



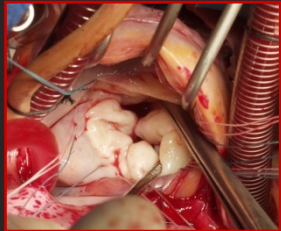
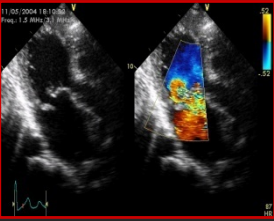
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The II° CARDIOTEAM INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM Update on Mitral Valve in Tuscany “Live Surgery and Echocardiography”



Massa, Italy, April 18th-19th 2008

Program Directors: M Glauber M Diena



11.30 Live Surgery & Echocardiography (I°): Mitral valve repair through right minithoracotomy - **Mattia Glauber**

13.00 Lunch

14.00 Insight into the mechanisms of mitral regurgitation - **Serban Mihaileanu**

14.20 Ischemic mitral incompetence: when to operate? - **Gino Gerosa**

14.40 Minimal approach to mitral valve disease - **Romuald Cichon**

15.00 Discussion

15.30 Coffee break

16.00 Live Surgery & Echocardiography (II°):
Mitral valve repair with goretex cordae **M.Diena – M Glauber**

17.20 Massa experience of mitral surgery through minithoracotomy.
Tricks & pitfalls. **Mattia Glauber**

17.40 Mini mitral repair: UCLA experience - **Alexander Marmureanu**

18.00 Discussion

20.00 Dinner





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