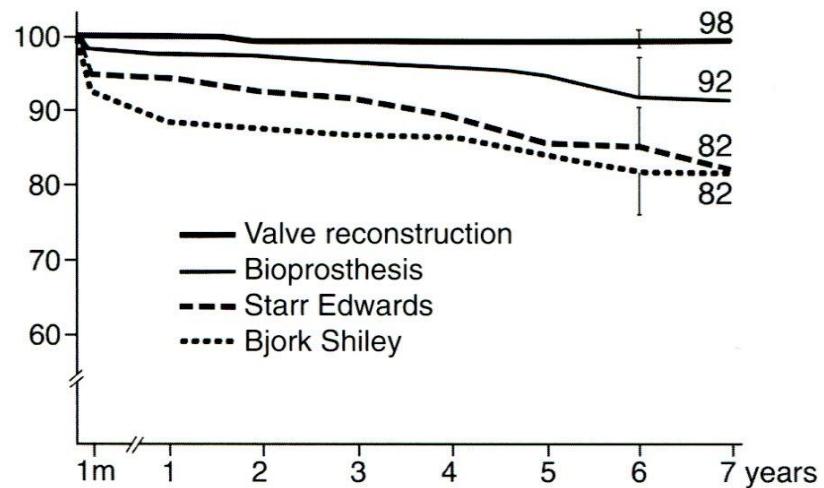


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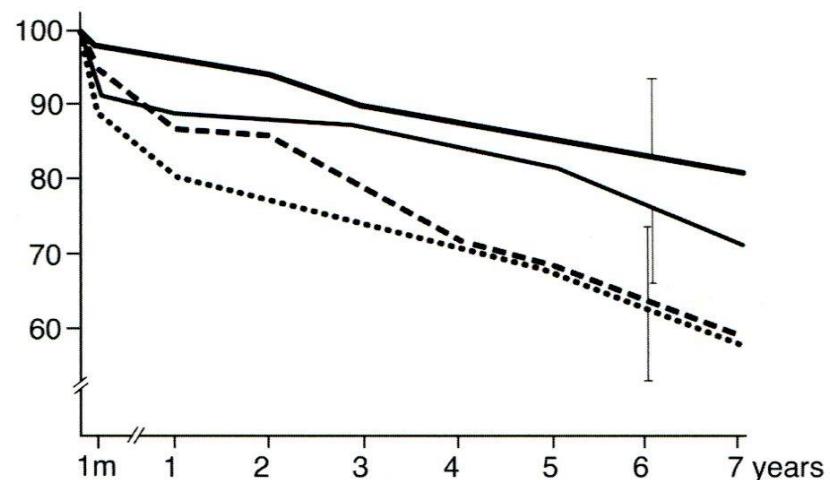
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Introduction

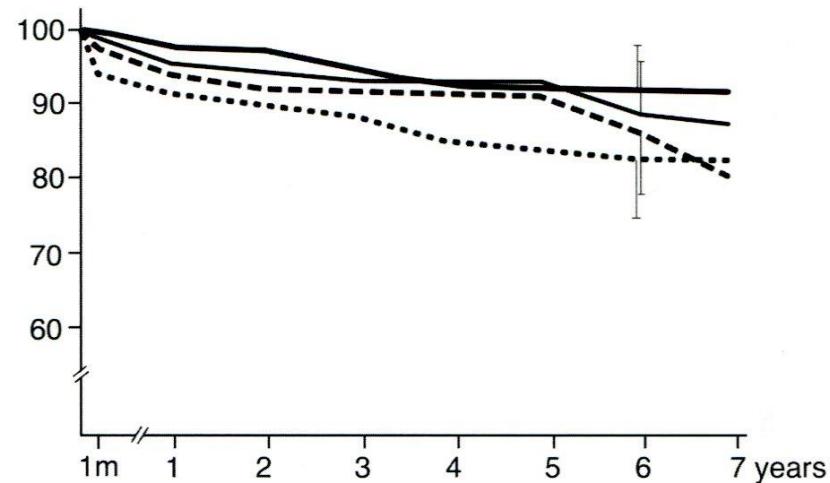
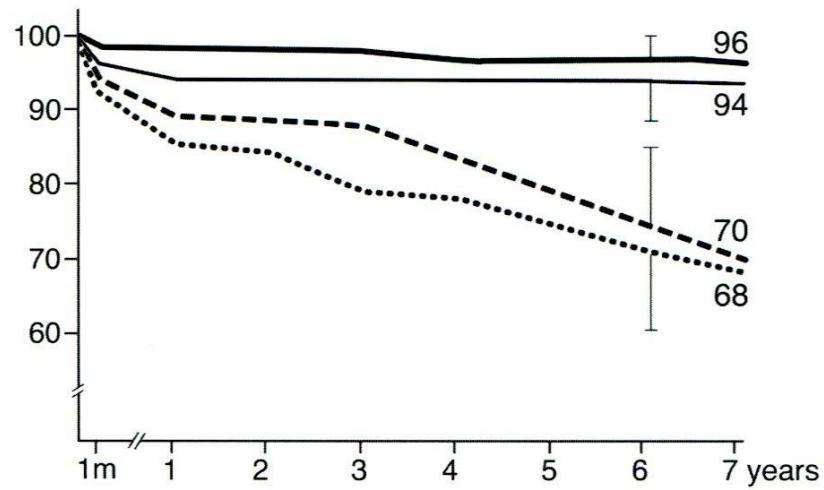
- 1960s **Congenital malformation**
Rheumatic valvular disease
→ Palliative valve **repair**/valve **replacement**
- 1970s **Rheumatic valvular disease**
→ Valve **replacement**(Mechanical, Tissue) / **Repair**
- 1980s **Degenerative valvular disease**(Echocardiography)
→ Functional valve analysis
Reconstructive valve surgery
- 1990s **Ischemic/cardiomyopathy**
(Atrial fibrillation : Maze operation)
→ Nonthrombogenic valve surgery



a Actuarial curves for patients free of valve-related death



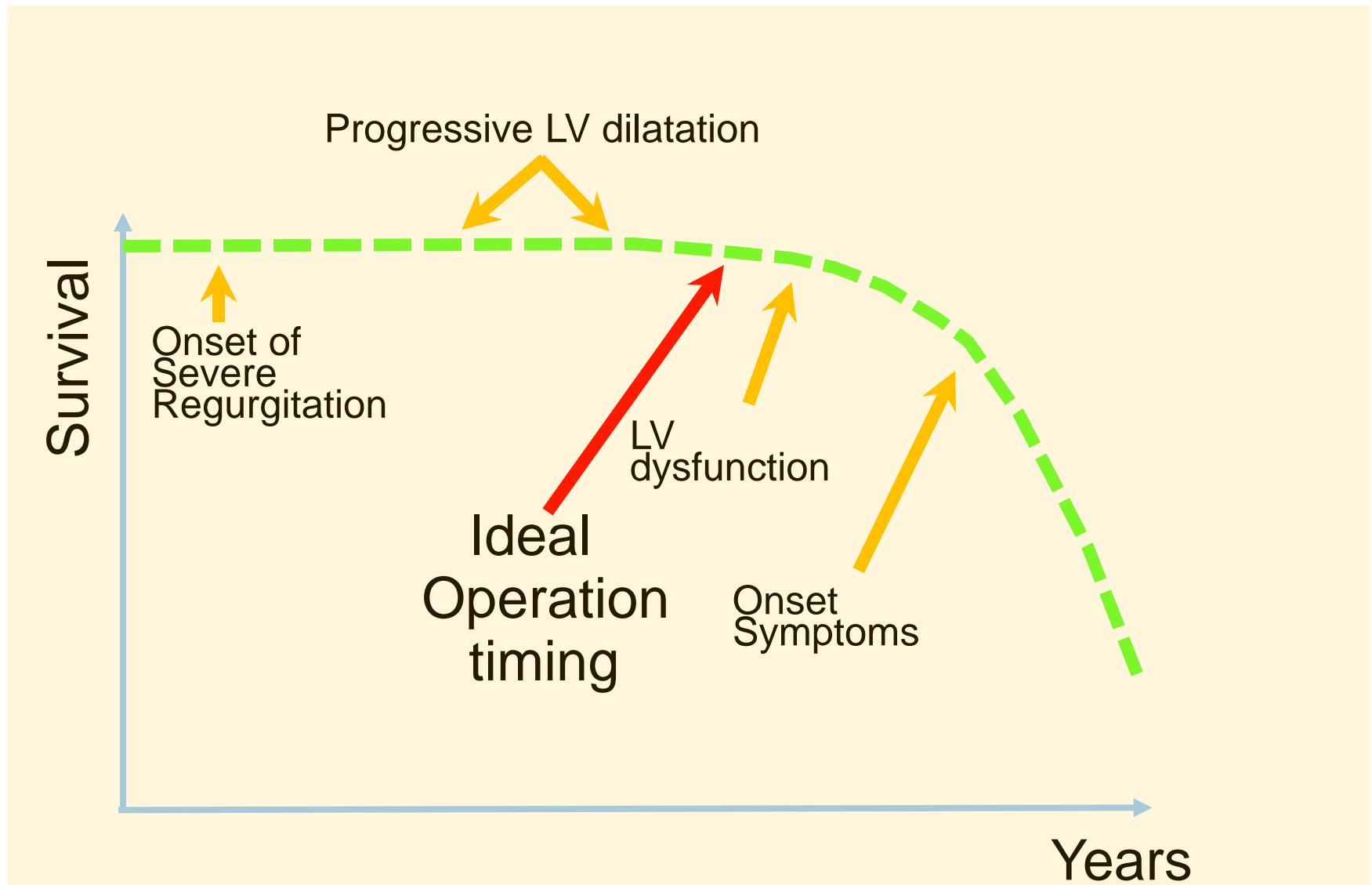
b Percentage of patients free from procedure related morbidity and mortality

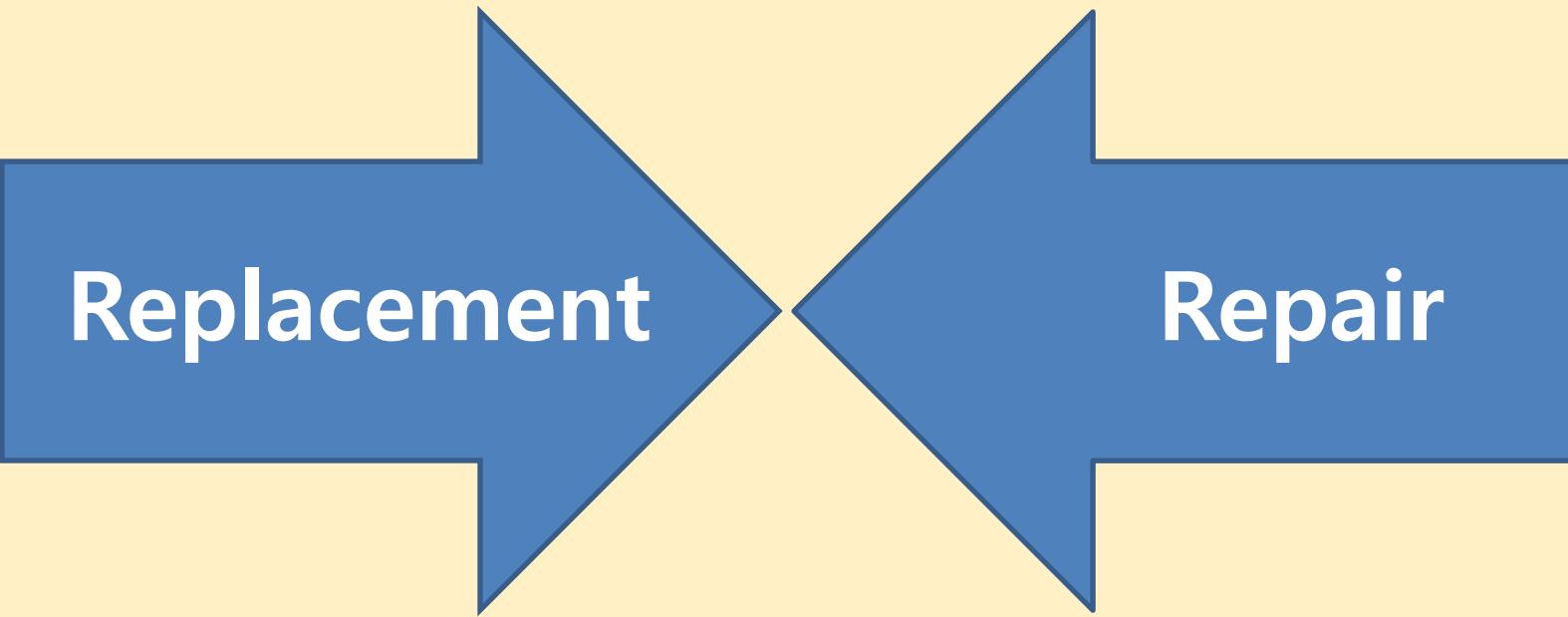


Natural course of MR

- Annual mortality of asymptomatic MR
 - 6.3%/yr
 - After 10yr : 90% died
- Occult LV dysfunction : frequently predates symptoms in severe MR
- Medical Tx can produce
 - Congestive heart failure
 - Atrial fibrillation

Natural History





Replacement

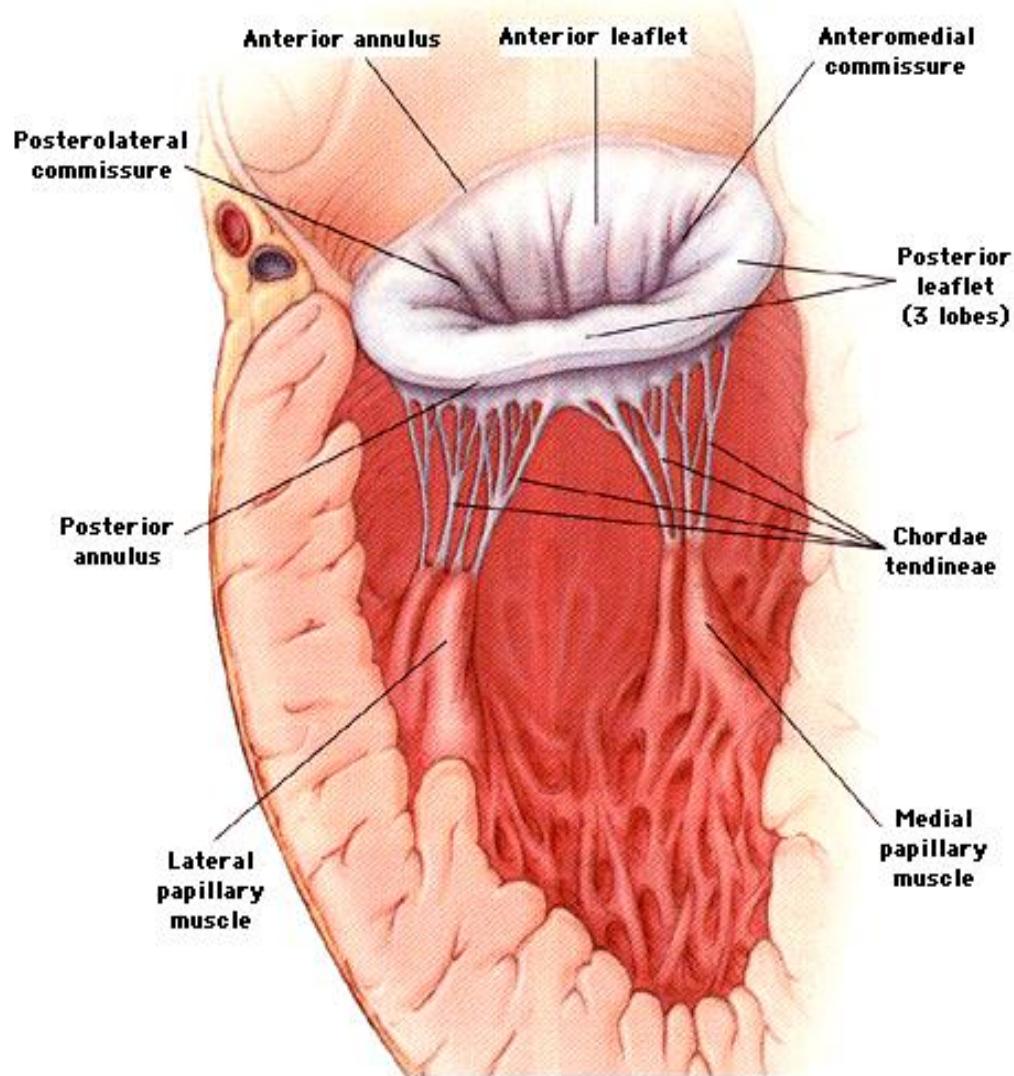
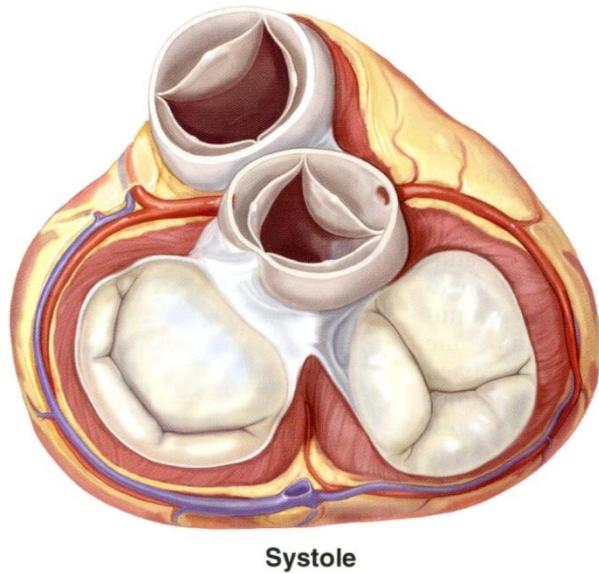
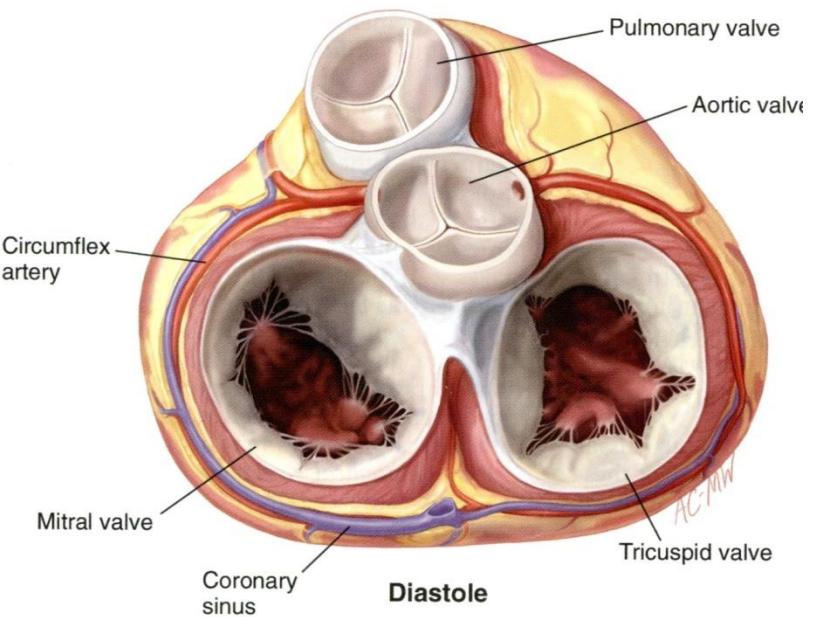
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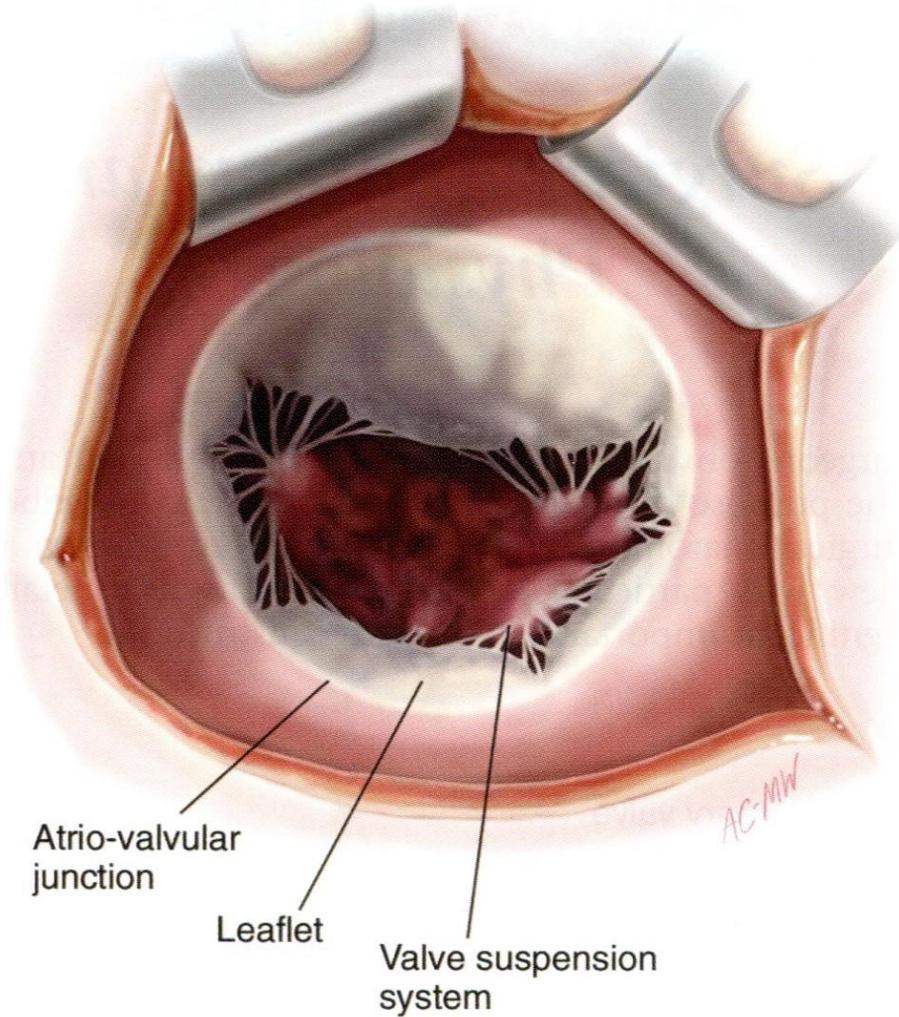
Benefits of MV repair

