

**CODE:** T6510 M8143/2

**ID NOS:** HBX173432 43605

**DIAGNOSIS:** JEJUNUM - ADENOCARCINOMA

**CLINICAL HISTORY:** F/76. This elderly lady gave a two month history of nausea and vomiting. A barium meal revealed obstruction of the small bowel. Laparotomy was performed and a carcinoma of the jejunum was resected. The nearby mesenteric lymph nodes were said to be enlarged, firm and white. Five years later she was alive and well.

**MACROSCOPIC:** At the centre of this length of small bowel is a rather craggy looking annular constriction. The proximal portion of bowel (lower half) is congested and dilated and the wall thickened resulting from muscular hypertrophy. No lymph nodes are included in the specimen.

**MICROSCOPIC:** The malignant epithelium is forming moderately well differentiated glands which infiltrate through the mucosa to the subperitoneal layer.

