

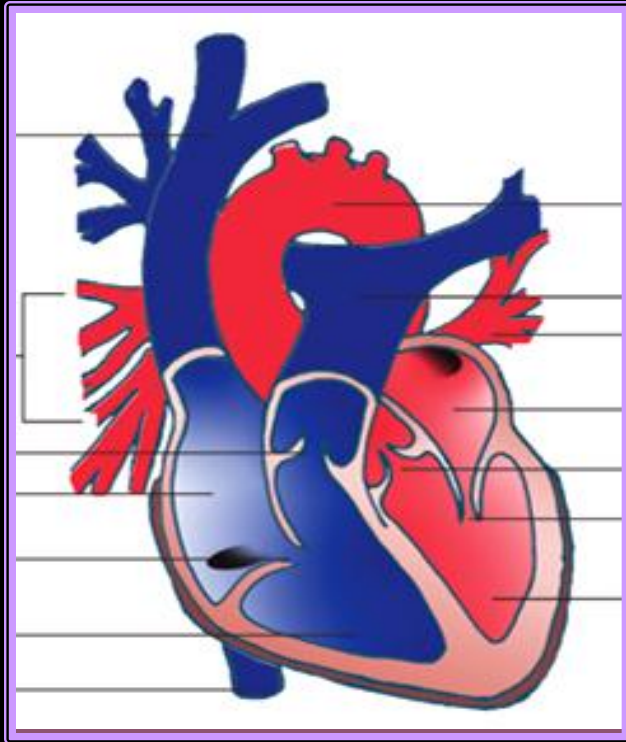


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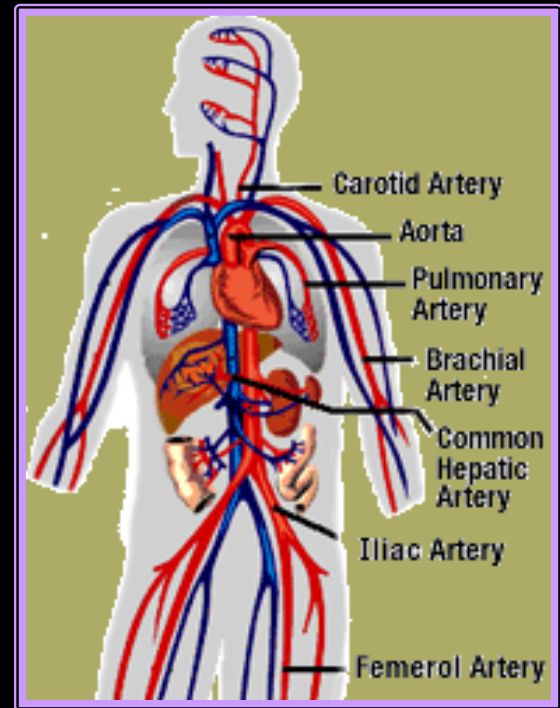
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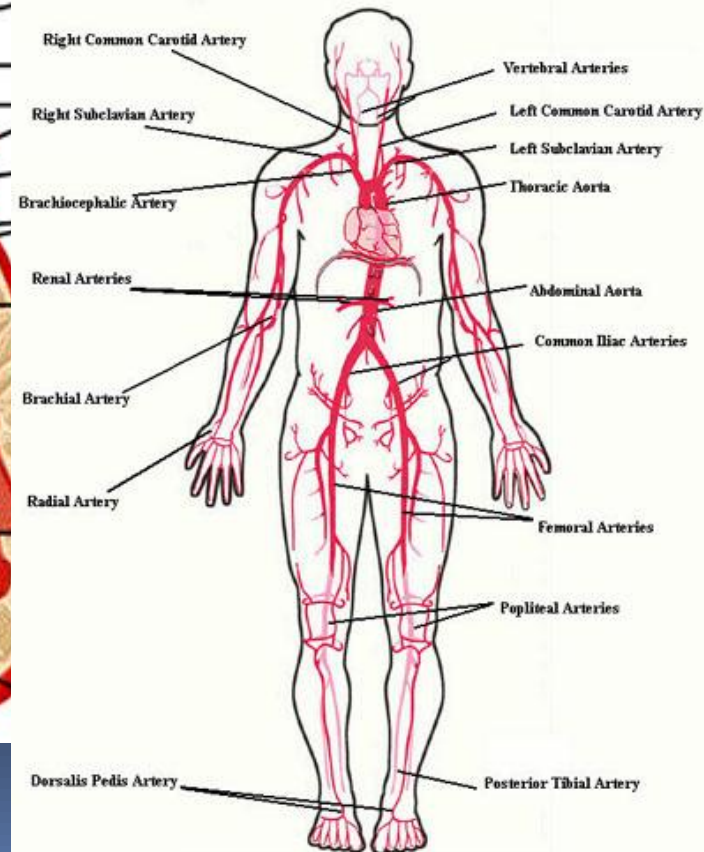
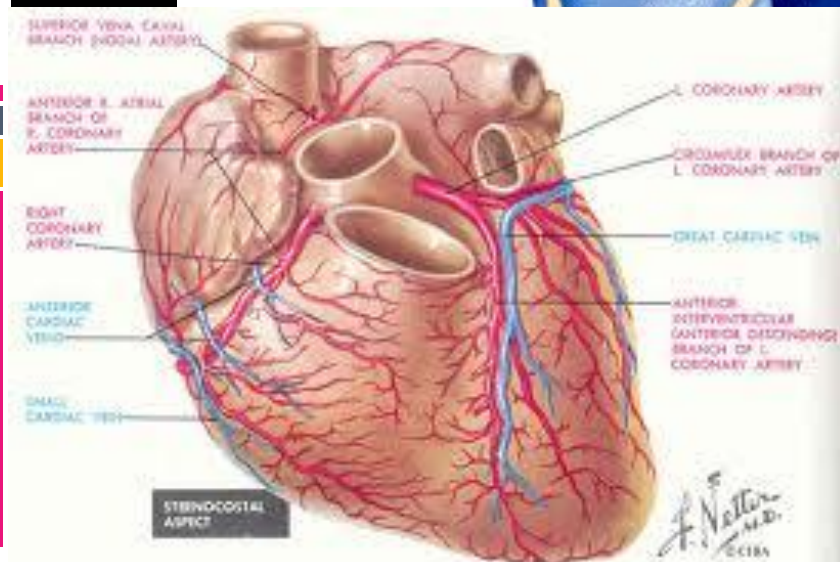
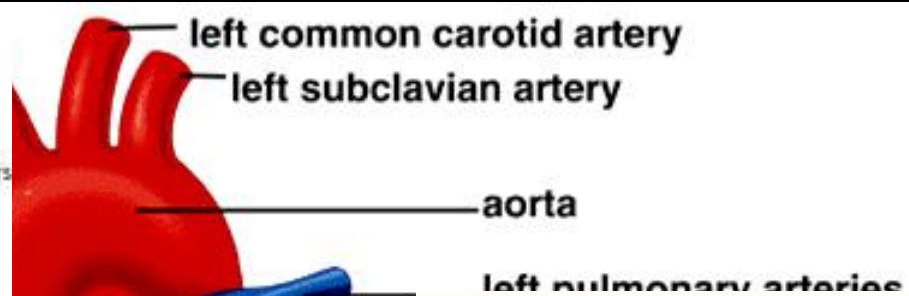
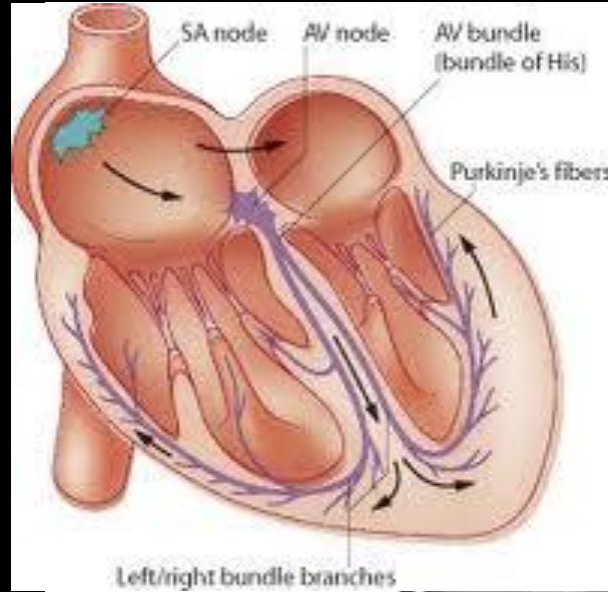


HEART DISEASES



VASCULAR DISEASES

# CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES



# CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES

## ■ Endocardium:

- Valvular heart disease
- Infective endocarditis

## ■ Myocardium:

- Ischemic heart disease
- Myocarditis
- Cardiomyopathy

## ■ Pericardial disease:

- Pericarditis
- Pericardial effusion

## ■ Aortic disease :

- Aortic aneurysm
- Aortic dissection

## ■ Coronary heart disease

## ■ Congenital heart disease

## ■ Arrhythmias

## ■ Hypertension

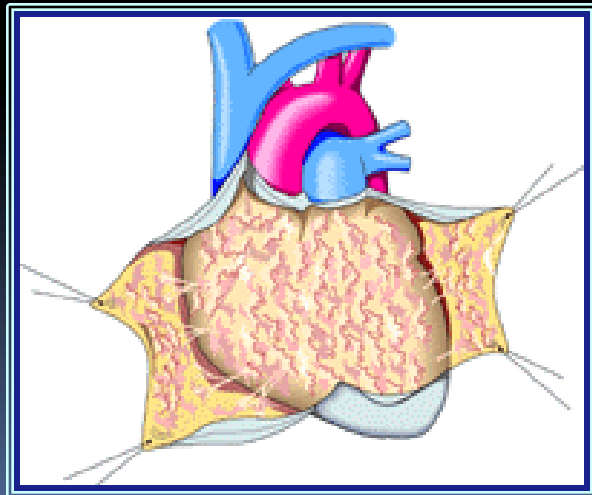
## ■ Peripheral arterial disease

- Carotid artery stenosis
- Renal artery stenosis
- Extremity artery stenosis

## ■ Miscellaneous

- Pulmonary artery embolism
- Pulmonary arterial hypertension
- Deep vein thrombosis

# Pericardial diseases



## ❁ Pericarditis

- acute
- chronic / recurrent

## ❁ Complication of pericarditis

- cardiac tamponade
- constrictive pericarditis

## ❁ Pericardial effusion

## ❁ Congenital anomaly

- Absent pericardium



# Pericardial diseases



**Pericarditis** : inflammation of pericardium caused by

1. **Infection** : virus, bacteria, fungus, etc.
2. **Neoplastic** : primary, secondary
3. **Immune-related/inflammatory process** : connective tissue disease, post-MI, post pericardiotomy
4. **Metabolic** : CRF, hypothyroidism, amyloidosis
5. **Miscellaneous** : drugs, radiation, trauma



# Pericardial diseases

## ❁ Pericardial effusion :

- filling of inflamed fluid/blood in pericardial sac



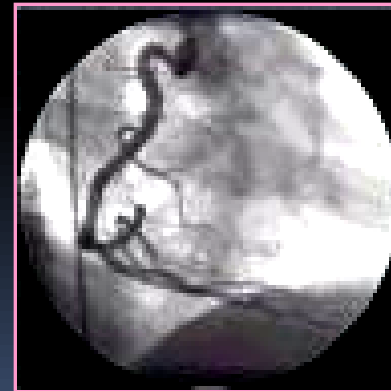
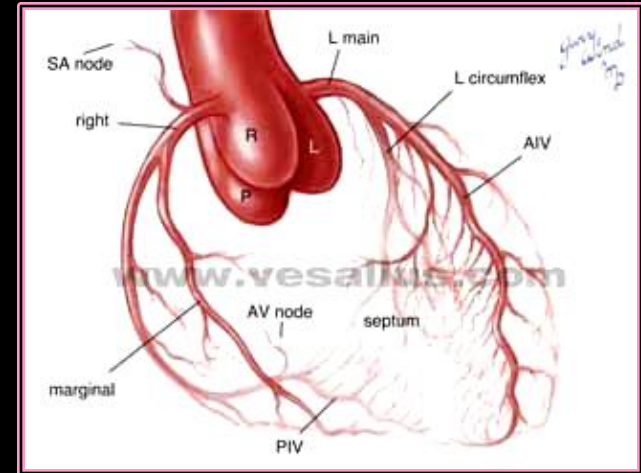
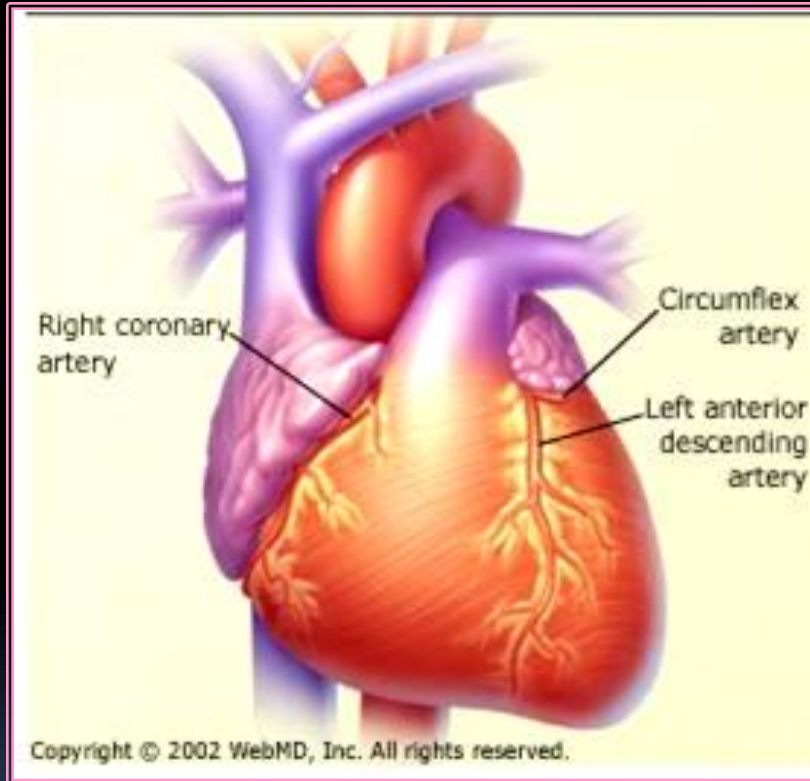
## ❁ Cardiac tamponade :

- hemodynamic changes due to increased pericardial pressure (↑ venous pressure, pulsus paradoxus, ↓ blood pressure)

## ❁ Constrictive pericarditis :

- thickened, calcified pericardium limits diastolic filling of ventricles

# Coronary Artery Diseases





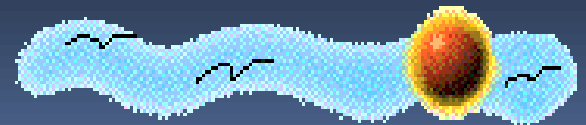
# Coronary Artery Diseases



✿ Atherosclerotic Causes

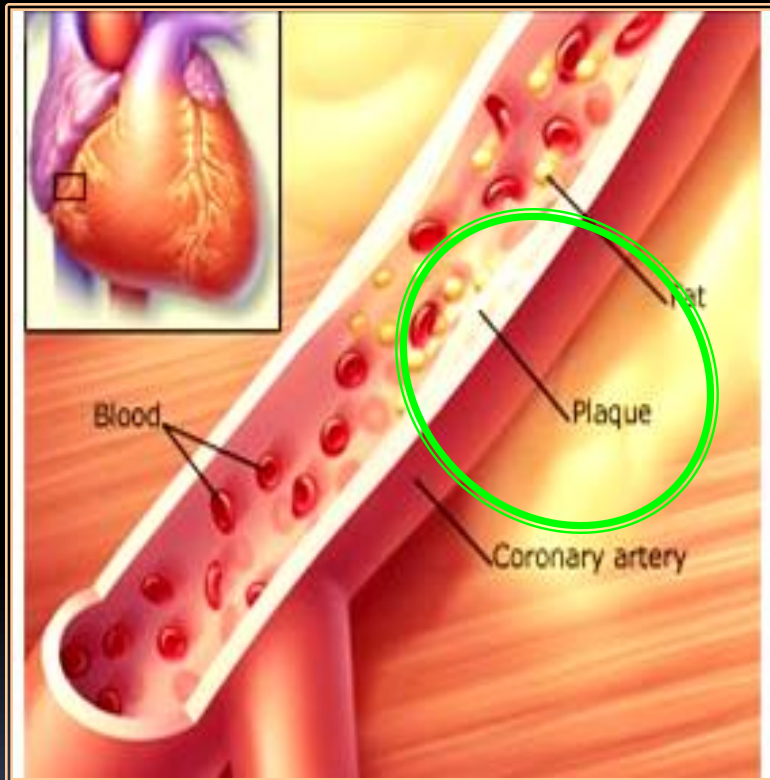


✿ Non-atherosclerotic Causes





# Atherosclerotic CAD



## ☼ Acute coronary syndrome (ACS)

1. Acute ST elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI)
2. Acute non-ST elevation myocardial infarction (NSTEMI) / unstable angina (UA)

