

2023–2024 Internal Medicine Review Syllabus

Endocrinology:

Page 140, Dyslipidemia > Lipid Screening

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Hematology:

Page 229, Hemostasis > Bleeding > Thrombocytopenia

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**Pulmonary Medicine:**

**Page 398, Obstructive Lung Diseases > Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) > GOLD Classification of Severity Based on Airflow Limitation**

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**Page 441, Critical Care > Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS) > AR 24**

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**Rheumatology:**

**Page 452, Inflammatory Arthritides > Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA) > RA — Treatment**

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