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Guideline for the assessment and management of gastrointestinal symptoms following colorectal surgery —A UEG/ESCP/EAES/ESPCG/ESPEN/ESNM/ESSO collaboration. Part II—Good practice guidance | sequelae to benign diseases

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Benign colorectal resections address non-oncological conditions using similar surgical techniques to oncological cases but preserve more mesentery, though any colorectal resection may adversely impact bowel function.

KEY POINTS

- Any type of colorectal resection could have an adverse impact on the patient's bowel function, irrespective of the underlying condition.
- Benign colorectal resections are performed for non-oncological conditions including diverticulitis, inflammatory bowel disease, polyposis coli, functional bowel disorders, and endometriosis.
- The surgical procedure mirrors that of oncological cases, but the primary distinction is preservation of a greater portion of the mesentery in non-oncological resections.

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