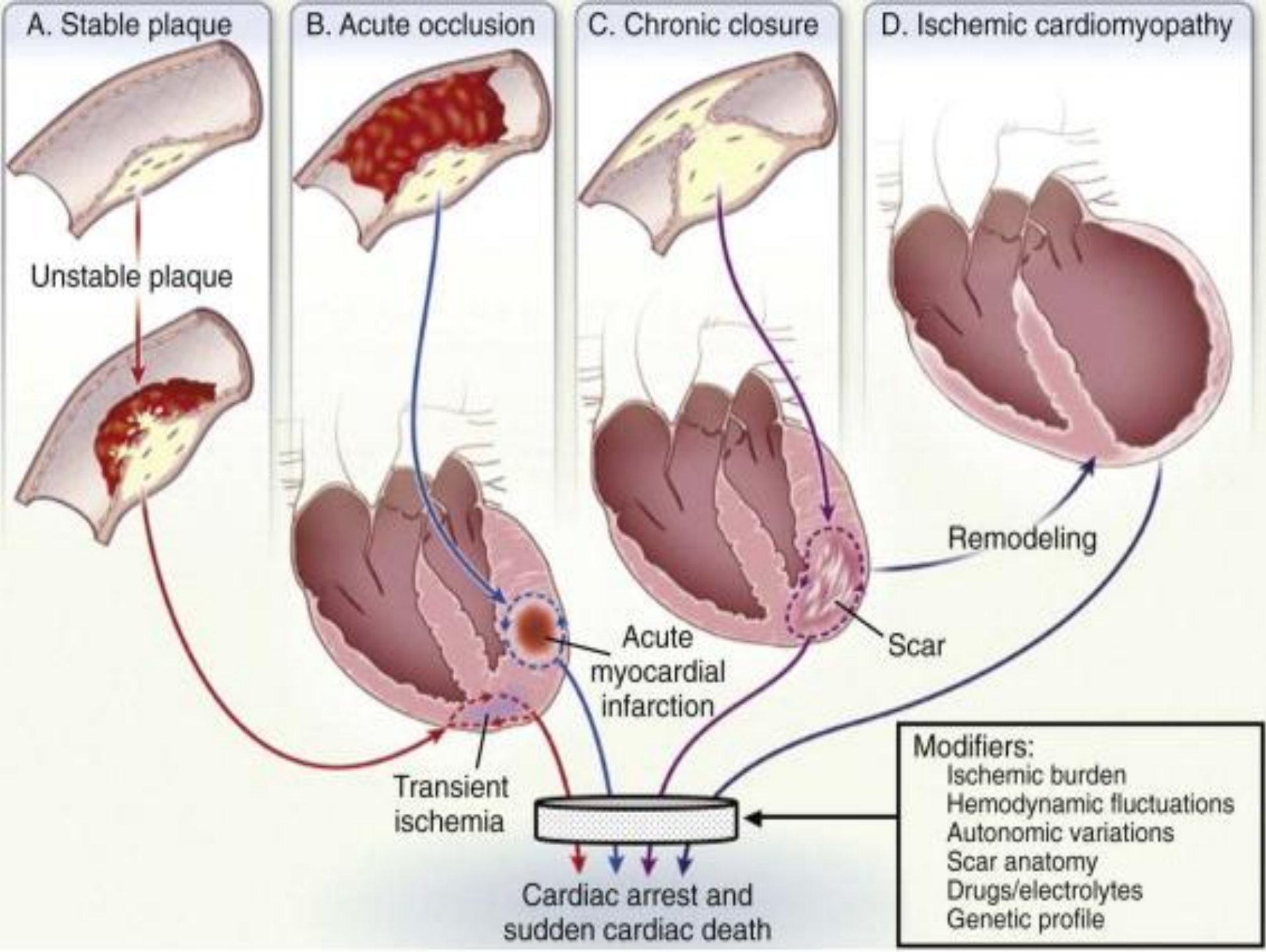
## ☼ Chronic stable angina (chronic ischemic heart disease)

A. Stable plaque

B. Acute occlusion

C. Chronic closure

D. Ischemic cardiomyopathy



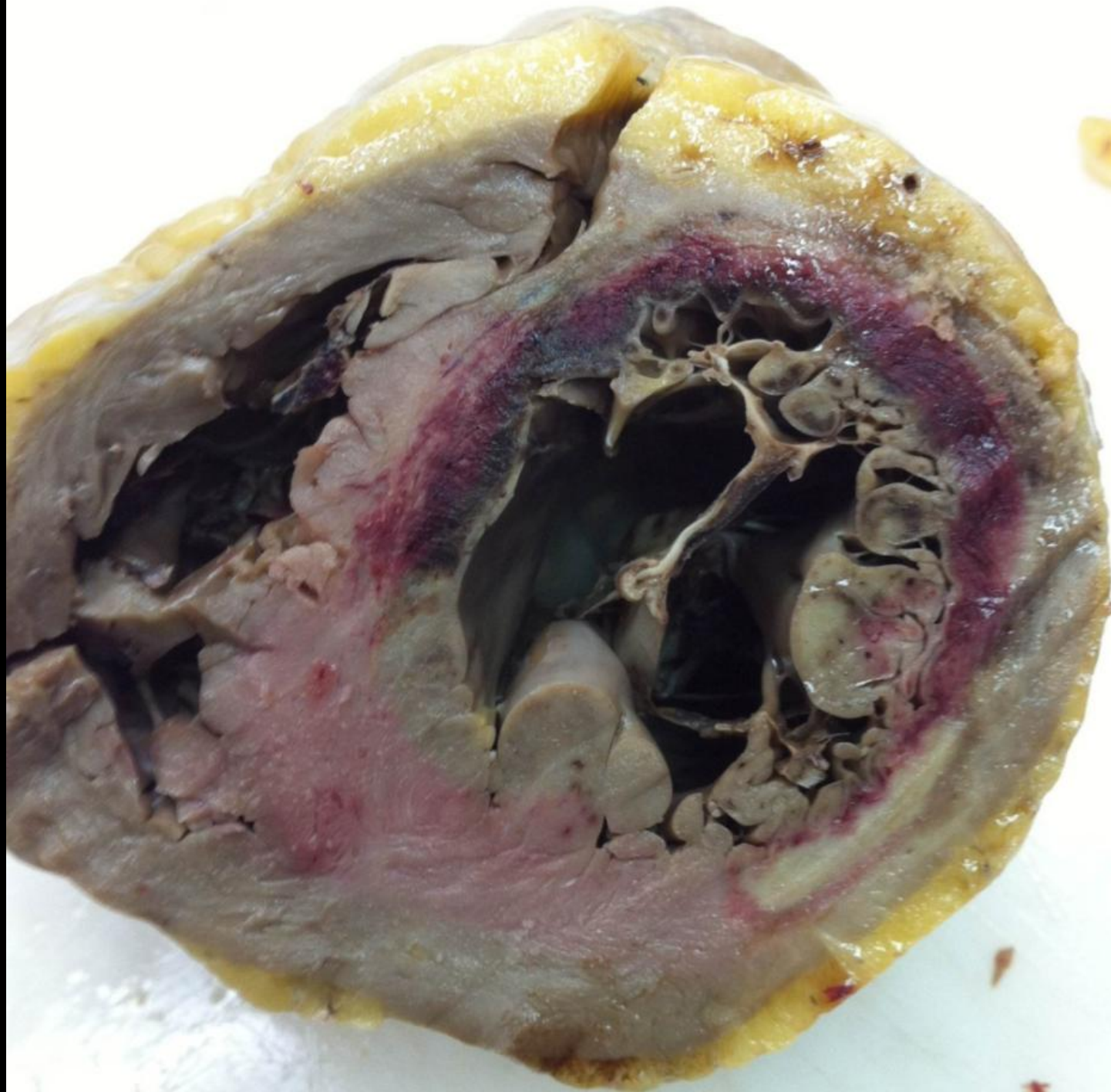


# Non-atherosclerotic CAD

- \* Congenital anomalies
- \* Embolus
- \* Dissection
- \* Spasm
- \* Trauma
- \* Arteritis
- \* Metabolic disorder
- \* Microvascular dysfunction- The cardiac syndrome X
- \* Intimal proliferation
- \* External compression – myocardial bridging
- \* Thrombus without underlying plaque
- \* Substance abuse
- \* Disproportion of myocardial O<sub>2</sub> demand-supply



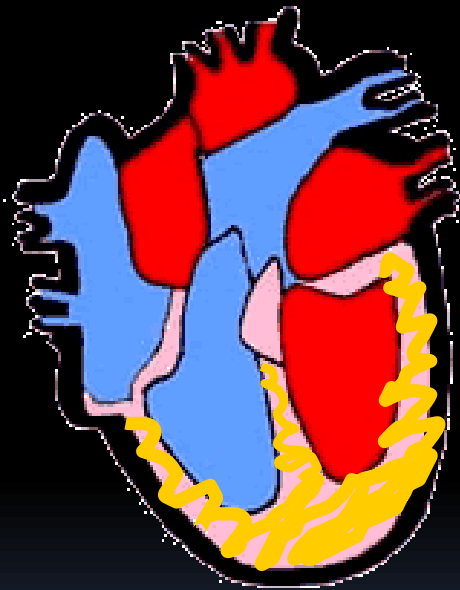




# Myocardial Diseases

(Heart Muscle Diseases)

## Cardiomyopathy



Disorders of the heart muscle that causes abnormal cardiac performances



### Heart failure

- systolic failure
- diastole failure
- both





# Myocardial Diseases

(Heart Muscle Diseases; Cardiomyopathy\*)

## Functional Classification

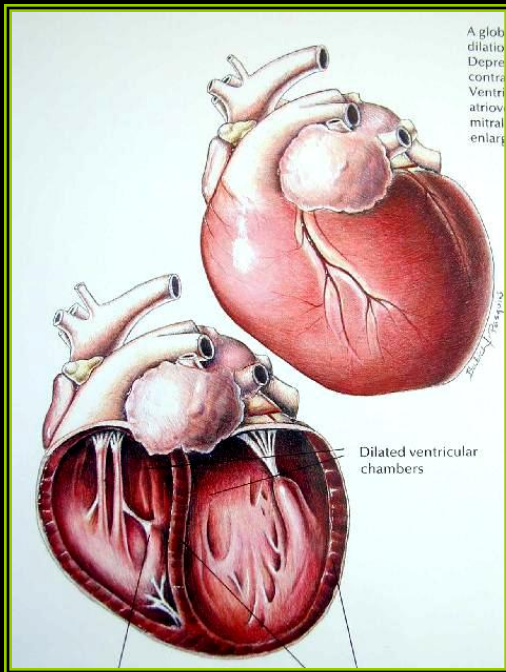
- ✱ Dilated CM (DCM)
- ✱ Hypertrophic CM (HCM)
- ✱ Restrictive CM (RCM)
- ✱ ARVC (Arrhythmogenic RV cardiomyopathy) & unclassified CM

## Specific cardiomyopathies

- ✱ Ischemic CM (⇔ CAD)
- ✱ Valvular CM (⇔ VHD)
- ✱ Hypertensive CM
- ✱ Inflammatory CM  
(idiopathic, autoimmune, infectious)  
⇒ myocarditis
- ✱ Metabolic CM
- ✱ Postpartum CM



# Dilated Cardiomyopathy



❄ Dilated left ventricle  
& poor systolic contraction  
(ejection fraction  $< 40\%$ )

❄ Primary :

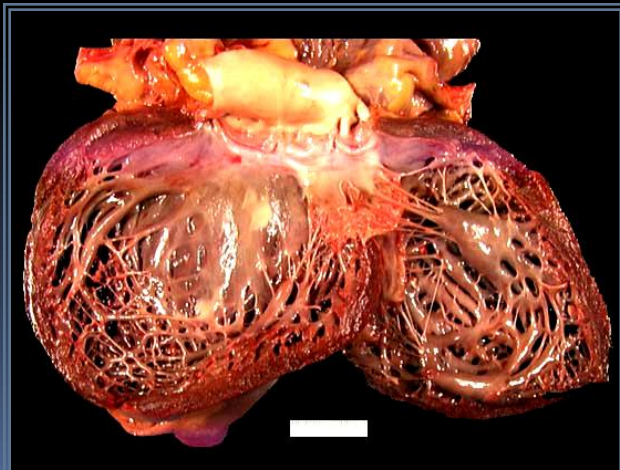
⇒ idiopathic DCM

❄ Secondary :

Ischemia (ICM)

VHD

Hypertensive HD, etc.



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15cm

2D

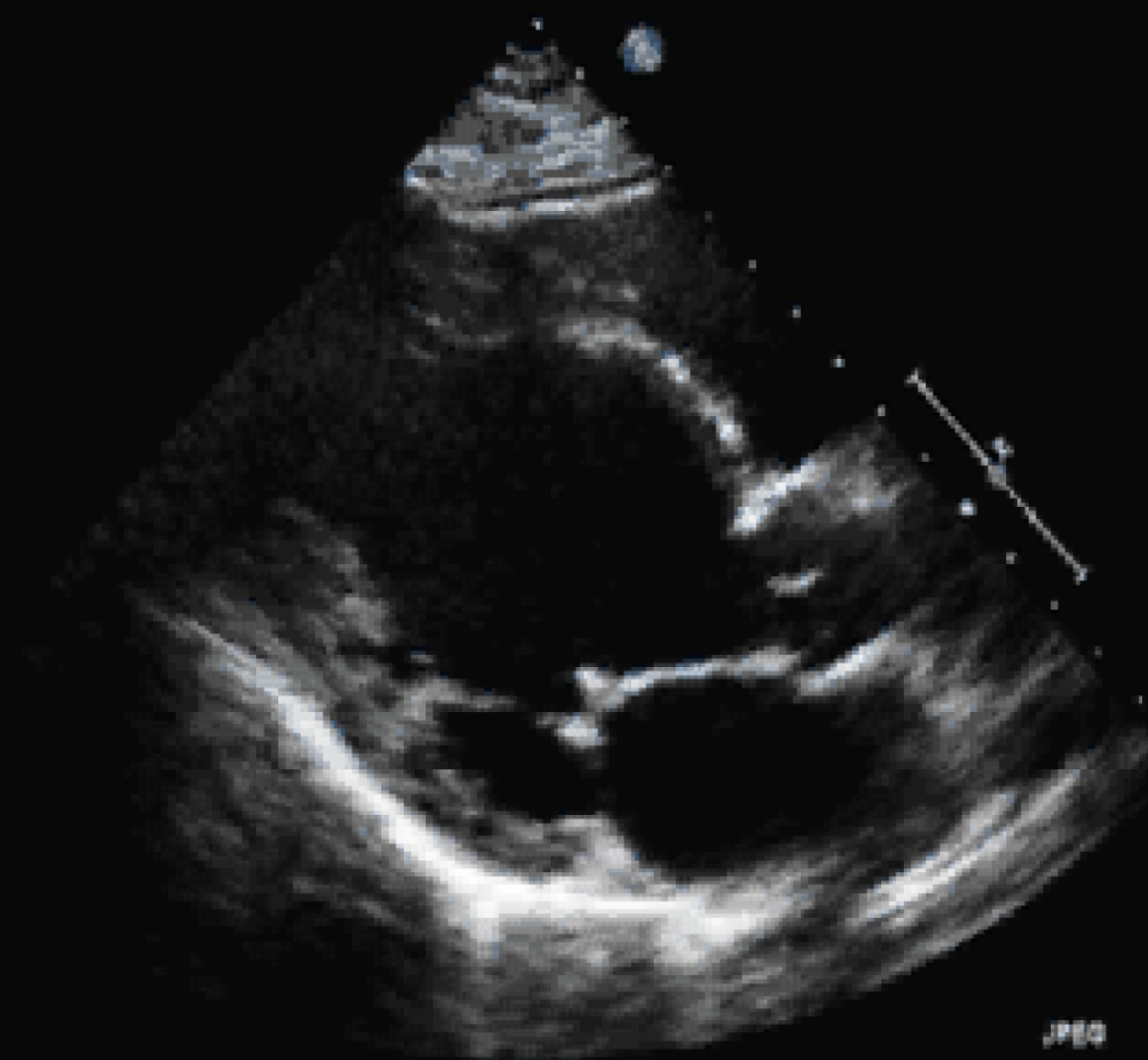
85%

C 50

P Low

HG3cm

M3



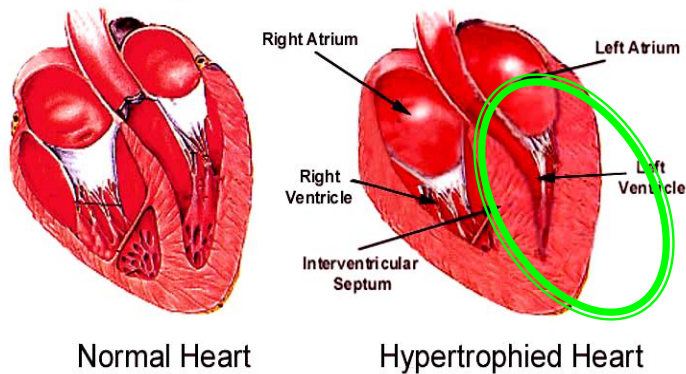
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81 bpm

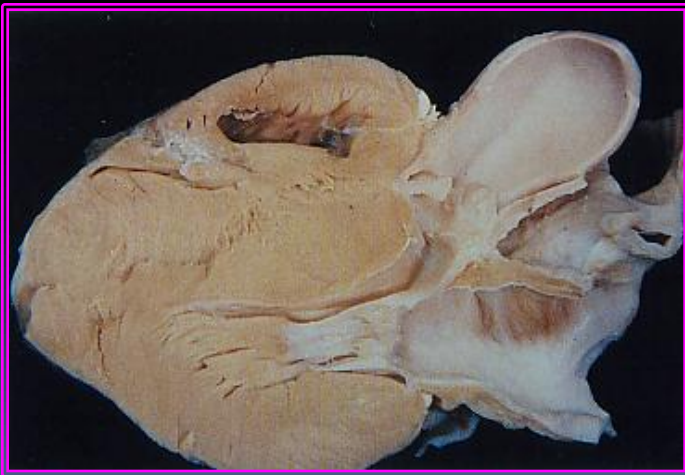


# Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy

Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy



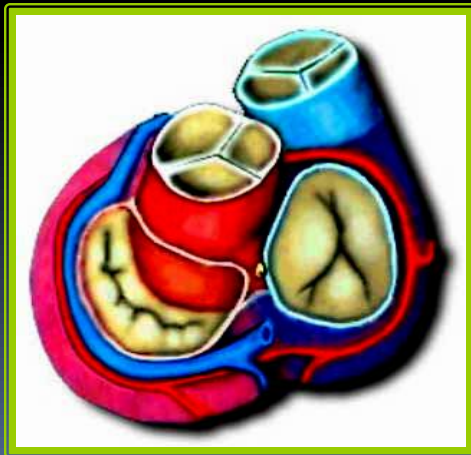
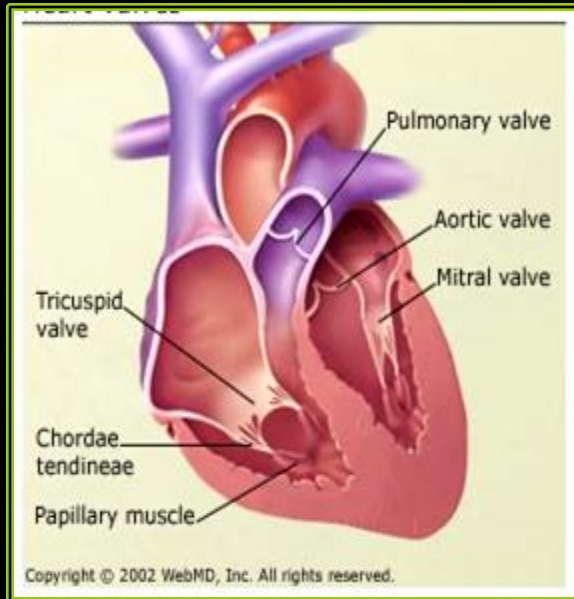
- \* **LV hypertrophy**
    - thickening of LV wall
    - generalized hypertrophy
    - localized septal hypertrophy
- ⇒ non-dilated LV cavity



