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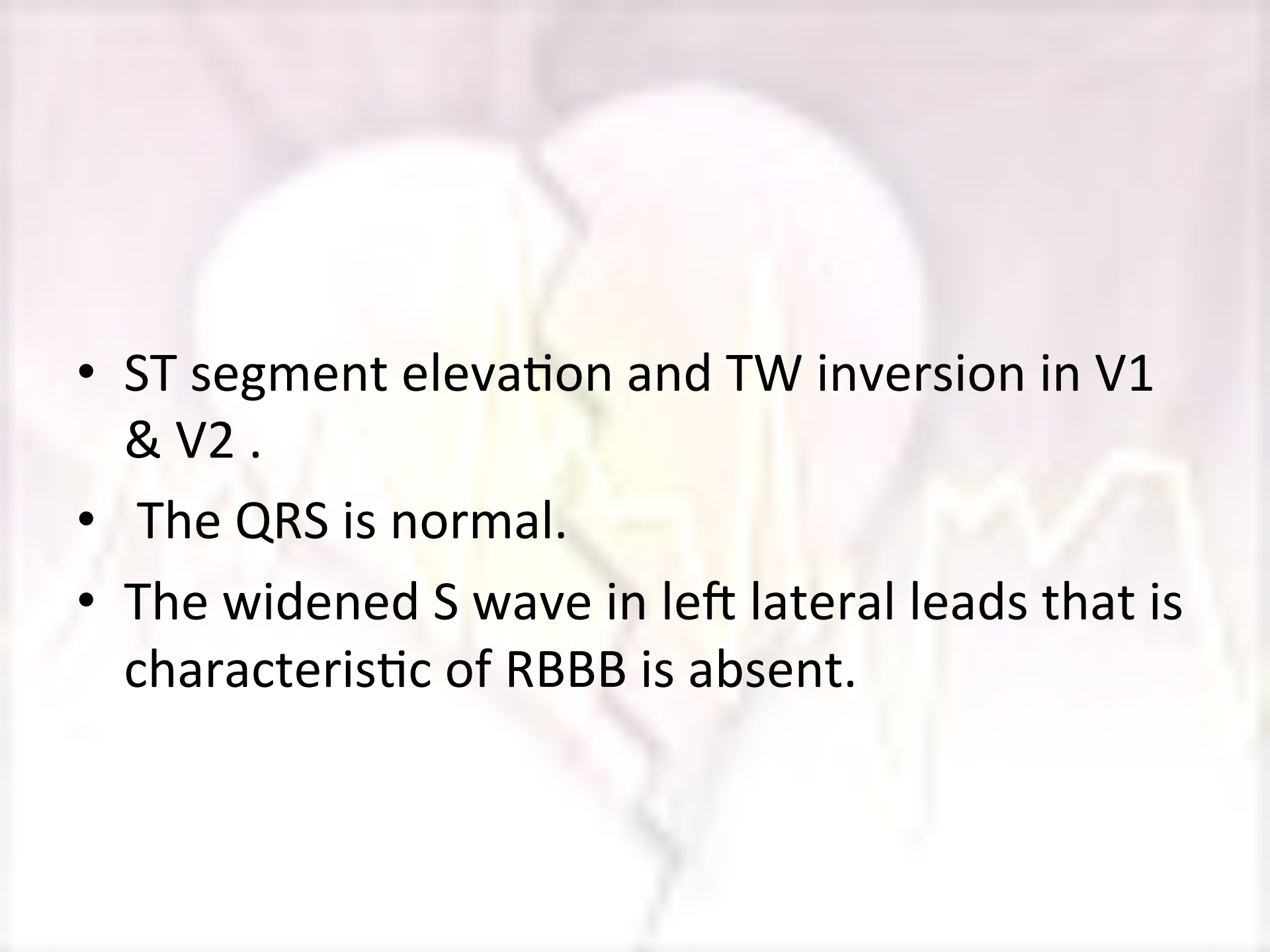
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Case 1

- 35 y/o male not known to have any medical illness presented with hx of ***recurrent syncopal attacks***.
- Systemic review unremarkable apart from palpitations .
- (+) FHx of ***sudden death*** of his father while he was sleep at age of 40.

ECG



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- ST segment elevation and TW inversion in V1 & V2 .
 - The QRS is normal.
 - The widened S wave in left lateral leads that is characteristic of RBBB is absent.



What is your DDX ???

