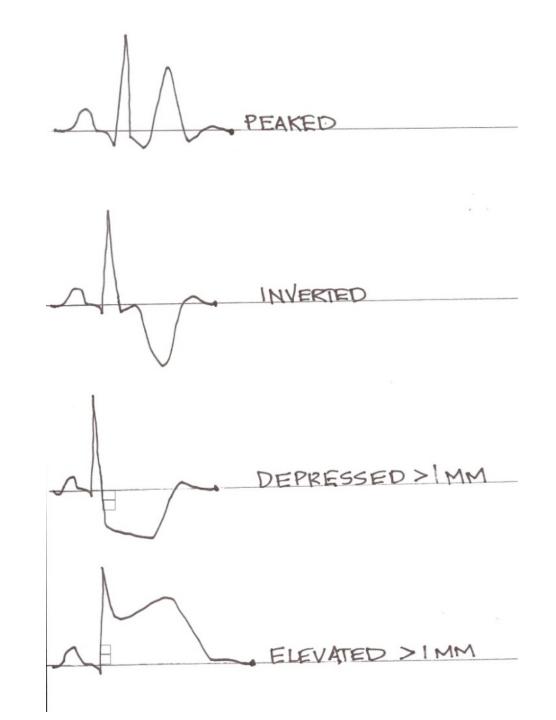


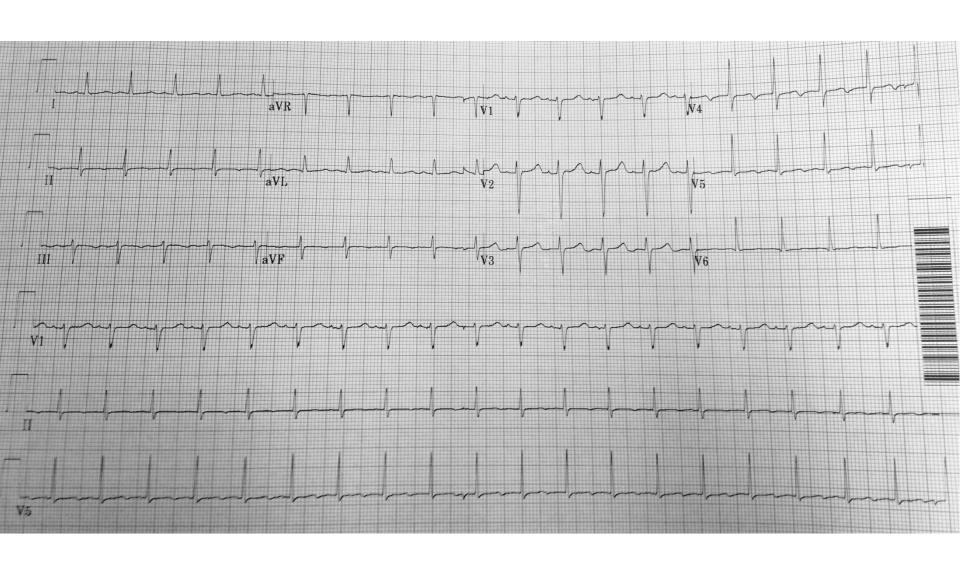
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Approach to 12 Leads

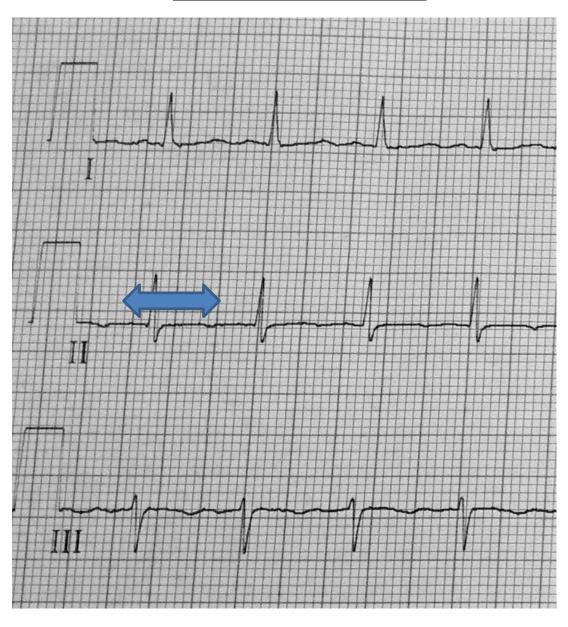
- Rate (fast, slow, ok)
- Rhythm (sinus, ventricular)
- Injury (look at ST segment, Q waves)



Non Specific ECG changes



Non Specific ECG changes



Know the playing field!

- Contiguous leads
- Anatomic groups

Anterior: Leads V1-V4

• Lateral: Leads I, aVL and V5-V6

• Inferior: Leads II, III, aVF

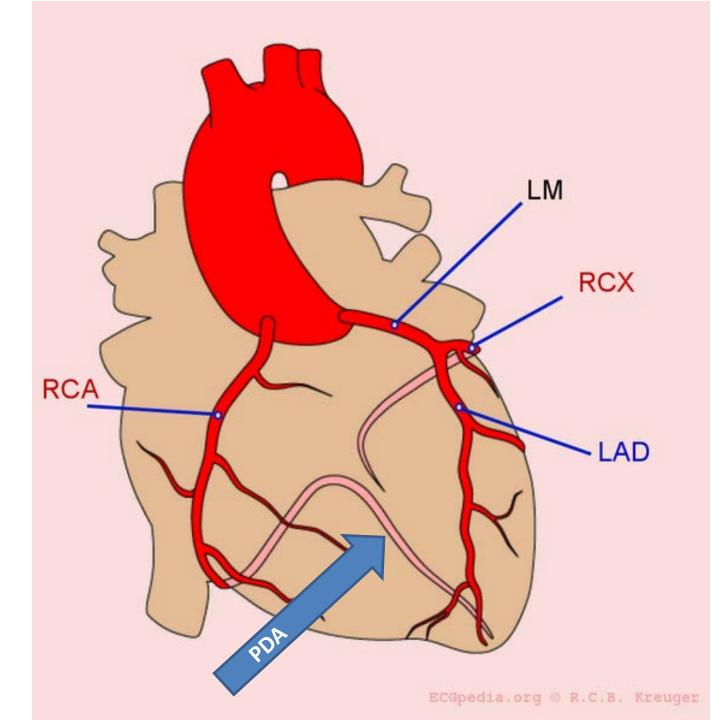
Posterior: Leads V1-V3

Inferior wall: RIGHT CORONARY

Anterior wall: LEFT CORONARY

Posterior wall:RIGHT CORONARY

Anterior/lateral wall: CIRCUMFLEX









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UNIVERSAL STEMI DEFINITION

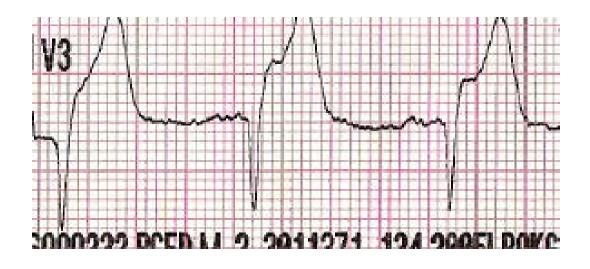
- Greater than 1 mm STE in 2 contiguous limb leads
- Greater than 2 mm of STE in V2-V3 for men
- Greater than 1.5 mm of STE in V2-v3 for women

HIGH RISK PRESENTATIONS

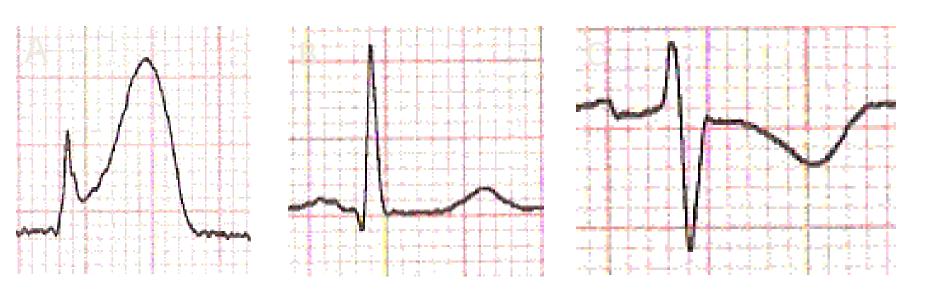
- STE in aVR with multi-lead ST depression
- STD in V2-V3 with tall R waves (posterior wall MI)

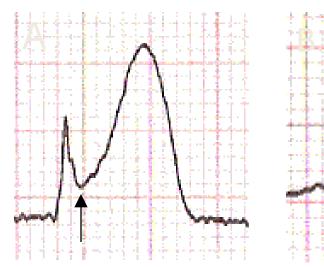
STEMI Guidelines 2013

- •ST elevation measured at J point
- Posterior wall MI
- Multilevel ST depression with STE in aVR
- •STE > 1 mm in contiguous limb leads
- •STE > 2 mm in precordial leads
- •Removal of LBBB



J Point: Where STEMI Begins

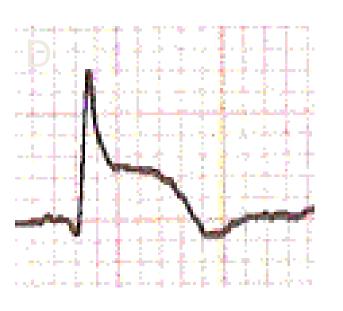


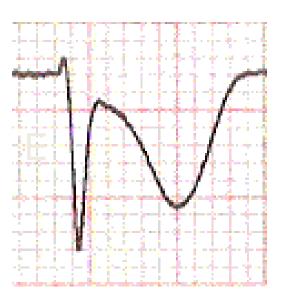


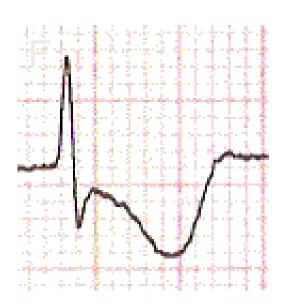


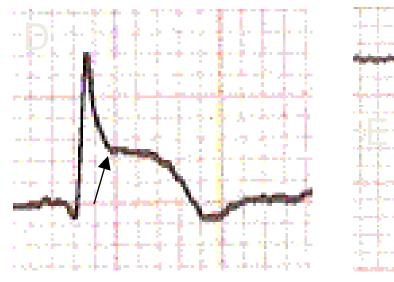


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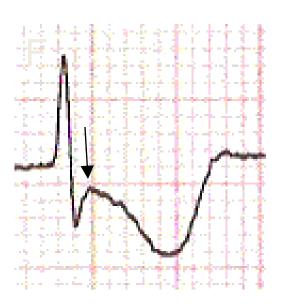




