

First performance of liver biopsy

1880	P. EHRLICH	Berlin ¹⁾
1895	L. LUCATELLO	Roma ²⁾
1907	F. SCHUPFER	Firenze ²⁾
1923	A. BINGEL	Braunschweig ¹⁾

Second stage in method development

1926	J. OLIVET	Marburg ¹⁾
1935	P. HUARD et al.	Paris ⁷⁾
1938	I. SILVERMAN	New York ³⁾
1939	E. BARON	New York ³⁾
1939	P. IVERSEN et al.	Kobenhavn ⁴⁾
1940	W. KOFLER	Wien ⁵⁾
1943	J.H. DIBLE et al.	London ⁸⁾

Third stage as Menghini technique

1957	G. MENGhini	Perugia ²⁾
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Ultrasound- and CT-guided biopsy

1964	WANG HSIN-FANG et al.	Shanghai ⁶⁾
1972	S.N. RASMUSSEN et al.	Hjallerup ⁴⁾
1976	J.R. HAAGA et al.	Cleveland ³⁾
1983	L. GREINER et al.	Wuppertal ¹⁾