- \* **Type**
  - ◆ obstructive (HOCM)
  - ◆ non-obstructive (HCM)



# Valvular Heart Diseases



## ✂ Mitral valve

Mitral Stenosis (MS)

Mitral Regurgitation/insufficiency (MR)

Mitral Valve Prolapse (MVP)

## ✂ Aortic valve

AS, AR

## ✂ Tricuspid valve

TS, TR

## ✂ Pulmonic valve

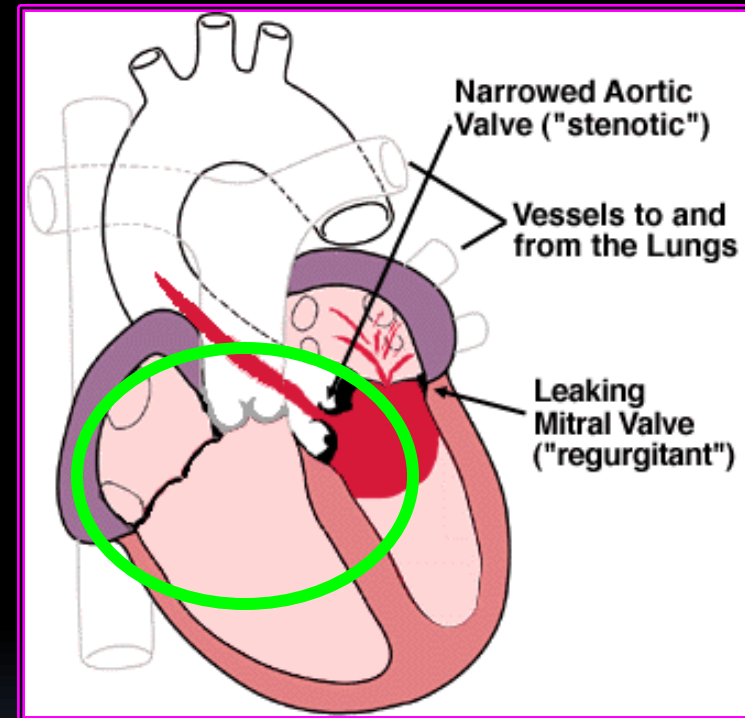
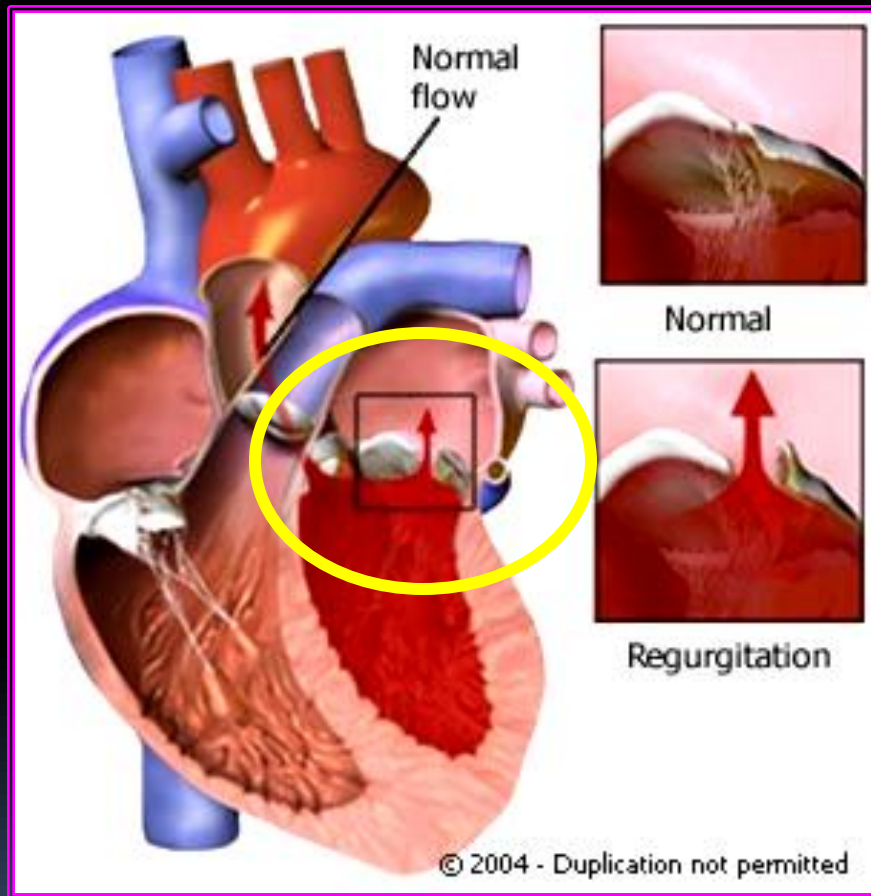
PS, PR

## ✂ Multivalvular disease





# Valvular Heart Diseases





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14cm

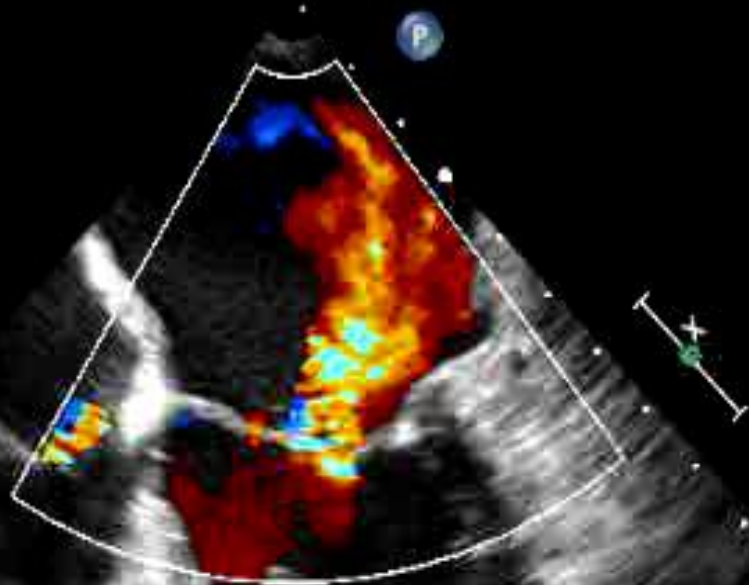
2D  
65%  
C 50  
P Off  
Gen

CF  
59%  
4.4MHz  
WF High  
Med



epredine

153/63



PAT T: 37.0C  
TEE T: 39.7C

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\*\*\* bpm

FR 36Hz

7.0cm

M4

xPlane

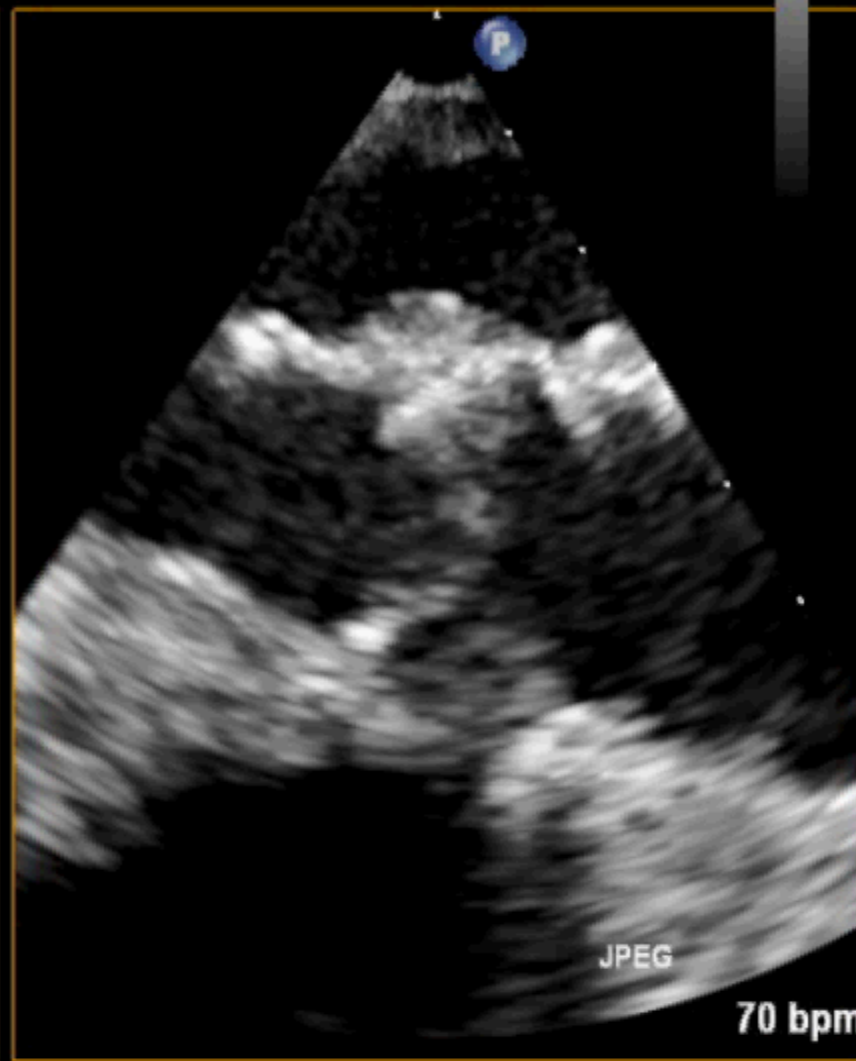
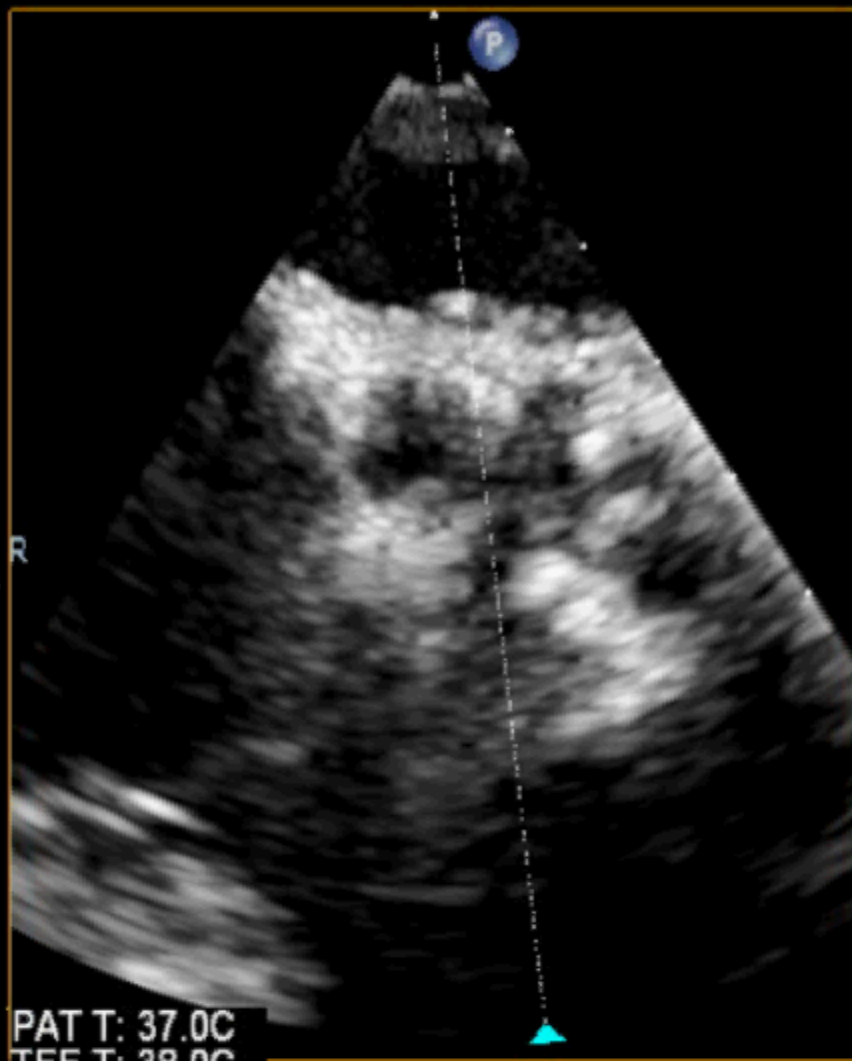
69%

69%

50dB

P Off

Pen





# Causes of Valvular Heart Diseases

## Congenital

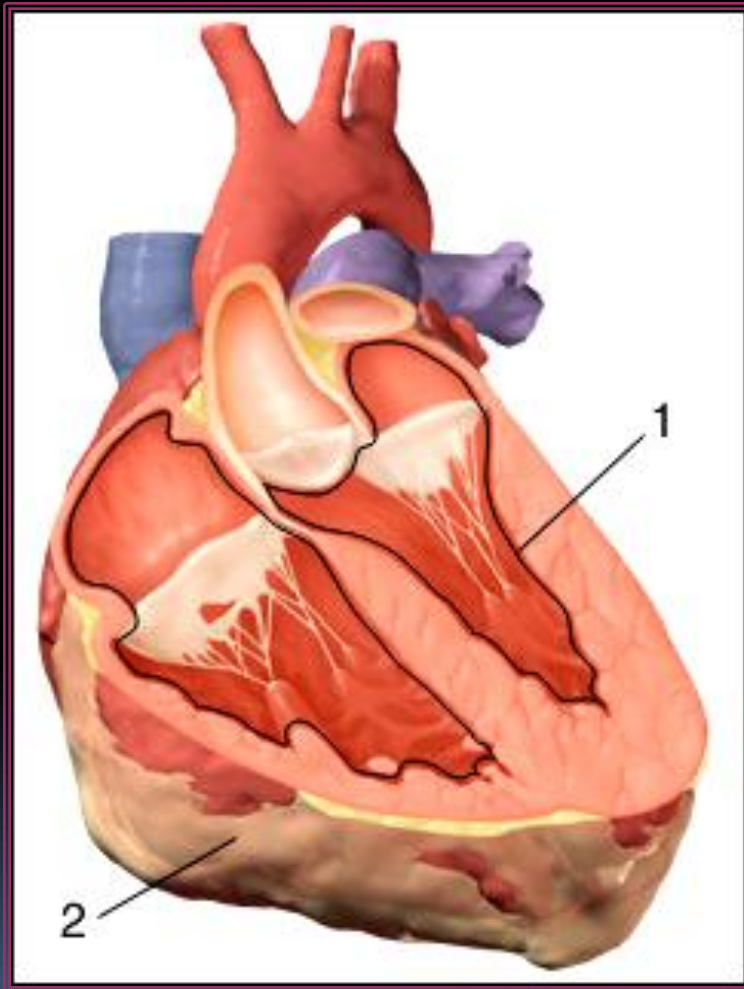
- ∞ cleft leaflet, bicuspid/tricuspid valve
- ∞ single papillary muscle
- ∞ supravalvular ridge causing stenosis
- ∞ etc.

## Acquired

- ∞ Rheumatic \*\*\* ✓
- ∞ Infective endocarditis\*\* ✓
  - active
  - previous
- ∞ Calcific (degenerative/ autoimmune)
- ∞ Familial
- ∞ Miscellaneous ; carcinoid, SLE, rheumatoid arthritis, neoplasm, radiation therapy, anorectic drug, etc.