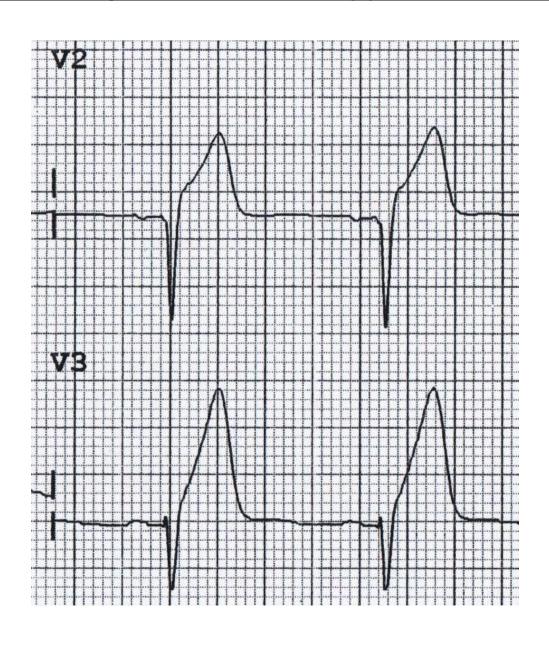






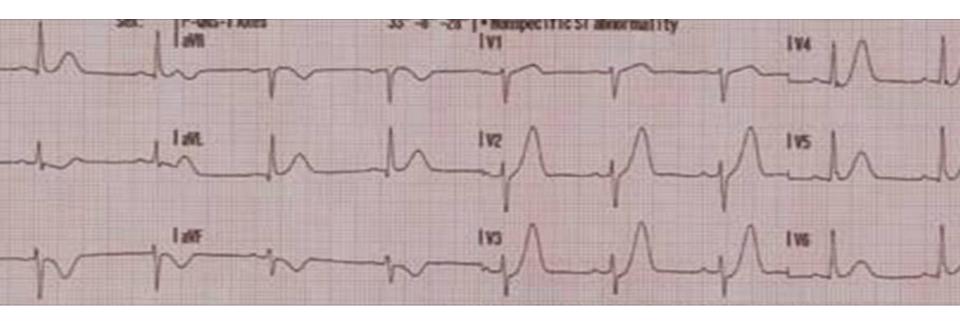


ST Segment Ugliness: The Hyperacute T Wave

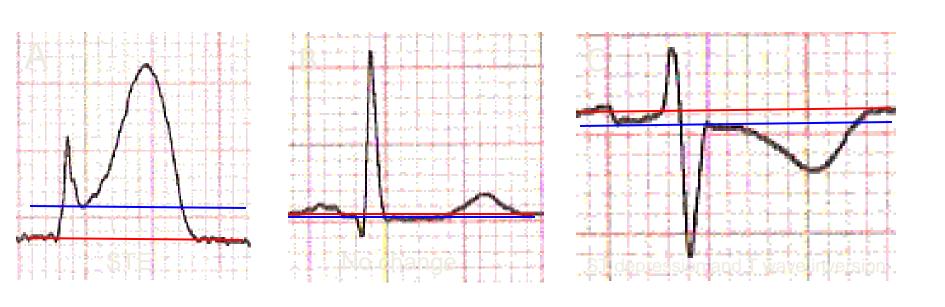


ST Segment Ugliness: The Hyperacute T Wave

- Broad based and symmetric
- Large T waves
- Found in anatomic distribution



ST Segment Analysis

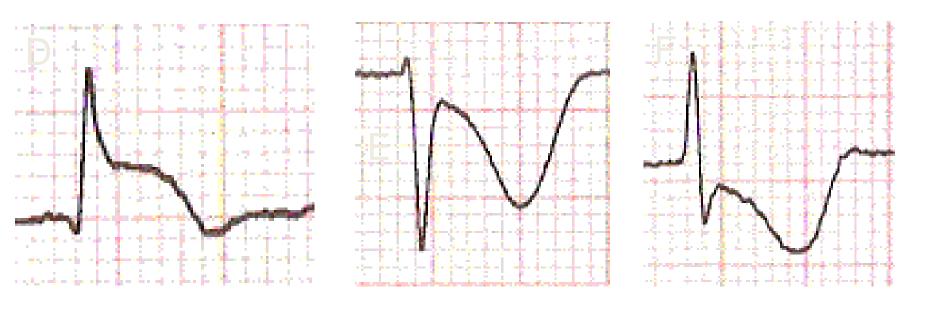


Red is isoelectric, Blue is J point

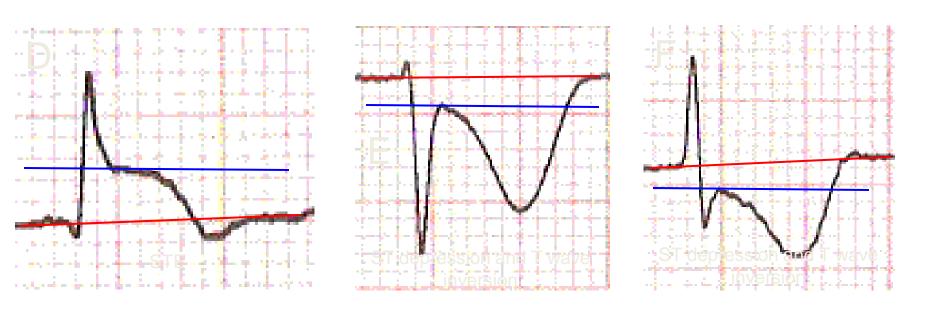
ST Segment Analysis

Determine if the tracing reveals STE, no change, ST depression and/or T wave inversion Look for pattern of concordance, if QRS is upright, T-Wave should be upright.

If QRS is upright, and T-Wave is inverted, you have discordance.



ST Segment Analysis

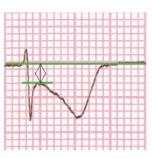


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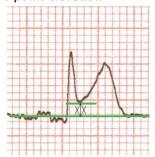
belong preventing evolution of the event to myocardia infarction.

The "J" Point

J point depression



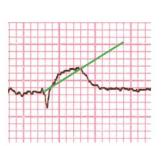
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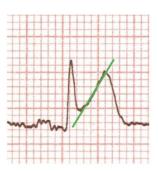


ST Segment

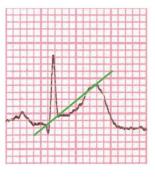
Morphology

Convex – a convex ST segment favors ischemia. Test for this by drawing a line from the J point to the peak of the T wave. If the line superimposes or if the T wave is above the line, the segment is convex.





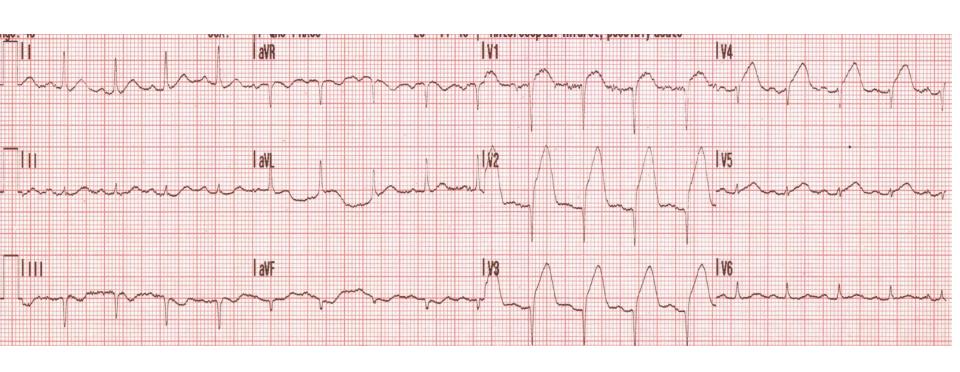
Concave – a concave ST segment favors benign conditions, but beware, ischemia can *also* manifest with this pattern, as seen in this STEMI.



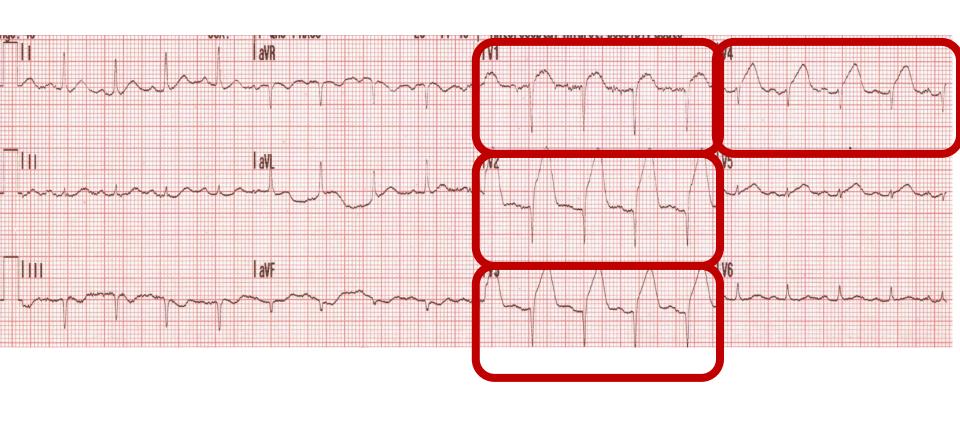
12 Lead ECG Interpretation and Localization

	ST Elevation	Reciprocal	Anatomy
Anterior	V2-V4 I, aVL	II, III, aVF	LMCA LAD
Inferior	II, III, aVF	I, aVL V2-V4	RCA
Lateral	I, aVL V5-V6	II, III, aVF	LAD LCx
Posterior	V7-V9 or V1-V3	N/A	RCA

