

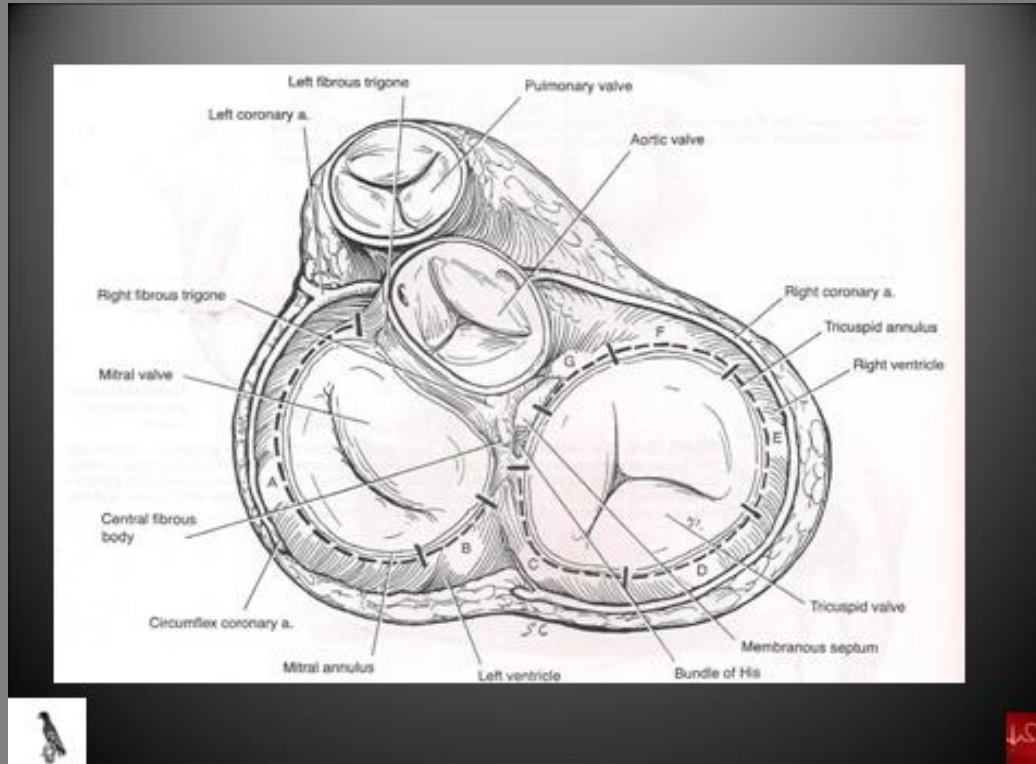
Ο ρόλος της Χειρουργικής Θεραπείας στην αντιμετώπιση της  
Ανεπάρκειας της Μιτροειδούς.

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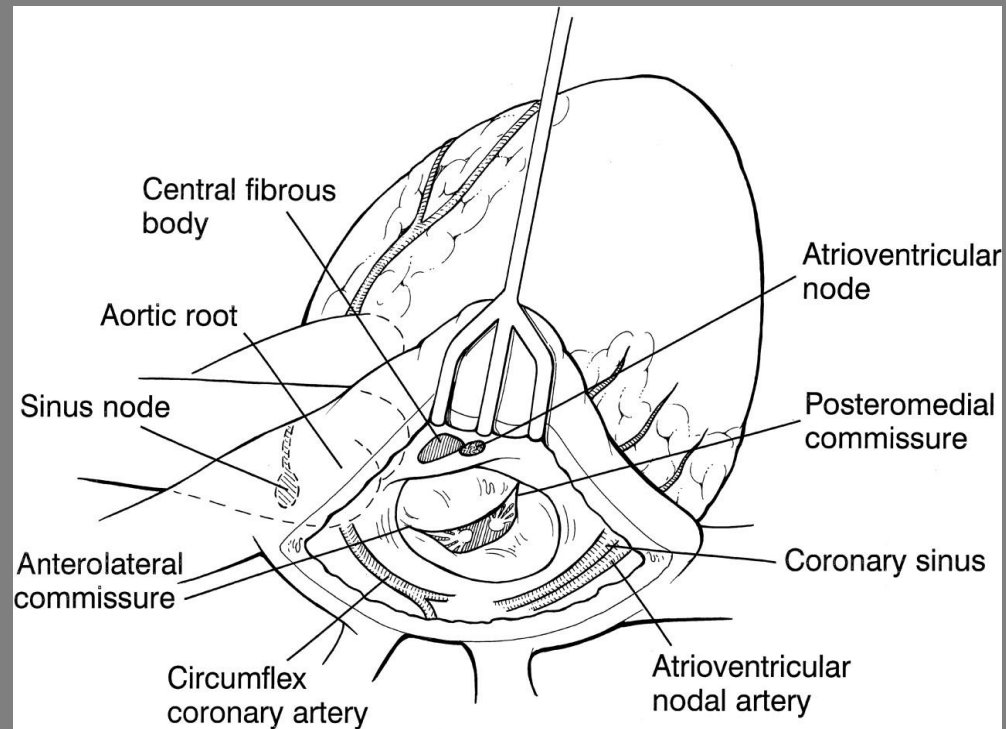
Η χειρουργική μιτροειδούς είναι η δεύτερη πιο συχνή ένδειξη για τη χειρουργική επέμβαση βαλβιδοπαθειών στην Ευρώπη  
Η μεγάλη πλειοψηφία των επεμβάσεων αυτών αφορά την ανεπάρκεια της μιτροειδούς βαλβίδας.

