

Precise stent positioning in bifurcation stenting

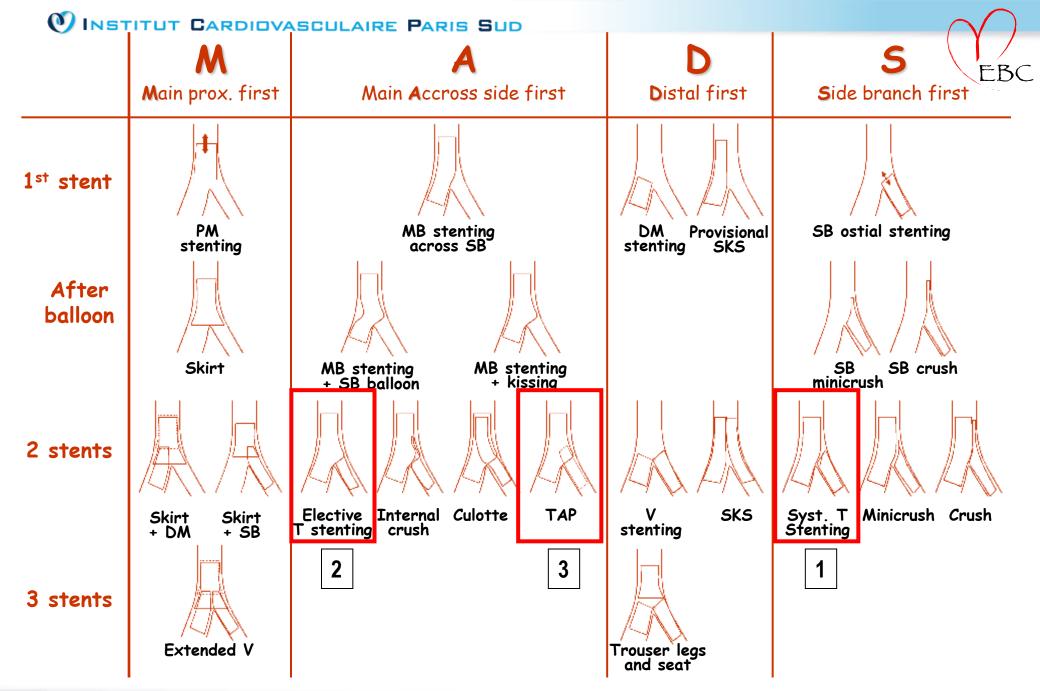
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Nothing to disclose



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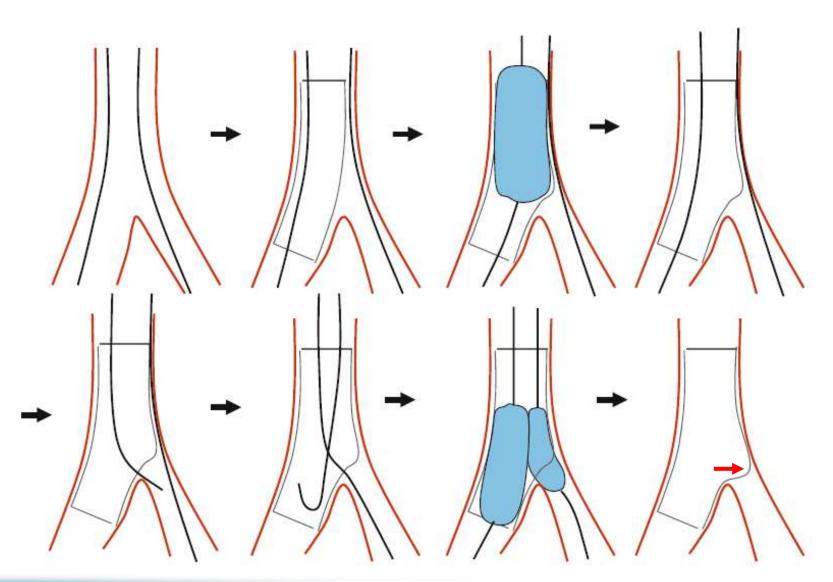


