

# APPROCCIO ECOGRAFICO IN PS AL DOLORE TORACICO

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# ULTRASOUND and CHEST PAIN

According to the consensus statement of the "American Society of Echocardiography" and the "American College of Emergency Medicine":

- respiratory difficulty
- chest pain, or
- shock

are recommended indication of the  
**FOCUSED CARDIAC ULTRASOUND**  
in emergency setting

# ULTRASOUND and CHEST PAIN

The «astute» clinician is cognizant that etiologies classically associate with chest pain, such ACS or and aortic dissection, can be associated with dyspnea or hypotension, or even presents atypically with these two "non cardiac" presentation alone in the absence of chest pain.

# ULTRASOUND and CHEST PAIN

A patients with pneumothorax can present with shortness of breath and chest pain and develop hypotension when it becomes a tension pneumothorax.

POCUS  MOPOCUS

# IMPORTANT CAUSES OF ACUTE CHEST PAIN

## CHEST WALL PAIN

Costosternal syndrome

Costochondritis (Tietze syndrome)

Precordial catch syndrome

Slipping rib syndrome

Xiphodynia

Radicular syndromes

Intercostal nerve syndromes

Fibromyalgia

## PLEURITIC PAIN

Pulmonary embolism

Pneumonia

Spontaneous pneumothorax

Pericarditis

Pleurisy

## VISCERAL PAIN

Typical exertional angina

Atypical (nonexertional) angina

Unstable angina

Acute myocardial infarction

Aortic dissection

Pericarditis

Esophageal reflux or spasm

Esophageal rupture

Mitral valve prolapse

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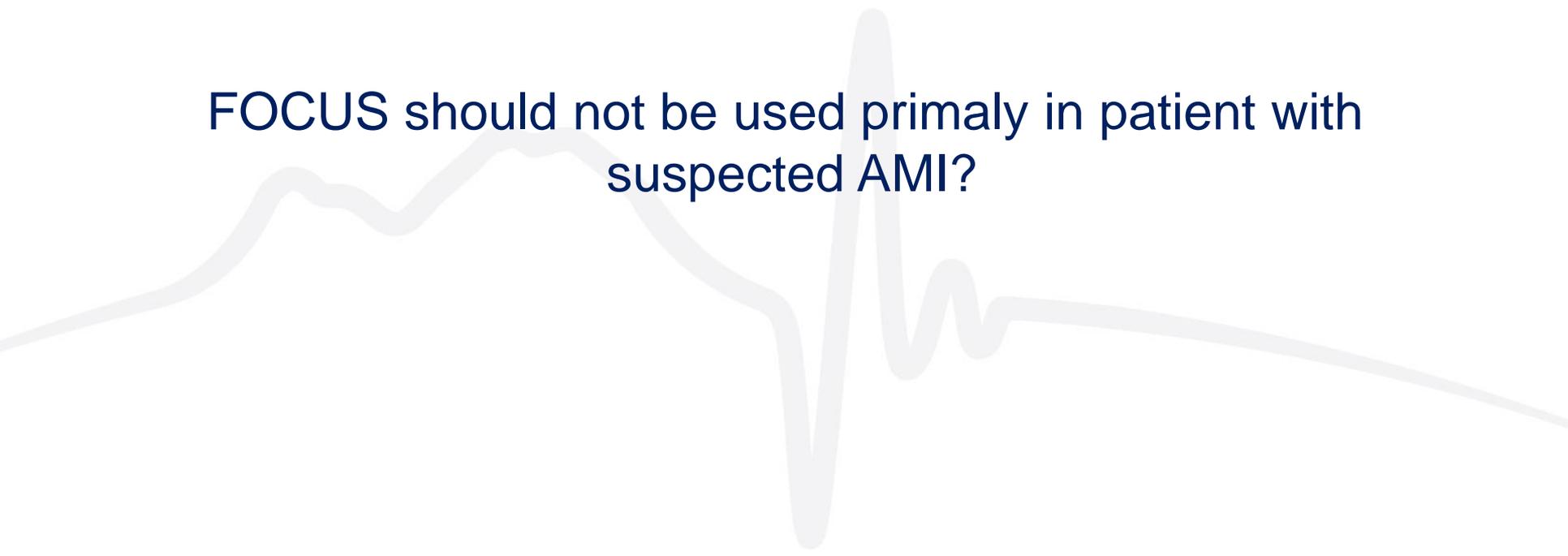
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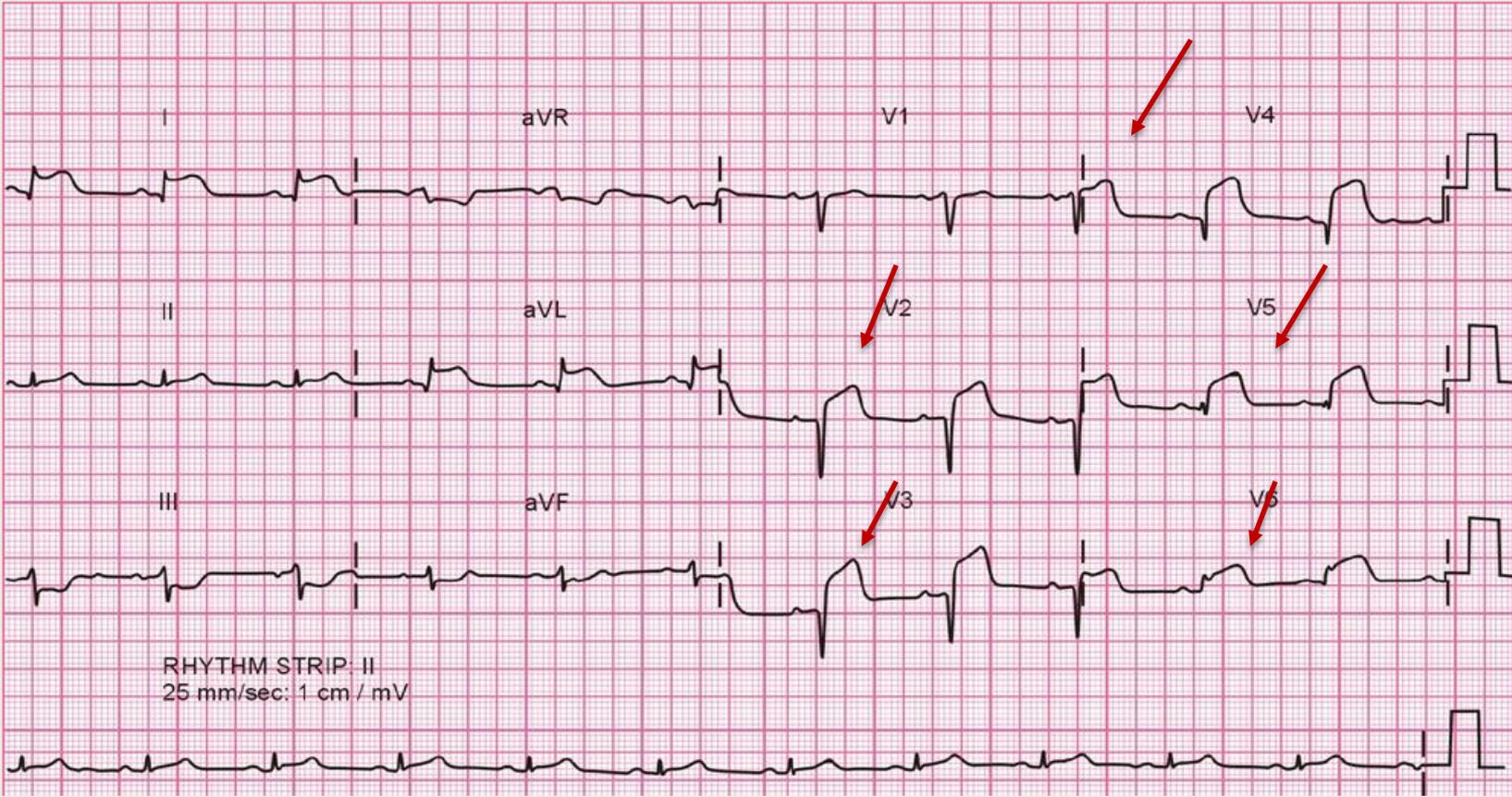
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# FOCUS and VISCERAL PAIN

FOCUS should not be used primarily in patient with suspected AMI?



# ANY DOUBT?



# **FOCUS**

## **Assessment of mechanical complications**

**ACUTE FREE WALL RUPTURE**

**VENTRICULAR SEPTAL RUPTURE**

**MITRAL REGURGITATION: LV dilatation and dysfunction,  
papillary muscle dysfunction or rupture of the papillary muscle**

# ACUTE FREE WALL RUPTURE

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TEI P 17 cm XV C  
PRC 10-3-A PRS M  
PST 3

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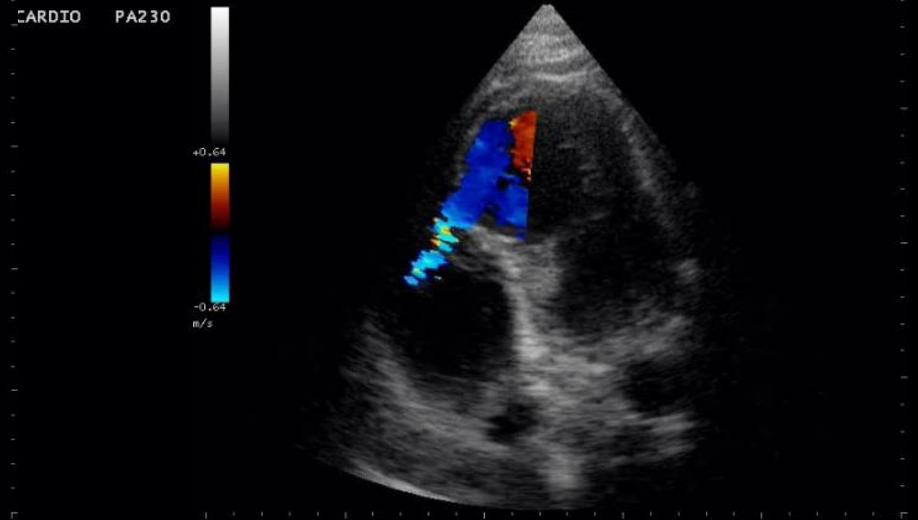