# Endocarditis



## ✳ Infective endocarditis ✳

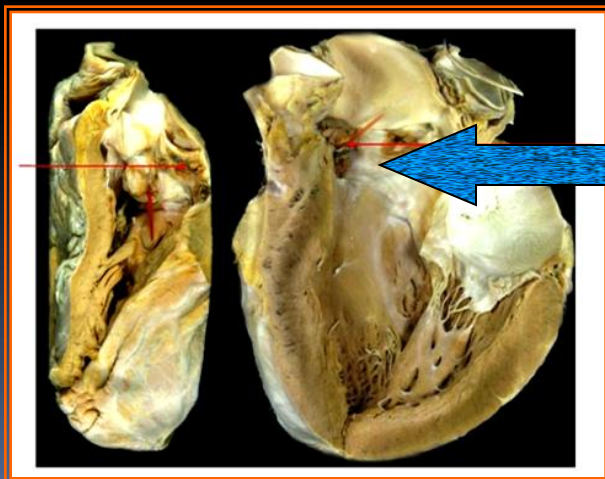
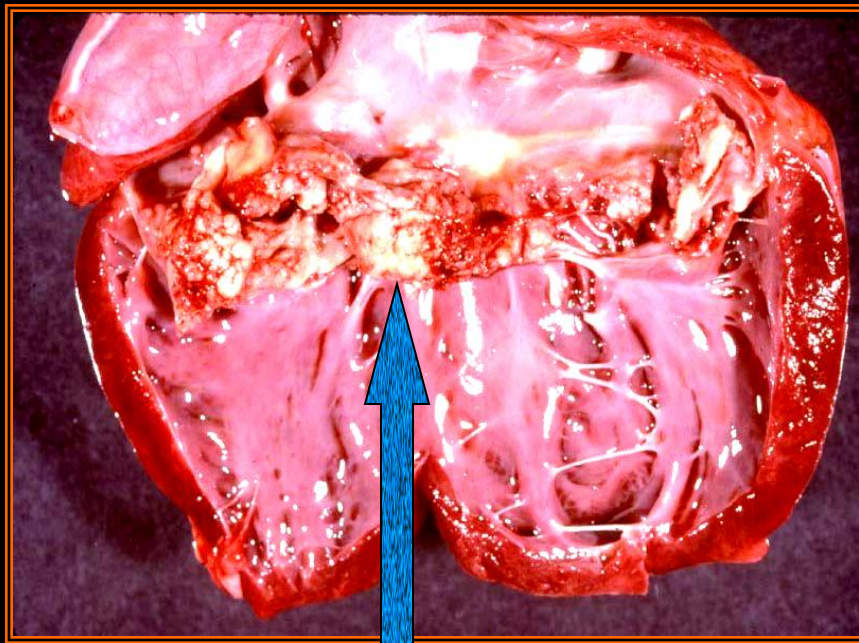
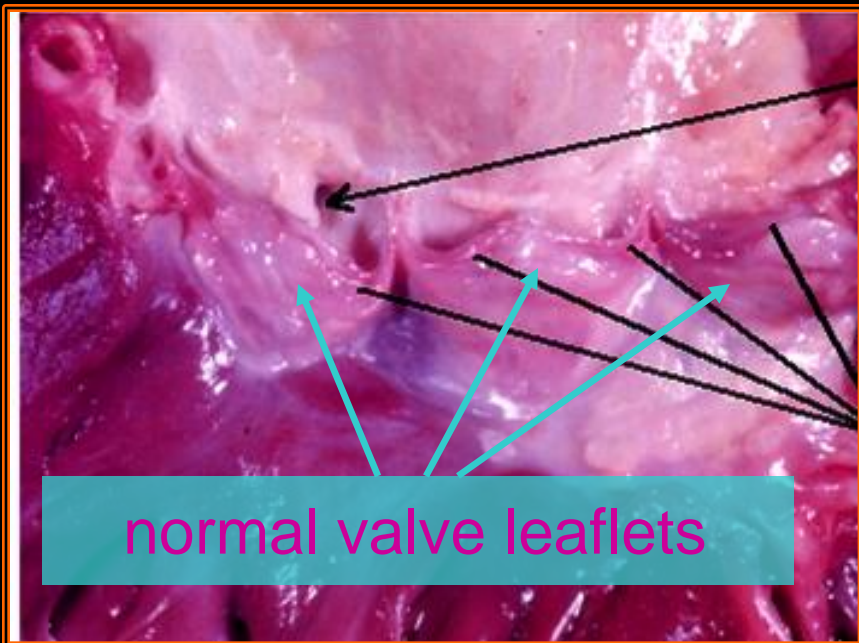
⇒ disease caused by microbial infection of the endothelial lining of the heart especially heart valve

- ✳ characteristic lesion
  - vegetation





# Endocarditis

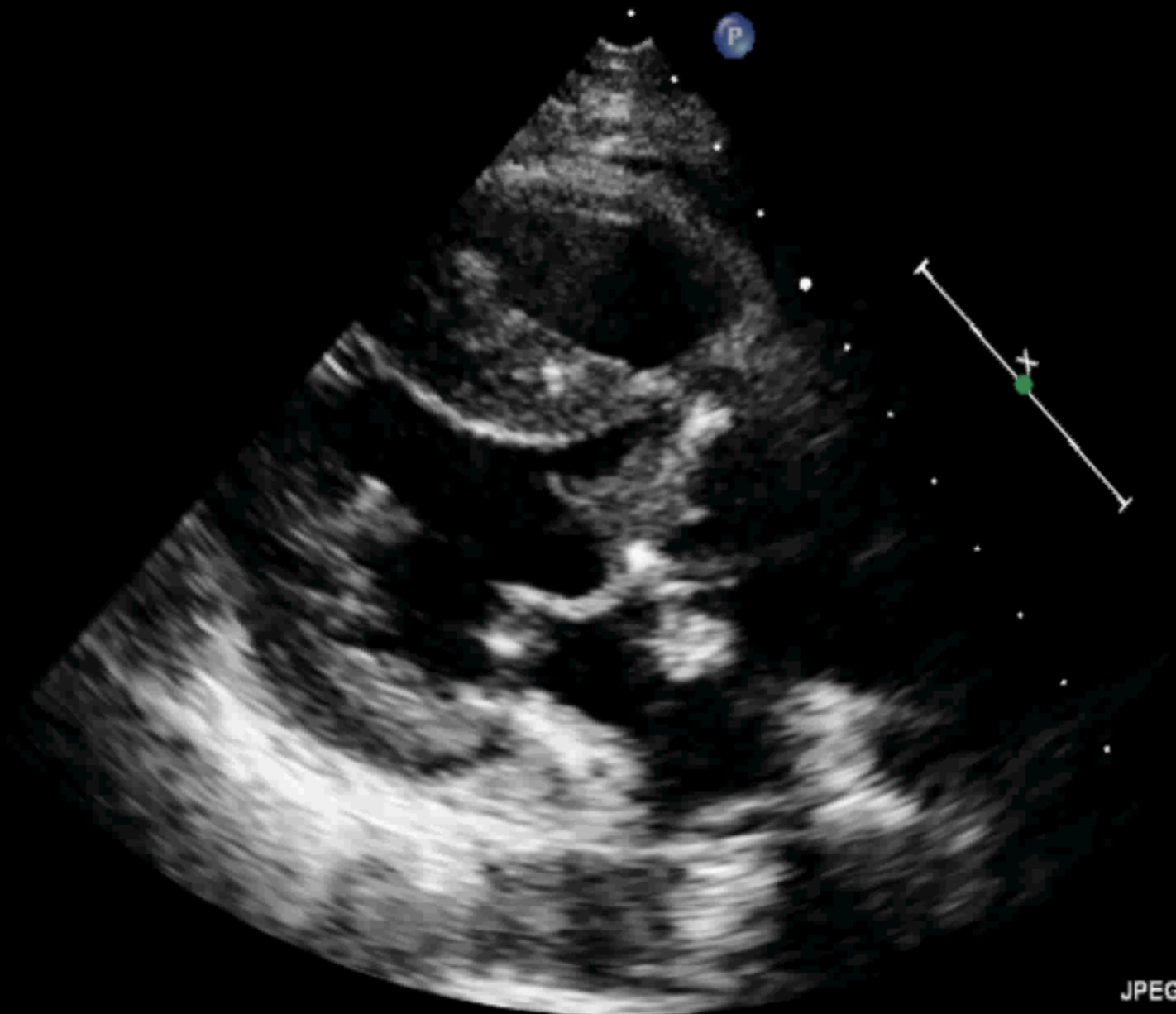


Vegetation

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12cm

2D  
57%  
C 47  
P Low  
HGen

M3



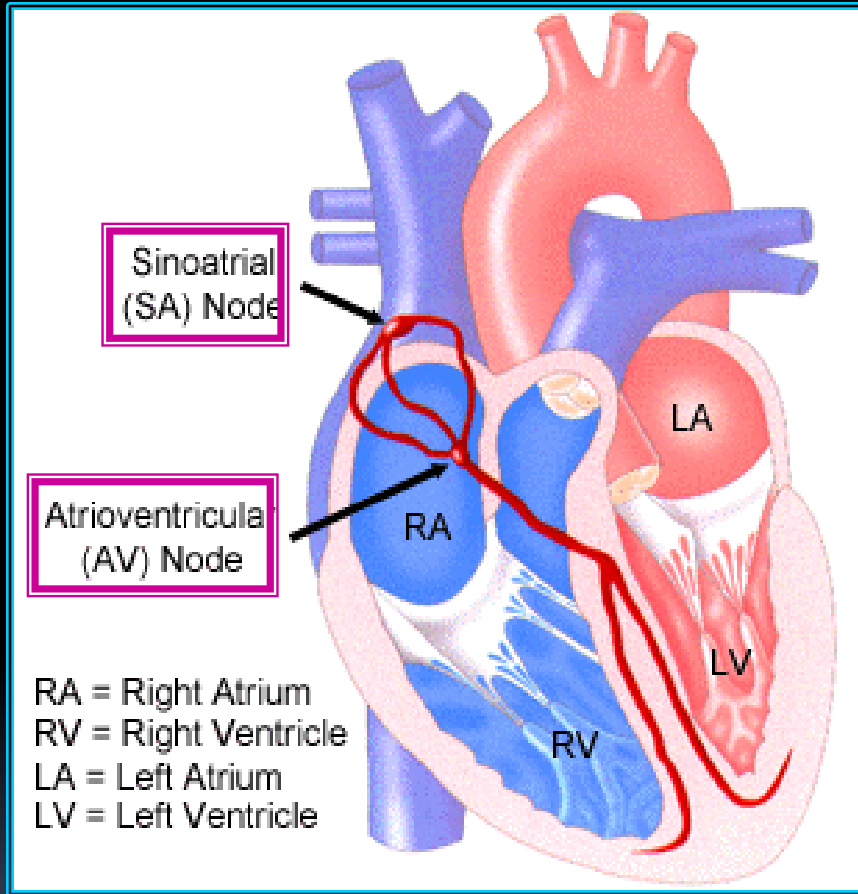
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77 bpm





# Rhythm & Conduction Disorders



## ★ Arrhythmia

### ★ Tachyarrhythmia

atrium/ventricle

### ★ Bradyarrhythmia

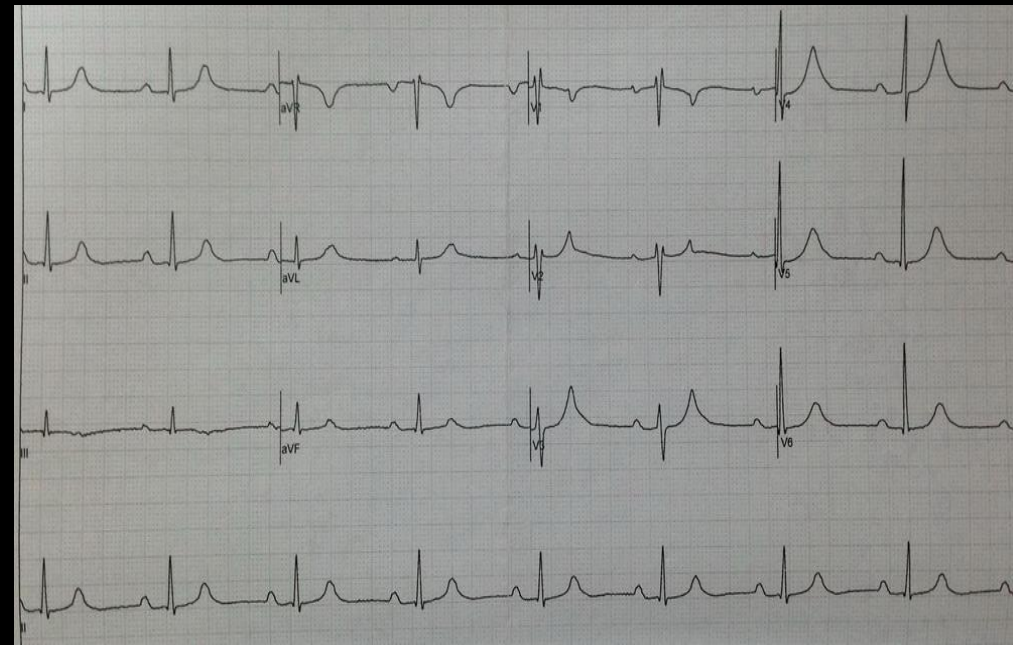
sinoatrial / sinus node

atrioventricular node

bundle of His

left / right bundle branch





# Congenital Heart Diseases

## ☀ Intracardiac communication

ASD, VSD, PAPVC, common AV canal

## ☀ Extracardiac communication

PDA, Sinus of Valsalva fistula

## ☀ Valvular and vascular malformations

AS, bicuspid AS, coarctation of aorta

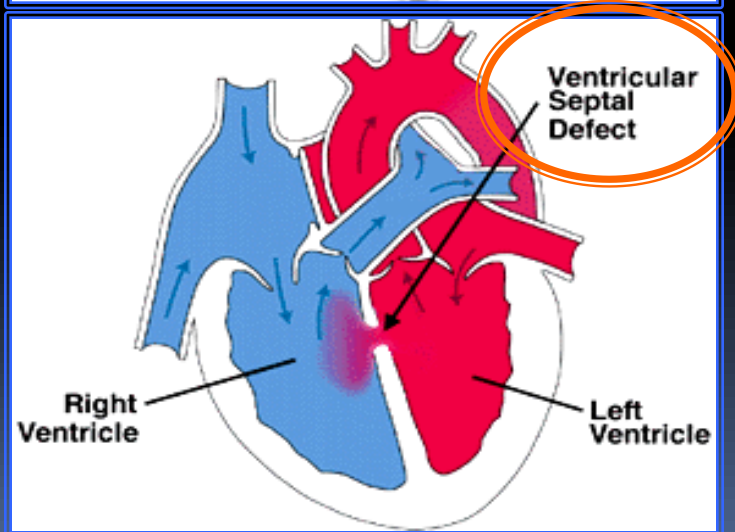
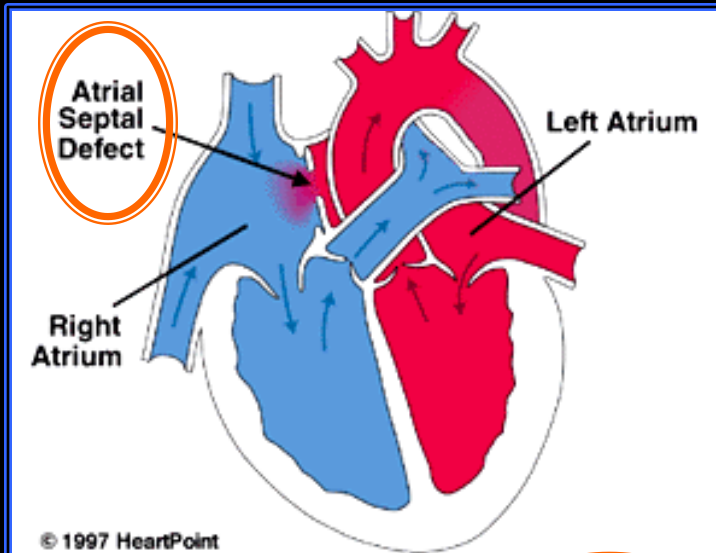
## ☀ Abnormalities of pulmonary venous connection

## ☀ Malposition of cardiac structure

dextrocardia, levocardia, single ventricle

## ☀ Anomalies of coronary artery circulation

coronary AV fistula, abnormal coro. origin



# Heart failure


problem of excessive salt and water retention or abnormal pumping capacity of the heart  
&  
neurohormonal activation and LV remodeling: disease progression

## Anatomy:


- Pericardium
- Myocardium
- Endocardium

## Physiology:

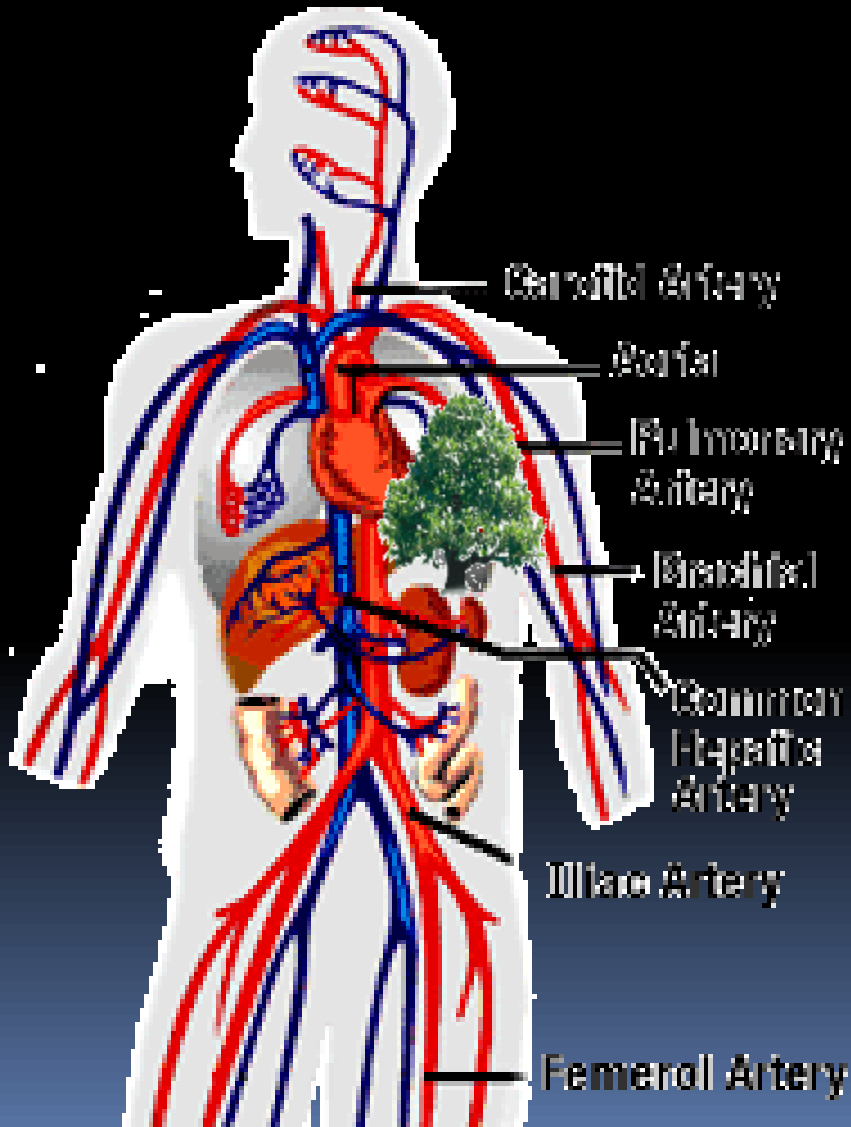
- High vs Low output
- Left vs Right sided
- Reduced vs Preserved LVEF  
(Systolic vs diastolic)
- Acute vs Chronic