Provisional strategy: elective T / TAP interest of stent enhancment





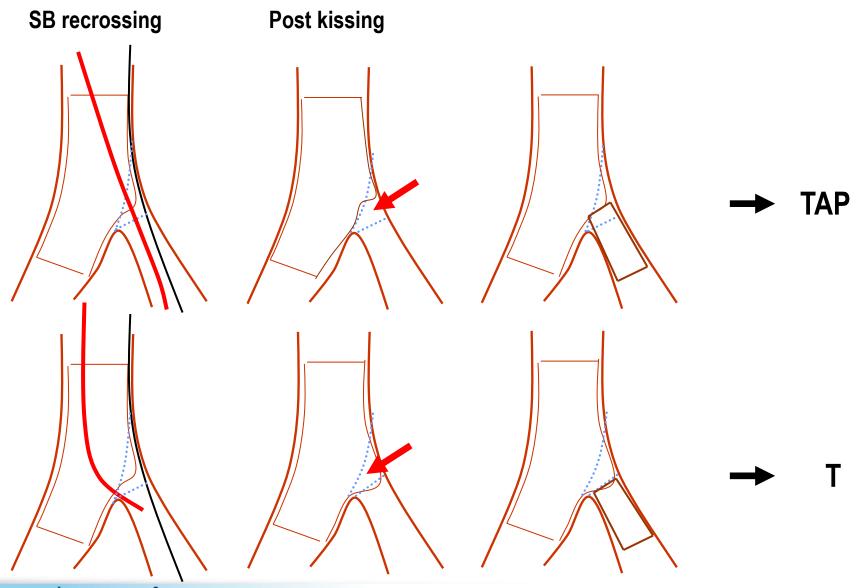
Provisional T stenting





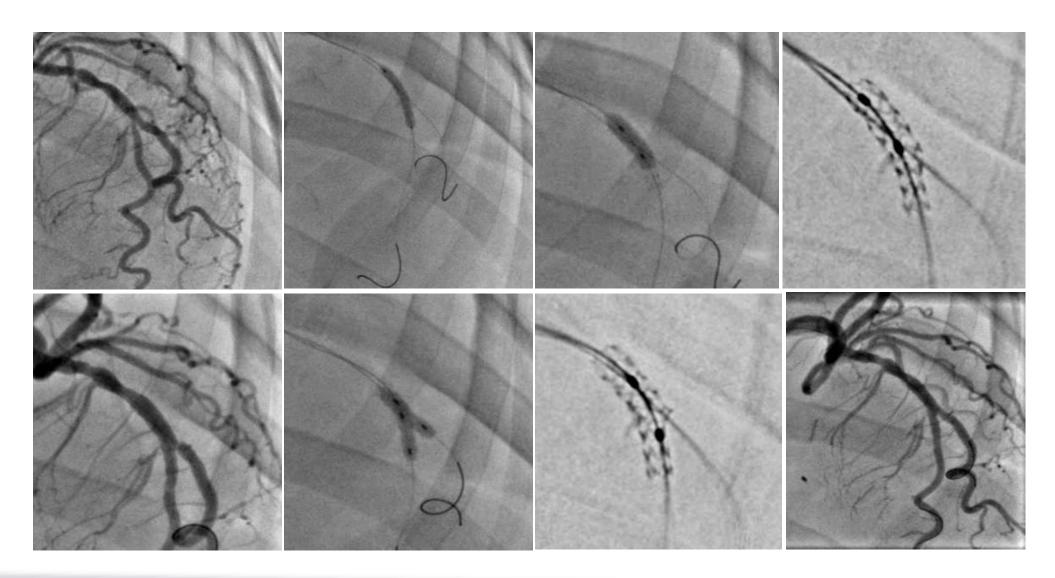


T or TAP?





