



# INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY



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# COMMON PRINCIPLES

- WE USE DYE – WHERE IS IT GOING?
  - IN THE BLOOD VESSEL – NEED TO KNOW CREATININE CLEARANCE
    - IF  $> 60$  NO PROBLEMS
    - IF 30-60 GENERALLY NO PROBLEMS – GIVE FLUIDS FOR INPATIENTS, CHICKEN SOUP AND LOTS OF WATER FOR OUTPATIENTS
    - IF  $< 30$  REQUIRE NEPHROLOGY CONSULT
  - ANYWHERE ELSE – CREATININE NOT IMPORTANT

# COMMON PRINCIPLES

- WE STICK THINGS INTO PEOPLE
  - CBC/COAGS FOR ALL!
  - CBC
    - PLATELETS > 50 NOT A PROBLEM
    - PLATELETS 30-50 MAY BE A PROBLEM
    - PLATELETS < 30 A PROBLEM
      - PLATELETS IN A PINCH
  - INR
    - PROCEDURE DEPENDENT
    - FOR ELECTIVE PROCEDURES
      - 1.5 IS OK, 1.6 IS NOT
    - IF THE INR CANNOT BE CORRECTED THEN RISK/BENEFIT MUST BE CONSIDERED
      - FFP IN A PINCH



# FOREIGN BODY RETRIEVAL

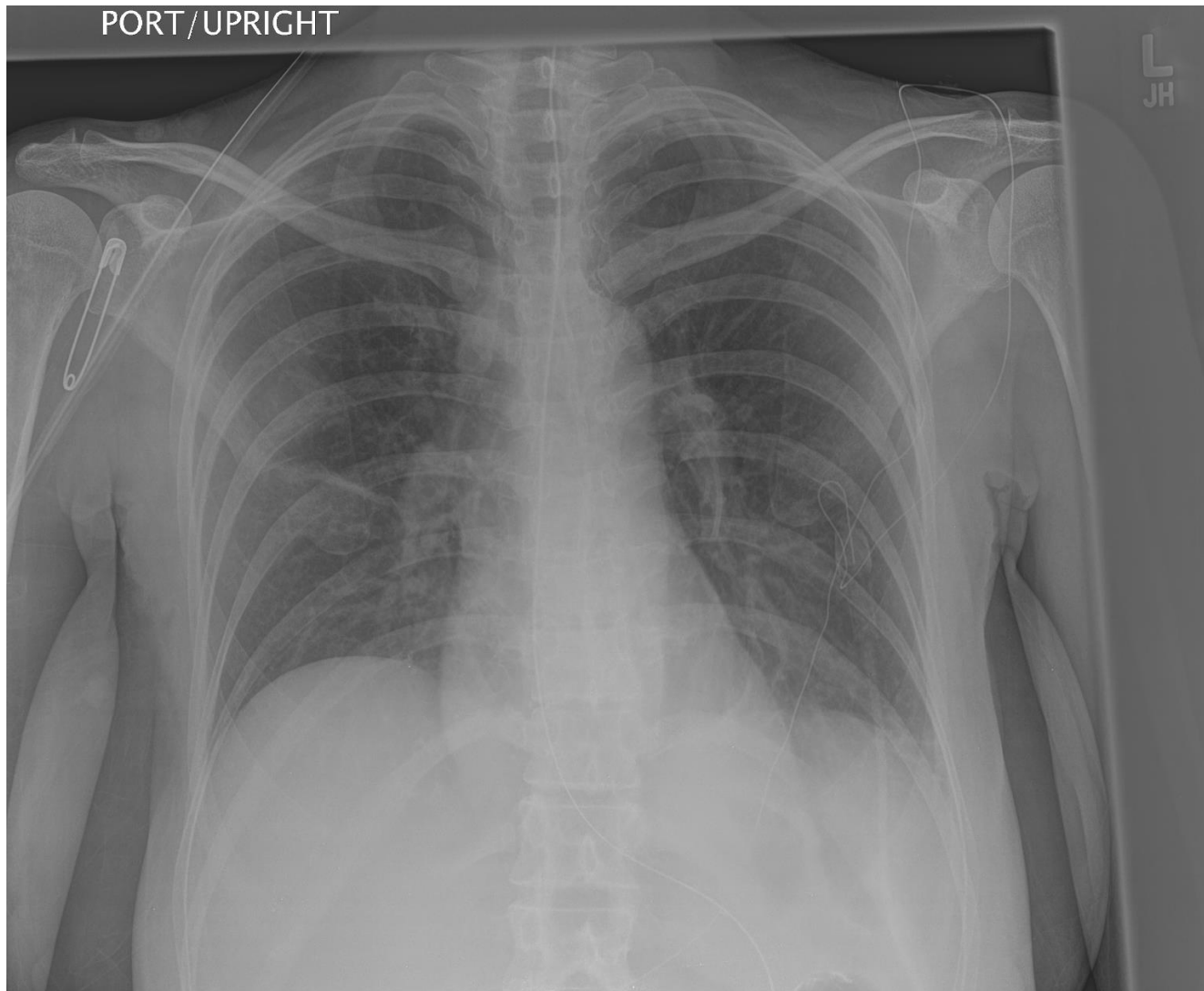
AKA “FISHING TRIPS”

