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## LOWER SEGMENTECTOMIES BY VATS

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The aim of this presentation is to show the main surgical steps to perform the different lower lobe segmentectomies, with particular emphasis on the dissection and control of the bronchovascular structures and the division of the intersegmental planes, which is particularly difficult due to the three-dimensional morphology of the basal segments.

On the other hand, tricks and tips to simplify the different surgical procedures and to reduce the risk of complications will be highlighted, based on the experience of our department.

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