DDX of ST elevation

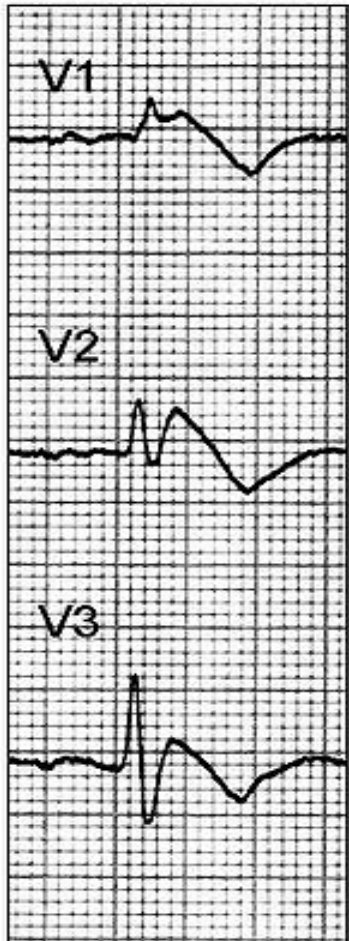
- **Left Bundle-Branch Block**
- **LVH**
- **Early repolarization**
- **Acute Pericarditis and Myocarditis**
- **Hyperkalemia**
- **The Brugada Syndrome and Arrhythmogenic Right Ventricular Cardiomyopathy**
- **Pulmonary Embolism**
- **Transthoracic Cardioversion**
- **Prinzmetal's Angina**

Brugada syndrome

- Mutations in the cardiac *Na channel* gene
- The **most significant** clinical manifestations of BS are *ventricular arrhythmias*.
- It is one of the most common causes of *sudden death* in young men w/o known underlying cardiac disease

Types

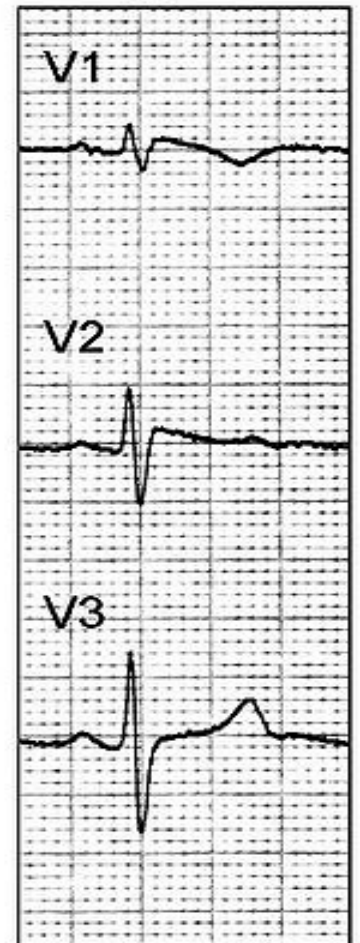
Type 1



Type 2



Type 3



- **Type 1:**

- ✓ Coved type ST elevation with at least 2 mm J-point elevation a gradually descending ST segment & (-) TW

- **Type 2:**

- ✓ a saddle back pattern with a least 2 mm J-point elevation & at least 1 mm ST elevation with (+) or biphasic TW.

- **Type 3 :**

- ✓ a saddle back pattern with < 2 mm J-point elevation & < 1 mm ST elevation with (+) TW.

NB: (J point is the junction b/w the end of the QRS & beginning of the ST segment)

Treatment

- ***Implantable cardioverter-defibrillator (ICD)***

Case 2

- 70 y/o lady k/c of **DM, HTN, AF & CHF** presented c/o nausea & vomiting associated with anorexia , fatigue dizziness & blurring of vision
- This was preceded by campylobacter gastroenteritis for which she received erythromycine.
- Systemic review unremarkable
- Medications : ASA, lisinopril, concor, digoxin & lipitor.

- O/E:

