

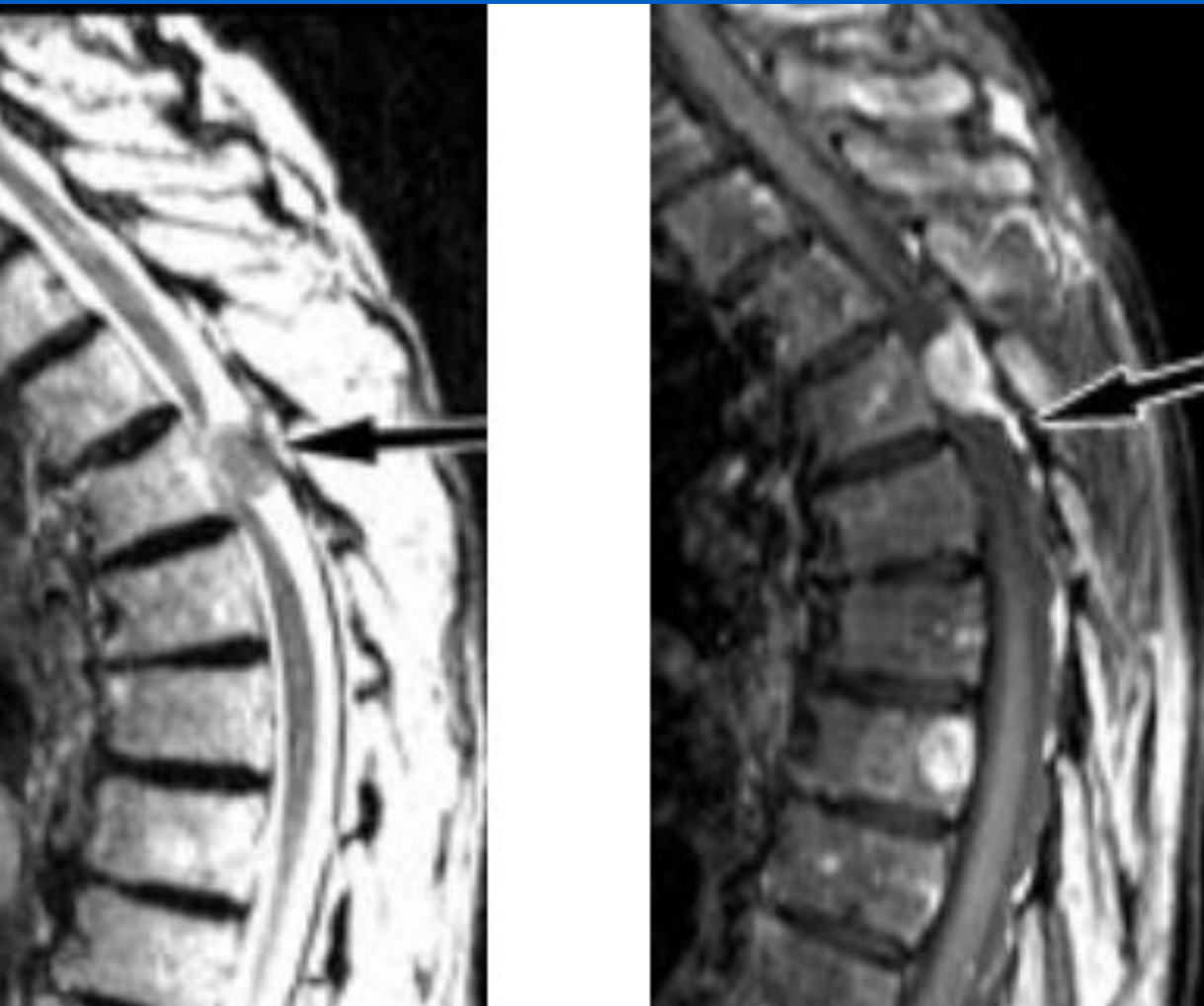
Meningioma

- Approximately 25% of all spinal tumors
 - Intradural (90%), extradural (5%), combined (5%)
- Thoracic (80%) > cervical (15%) > lumbar
 - Lumbar uncommon
 - Female predominance (80%)
 - Often posterolateral to cord in thoracic spine
- Enhances, may have dural tail
- Calcifications common

Meningioma

*DDX: {intradural
extramedullary}*

1. *meningioma*
2. *schwannoma*
3. *ependymoma*
4. *arachnoid cyst*
5. *Dermoid-Epidermoid
(associated with
dysraphism ?)*
6. *Lipoma*
7. *Mets*
8. *Drop metastasis -
medulloblastoma/epen
dymoma/pineal
dysgerminoma/glioma*



Meningioma



Cervical spinal meningioma

