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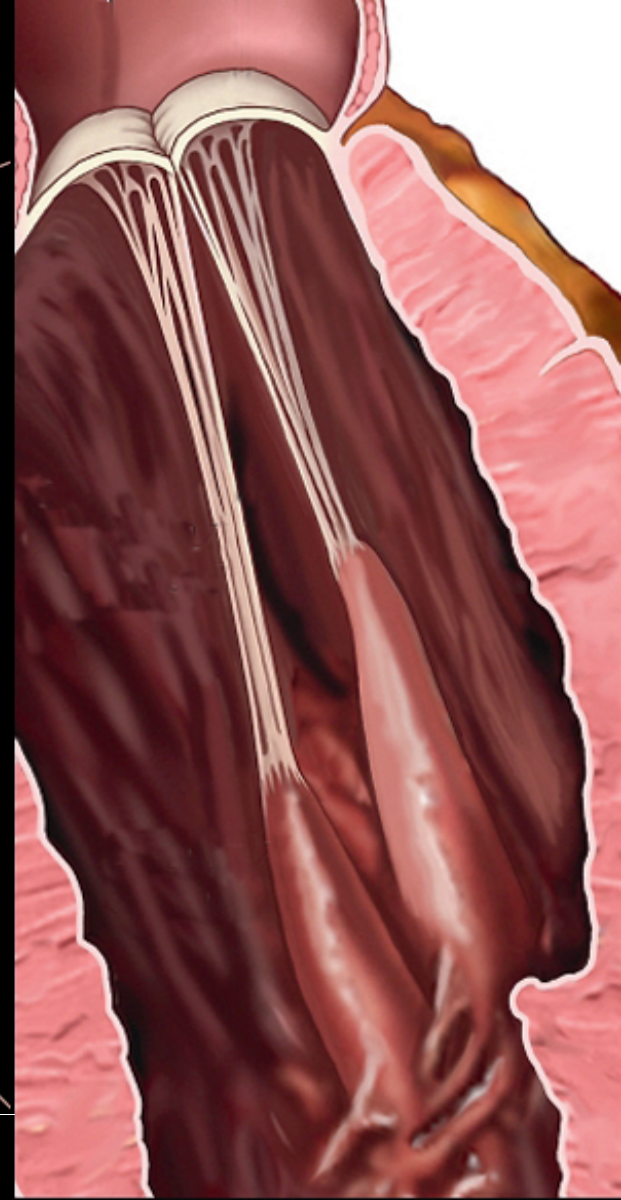
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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Latest Guidelines for Diagnosing and Managing Mitral Valve Disease

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

- Apply the new ACC/AHA Guidelines to patients with mitral valve disease, specifically chronic mitral regurgitation.
- Identify the newest cardiovascular imaging techniques utilized in the diagnosis and management of mitral valve abnormalities such as chronic mitral regurgitation.
- Identify when to refer patients for a cardiology evaluation.
- Determine optimal timing for surgical intervention in asymptomatic patients with severe valve disease such as chronic mitral regurgitation.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. • Thomas Kim, M.D.

Latest Insights in the Diagnosis and Management of Chronic Mitral Regurgitation

7:30 – 8:30 p.m • Richard Gates, M.D.

Latest Surgical Techniques Utilized in Mitral Valve Repair/Replacement for Chronic Mitral Regurgitation

TARGET AUDIENCE

Cardiologists,
Cardiothoracic Surgeons,
Internal Medicine,
General Practitioners,
Family Practice.

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