

Early onset scoliosis

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Early onset scoliosis – deformity before 5yrs of age

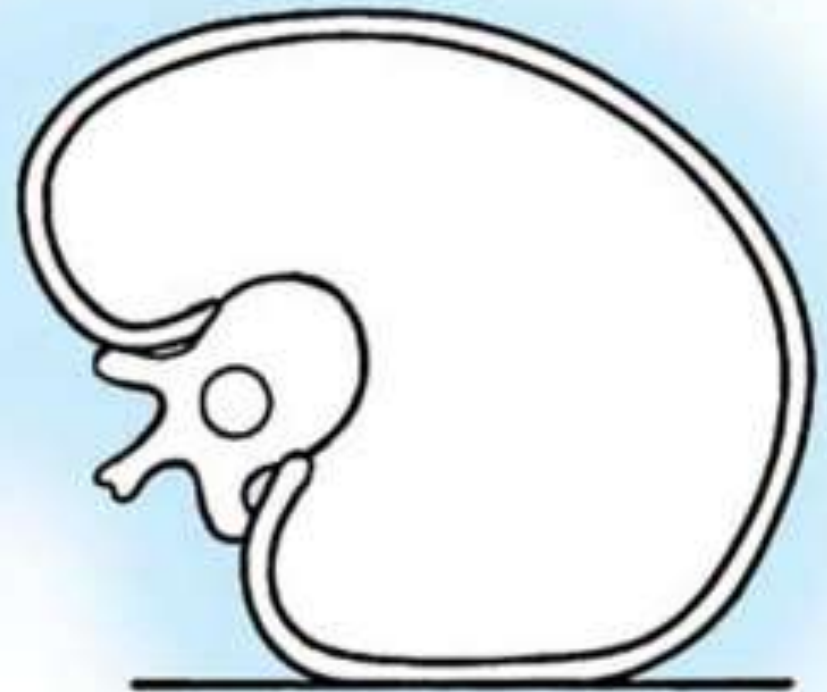
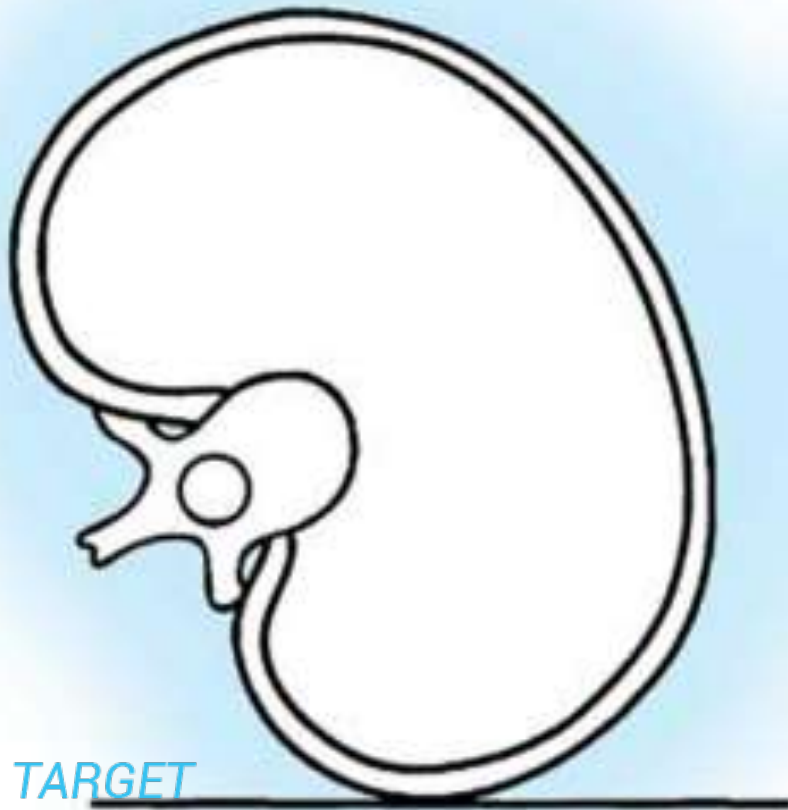


- Treatment principles resemble b/w 5 to 10 and < 5 years.
- Now scoliosis less than 10yrs also included in **EOS**

Etiologies

1. Idiopathic.
2. Congenital
3. Neuromuscular
4. Syndromic

Infantile idiopathic scoliosis	0-3 yrs
Juvenile idiopathic scoliosis	4-9 yrs
Adolescent idiopathic scoliosis	10-20 yrs

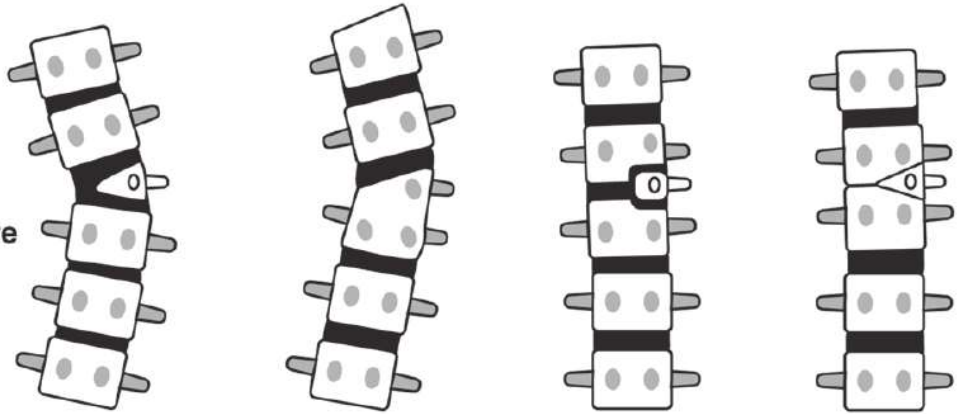






DEFECTS OF FORMATION

Hemivertebra

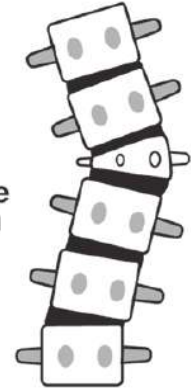


Fully segmented Semisegmented Incarcerated Nonsegmented

Unilateral complete failure of formation

Wedge vertebra

Unilateral partial failure of formation



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Unilateral Unsegmented Bar



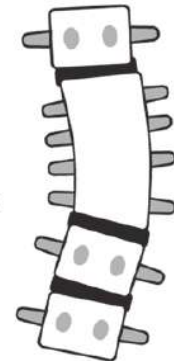
Unilateral failure of segmentation

Unilateral Bar and Hemivertebrae

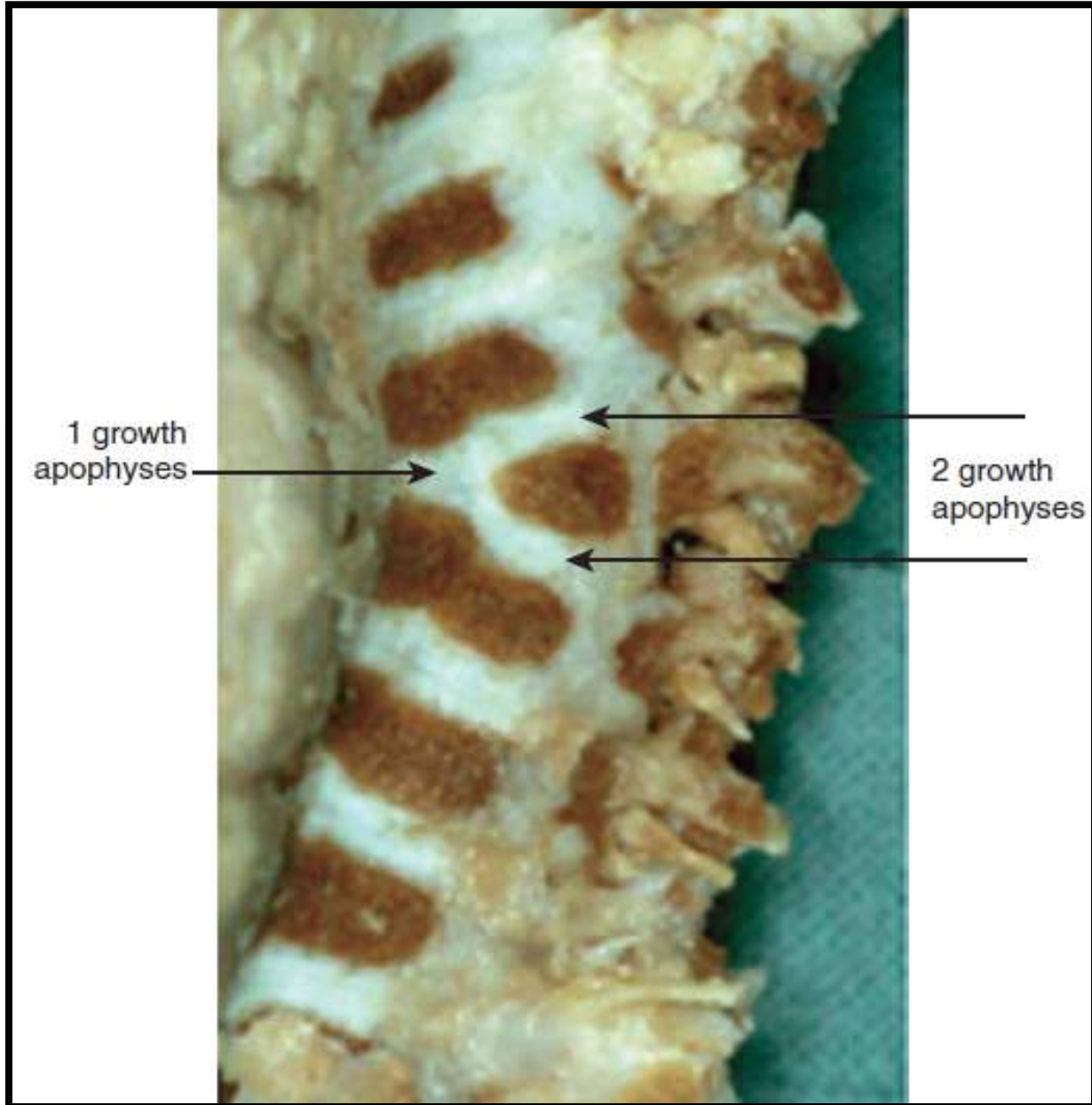
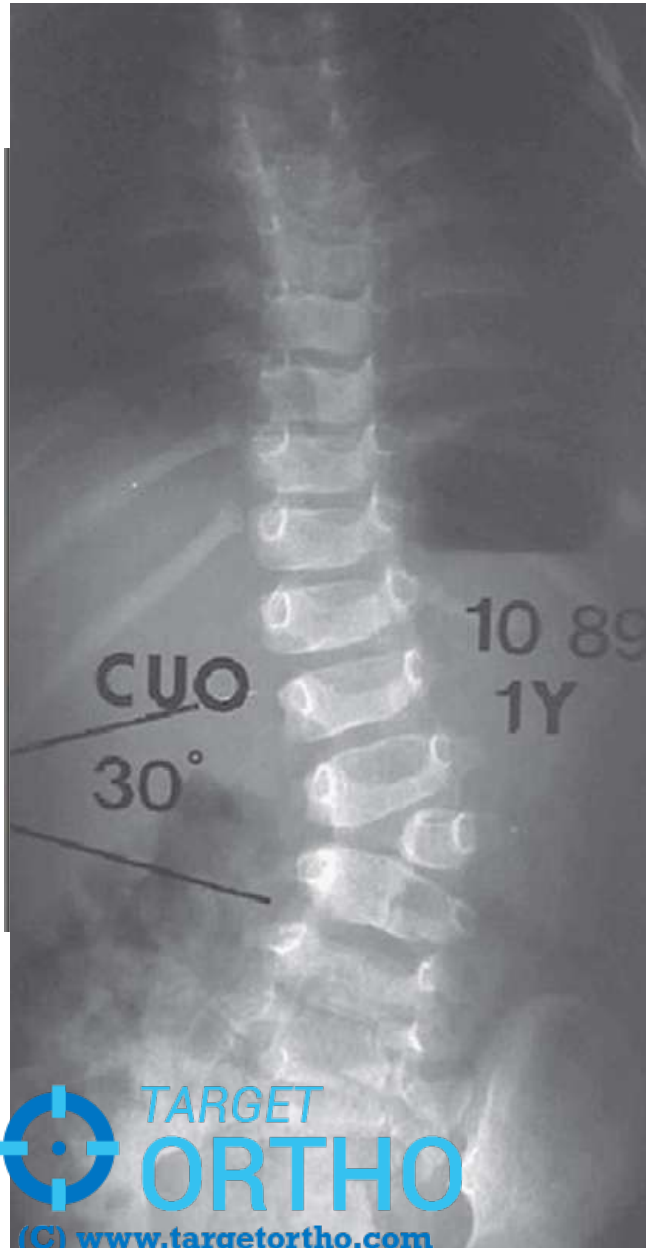


