

## **Vats lobectomy with mediastinal lymph node sampling or dissection.,**

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With a thoracoscope for visualization, a lobectomy with mediastinal node dissection can be accomplished with standard thoracotomy instruments through a 6-cm incision without spreading the ribs. This article describes the indications, contraindications, and technical details of this procedure.