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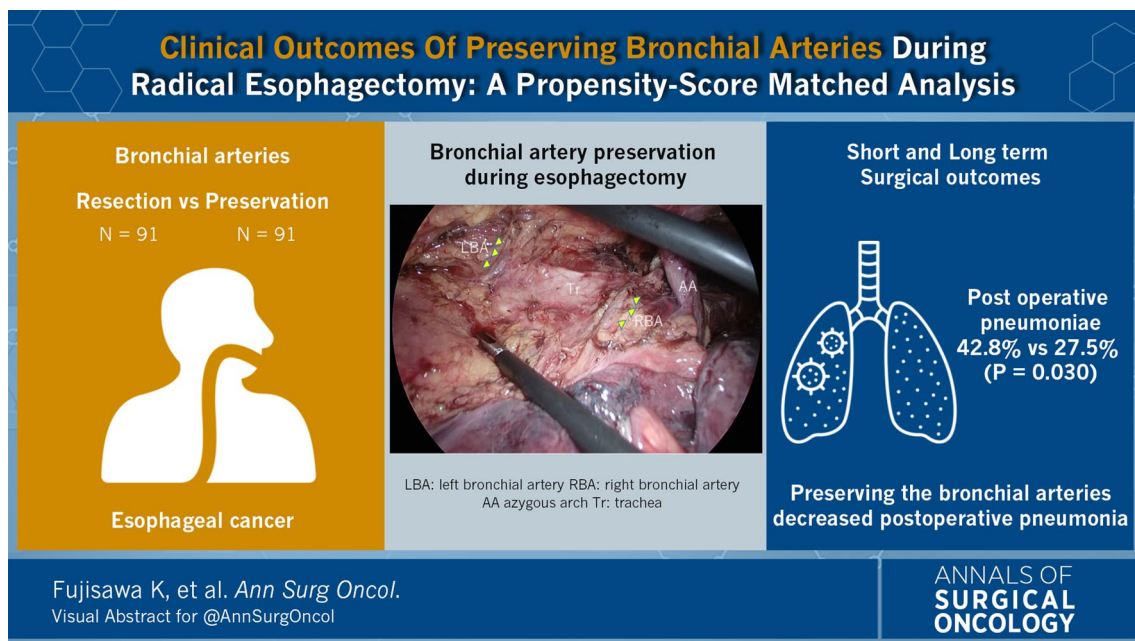
## ASO Visual Abstract: Clinical Outcomes of Preserving Bronchial Arteries During Radical Esophagectomy—A Propensity-Score Matched Analysis

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Postoperative pneumonia is a common complication of radical esophagectomy. Thus, elucidation of the significance of bronchial artery preservation may help improve postoperative outcomes. Preservation of the bronchial arteries

was associated with a reduced incidence of postoperative pneumonia after esophagectomy (<https://doi.org/10.1245/s10434-023-14495-z>).



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