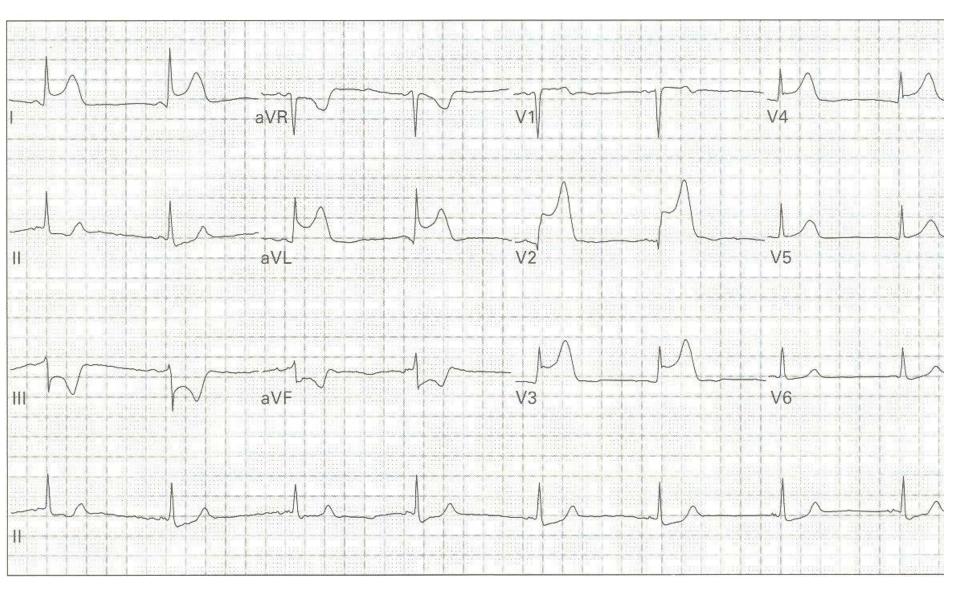
12 Lead ECGs



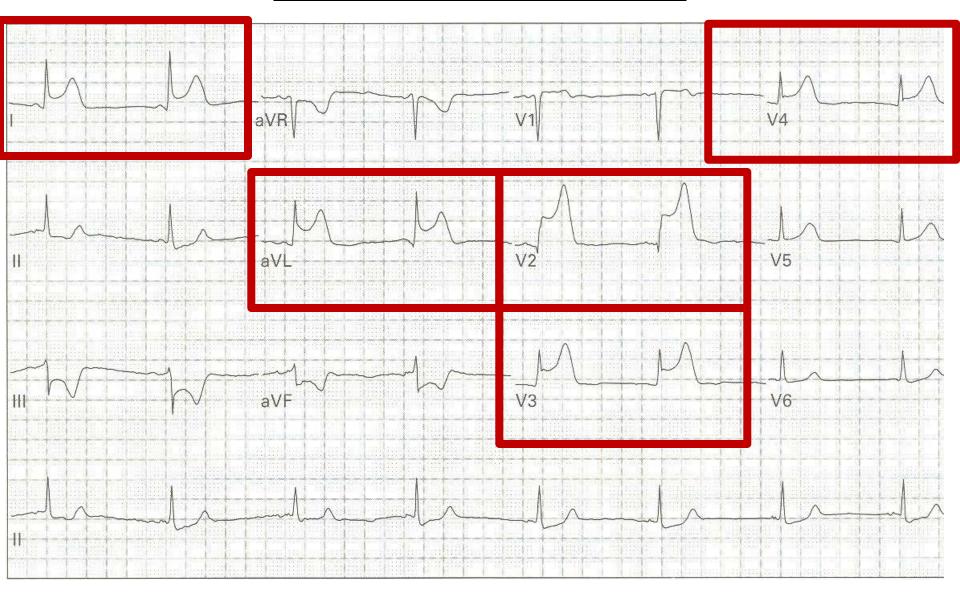
Anterior Wall STEMI



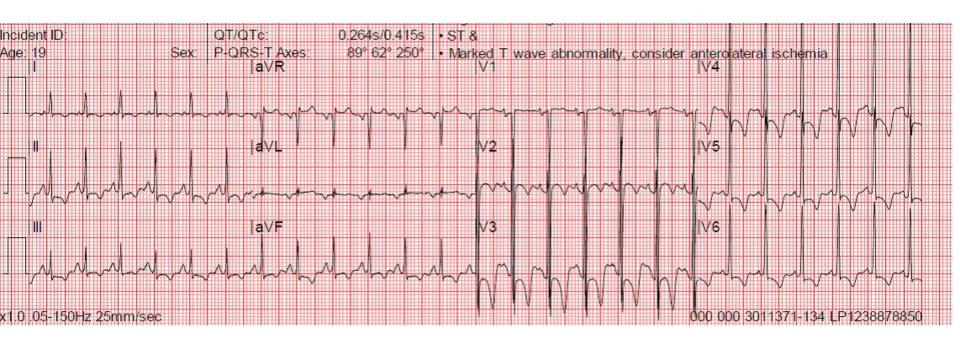
65 yo male, + CP



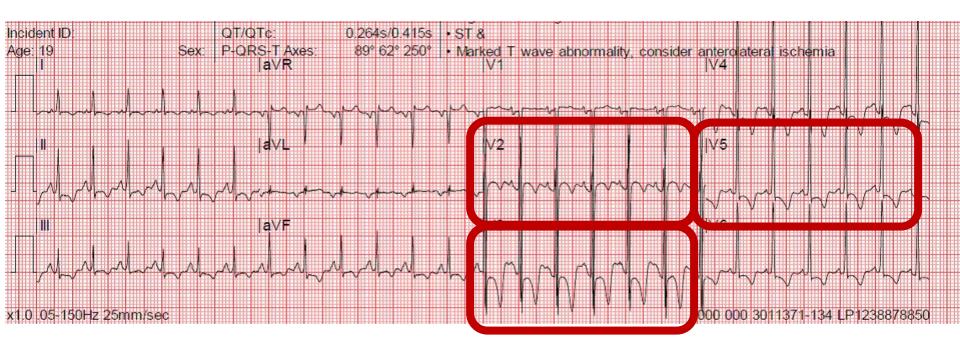
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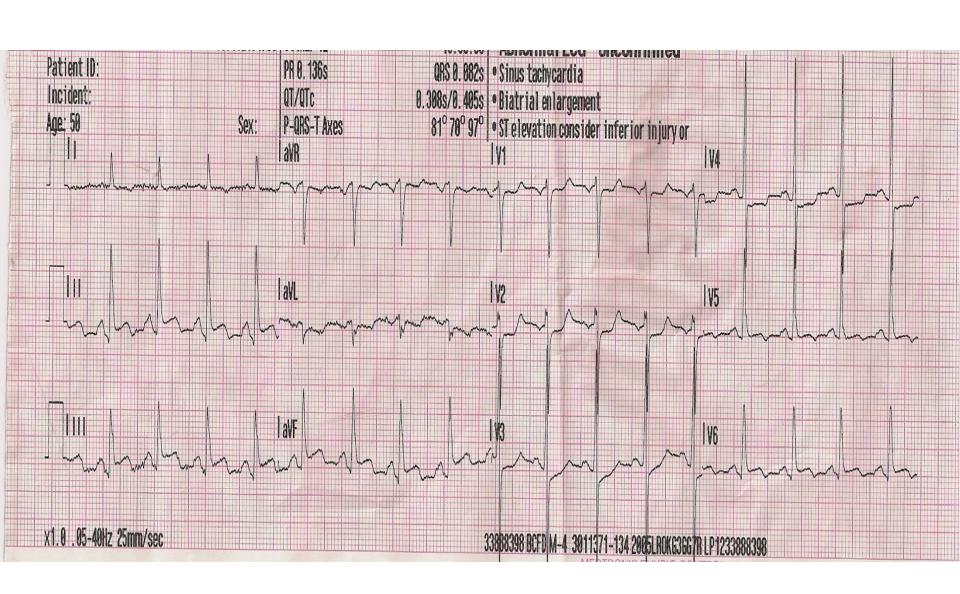


