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Clinical Interests	William R. Lewis' study of immediate exercise treadmill testing of chest pain patients in the emergency room has shown the safety and efficacy of this care pathway. He continues to be interested in appropriateness and accuracy of stress testing in selected populations.
Research/Academic Interests	Dr. Lewis is interested in immediate exercise testing for chest pain patients and the utility of noninvasive testing in subgroups (ie left bundle branch block).
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