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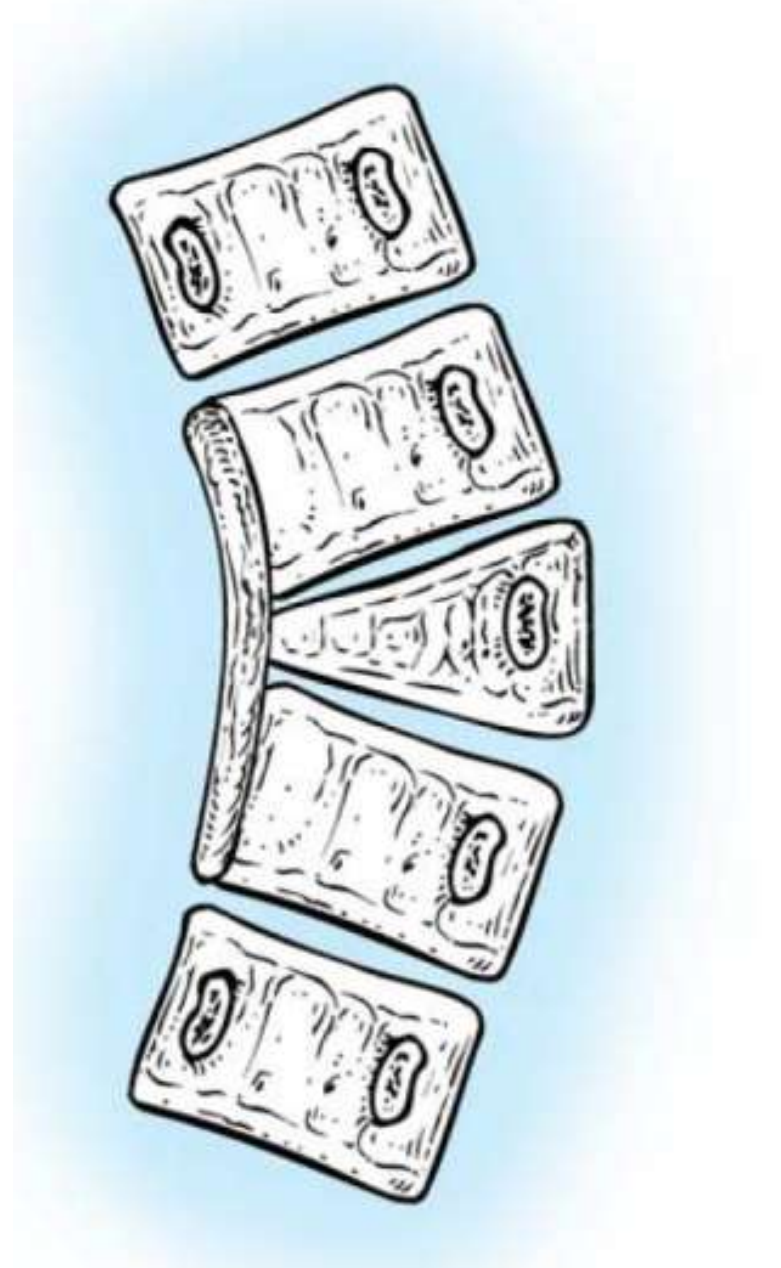
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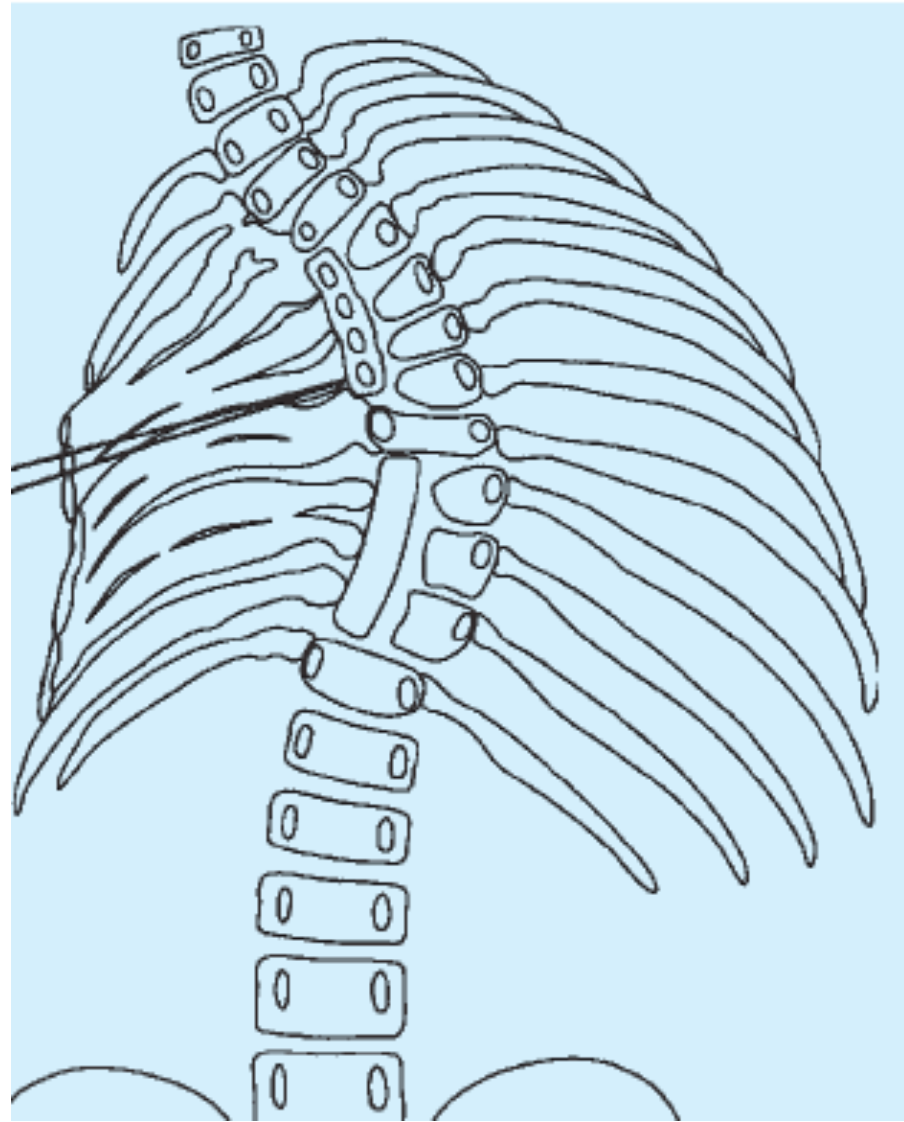


Congenital scoliosis



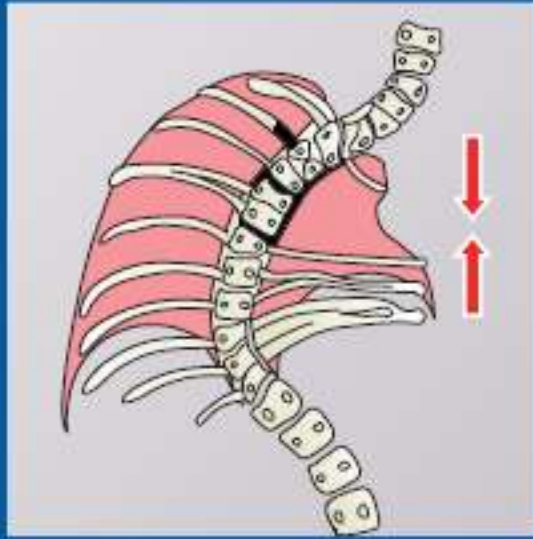
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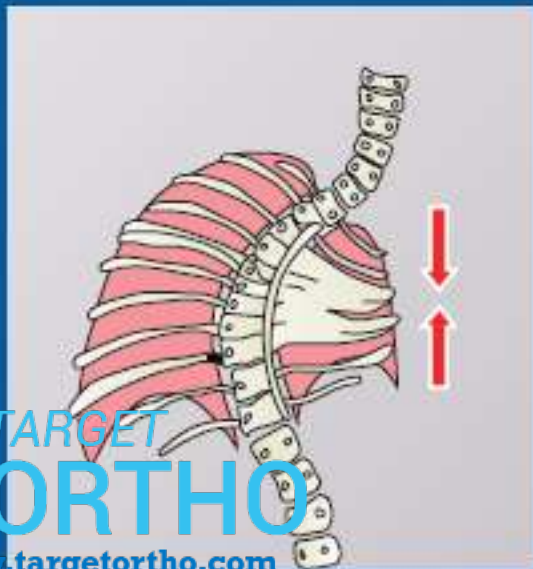


Volume Depletion Deformities of the Thorax

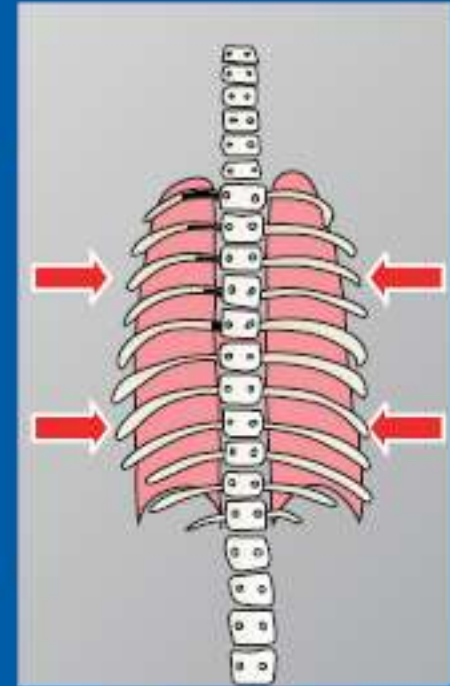
I



II



III a



III b

Neurocutaneous markers

Neurofibromatosis

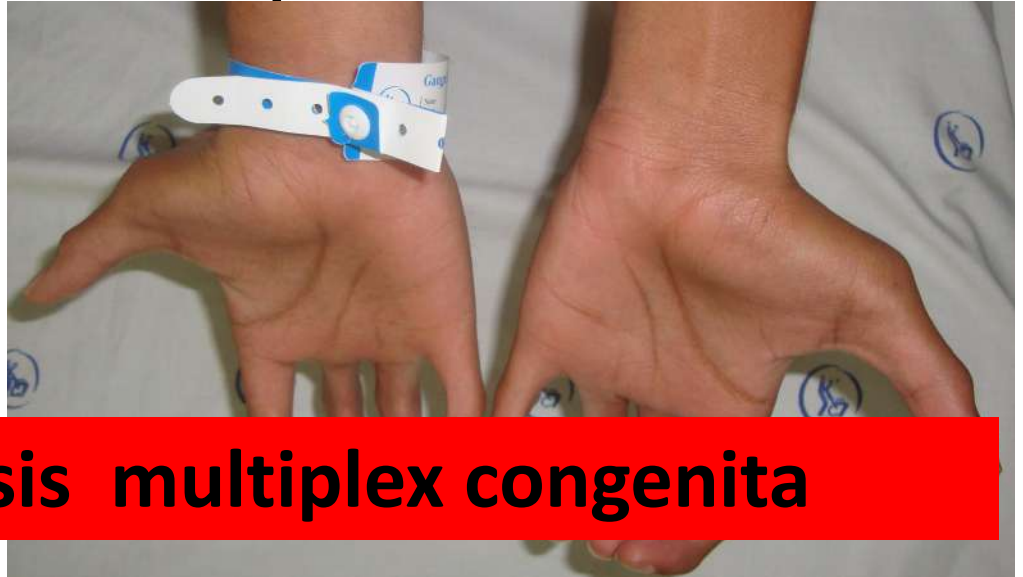
Café au lait spots

Skin tags

Axillary freckles



Look for other specific syndromic features



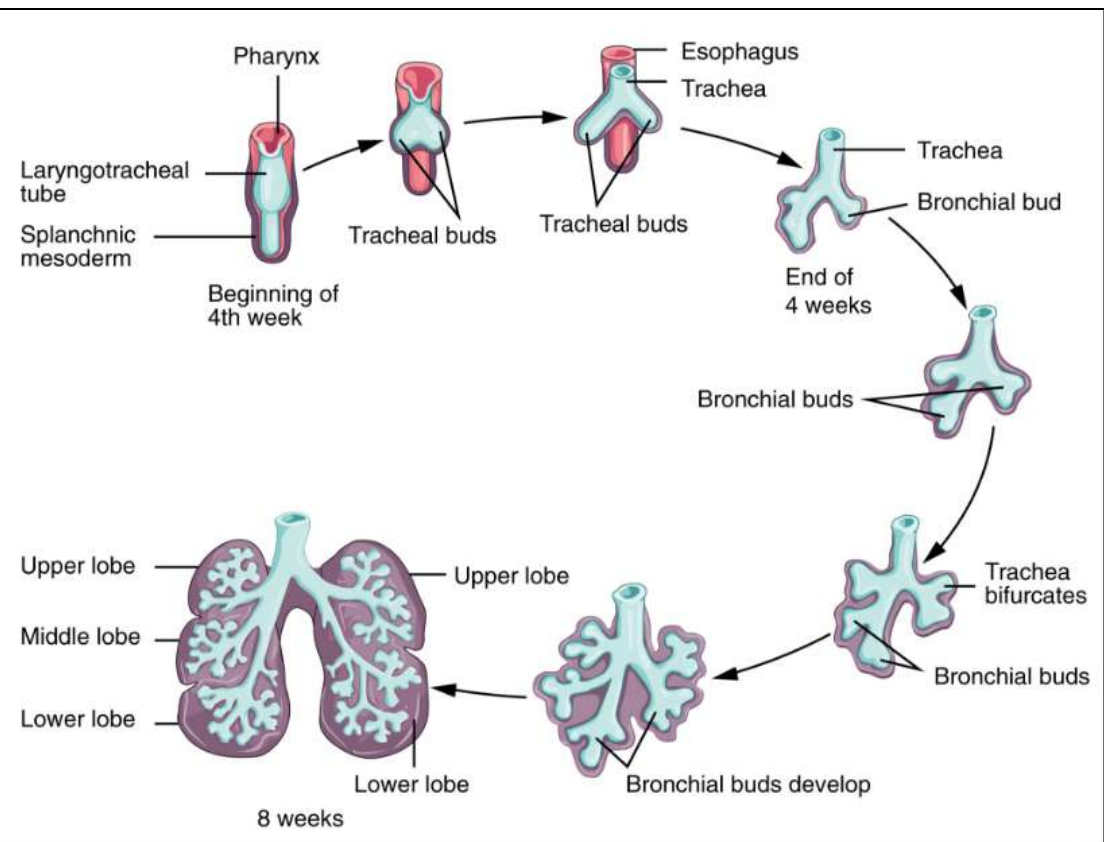
Arthrogryposis multiplex congenita



Thoracic Growth

- 6%-At birth
- 30% by age 5
- 50% by age 10.
- Between 10 & maturity- volume doubles .
- The “golden” period
 - **between birth and 8 years**