- Preservation of own valve within heart
- No need of anticoagulation
- Lower risk of prosthetic infection
- Lower risk of LV rupture
 - : fatal complication of MV replacement
 - Resection of subvalvular structure during MVR

Mitral valve repair

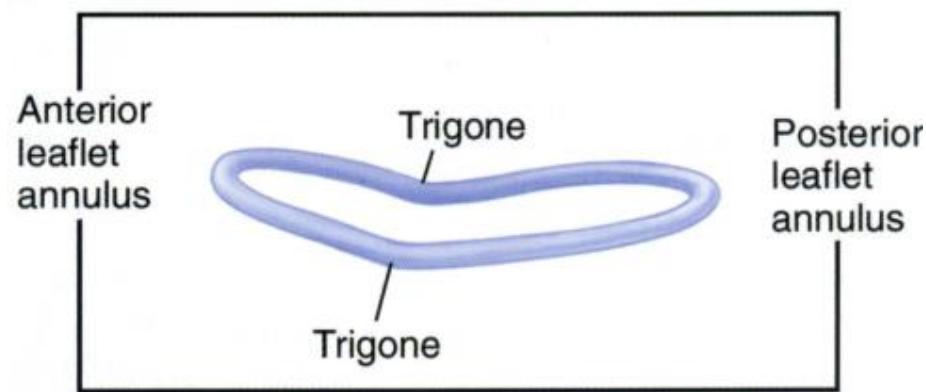
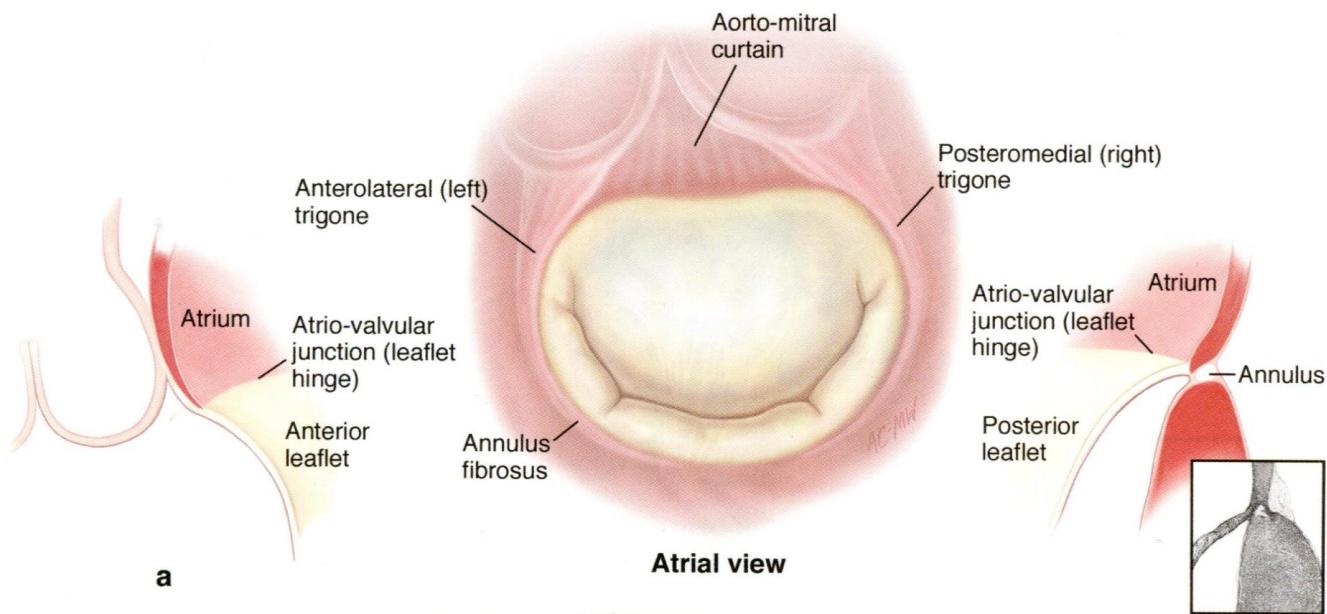
Anatomy of Mitral valve

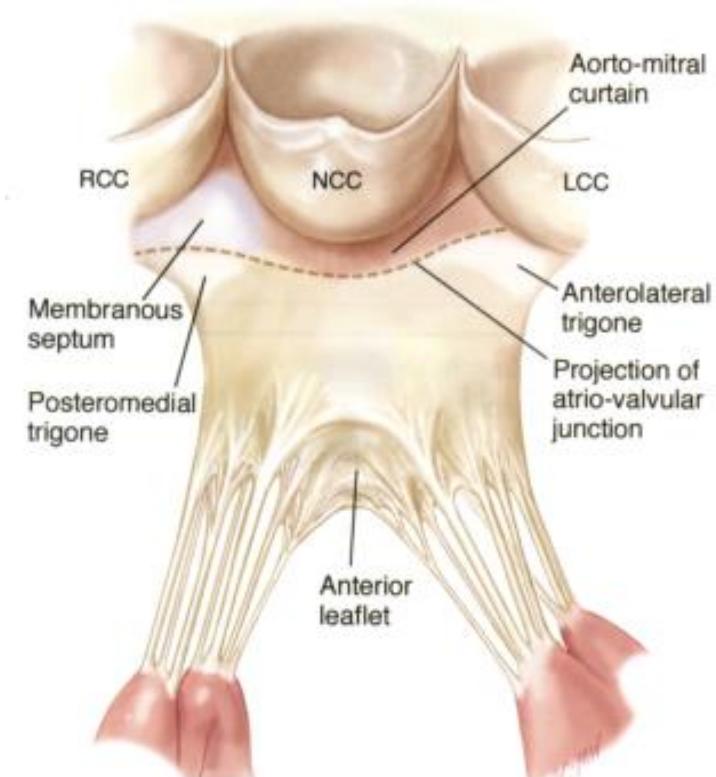
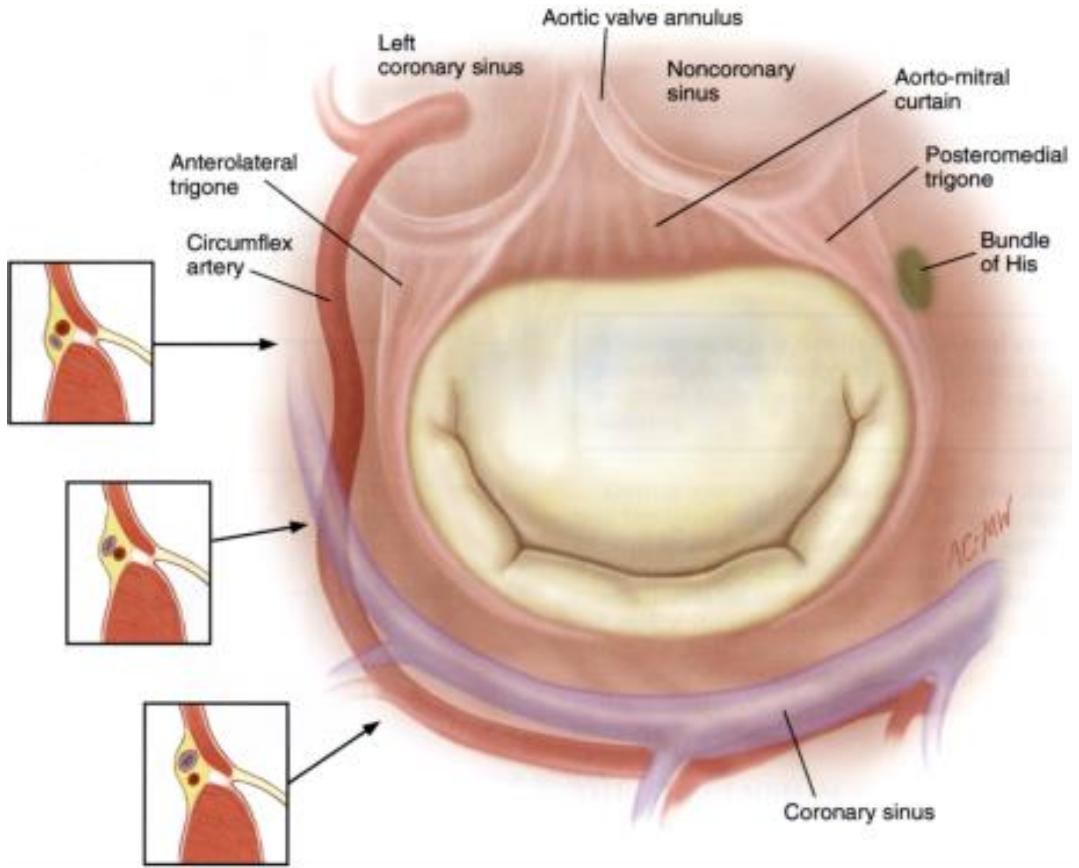




- **Atrio-valvular junction**
- **Leaflet**
- **Suspension system**
 - Chordae
 - Papillary muscle

Annulus



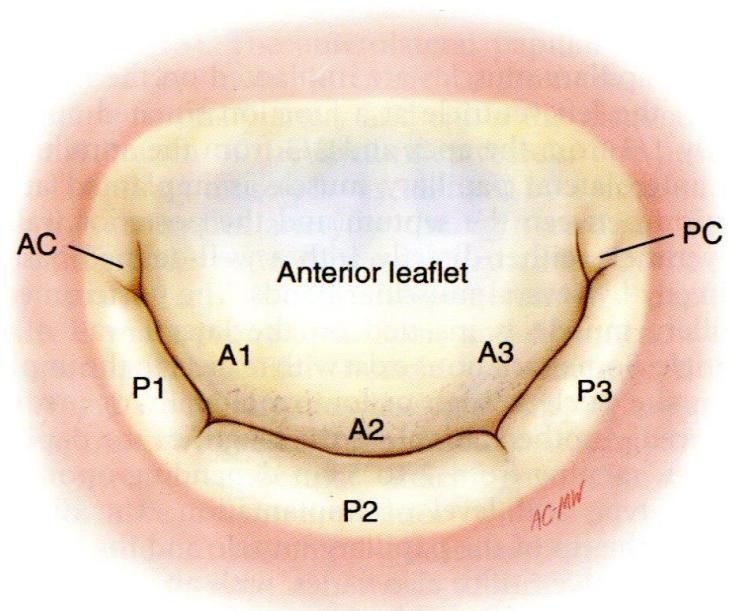


Ventricular view

Leaflet

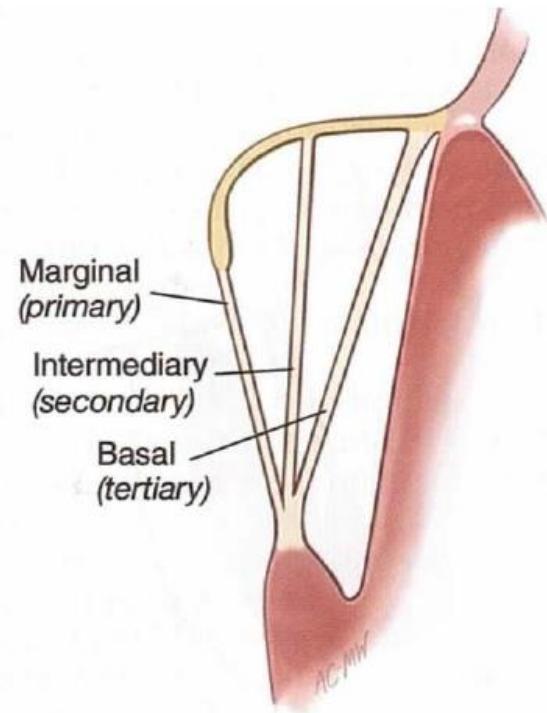
- **Anterior leaflet** : triangular – A1, A2, A3
- **Posterior leaflet**(indentation)
 - P1, P2, P3

- AL commissure
- PM commissure



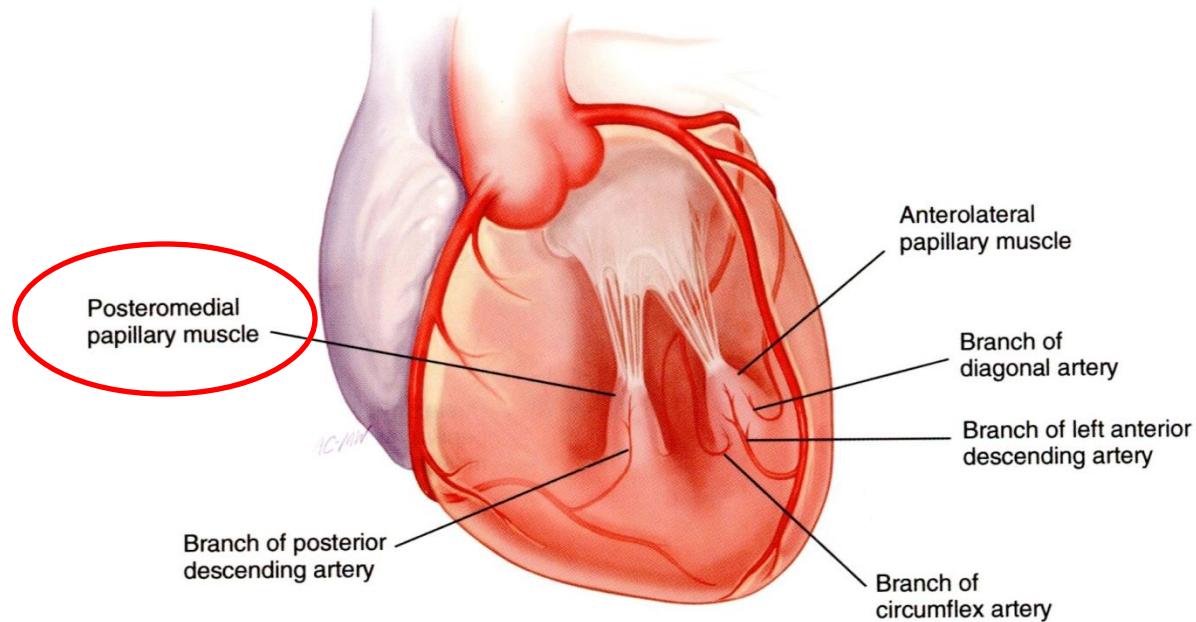
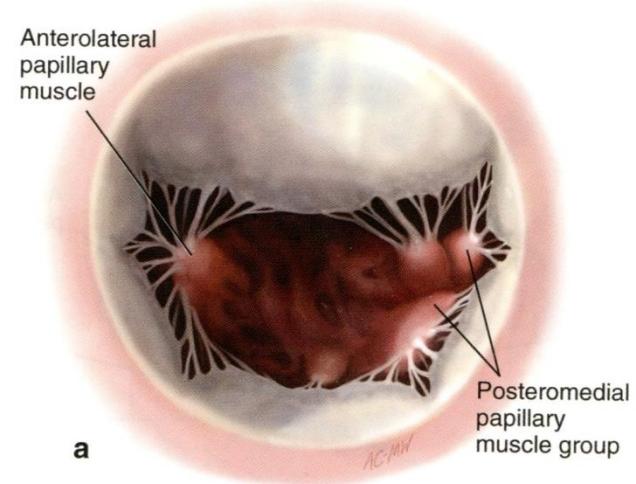
Chordae

