Cervical ependymoma resection

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Intradural intramedullary cervical spinal cord tumors pose a significant challenge for the neurosurgeon to resect with minimal morbidity. We present the case of a 12-year-old male with a cervical ependymoma and demonstrate our resection technique.

The video can be found here: http://youtu.be/5DHlnxdggU0. (http://thejns.org/doi/abs/10.3171/2012.V2.FOCUS12222)

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