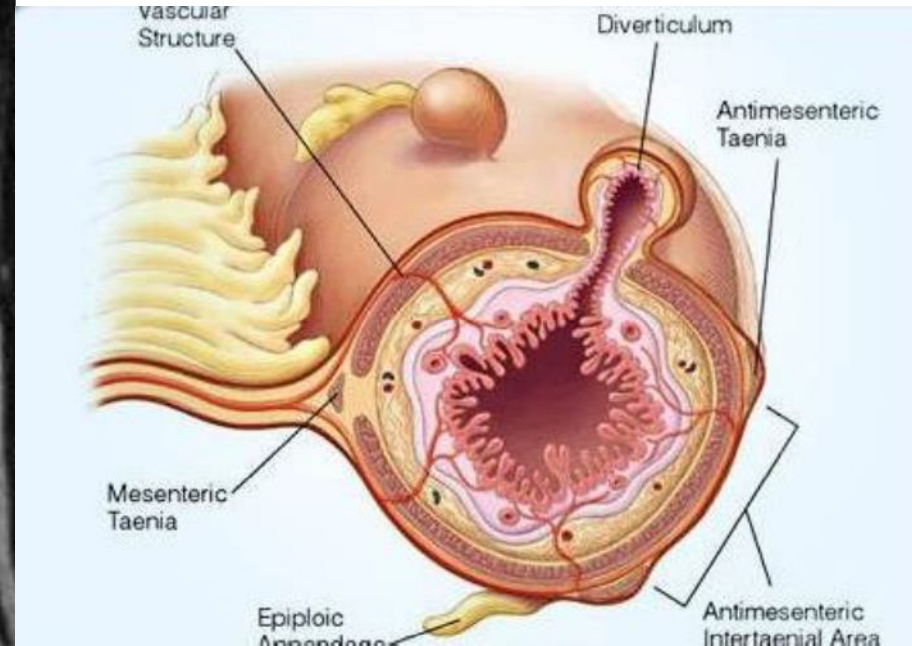


Colonic diverticulum



Colonic diverticula are small balloon-like sacs (arrows) or pouches of mucosa that herniate through the muscle layers of the colon. They are pseudodiverticula consisting of herniated sacculations of mucosa and serosa.