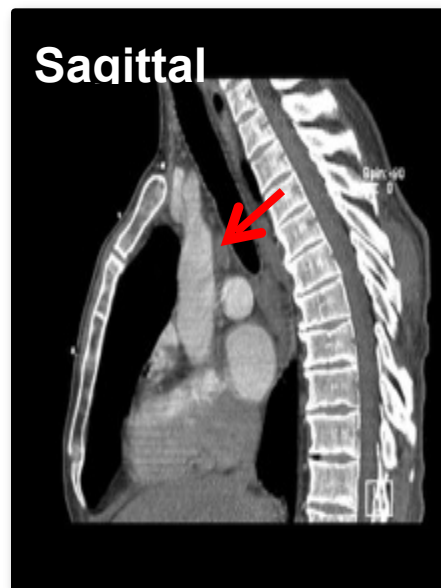
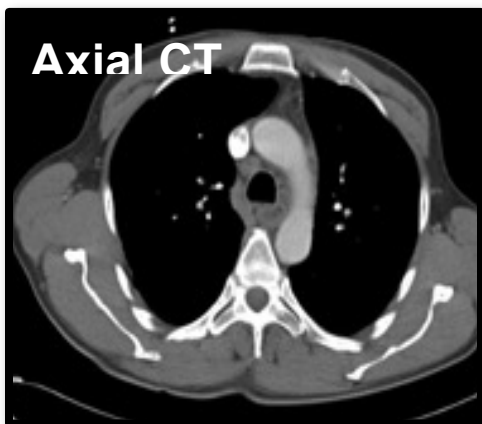




**Clinical case 11: Endobronchial Ultrasound: Planning EBUS-TBNA of right lower paratracheal lymph node (station 4R)**

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:**

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