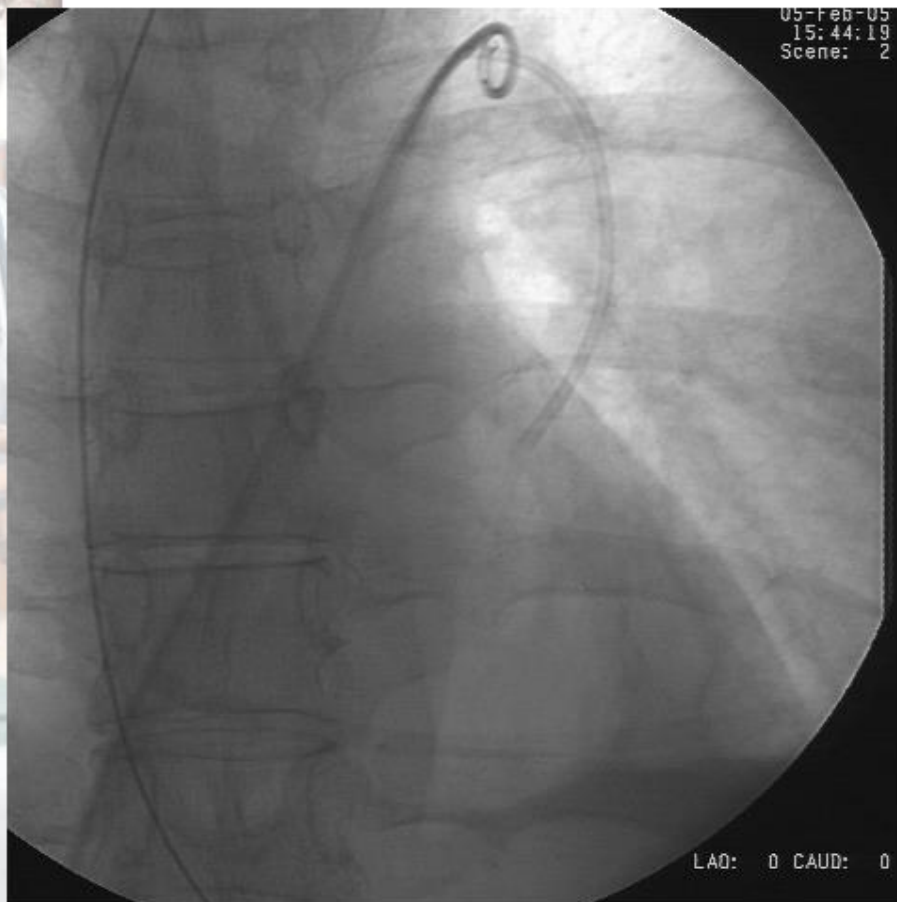


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# CATHETER FRAGMENT

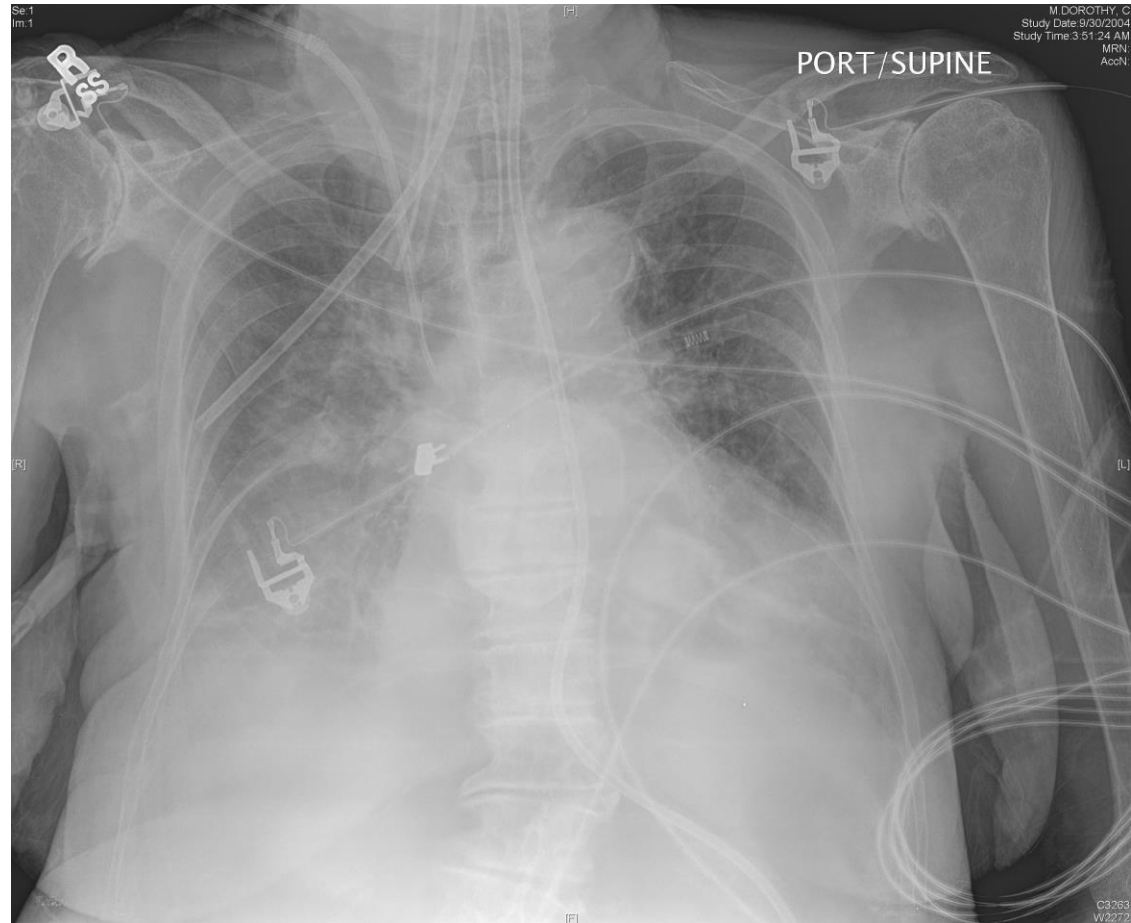


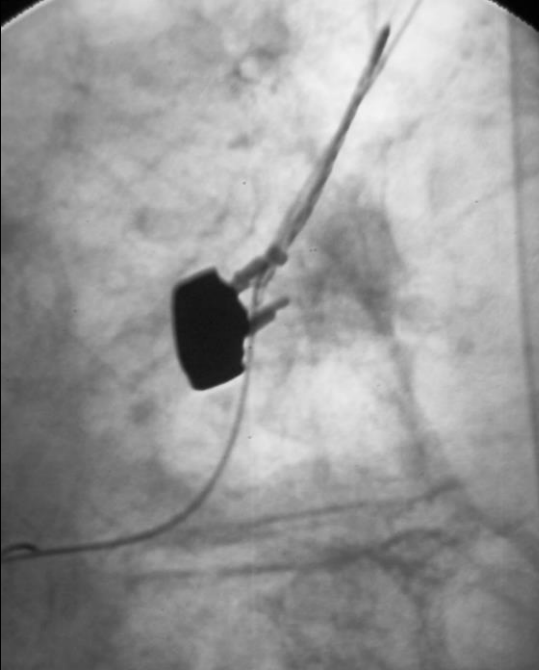