# VENTRICULAR SEPTAL RUPTURE

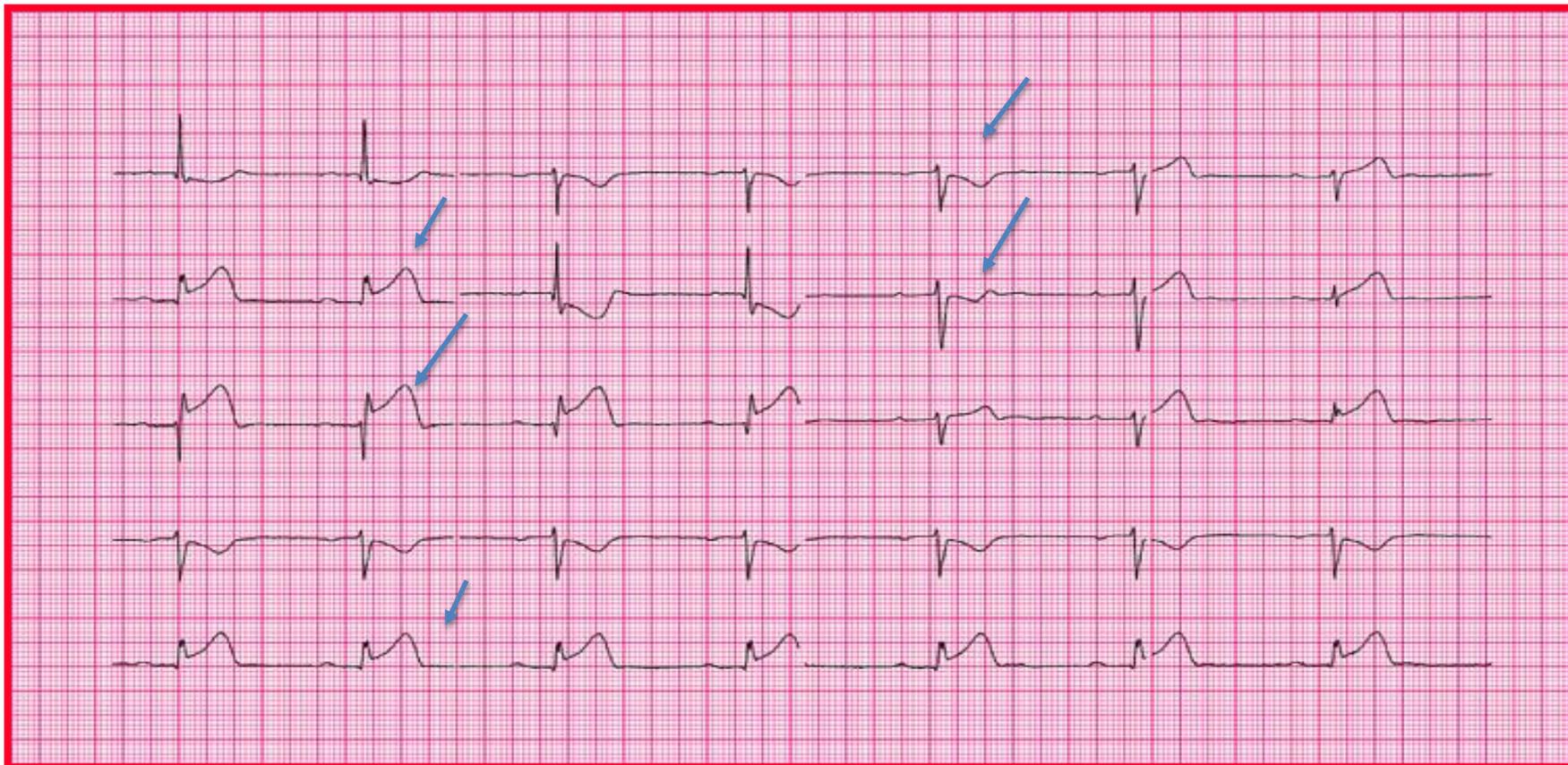
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P 21 cm XV C  
PRC 10-3-A PRS M  
PST 3  
0:00:00.24



TEI B F P G 54% CFM F 2.5 MHz G 40%  
P 19 cm XV C PRF 4.2kHz  
PRC 10-3-A PRS 2 PRC 3-B-A PRS 1  
PST 3 FP M  
0:00:00.33



# WHICH ONE COMPLICATION?

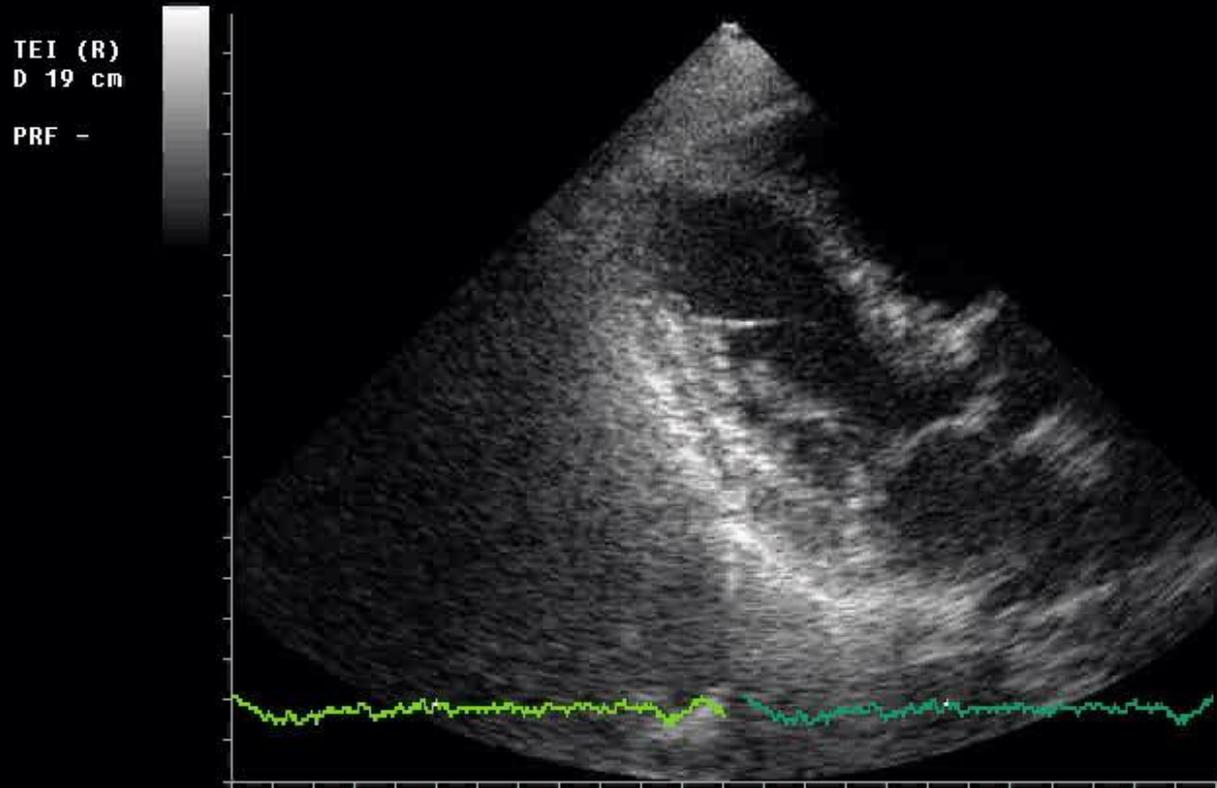


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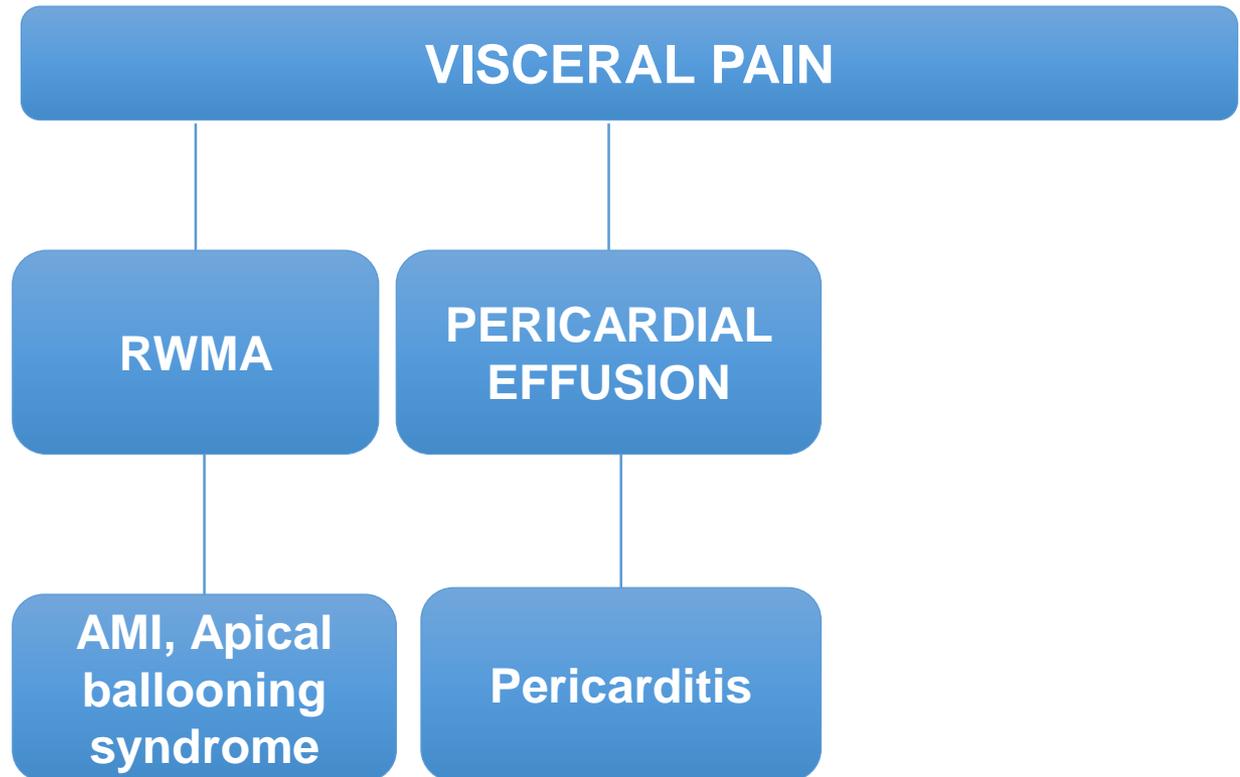
# DIFFUSE INTERSTITIAL SYNDROME