- **Marginal(primary)**
: prevent eversion
- **Intermediary(secondary)**
: prevent doming
- **Basal(tertiary)**
: maintain geometry



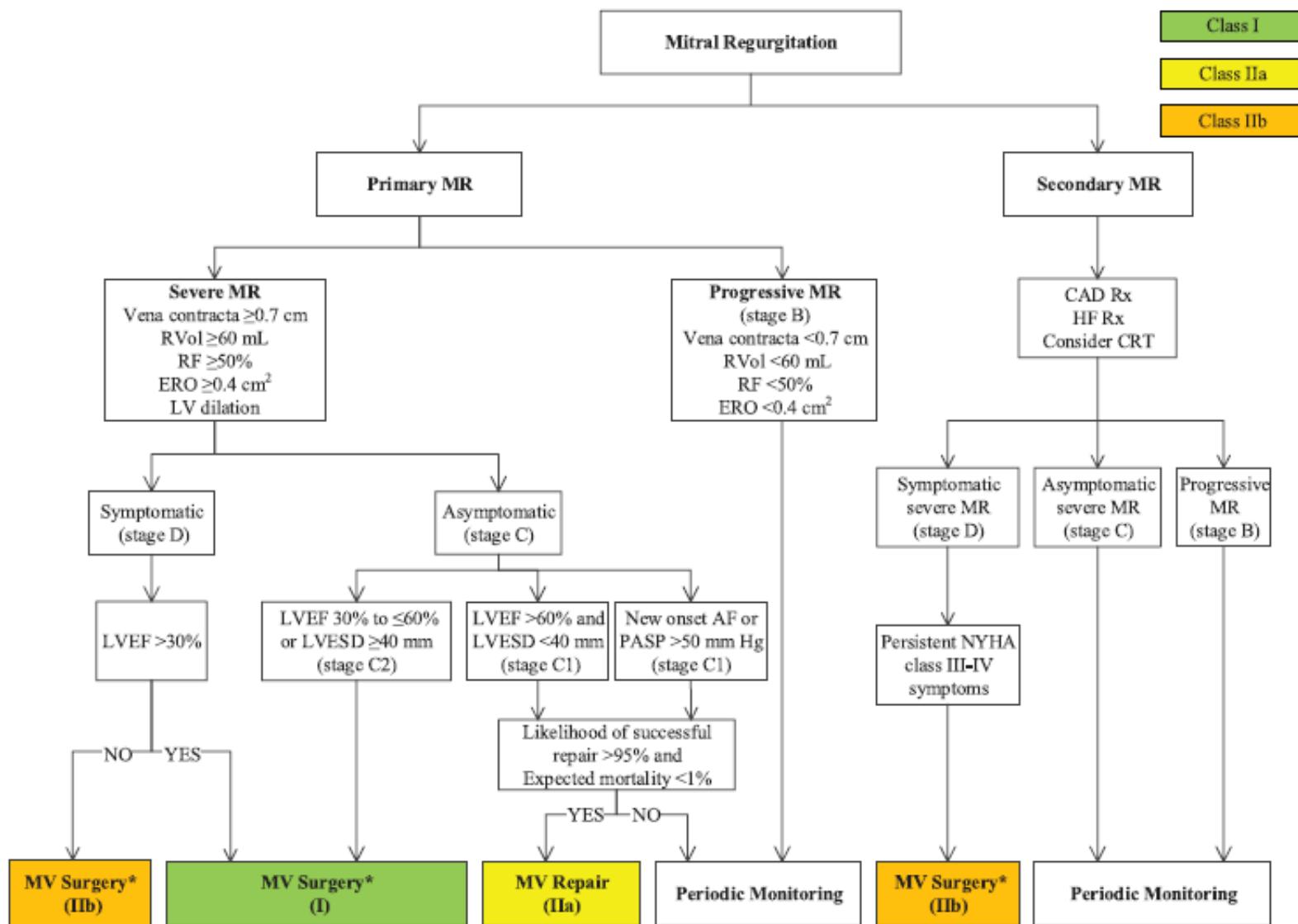
Papillary muscle

- Anterolateral PM
- Posteromedial PM

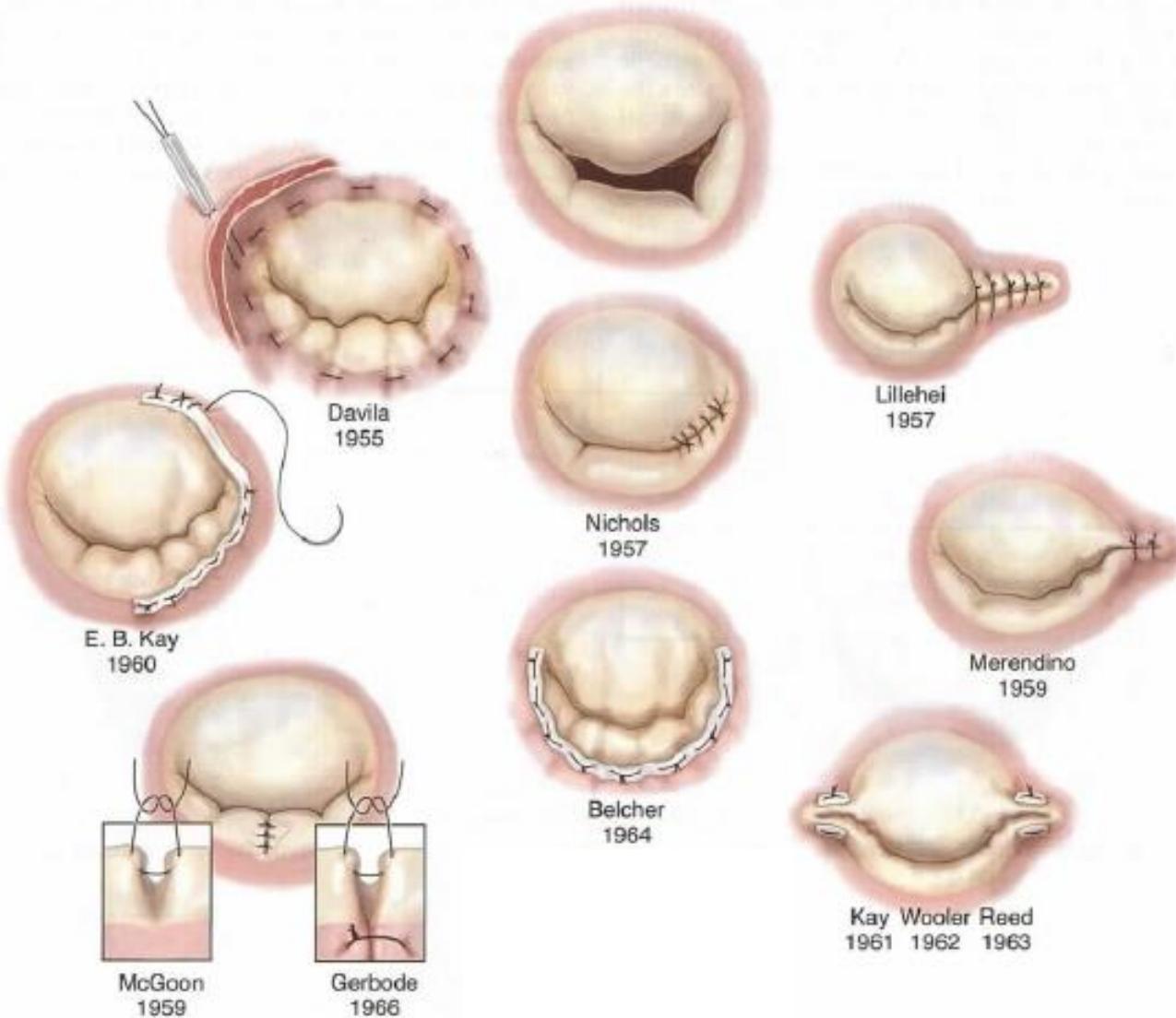


Mitral regurgitation

ACC/AHA 2014 guideline



1957-1968 Palliative Techniques



Etiology

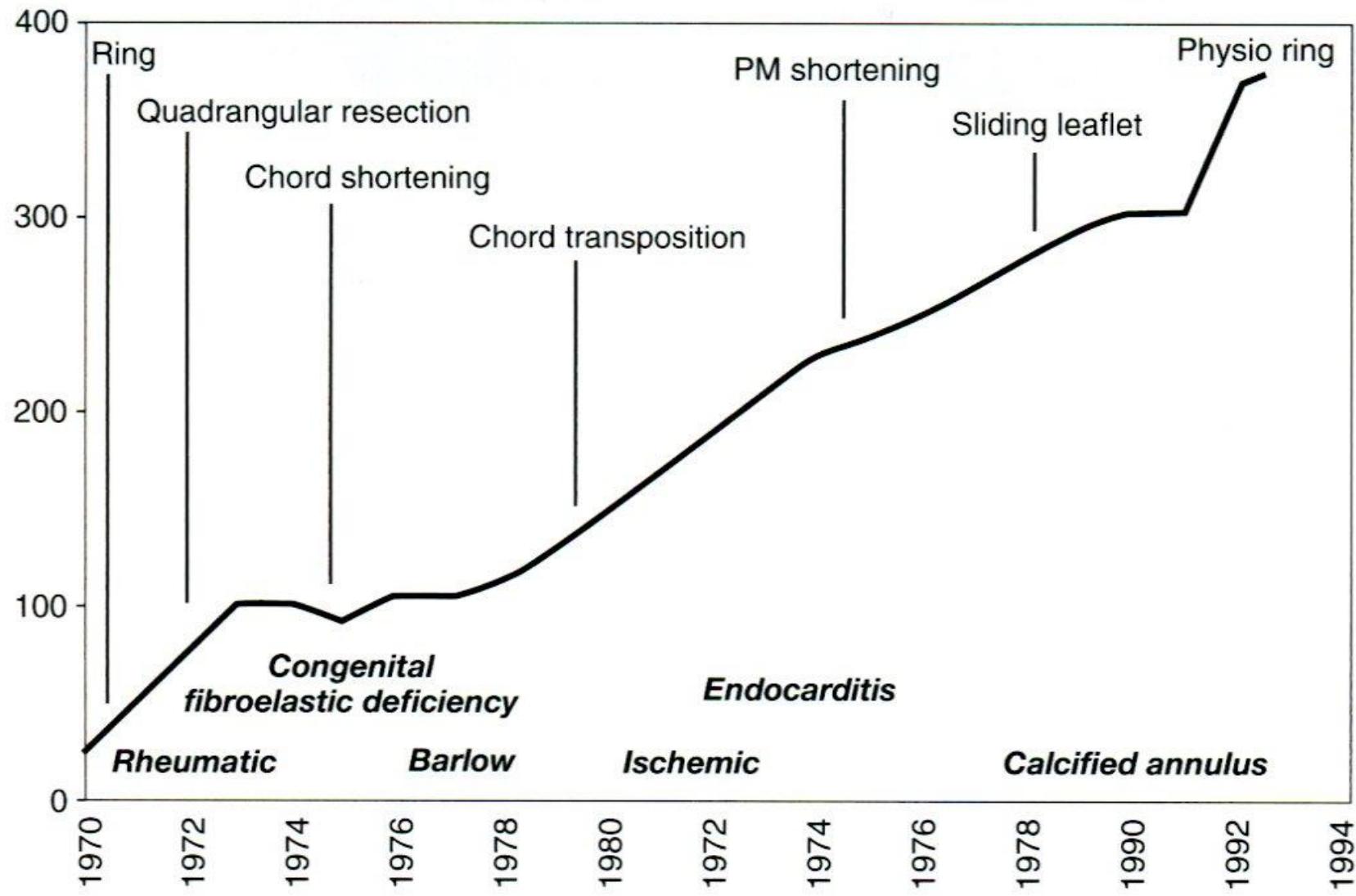
- **Primary MR**
 - Degenerative
 - Fibroelastic deficiency(FED)
 - Barlow ds(billowing valve)
 - Marfan syndrome
 - Endocarditis
 - Rheumatic
 - Calcified valve
- **Secondary MR** : problem of LV
 - Ischemic
 - DCMP

Reconstructive Valve Surgery

Three Fundamental Principles

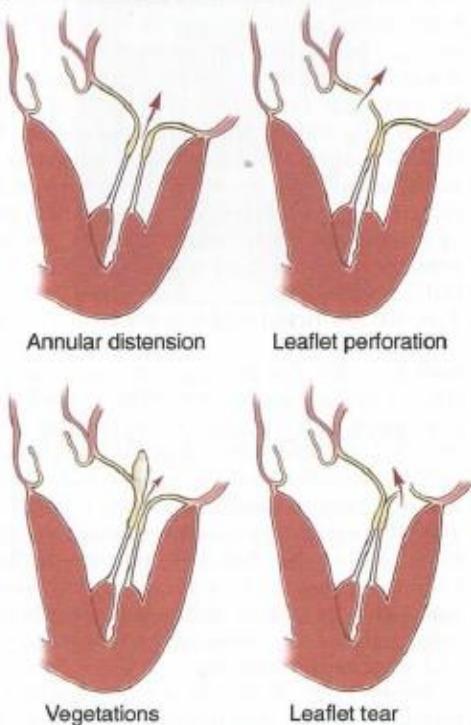
1. Preserve or restore full leaflet motion
2. Create large surface of coaptation
3. Remodel the annulus

A. Carpentier. JTCS 1983;86(3):323-37

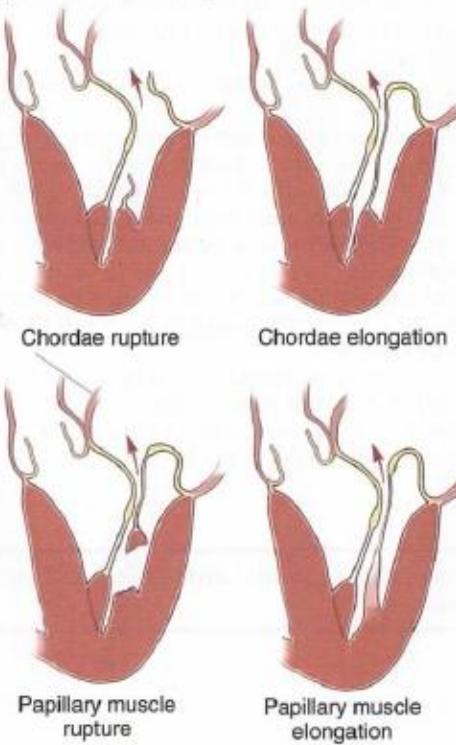


Carpentier's Classification

Type I - Normal Leaflet Motion

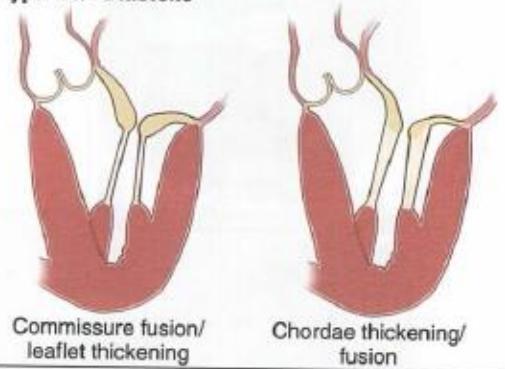


Type II - Leaflet Prolapse

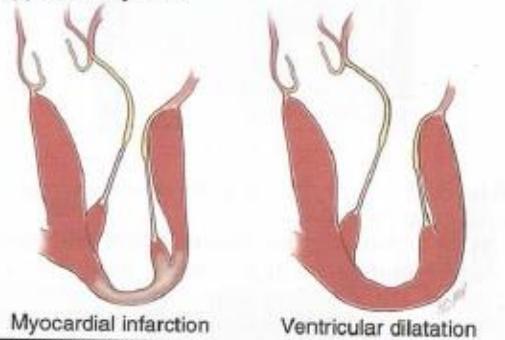


Type III Restricted Leaflet Motion

Type IIIa - Diastolic



Type IIIb - Systolic

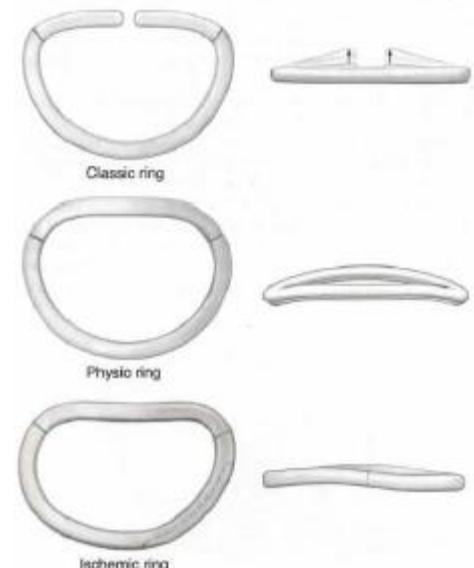


Remodeling prosthetic ring

The remodeling ring restores the **normal systolic shape and size of the annulus**, a condition needed for **optimal leaflet coaptation**. It also prevents further deformation

