

ILEOSTOMY / COLOSTOMY

1. Received, labelled as X, a specimen composed of one / two intestinal segments measuring XXX cm / and a stoma with an attached skin patch measuring XX cm.
2. Externally, no remarkable features are identified // a defect measuring X cm is identified, located X cm from the closest margin // a lesion measuring XX cm is identified, with X characteristics.
3. On opening, the mucosa appears preserved, without other abnormalities // the mucosa appears congested / atrophic / erythematous.
4. Representative sections are submitted as follows:

1st Example (Loop ileostomy):

- A1: proximal surgical margin.
- A2: distal surgical margin.
- A3: section of the stoma / skin patch.

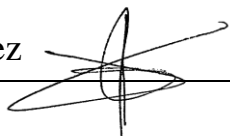
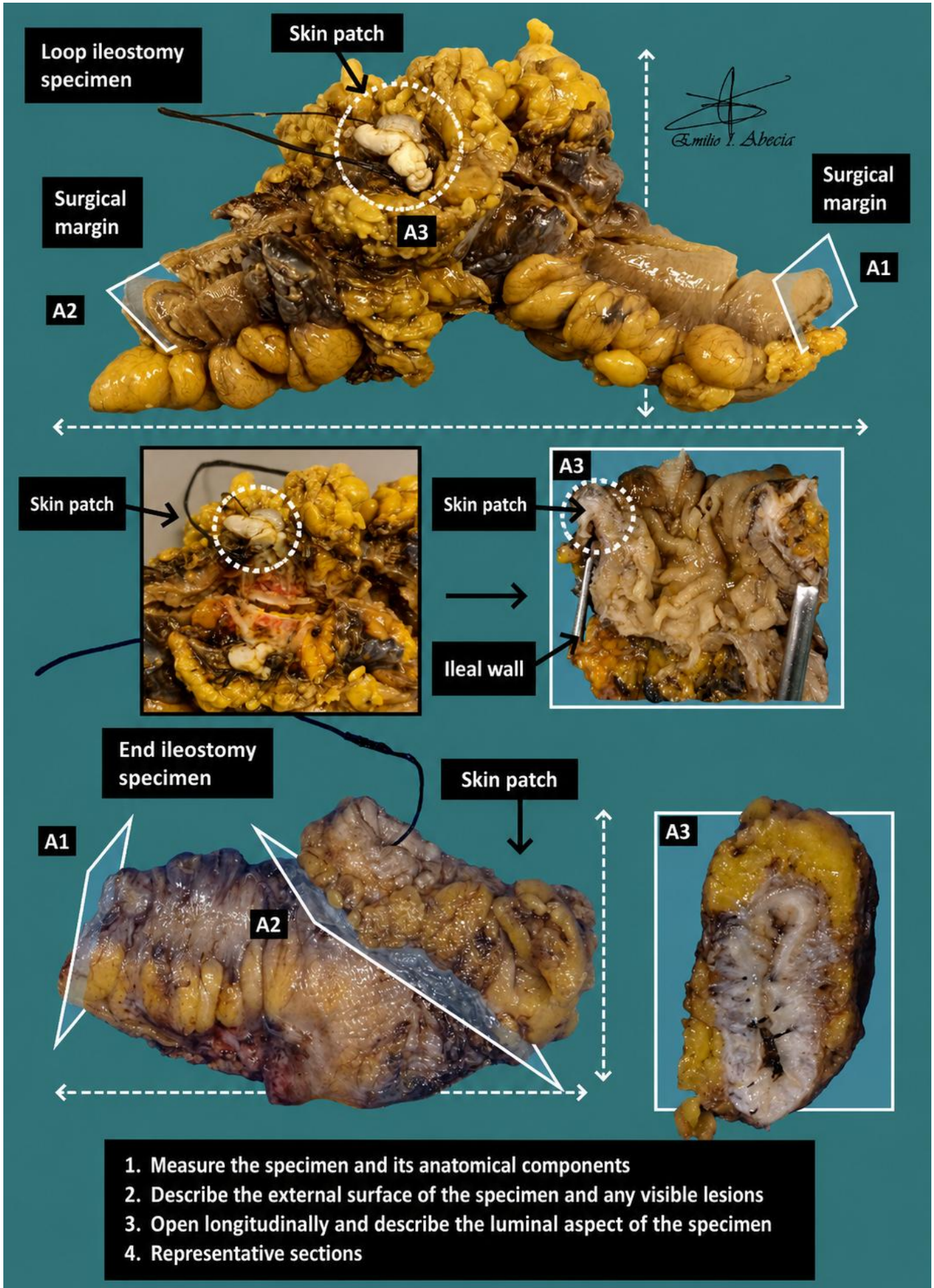
2nd Example (End stoma):

- A1: surgical margin.
- A2: representative section of the intestinal wall.
- A3: section of the skin patch.

POINTS TO CONSIDER

- Surgical specimens with limited diagnostic significance, most commonly performed as reconstruction of the gastrointestinal tract following more extensive resections.
- Measure the specimen and its components. Describe the skin patch and specify the type of ostomy (end stoma vs loop ostomy).
- Open longitudinally and describe any incidental alterations.
- Submit representative sections:
 - Include surgical margins.
 - Attempt to demonstrate the relationship between the skin patch and the intestinal wall.





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