Provisional T stenting

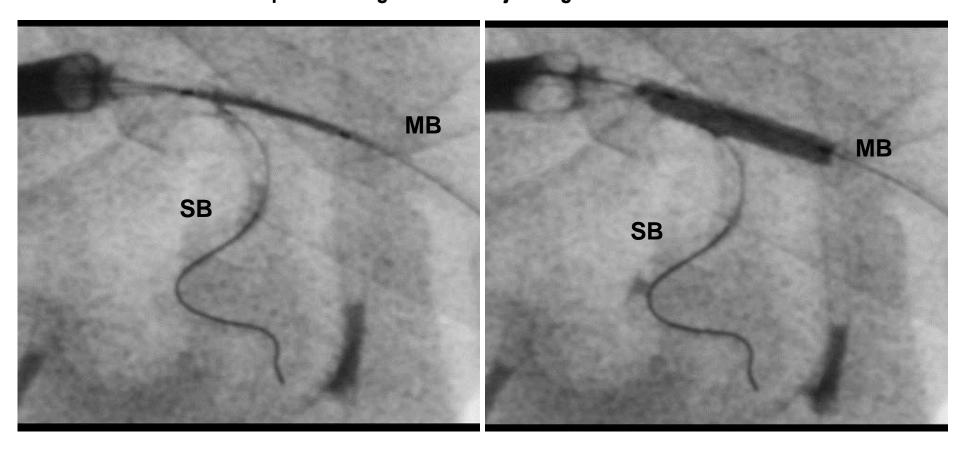








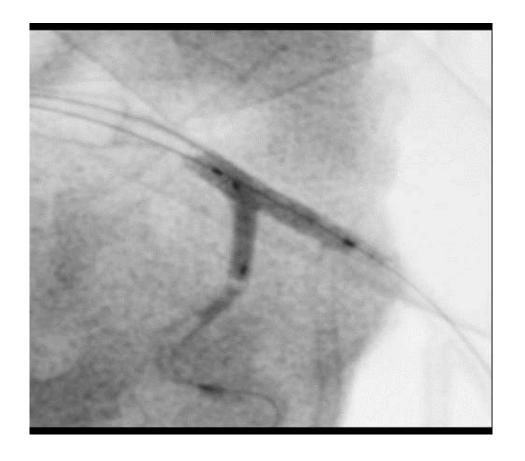
Step 1: stenting on MB with jailed guidewire on SB







Step 2: Kissing on MB and SB after rewiring of the SB (according to Provisional T-stenting strategy)

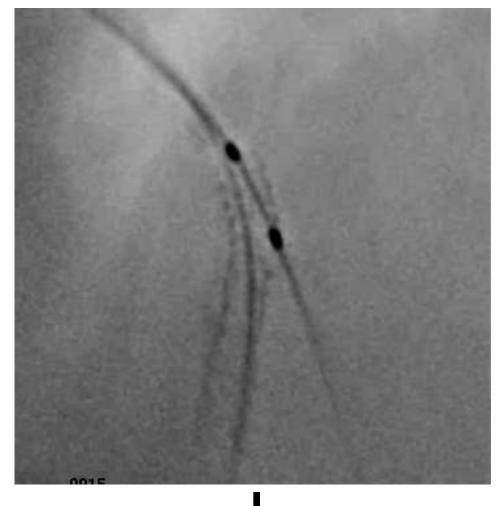




T or TAP? (stent boost)







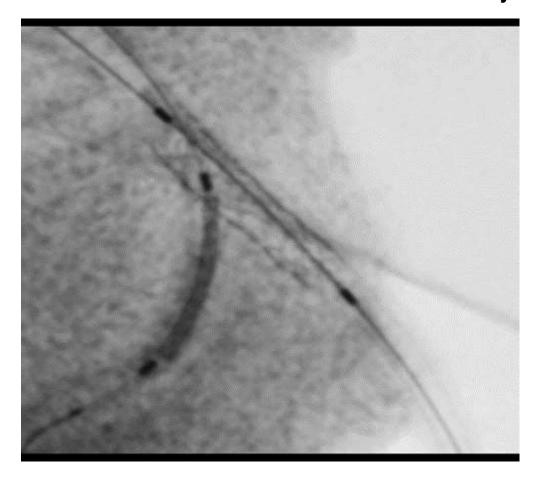








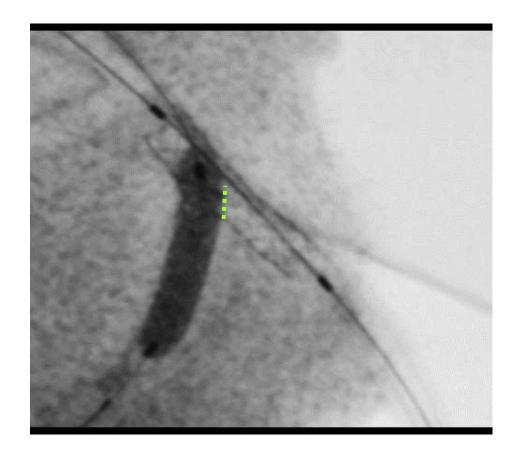
Step 3: Placement of the stent on the SB with uninflated balloon on MB ready for final kissing balloon