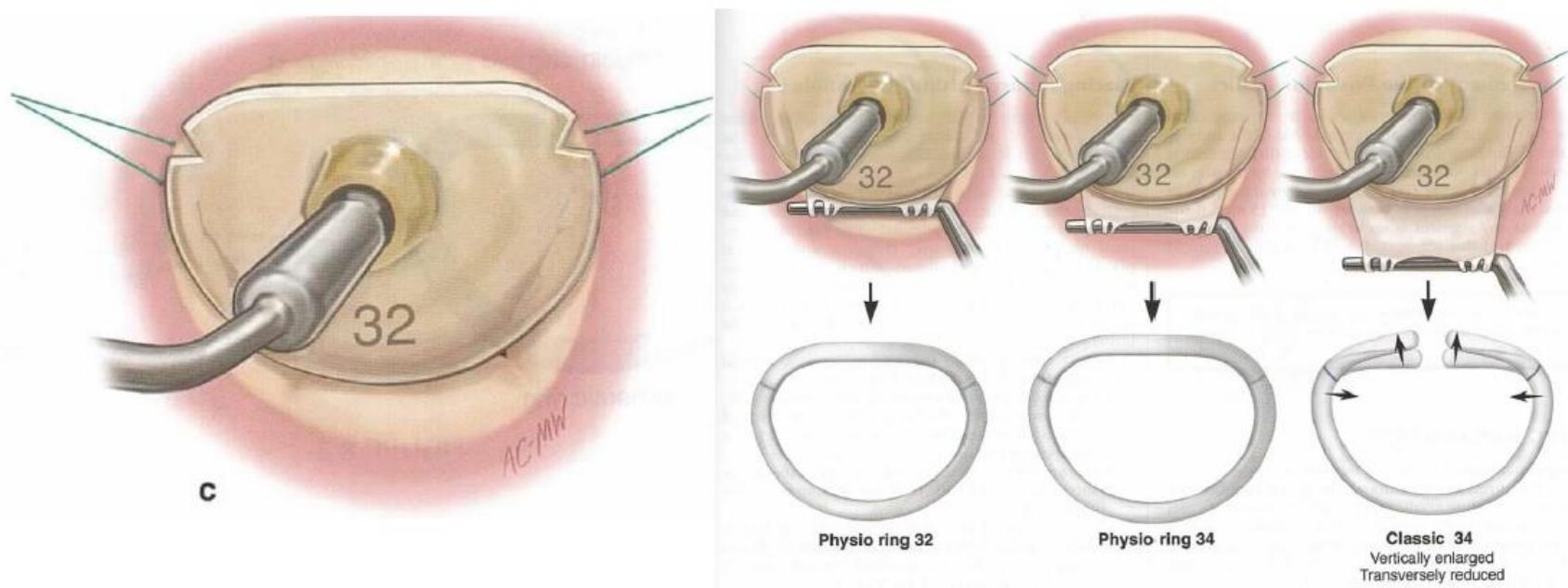
Annuloplasty ring

- Complete vs incomplete
 - Incomplete
 - Usually posterior annular dilatation
 - Leaflet repair itself reduce annular circumference
 - Difficult visualization of anterior annulus
 - Complete
 - Functional MR(to reduce annular circumference)
- Rigid, Semi-rigid, Flexible
 - Flexible ring
 - Physiologic movement of MV annulus
 - Valve distortion or orifice narrowing
 - Rigid ring : more prone to produce SAM
- Adjustable vs fixed



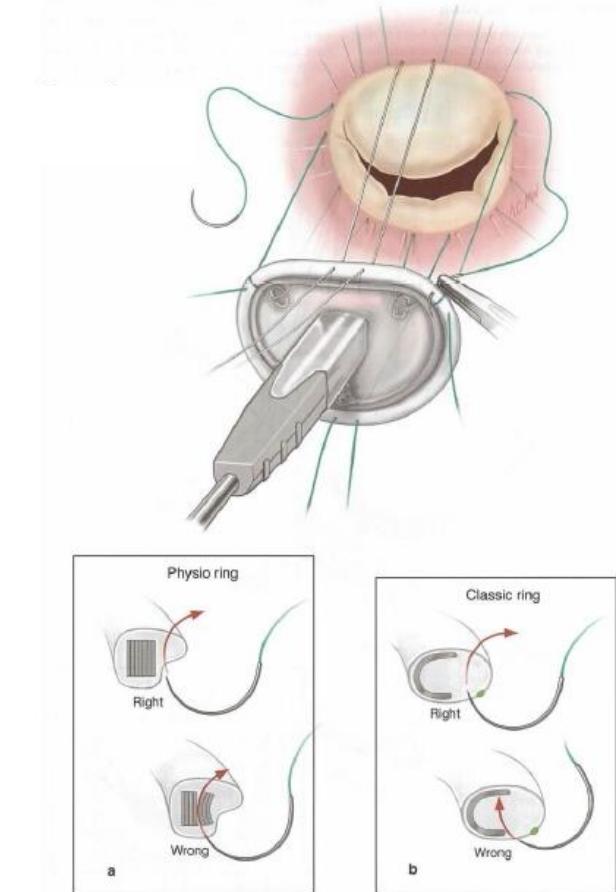
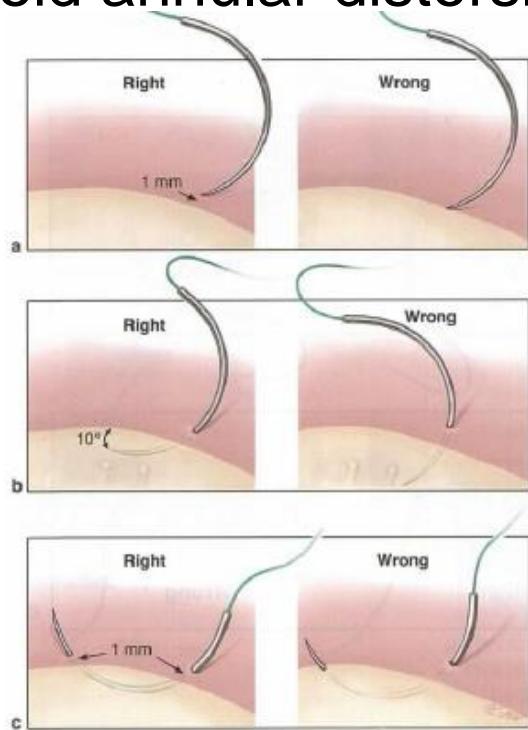
Ring sizing

- Measurement of anterior leaflet
- Commissure to commissure
- Height of anterior leaflet : partial ring?



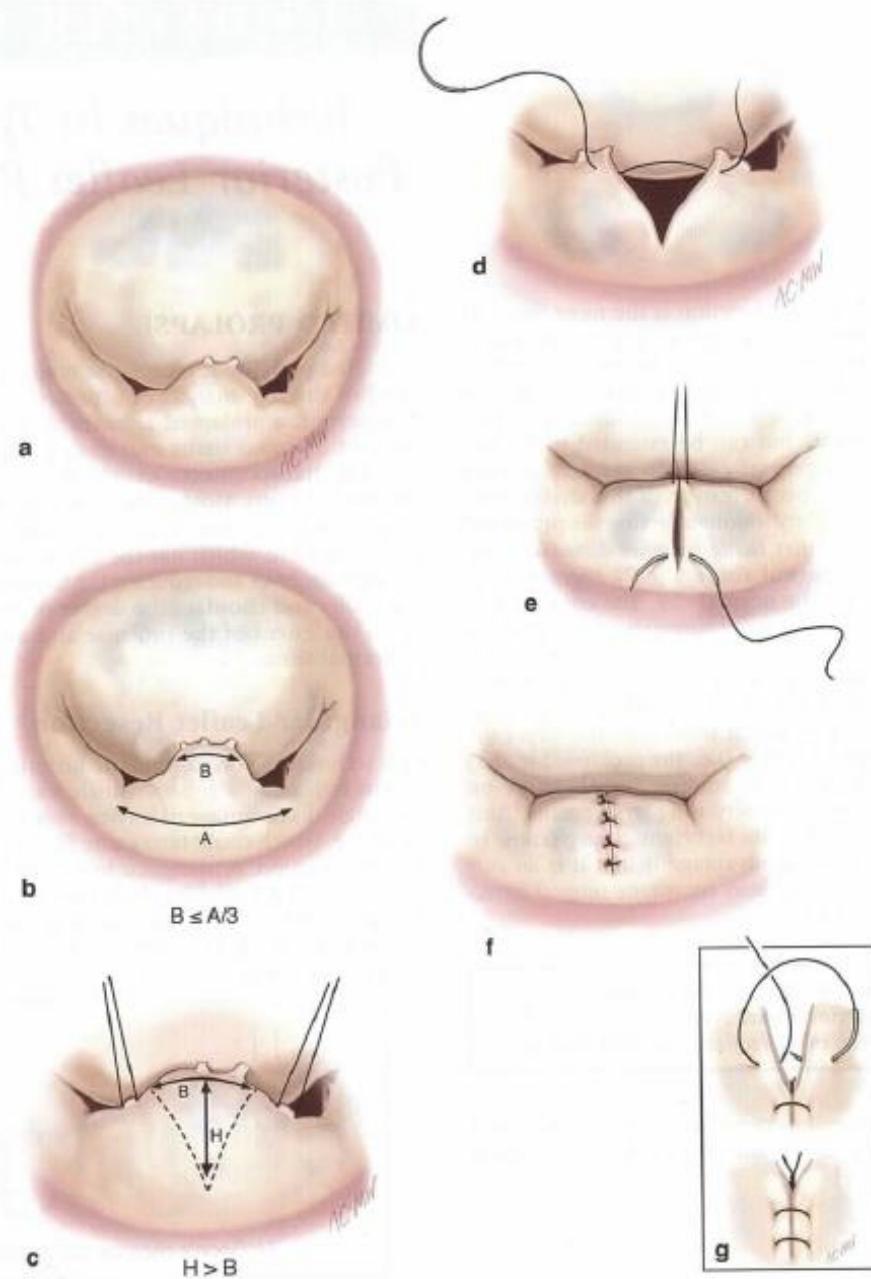
Annuloplasty suture

- Suture within the annulus fibrosus
 - to avoid ring dehiscence
- Not to suture metallic core of ring
 - to avoid annular distortion