35 yo male, chest fluttering

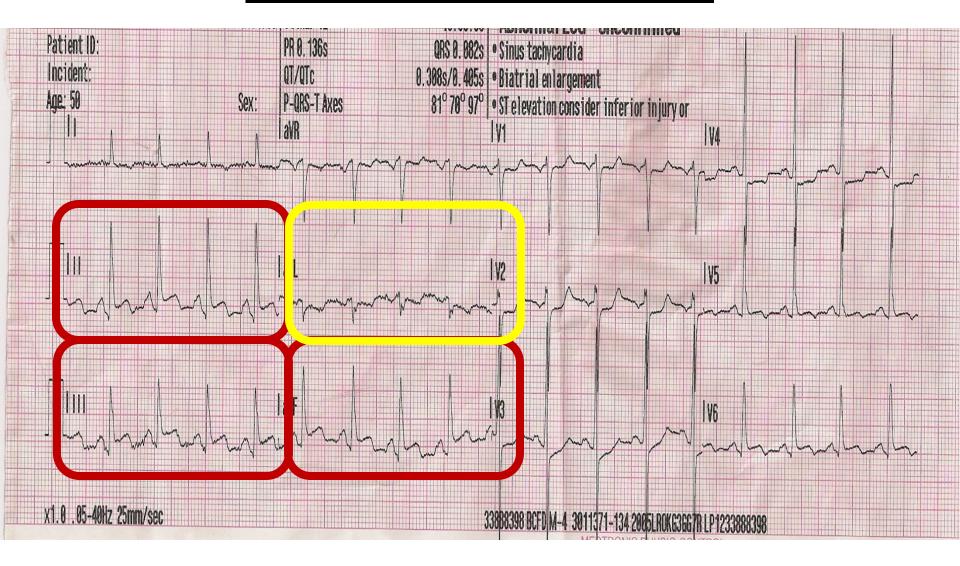


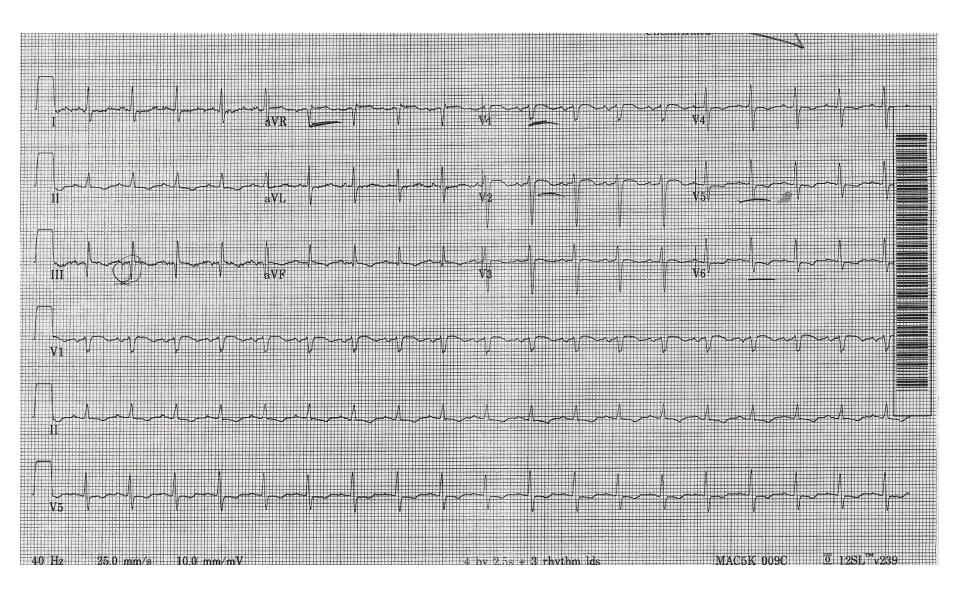
Sinus Tachycardia and T Wave Inversions



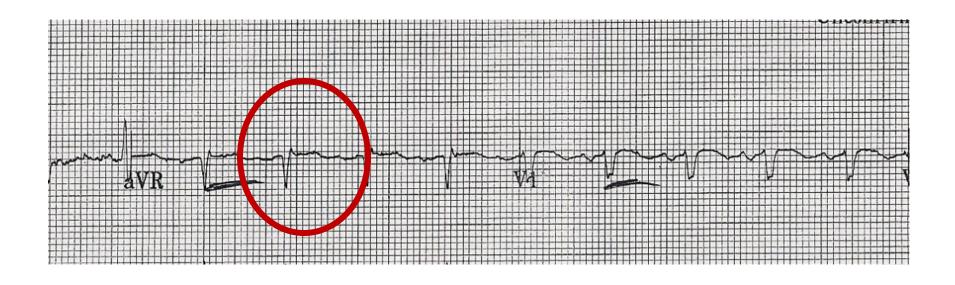


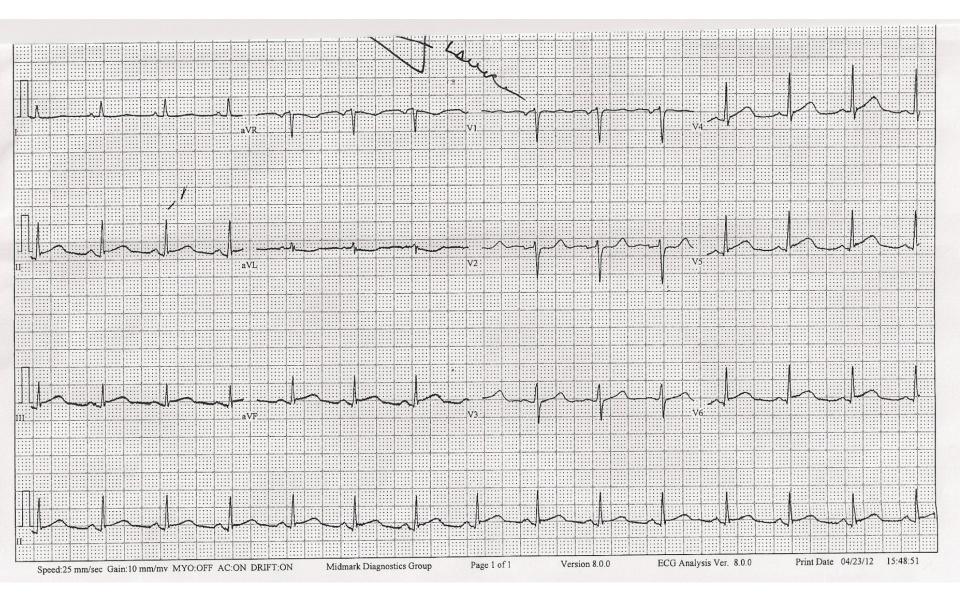
Inferior Wall STEMI



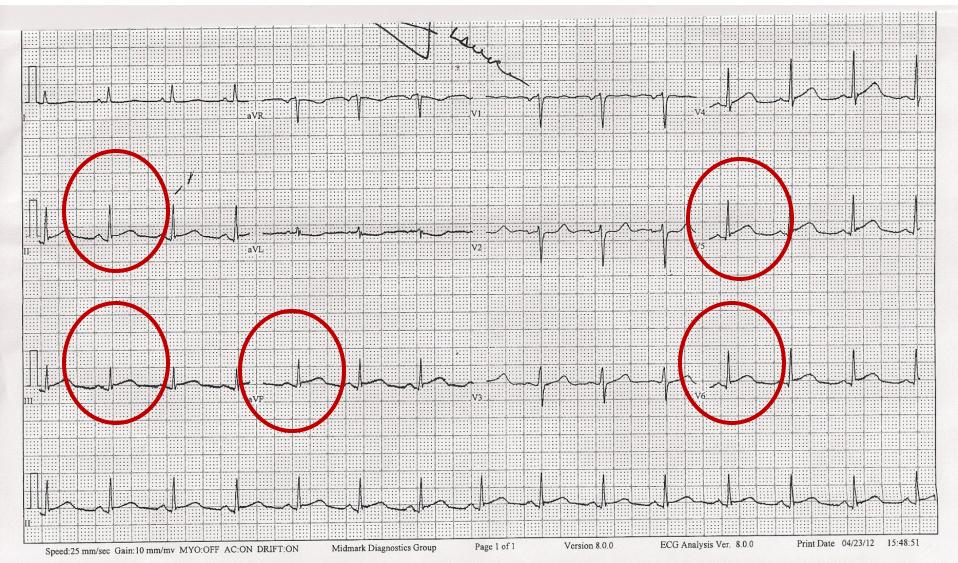


Focus on Leads aVR and V1

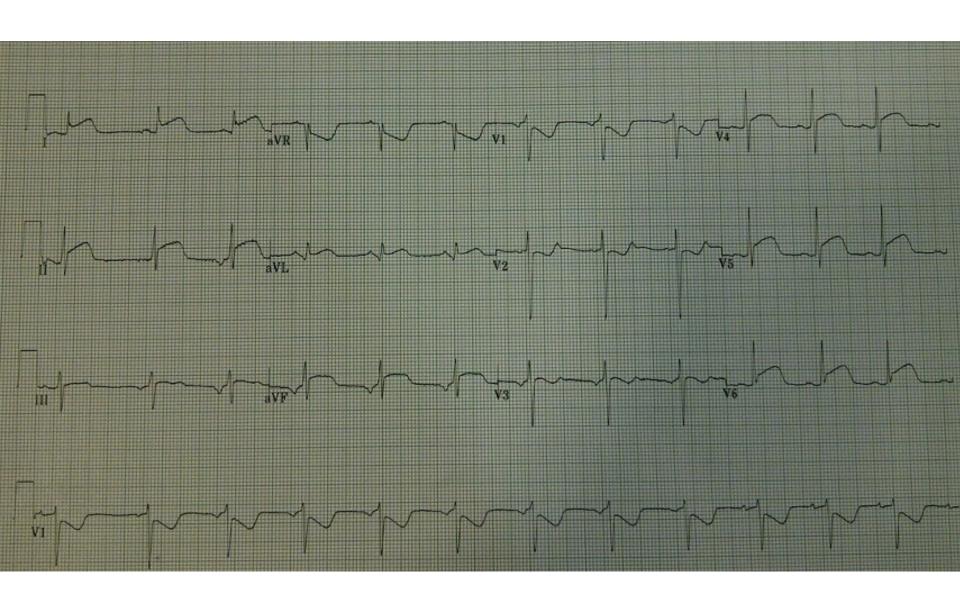




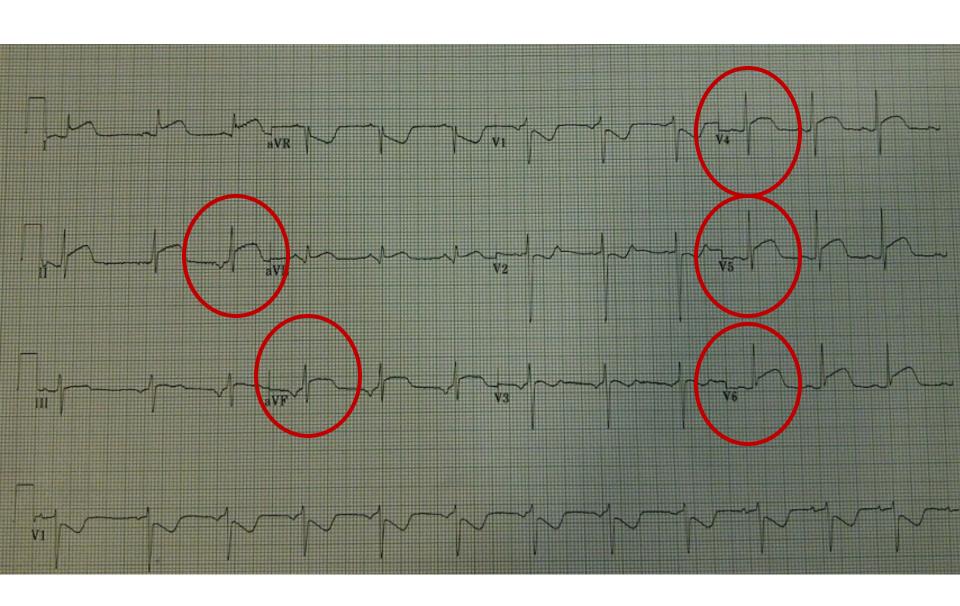
Sinus Rhythm, Inferio-lateral STEMI

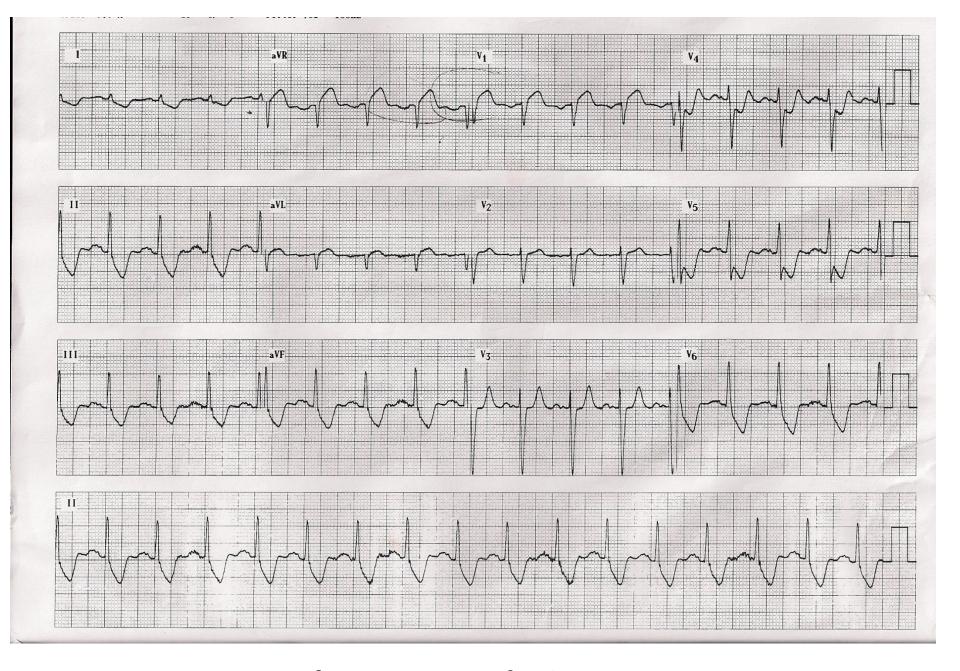


26 yo female, chest pain following IV EPI

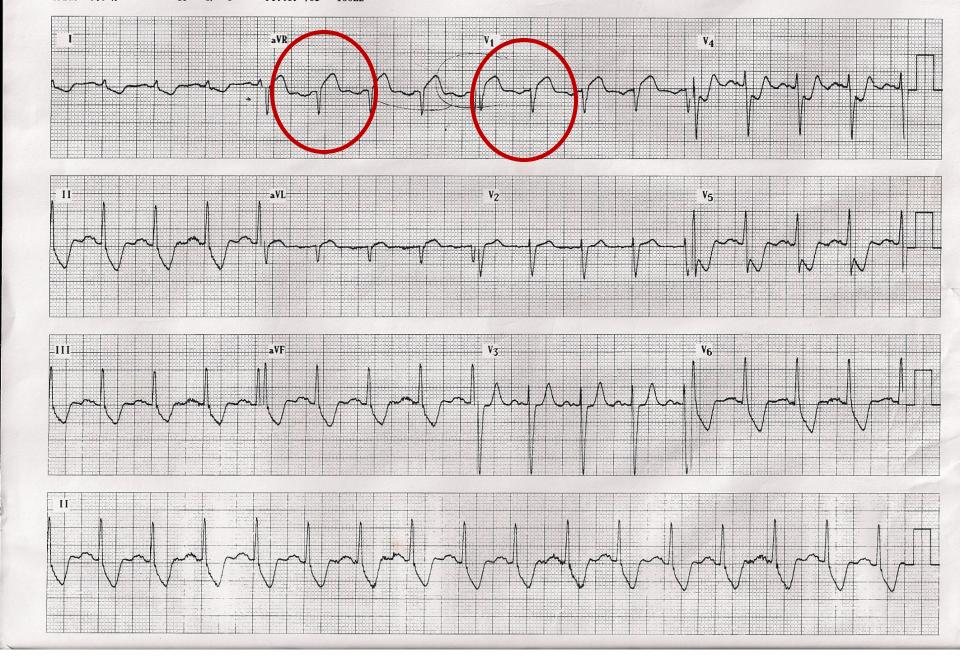


