

Extratemporal disconnective procedure

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Epilepsy surgery in **children** often involves brain areas outside the **temporal lobe** and, therefore, techniques for **extratemporal surgery** must be included in the armamentarium of epilepsy surgery centers. Nowadays, **disconnective procedures** are preferable to traditional resective operations because they reduce the rate of complications related to extensive resections while achieving equivalent seizure outcomes ¹⁾

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