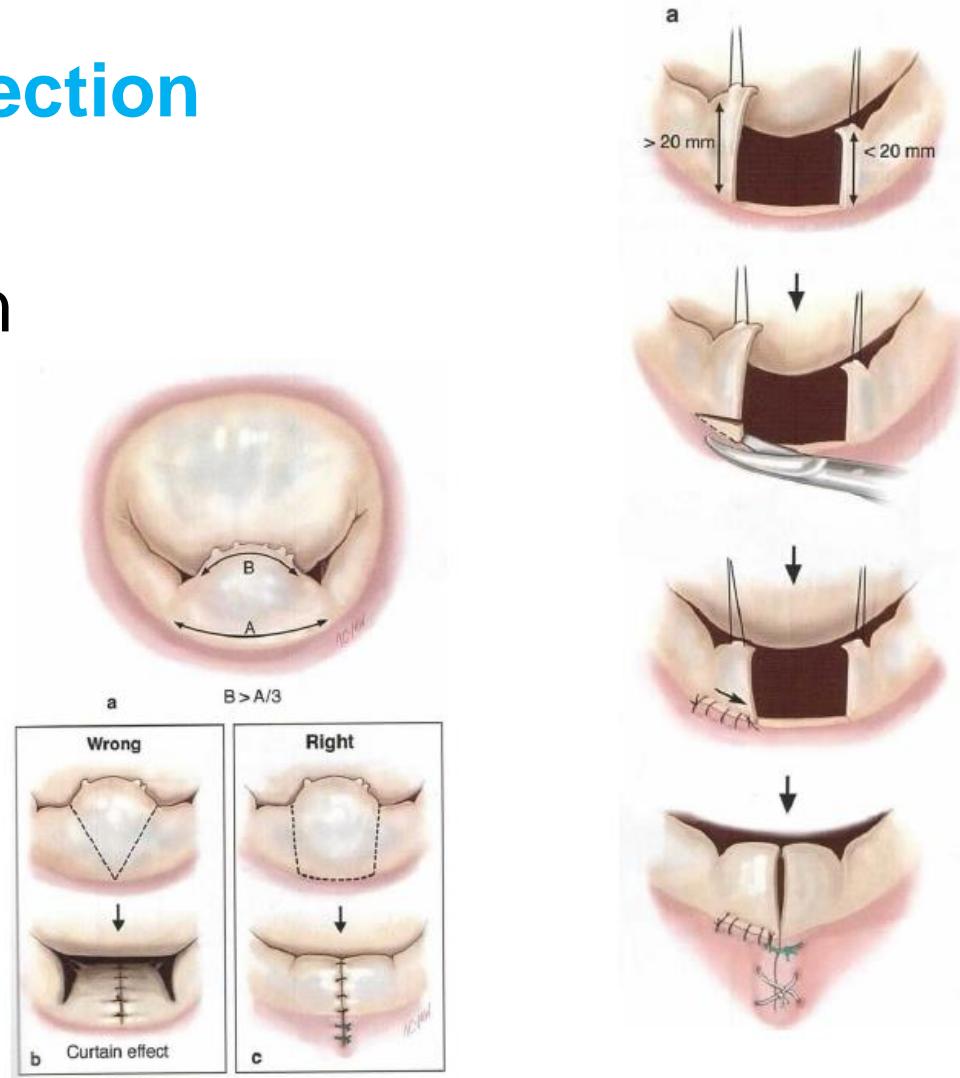
Pos

- **Triangular resection**: <1/3 of segment



Posterior prolapse

- **Quadrangular resection**
: >1/3 of segment
Annular plication



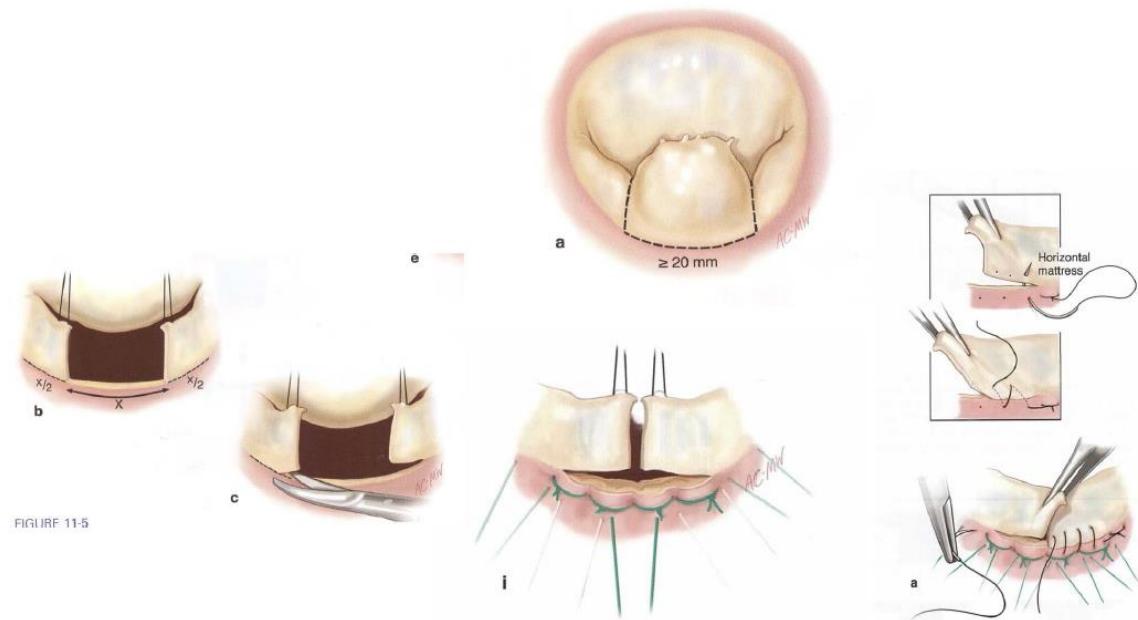
Posterior prolapse

- **Quadrangular resection+sliding annuloplasty**

: >30mm

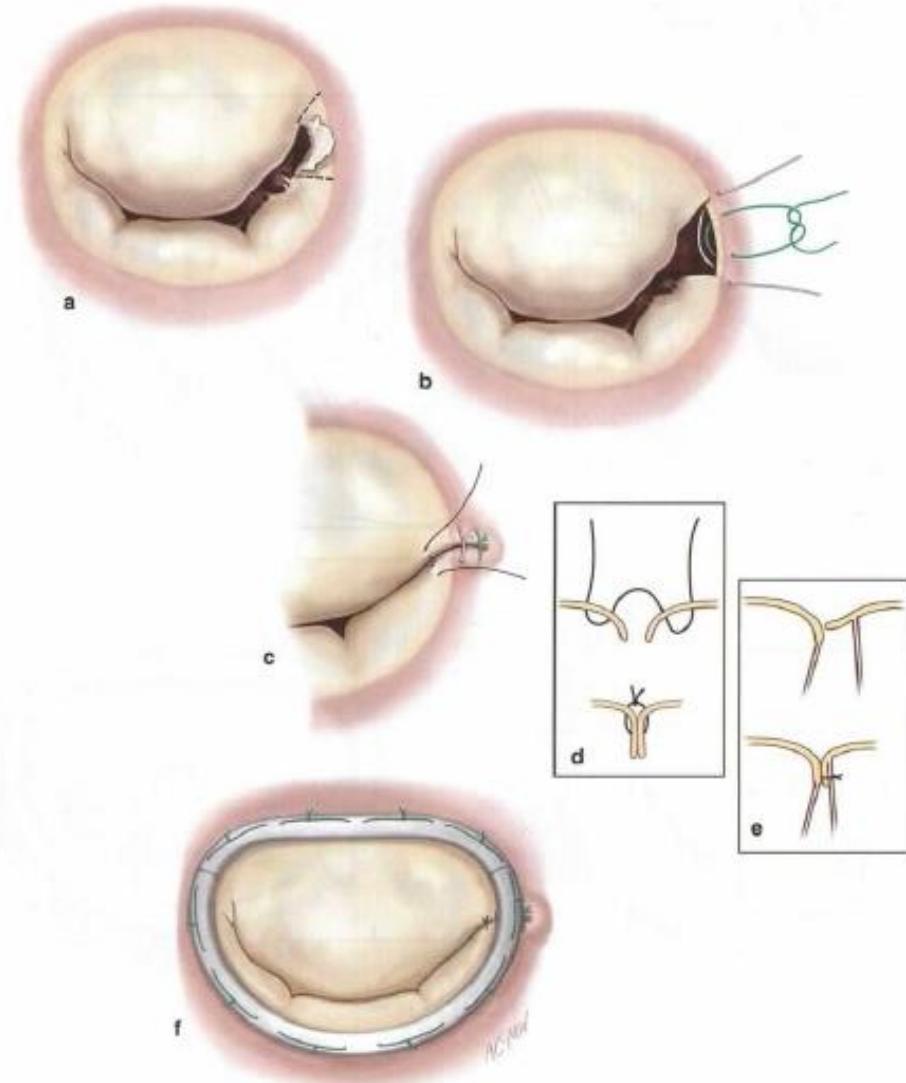
Prevent SAM

Compression suture



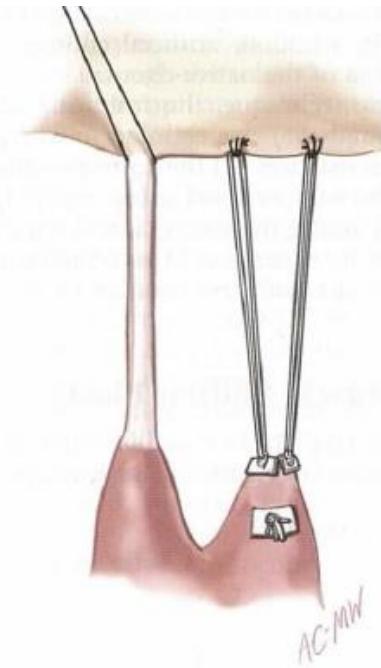
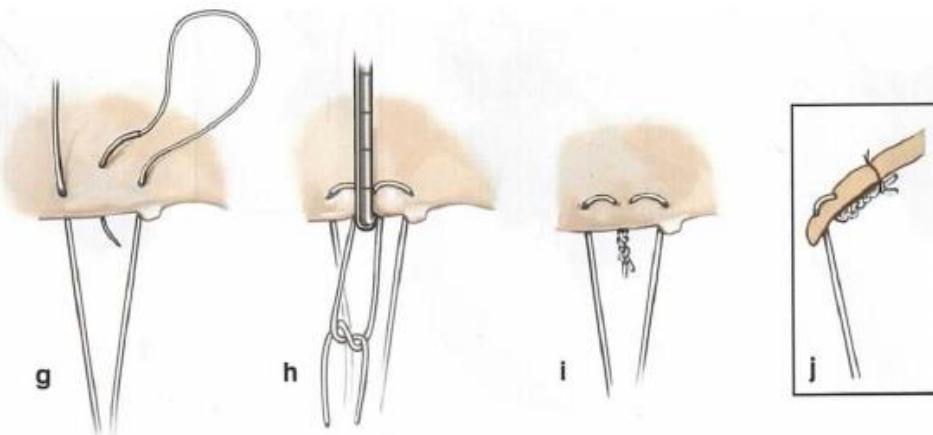
Commissural prolapse

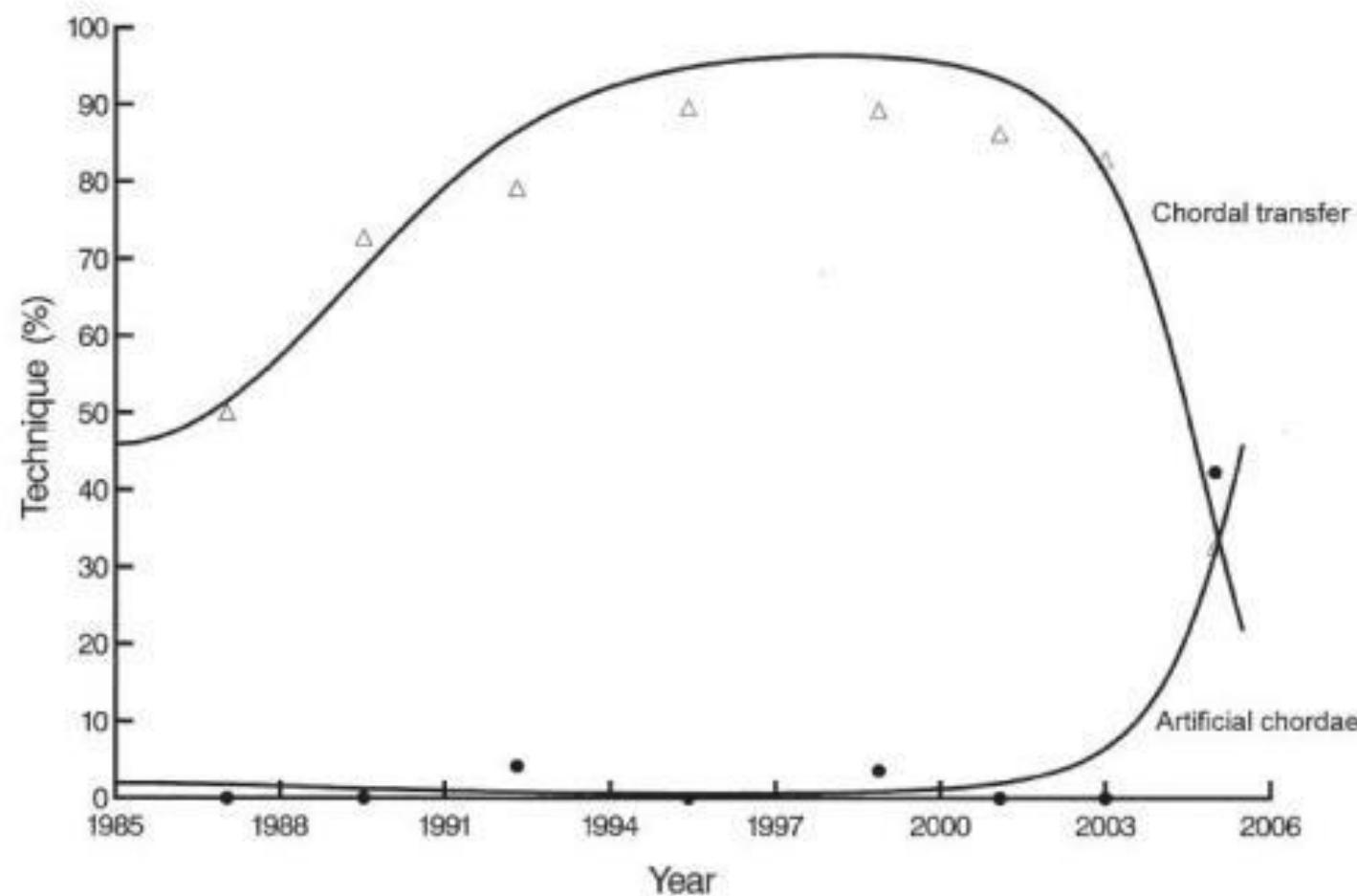
- Commissural plication
- Triangular resection



Anterior prolapse

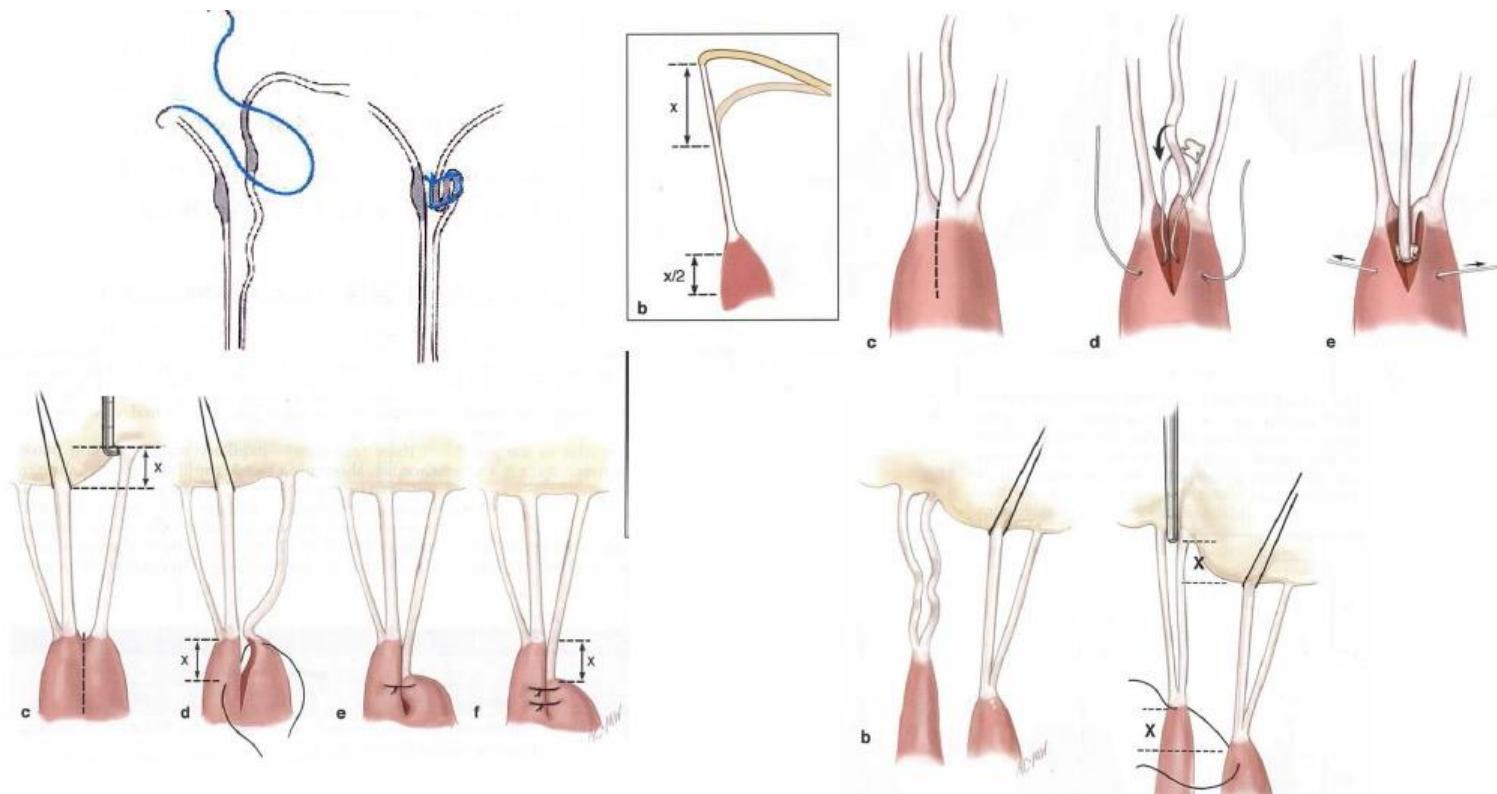
- Long-term results : **posterior>>anterior**
- **Artificial chordae implantation**





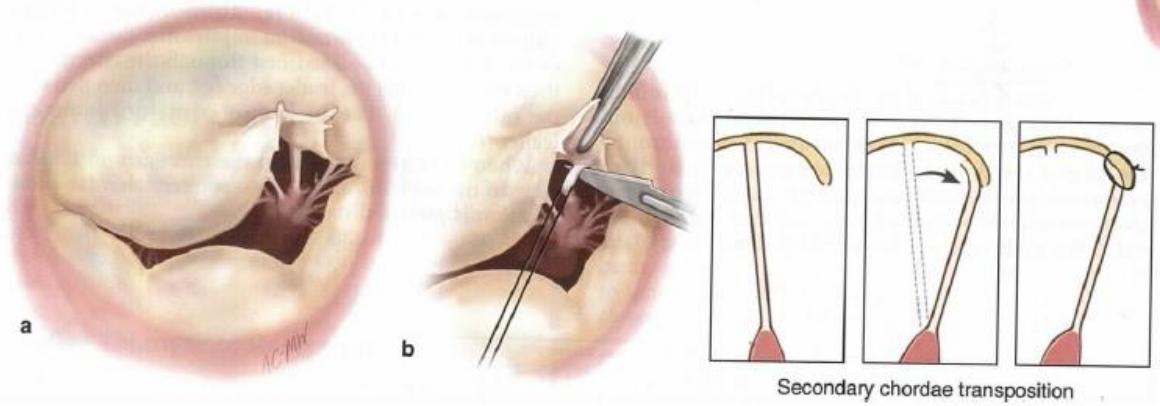
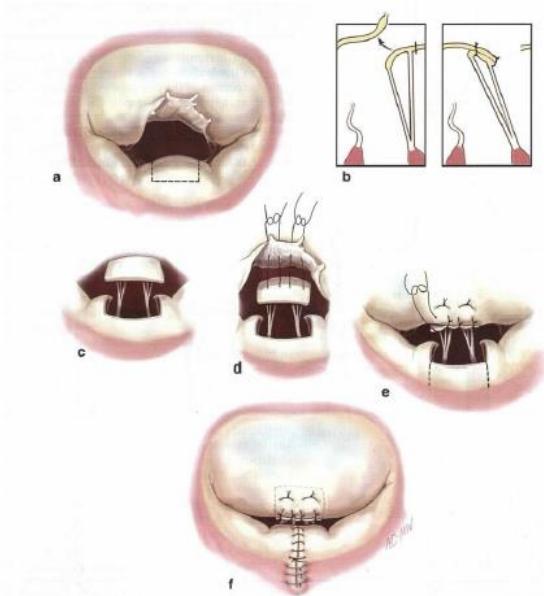
Anterior prolapse

