

NeoReviews Annual Video Boot Camp: Not Your Childhood Summer Camp

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With summer approaching again, certain traditions can be counted on: the smell of freshly cut grass, fun by the pool, summer grilling, and the return of the video bootcamp courtesy of *NeoReviews* and the AAP.

Every year videos from *NeoReviews* Video Corner segments are provided to participants of the simulation boot camp for first-year neonatal-perinatal fellows. The camp, now in its 10th year, is a multi-institution event held annually in Chicago, IL. Fellows from 9 universities in the mid-west attend the video boot camp every year. The fellows utilize articles found in the *NeoReviews* Video Library, with previously published videos going back to 2008. The program comprises a required pre-boot camp self-study and pretest based on the videos. After the event, a post-test helps assess first-year fellows' newfound skills and knowledge.

The [procedural videos](#) form the basis of the hands-on technical portions of the boot camp. The videos in the pre-course study include the following and more:

- Umbilical venous and arterial catheterization
- Pericardiocentesis, insertion of pigtail catheter
- Needle evacuation of pneumothorax
- Pericardiocentesis
- Exchange transfusion for neonatal jaundice
- Treatment of inspiratory stridor in the delivery room
- Delivery of a neonate with neural tube defect

In publication, *NeoReviews* Video Corner has enjoyed a great 2023 with [Two Severely Edematous Infants](#), [A Neonate with Obstructed Nasal Breathing](#), and [A Neonate with Distinct Eye Movements](#).

The Video Corner in the June 2023 issue features a baby with a [hoarse cry and stridor](#). The baby is evaluated and has a storage disorder resulting in cardiomyopathy, compression of the left recurrent laryngeal nerve, and vocal cord paralysis, resulting in the aforementioned hoarse cry and stridor. It is a very interesting case, and the authors have evaluated the infant methodically to arrive at the diagnosis.

If you have a case and a video that you think would make a great addition to *NeoReviews* Video Corner, please email [our team](#) for submission details.

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