



2022 Cardiology Grand Rounds

Syncope and the Pathophysiology of the Upright Posture: Lessons from Astronauts and Patients with POTS

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Topic: Cardiology Grand Rounds

Purpose or Objectives: At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1 To understand why people faint in the upright position
- 2 To be able to distinguish between hemodynamic and reflex causes of syncope
- 3 To use knowledge derived from studying astronauts after spaceflight, determine how the right kind of exercise intervention can treat patients with

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