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# Anatomy 1

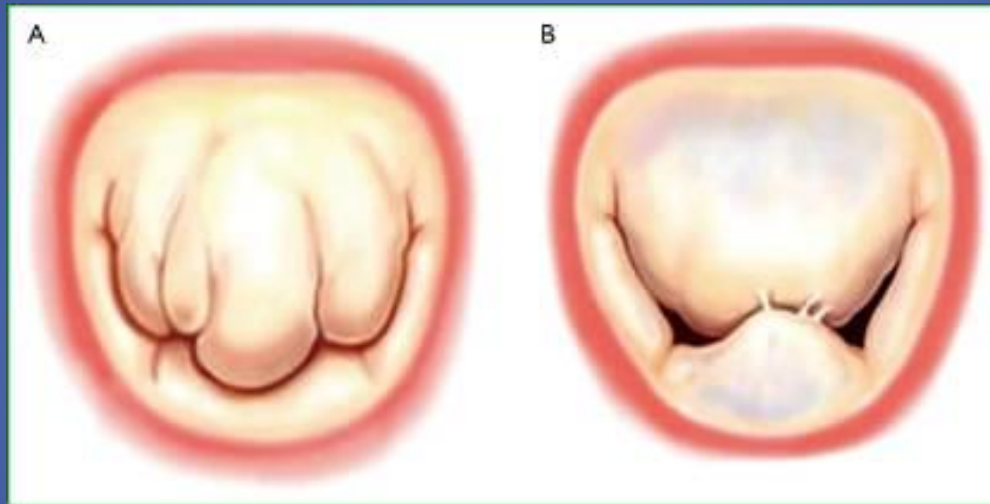


## Anatomy 2 / Surgical view



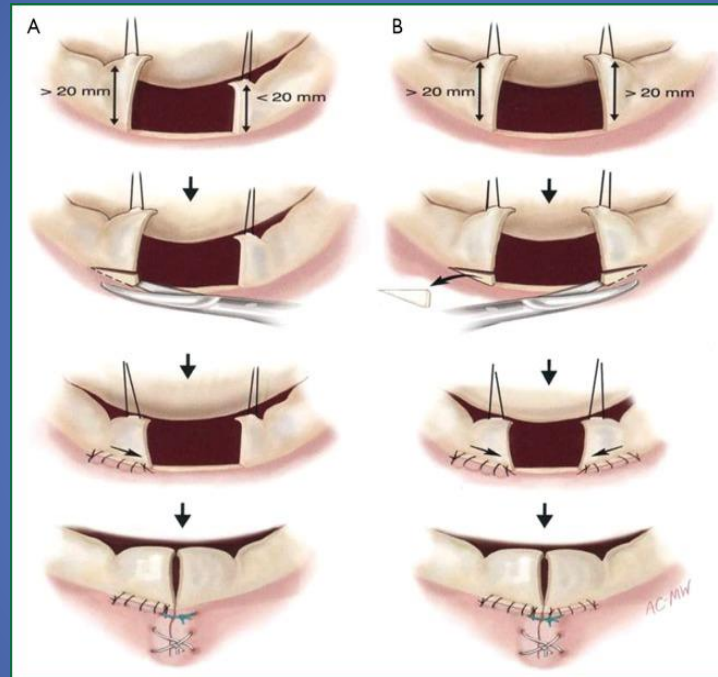
- Figure 2-20 This diagram depicts the mitral valve in relationship to its surrounding structures as viewed through a left atriotomy.

