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Who Does Non-surgical Procedures?

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Yock talks about a group of people called interventionists who train in catheter techniques. This requires a different set of skills. One of the trends recently is for surgeons to cross train, he says.



Transcript

And so the question is if the surgeon's not doing that procedure, who is doing that. There is a group of people called interventionalist, interventional cardiologist who trained in the catheter techniques. It's a different set of skills than cutting more surgery and actually one of the trends recently is for the surgeons to think about cross training with the catheter techniques because they obviously see what's coming so...