TREATMENT OF ARTERIAL WALL RUPTURE INDUCED BY ROTAREX STM

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Atherectomy devices may be used for vessel preparation in peripheral arterial disease. Goals are to reduce dissection risks, need for bailout stenting, to enhance lumen gain, vessel compliance and drug delivery.2

Adverse events of atherectomy are distal embolization,

dissection, acute occlusion, pseudoaneurysm formation and arterial wall rupture with bleeding.3

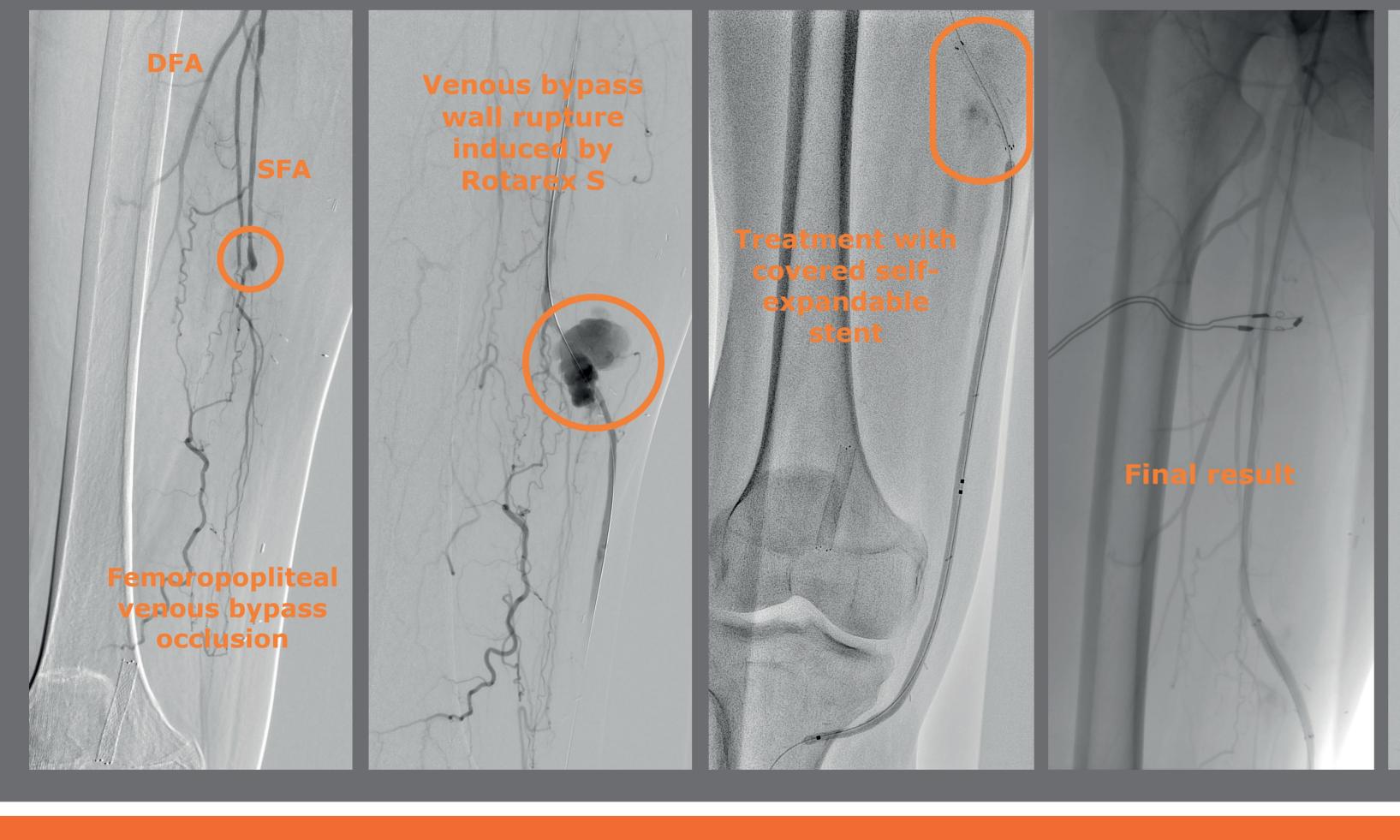
Through 2 cases, we report the 2 ways to manage arterial wall rupture with bleeding induced by athero-thrombectomy with Rotarex STM.

