Bladder augmentation and effect on renal function

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Bladder augmentation is a surgical procedure done when the bladder loses its function and becomes contracted, spastic and lead to leakage. It is an effective method by which we can increase bladder capacity and reducing pressure on the urinary system. Bladder augmentation is used in an attempt to preserve and improve renal function. In spite of this, there is a lot of controversy regarding whether this procedure is suitable to maintain kidney function or might increase the risk of hastening the renal deterioration to end stage renal failure.

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