# PAPILLARY MUSCLE DYSFUNCTION/ RUPTURE



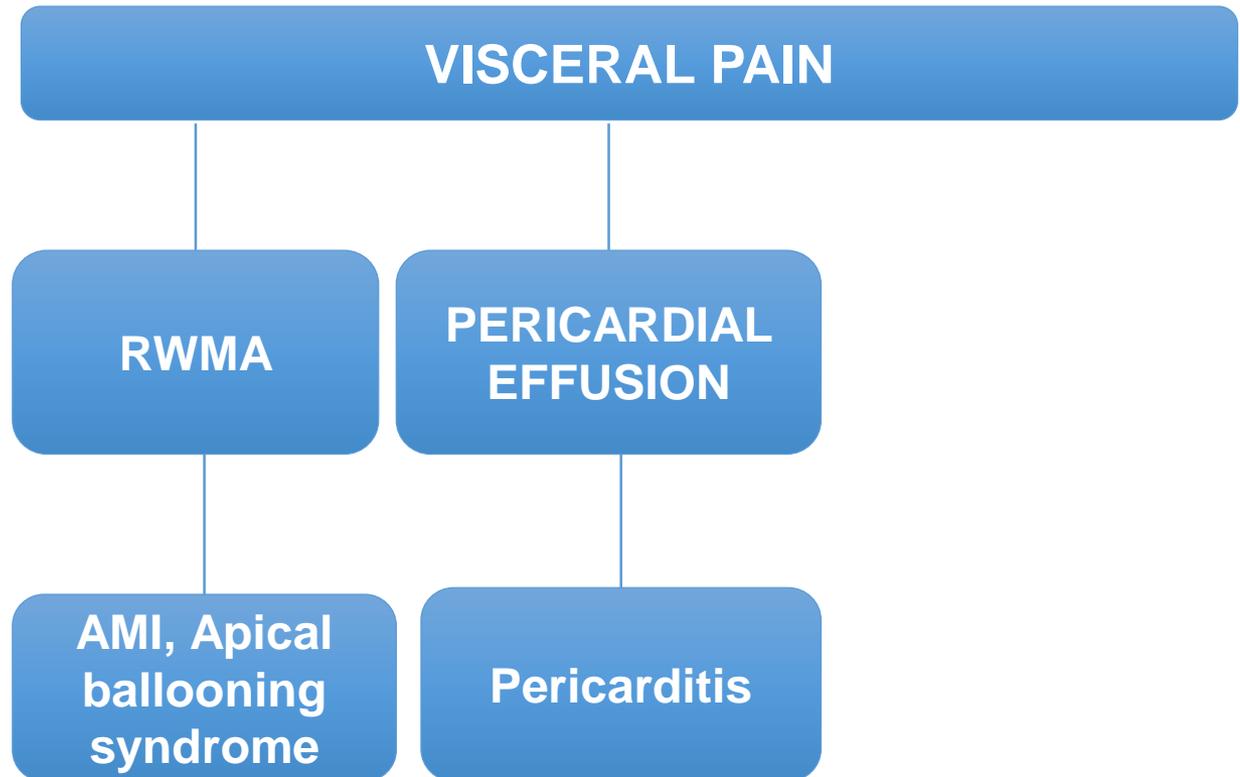
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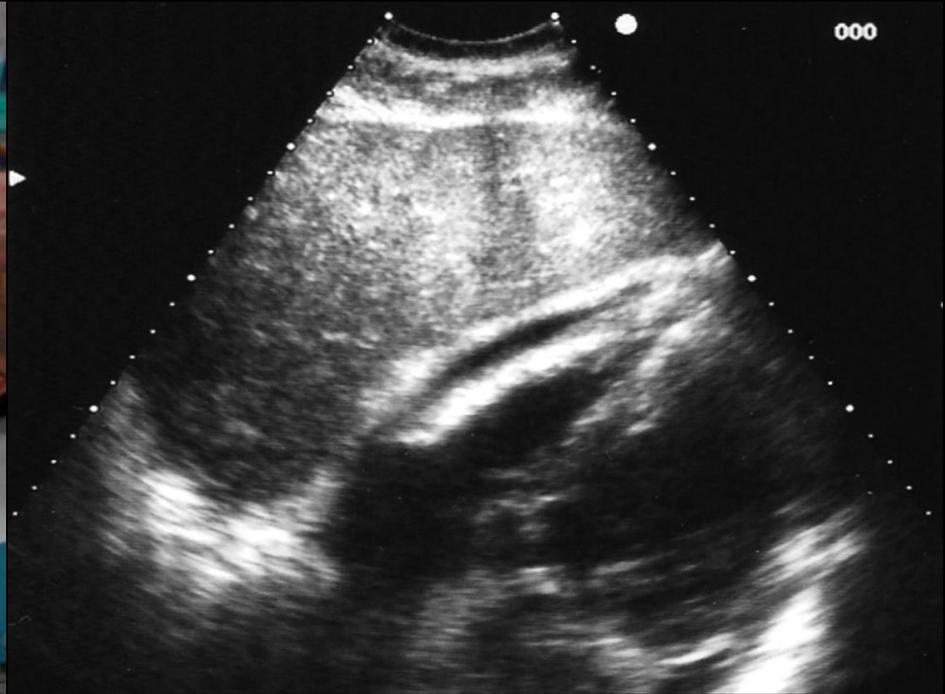


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# PERICARDITIS MYOCARDIOPERICARDITIS

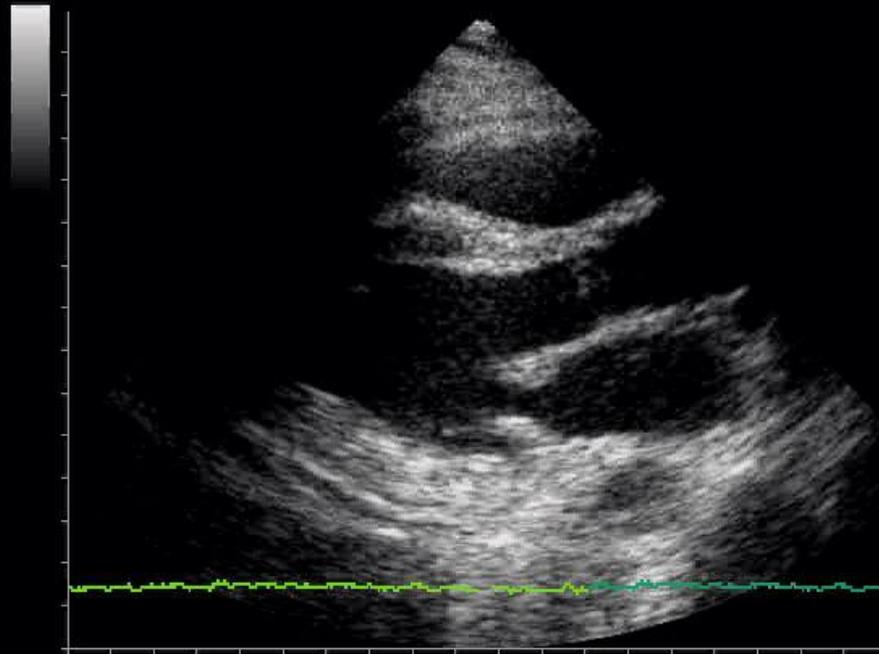


# ESC 2015 Guidelines for the diagnosis and Management of pericardial diseases

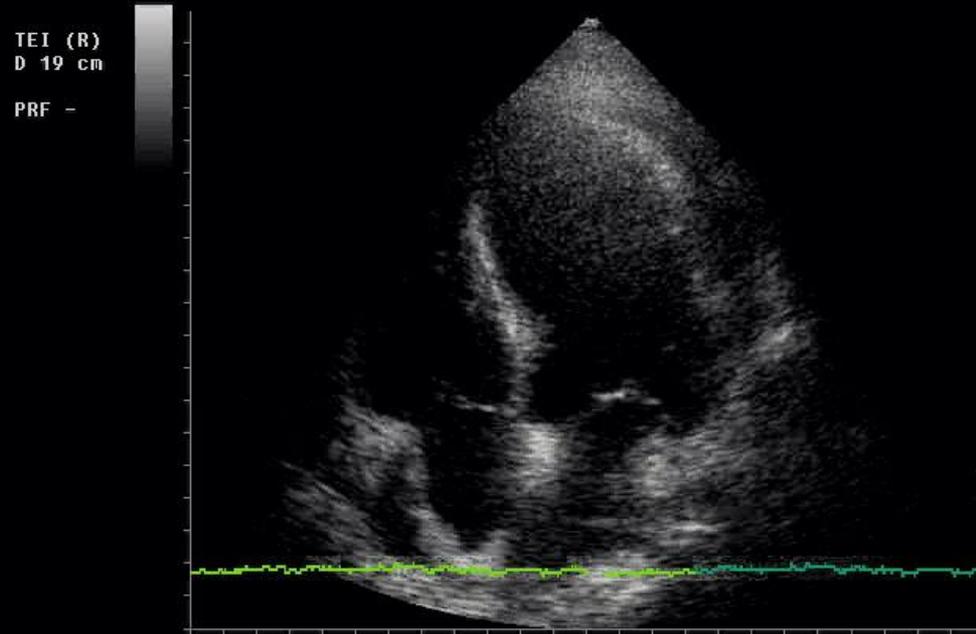
Pericarditis	Definition and diagnostic criteria
<b>Acute</b>	<p>inflammatory pericardial syndrome to be diagnosed with at least 2 of the 4 following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) pericarditic chest pain</li> <li>(2) pericardial rubs</li> <li>(3) new widespread ST-elevation or PR depression on ECG</li> <li>(4) pericardial effusion (new or worsening)</li> </ol> <p>Additional supporting findings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Elevation of markers of inflammation (i.e. C-reactive protein, erythrocyte sedimentation rate, and white blood cell count);</li> <li>- Evidence of pericardial inflammation by an imaging technique (CT, CMR).</li> </ul>
<b>Incessant</b>	Pericarditis lasting for >4–6 weeks but <3 months without remission.
<b>Recurrent</b>	Recurrence of pericarditis after a documented first episode of acute pericarditis and a symptom-free interval of 4–6 weeks or longer <sup>a</sup> .
<b>Chronic</b>	Pericarditis lasting for >3 months.