Diffuse ST segment elevation in all anatomic areas

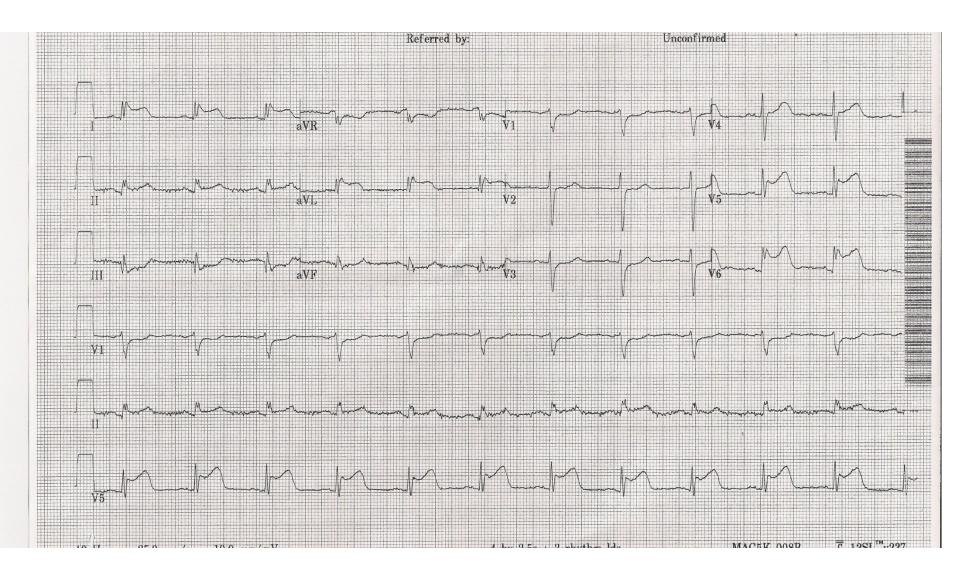




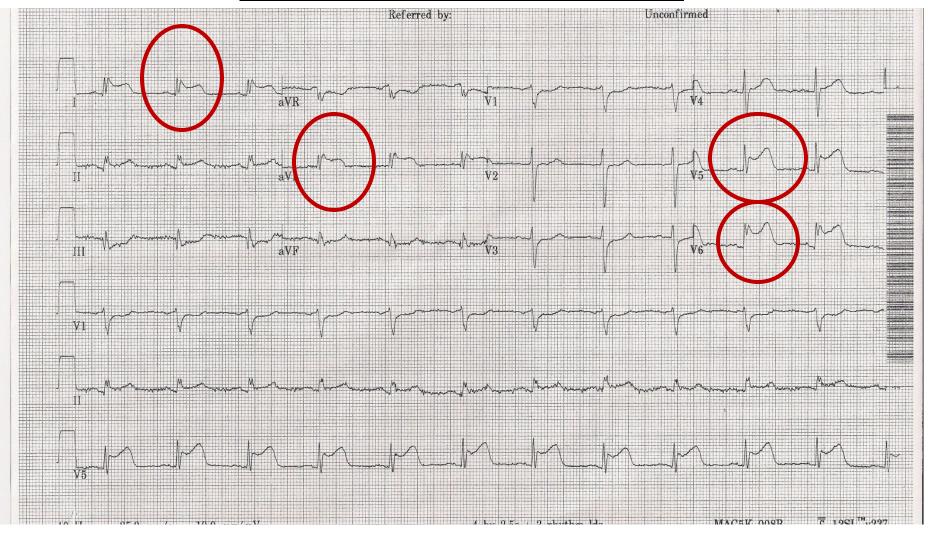
70 yo male, syncope during a stress test



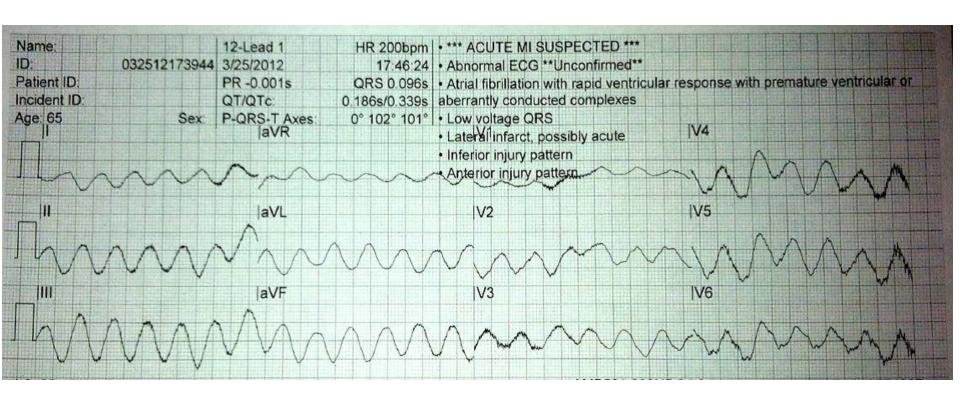
60 yo male, indigestion



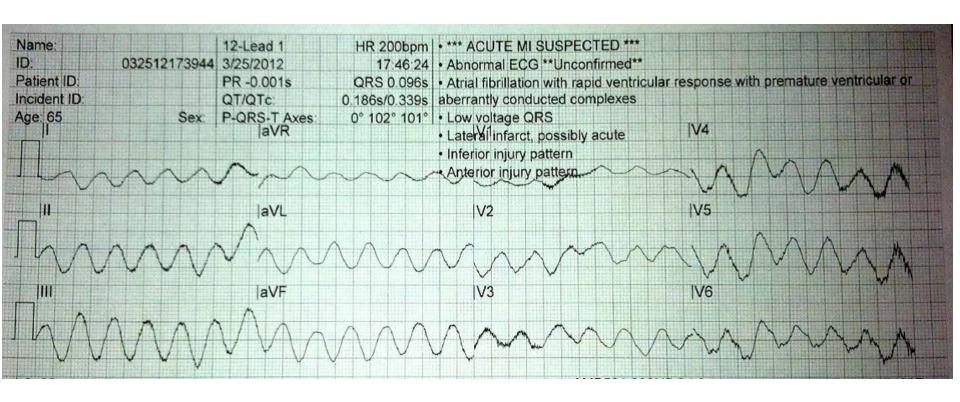
Lateral wall STEMI



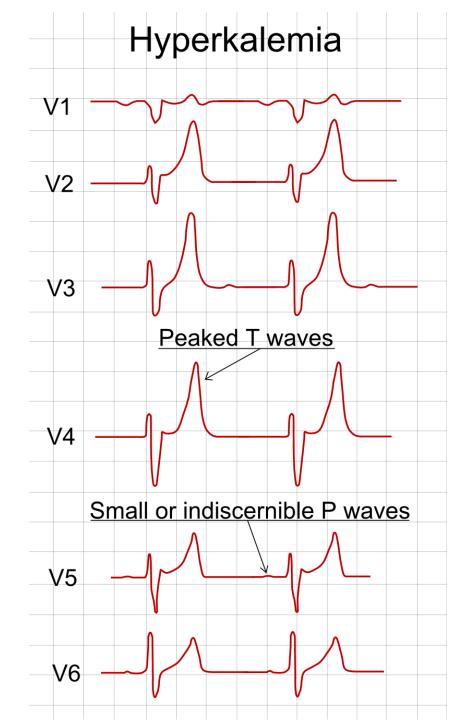
26 yo female, ESRD and weakness



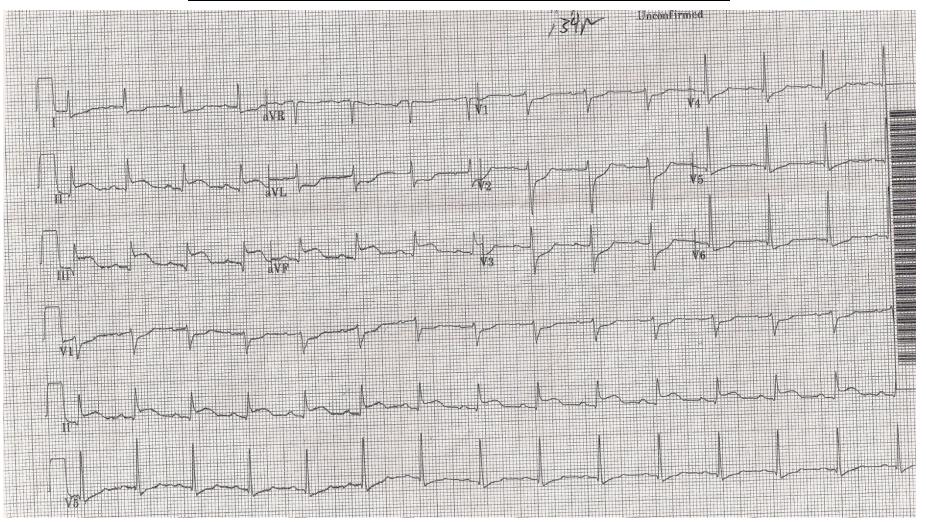
Severe Hyperkalemia 8.4 mEQ/L



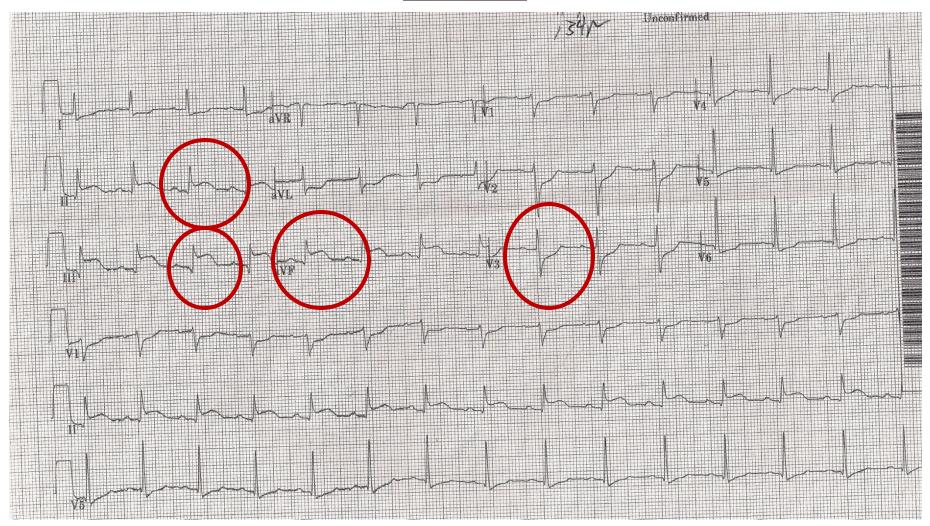
- Peaked T waves
- First degree block
- QRS widening
- ST segment elevation