Step 4: Inflation of the stent on the SB with uninflated balloon on MB ready for final kissing balloon





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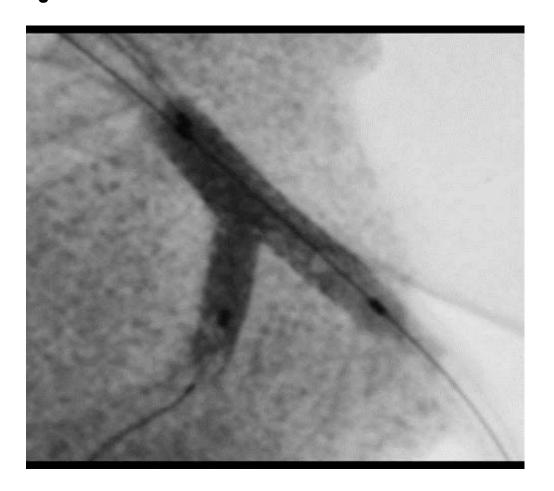
Step 5: The balloon of the SB stent is slightly pulled within the MB to perform kissing balloon inflation







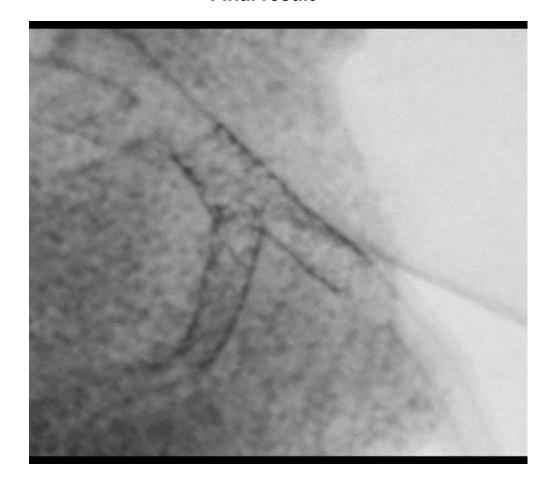
Step 6: Final kissing balloon of the bifurcation with the SB stent's balloon and the MB balloon











