

# Foraminal ligament

The inverted Y ligament detected in a study was different from the other reported descriptions of foraminal ligaments. It divided the [lumbar foramen](#) into three passages. Because of its relations with adjacent structures, such as nerves and vessels, the inverted Y ligament may be an important structure for lumbar foramen. Thus, it may be an important anatomic landmark <sup>1)</sup>.

<sup>1)</sup>

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