combined approach
- We have had great success with Types IIb to V just using Onyx alone



Thank You for Attention



The end

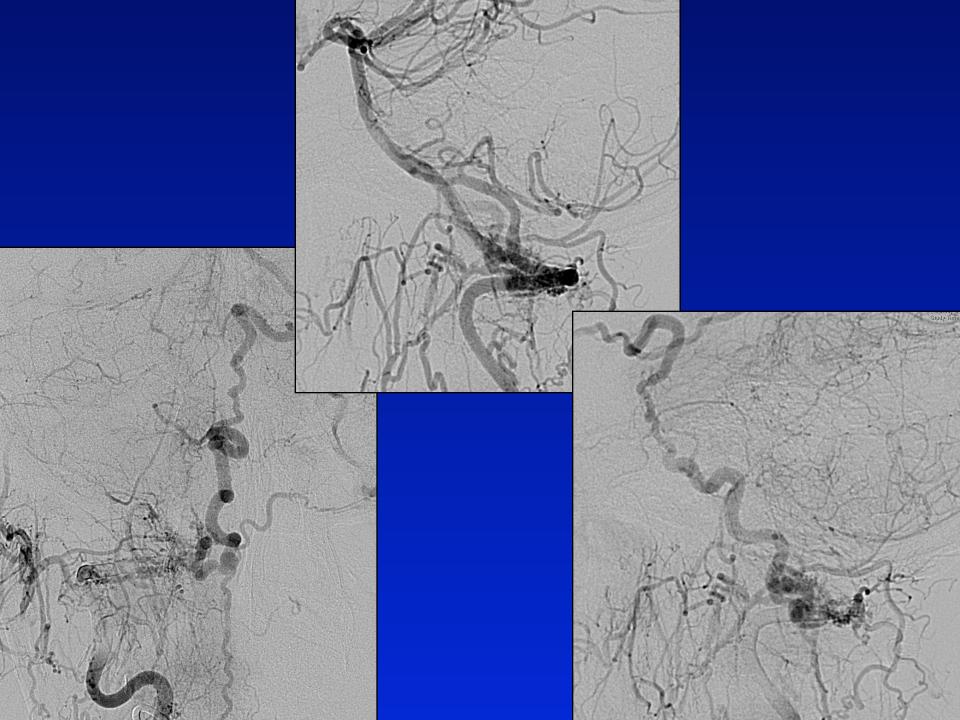


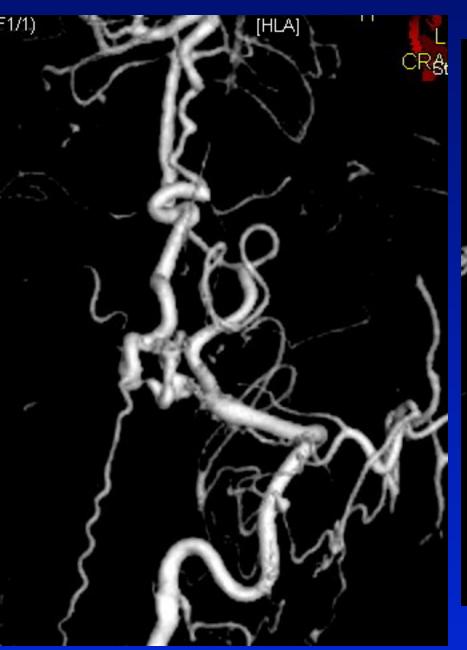












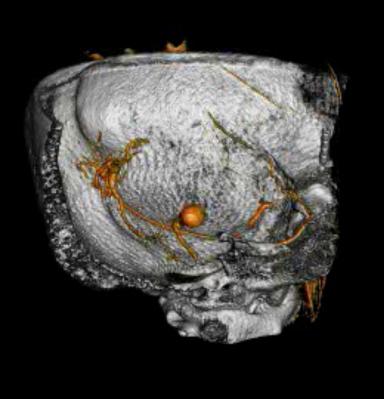