- Chordae shortening
- Papillary muscle sliding plasty



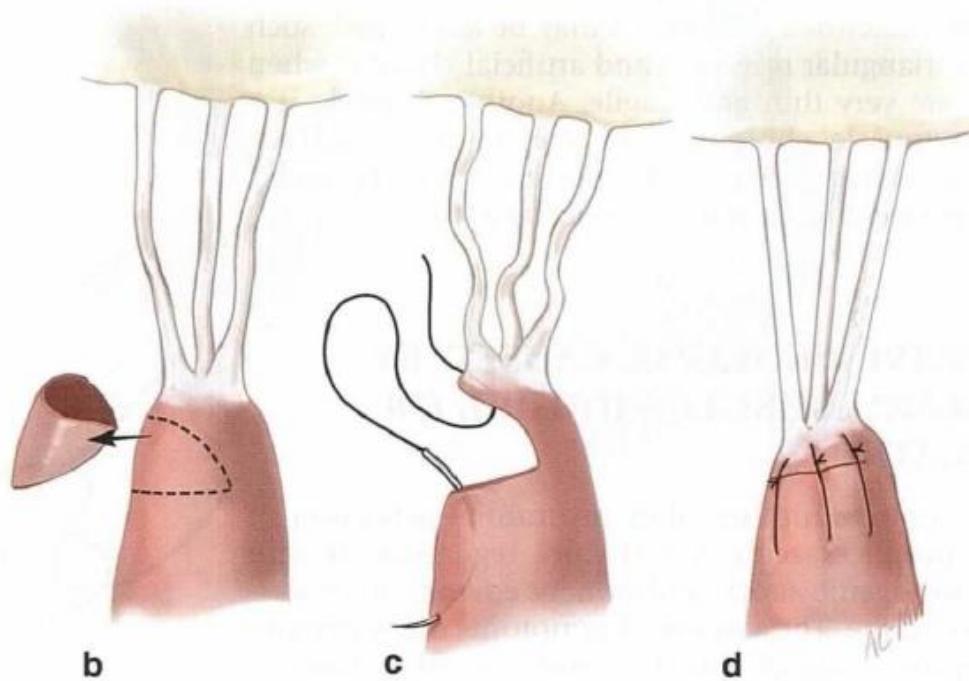
Anterior prolapse

- Chordae transfer
 - 2ndary chordae
 - Posterior chordae



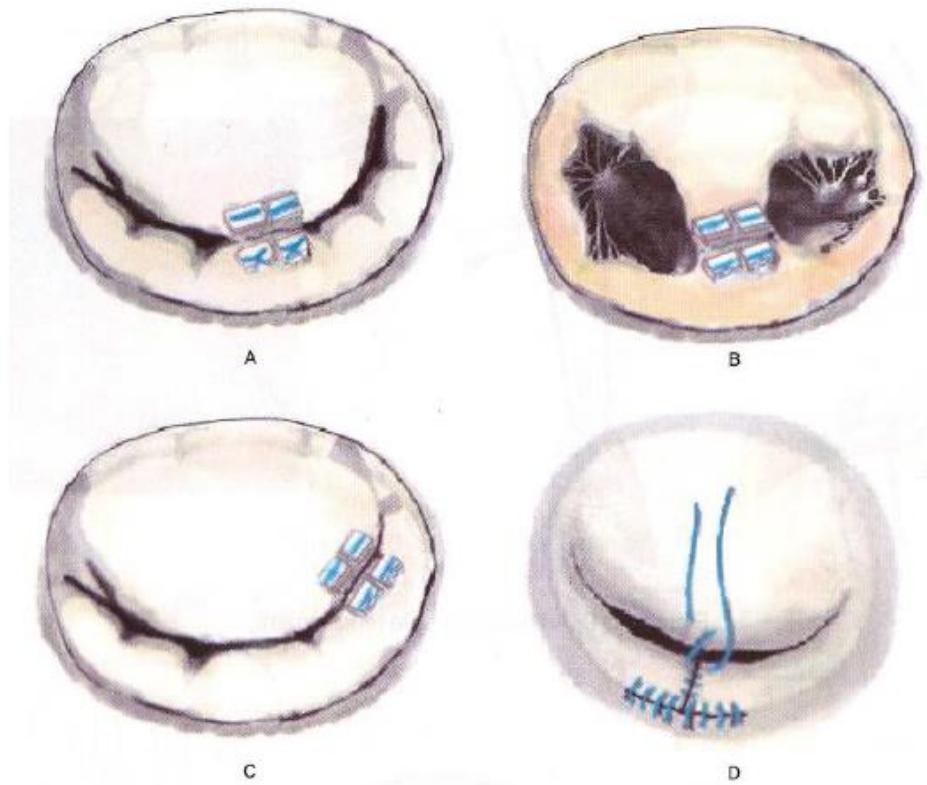
Anterior prolapse

- Papillary muscle shortening



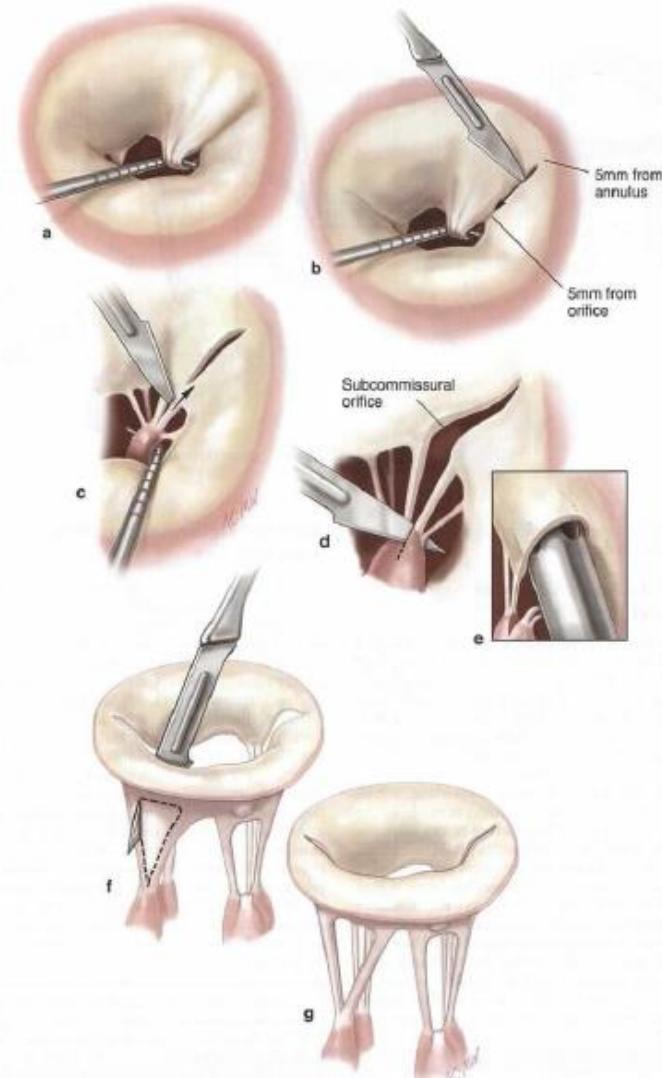
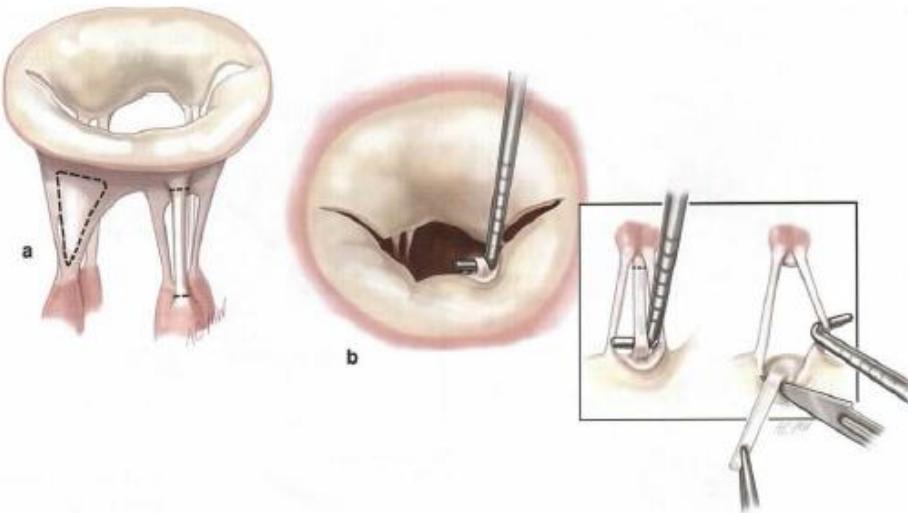
Anterior prolapse

- Alfieri(double orifice) technique
: not to make stenosis



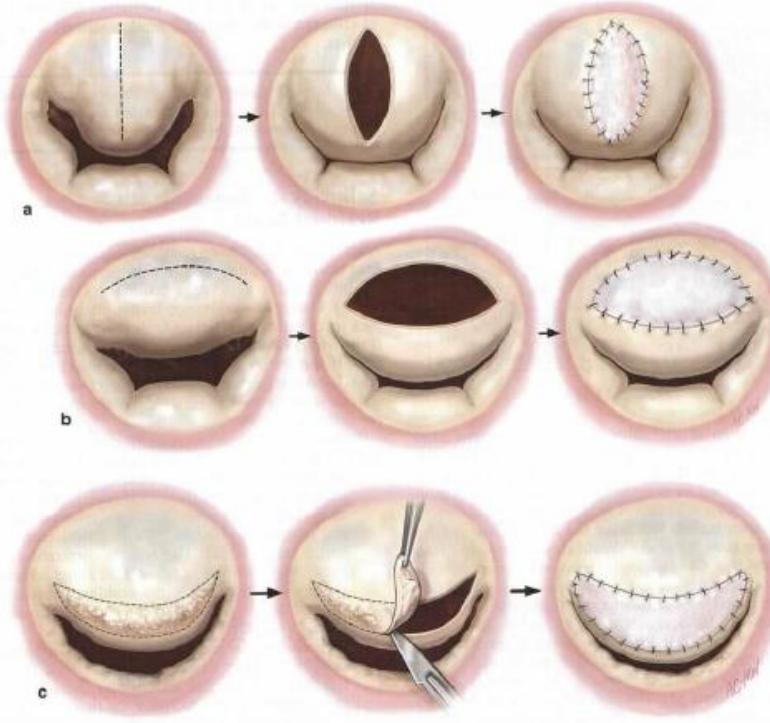
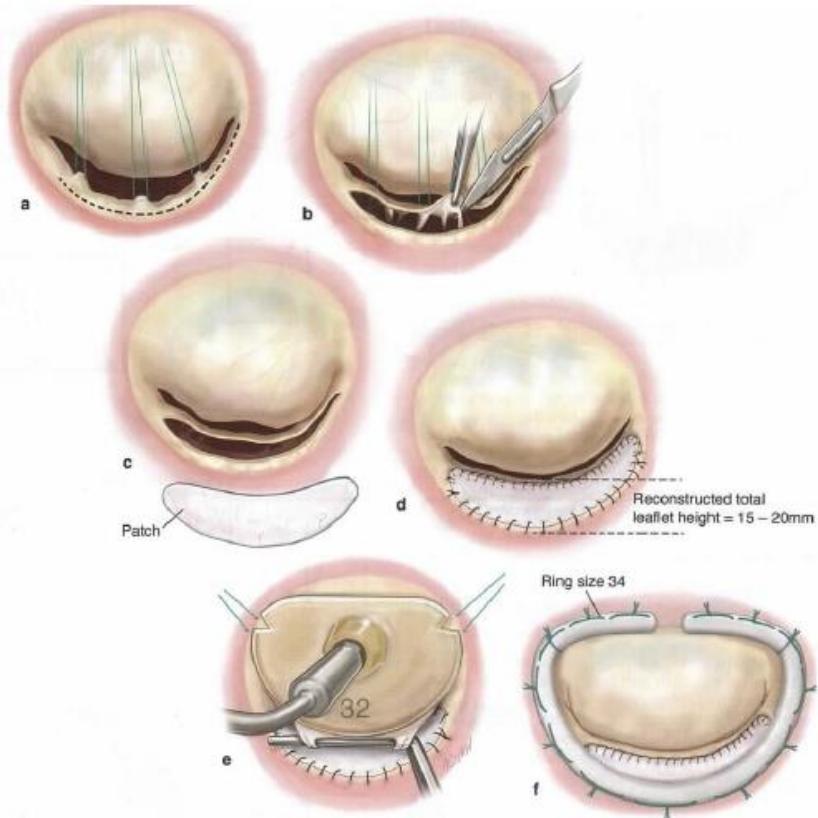
Rheumatic MV disease

- Commissurotomy
- 2ndary chordae resection
- Not good result
in severe deformity valve

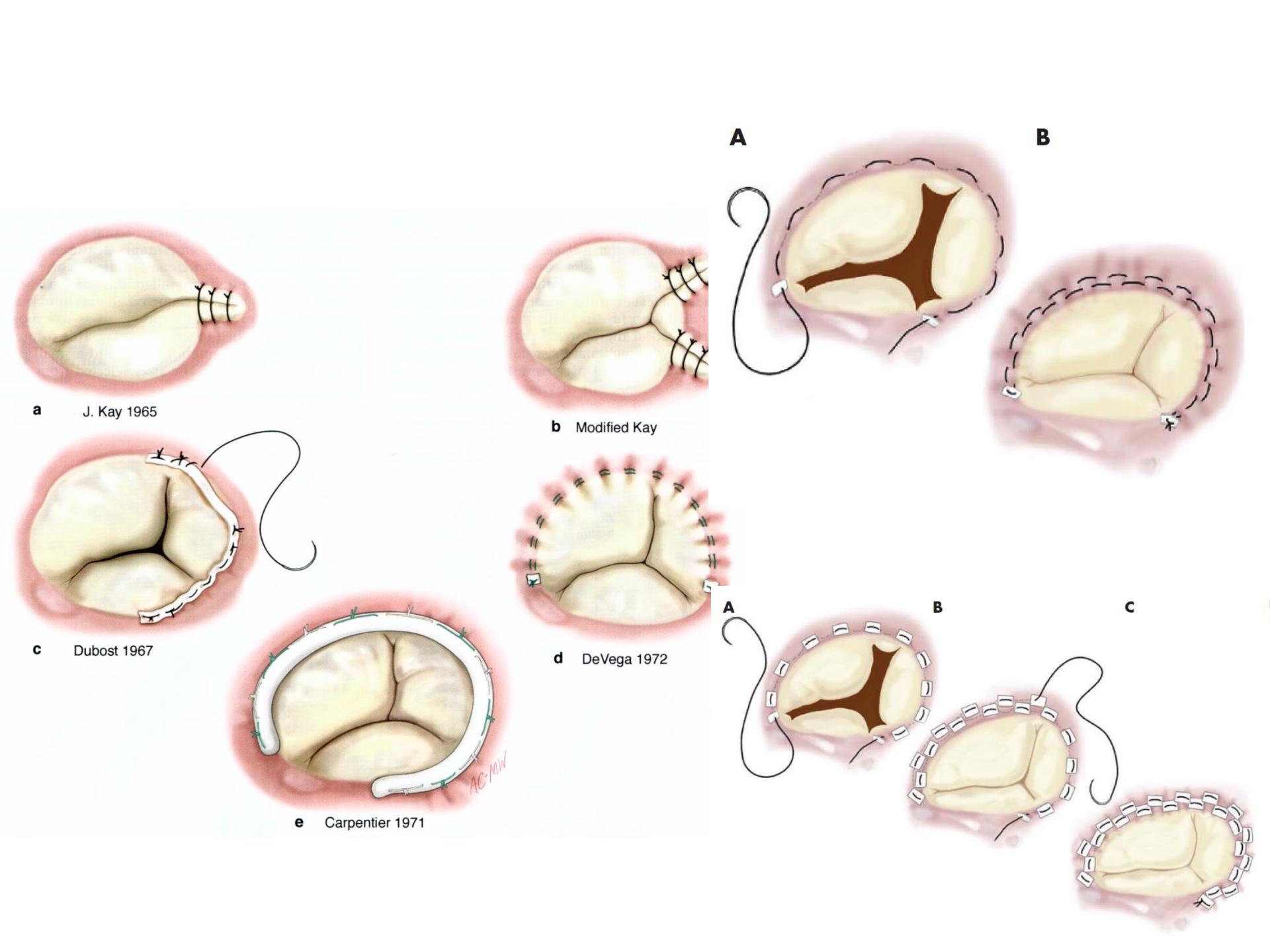


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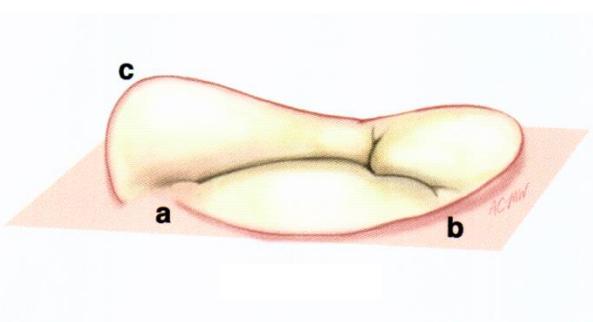
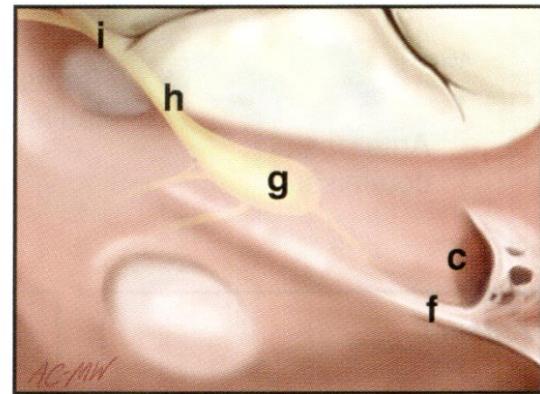
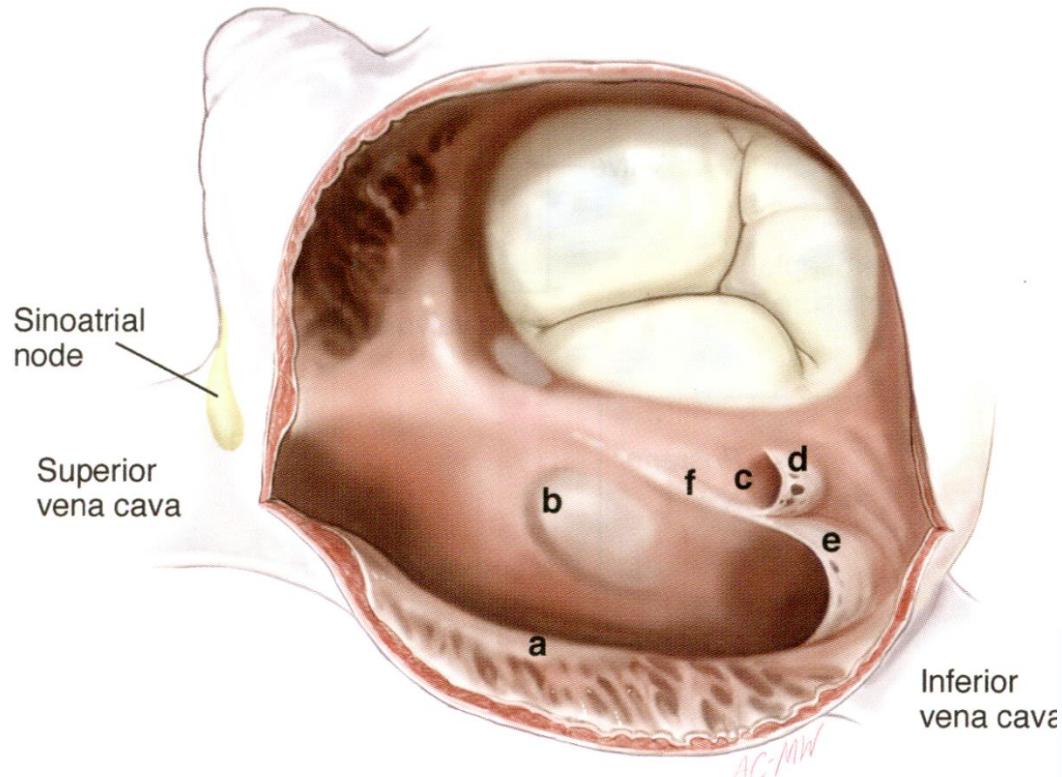
- Leaflet extension : pericardium



