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Clinical Expertise: Angioplasty • Aortic stenosis • Atrial septal defect • Cardiac catheterization • Congenital heart defects • Congenital heart defects • Heart murmur • Interventional cardiology for congenital and structural heart disease • Left atrial appendage occlusion (LAAO) • Mitral valve repair • Patent ductus arteriosus • Patent foramen ovale (PFO) • Percutaneous valve replacement and repair • Percutaneous valve replacement and repair (aortic, mitral and pulmonic) • Pulmonary embolism • Septal defect closure • Structural heart disease intervention • Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) • Valvular heart disease • Valvular heart disease • Ventricular septal defect (VSD)

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