

## PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

The objective of the *Radiologic Clinics of North America* is to keep practicing radiologists and radiology residents up to date with current clinical practice in radiology by providing timely articles reviewing the state of the art in patient care.

## TARGET AUDIENCE

Practicing radiologists, radiology residents, and other healthcare professionals who provide patient care utilizing radiologic findings.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the details of the tumor-node-metastasis (TNM) staging systems for such cancers as esophageal cancer and thymic epithelial neoplasms.
2. Discuss the radiologic-pathologic correlation articles between imaging findings, staging systems, and histopathologic analysis.
3. Recognize the role of MR imaging in the evaluation of mediastinal abnormalities, potential pitfalls in evaluating mediastinal masses, and the methods used by interventional radiologists to biopsy and treat mediastinal lesions.

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