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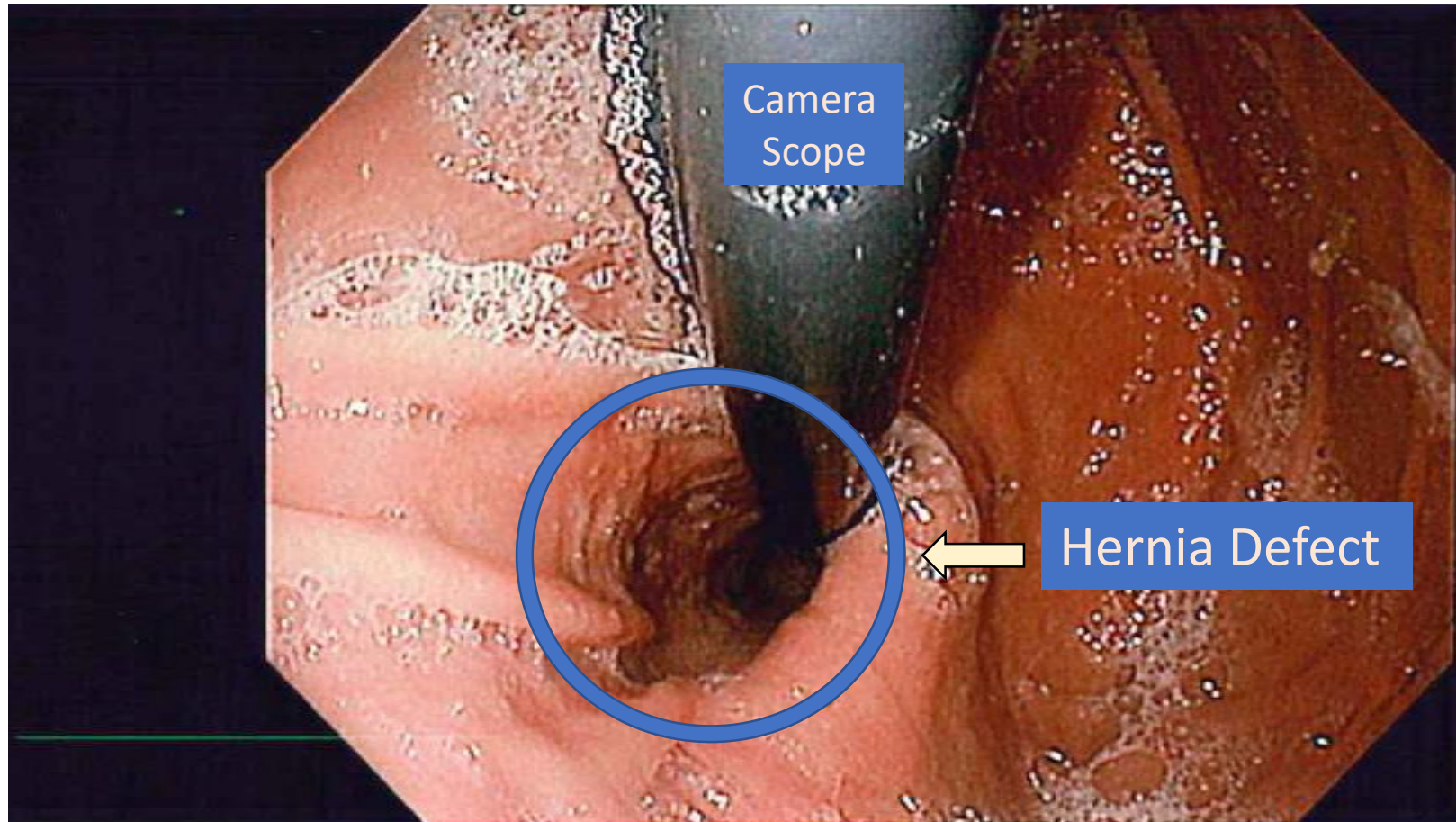
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# Hiatal Hernia Repair

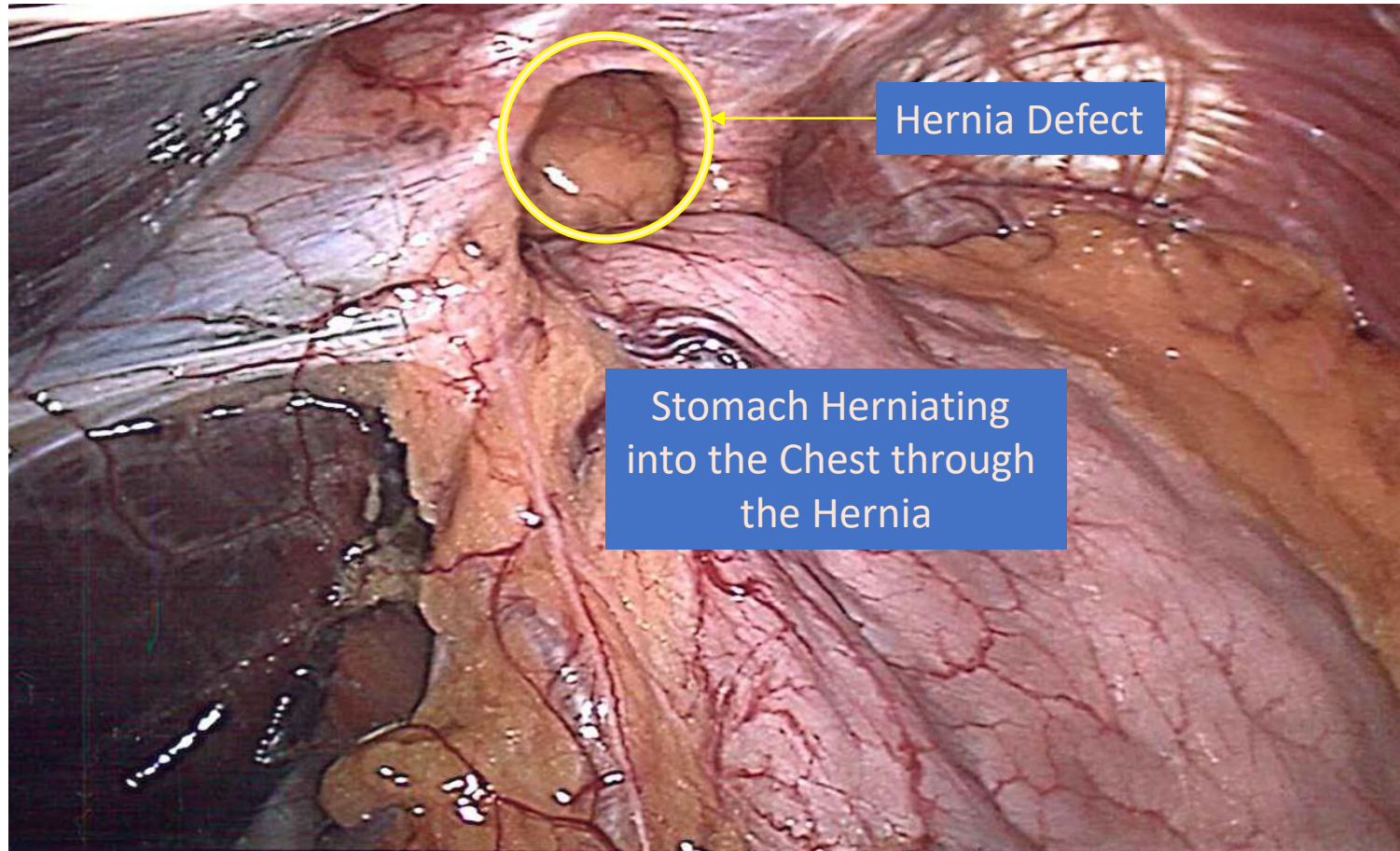
# What Is a Hiatal Hernia?

- Hiatal hernia occurs when the opening in the diaphragm (the breathing muscle) enlarges allowing the stomach to herniate (move up) into the chest.
- Hiatal hernia weakens the anti-reflux barrier between the esophagus and stomach leading to acid reflux disease.
- Hiatal hernia repair is a very effective in stopping reflux and is done through tiny incisions.
