

Question 7 – October 12

Which of the following is true with regard to small bowel adenomas?

- A. Small bowel adenomas follow the adenoma-carcinoma sequence seen in Lynch Syndrome.
- B. 20% of FAP patients develop duodenal adenomas.
- C. The obtained biopsies exclude adenocarcinoma.
- D. Villous features are a risk factor for malignant transformation.

Answer: D

Small bowel adenomas follow the traditional adenoma-carcinoma sequence. 80% of FAP patients develop duodenal adenomas. Superficial biopsies can miss underlying malignancy. Villous features are a strong predictor of malignant transformation.