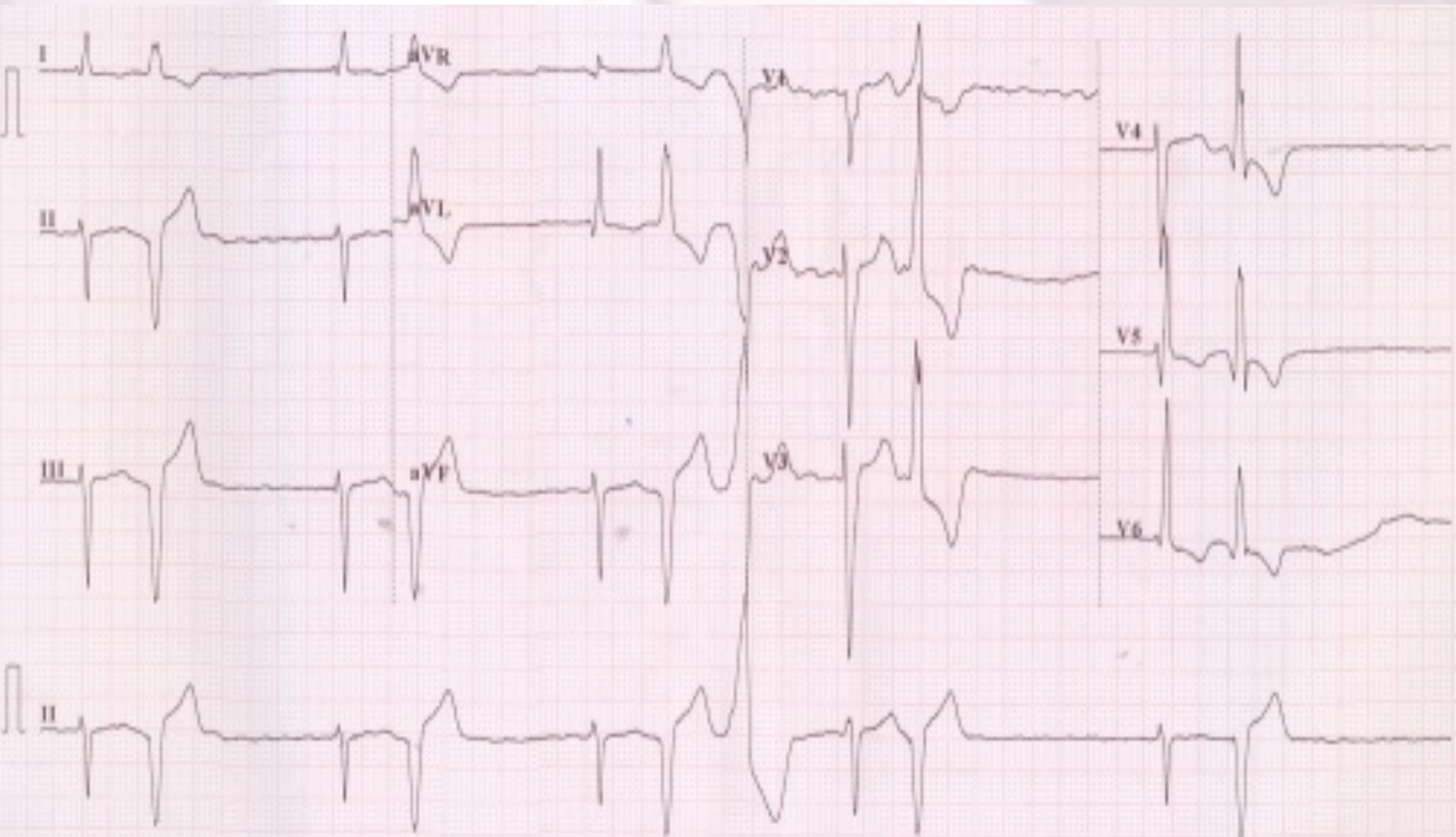
- ✓ confused

- ✓ **V/S:** BP 100/60 , HR: 58, RR 22, SPO2:95 % on RA.

- ✓ CVS : JVP not raised , S1+S2, mild pitting LL edema.

- ✓ Otherwise normal

ECG



ECG findings

AF with slow ventricular rate.

ventricular bigeminy.

bidirectional ventricular ectopy.



What is the most likely cause of her presentation??

Digoxin Toxicity



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Next step ???

Digoxin Toxicity

- Almost any rhythm may be associated with digoxin toxicity **except** of *SVT with 1:1 conduction* through the AVN .
- The **earliest sign** **PVCS** .
- 2 rhythms are **pathognomonic**
accelerated junctional rhythm
bidirectional ventricular tachycardia
- relatively **specific** for digoxin toxicity, their presence should suggest this condition until proven otherwise.

Digoxin Toxicity



- **Digoxin-specific Fab fragments are indicated in the following settings:**
 - ✓ HD instability .
 - ✓ Life-threatening arrhythmias .
 - ✓ Severe bradycardia. Even when bradycardia is responsive to atropine (to prevent recurrence).
 - ✓ A K level > 5 meq/L in the setting of acute overdose.
 - ✓ Digoxin level > 10 ng/mL (13 nmol/L).
 - ✓ Ingestion of >10 mg of digoxin in adults or >4 mg in children.
 - ✓ Presence of a digoxin-toxic rhythm in the setting of an elevated digoxin level.

Case 3

- A 39 y/o woman with a 1y hx of Stage IV melanoma s/p radiotherapy presented with progressive SOB, fatigue & edema in the legs.
- O/E:
 - ✓ BP: 82/64 mm Hg, HR: 110 bpm, raised JVP, distant heart sounds & LL edema.



What is the next step ???