# Vascular Diseases



# Vascular Diseases



## ✦ Great vessel disease

- Aortitis
  - Aortic aneurysm
  - Aortic dissection
  - Coarctation of aorta

## ✦ Peripheral vascular disease

- Peripheral arterial disease
  - Deep vein thrombosis

## ✦ Hypertension



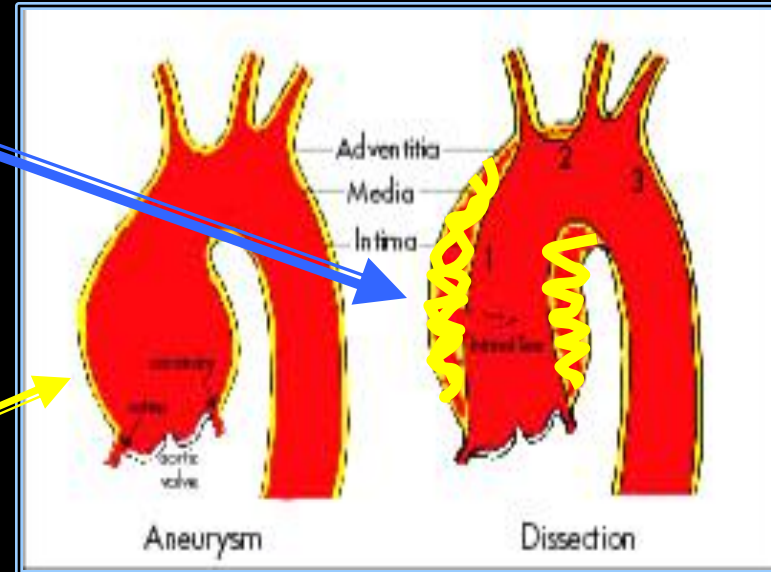


# Great Vessel Diseases

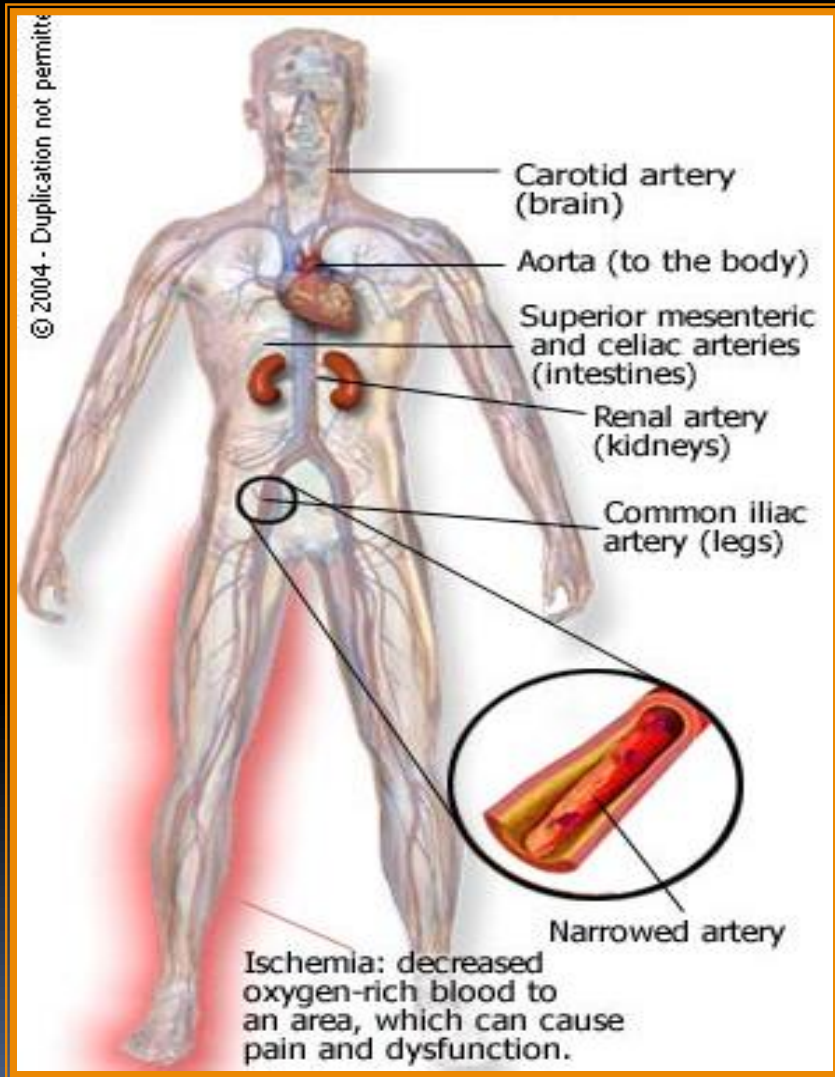


Aortic  
dissection

Aortic  
aneurysm

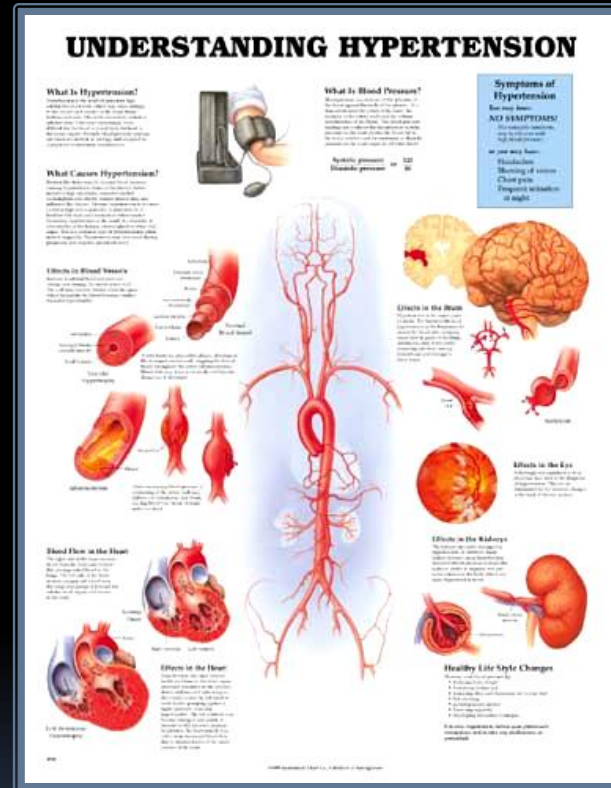
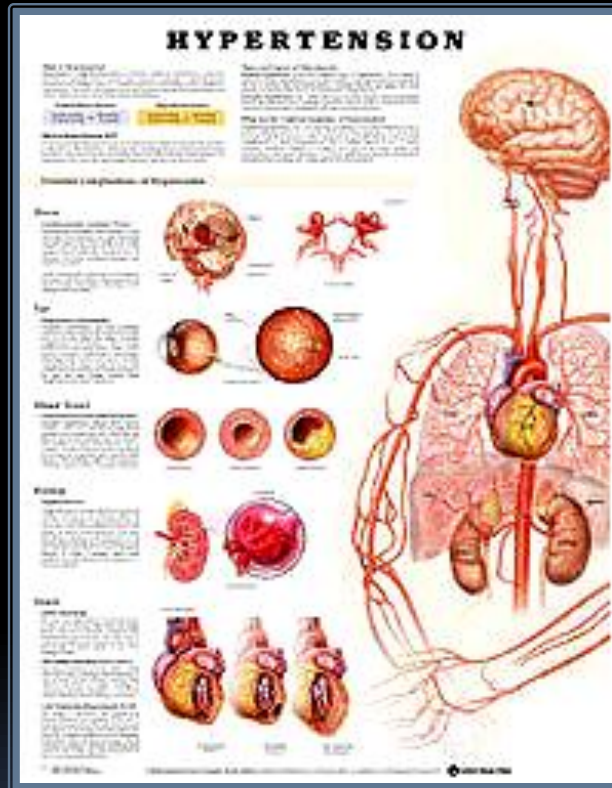


# Peripheral Arterial Diseases



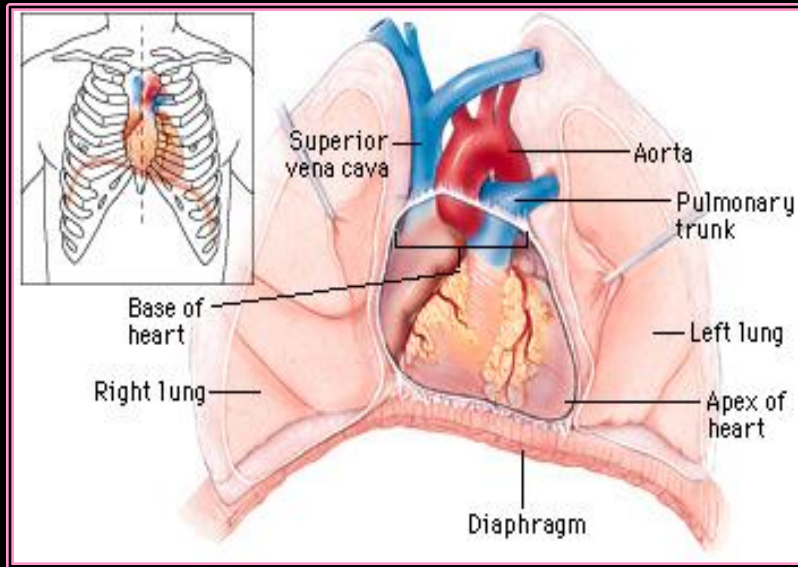
Ischemic ulcer

# Hypertension





# Pulmonary Hypertension & Pulmonary Embolism

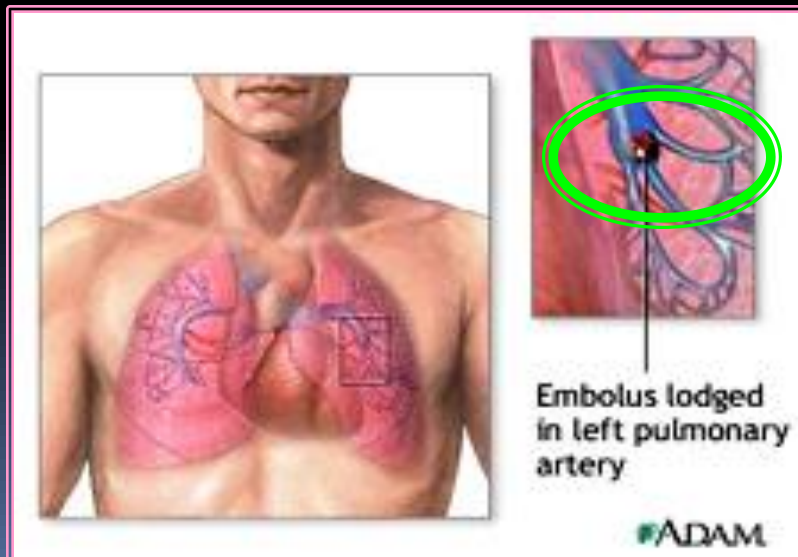


## ✿ Pulmonary hypertension

⇒ increasing in pulmonary arterial or venous pressure of any causes

## ✿ Pulmonary embolism

⇒ obstruction within any branch of pulmonary artery with emboli





# ***Cardiovascular Investigations***



# AIMS OF INVESTIGATIONS

- For Diagnosis
  - *History taking*
  - *Physical examination*
  - **Investigation**
- For Assessment of
  - Disease severity
  - Disease prognosis

# CARDIAC INVESTIGATIONS

## NON-INVASIVE

- Blood pressure measurement
- Oxygen saturation measurement
- Electrocardiogram (ECG)
- Chest X-ray (CXR)
- Echocardiography
  - 2D, 3D Transthoracic echo
  - Transesophageal echocardiography (TEE)
- Exercise stress test (EST)
- Exercise stress- Echocardiography
- Dobutamine stress echocardiography
- Holter monitoring
- Tilt table test
- Carotid artery Doppler study
- Ankle-brachial index (ABI), Cardio-ankle vascular index (CAVI)
- CT-angiography : coronary, pulmonary, aorta, renal artery, peripheral artery
- Cardiac MRI: rest or stress CMR
- Stress cardiac nuclear study

## INVASIVE

- Coronary angiography
- Left sided cardiac catheterization
- Right sided cardiac catheterization
- Pulmonary artery, carotid artery, renal artery, extremity artery angiography
- Endomyocardial biopsy
- Electrophysiologic (EP) study

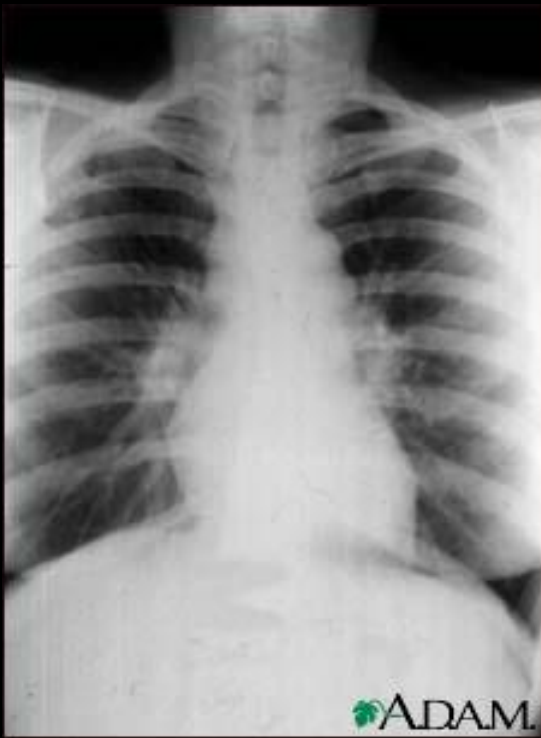
# ***NON-INVASIVE INVESTIGATIONS***



**Sphygmomanometer**



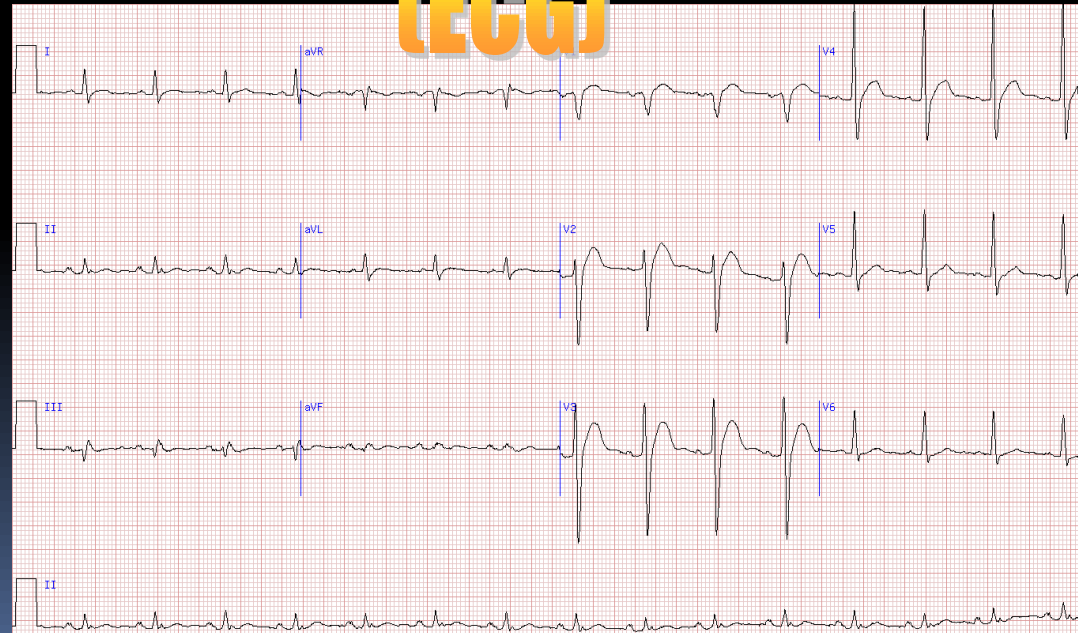
**Pulse Oximeter**



**Chest X-ray  
(CXR)**



**Electrocardiography  
(ECG)**





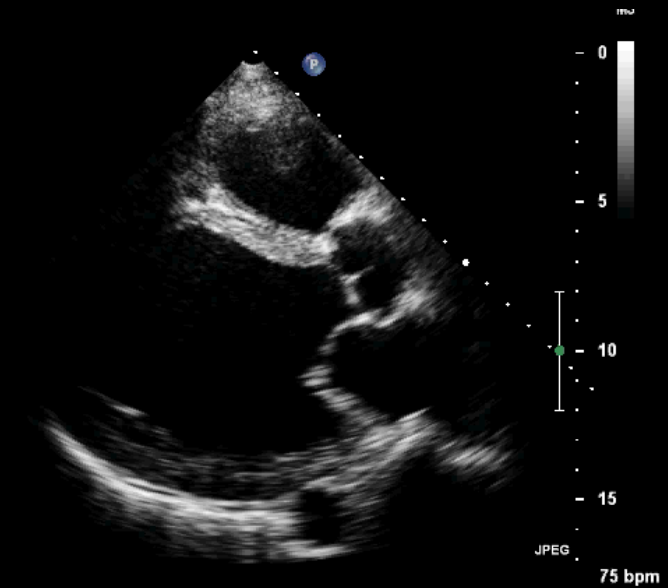
# Echocardiography (2D-Echo)



