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Session Title: The "ingredients" to accurate evaluation of "organic" and functional Mitral Regurgitation

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OBJECTIVES: What questions or points will participants learn or discuss?

1. **To understand the importance of determining the mechanism of mitral regurgitation by echocardiography**
2. **To use 3D echocardiography appropriately in mitral valve assessment**
3. **To review cases in which mitral regurgitation is mixed or complex**

DISCUSSION: Please provide a summary of the discussion and/or include 3 to 6 key presentation slides.

CONCLUSIONS:

1. **Determining MR mechanism is necessary to guide therapeutic decisions, and put quantitative parameters in perspective**

2. **Mitral regurgitation mechanism cannot always be dichotomized into "functional" or "organic"**

3.

REFERENCES: (journals, websites, etc.)

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