Development of lungs

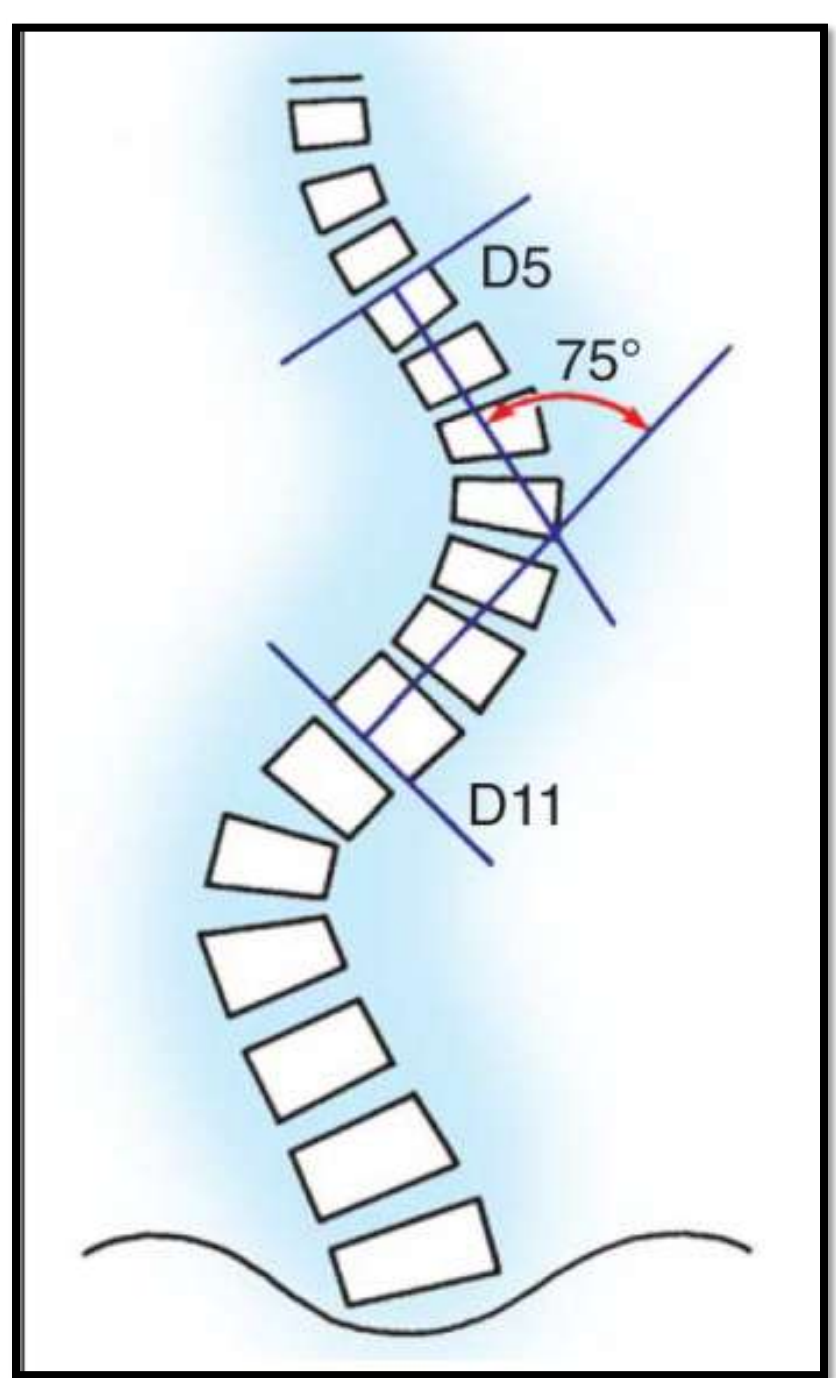
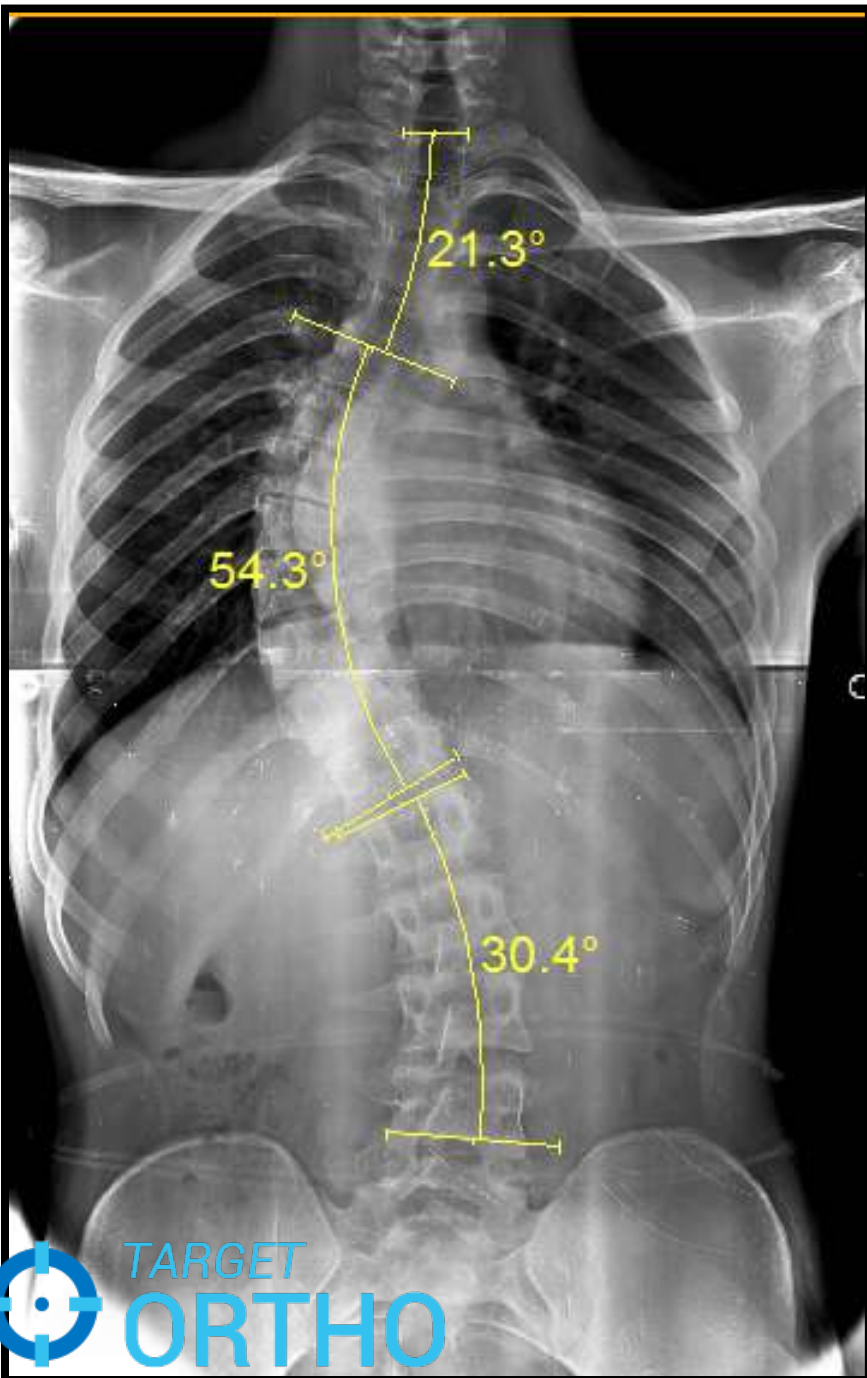


- The alveoli - 10 fold increase till 4 years of age.
- Deformity limits the space for lung growth
- Significant scoliosis before 5 years of age - disabling dyspnea or cardiorespiratory failure.

