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GIANT RETRORECTAL EPIDERMOID CYST: A RARE CASE

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A case report describes successful laparoscopic excision of a retrorectal epidermoid cyst in a 35-year-old woman, highlighting that these rare tumors require multidisciplinary management due to risks of infection and malignant transformation.

KEY POINTS

- Retrorectal epidermoid cystic tumors are rare and usually asymptomatic, but symptoms such as pain or neurological disorders should raise suspicion of degeneration.
- The reported patient presented with a painless rectal mass and sitting discomfort; imaging revealed a 76 × 70 mm pre-sacral mass that was excised via posterior laparoscopy and confirmed as an epidermoid cyst.
- These tumors carry risks of infection and malignant transformation, necessitating a multidisciplinary approach to optimize treatment success.

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