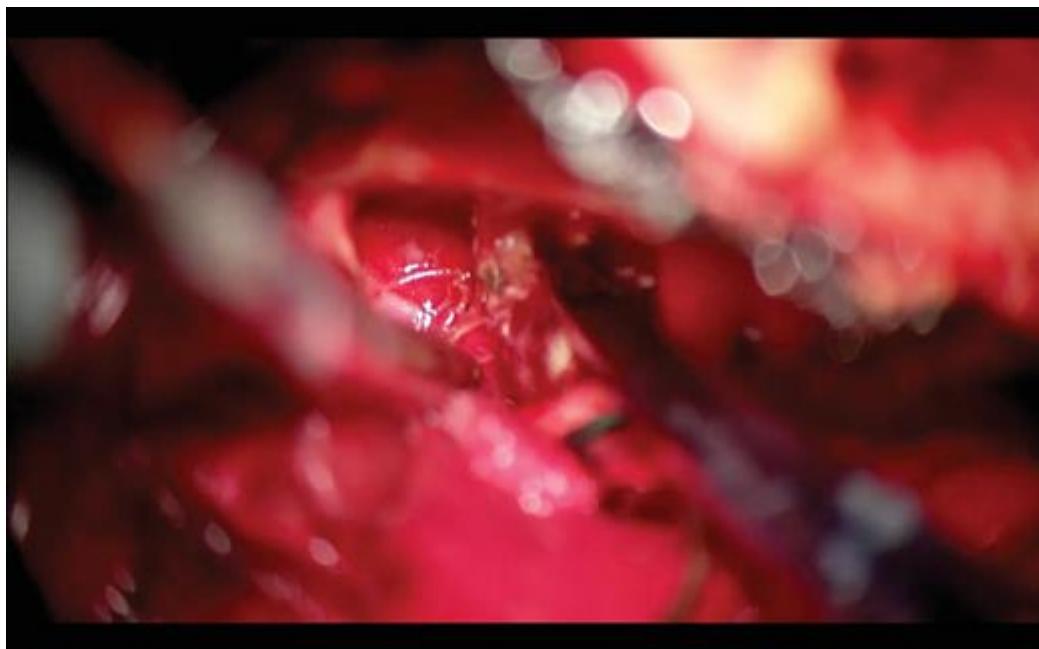


# Subfrontal Infrachiasmatic Approach

In a [video](#), Aldave et al., from the Division of Pediatric Neurosurgery, [Texas Children's Hospital](#), Department of Neurosurgery, [Baylor College of Medicine](#), presented a case of a 6-yr-old girl with a large [sellar-suprasellar craniopharyngioma](#).

The fact that the [sphenoid](#) was not pneumatized and the [chiasm](#) was elevated 1.2 cm from the [planum sphenoidale](#) were some of the reasons to choose a [subfrontal infrachiasmatic approach](#) as they discuss and show in the video. This [approach](#) has not been very well established in the literature but they demonstrated it can become a good alternative for a particular type of sellar-[suprasellar tumors](#). Appropriate video authorization [consent](#) was obtained from the parent of the patient <sup>1)</sup>.



Watch now at <https://academic.oup.com/ons/article-lookup/doi/10.1093/ons/opy403>

<sup>1)</sup>

Aldave G, Zinn P, Whitehead WE. Subfrontal Infrachiasmatic Approach to a Craniopharyngioma Resection: 2-Dimensional Operative Video. Oper Neurosurg (Hagerstown). 2019 Feb 5. doi: 10.1093/ons/opy403. [Epub ahead of print] PubMed PMID: 30726971.

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