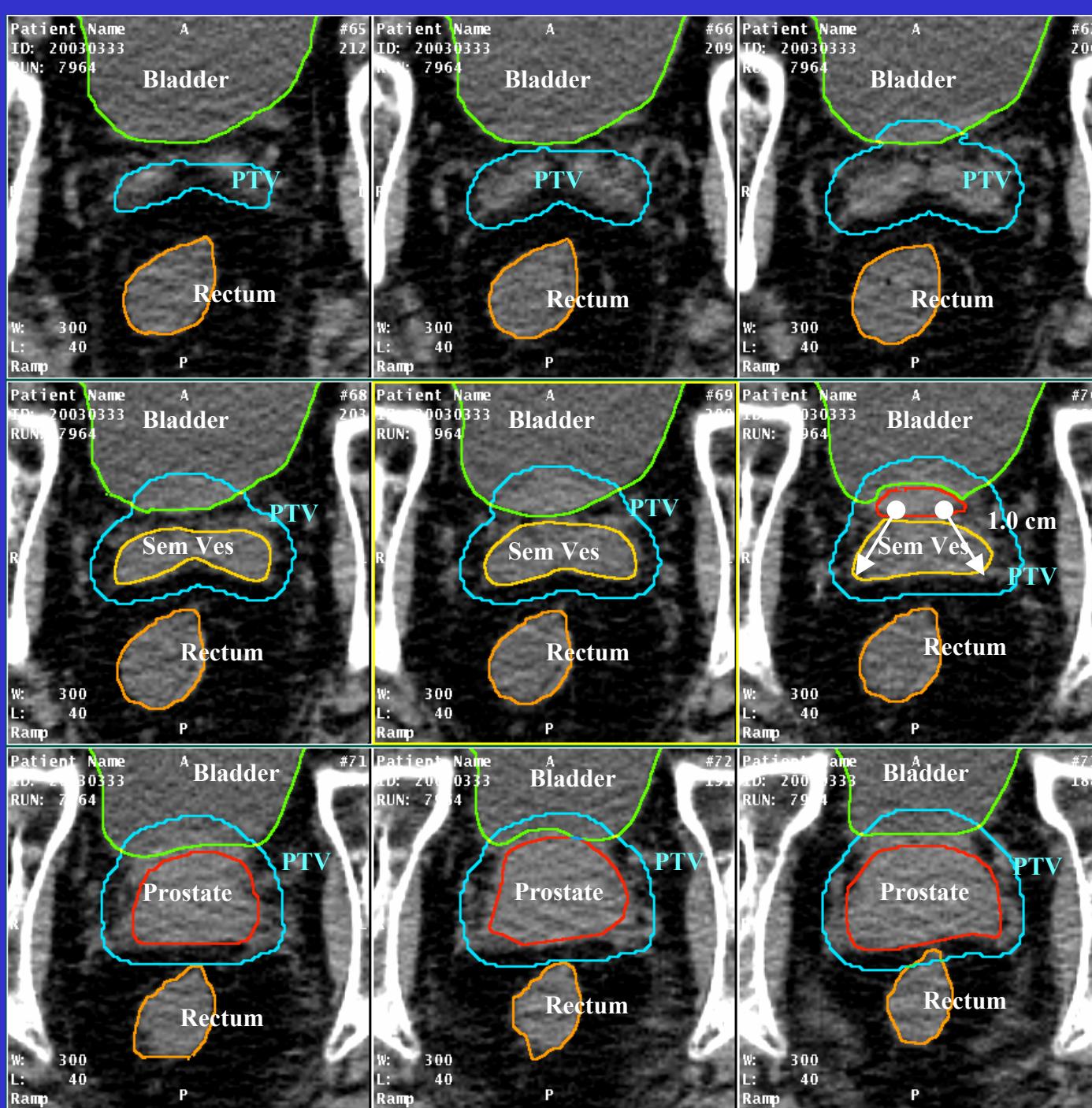


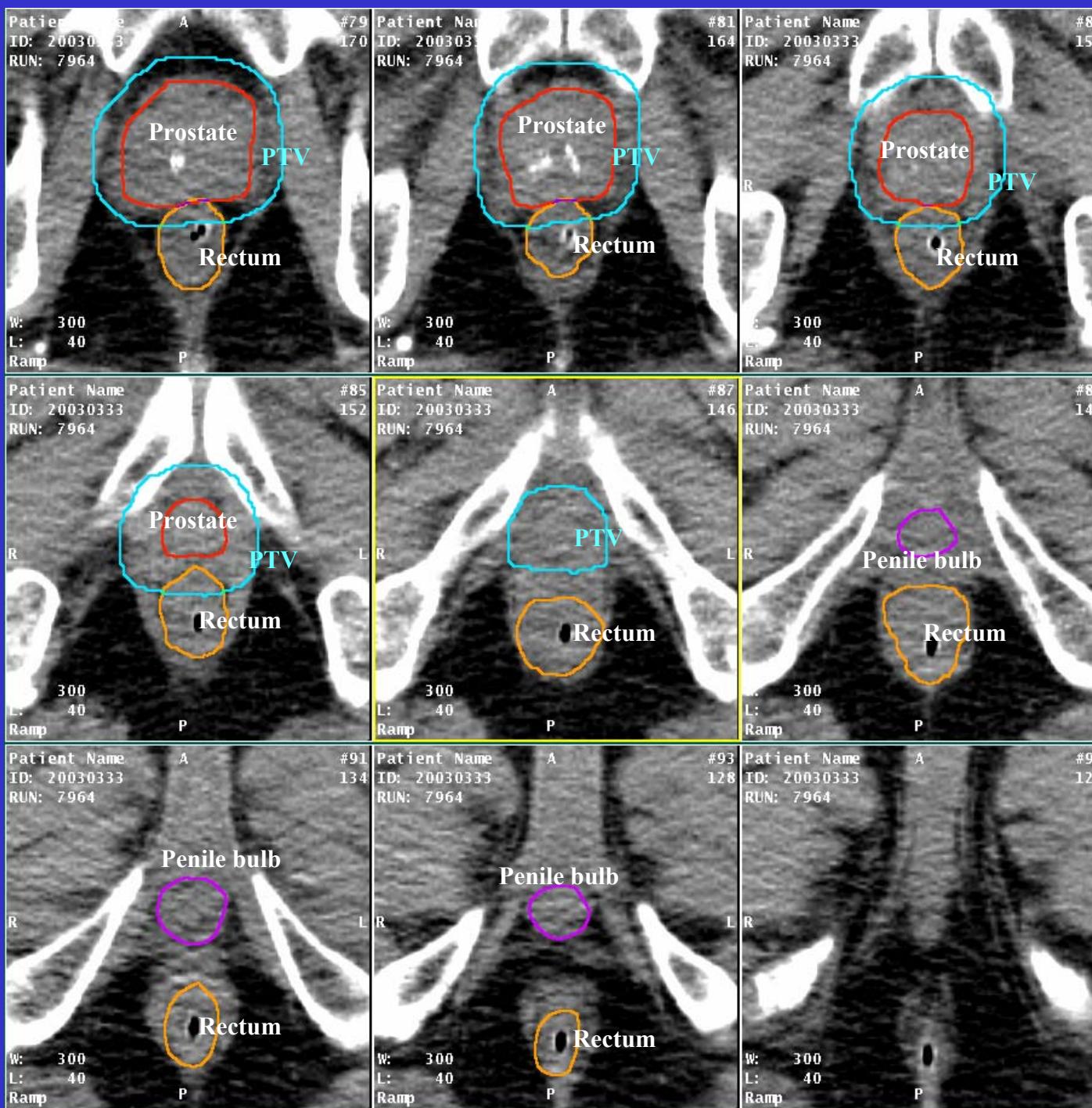
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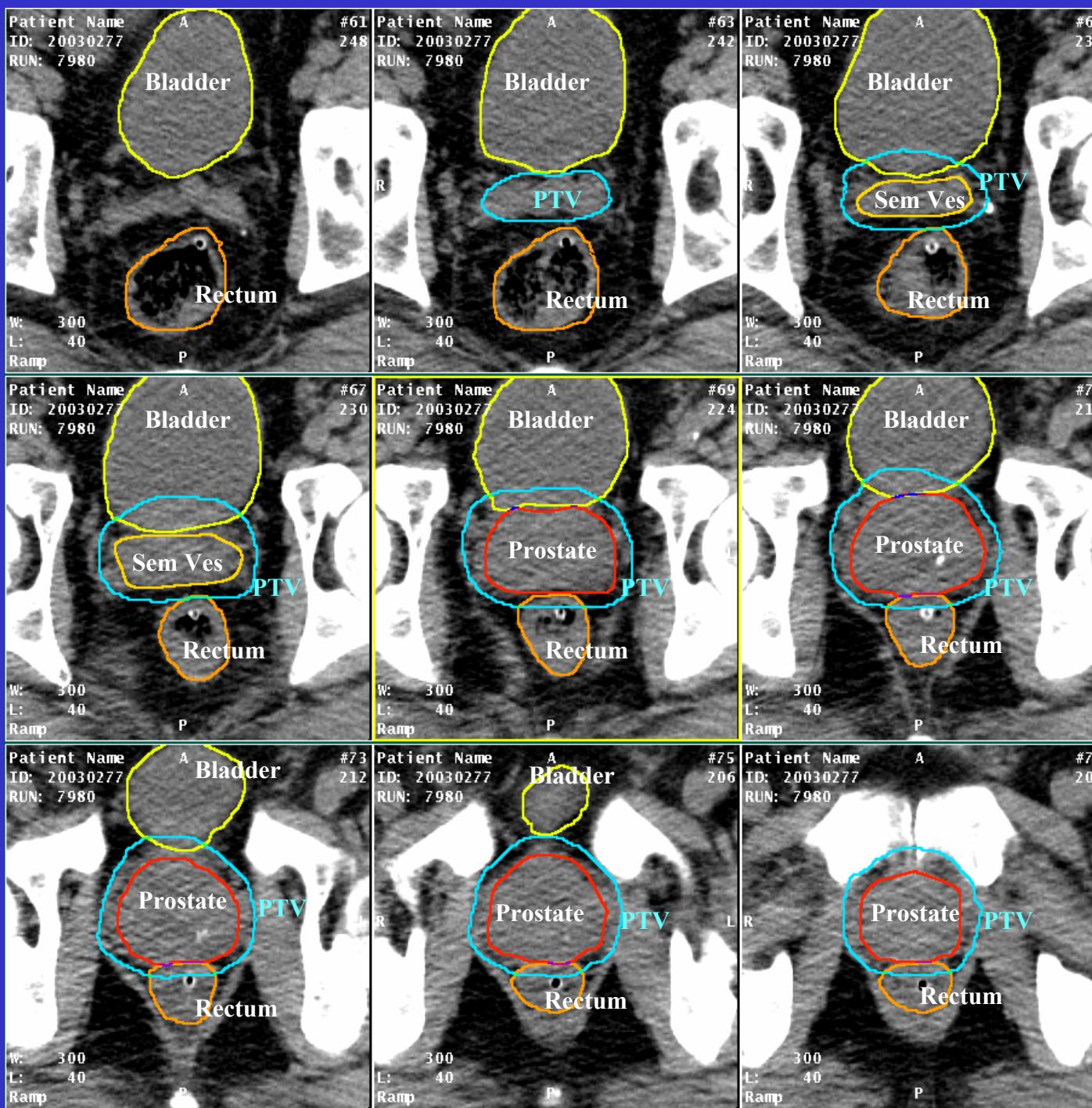
- The proximal seminal vesicles (first 1.0 cm) should be included as part of the clinical target volume.
 - The PTV encompasses the CTV (prostate and proximal seminal vesicles) with a 5 to 10 mm margin.
 - The rectum extends superiorly to the level of the sacroiliac joints.
 - Note: In these examples, not all slices are shown