# PERICARDIAL EFFUSION

TEI (R)  
D 15 cm  
PRF -

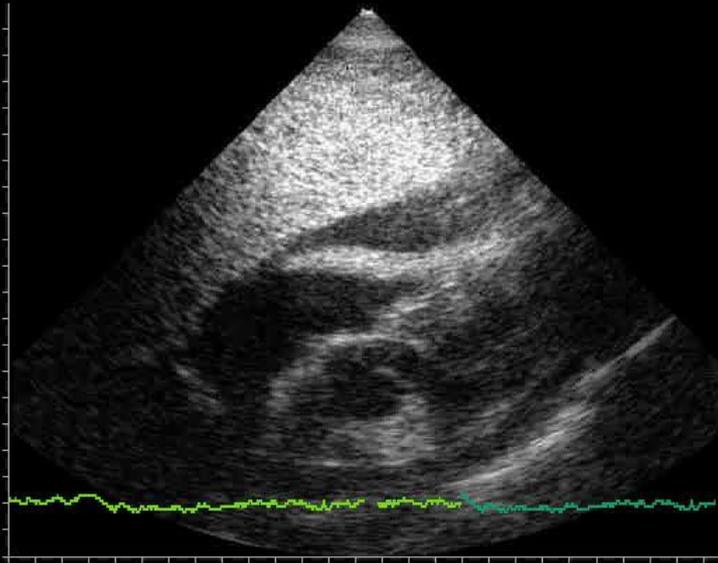


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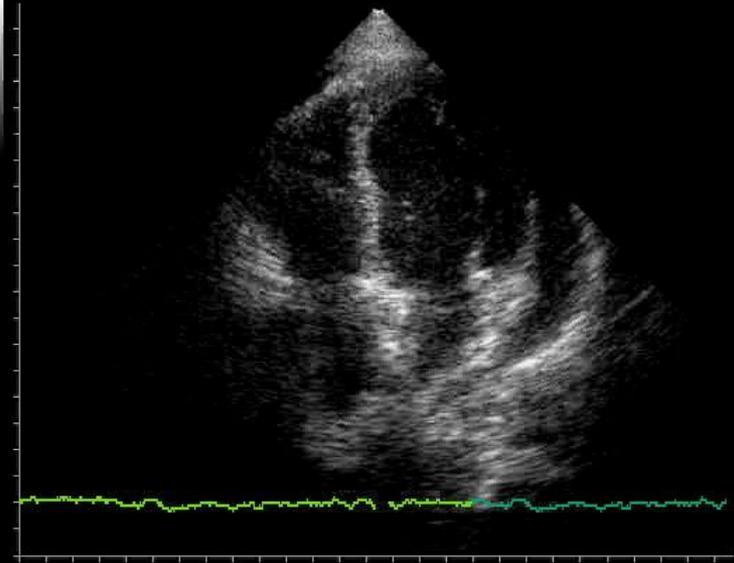


# RA AND VD COLLAPSE

TEI (R)  
D 21 cm  
PRF -



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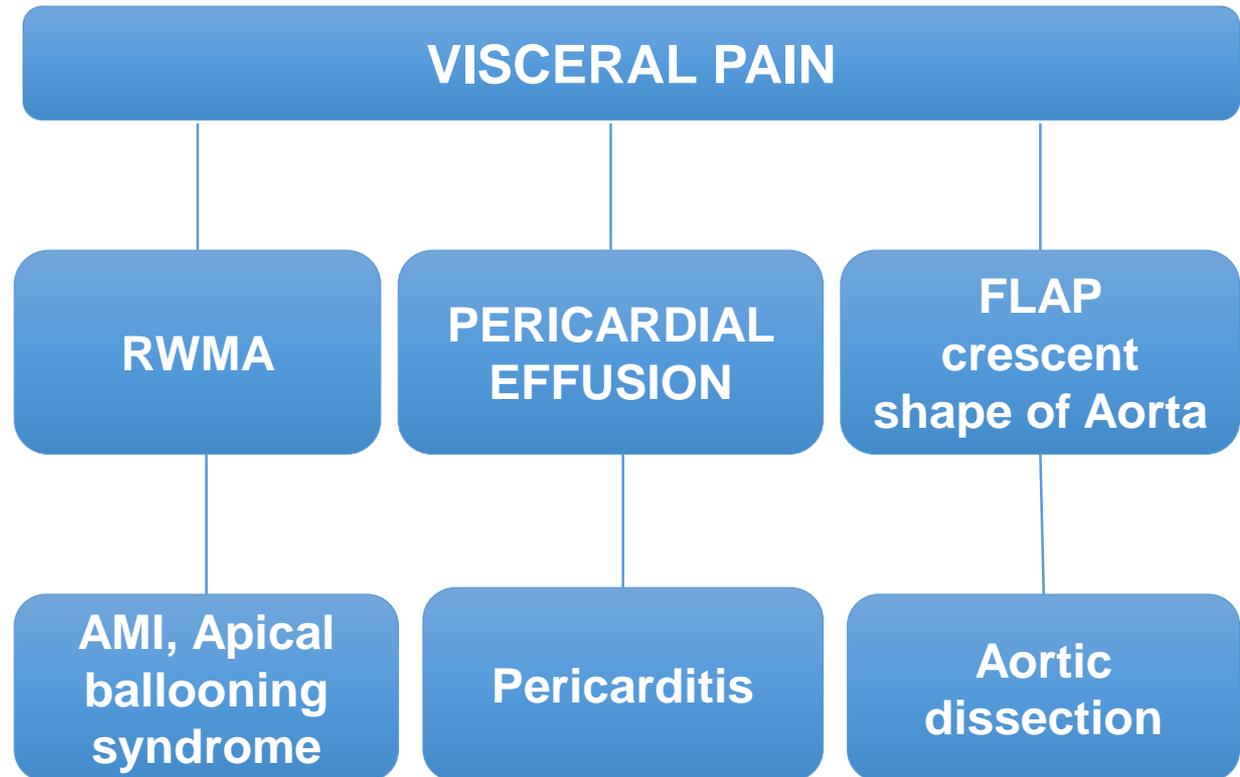
# MESSAGES

**In patients with clear clinical signs of cardiac tamponade, the only detection of pericardial effusion confirm the diagnosis.**

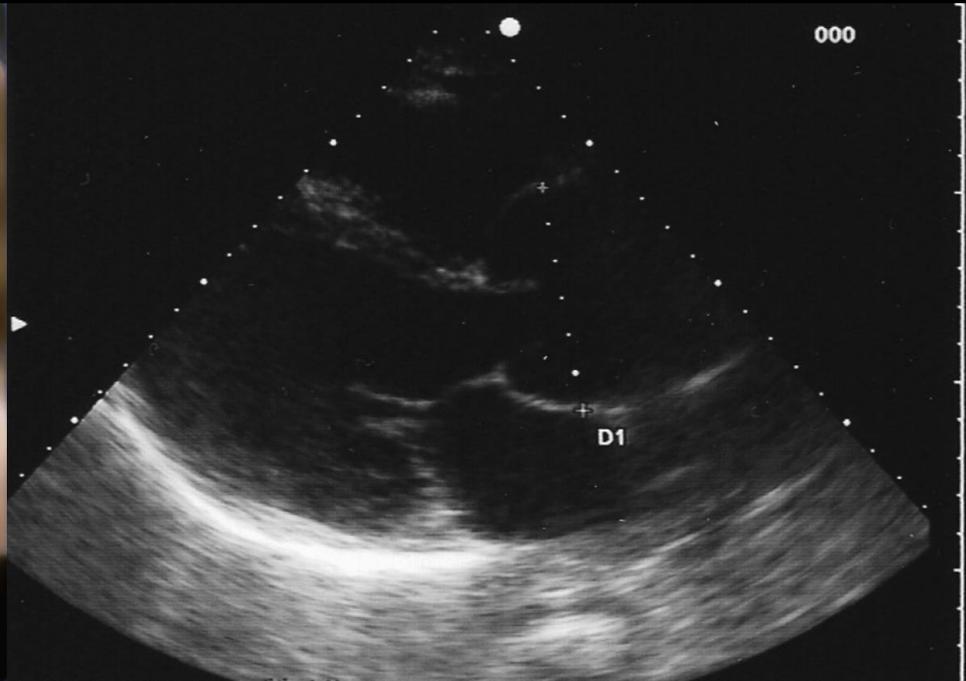
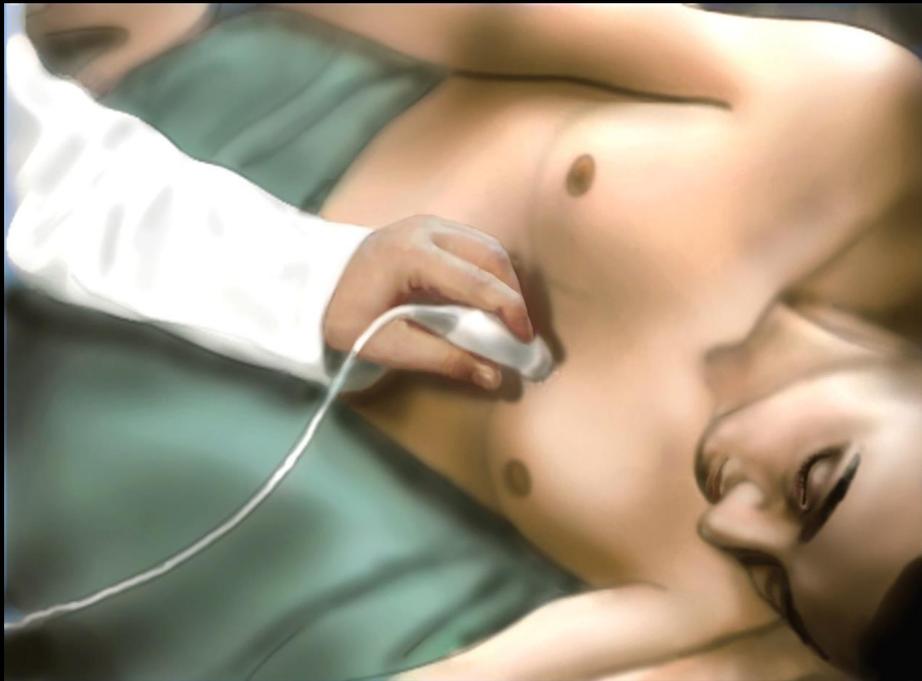
**When clinical picture is not clear, sonographic evaluation should investigate, RA collaps and IVC, in order to reach a correct diagnosis.**