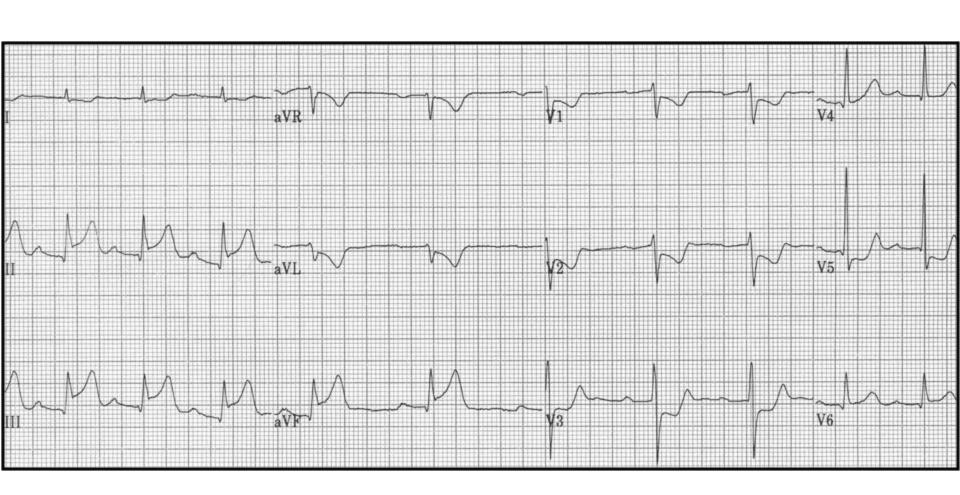
45 yo male, chest pain



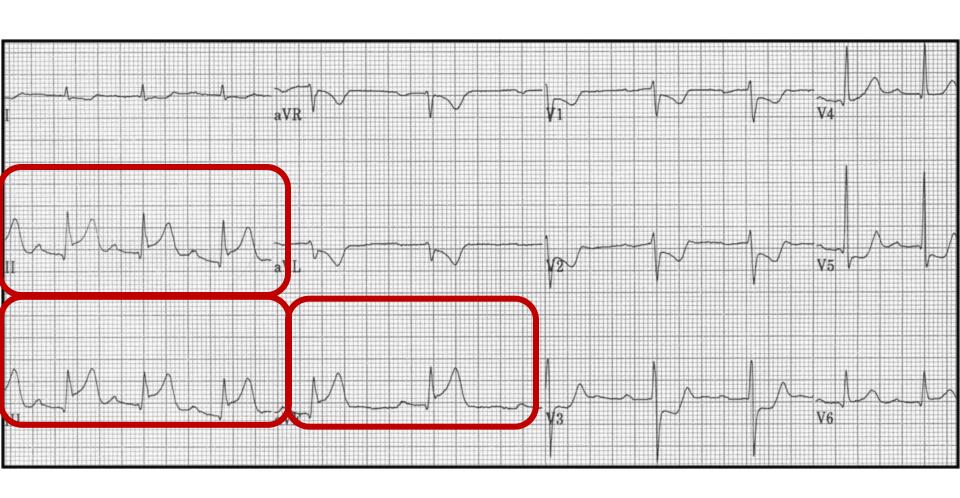
Inferior wall STEMI and deWinter's Wave



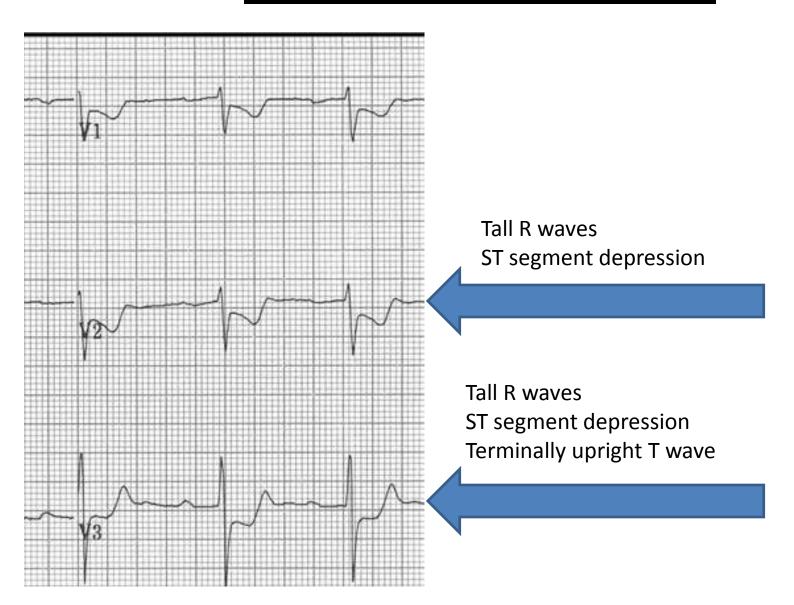
60 yo M, Nausea and Vomiting



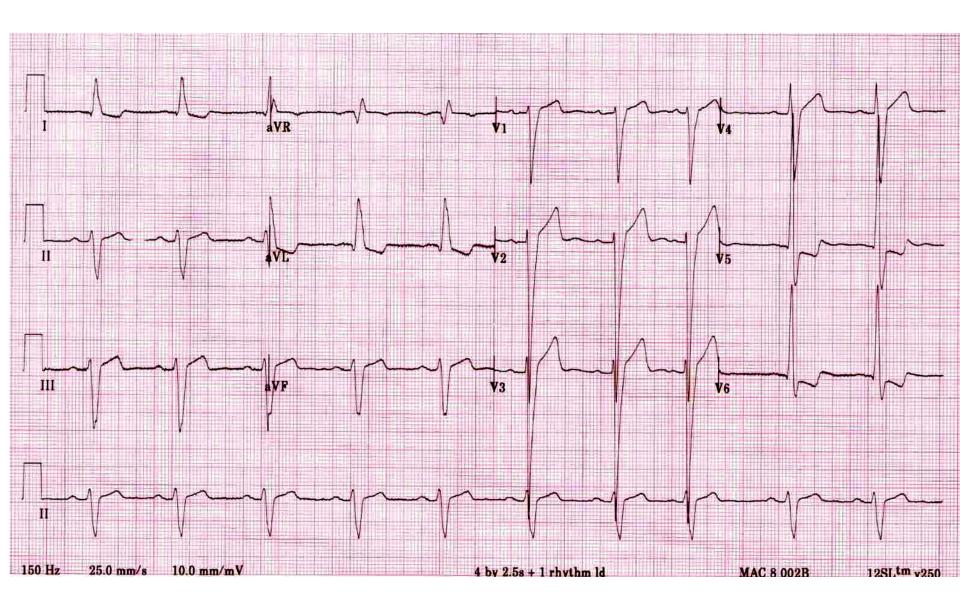
Inferior wall MI with Posterior Ext



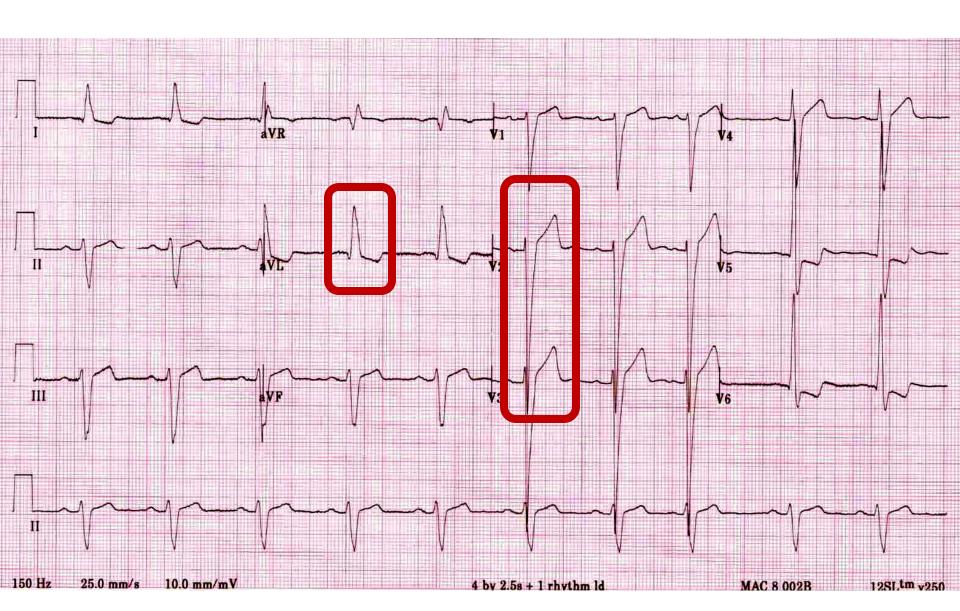
Posterior Extension



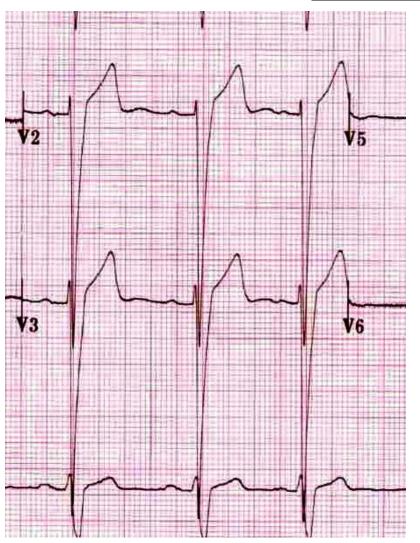
52 yo male, aching pain after lifting weights

