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ASE Announces Transesophageal Echocardiography in Perioperative Care as the September Product of the Month

Morrisville, NC, September 1, 2016 – The American Society of Echocardiography (ASE) is pleased to feature Transesophageal Echocardiography in Perioperative Care as September's product of the month. This is a case-based educational tool for anesthesiologists, cardiologists, fellows, surgeons, and other individuals currently performing or interpreting transesophageal echocardiography (TEE) for intraoperative procedures. Throughout the activity, surgical cases have been used to showcase the value of TEE in the perioperative setting. This product was developed by a team of physicians led by Madhav Swaminathan, MD, FASE, Division of Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, Department of Anesthesiology, Duke University Health System, Durham, NC.

Topics include but are not limited to: Left Ventricular Function, Right Ventricular Function, disease of the aorta, Aortic Valve and Root, Left Ventricular Outflow Tract (including Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy), Mitral Valve Stenosis, Mitral Valve Regurgitation, Tricuspid Valve, Atrial Septum, and other intraoperative uses outside of monitoring and emergency diagnosis.

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