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# ACUTE THORACIC AORTIC SYNDROME



# **INITIAL DIAGNOSTIC STEPS IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM**

**CLINICAL SUSPICION IS REQUIRED FOR QUICK  
RISK STRATIFICATION AND MANAGEMENT**

**DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING TO ESTABLISH A RAPID  
AND CORRECT DIAGNOSIS WHILE AVOID IN  
DIAGNOSTIC OVERKILL**

# **ROLE OF ECHOCARDIOGRAPHY**

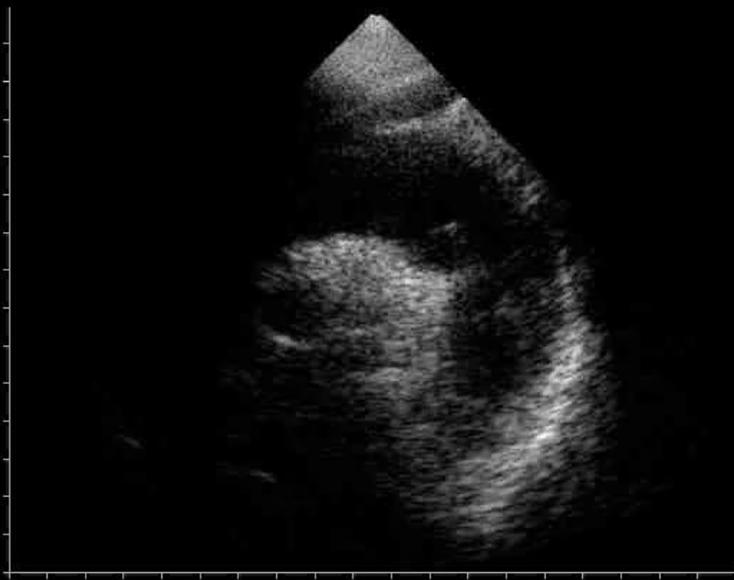
**TTE: sensitivity 77-80%, specificity 93-96% for the involvement of the ascending aorta.**

**TTE detecting a distal dissection of thoracic aorta in 70% of the patients.**

**TOE: sensitivity 99%, specificity 89% and PPV 89%, NPV 99%**

# AORTIC DISSECTION

TEI (R)  
D 15 cm  
PRF -



5.0 MHz  
D 10 cm  
PRF -



# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

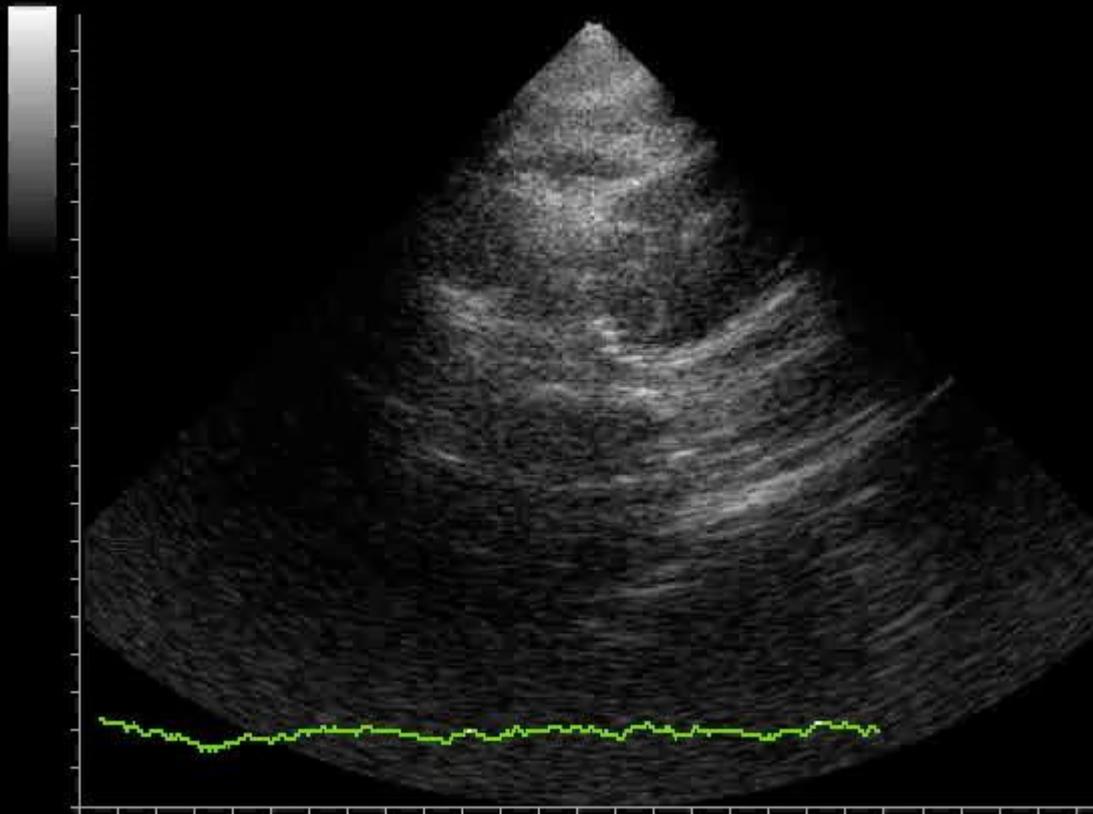
## AORTIC REGURGITATION

“INTIMAL FLAP”

*abdominal aortic*

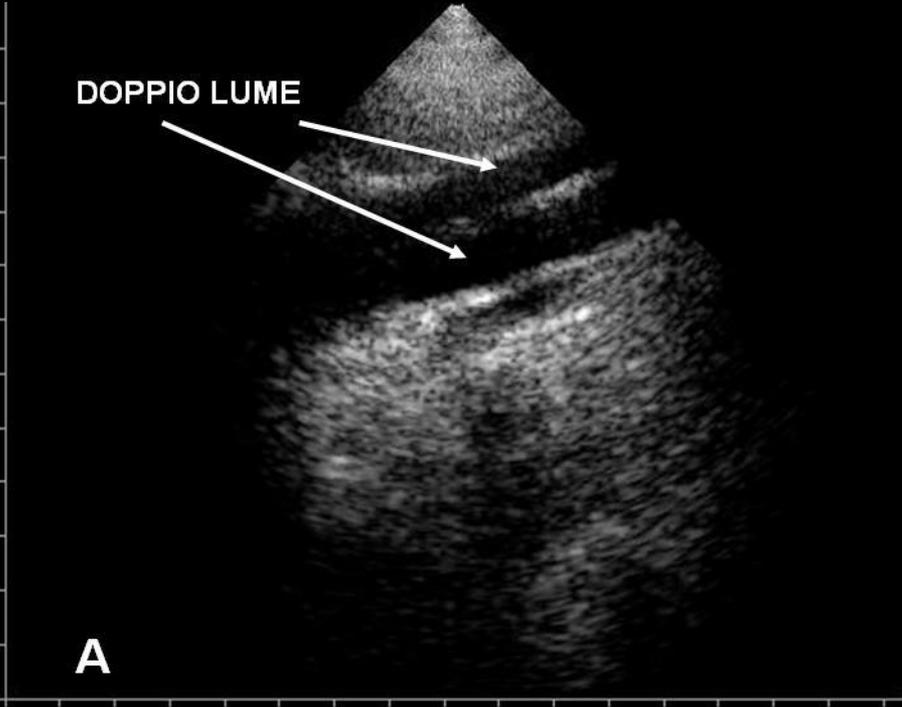
*Supra aortic — arch*

TEI (R)  
D 21 cm  
PRF -



**INTIMAL FLAP WITHIN AORTA**

# INTIMAL FLAP IN ABDOMINAL AORTIC

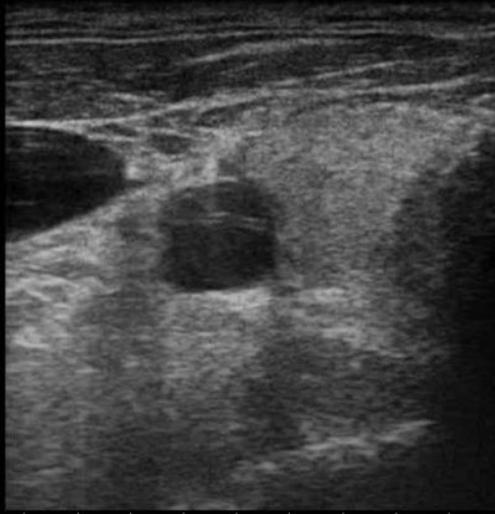


# “INTIMAL FLAP” SUPRA AORTIC — ARCH

B F 7.5 MHz G 73%  
P 5 cm XV 1  
PRC 15-2-B PRS 3  
PST 2

0:00:00.48

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B F 10 MHz G 73%  
P 4 cm XV C  
PRC 9-3-B PRS 4  
PST 2