(A) Fibroelastic deficiency  
vs.  
(B) Barlow's disease



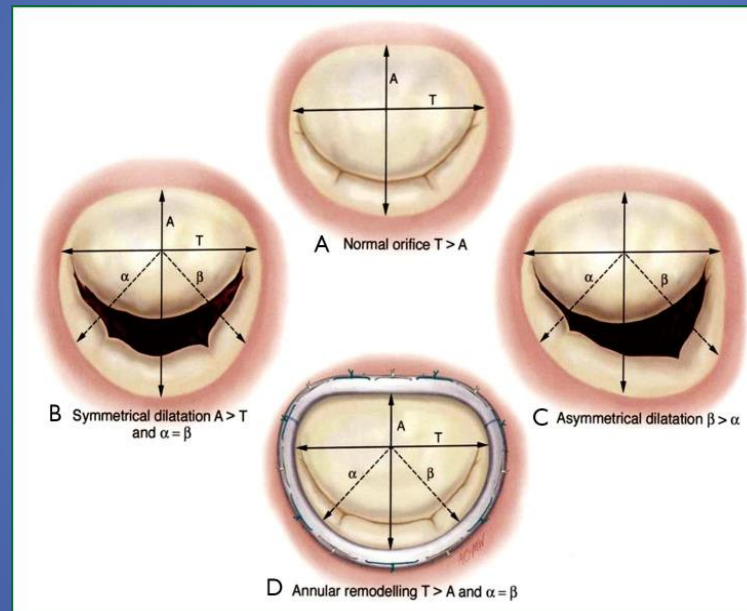


# Carpentier's techniques

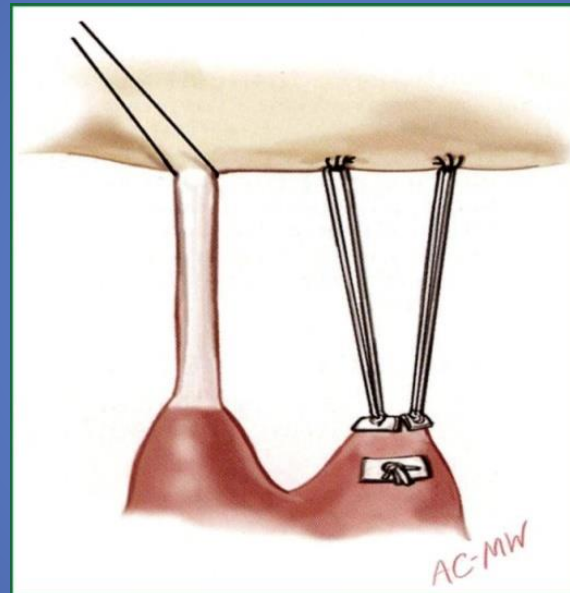


A sliding repair is added to reduce the risk of systolic anterior motion

# Technique for ring annuloplasty



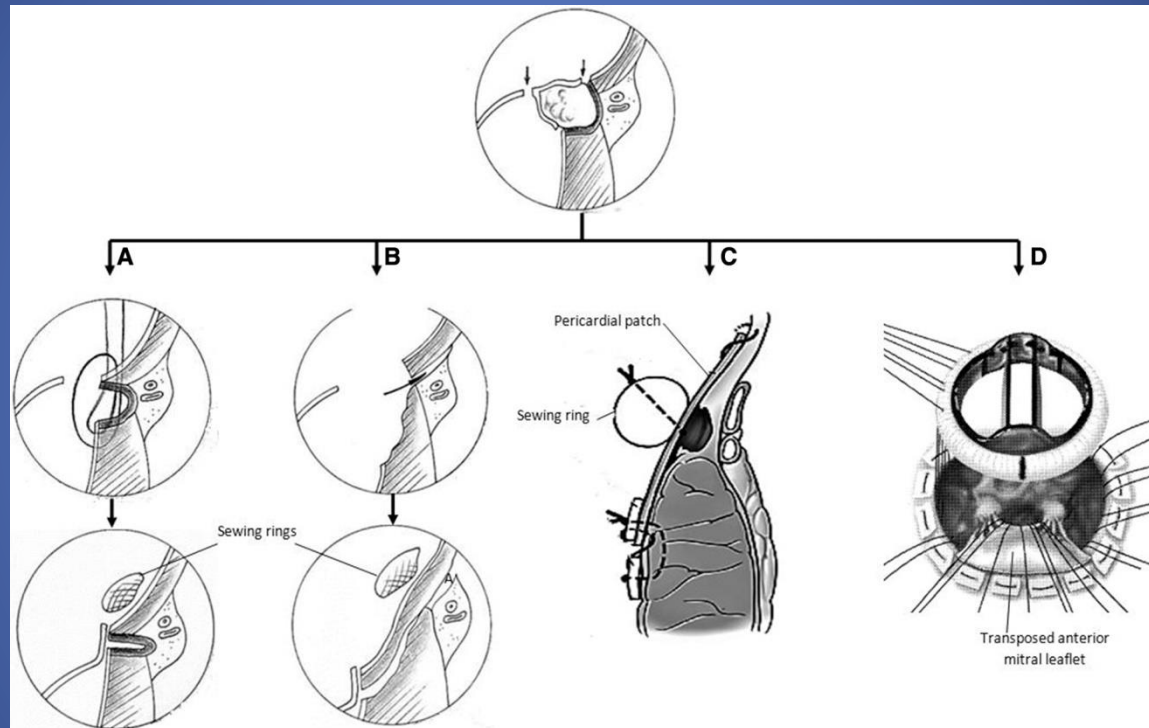
Anterior leaflet prolapse is usually treated by transfer of chords from the posterior leaflet or creation of artificial chords or the Alfieri edge-to-edge repair.



Correction of a prolapsing anterior leaflet with placement of polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) neochordae

