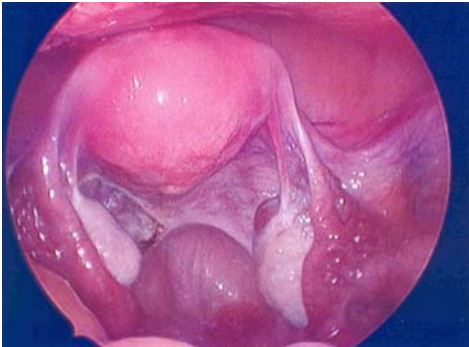


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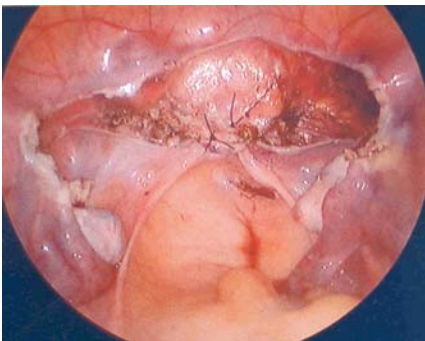
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Laparoscopic Hysterectomy - LH

This outpatient procedure involves laparoscopic removal of the cervix and uterus, with or without removal of the ovaries. This outpatient approach is associated with less pain, fewer adhesions, and a quicker recovery than the open approach. Other conditions such as endometriosis and adhesions can be treated at the same time. This procedure is performed by laparoscopy with 4 small (5mm) abdominal incisions. There is also an incision at the top of the vagina.



This picture shows a normal uterus with normal left and right ovaries and fallopian tubes.



In this picture, the cervix and uterus have been removed. The ovaries were conserved.

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In this case the cervix, uterus, and both ovaries and fallopian tubes were removed.

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