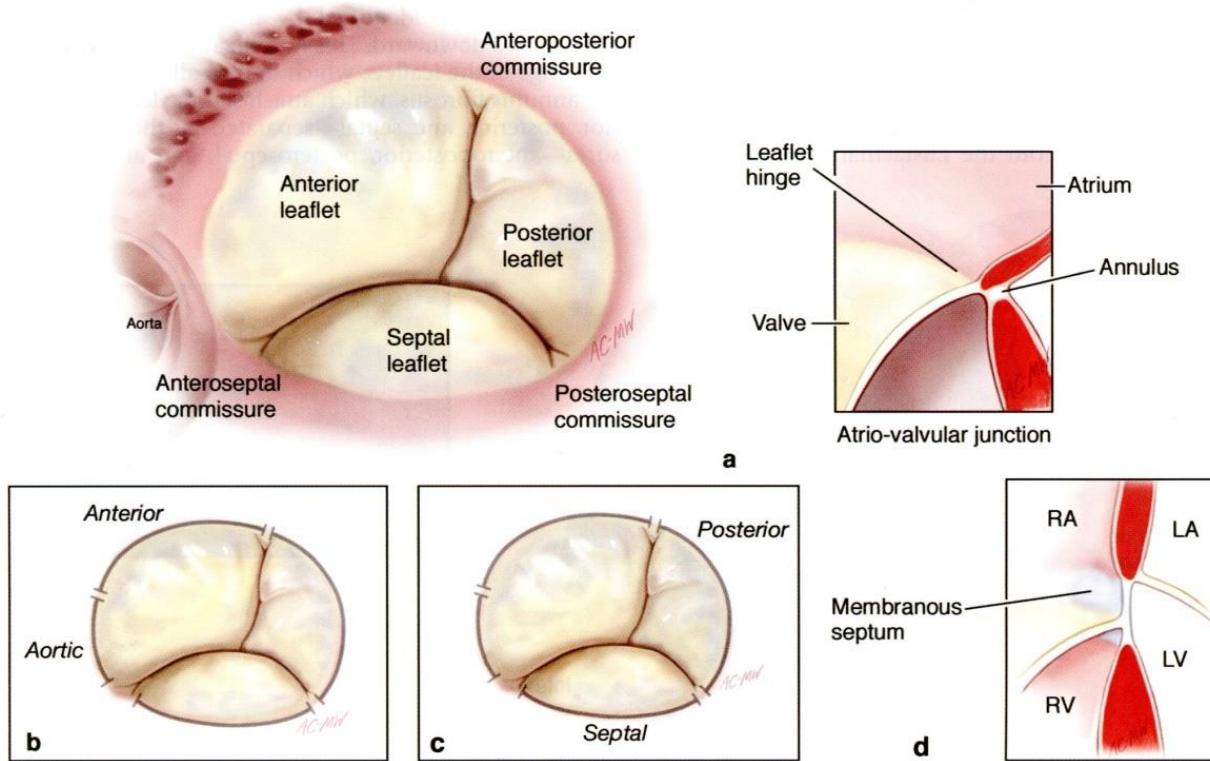
Tricuspid valve repair

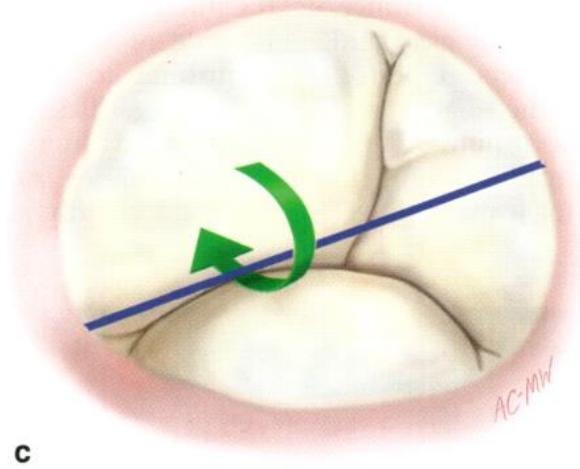
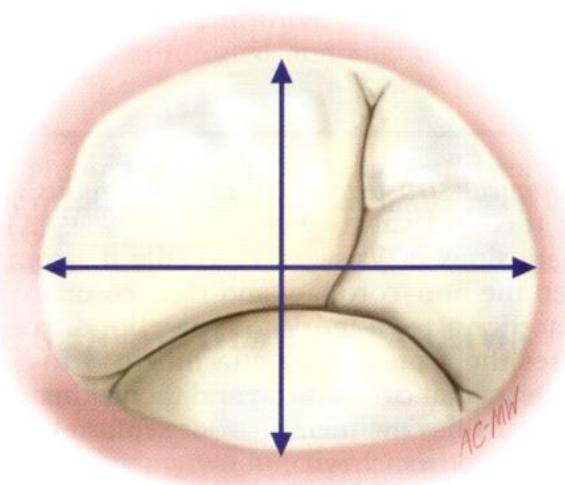
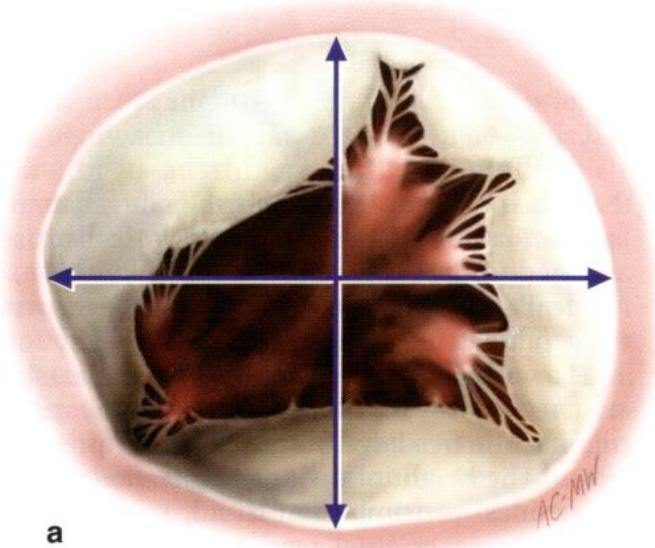


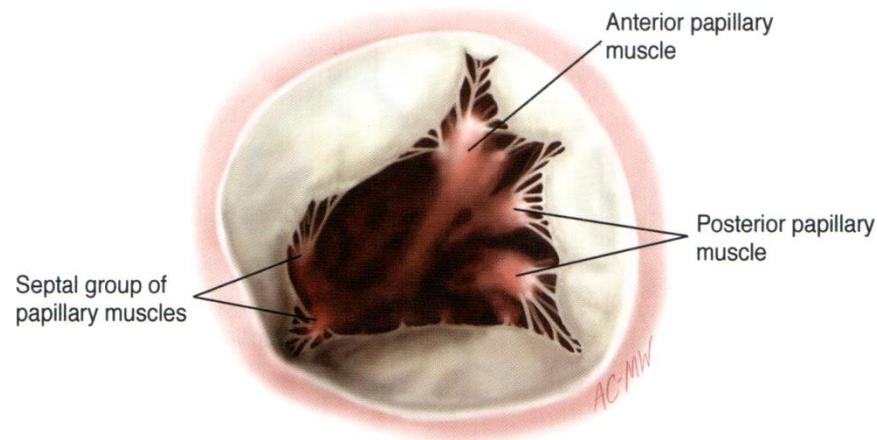
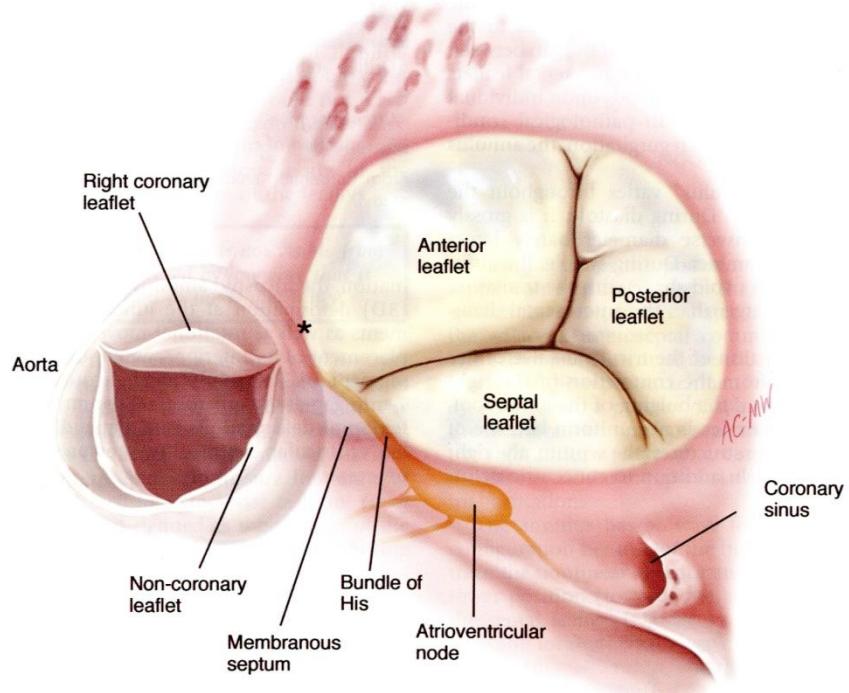
Anatomy of Tricuspid valve



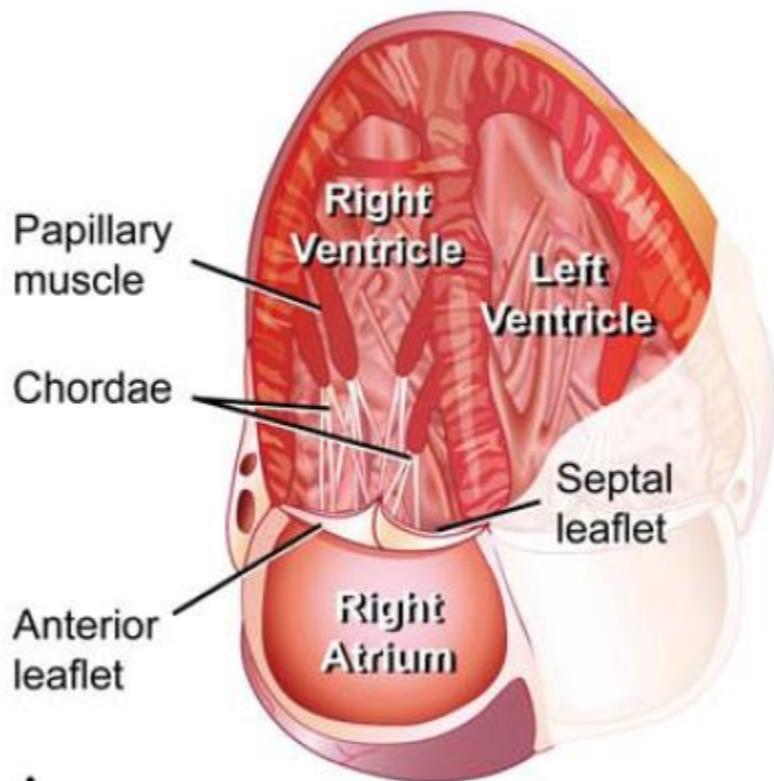
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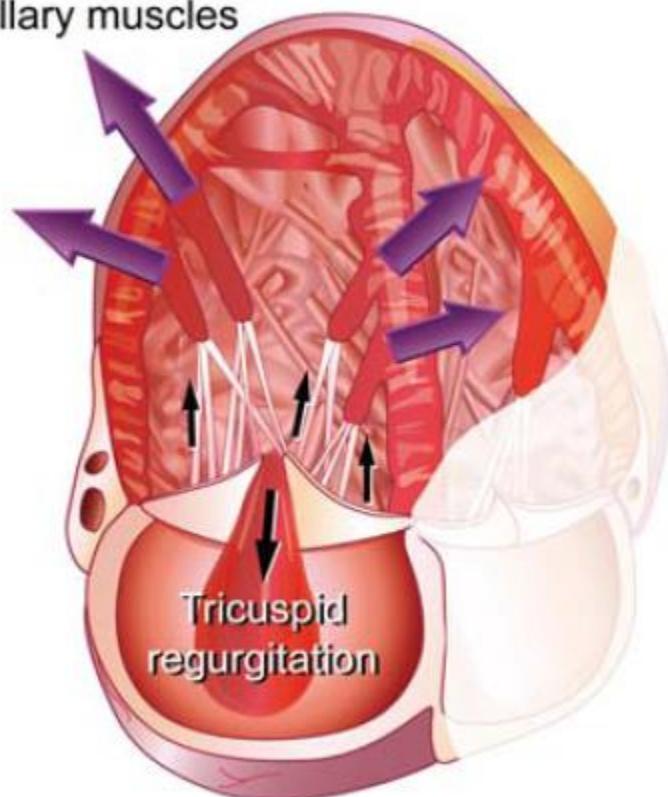




Functional TR



Displacement of the papillary muscles



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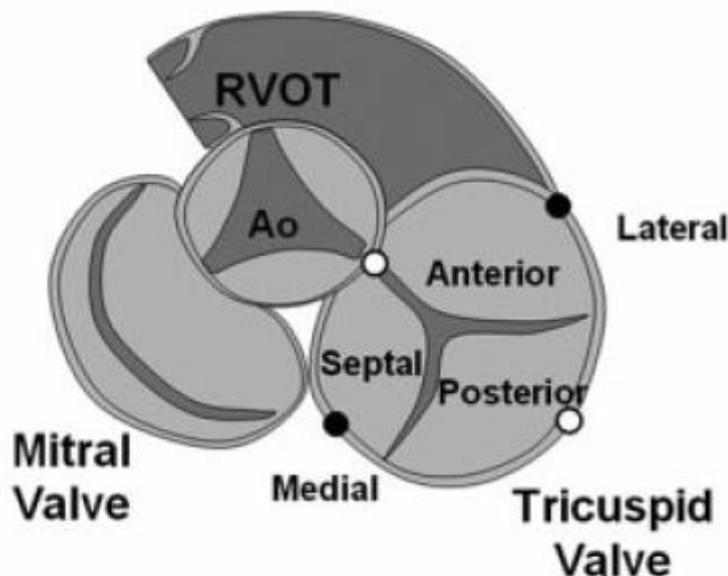
B

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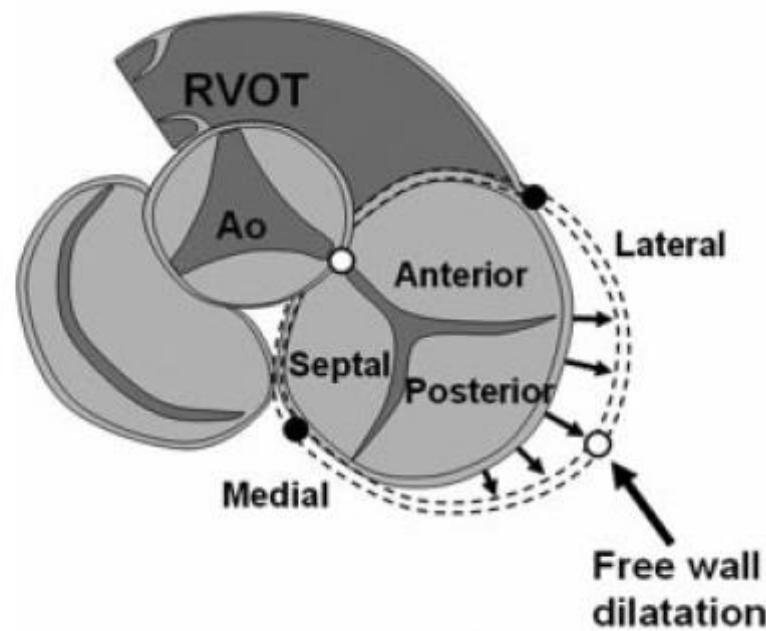
A

- High Points
- Low Points



B

- High Points
- Low Points



Ton-Nu T et al. *Circulation*. 2006;114:143-9

Ring annuloplasty

- **Differential Annulus Dilatation**

: Dilatation of the annulus does not affect all leaflets the same

- Posterior leaflet can increase up to 80%
- Anterior leaflet can increase up to 40%
- Septal leaflet can increase up to 10%

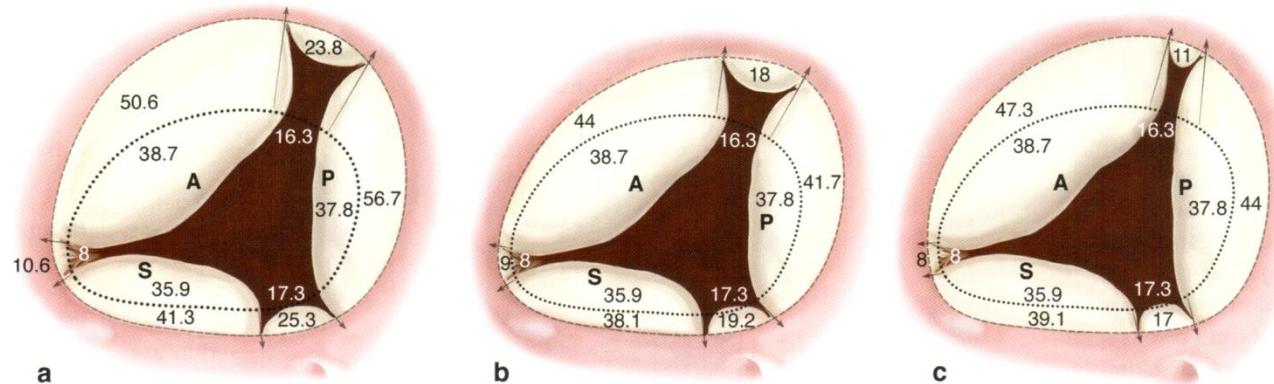


Table 2. Comparison of Selected Annuloplasty Approaches for Functional TR

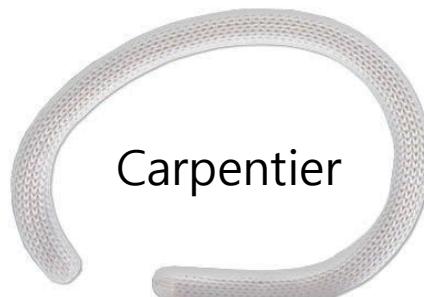
	Bicuspidization	Classic De Vega	Flexible Band	Rigid Ring
Simplicity	Yes	Yes	No	No
Added time	<5 min	<10 min	10-20 min	15-20 min
Reproducibility	Low	Moderate	High	Very high
Annular stabilization	Posterior	Anterior/posterior	Anterior/posterior	Septal/anterior/posterior
Risk of heart block	None	Minimal	Minimal	Low
Residual TR	High	Moderate	Low	Low
Recurrent TR	High	Moderate	Low	Low
Cost	Cheap	Cheap	Expensive	Expensive

This assumes techniques are applied by general cardiac surgeons without specific expertise in either repair technique.
TR, tricuspid regurgitation.