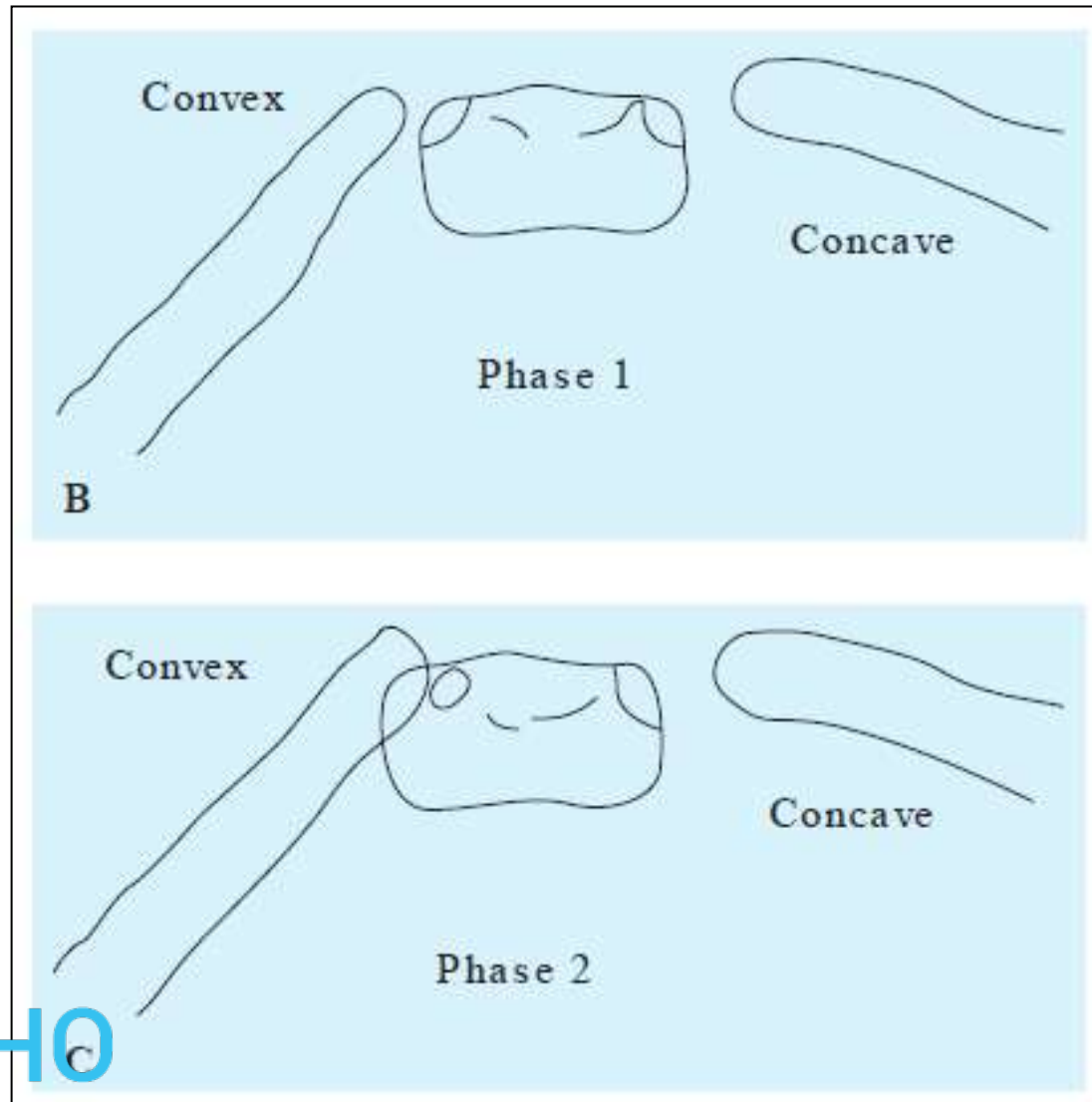
Management of early onset scoliosis

Idiopathic scoliosis

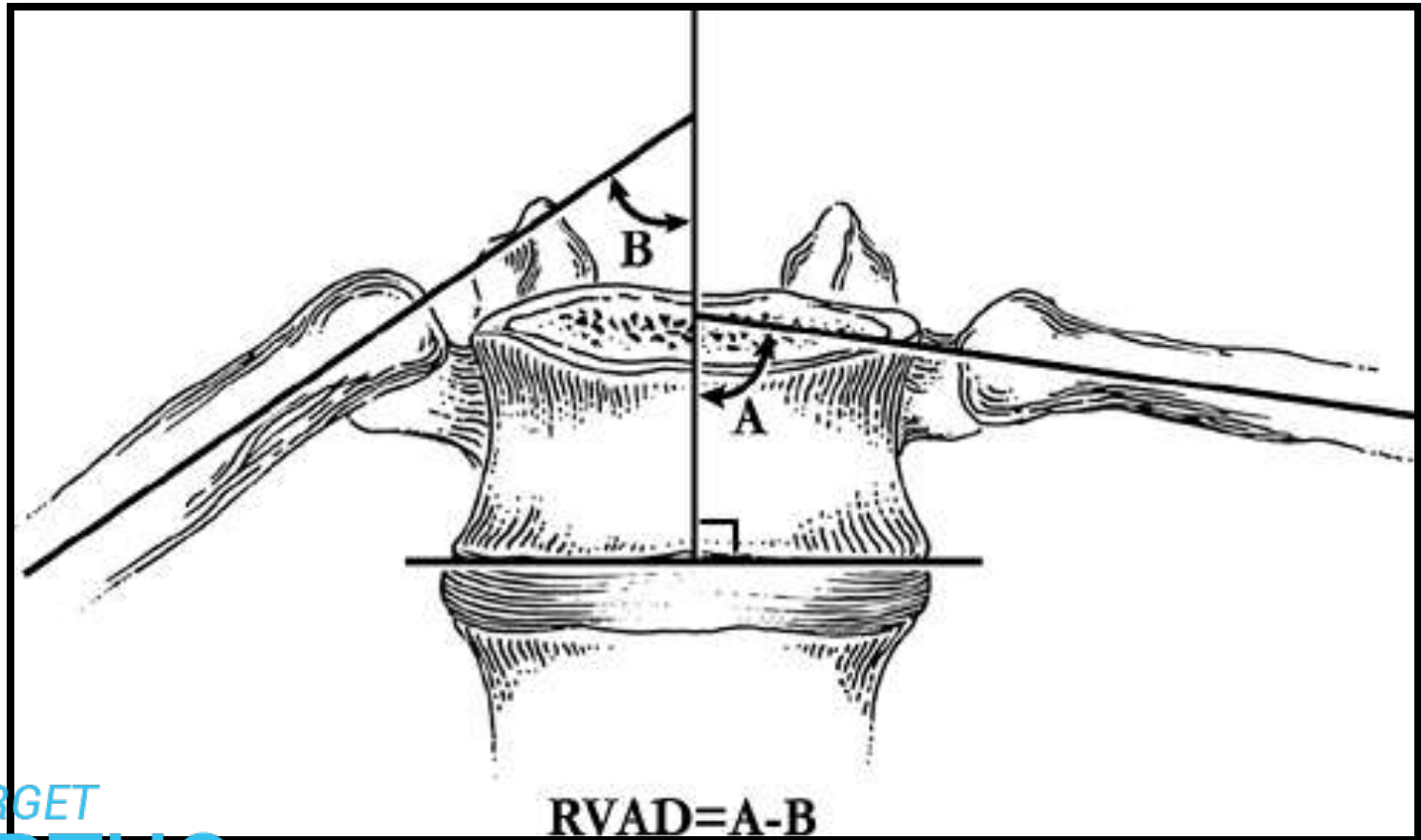
- **Radiological evaluation**



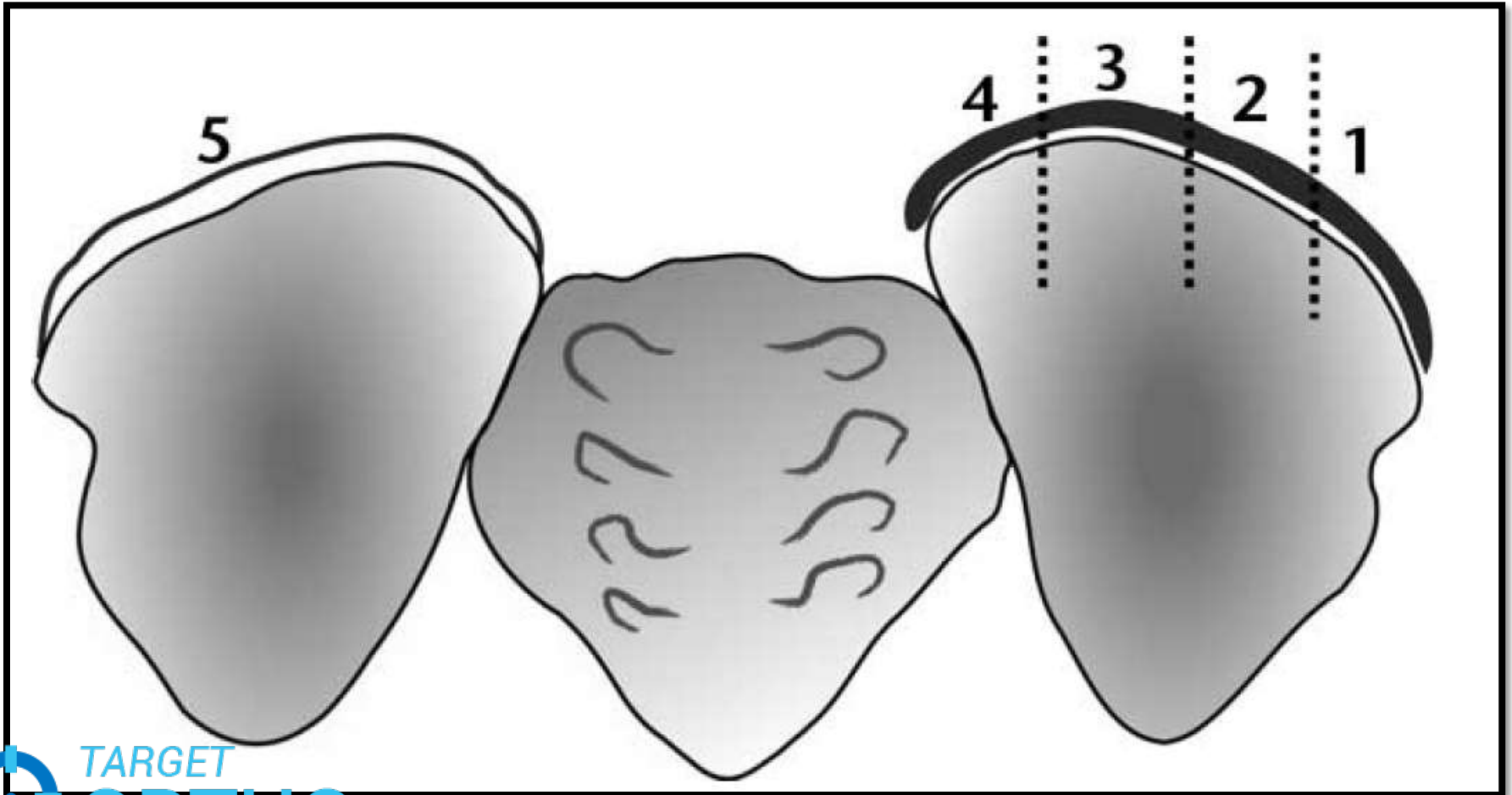
Rib phase- at apex

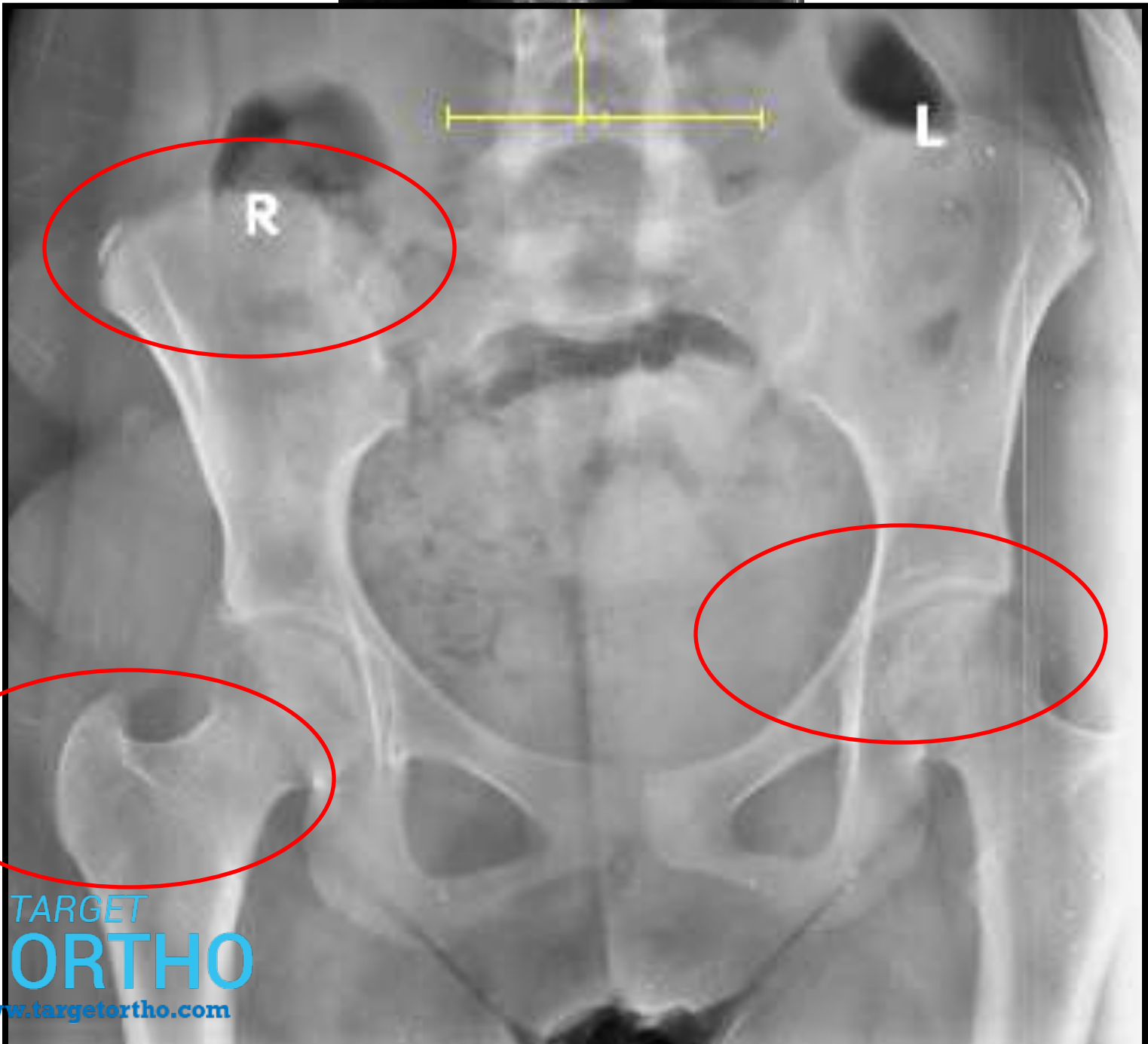


Mehtas rib vertebral angle difference Infantile idiopathic scoliosis

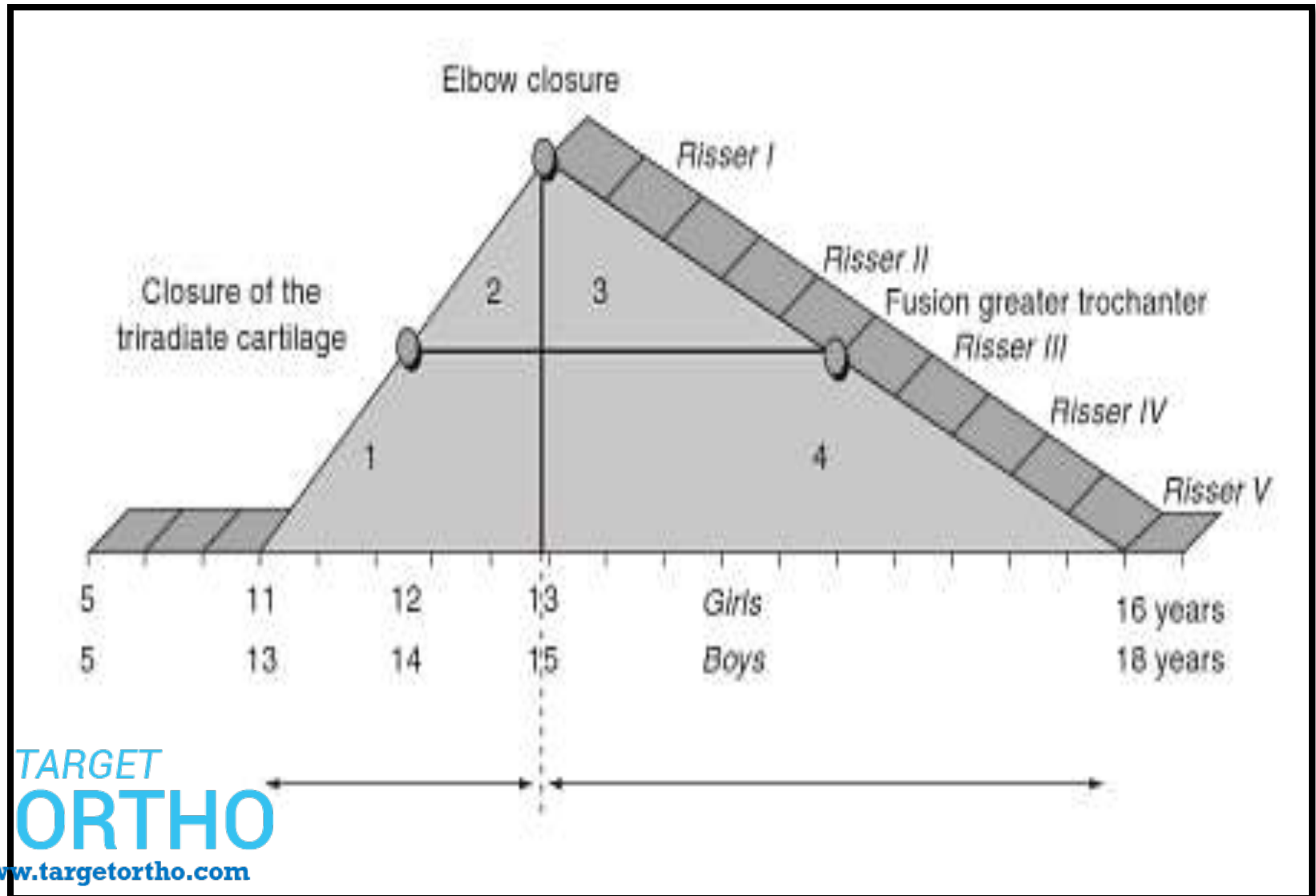


Rissers grading





Where does your patient stand in this growth curve ?



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Observation

- 1. Cobb angle $<20^{\circ}$ *
- 2. RVAD $<20^{\circ}$ *
- 3. Phase 1 rib head*

If curve progression more than 10deg/6months or 20deg /1 yr –Intervene

Intervention

- 1. Cobb angle $>25^{\circ}$ *
- 2. RVAD more than 20° *
- 3. Phase 2 rib head*
- 4. Documented progression of curve

Intervention

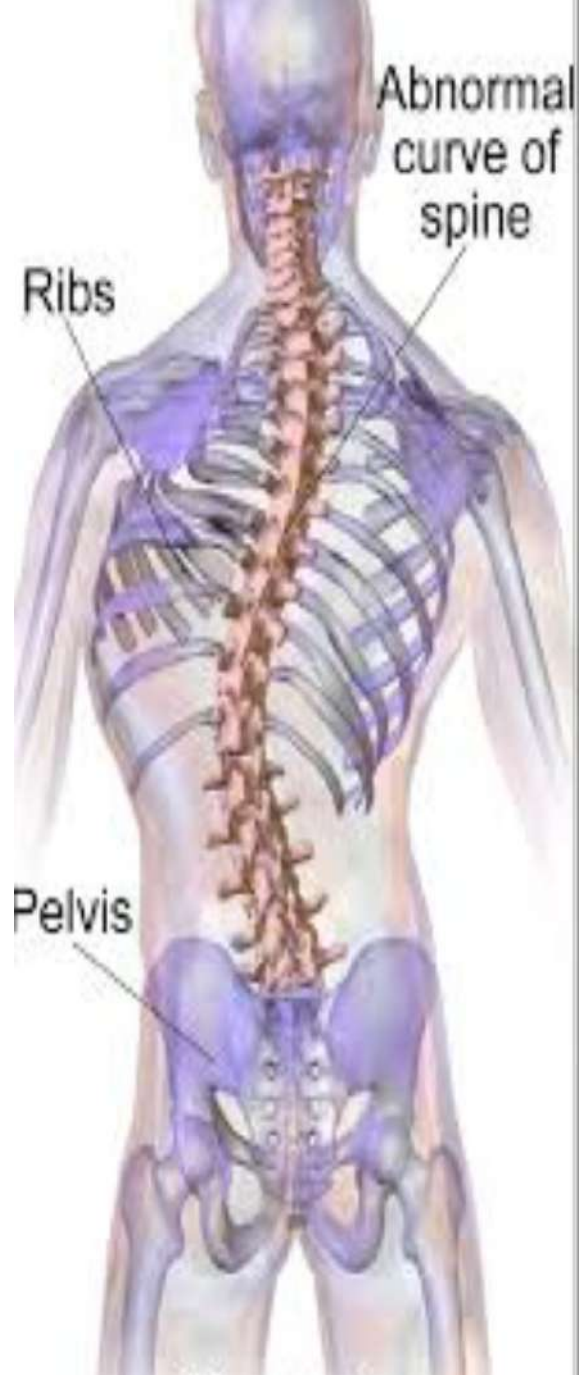
- Curve deg - 25deg – 40 deg- *cast application*
- More than 40deg – surgical – fusion less surgeries









