Urology, new user-interface

A brief guide to help orientate you to our new interface.

BROWSING

Whilst the core functionality of the products remains the same, all the browsing functionality has been moved to the left-hand toolbar.

Content is now organized by media type and illustrated with thumbnails to make finding what you need quicker and easier than ever.

Images, text, movies and animations can also be saved and shared from here.

IMAGE CONTROLS

The way you interact with the 3D model is still very much the same. Select a structure to highlight the image and display corresponding text, and use the rotation, layer and zoom controls beneath the image to navigate.











PATIENT INFO

Use the Patient Info tab to access pdf files to share with your patients. All the pdfs open in a separate window and can be saved and printed for future use.

The tab also contains the files in Word format, which you can download and edit yourself.



What is kidney cancer?

Kidney cancer (also known as renal cell carcinoma or RCC) is a malignant tumor, and accounts for 3% of all adult tumors. It affects men up to twice as commonly as women, and usually presents in individuals aged between 50 and 70 years. It ariases in the parencityma of the kidney (i.e., the cortax or medulla of the kidney). Cigarette smoking is considered a high-risk factor for the development of RCC.

Kidney cancer usually arises sporadically; however, there are inherited forms, the most well known is Von Hippel–Lindau disease.

The incidence of RCC appears to be rising, but this may be as a consequence of an increased use of imaging modalities, such as ultrasound and CT scanning, for the investigation of a number of unrelated conditions.

How do patients present?

Patients can present to their doctor or specialist in a number of ways:

- A 50% of RCC cases are diagnosed as incidental findings when patients are being investigated for other unrelated conditions
- Blood in the urine
- → Loin or flank pain
- * Abdominal mass
- A Paraneoplastic symptoms such as high blood pressure, weight loss, anemia, and abnormal liver function tests

How is RCC staged?

RCC is commonly classified in stages using a CT scan with contrast (dye') to delineate the anatomy and the site and size of the tumor.

Once a kidney cancer is located, a CT scan of the chest is usually performed to exclude distant spread from the source of the cancer. Kidney biopsy can be performed as part of the investigation process, however, results are variable, and maging remains the first choice in the patient work-up. -











SHARE

Direct other users to exactly the image you want them to see using our share function – use the copy link button on PC and Android devices, or select and copy the link on iPad.







SETTINGS

Through the customizations in settings, you can now:

- hide the structure title and rollover labels for self quizzing or group testing;
- adjust colors of the highlight or background^{*} to meet group or personal accessibility preferences;
- adjust the run-speed at which the views and animations rotate.

* Currently, background color can only be adjusted in Chrome on PC, Mac and Android.







HELP

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For more information on how to use the product, please see the Help for an interactive point-and-click guide.

Video tutorials will be added soon.





For even more focus, both panels can be closed

