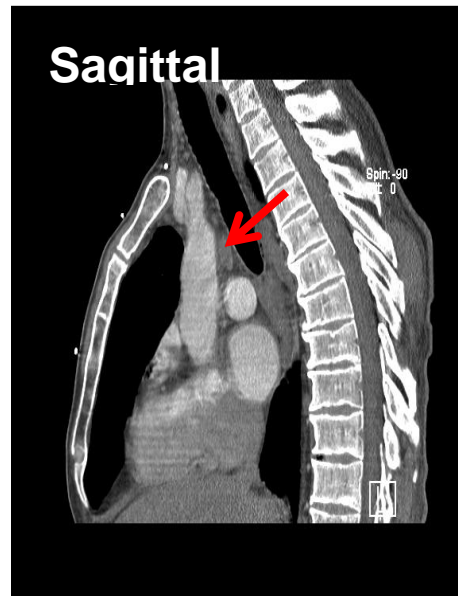
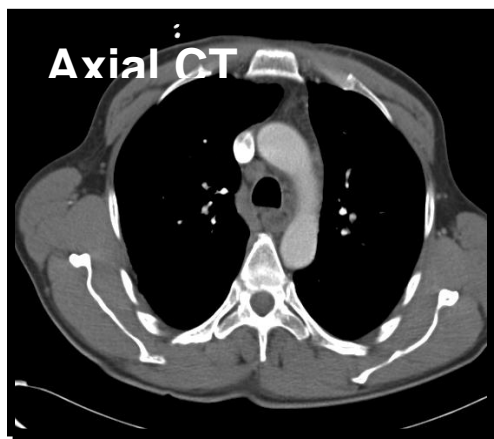


**Practical Approach to Interventional Bronchoscopy Procedural Decision Making:  
Scenario # 11: Endobronchial Ultrasound: Planning EBUS-TBNA of right lower  
paratracheal lymph node (station 4R)**

*Based on the information presented below, please describe your procedural decision making using The Practical Approach to Procedural Decision making. Do your best to complete each item of the Four Boxes. If the case scenario contains no information pertaining to an item, please address it as NOT AVAILABLE. Note that each case scenario may have greater emphasis on one or more items listed in the “Practical Approach”.*

KK A 77 year-man with a 50 pack –year history of smoking presents with abnormal chest radiograph performed preoperatively for hernia repair. The computed tomography shows a 1.5 X 1 cm right upper lobe nodule and a 1.4 cm right lower paratracheal lymph node. He has no past medical history and is in excellent health. The patient is referred for tissue diagnosis



**After addressing items of the four boxes, please consider the following:**

- ▶ Define the borders of station 4R and justify this definition.
- ▶ Describe how sagittal view of a computed tomography scan is used to plan EBUS-TBNA at station 4R.