FR 47/14  
17cm

2D  
66%  
C 50  
P Low  
HGen

G  
P R  
1.7 3.4



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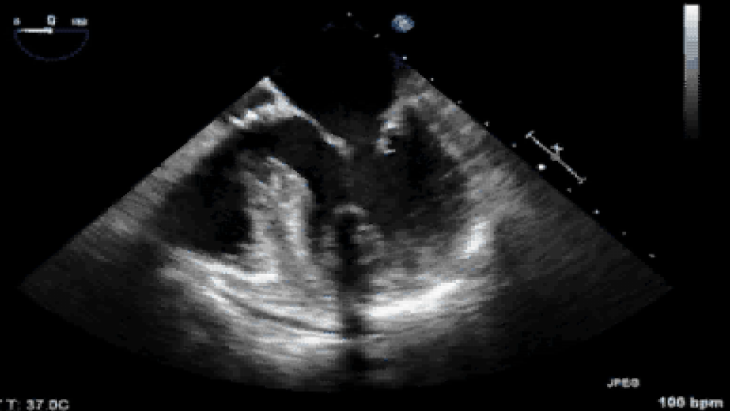
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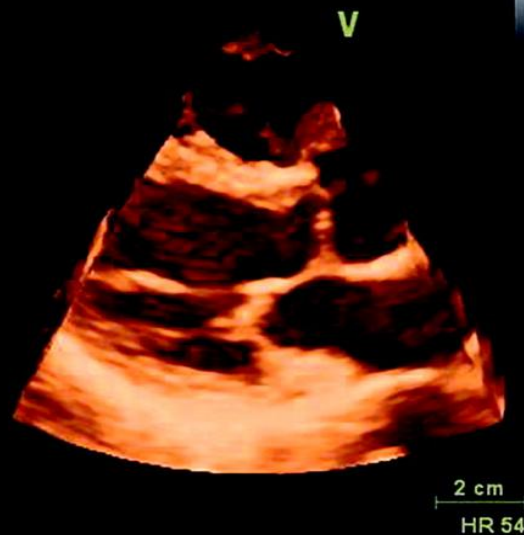
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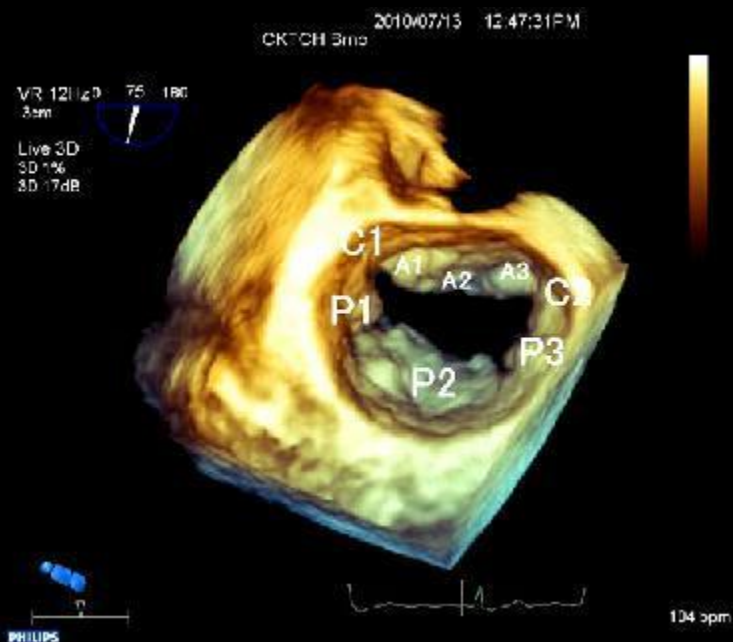
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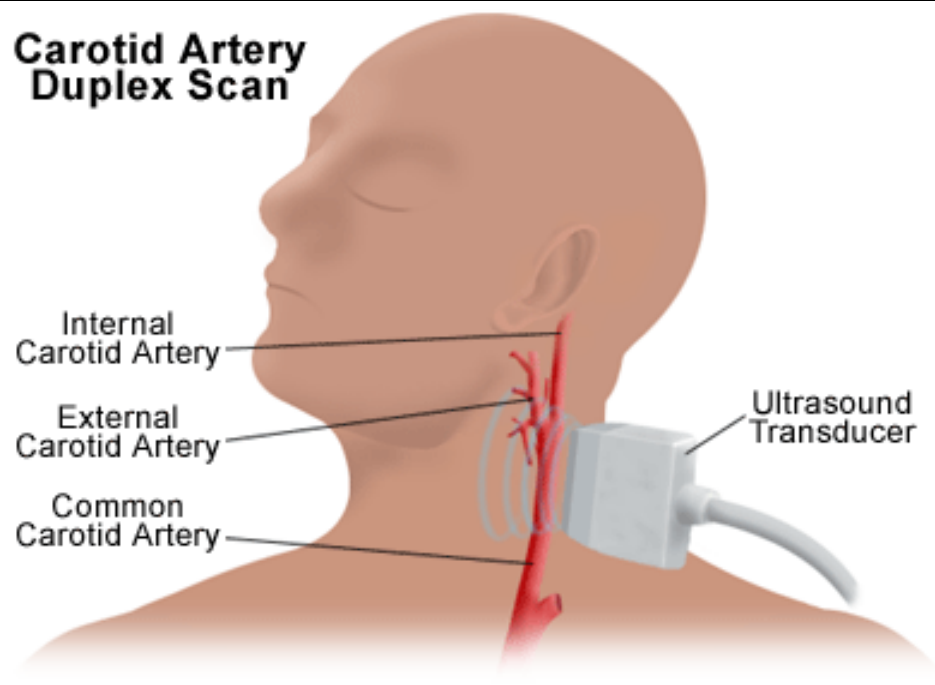
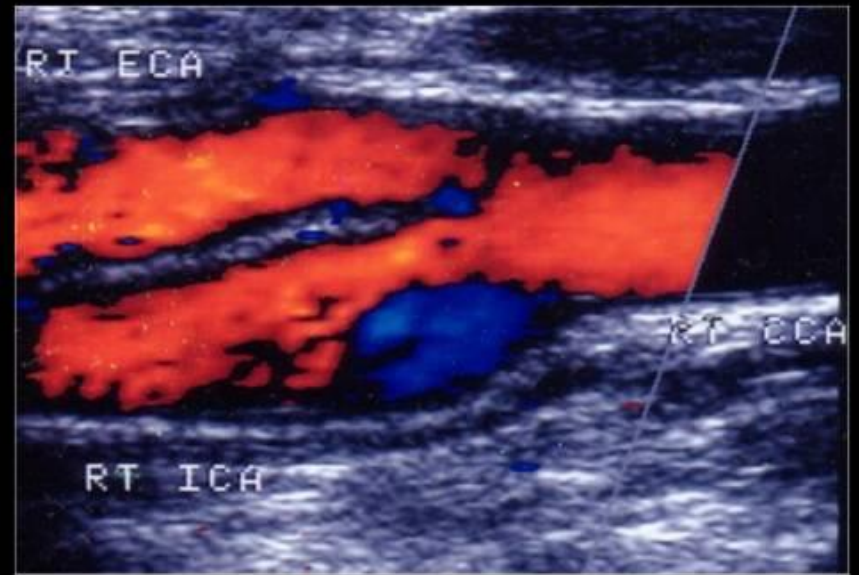
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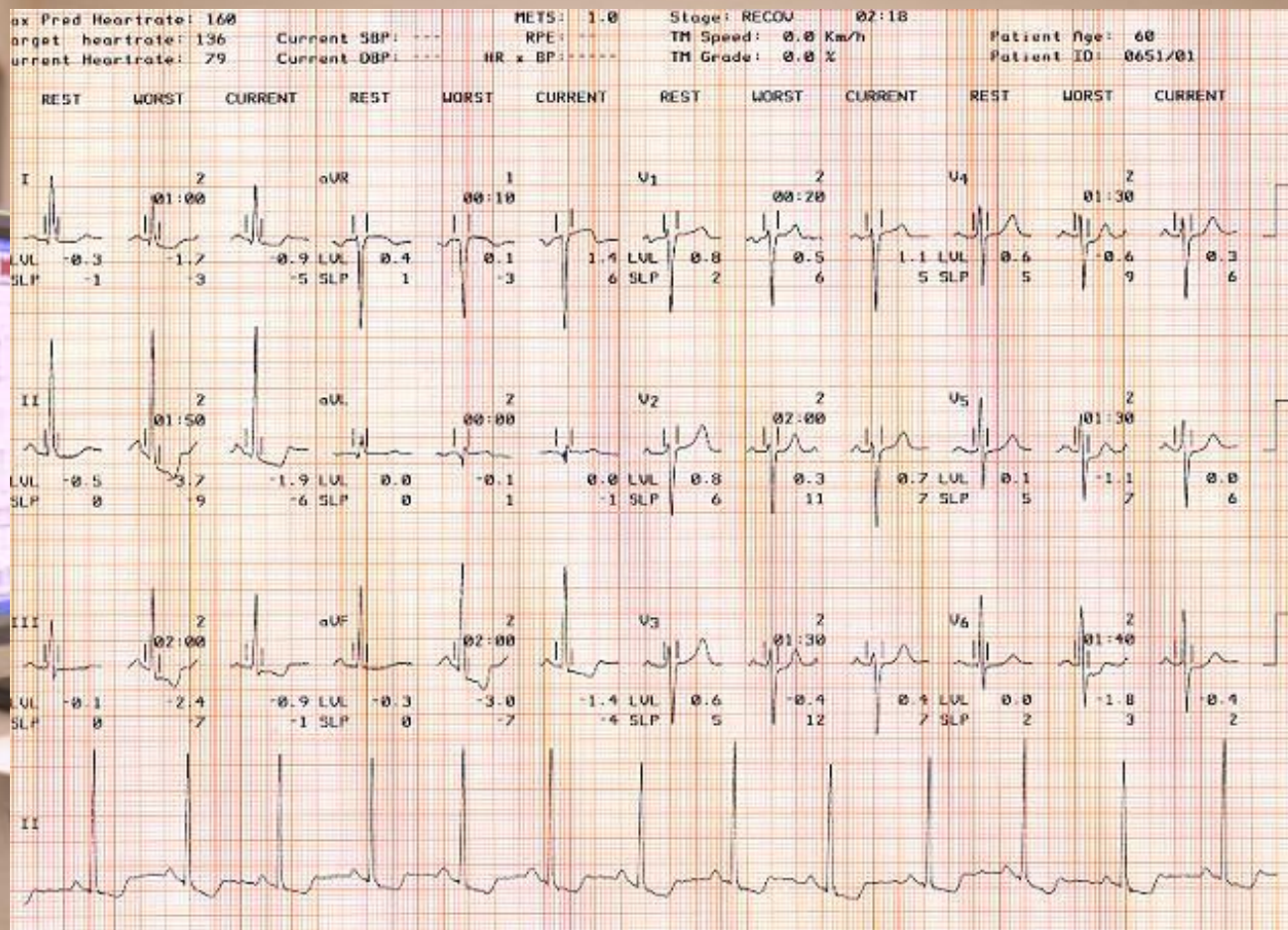


# Echocardiography (3D-Echo)



# ***Carotid Doppler Ultrasound***





**Exercise Stress Test (EST)**  
**Exercise Treadmill Test (ETT)**

# *Uses of Exercise stress test*

How the heart responds to exertion.

The following are some of the indications

- To **determine** if there is **adequate blood flow to the heart** during increased levels of stress
- To **assess the effectiveness of medications to control heart conditions like angina and ischemia**, conditions where the blood supply to the heart is reduced
- To **identify** if the patient has **coronary heart disease** and further evaluate it
- To assess the effectiveness of procedures done to improve blood circulation in patients with coronary heart disease
- To **identify abnormal heart rhythms**
- To **develop a safe exercise program**



# Stress testing following myocardial infarction (MI)

- Invaluable tool for risk stratification post-MI.
- In the early days post MI (days 3-7), a low level stress test limited to 5 METS, 75% of MPHR or 60% of MPHR on  $\beta$ -blockers, is very helpful in patients who were treated conservatively with no revascularization to assess for ischemia at low workload, arrhythmias, to start cardiac rehabilitation and gaining self confidence.
- Late post-MI (4-6 weeks), symptom limited stress testing is usually performed to assess revascularization, medical therapy or need for any further interventions.



Exercise-Stress Echocardiographic Study



Dobutamine-Stress Echocardiographic Study

# The six-minute walk test

Simplicity

Excellent tool for assessing heart failure patients

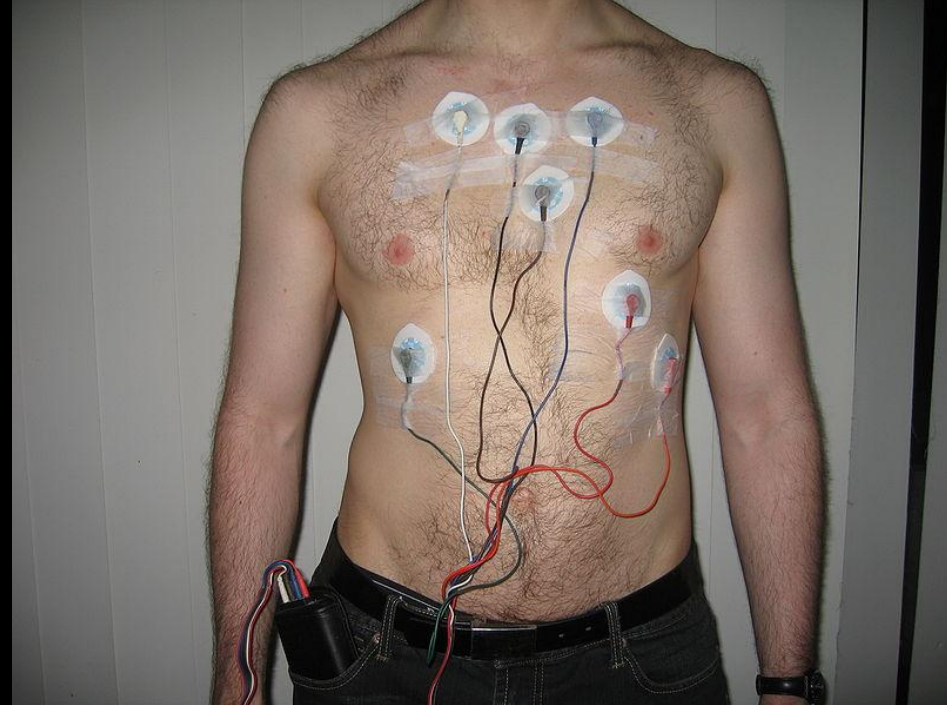
Not discriminate between the causes

# Cardiopulmonary exercise testing

More precise information

Better quantification of exercise capacity

determine cause of exercise limitation is cardiac



An ECG recording of an irregular heartbeat during an event.



An ECG recording of a regular heartbeat.

# Holter Monitoring

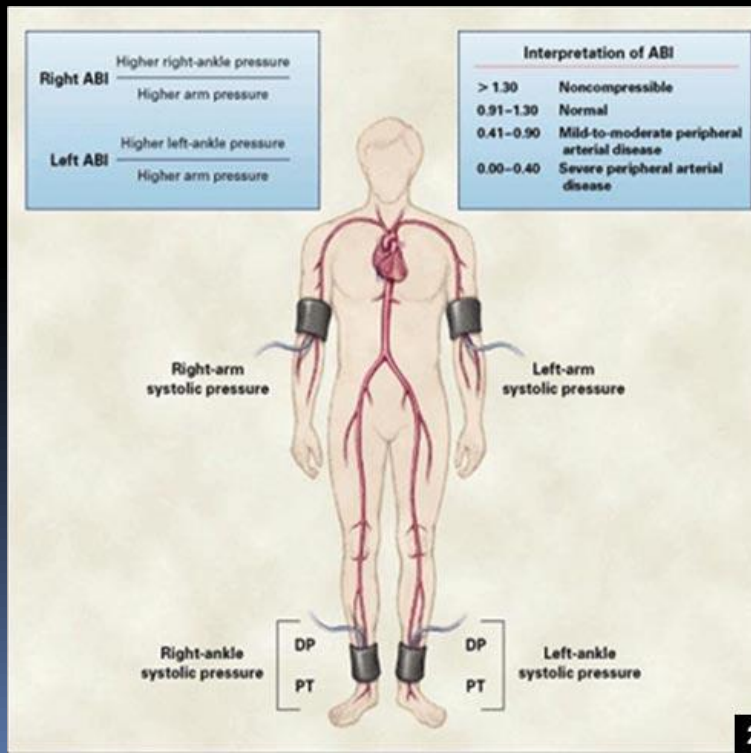
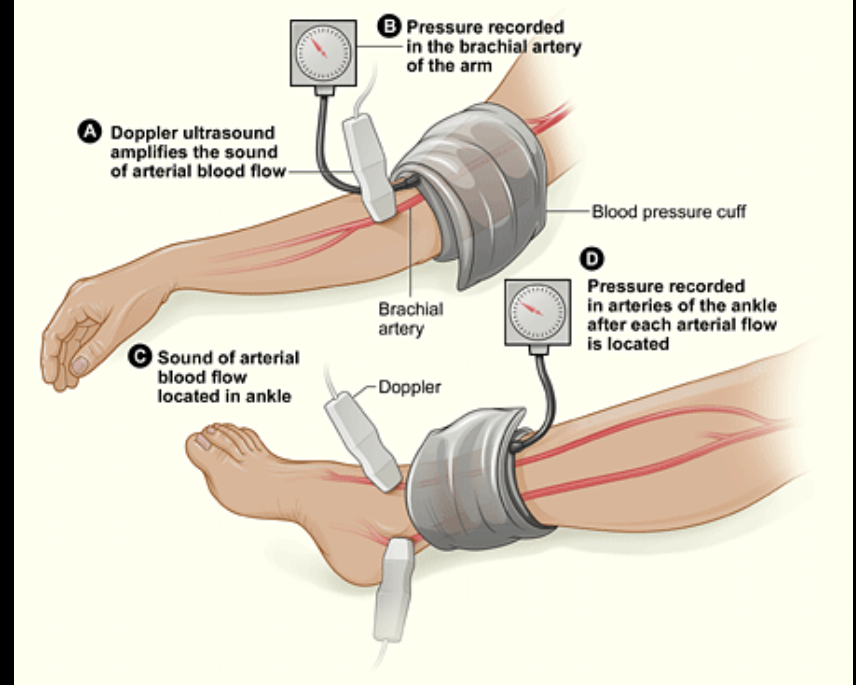