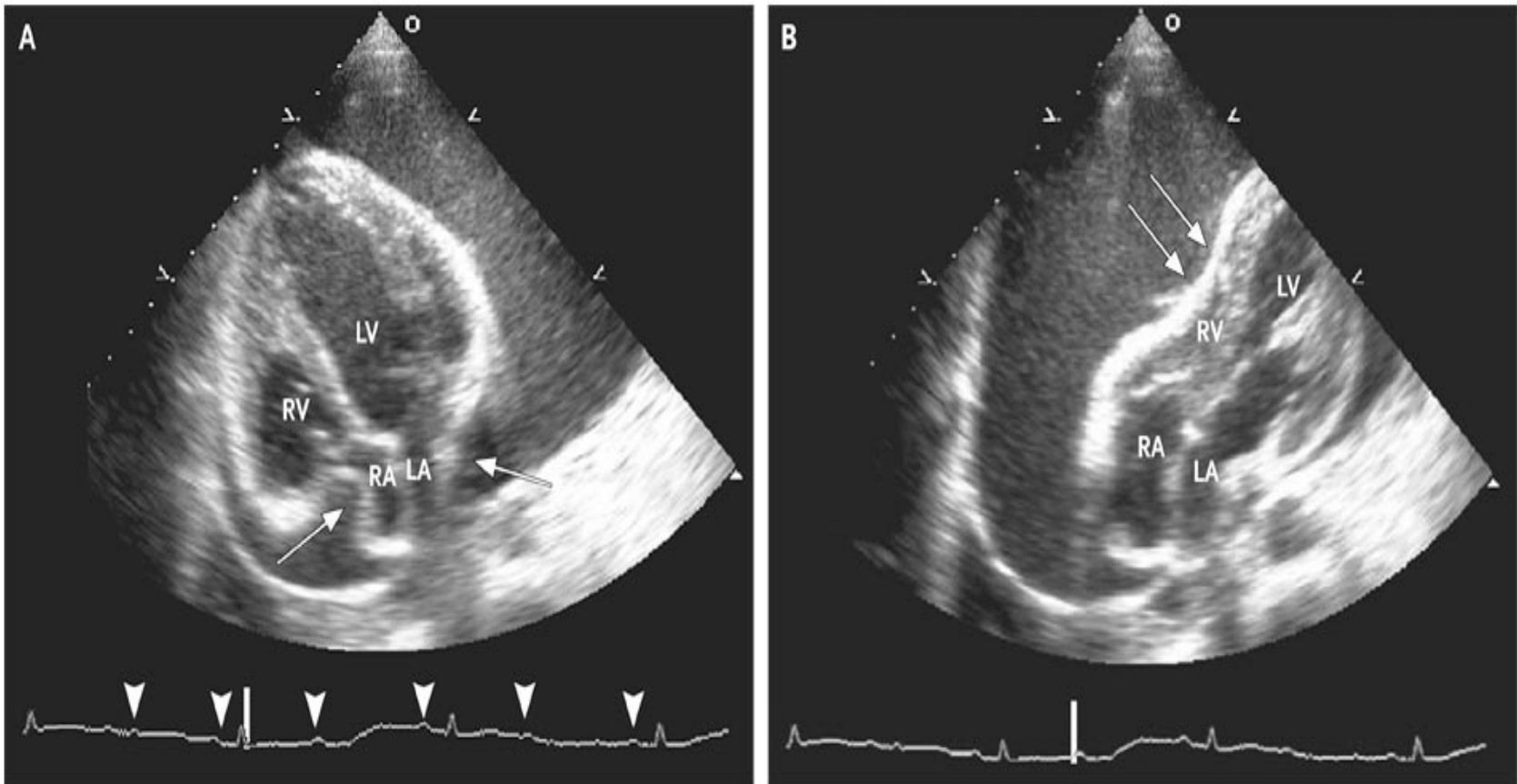
***Call Cardiologist on
call !!!!!***

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Echocardiography



A large pericardial effusion with swinging of the heart & collapse of the (RA) & (LA) in end diastole (Panel A, arrows) , diastolic collapse of the (RV)