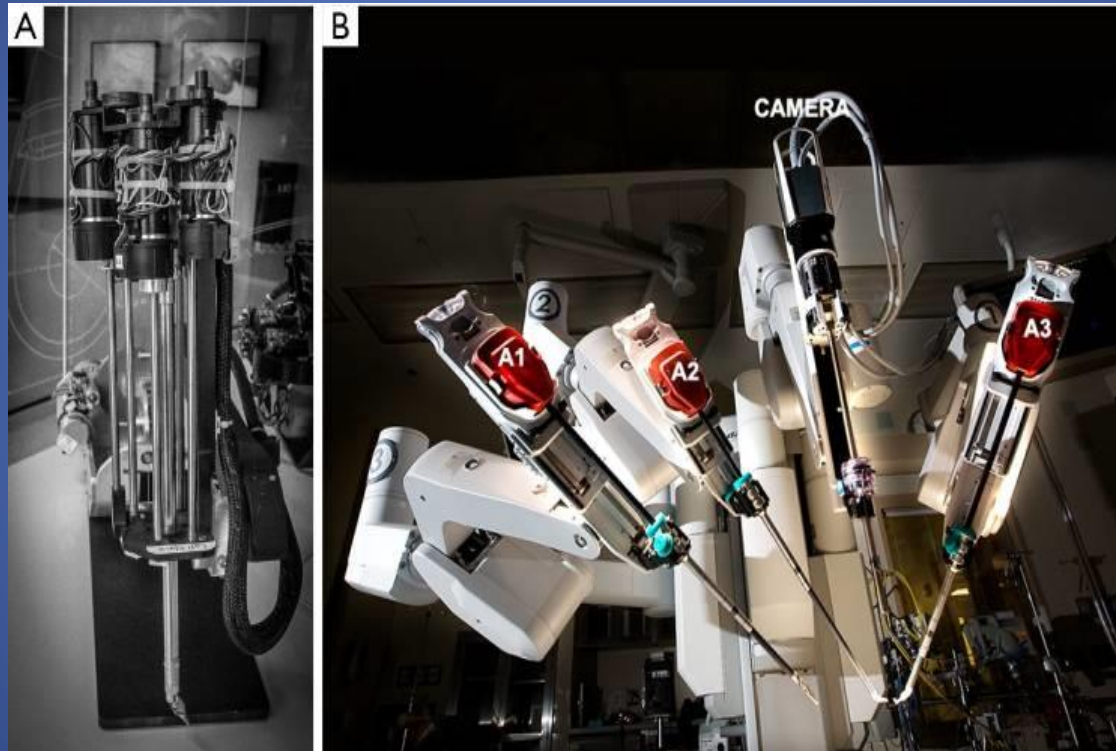


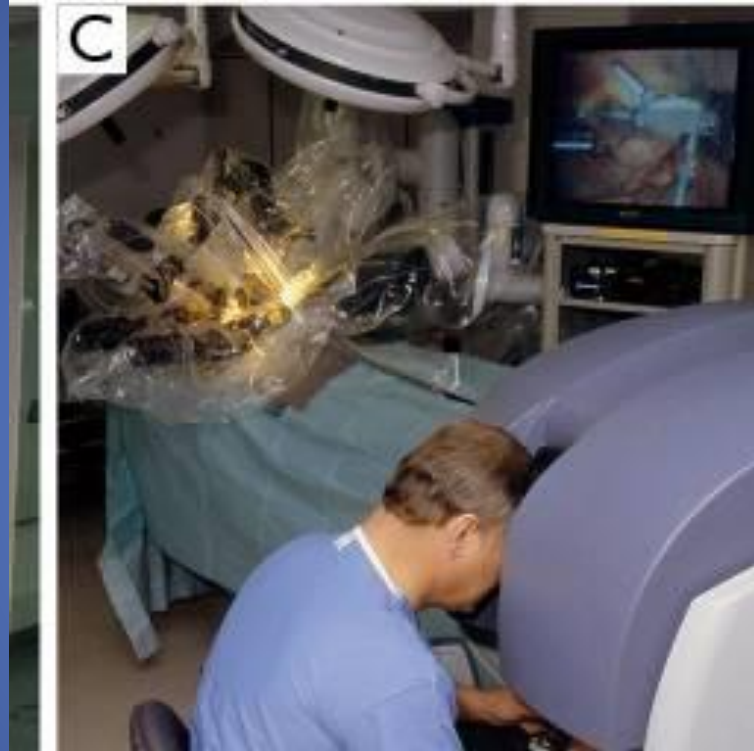
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# Robotic mitral valve surgery: overview, methodology, results, and perspective

