

中文題目：食道破裂：加壓胃食道球誤置的致死性併發症

英文題目：Esophageal rupture: The fatal complication of Sengstaken-Blakemore tube malposition

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Abstract:

Acute variceal bleeding is a life-threatening complication among cirrhotic patients. Endoscopic banding and medical vasoactive medications are the mainstay treatment for active bleeding varices. Sengstaken-Blakemore tube indwelling is an effective temporizing measure used in stopping variceal bleeding when primary therapies fail. Although SB tube has more than 90% effectiveness in primary hemostasis, it has some lethal complications. We present a case of esophageal rupture due to SB tube malposition during urgent band ligation. Patient expired a week later after the fatal event.