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Long-term health-related quality of life in drug-resistant temporal lobe epilepsy after anterior temporal lobectomy

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- Anterior temporal lobectomy provides high opportunity to achieve seizure freedom for the patients with drug-resistant temporal lobe epilepsy.
- Establishing anatomico-electro-clinical correlations prior to surgery is of major importance.

- The benefits of epilepsy surgery for seizure control and health-related quality of life can be maintained for a long time.
- The goal of epilepsy surgery is seizure freedom, which is strongly correlated to better health-related quality of life postoperatively.