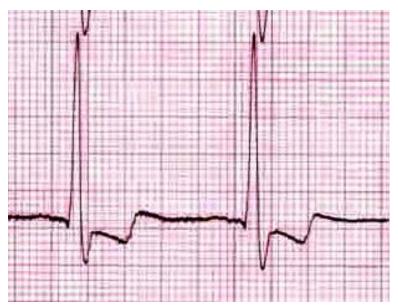


Left ventricular hypertrophy



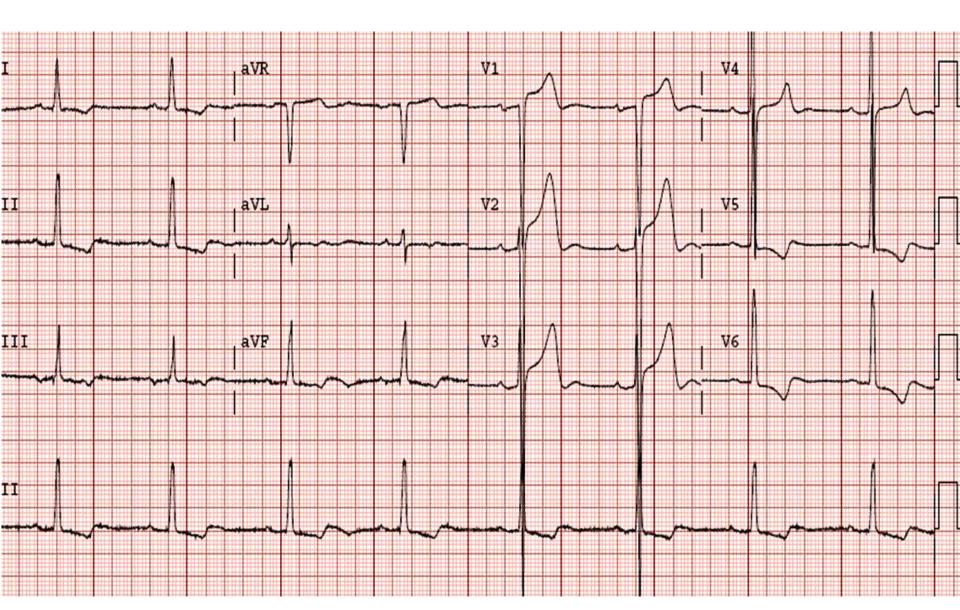
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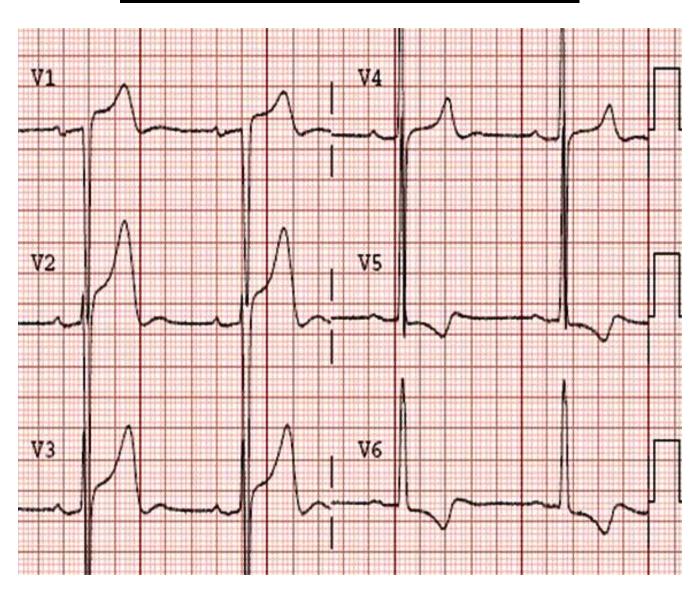


- Take a careful history
- ST elevation
- ST depression

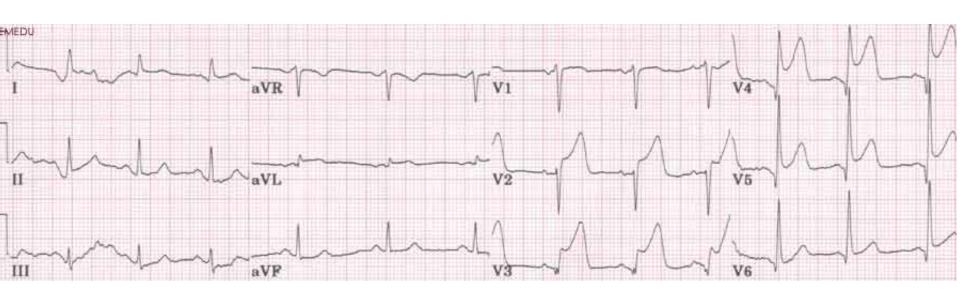
The "strain" of LVH



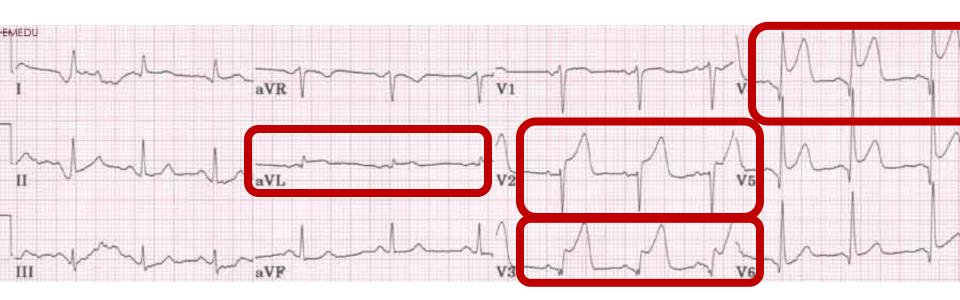
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72 yo male, SOB



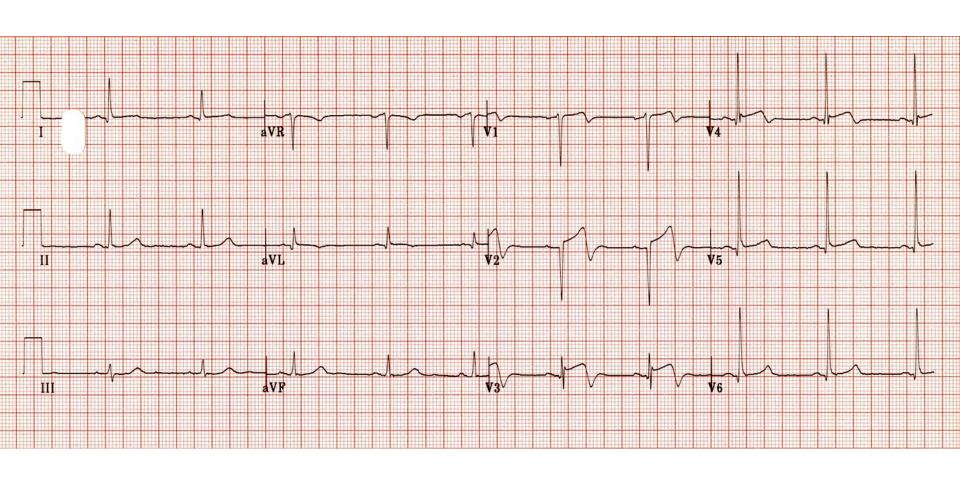
Massive anterior wall STEMI



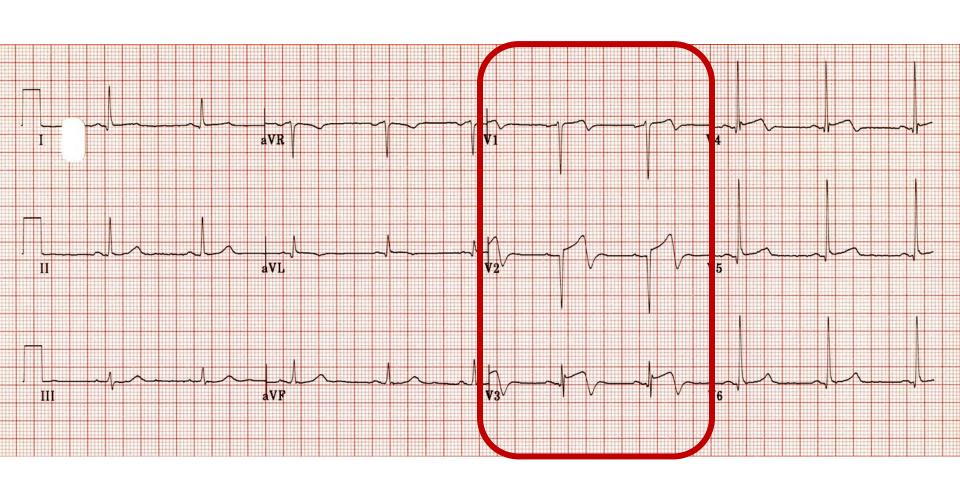
2 life threatening complications of massive anterior wall STEMIs:

- → cardiogenic shock / pulmonary edema
- → Ventricular dysrhythmia

62 yo F, Hx of CP, now pain free

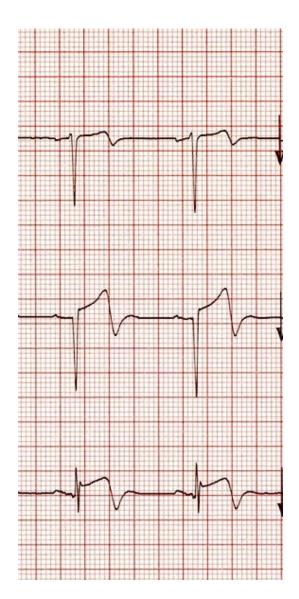


Wellens' Syndrome

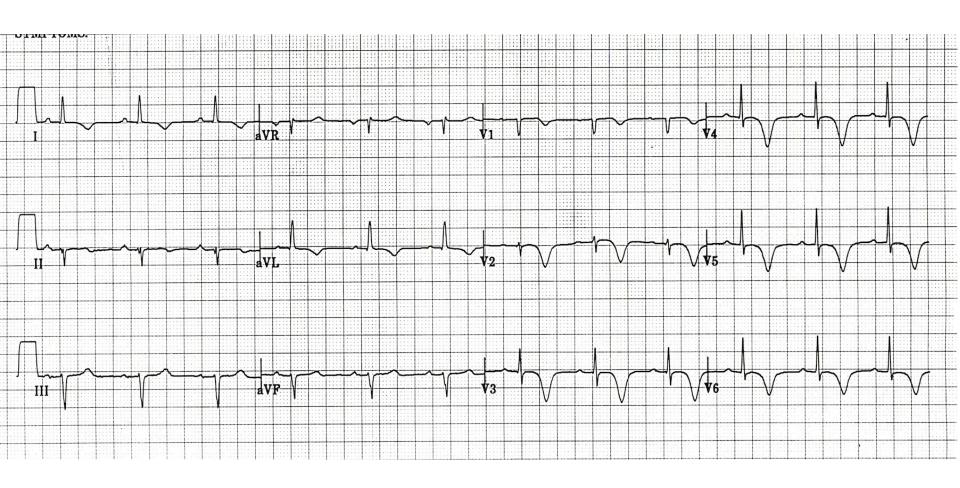


Wellens' Syndrome

- ECG changes persist in pain free state
- Suggestive of critical LAD disease
- Biphasic T waves in V1-V3