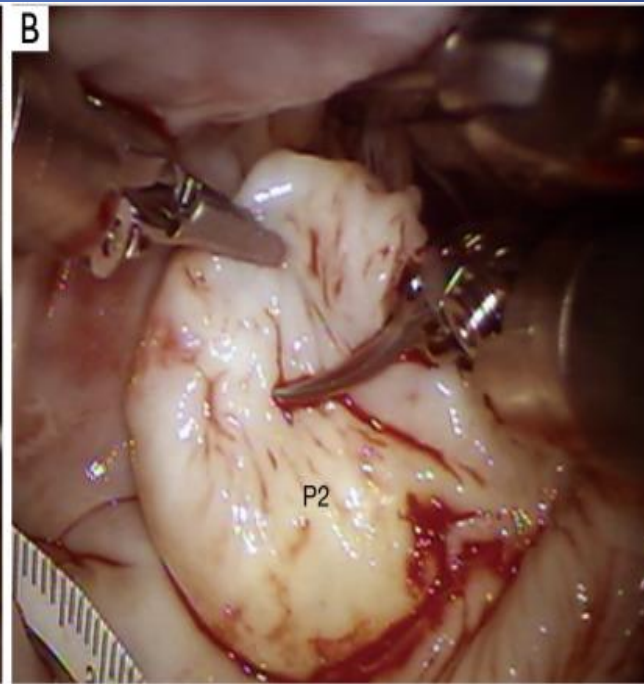
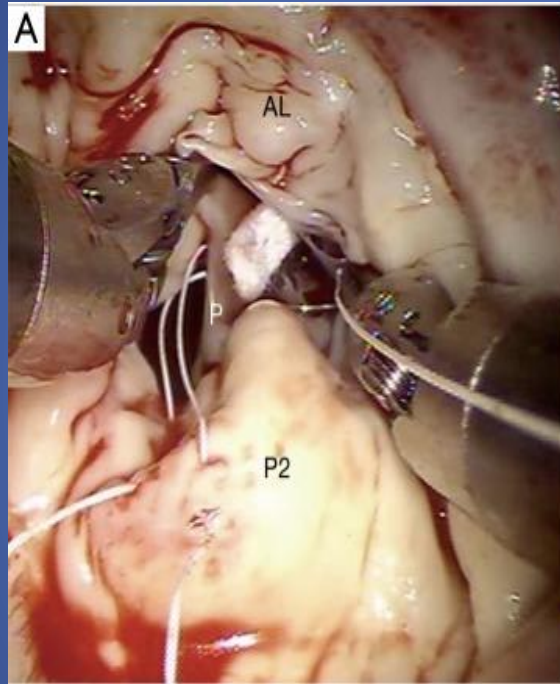
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# Contraindications to robotic mitral valve repair and replacement

- Previous right thoracotomy
- Severe pulmonary dysfunction
- Myocardial infarction or ischemia <30 days
- Coronary artery disease—requiring CABG
- Severe generalized vascular disease
- Symptomatic CVD or stroke <30 days
- Poor right ventricular function
- Pulmonary hypertension (fixed >60 torr)
- Significant aortic stenosis or insufficiency
- Severe annular calcification (repairs)
- Severe liver dysfunction
- Significant bleeding disorders

## Relative contraindications to robotic mitral valve surgery

- Previous sternotomy
- Moderate pulmonary dysfunction
- Asymptomatic CAD (treated)
- Coronary artery disease—requiring PCI
- Limited peripheral vascular disease
- Asymptomatic CVD
- Poor left ventricular function (EF <30%)
- Pulmonary hypertension (variable >60 torr)
- Mild to moderate aortic stenosis or insufficiency
- Moderate annular calcification

# Major complications

- I. Retrograde cardiopulmonary perfusion techniques always induce a risk of
  - atheroembolic strokes,
  - vena caval injury,
  - femoral arterial complications and
  - retrograde aortic dissections.
- II. Phrenic nerve injury can be caused by
  - over stretching the pericardium,
  - cautery thermal injury,
  - and/or direct instrument injury.
- III. Unilateral pulmonary edema is a serious complication.
- IV. Trans-thoracic clamp injuries can occur to
  - the right pulmonary artery,
  - left main coronary artery and
  - left atrial appendage.
- V. Right ventricular dysfunction can be minimized.
- VI. Leg ischemia during retrograde perfusion can be avoided.  
We place oxygen saturation monitoring patches on both legs.

# Results

- After mitral valve repair for degenerative disease, 10-year freedom from reoperation is 93%.
- The postoperative return to sinus rhythm was associated with  $94\% \pm 4.8\%$  survival at 4 years versus  $77\% \pm 13\%$  in the event of persisting atrial fibrillation.
- Patients in AF versus those in sinus rhythm had more impaired ventricular function (78.9% versus 46.2% respectively;  $p < 0.001$ ) and lower survival at 5 years (73% versus 88%, respectively).
- By use of a multivariate model, only poor ventricular function remained significant factor ( $p = 0.01$ ) affecting survival.

*(Circulation 2001 Sep 18; 104)*

# MAIN CONCLUSIONS

- Mitral valve repair in patients with mitral insufficiency with good ventricular function is superior to replacement and should be performed in all such patients when diastolic pulmonary pressure is  $\leq 15$  mmHg.
- It is always accompanied with annuloplasty ring and the TEE intraoperatively is absolute necessary.
- Atrial fibrillation is not a contraindication if it is  $< 1$  year duration



