

PLEURAL ASPIRATION OF FLUID

Supporting information

This guideline has been prepared with reference to the following:

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