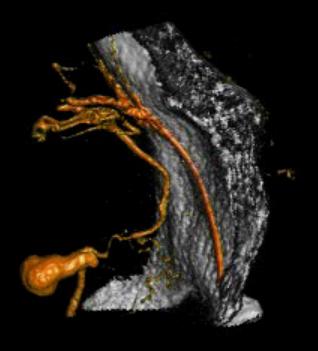


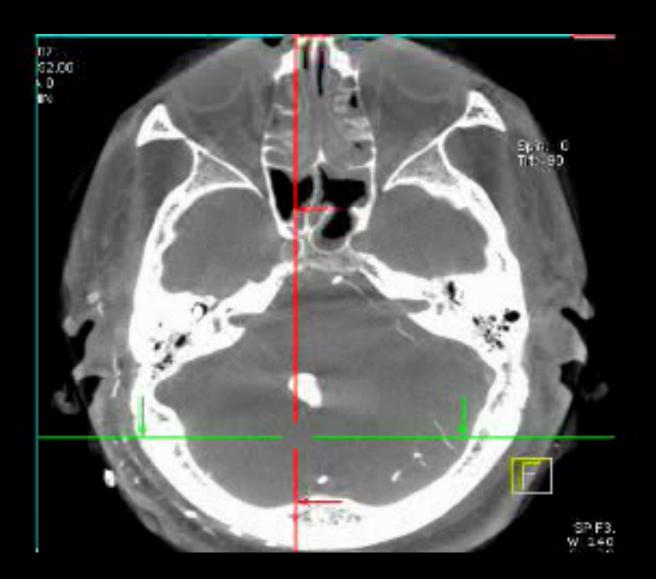


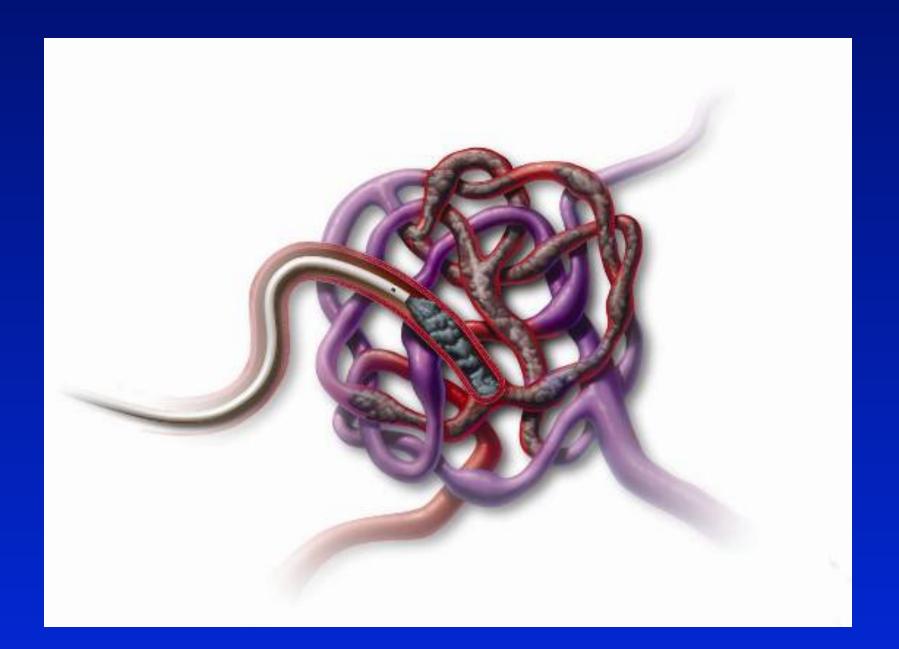
Location

- Transverse sinus
- Cavernous sinus
- Tentorium
- Superior sagittal sinus
- Anterior cranial fossa