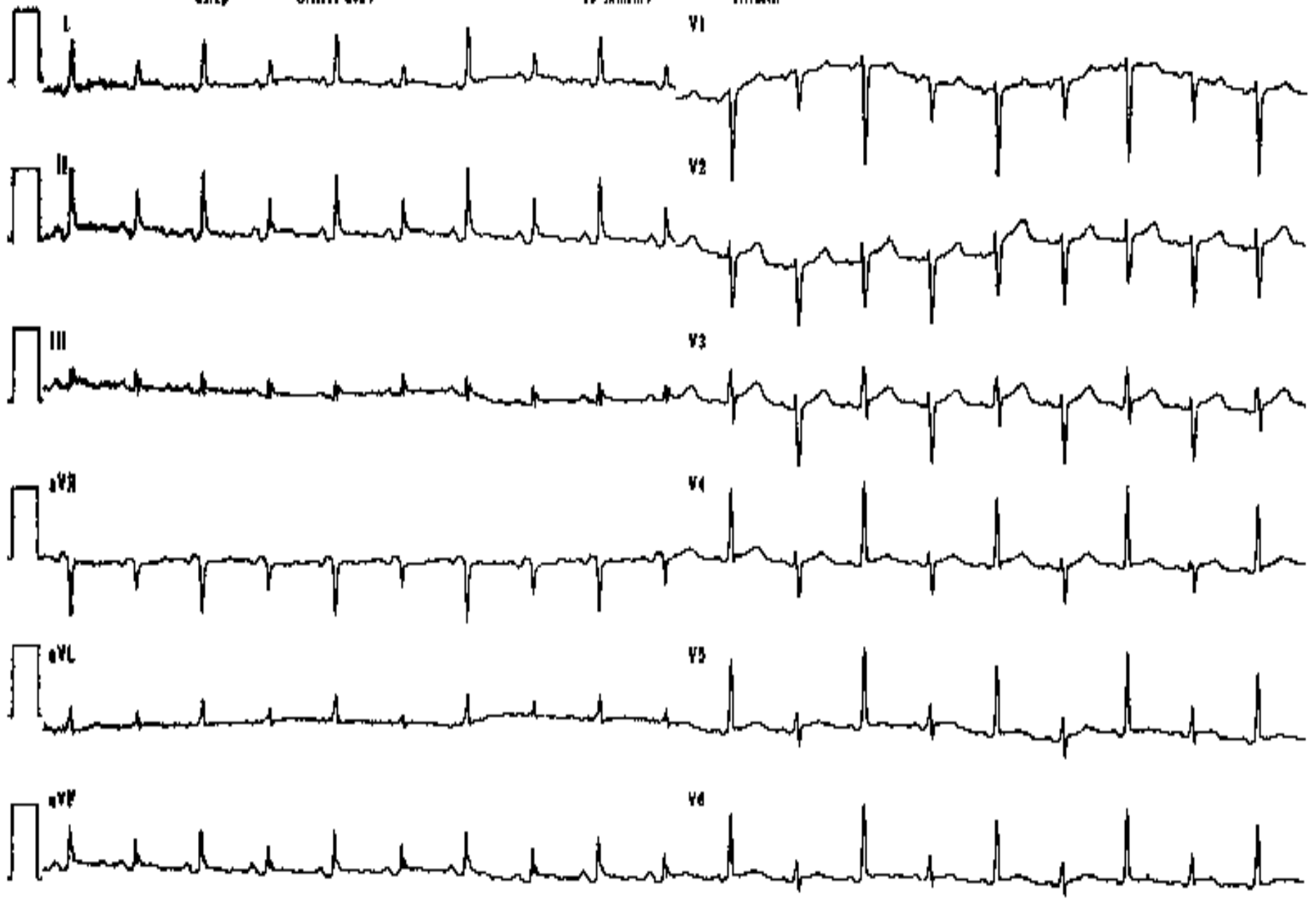
**What is the expected finding in
ECG ???**

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GART: 2824

25 mm/s
10 mm/mV

ID:
NAME:





