We bid good riddance to 2020 & welcome you to the end of January 2021 edition of the SPOCUS Focus monthly newsletter, where we hope to disseminate the best sono-centric literature of the past month to our members!

Highlights of this month’s edition include your invitation to the hip PARTI for intra-articular interventions, a deeper look at ultrasound for peripheral nerve injuries, and a bevy of findings in COVID associated multisystem inflammatory syndrome in pediatrics.

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