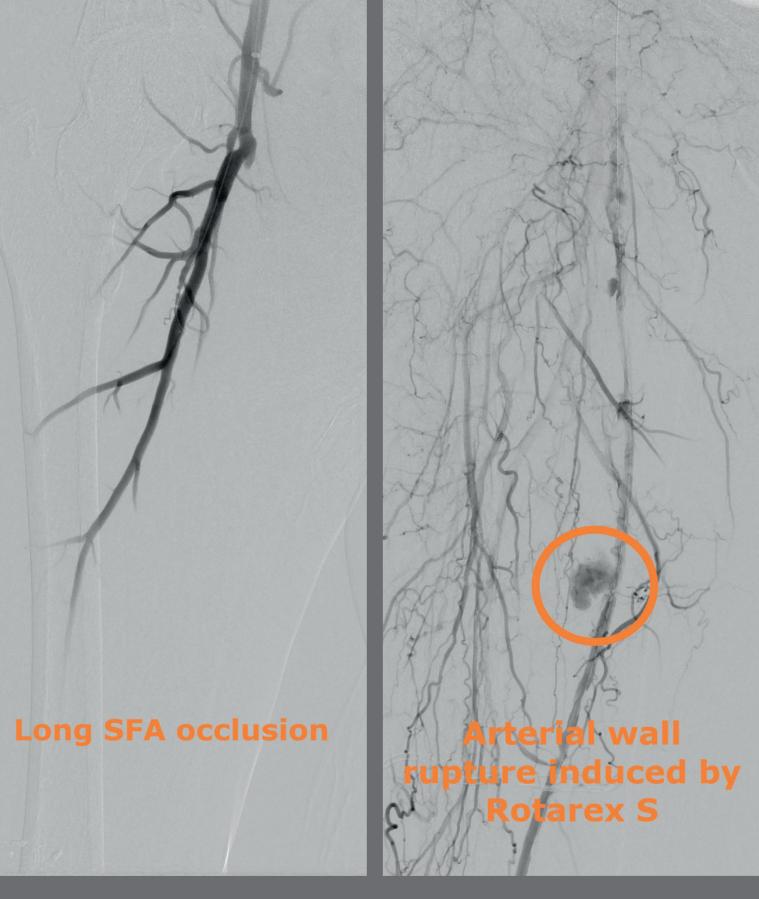
CASE REPORT 1

- 44-year-old man
- Rutherford classification stage 5 (rest pain and one toe necrosis)
- Computed tomography angiography: thrombosis of a distal femoro-popliteal venous bypass realized more than two years earlier.
- Vessel prep with Rotarex STM athero-thrombectomy device
- Bypass rupture with acute hemorrhage
- Self-expandable covered stent
- Coated balloon angioplasty of the whole bypass
- Bypass patent at duplex scan 4 months later

CASE REPORT 2

- 66-year-old woman
- Rutherford classification stage 3 (calf claudication)
- Computed tomography angiography: total occlusion of the whole superficial femoral artery (SFA)
- Vessel prep with Rotarex STM athero-thrombectomy device
- Low flow leak in the third part of the SFA
- Prolonged balloon angioplasty at the bleeding level
- Coated balloon angioplasty of the whole SFA
- SFA patent at duplex scan 4 months later

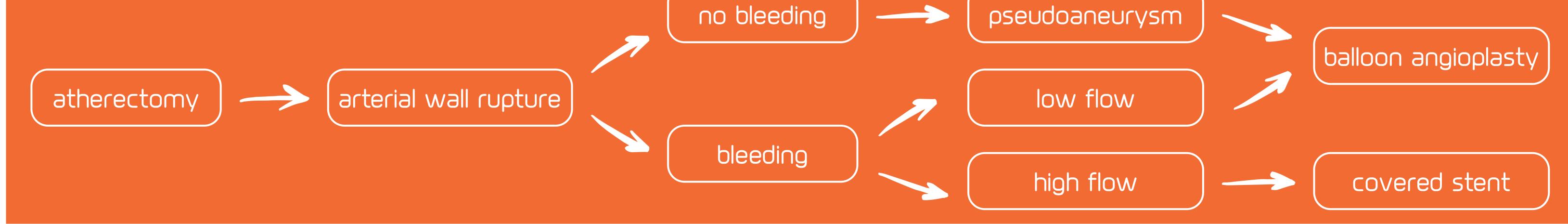












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