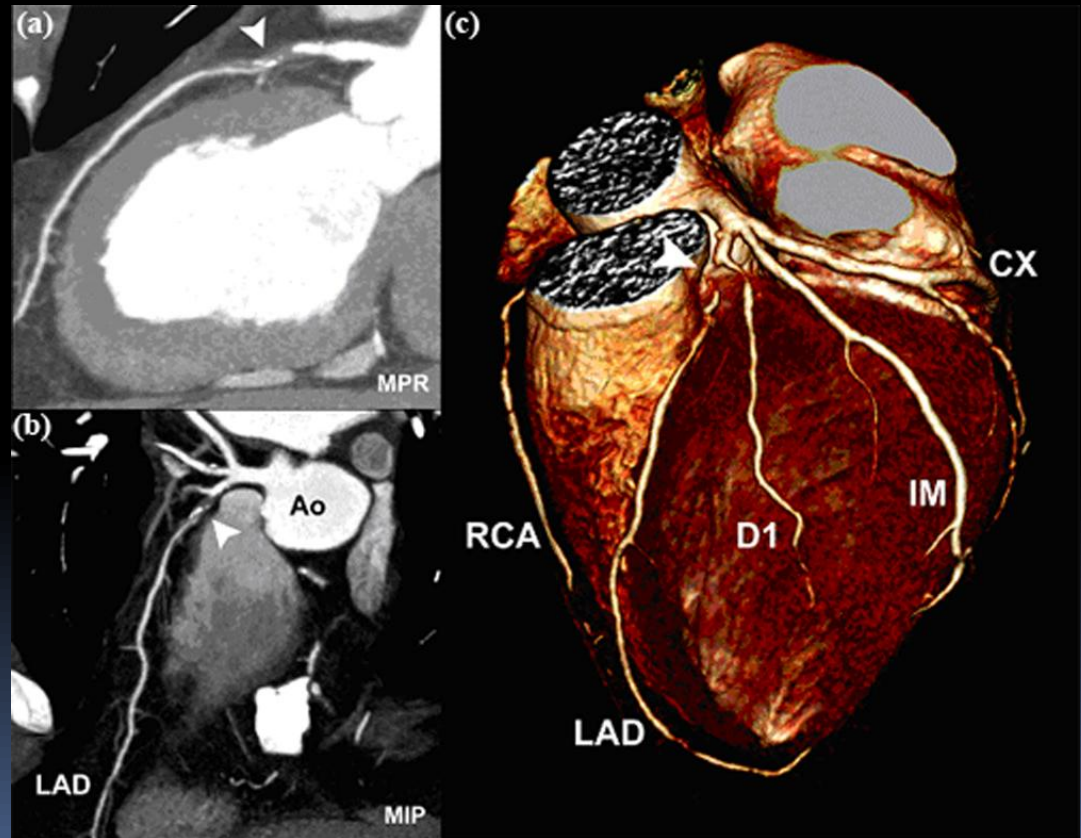
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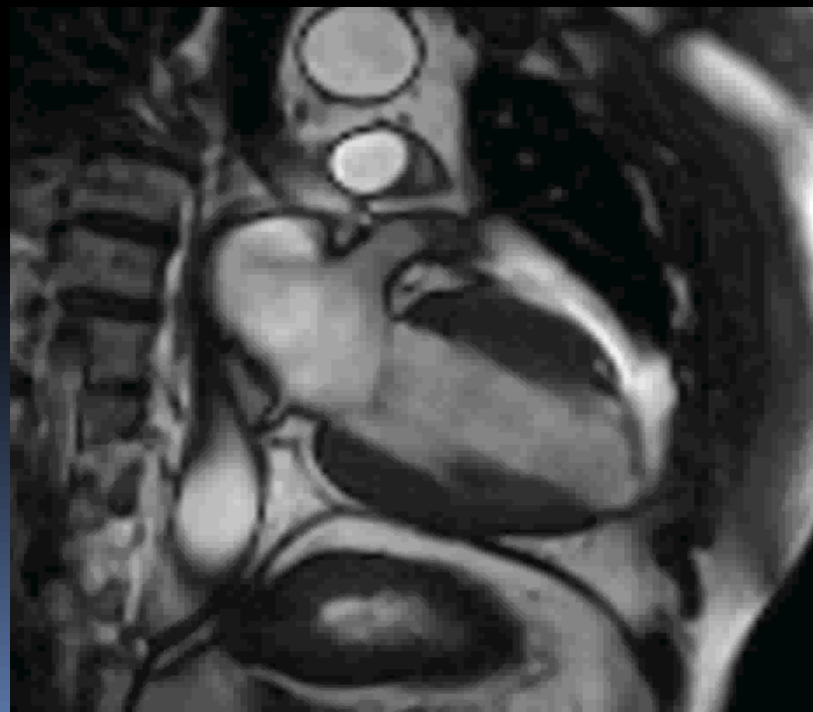
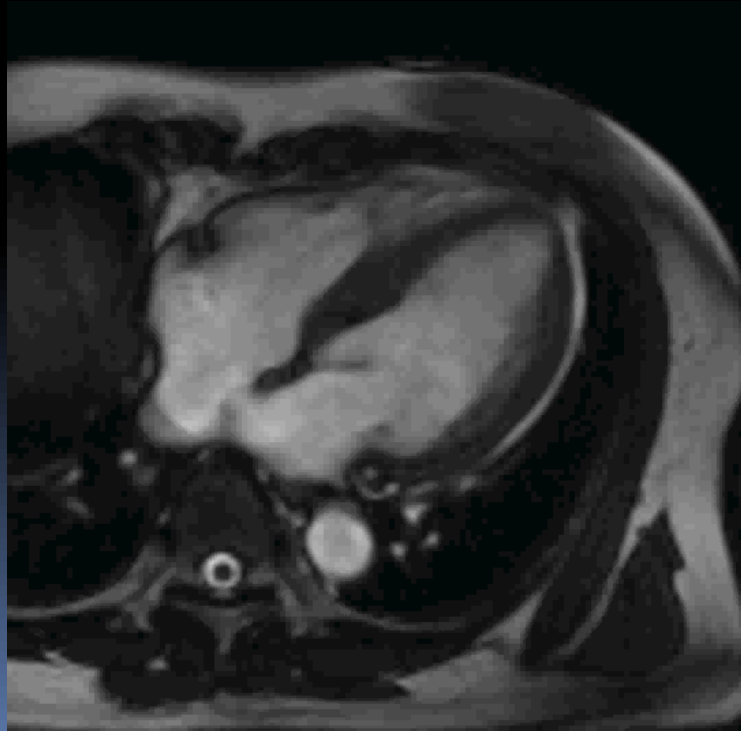
# Ankle Brachial Index (ABI)

# Computed Tomography Angiography (CTA)



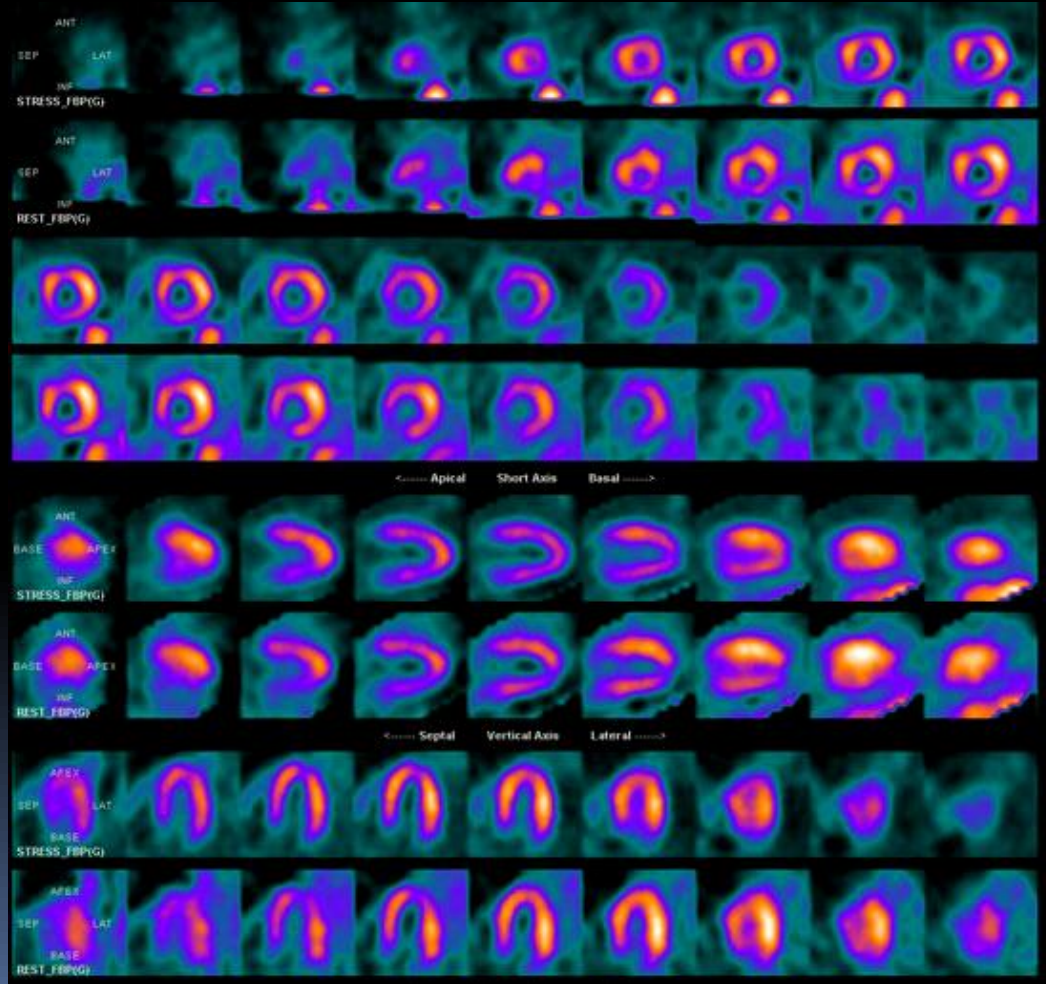


# Cardiac MRI



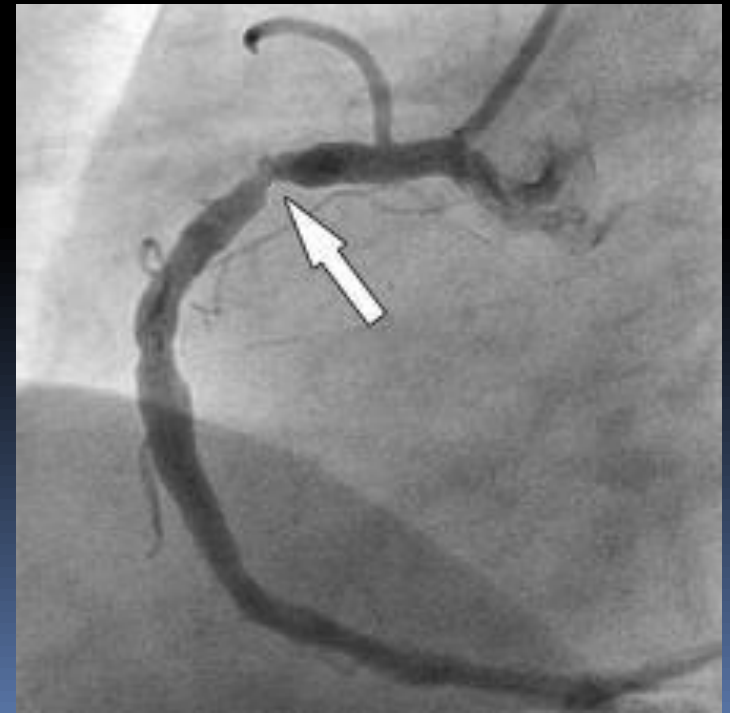
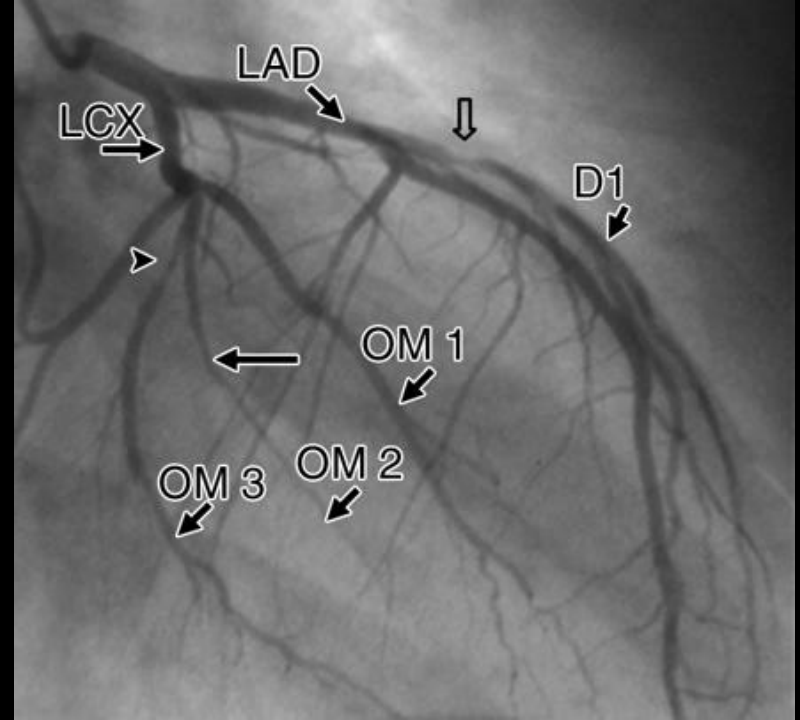
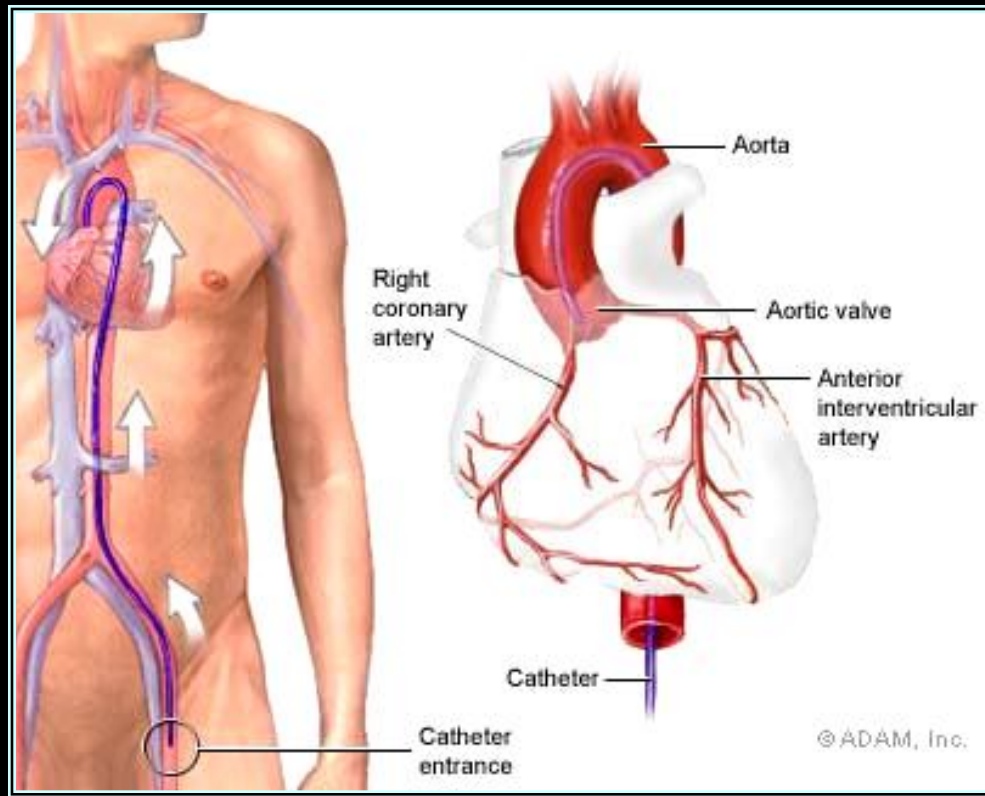


# Cardiac Nuclear Study



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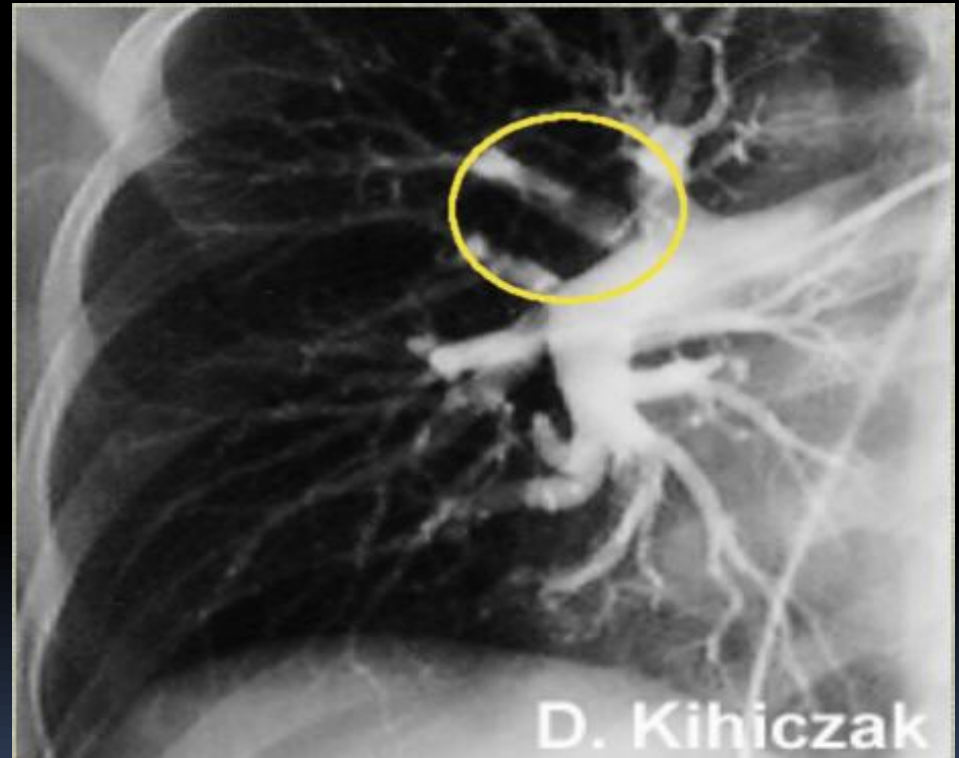