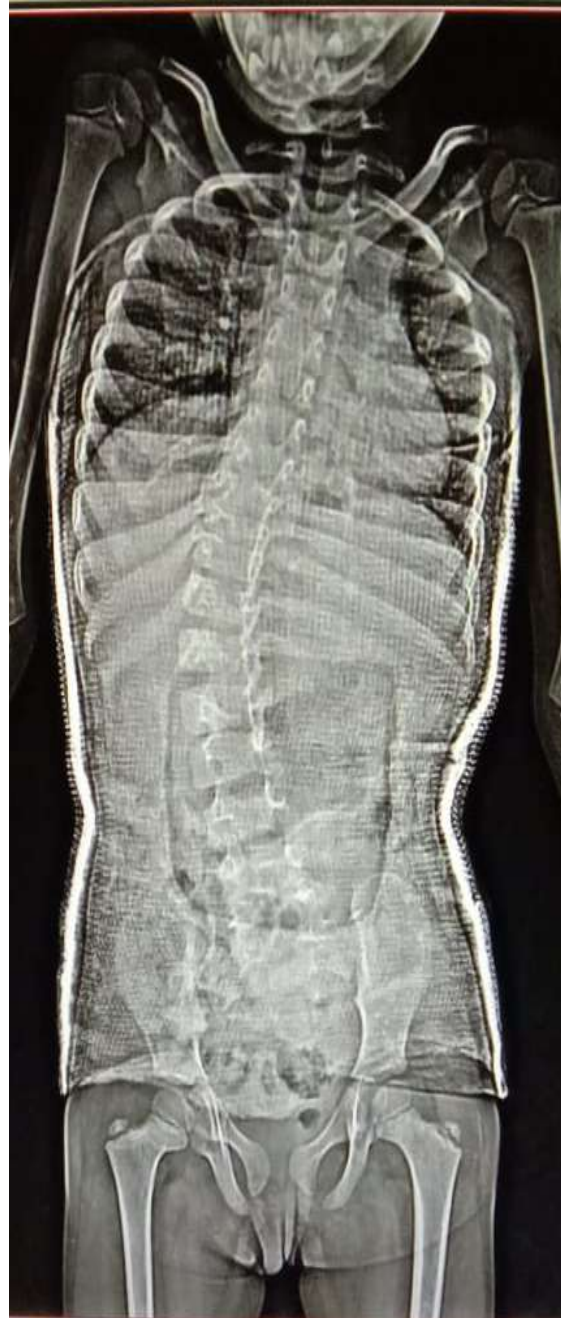


Abnormal
curve of
spine

Ribs

Pelvis

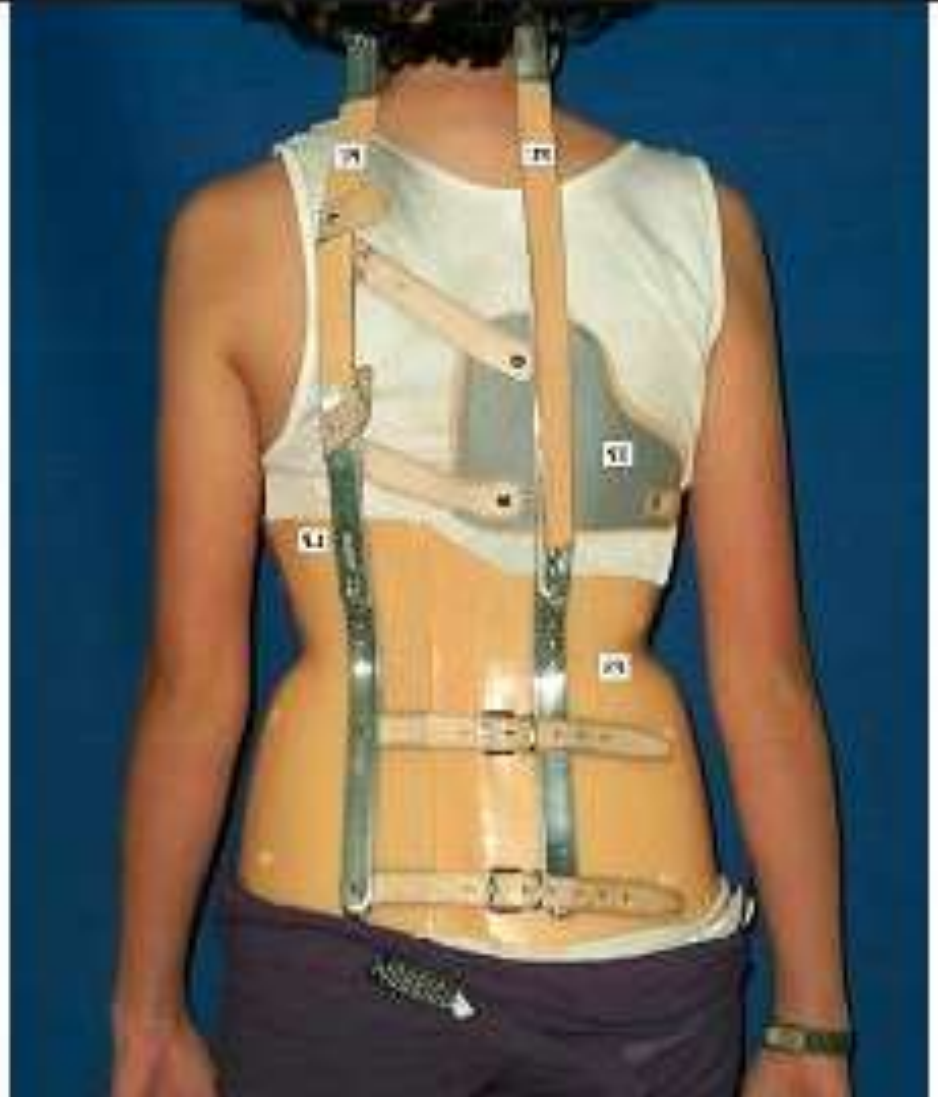






Spinal brace

Milwaukee brace



Boston brace

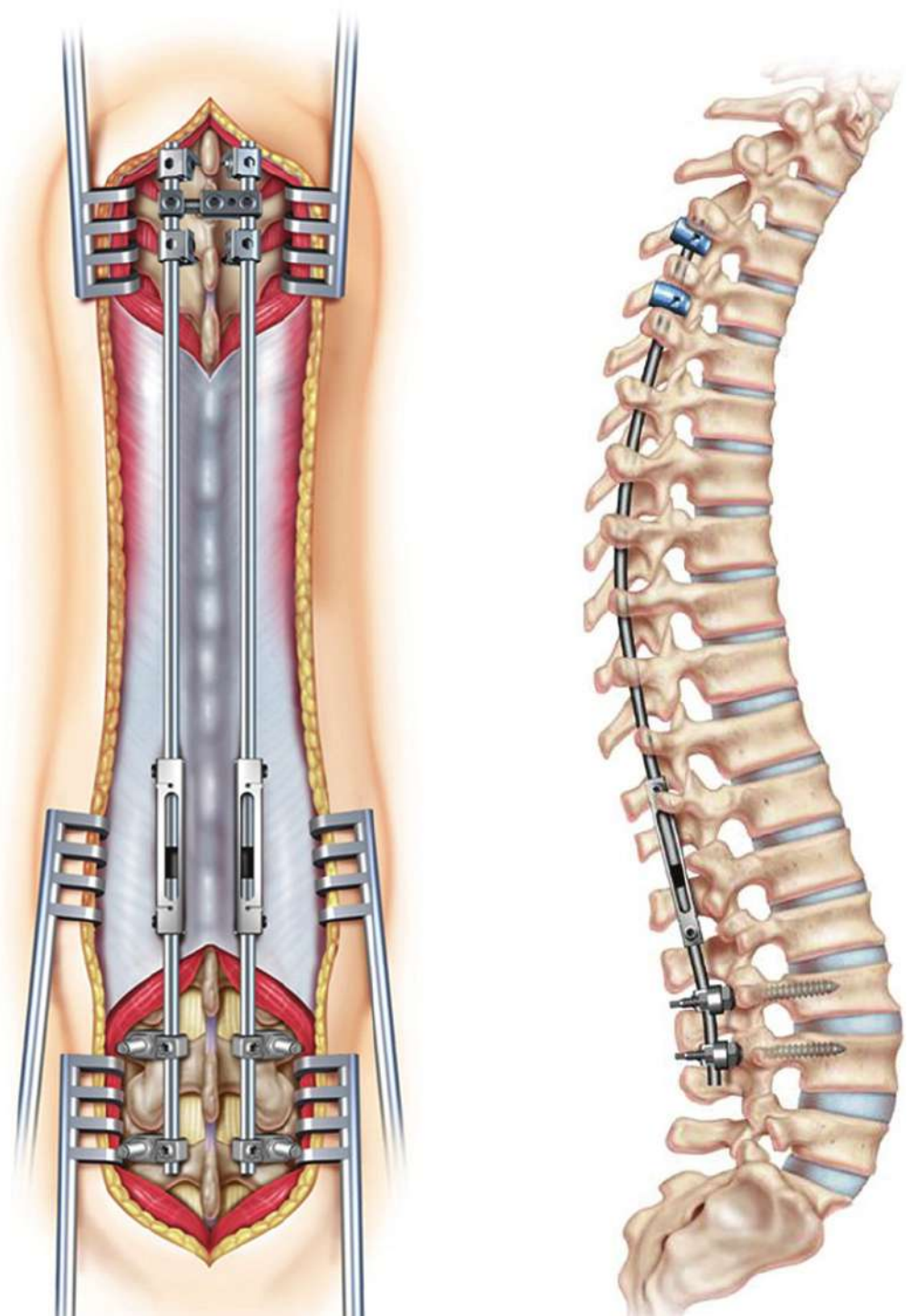


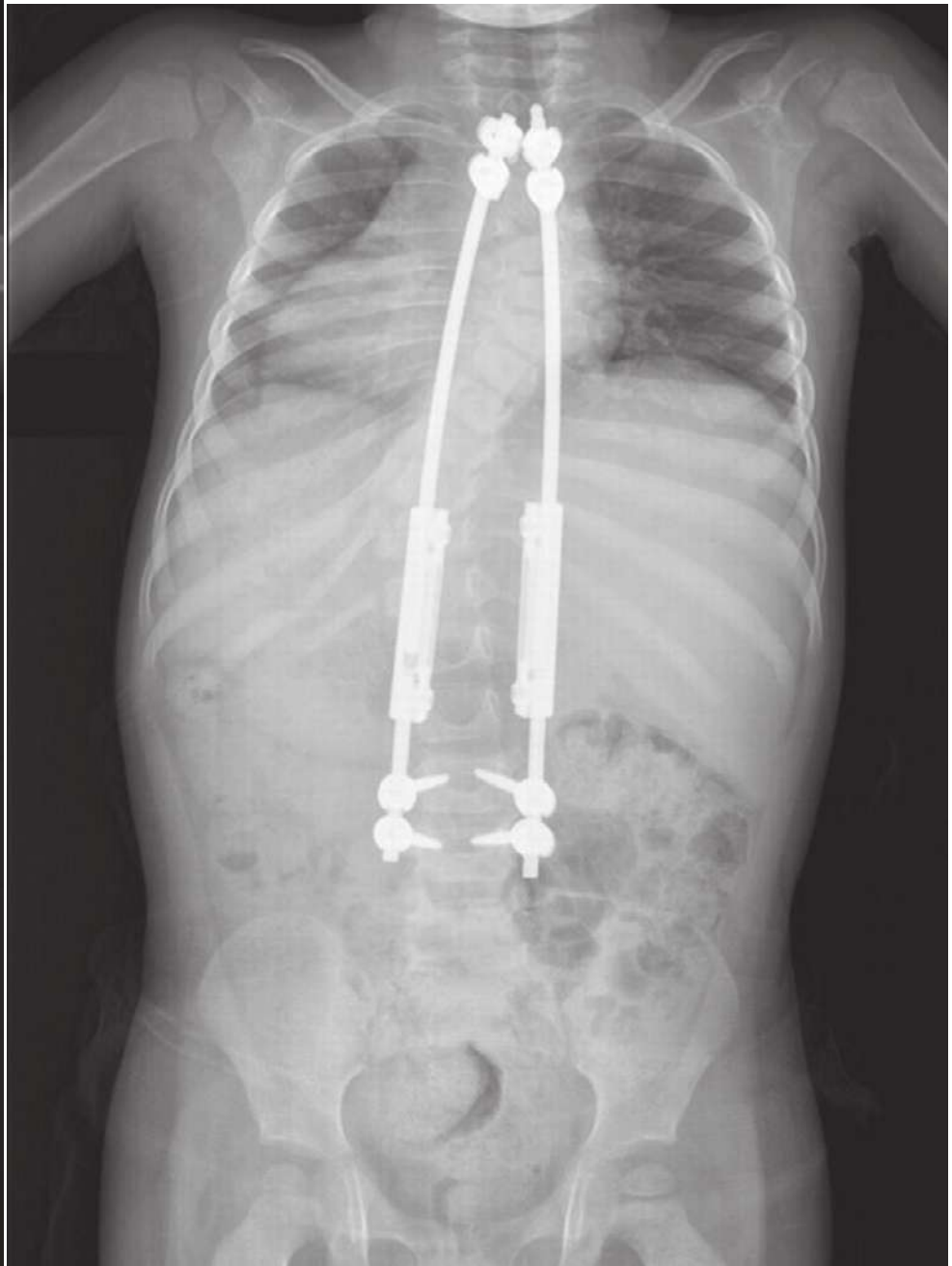
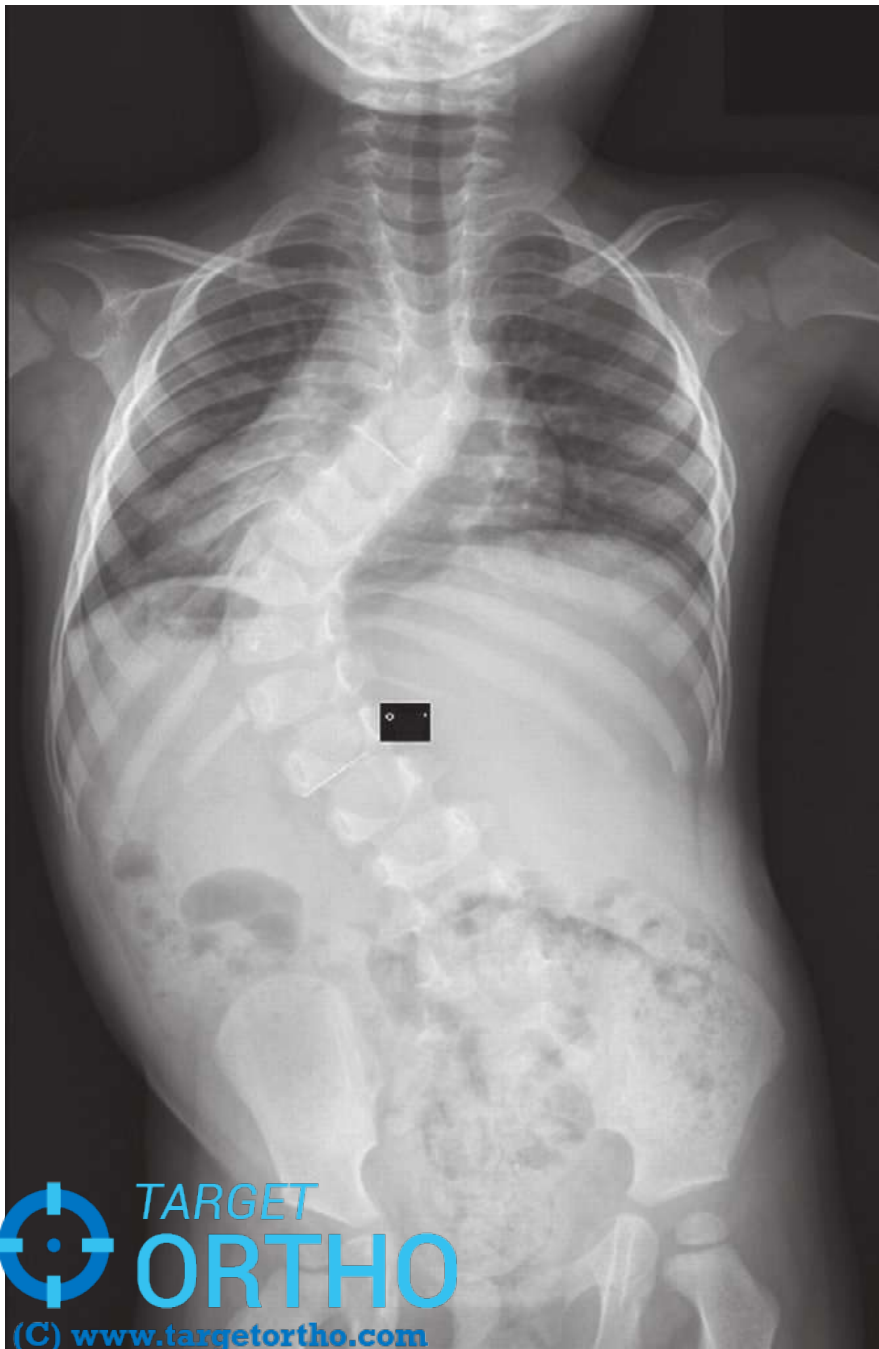
Fusion less surgeries

