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Personal Reflection:

I found this set of papers particularly interesting to read. In particular the non vascular pathology. There are constantly situations when scanning where non vascular pathology is encountered. In particular, haematomas and bakers cysts. This paper was very informative and it was useful to reflect on the descriptive language used to describe the pathologies and the stages of these non vascular structures in terms of chronicity. It was especially interesting to learn about the stages of a haematoma, where pockets of echolucency becomes more apparent with time alongside fibrous septations. This has given me more confidence to describe these structures. It will make me think more of alternative diagnoses in the case of a negative DVT and what might be the explanation of leg symptoms.