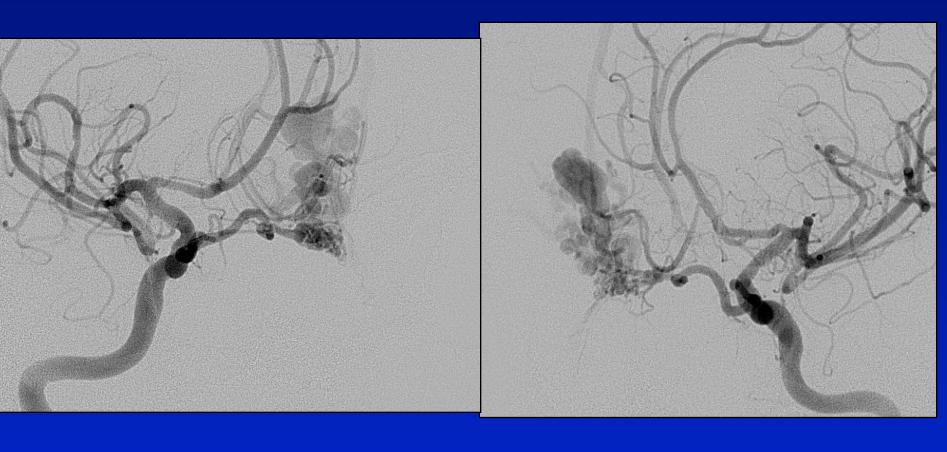




In Treatment of Fistulas, all roads lead to Rome









Outline

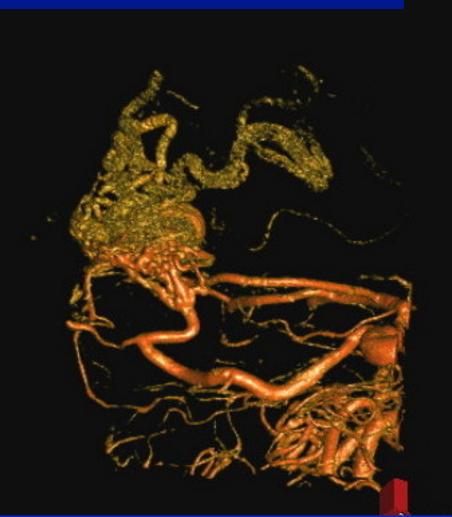
- Discuss Dural Fistulous Malformations
 - Clinical
 - Classification
 - What is Onyx
 - Discuss individual cases by type

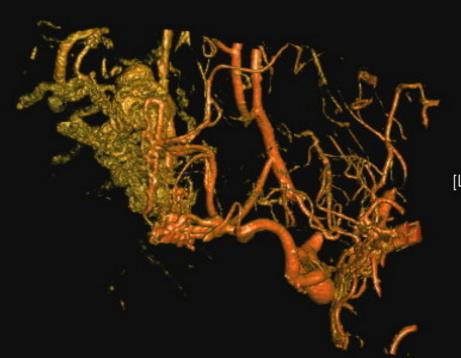


Onyx Liquid Embolic System

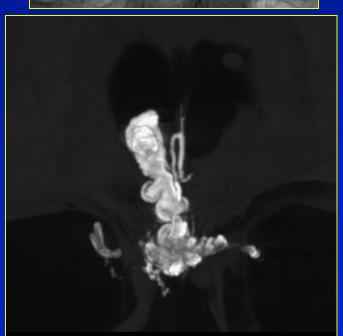
- Ethylene-vinyl alcohol copolymer
 - EVOH
- Dimethyl Sulfoxide Solvent
 - DMSO (patients stink!!!!!)
- Micronized tantalum powder
 - Ta











