PROCEDURES

- **HIPEC** (Hyperthermic Intraperitoneal Chemotherapy)
- CHEMOTHERAPY
- SURGERY removal of:
- Uterus (hysterectomy) Tubes and ovaries
- Omentum (Layer of fatty tissue resting on intra-abdominal organs)
- Parts of the large and or small bowel and appendix

- Spleen
- Gallbladder/portion of the liver
- Portion of the bladder or ureter
- Lymph nodes
- Internal Lining of the abdomen (peritoneum)
- Diversion of bowel via stoma (bowel bag)

Ovarian Cancer





STAGE

GRADE

SURGICAL COMPLICATIONS

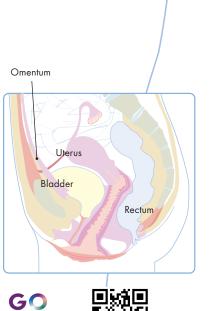
- Bleeding
- Infection- wound/chest/ pelvis/urine
- Damage to bladder/ bowel/ureters/nerves / blood vessels
- Secondary procedure to manage complication
- Bowel leak
- Blood clot
- Difficulty in passing urine or stools

- Swollen or painful legs – lymphoedema
- Menopause symptoms (i.e. hot flashes)
- Lymphocele (lymphatic fluid)
- Hernia at surgical site

COMMON TREATMENT SIDE-EFFECTS

- Bleeding / Infection
- Diarrhoea / incontinence / constipation
- Fatigue & Mood changes
- Menopause symptoms (i.e. hot flashes)
- Sexual dysfunction (i.e. vaginal dryness, painful sex)
- Hair loss

- Abnormal connection between bowel or bladder and vagina (fistula)
- Neuropathy (numbness of hands and feet)



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