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Among patients with non-upper-lobe emphysema and high exercise capacity, mortality was twice as high in the surgery group as in the medical-therapy group.

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The National Emphysema Treatment Trial NETT's results confirm that LVRS is beneficial for patients who have predominant upper lobe disease and low exercise capacity, as compared with medical treatment.

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Patients with severe emphysema were eligible. Ann Thorac Surg 2006; 82 2:431-443.

Bronchoscopic Lung Volume Reduction Using Endobronchial Valves

The process begins with an evaluation to determine if patients are candidates for the procedure.

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A physician puts a small endoscope through the mouth, down into the lungs, and positions it within the areas of the lungs identified as being the most damaged. Global strategy for the diagnosis, management, and prevention of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. During the procedure, surgeons locate and remove the most damaged areas of the lungs — up to 30 percent of each lung.

Bronchoscopic Lung Volume Reduction With Valves: What Should the Internist Know?

This patient group may receive the most benefit from LVRS, as compared with the other patient groups.

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We will reach out to you once you are eligible and appointments are available.

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