

AprioCore[®] *plus*

Semi-automatic biopsy needle

Procedural Information

Location: Philadelphia, PA, USA
Hospital: Jefferson University Hospitals
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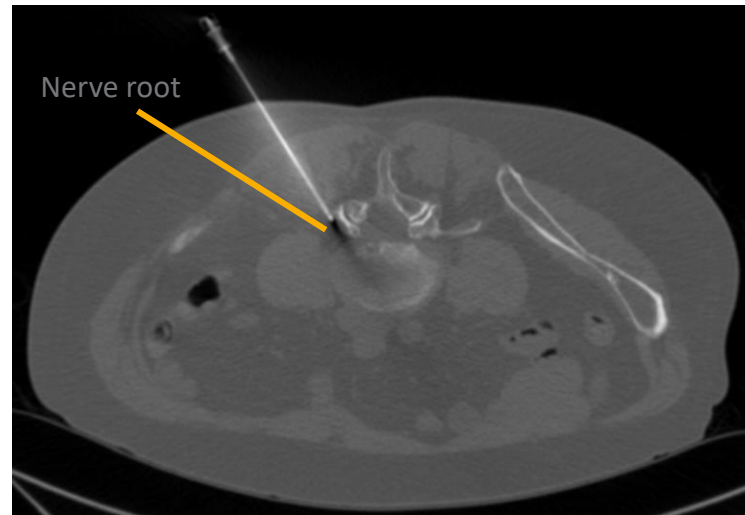


Clinical Case Review 1

Suspected discitis

Case Description

Case history
57 year old male with suspected discitis.

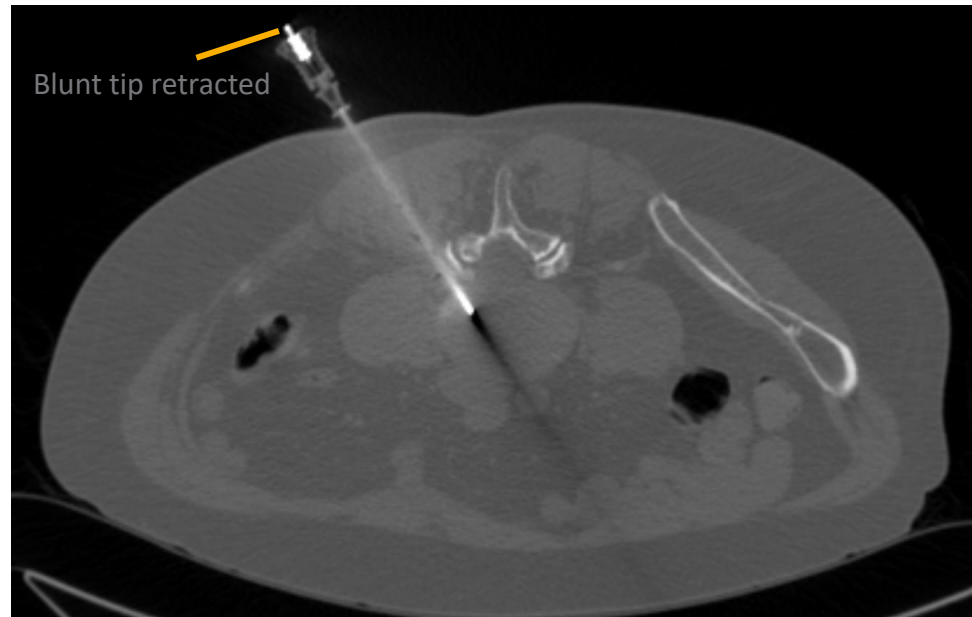


1. Gangi-Softguard[®] needle inserted with sharp stylet to the edge of the neural foramen.



2. Exchanged with spring-loaded blunt tip to pass safely by nerve root.

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3. Sharp tip exposed as hard disc edge is penetrated.



4. AprioCore[®] plus biopsy gun inserted to acquire specimens.

Case and image courtesy of William B. Morrison, M.D., Jefferson University Hospitals.