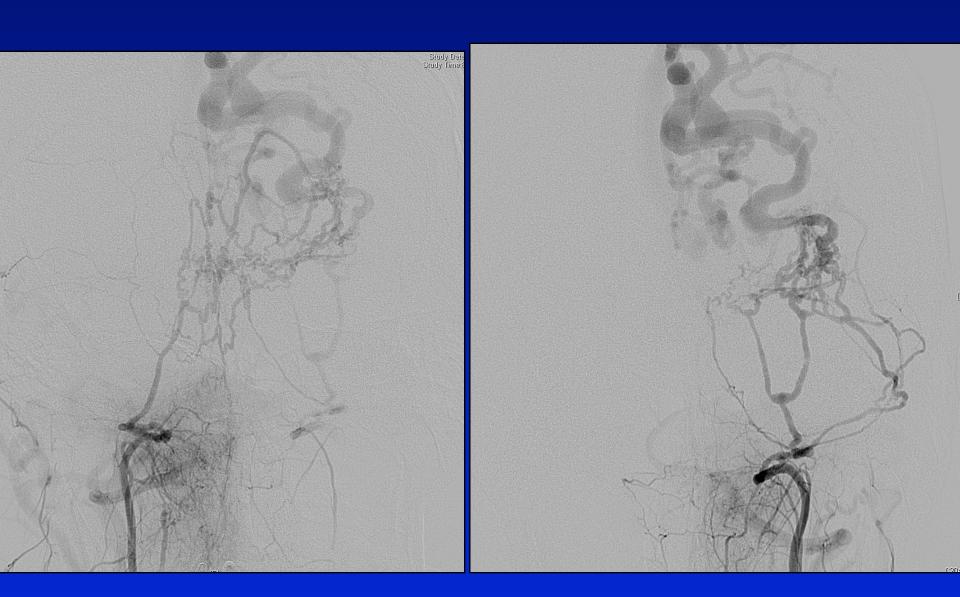


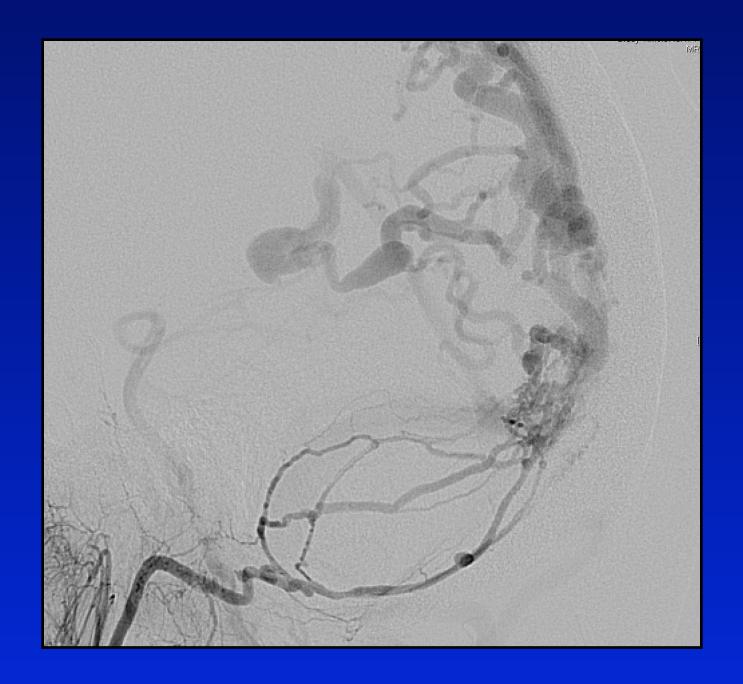


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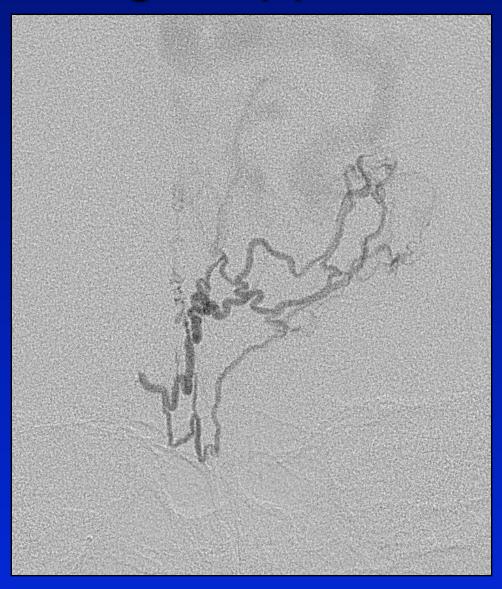
Type IV

