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Hypospadias occurs when there is failure of the urethra to completely close on the ventral aspect and epispadias occurs when there is failure of closure on the dorsal surface. A urethral diverticulum in a female can be a cause for recurrent UTIs and is notable for its capacity to fill and empty at cystoscopy . A urethral caruncle is a minor prolapse of the urethral mucosa in a female and usually requires no treatment.

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