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ASO Visual Abstract: Importance of Adequate Surgical Local Control in Fusion Negative Paratesticular Rhabdomyosarcoma—Data from the “Cooperative Weichteilsarkom Studiengruppe” Trials CWS-96, 2002P, and European Soft Tissue Sarcoma Registry (SoTiSaR)

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The authors of this study (<https://doi.org/10.1245/s10434-024-15568-3>) assessed the impact of the quality of initial and subsequent surgeries on the survival of patients with nonmetastatic and metastatic paratesticular rhabdomyosarcoma enrolled in the two Cooperative Weichteilsarkom Studiengruppe (CWS) trials (CWS-96, 2002P) and the Soft

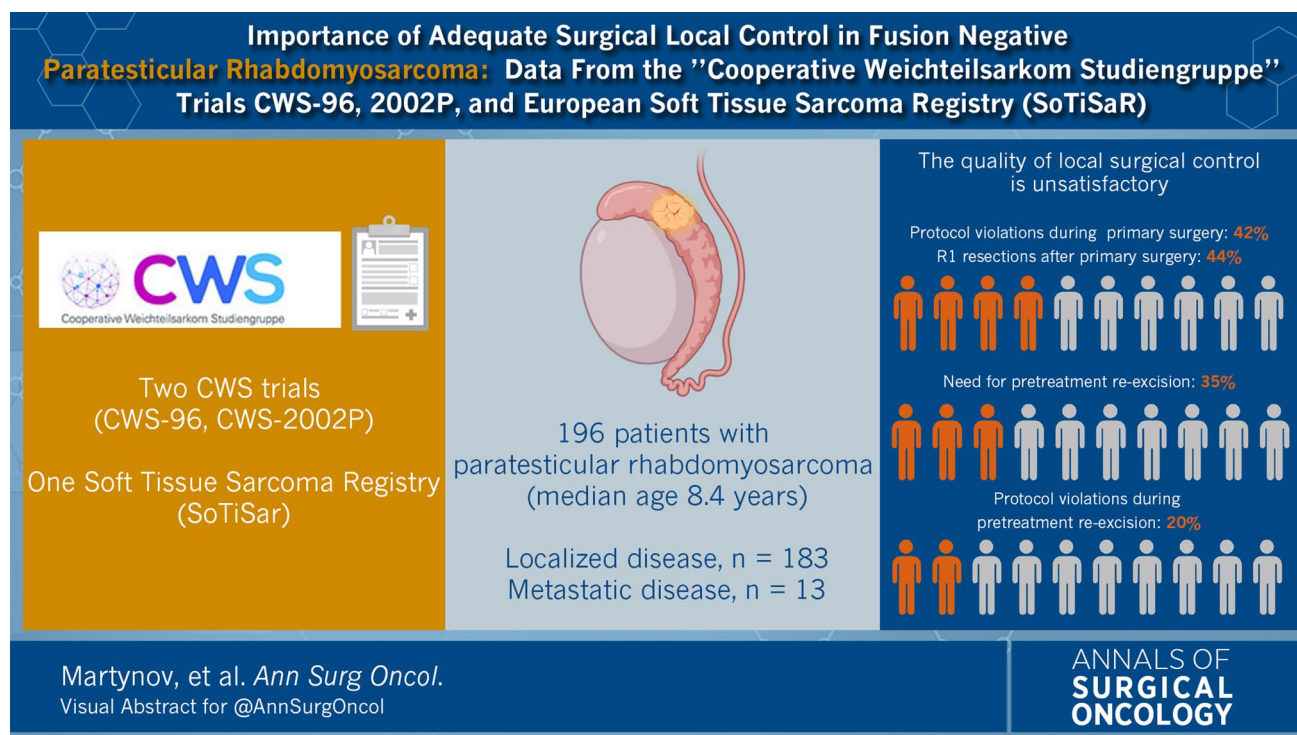
Tissue Sarcoma Registry (SoTiSaR). The quality of local surgical control has revealed unsatisfactory results, with a high prevalence of protocol violations during primary surgery (42%) and pretreatment re-excision (20%).

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