



This is the TSDA Weekly Curricula e-mail for the week of **July 16, 2007**.

PRE-REQUISITE READINGS

This week's pre-requisite **cardiac surgery** suggested reading is:

- Hypothermia, Circulatory Arrest, and Cardiopulmonary Bypass, Chapter 2, *Cardiac Surgery: Kirklin/Barratt-Boyce*, Third Edition, Kouchoukos, N.; Blackstone E.; Doty, D.; Hanley, F.; and Karp, R. eds. 2003.

This week's pre-requisite **general thoracic surgery** suggested readings are:

- Radiologic Evaluation of the Lungs and Chest, Chapter 9, *General Thoracic Surgery*, Sixth Edition, Shields, T; LoCicero, J.; and Ponn, R, eds. 2004.
- Computed Tomography of the Lungs, Pleura, and Chest Wall, Chapter 10, *General Thoracic Surgery*, Sixth Edition, Shields, T; LoCicero, J.; and Ponn, R, eds. 2004.

CORE CURRICULUM

Cardiac: Cardiac Radiological Evaluation

Talks

- [Cardiac Nuclear Studies](#) – Jeffrey S. Borer, MD
- [Diagnostic Angiography](#) – Steven Sedlis, MD
- [Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterization](#) – Steven Sedlis, MD

Readings

- "Cath film interpretation," pp 17-21, in *Cardiac Surgery*, First Edition, Kirklin J.W., 1986. (Note: This edition is out of print; please check with your program director or reference librarian.)
- "[Our Preoccupation with Coronary Luminology](#)," Topol, E., *Circulation* 1995; 92: 2333-2342.

Thoracic: Trauma

Talks

- [Diaphragmatic Trauma](#) – Barry C. Esrig, MD
- [Diaphragmatic Trauma Acute/Chronic](#) – Dean M. Donahue, MD

Readings

- Diaphragmatic Injuries, Chapter 74, pp 1006-1013, *General Thoracic Surgery*, Sixth Edition, Shields, T; LoCicero, J.; and Ponn, R, eds., 2004.

- Traumatic Diaphragmatic Rupture, Chapter 69, pp 1850-1856, *Thoracic Surgery*, Second Edition, Pearson, F.G; Cooper, J.D.; Deslauriers, J.; Ginsberg, R.J.; Hiebert, C., Patterson, G.A.; and Urschel, H.C., 2002.

TSDA NEWS

Save the date! The next TSDA General Session will be Saturday, January 26, 2008, in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, in conjunction with the STS 44th Annual Meeting. Details and an agenda will be forthcoming soon. Watch www.TSDA.org for more information.

Also, [click here](#) or visit www.aats.org to view the webcast of the AATS 87th Annual Meeting, held May 5-9, 2007, in Washington, DC.

Next week's e-mail will be sent on July 19.

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