 Pt presents with small headache and small hemorrhage

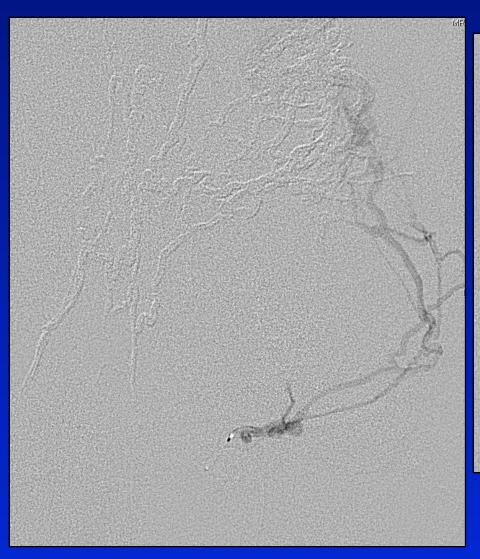


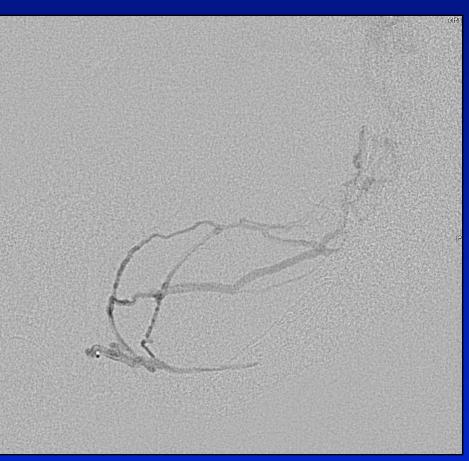


Right Approach



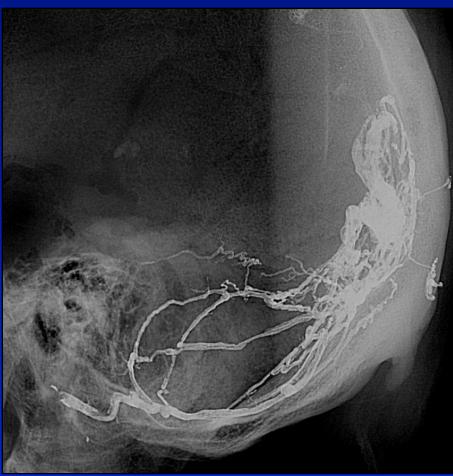