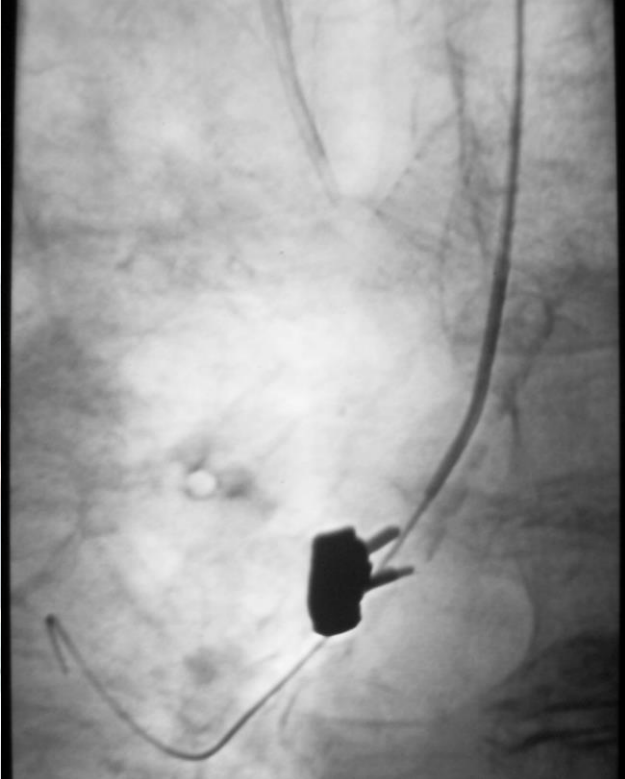


# “OTHER”

Elderly woman with severe aortic stenosis

- Son flosses her teeth
- Crown in bronch int
- Pneumonia







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