X-rays

Case 4

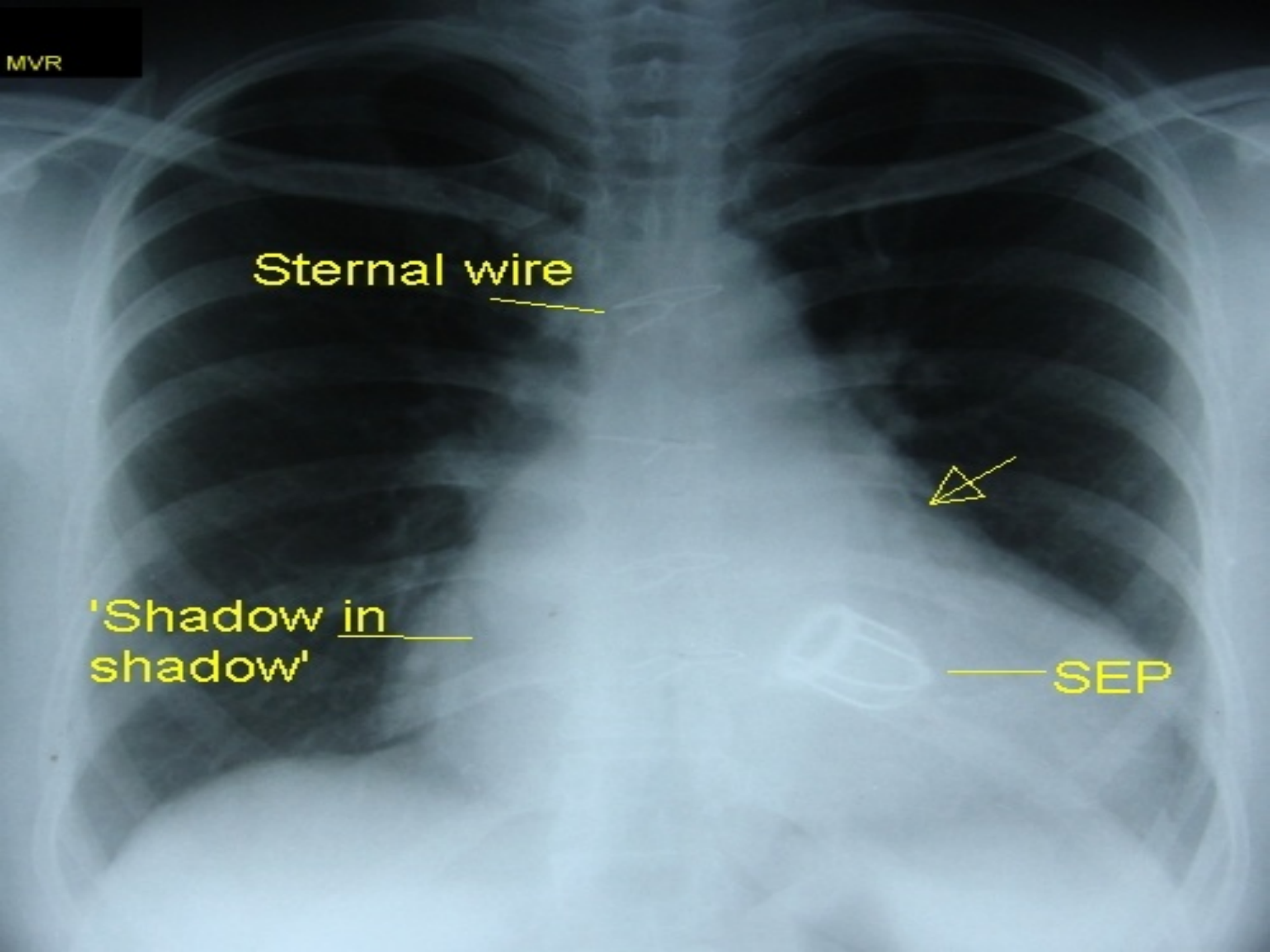
35 y/o female came to u with SOB & fever .

CXR showed :

Sternal wire

'Shadow in shadow'