Left Approach



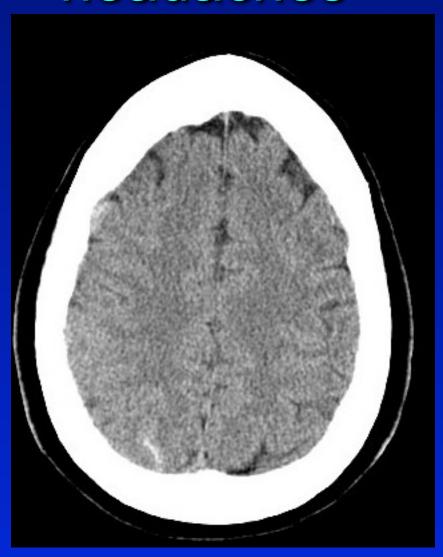


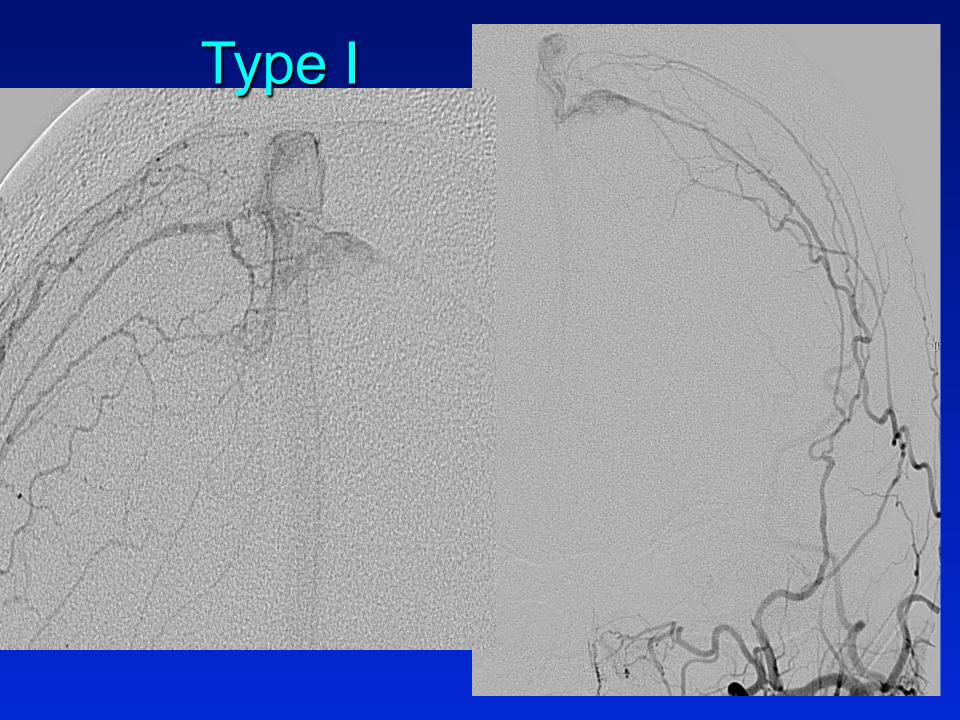
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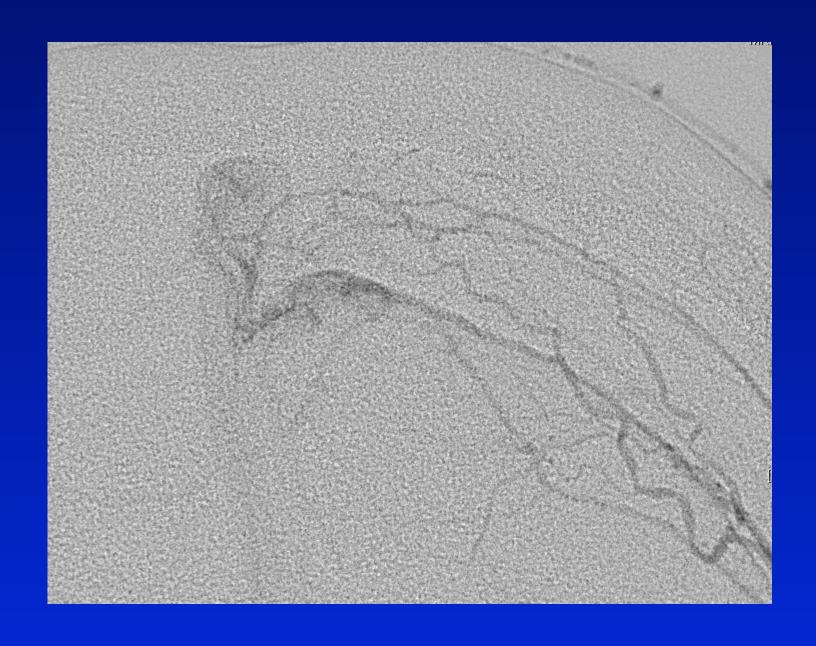


