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Title: Extraperitoneal laparoscopic resection for retroperitoneal lymphatic cyst: initial experience

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Reviewer: Henry Pleass

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This article does not define lymphocele or describe the options of management. It is not clear, but is suggested that the lymphocele is resected, but simple drainage into the peritoneal cavity would be the standard of care and is commonly done laparoscopically. The description of the procedure is poor and perhaps a video submission would be much more effective.

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