

TRAUMA RECTAL

Table 2
AAST rectal organ injury scale

Grade I	Hematoma: contusion or hematoma without devascularization and/or partial-thickness laceration
Grade II	Laceration \leq 50% circumference
Grade III	Laceration >50% circumference
Grade IV	Full-thickness laceration with extension into the perineum
Grade V	Devascularized segment

Data from Moore EE, Cogbill TH, Malangoni MA, et al. Organ injury scaling, II: Pancreas, duodenum, small bowel, colon, and rectum. J Trauma 1990;30:1427.