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A Cause for Hemodynamic Instability during Hepatic Tumor Resection

To the Editor—Elevated concentrations of circulating catecholamines have not previously been reported in association with primary hepatic tumors. We would like to report a 10-month-old baby girl with an intrahepatic tumor who developed severe hemodynamic instability during surgical resection. The highest preoperative blood pressure was 120/80 mmHg, recorded while the patient was crying vigorously. Preoperatively, serum glutamic-oxaloacetic transaminase, serum glutamic-pyruvic transaminase, alkaline phosphatase, and lactate dehydrogenase concentrations were increased, and the α-fetoprotein concentration was normal. Celiac and superior mesenteric arteriography

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