SEP

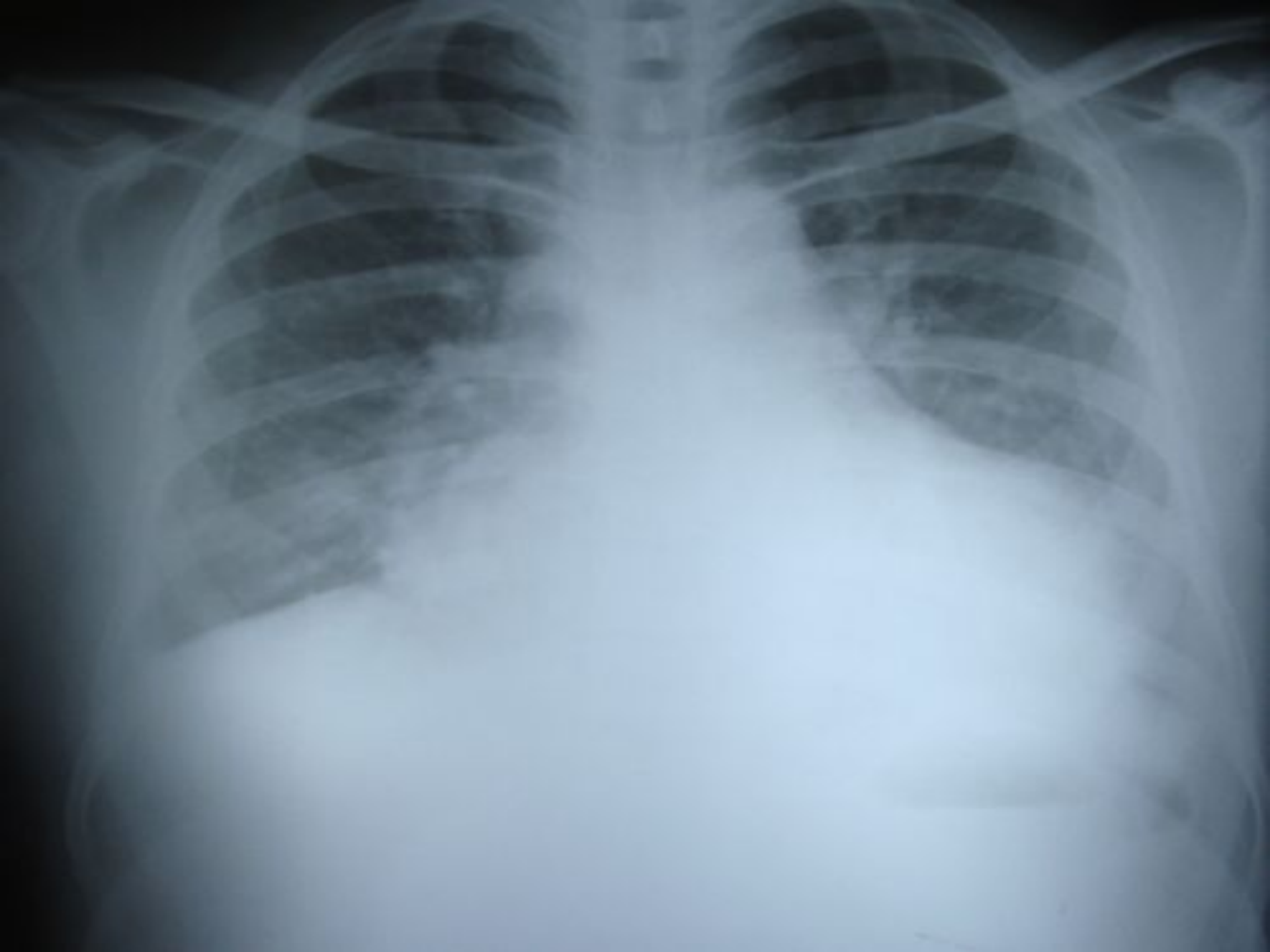


Examination



Case 5

- 60 y/o male k/c of DM, HTN, S/P AMI 1 month back discharged on (ASA, concor, lisinopril & lipitor) presented with decreased LOC & found to have ***Stroke***
- Routine workup was done
- **CXR showed :**

