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Learning Objectives

After successfully completing this activity, the learner will be able to anticipate the natural course of patients initially presenting with mild acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS); identify what factors predict subsequent worsening of mild ARDS; and describe the anatomy, indications, and techniques of quadratus lumborum block.

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