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Main Scientific Publications

1. Risk Factors of Anastomosis Stricture After Esophagectomy and the Impact of Anastomosis Technique. Ann Thorac Surg. 2023 May;115(5):1257-1264.

2. Robotic esophagectomy versus open esophagectomy in esophageal squamous cell carcinoma: a propensity-score matched analysis. J Robot Surg. 2022 Aug;16(4):841-848.

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