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ECMO: Not Just a Salvage Therapy

Exploring Appropriate Identification & Initiation of a Lifesaving Therapy

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Objectives:

At the end of this presentation, attendees should have increased information to review ARDS and the traditional approach to its management, discuss Ventilator Induced Lung Injury (VILI) and the concept of Lung Rest on VV ECMO, discuss how VV ECMO can be utilized to manage patients with severe respiratory failure, identify findings of landmark ECMO trials and review the latest approaches to VV ECMO that are being implemented at UT Tyler.

Grand Rounds are designed for physicians, residents, and medical students and are available to other healthcare professionals with an interest in the program being presented.

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