3 categories

- **1-Distraction-based systems** - distractive force across deformed segment- growth rods
- **2-Compression-based systems** - compressive force - inhibition of the convex side.
 - Examples - vertebral body staples and vertebral body tethering.
- **3-Guided growth systems=anchoring** multiple and apical vertebrae to rods -permitting longitudinal growth . Shilla System.

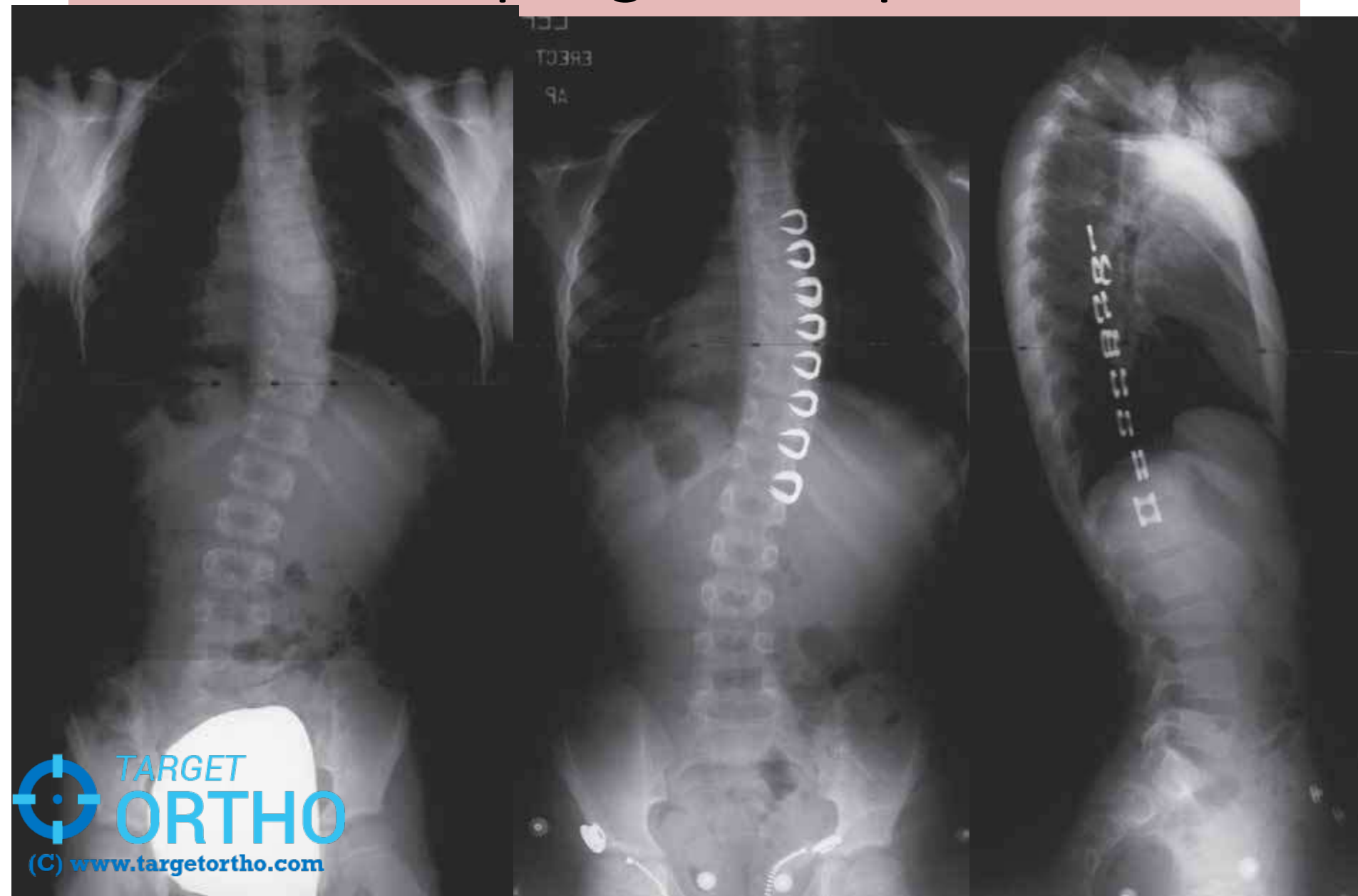
Growth rods



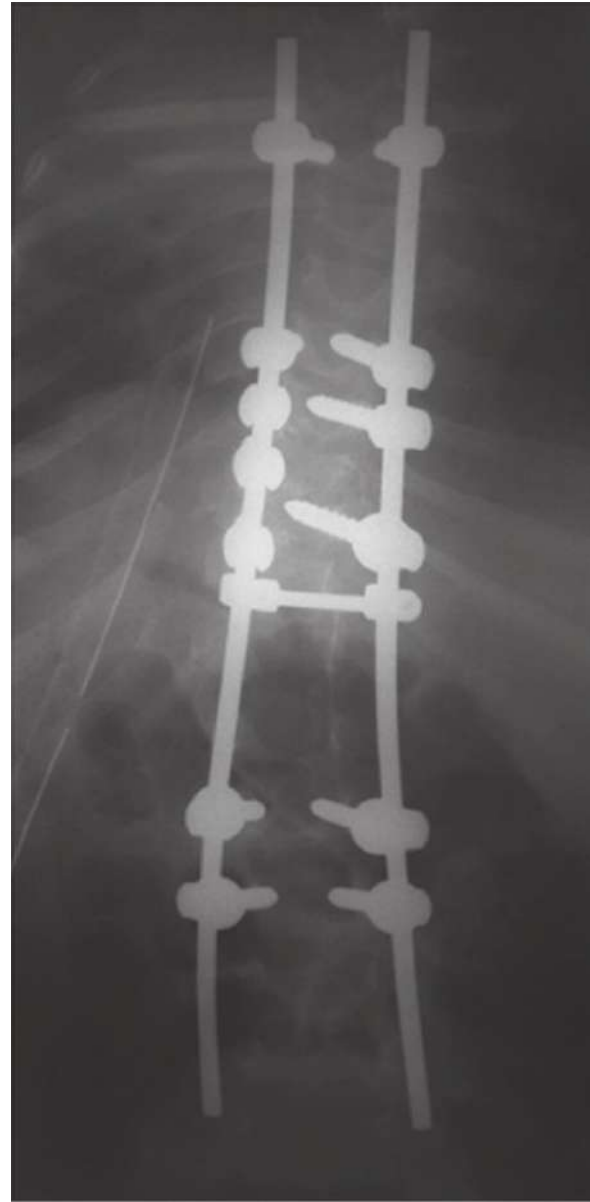
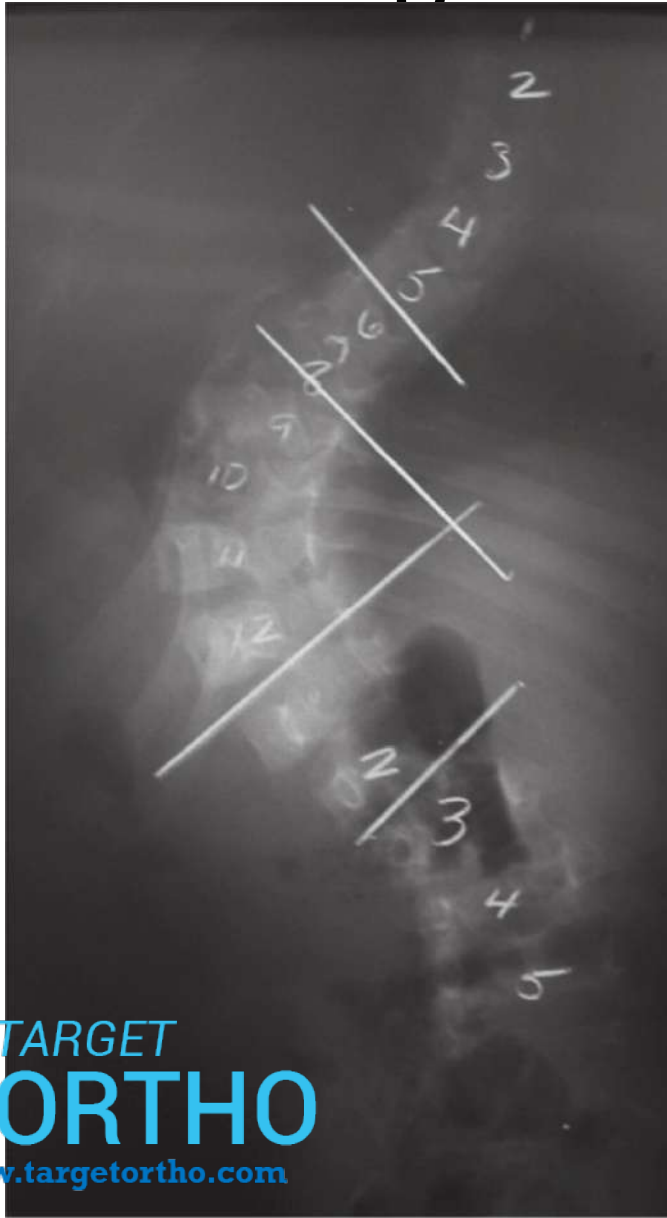




Stapling technique



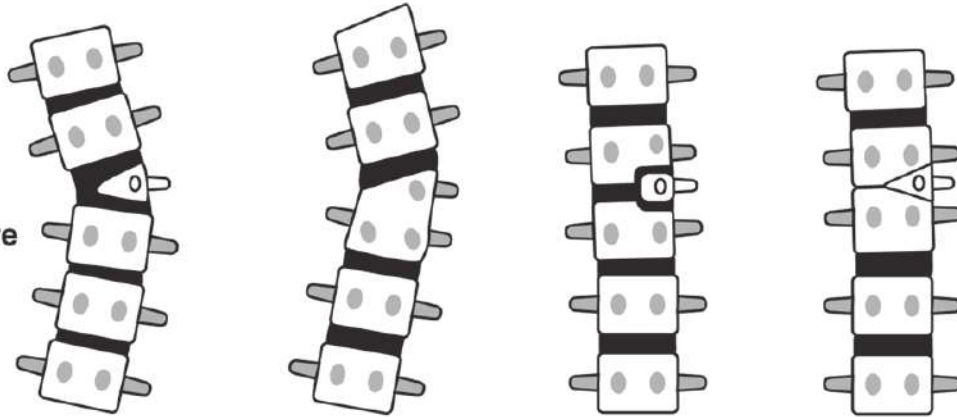
Guided growth- shilla procedure



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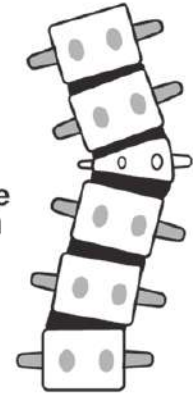
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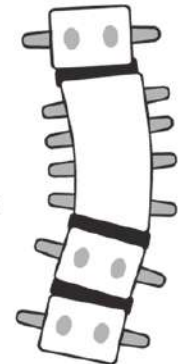