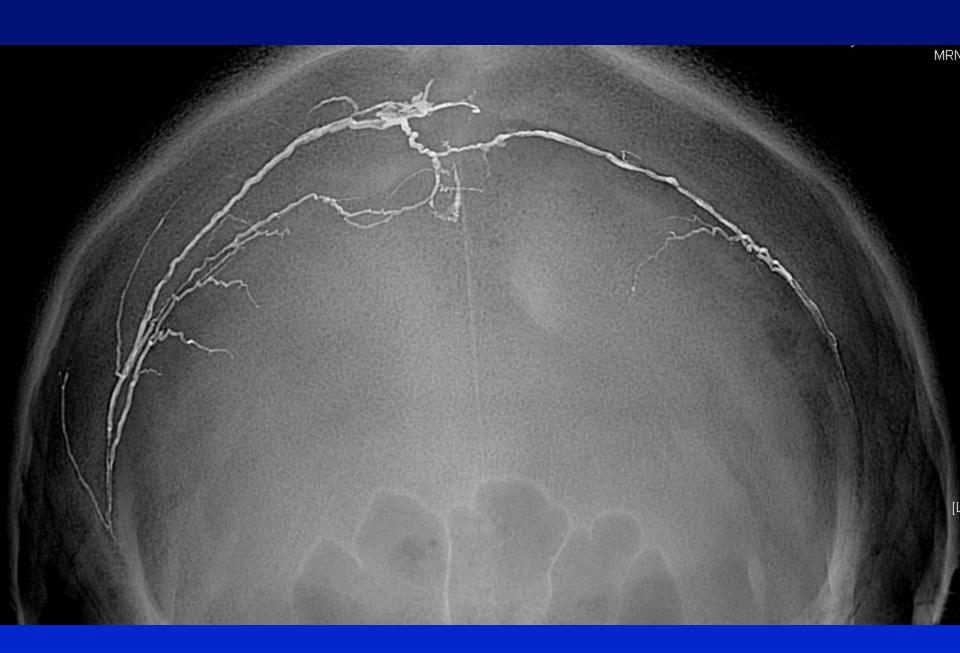


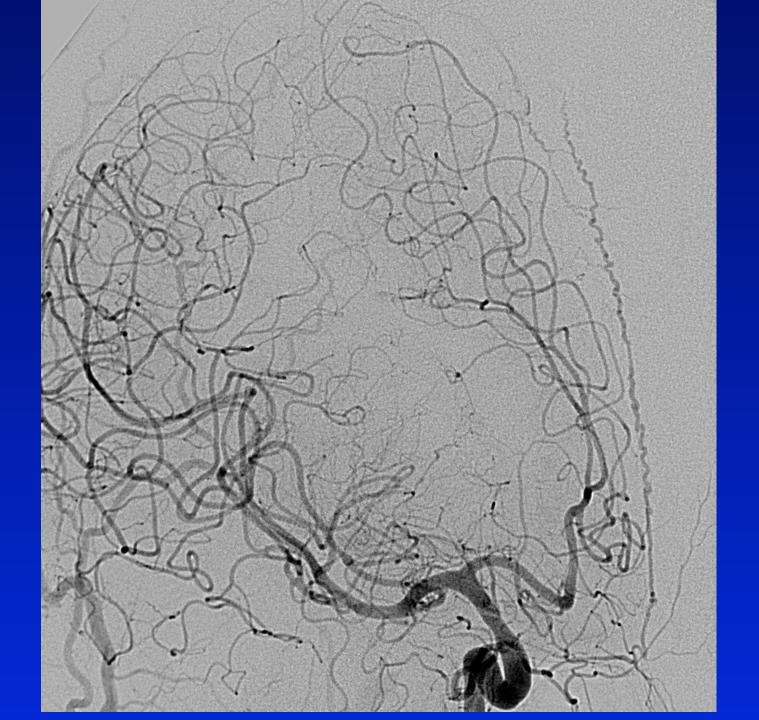
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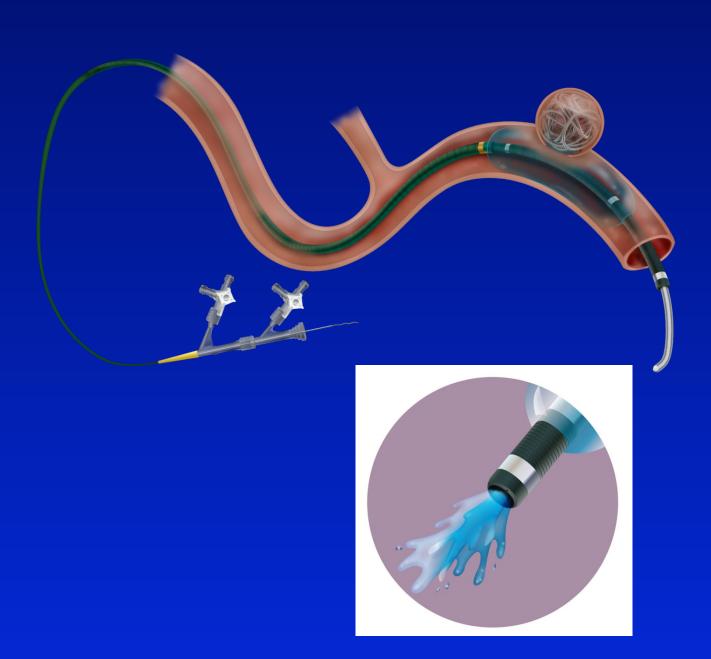