0:00:00.25

NOSO LA523



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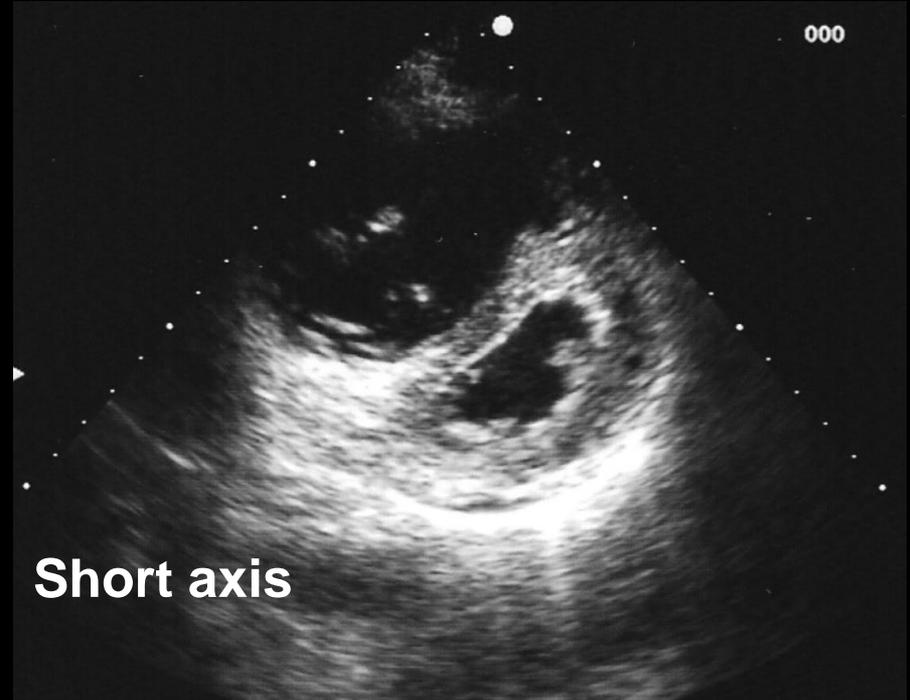
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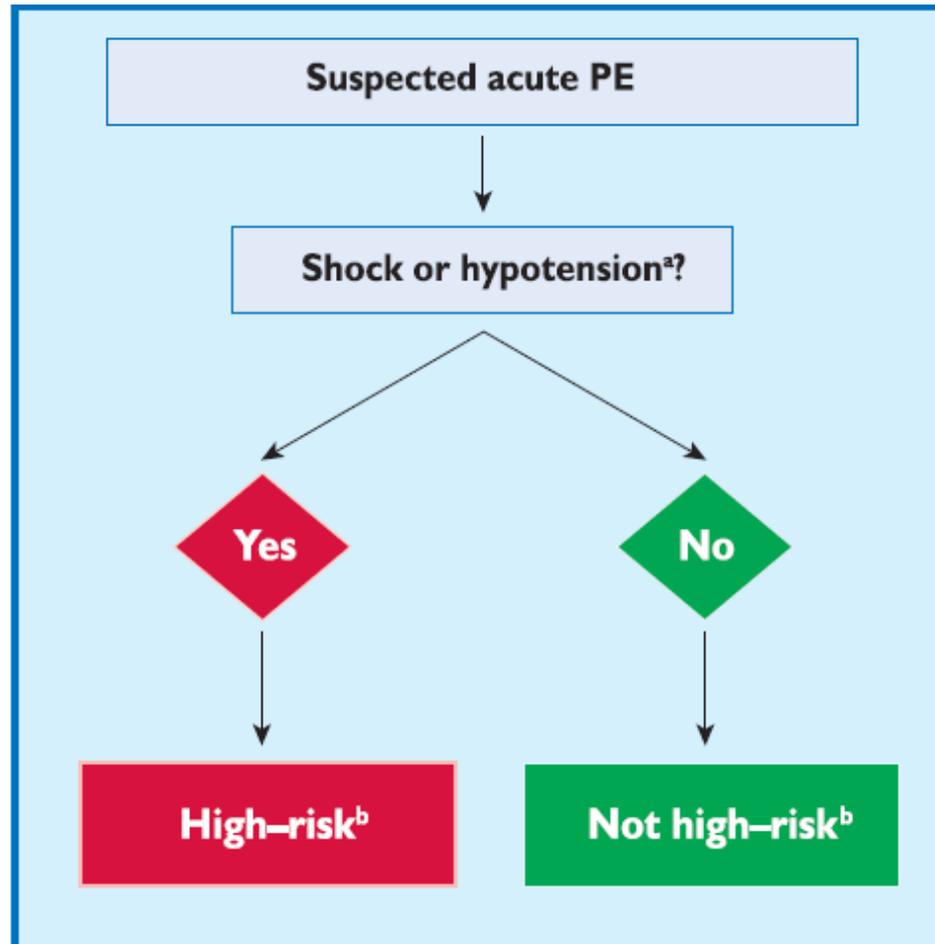
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# PULMONARY EMBOLISM



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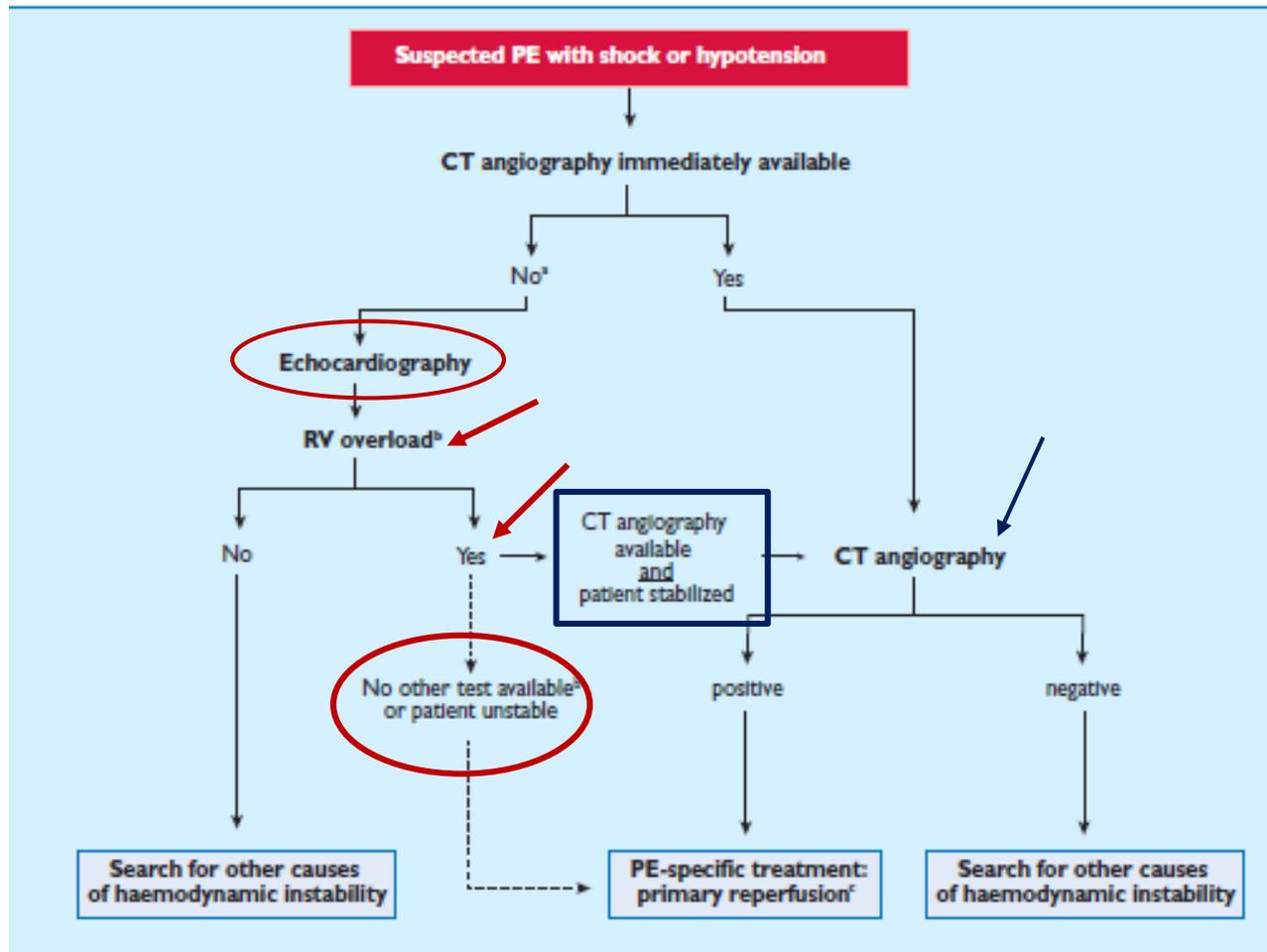


**PATIENTS UNSTABLE**

**THEY REPRESENTED THE 10%**

***Eur Heart J 2014***

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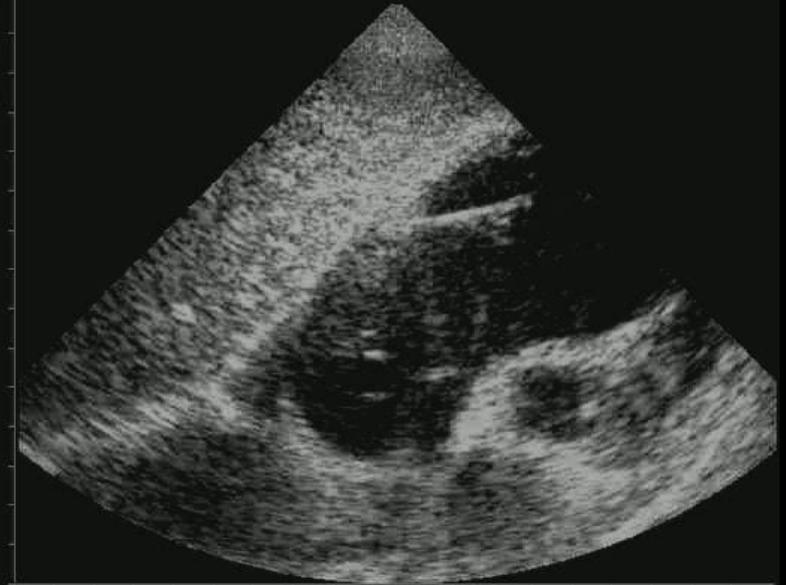