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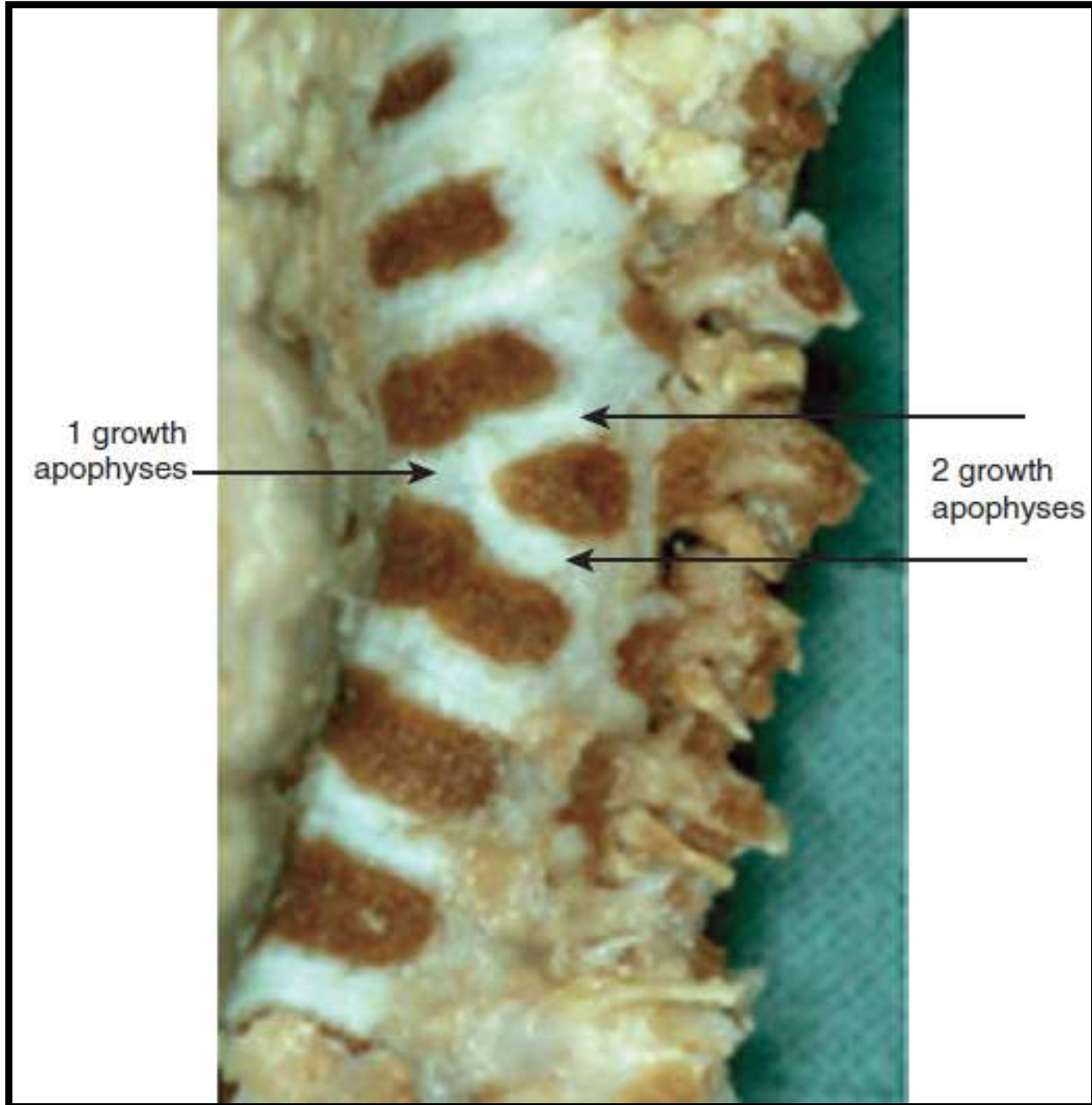
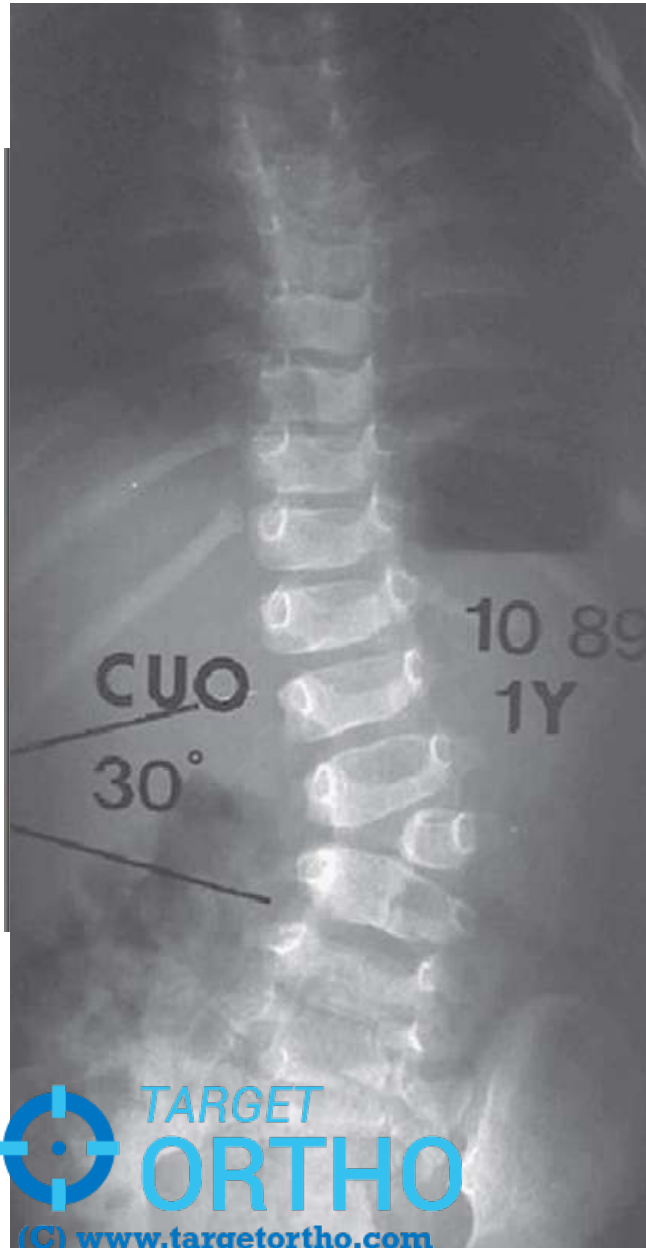


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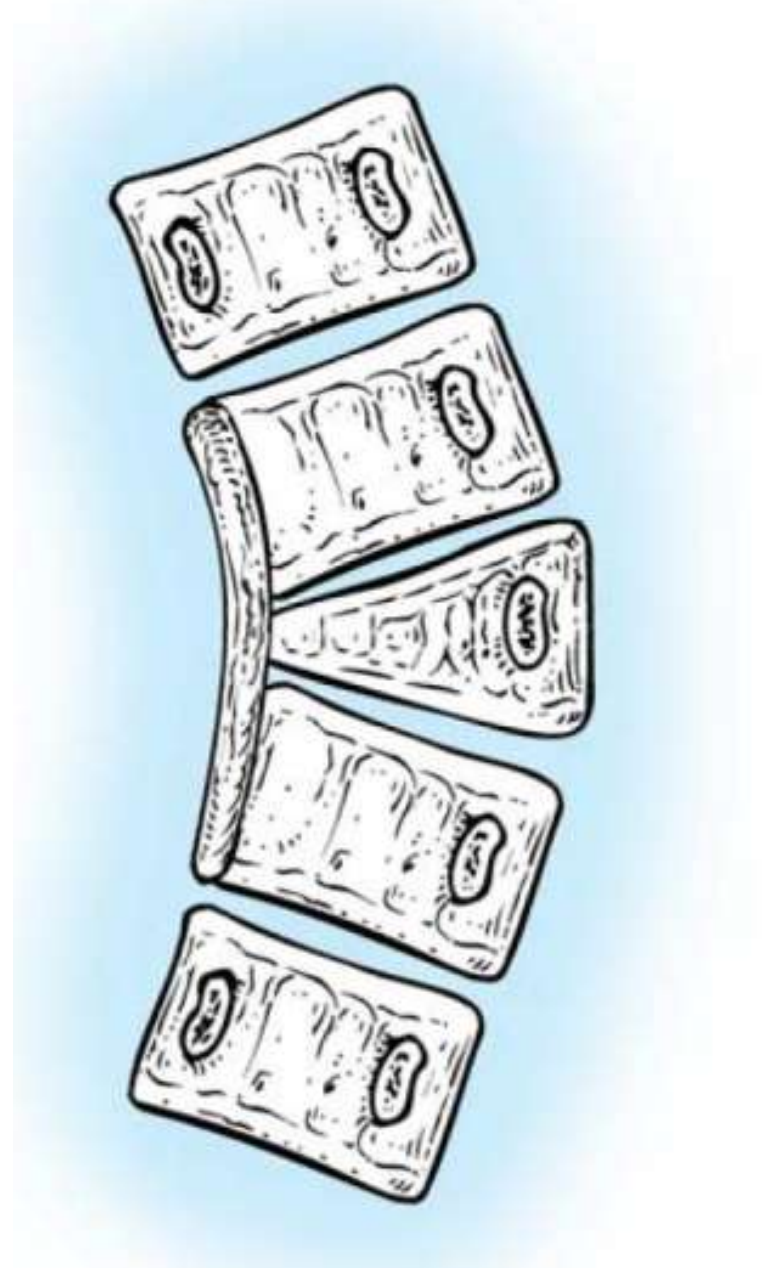


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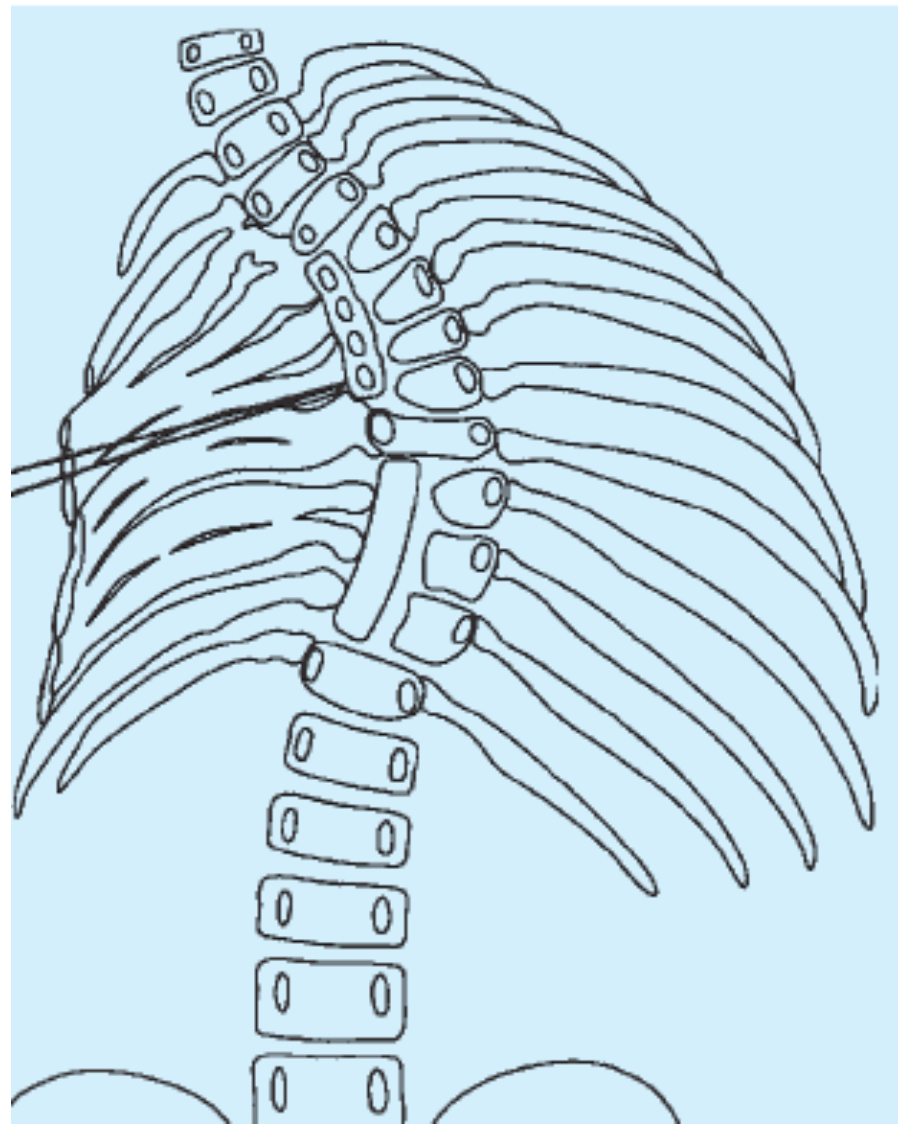
4+8

