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Mansonelliasis is the condition of infection by the nematode *Mansonella*. Manubrium The manubrium or manubrium sterni is the broad, upper part of the sternum. With a quadrangular shape, wider superiorly and narrower inferiorly, it articulates with the clavicles and the first two ribs.

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