

LAPAROSCOPIC SLEEVE GASTRECTOMY



Laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy is a restrictive procedure that limits the amount of food you can eat by reducing the size of your stomach. During this procedure, a thin vertical sleeve of stomach is created using a stapling device. About 80% of the stomach is removed. This procedure limits the amount of food you can eat and helps you feel full sooner. The stomach, now shaped like a sleeve, will be the size of a banana. It allows for normal digestion and absorption. Food consumed passes through the digestive tract in the usual order, allowing it to be fully absorbed in the body.