- Patients undergoing hiatal hernia repair go home the same day with minimal discomfort.

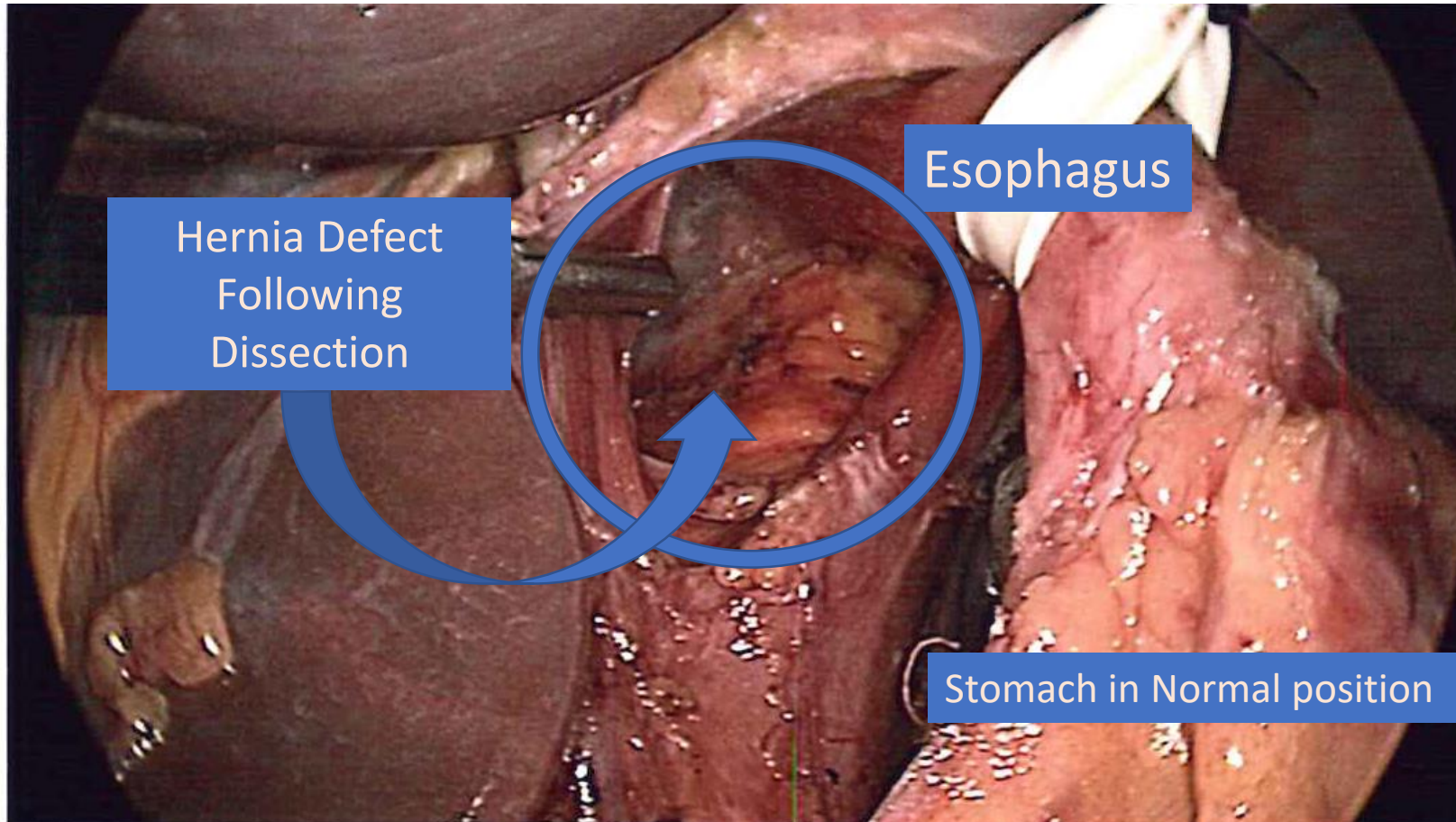
# Upper Endoscopy View



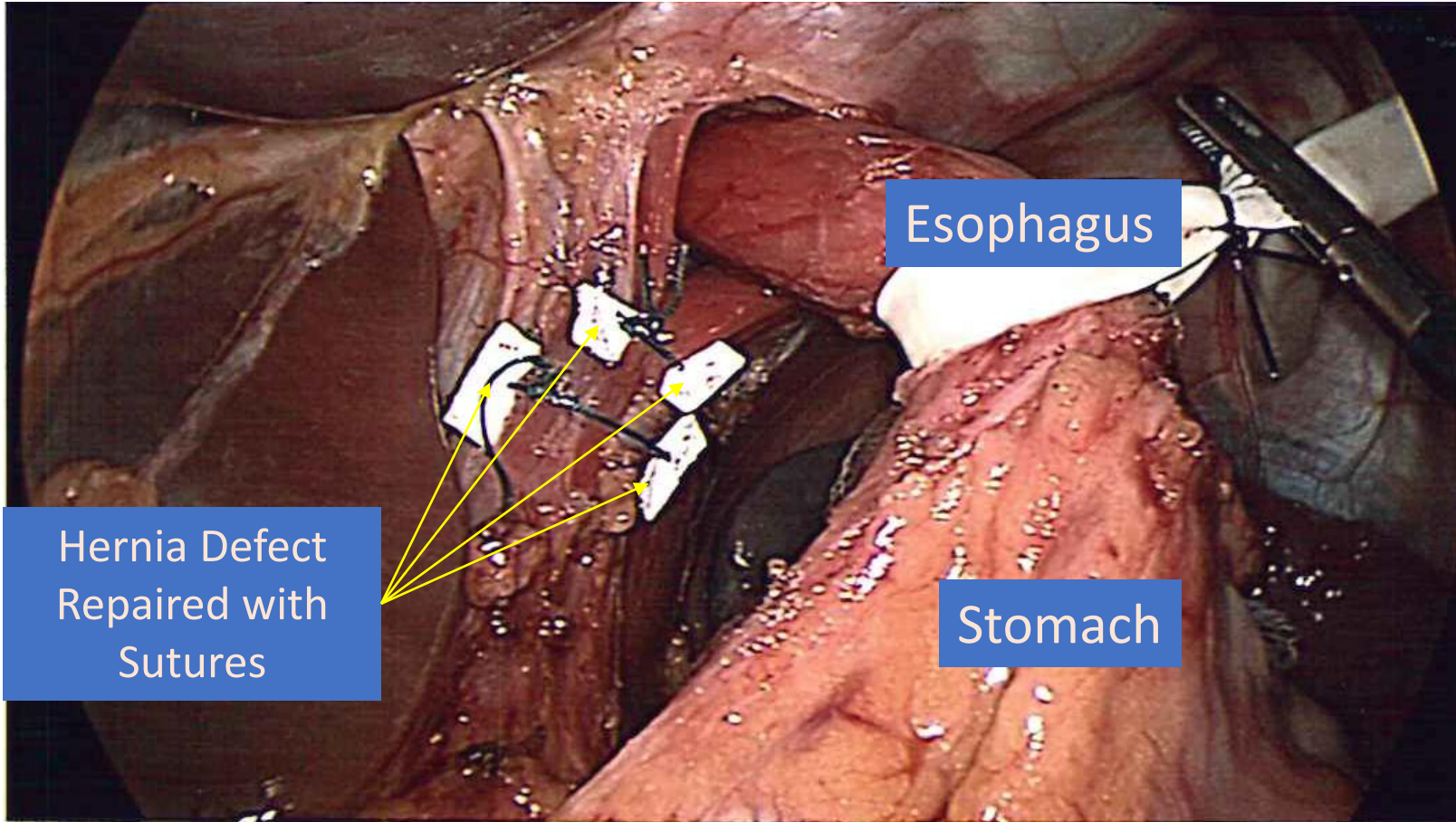
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# Hiatal Hernia Following Dissection



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# Do You Suffer from a Hiatal Hernia?

- Call 832-945-8717 to schedule a complimentary consultation
- Check [www.houstonheartburn.com](http://www.houstonheartburn.com) for minimally invasive and effective solutions for hiatal hernia repair