# Coronary Angiography (CAG)

# ***Pulmonary Angiography***

## ***Pulmonary Arteriogram***

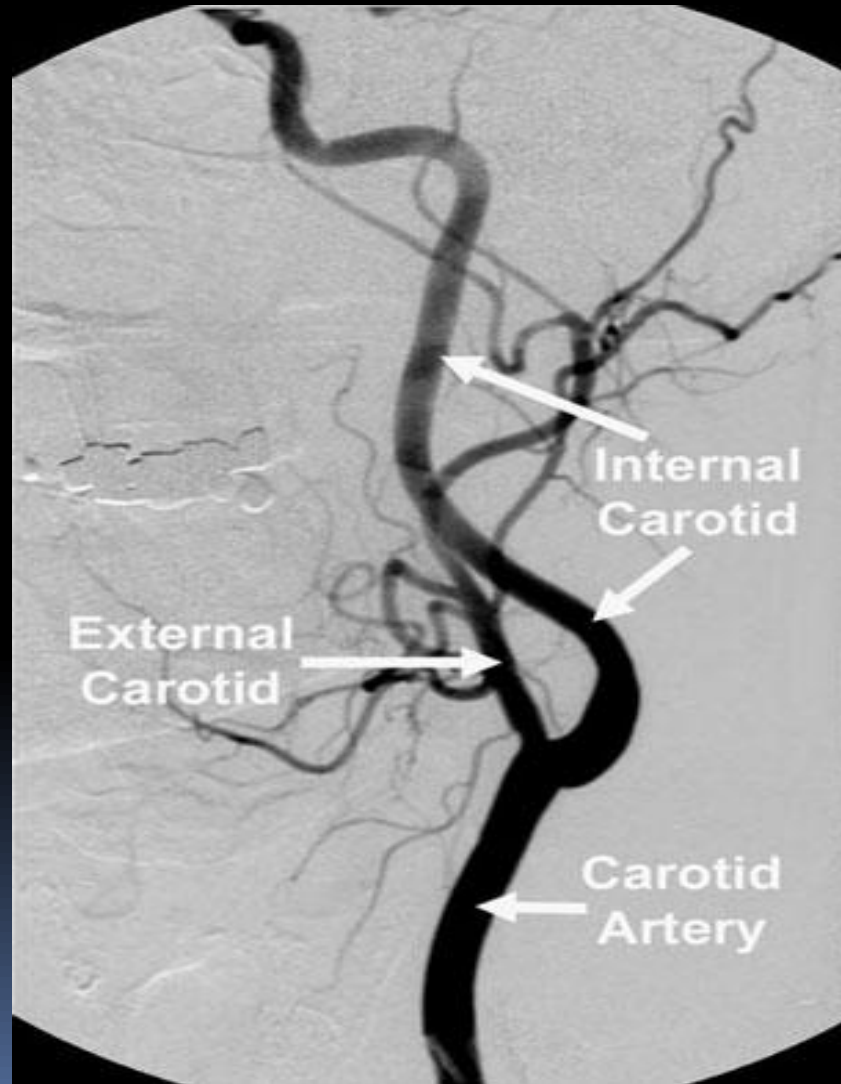


Pulmonary  
Embolism

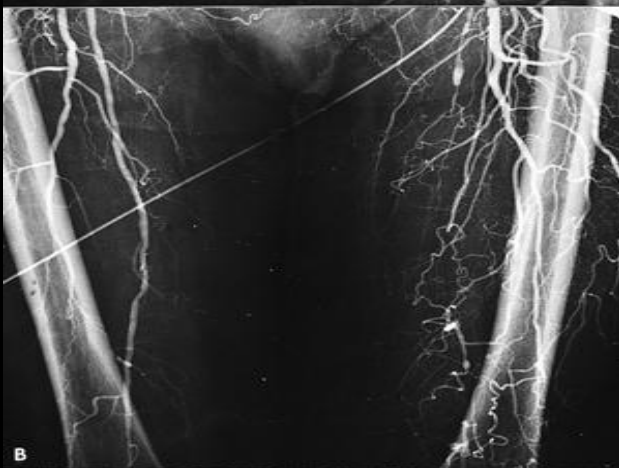
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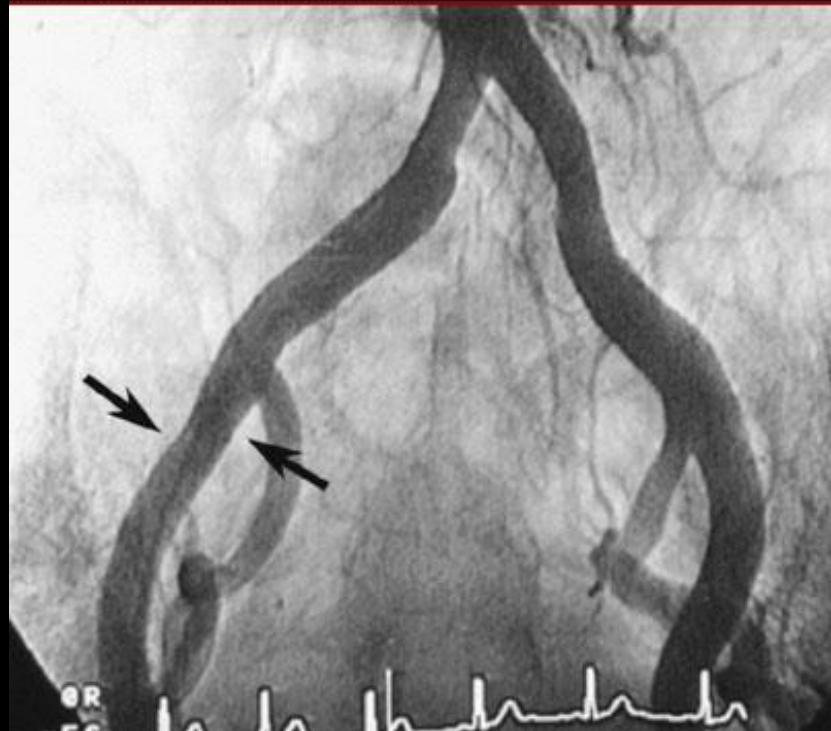
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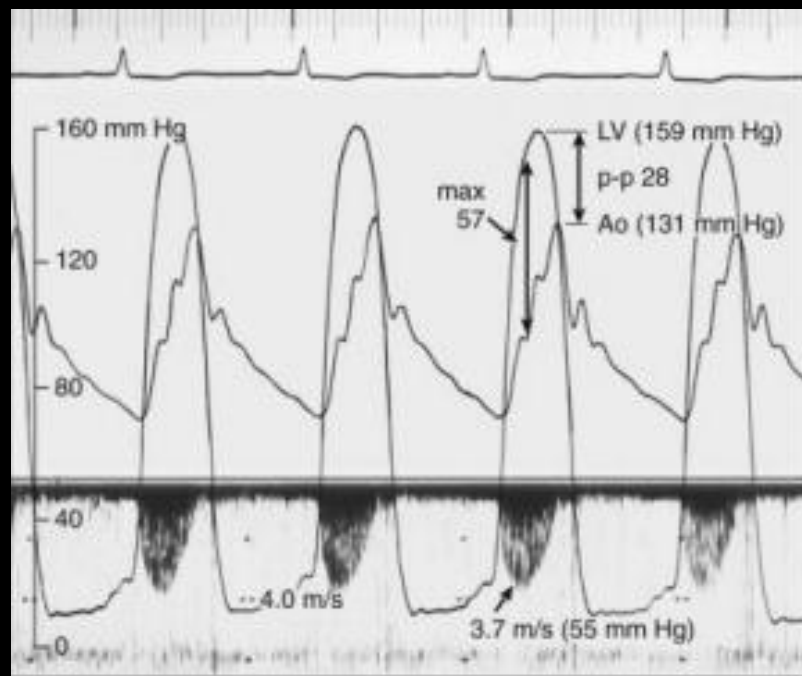


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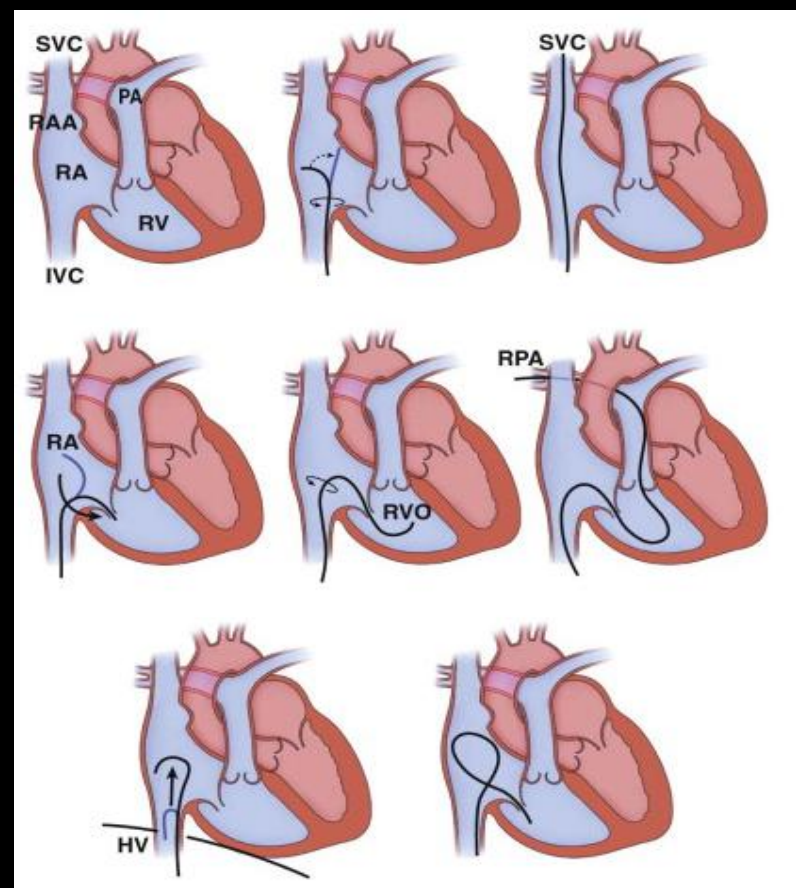
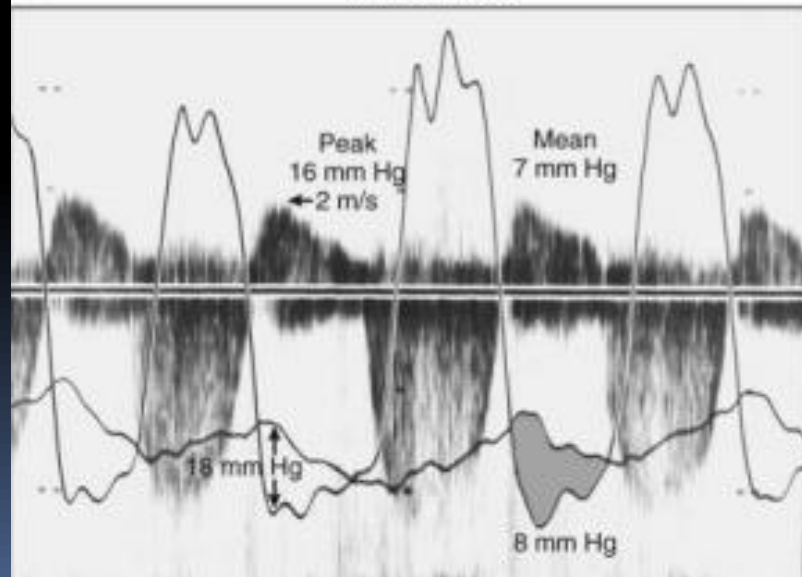
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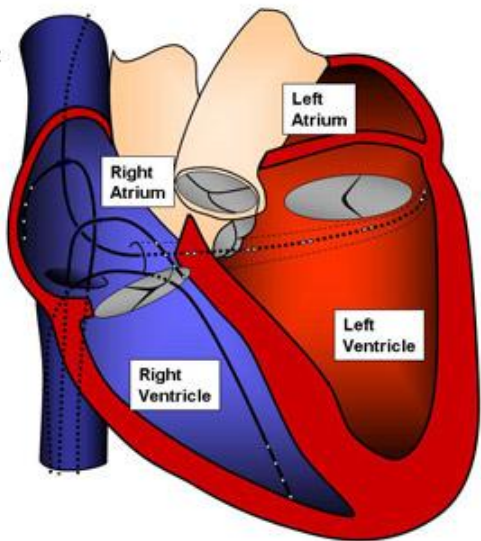


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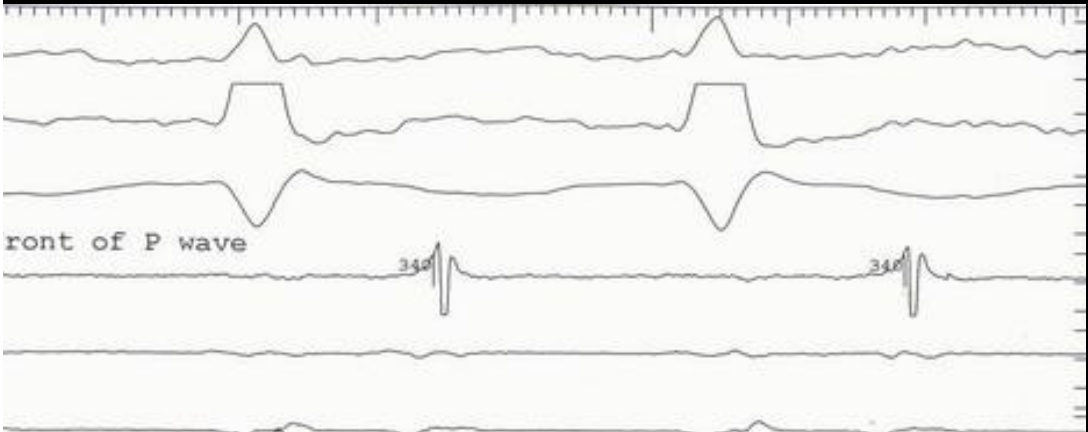
Mitral stenosis



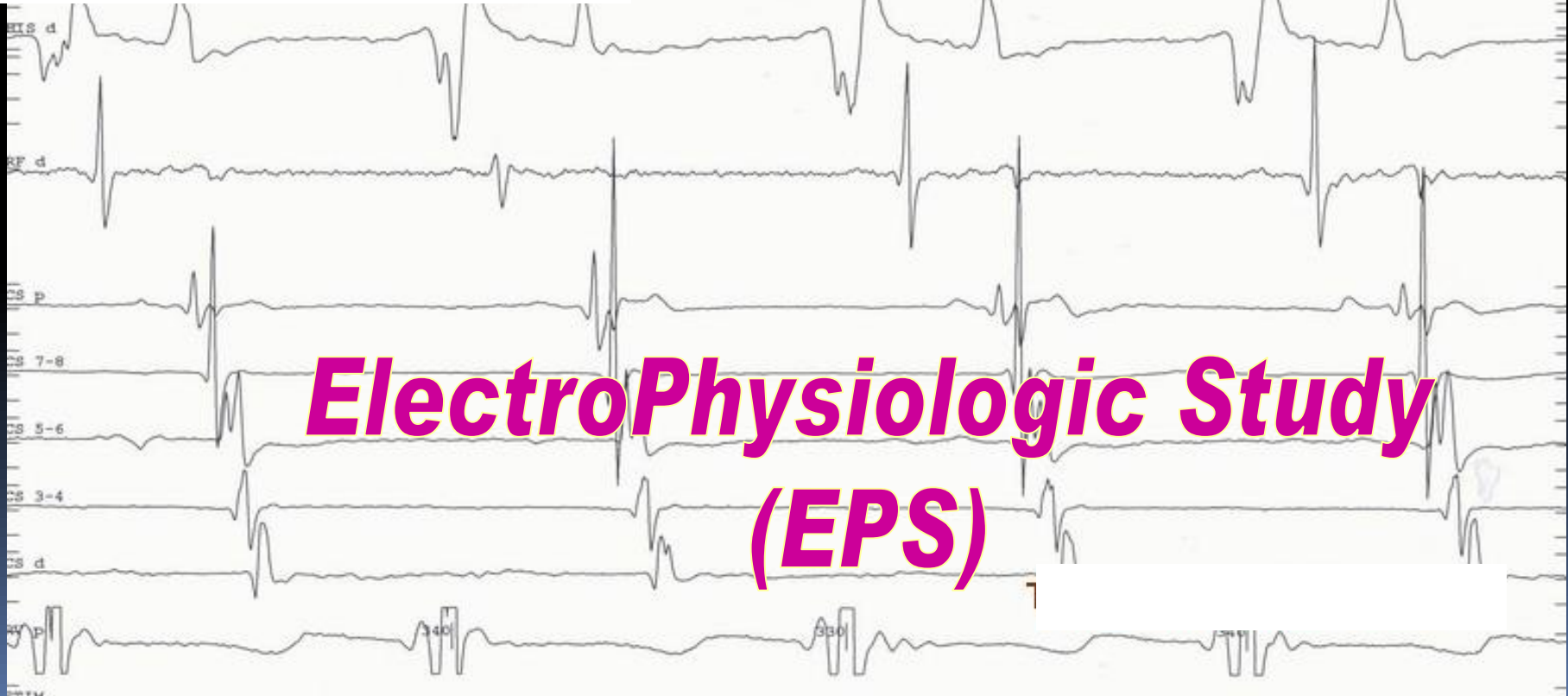
# Cardiac catheterization



# Intracardiac Electrogram



# ElectroPhysiologic Study (EPS)



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