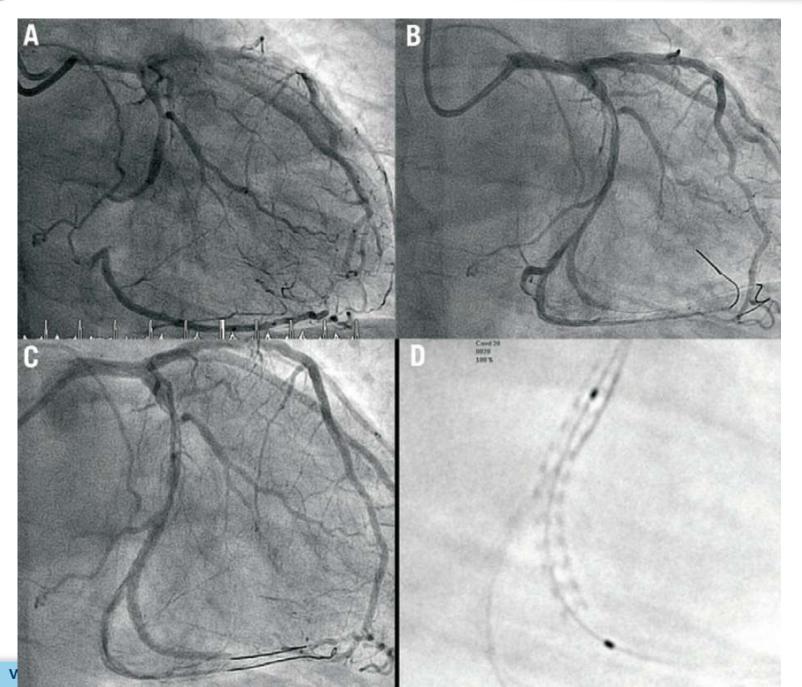




Other advantages of stent enhancment; avoid mistakes

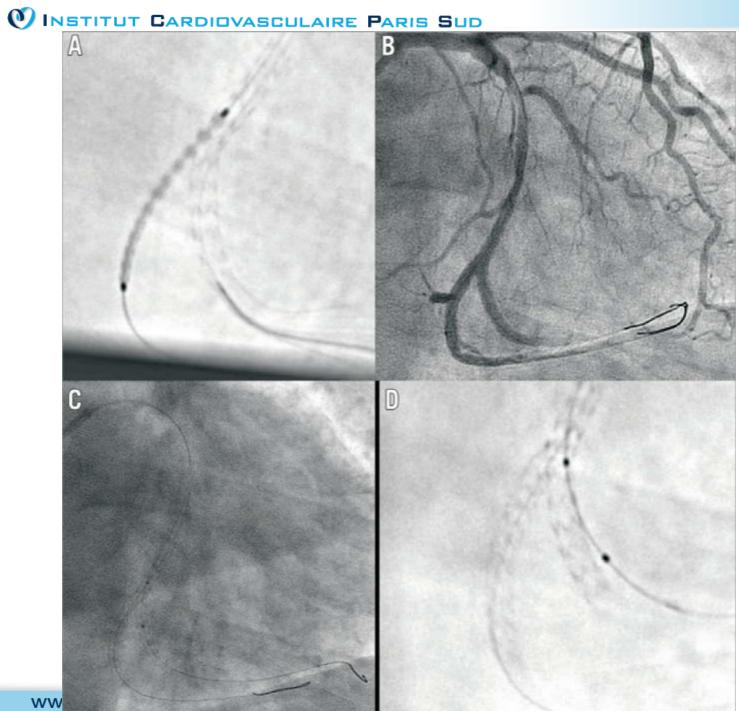
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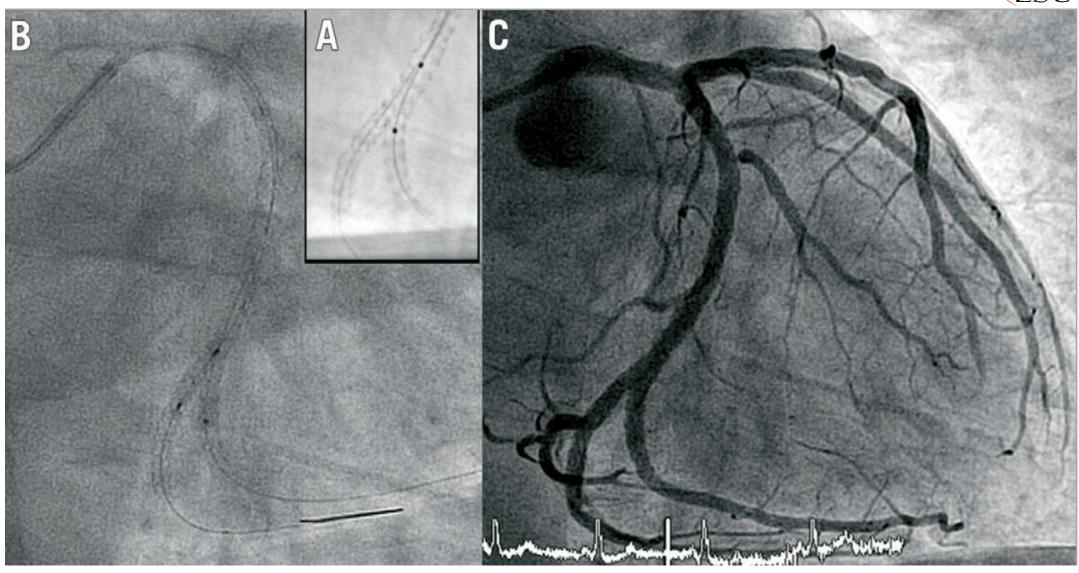