Case 1

- The penile bulb is the part of the bulbous spongiosum that starts inferior to the urogenital diaphragm.
 - Rectum ends no more inferior than the ischial tuberosities.

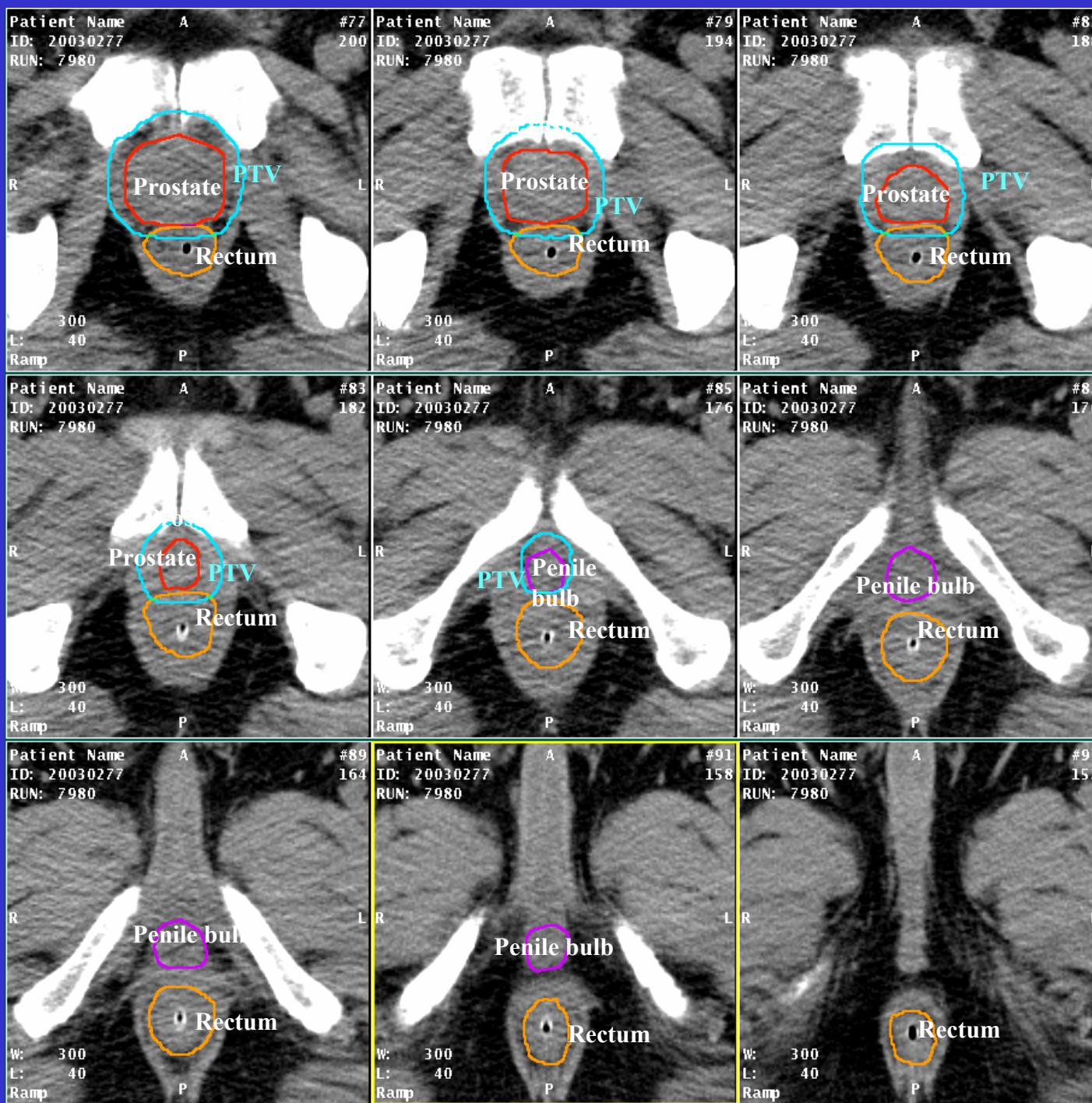


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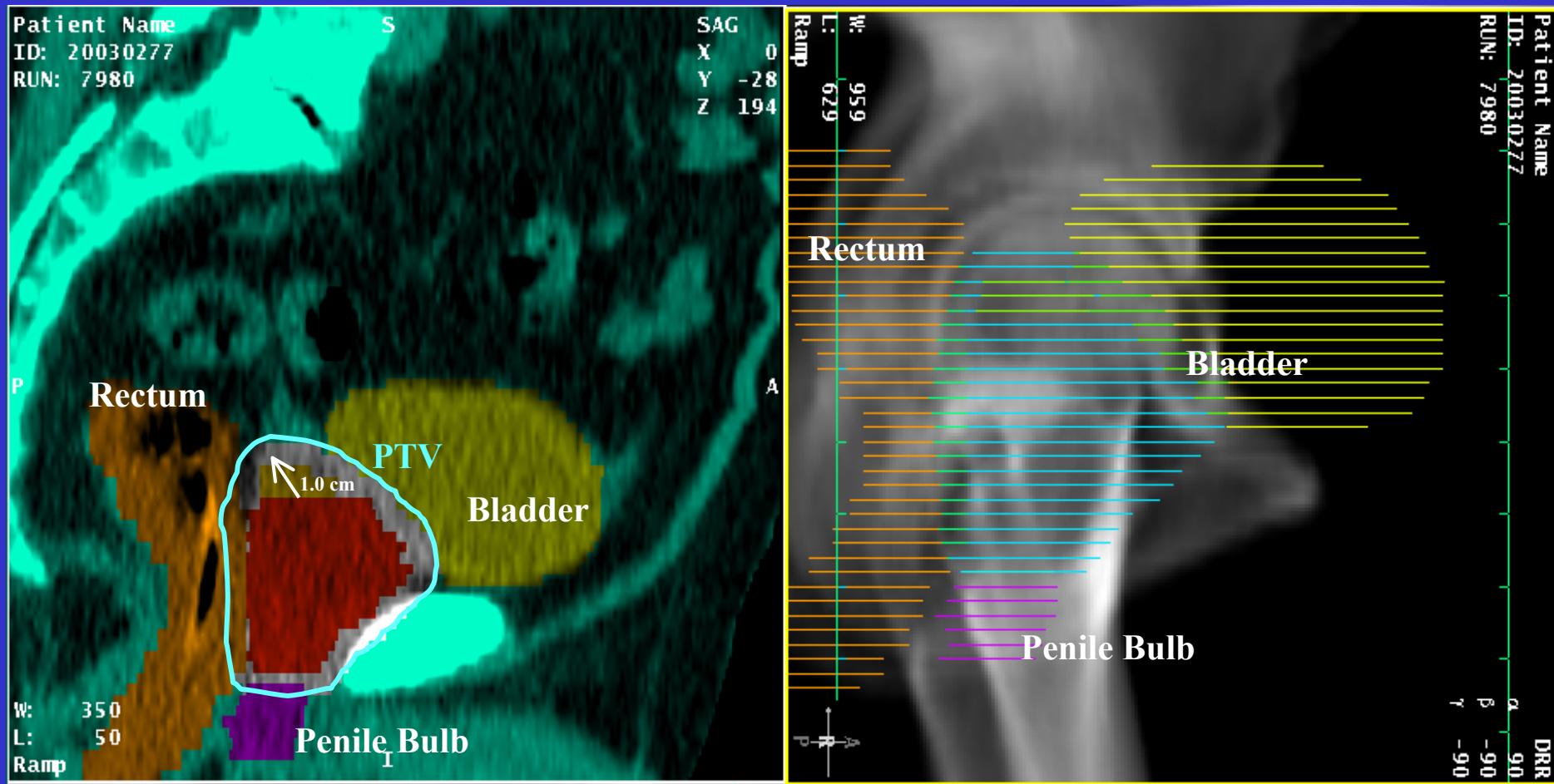
- In this case the seminal vesicles cannot be distinguished from prostate on the most superior slice.
- The seminal vesicles should be contoured above the gland, not to exceed 1.0 cm total length

Case 2



- In some cases the distance from the penile bulb and the PTV will be short, or even overlapping.
- Penile bulb, defined for this protocol, ends as the penile urethra moves anterior.
- Note: In these examples, not all slices are shown

Sagittal and lateral DRR demonstrating anatomical relationships



- Avoid over distension of bladder or rectum at simulation.
 - This may contribute to systematic errors during therapy
 - Relative DVHs may be deceptively good.