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The MAT + TIPS (one step) is a relevant procedure, a therapeutic option in patients with portal vein thrombosis. In the pediatric population, this procedure could be used as the exception therapy in patients with contraindication to perform mesorex bypass. One question: - Why didn't you perform mesorex bypass in this patient? This case report presents a rare method of treatment in children, with clinical relevance.