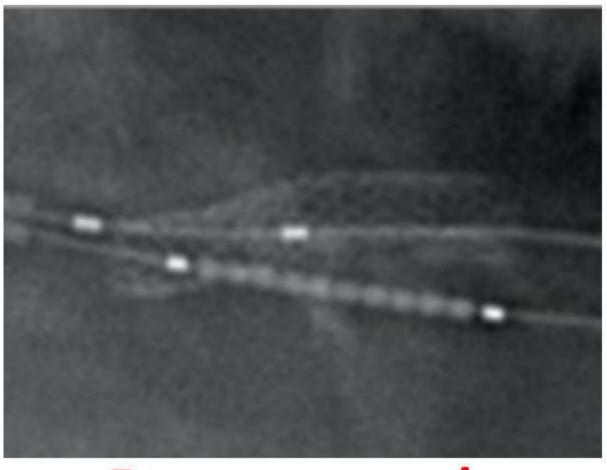




Stent enhancment usefull for any 2 stent technique







Reverse crush

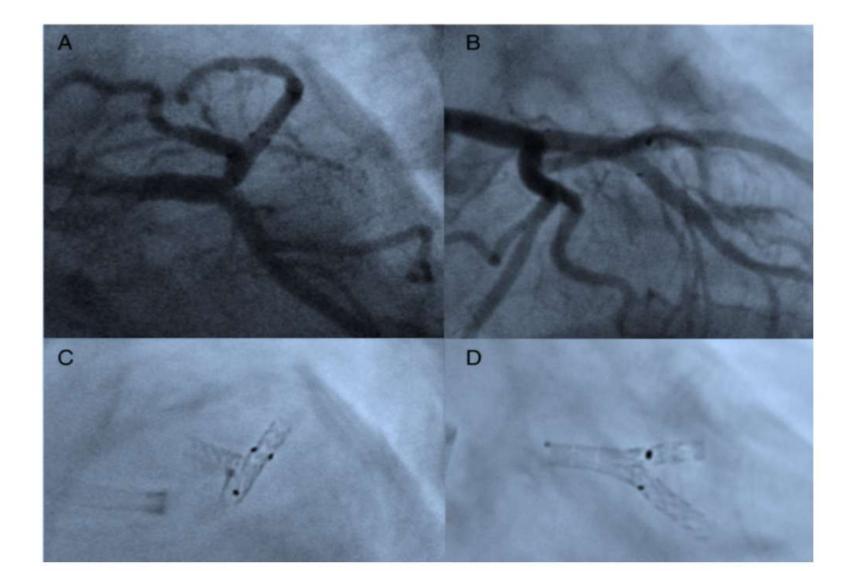


Also for dedicated stents



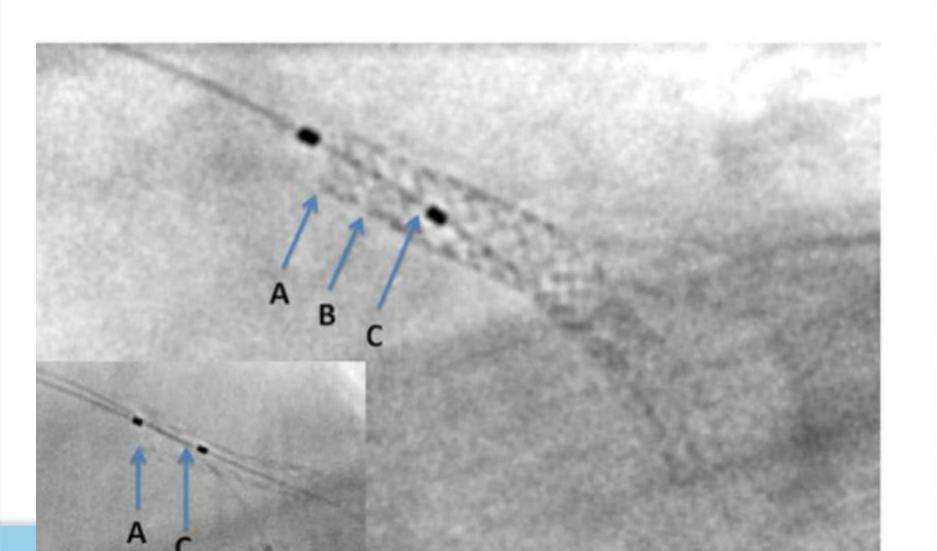


Axxess[™] stent





TRYTON stent



Stentys[™] stent







Conclusion

- Precise positionning of the stent(s) is crucial for the outcome of the treatment of a bifurcation lesion, zoom, collimation help to see better
- Stent enhancement is a real must to be precise in stent positionning, specially when using complex techniques, and for the selection of the 2 stent technique to use
- Other imaging modality (OCT, IVUS) help to assess and optimise the result But not for positionning