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**SPECIALIZED FIELDS:**
Surgical oncology and minimally invasive surgery for esophageal and gastric cancer
Nutritional support for surgical cancer patients

**KEY PUBLICATIONS**
1. Lee SW, Shinohara H, Tanigawa N, et al. Preoperative simulation of vascular anatomy by three-dimensional computed tomography imaging in laparoscopic gastric cancer surgery. *J Am Coll Surg* 2003.
2. Takaori K, Nomura E, Lee SW, et al. A secure technique of intracorporeal Roux-Y reconstruction after laparoscopic distal gastrectomy. *Am J Surg* 2005.
3. Tokuhara T, Tanigawa N, Lee SW, et al. Evaluation of lymph node metastases in gastric cancer using magnetic resonance imaging with ultrasmall superparamagnetic iron oxide (USPIO): diagnostic performance in post-contrast images using new diagnostic criteria. *Gastric Cancer* 2008.
4. Lee SW, Nomura E, Tanigawa N, et al. Intracorporeal stapled anastomosis following laparoscopic segmental gastrectomy for gastric cancer: technical report and surgical outcomes. *Surg Endosc* 2010.
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