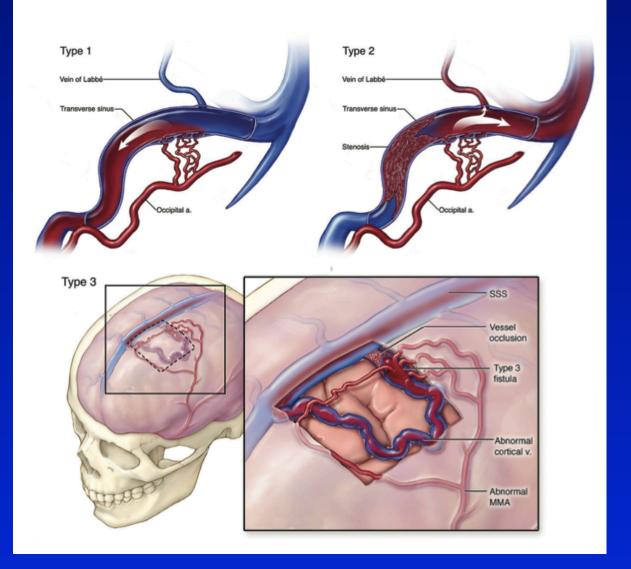






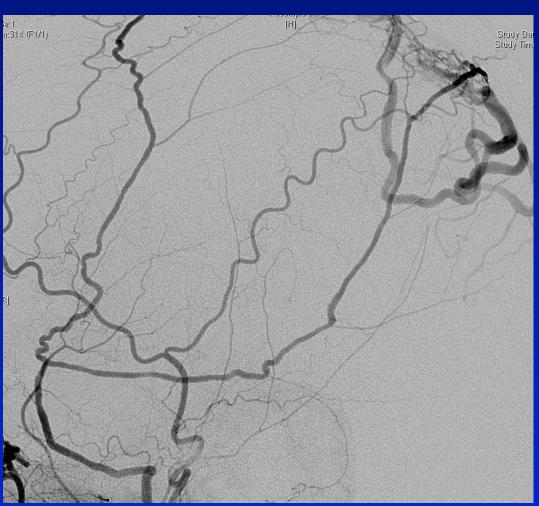




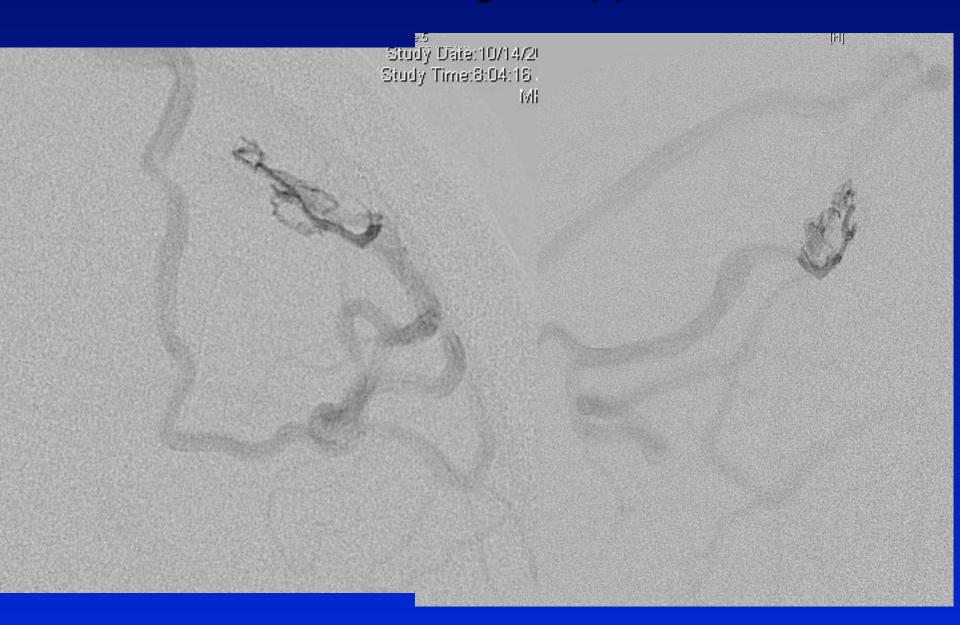


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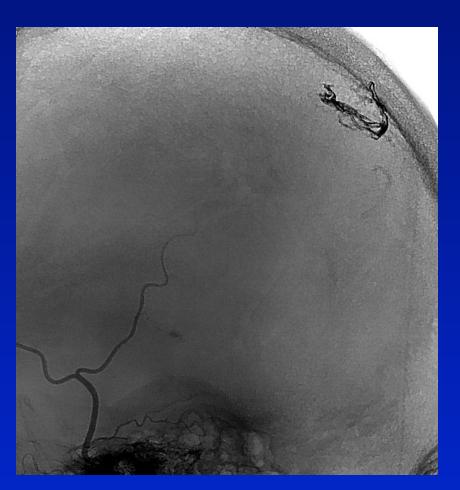


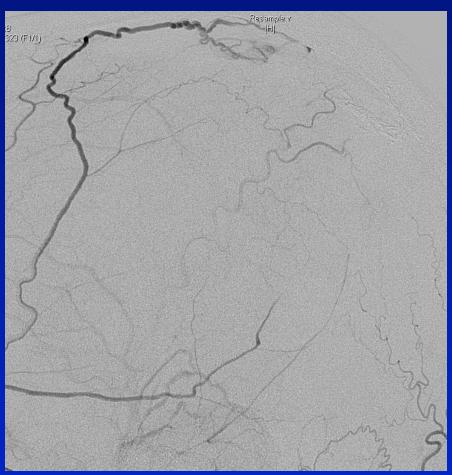


Middle meningeal approach



Post #1







Borden Classification