Table 1. Commonly Used Rings and Bands for the Treatment of Functional Tricuspid Regurgitation

Name	Manufacturer	Rigid or Flexible	Size and Shape (Closed or Open)	Comments
Carpentier-Edwards	Edwards Lifesciences	Rigid Ring	26-36 mm open	Dedicated tricuspid, planar
Cosgrove-Edwards	Edwards Lifesciences	Flexible band	26-38 mm open	Mitral or tricuspid
MC3	Edwards Lifesciences	Rigid titanium Ring	26-36 mm open 3D	Dedicated tricuspid, 3D conformation
Duran AnCore	Medtronic	Flexible ring or band	25-35 mm closed or open	Mitral or tricuspid
Tailor Annuloflex	St. Jude Medical CarboMedics	Flexible ring or band Flexible ring or band	Closed or open 26-36 mm convertible closed or open	Mitral or tricuspid Mitral or tricuspid
Simulus	ATS Medical	Flexible ring or band	23-35 mm closed or open	Mitral or tricuspid

Rogers JH, Bolling SF, et al. Semin Thoracic Surg 22:84-89



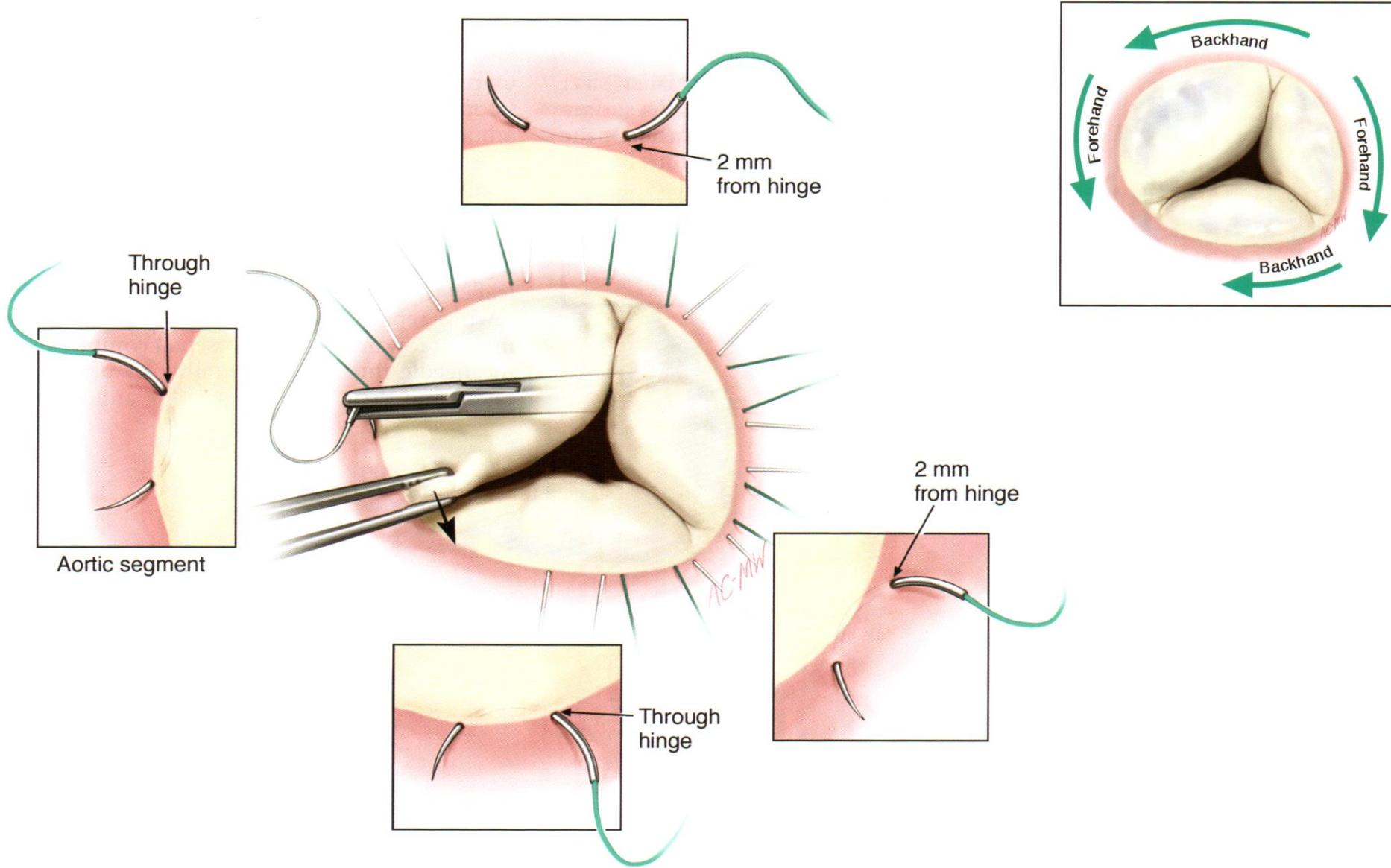
Carpentier



Cosgrove

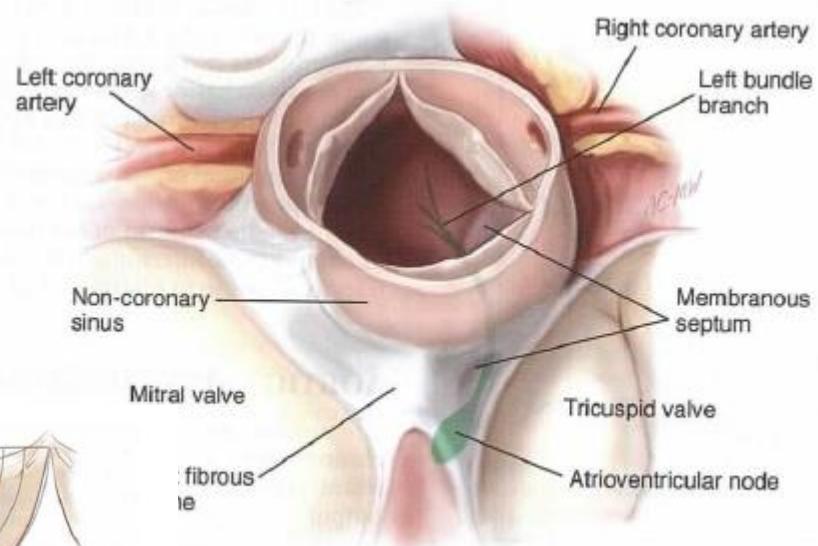
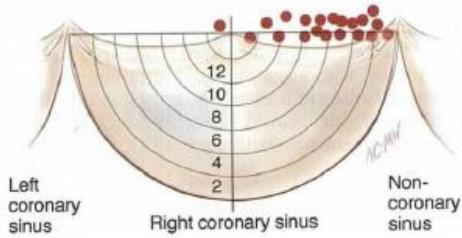
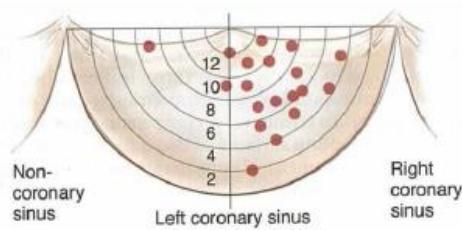
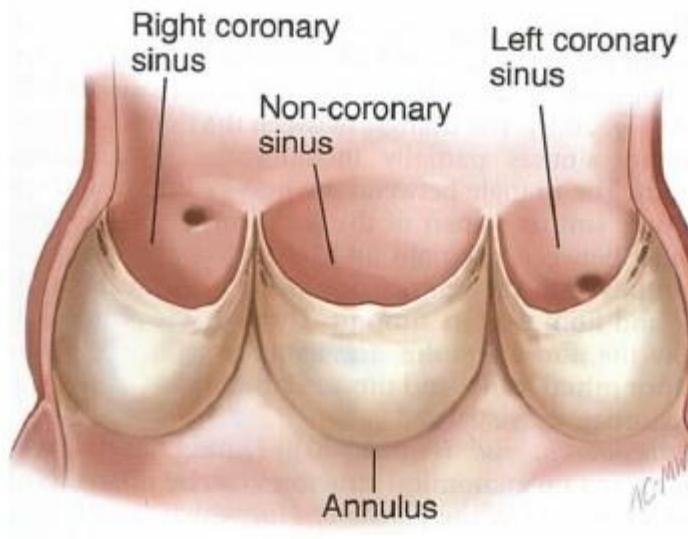


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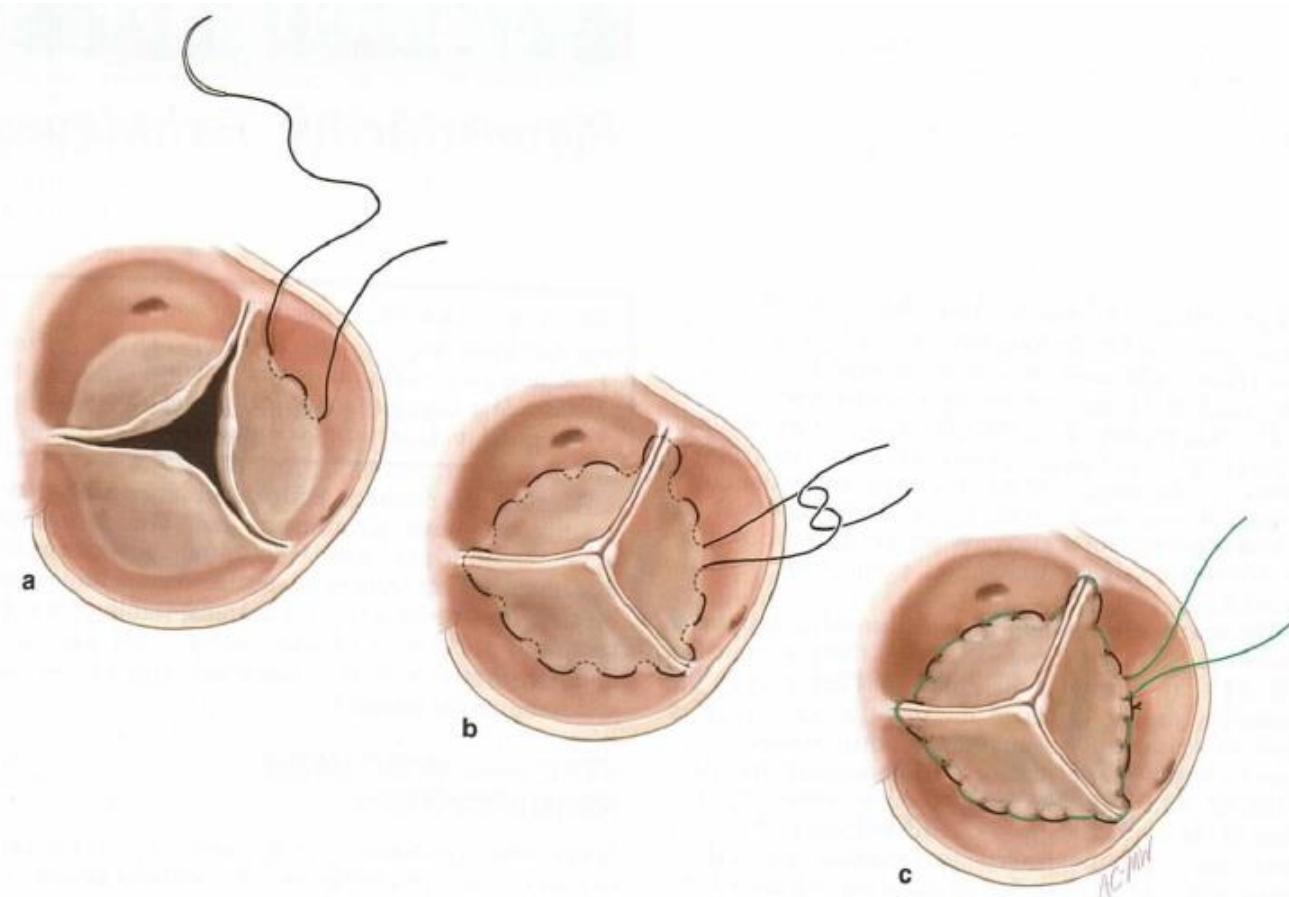


Aortic valve repair

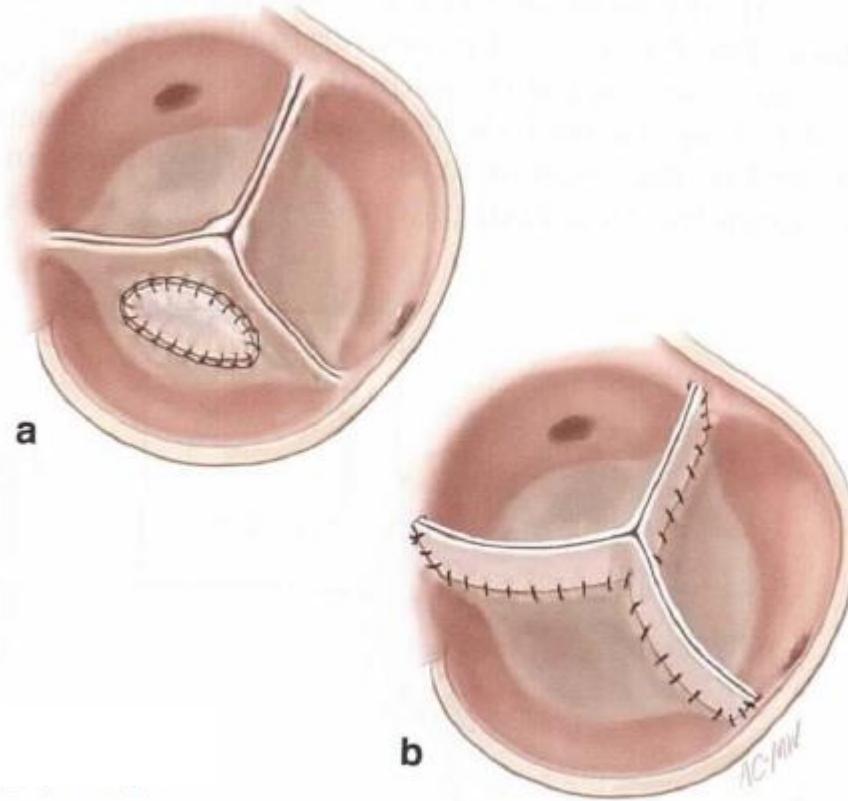
Anatomy of Aortic valve



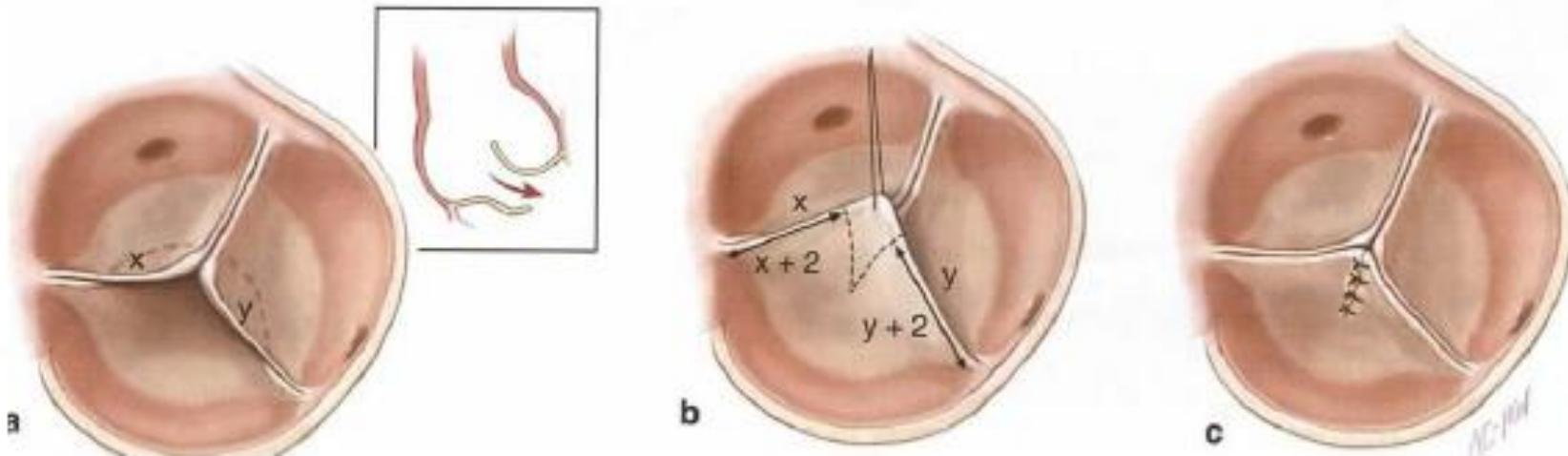
Annular dilatation



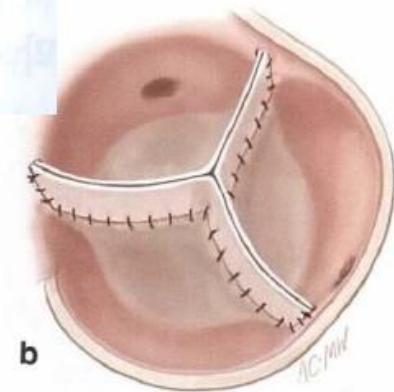
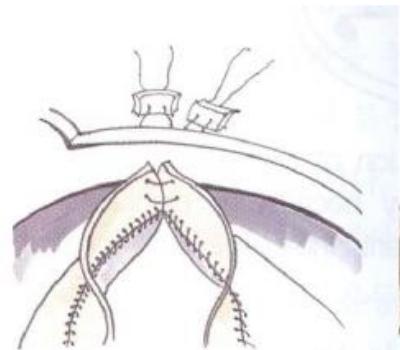
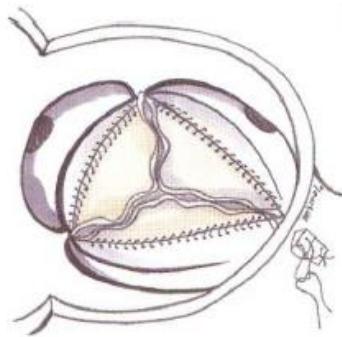
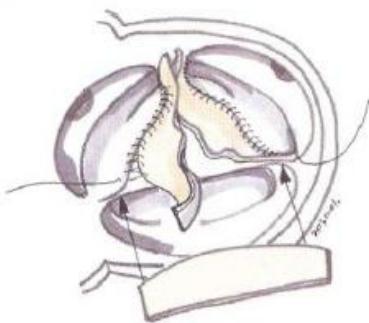
Leaflet perforation



Leaflet Prolapse



Leaflet extension



Summary

- **Adequate knowledge for Valve**
- **Adequate ring annuloplasty(MV, TV).**
- **Artificial chordae(MV)**
- **One lesion one technique principle(MV)**