TEI P 19 cm XV 12 cm  
PRC 10-3-A PRS M  
PST 3

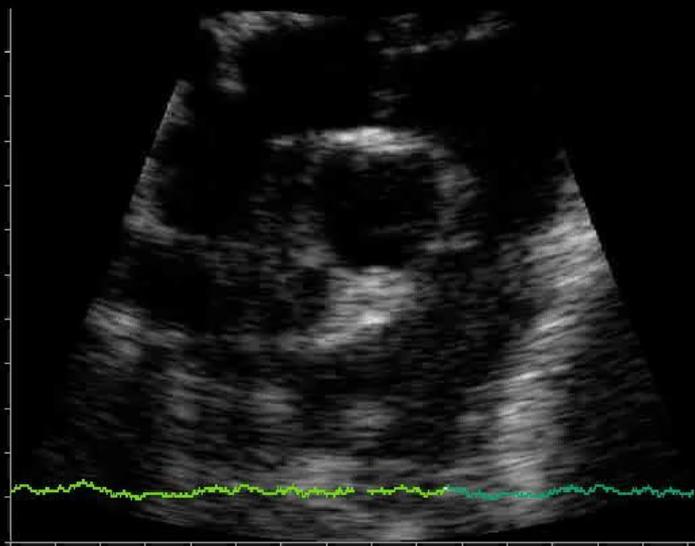
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PRF -

