Prep the Lab

* Place Underpad on Counter

Gather:

* + Big Scissors
  + Small Scissors
  + Big Forceps
  + Small Forceps
  + 2 Weigh Boats
  + Labelled Cryogenic Tubes (with correct hashcode)
  + Cooler
* Fill Biohazard Cooler with Ice
* Fill Liquid Nitrogen Bucket (wait until you are sure the heart is ready or close to it, so that not all of the liquid nitrogen evaporates.
* Go down to the OR and change into scrubs
* Text Dr. Abdel-Latif’s lab

Dissecting the Heart

* Place patient sticker in the batphone log
* Take Picture of specimen
* Place ice in one weigh boat and place the second on top
* Cut LV
* Cut RV
* Cut Septum
* Cut Atria (if applicable)
* Cut Epi Fat
* Place tubes in the transfer box
* Put transfer box into the tank
* Write down the number of tubes and the location of the transfer box.
* Return whatever is left back to pathology with path sticker
* Prepare the samples for Dr. Abdel-Latif’s lab

Clean Up

* Dump ice from cooler in sink
* Soak the dissection tools
* Spray and wipe down the counter
* Spray and wipe out the cooler