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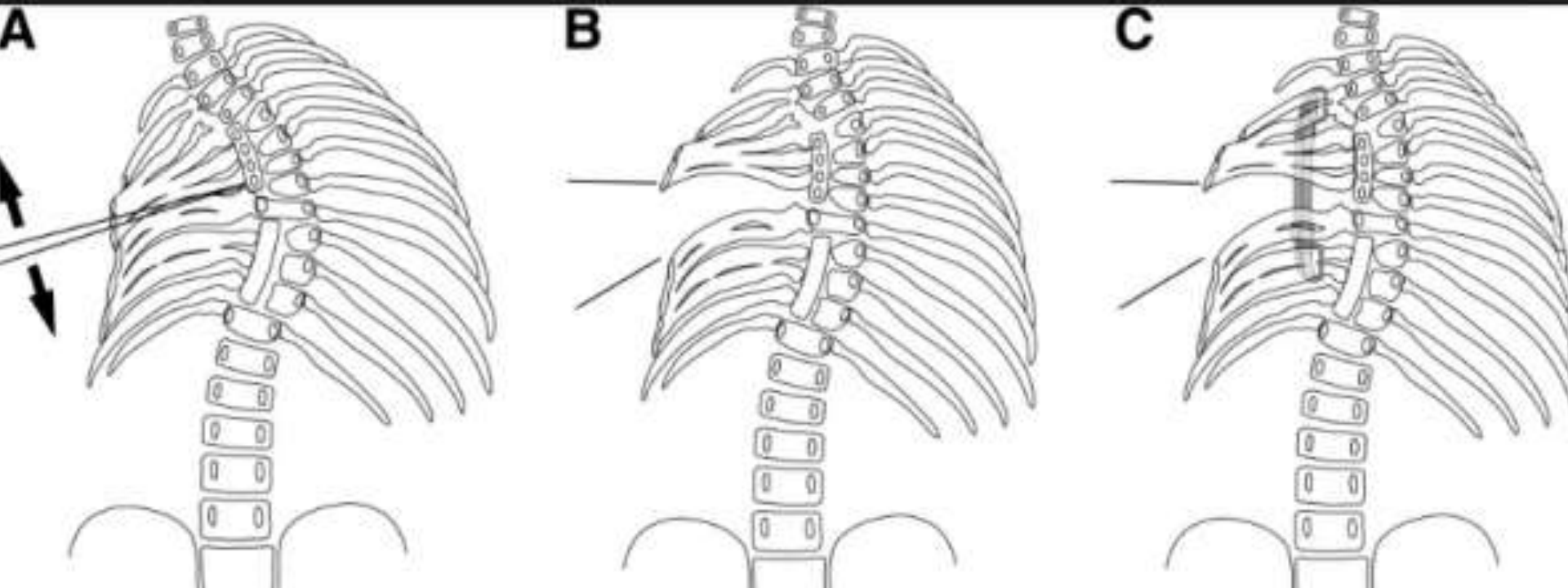
38°

12°



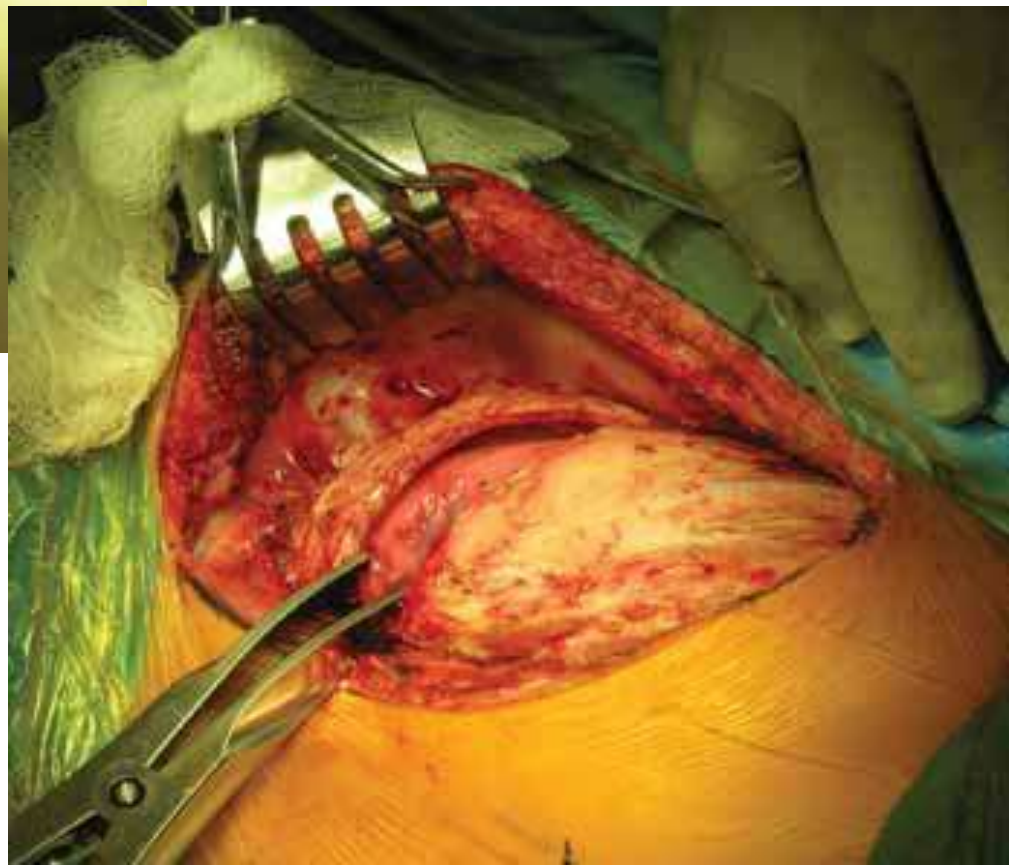
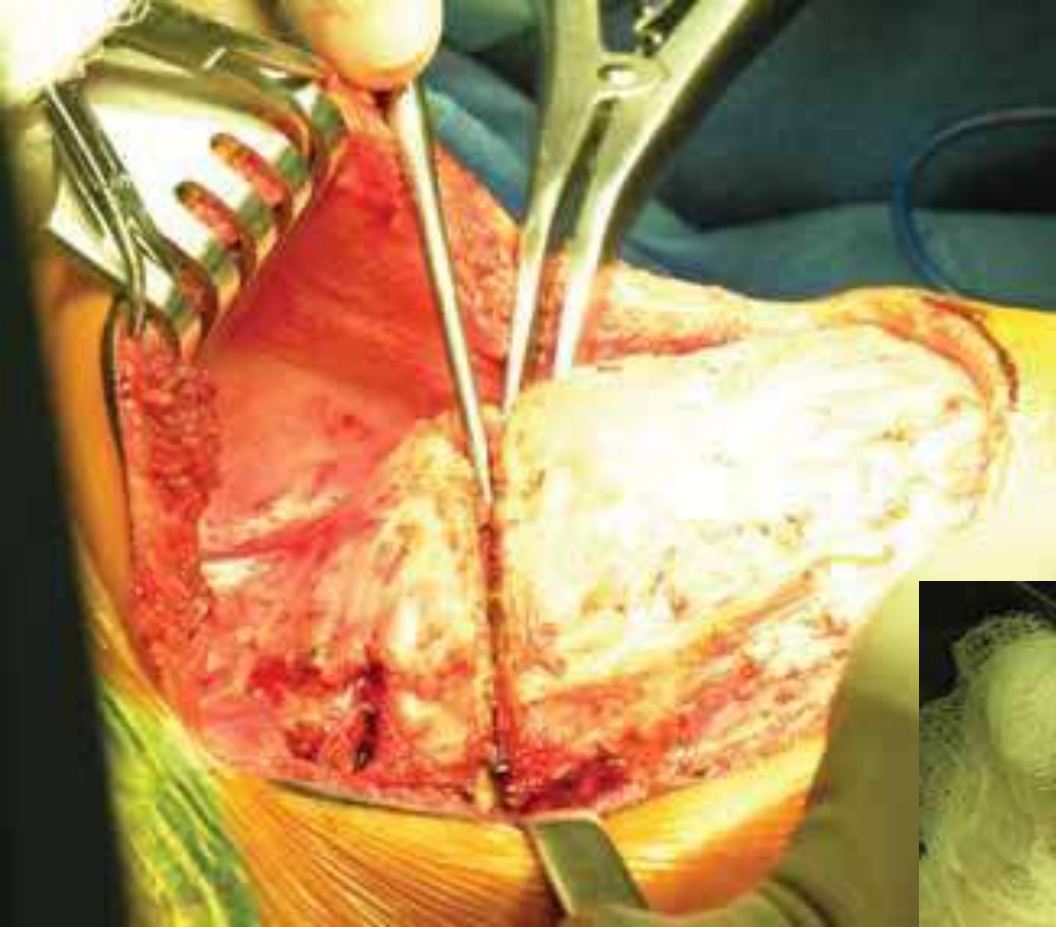


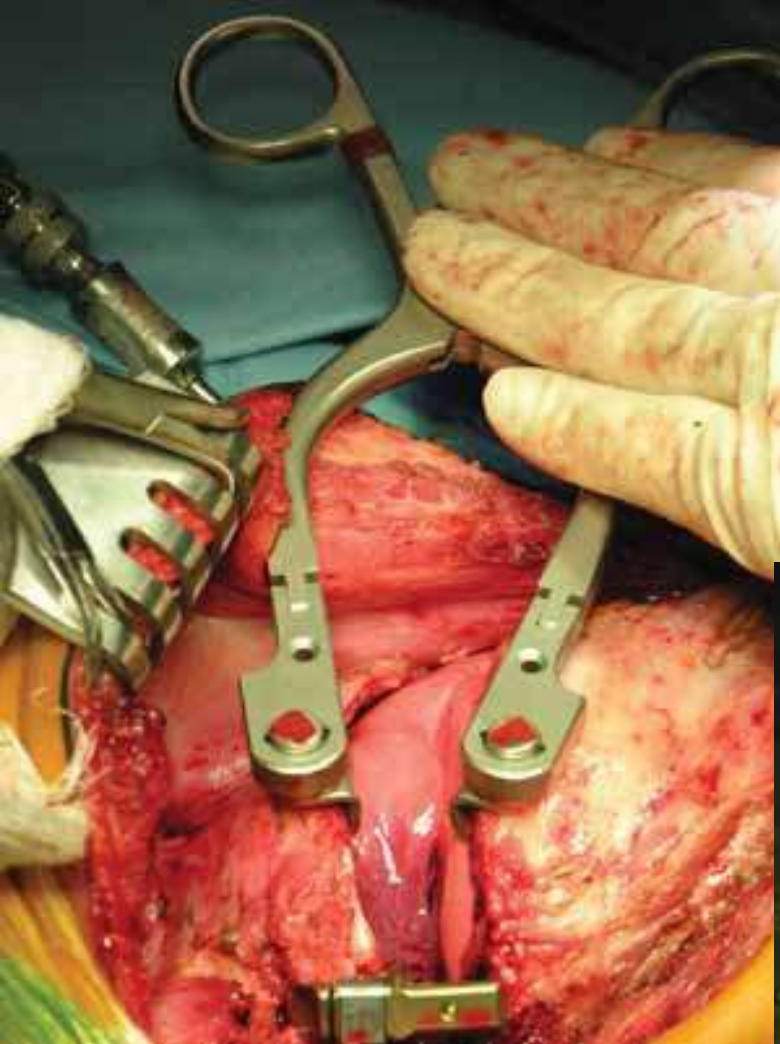
Thoracic expansion devices



Vertical expandable prosthetic titanium rib





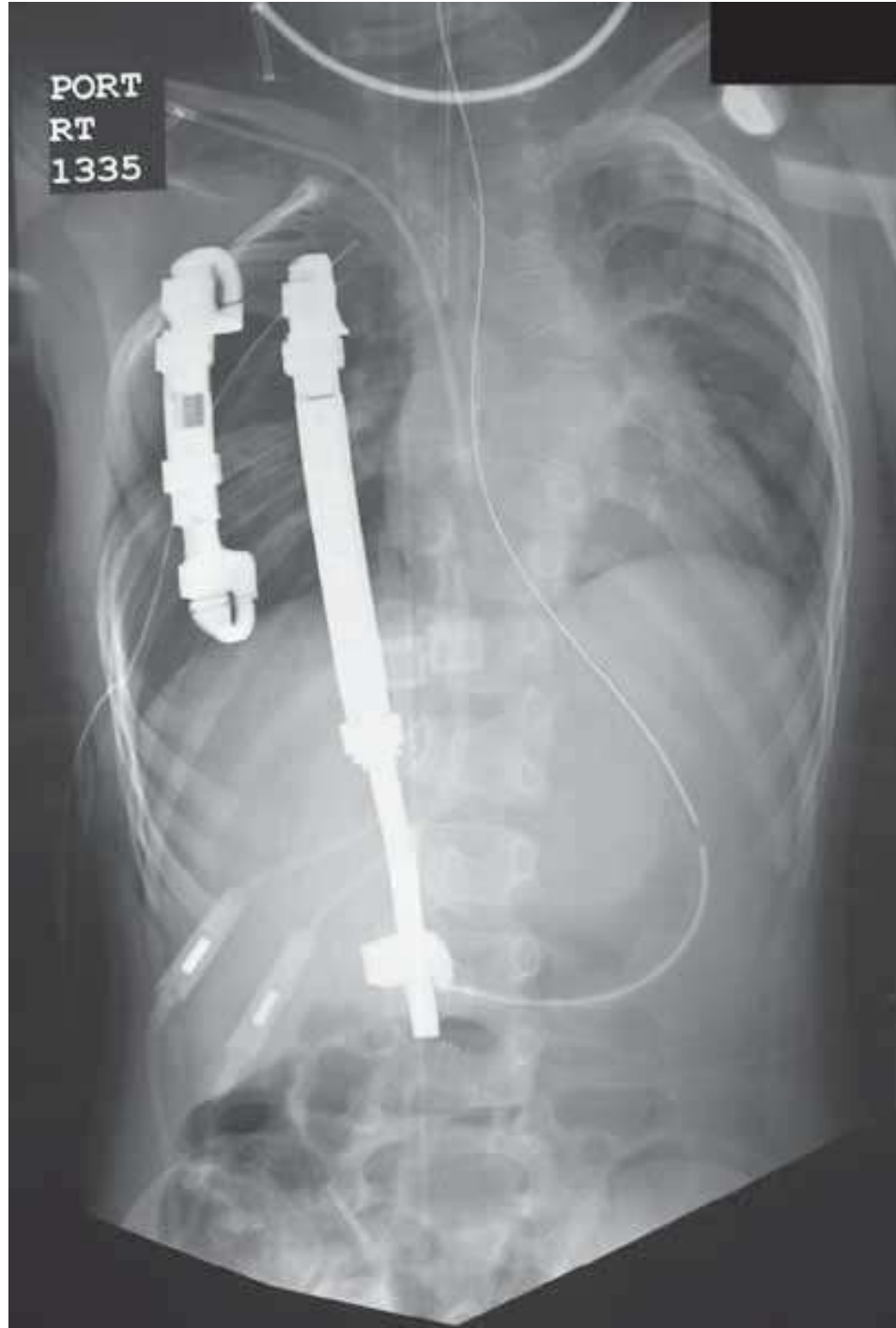


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