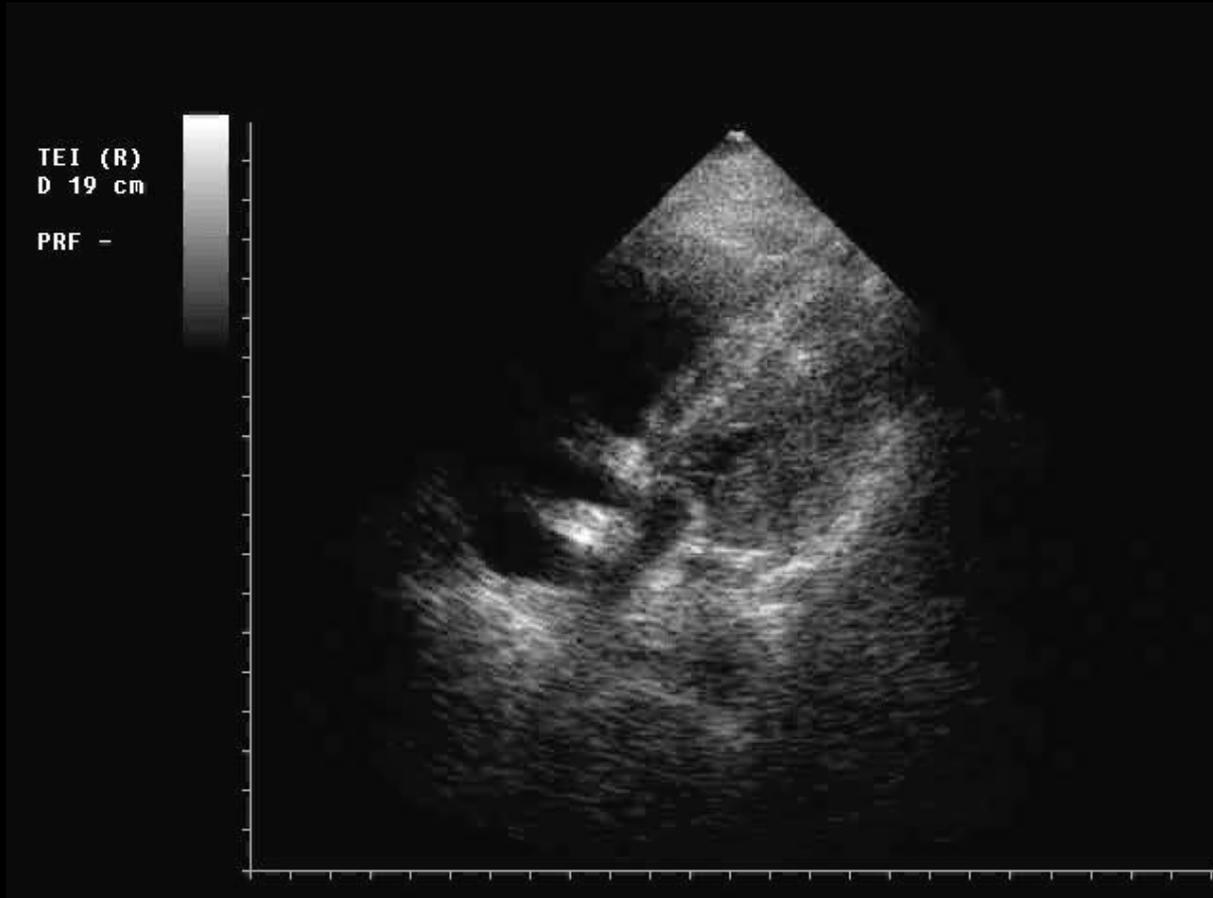


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PRF -



**PREVALENCE 3-23%**

**MORTALITY 21-45%**

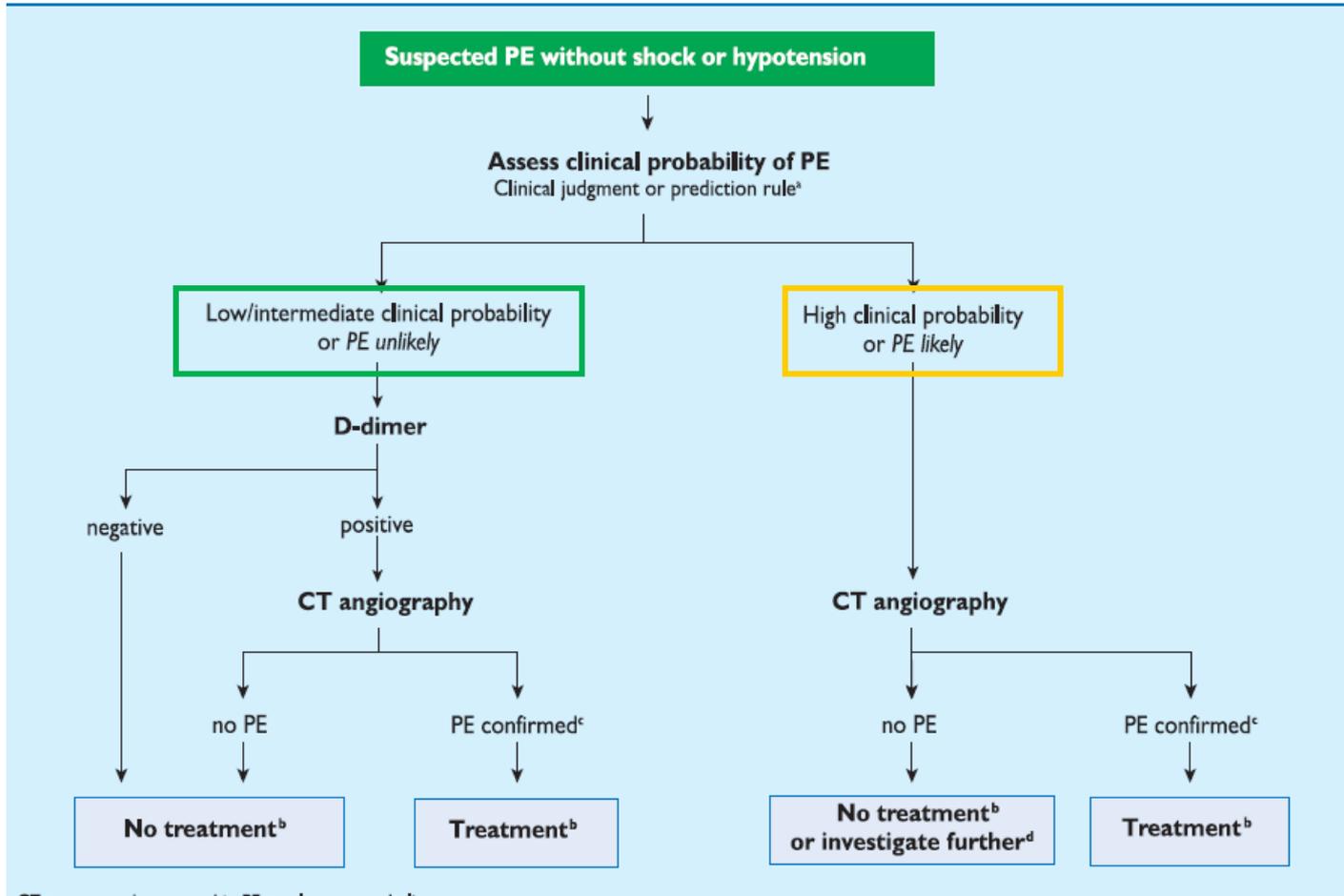


**McCONNEL SIGN (SENS.41-77%-SPEC.94% IN ACUTE PE)**



**ICV**

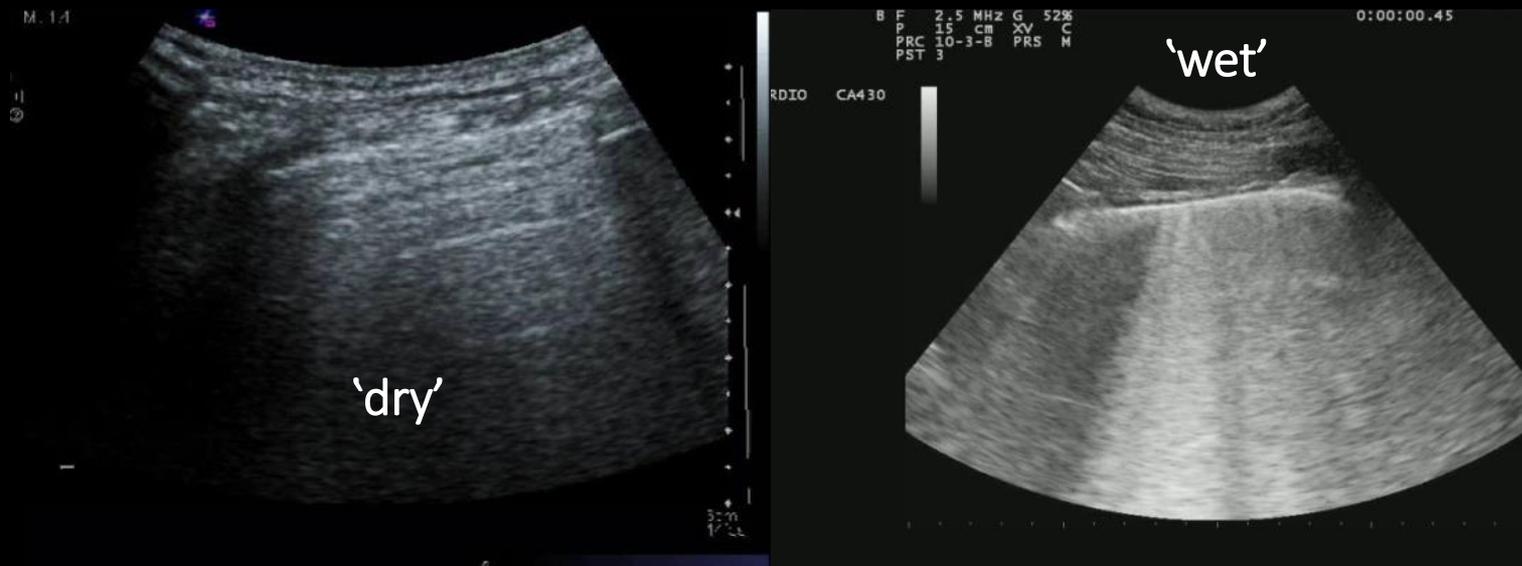
# ESC 2014 GUIDELINES



# "CUS" FOR DETECTING DVT



# LUNG US AND PE



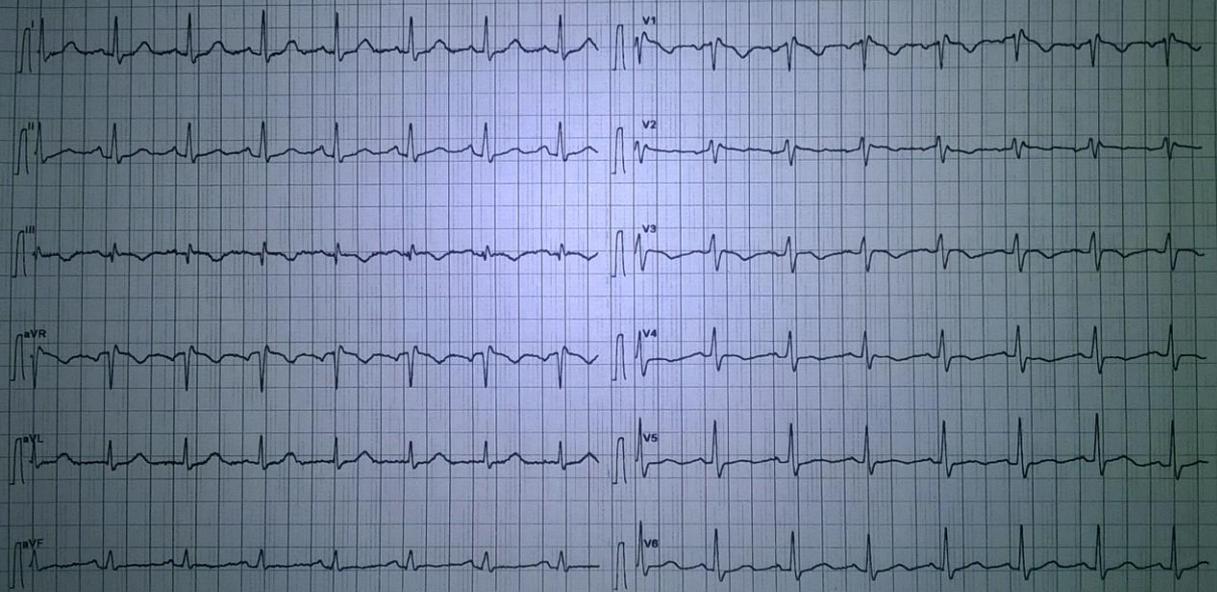
The “dry lung” (A-lines pattern) and RV overload or dysfunction support PE suspicion

Sesso: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Altezza: cm  
 Peso: Kg  
 Raza: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PA: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nota: \_\_\_\_\_

QRS	100 ms	S (V1)	-0.70 mV
QT	370 ms	R (V5)	1.11 mV
QTc	426 ms	Sokol.	1.81 mV

(Friedman)

me  
443



10 mm/mV 25 mm/s

10 mm/mV 25 mm/s

16-25 Hz F50 488

14-11-2018 08:03:50

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McCardell 3L V3x10 M

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TEI P 19 cm XV C  
PRC 7-1-B PRS M  
PST 1

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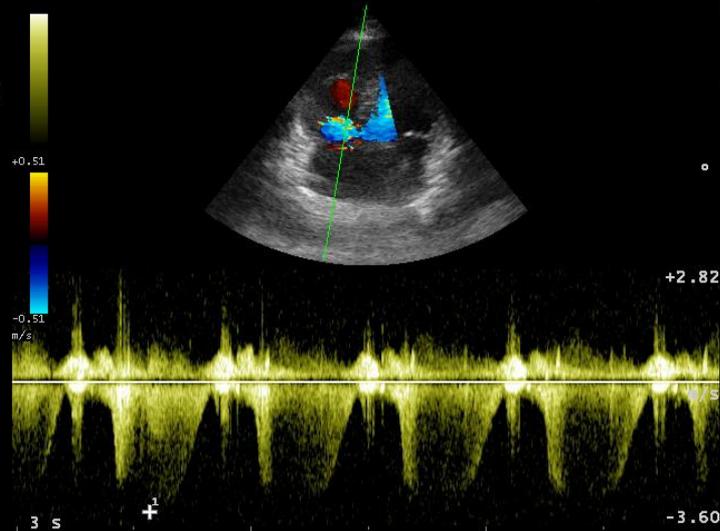
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TEI P 19 cm XV C  
PRC 7-1-A PRS 2  
PST 1

PRF 2.0 m/s 3.700 cm  
PRC 3.3KHZ  
FP M PRS 3

PRF 2.0 m/s 3.700 cm  
PRC 6-1  
PST 2  
FP 300 Hz

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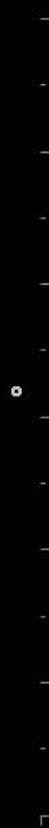
-3.26 m/s  
42.6 mmHg



D 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0  
P 6 CM XV C  
PRC 9-3-B PRS 4  
PST 1

0.00.00.20

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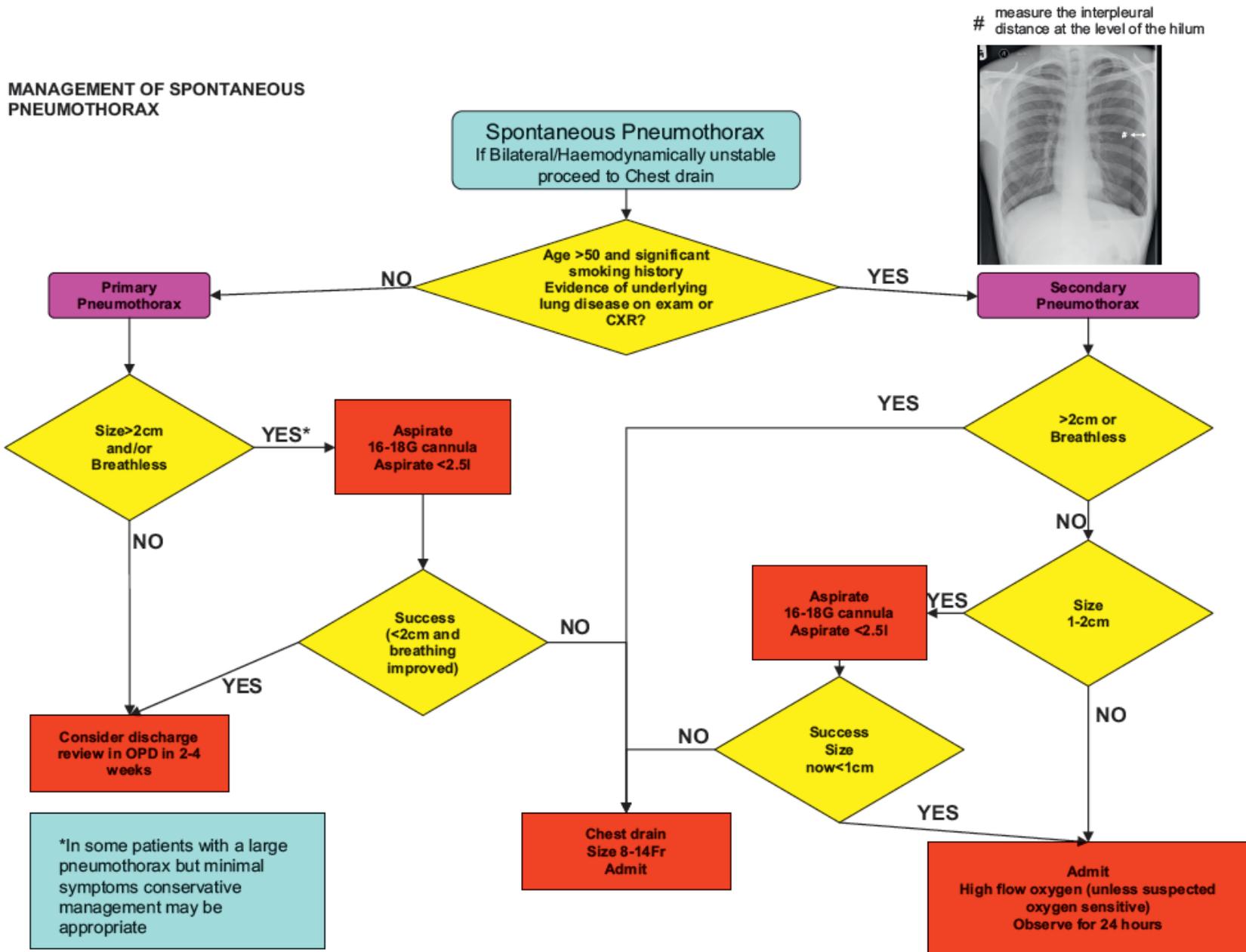
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# PNEUMOTHORAX

SEGNI	SENSIBILITA'	SPECIFICITA'
ASSENZA DI "LUNG SLIDING"	95%	91-100%
ASSENZA DI B LINES	100%	VERY LOW
"LUNG POINT"	66%	100%

**MANAGEMENT OF SPONTANEOUS PNEUMOTHORAX**



# CONCLUSIONS

“Multiorgan US” is a powerful adjunct to standard clinical assessment. It provides critical and timely information in the evaluation of patient presenting with acute dyspnea, chest pain or shock.

When and where to do it?: at bedside

It becamed an indispensable part of acute care physician's «armamentarium,» in the battle four our patients' lives