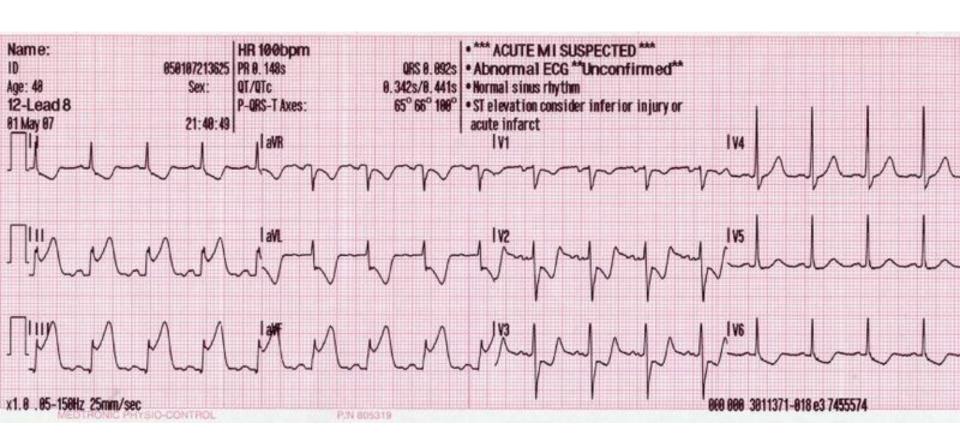


More Wellens' Syndrome

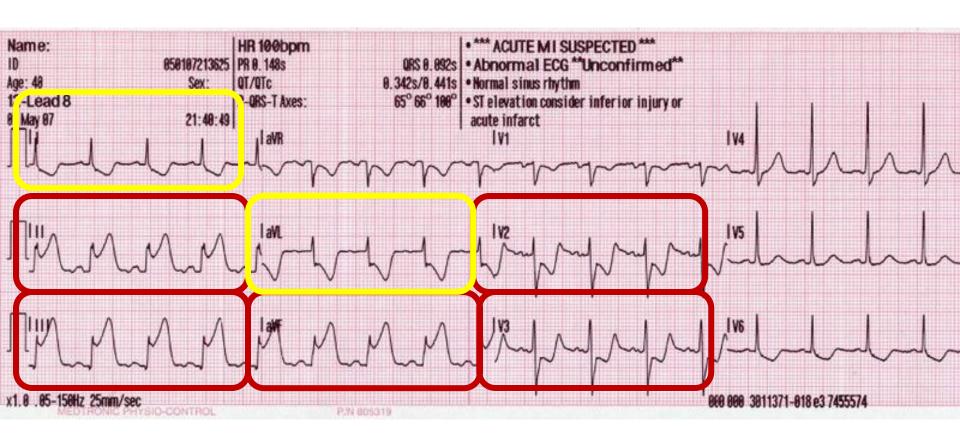


- Diffuse T wave inversions anteriorly
- Deeply inverted and largely symmetrical

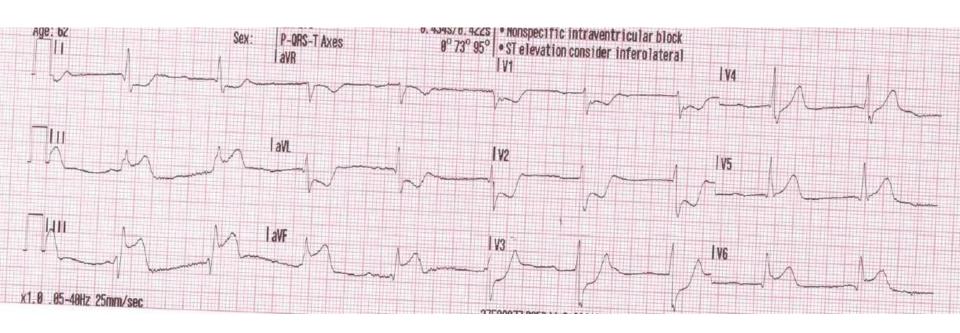
46 yo F, chest pressure



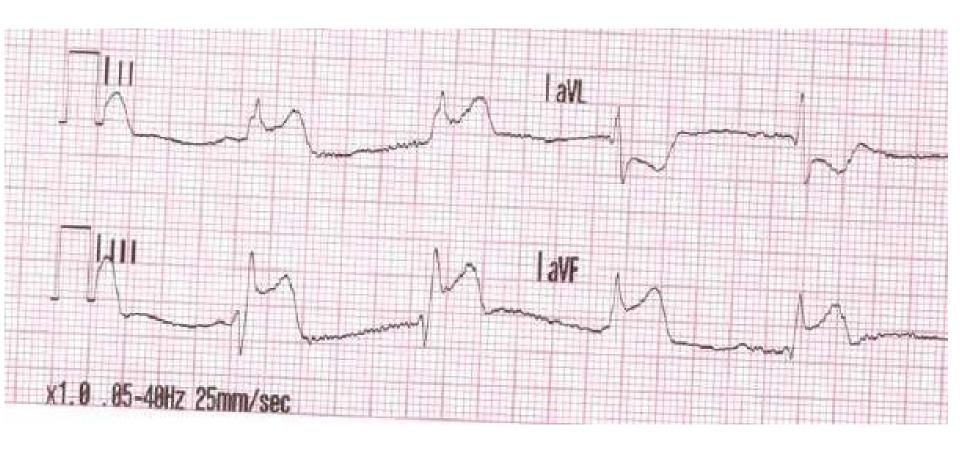
Inferior wall MI with posterior ext



Why so syncopal?

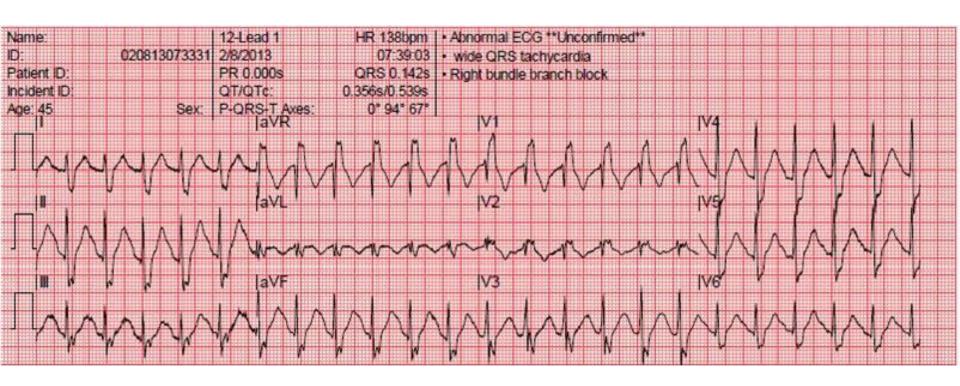


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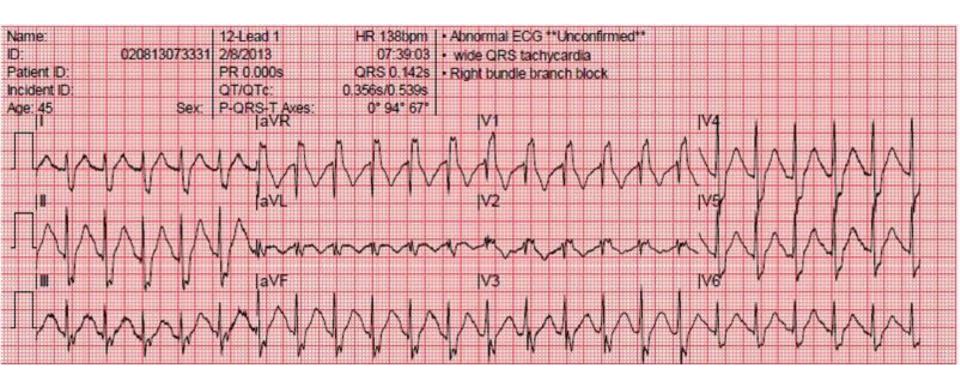


- The RCA supplies the nodal artery
- Infarction results in conduction delays and blocks
- This is an inferior wall MI and third degree HB

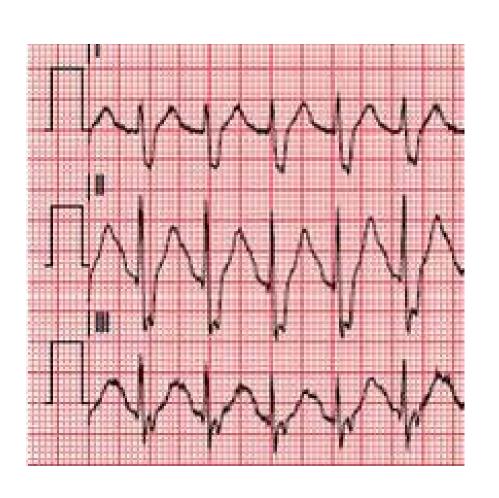
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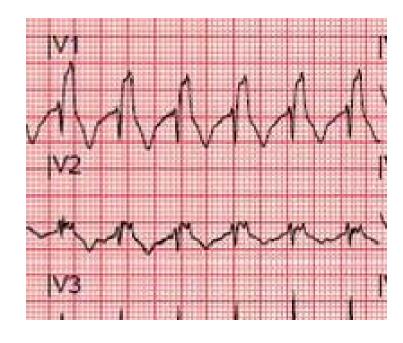


Pulmonary Embolism and Right Heart Strain



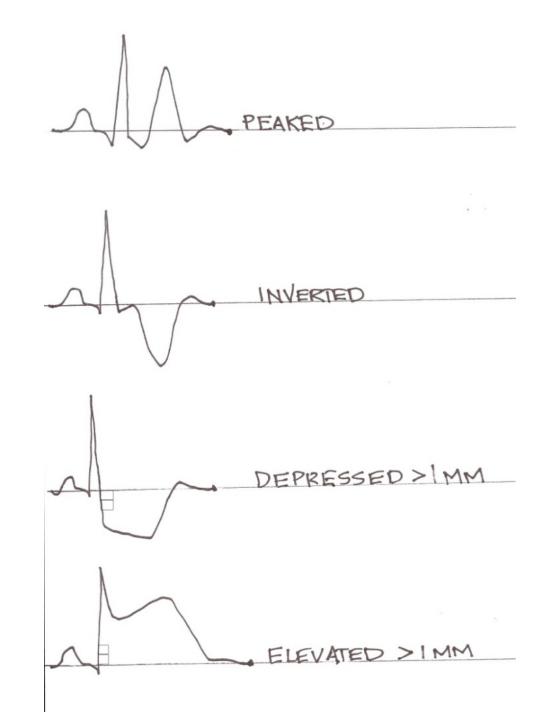
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Approach to 12 Leads

- Rate (fast, slow, ok)
- Rhythm (sinus, ventricular)
- Injury (look at ST segment, Q waves)



Thank You blawn001@umaryland.edu