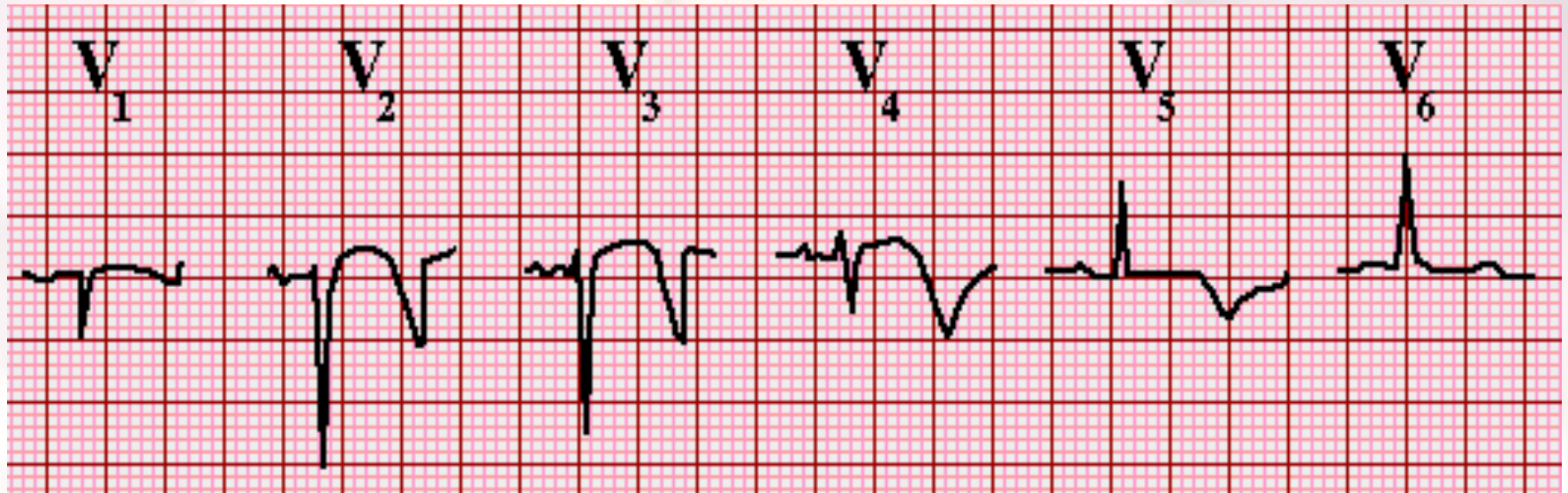


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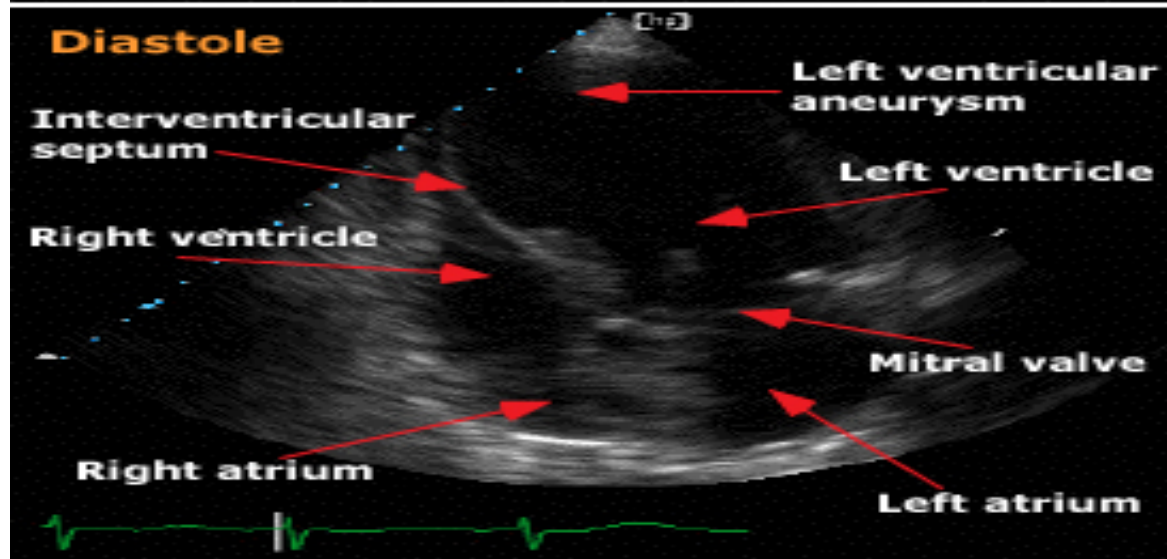
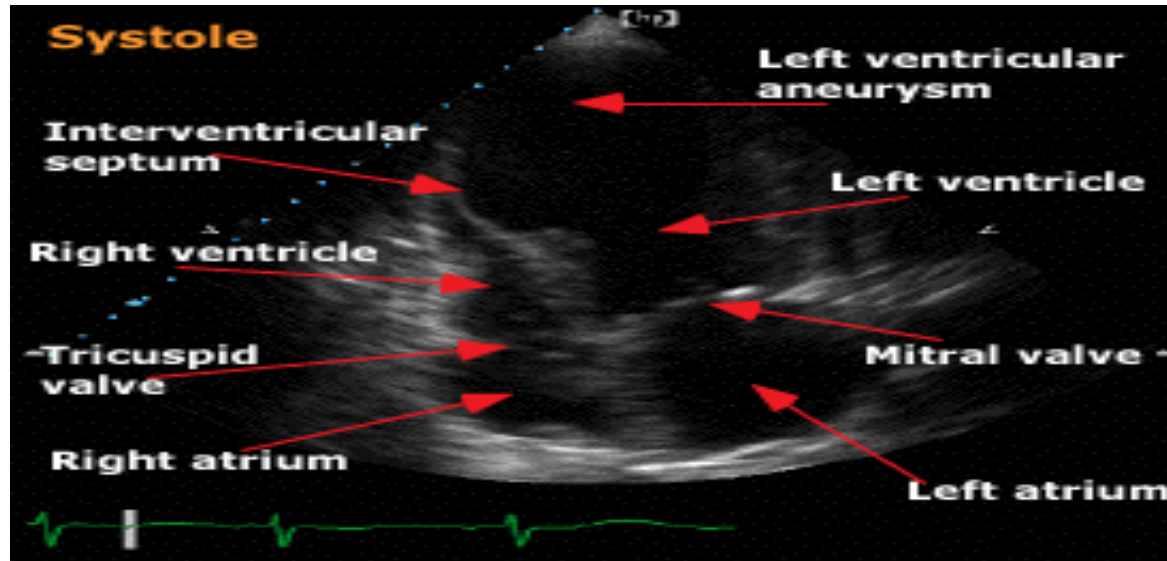
HINT !

**What do u expect to see in the
ECG ???**

ECG (same as previous)



Echocardiography

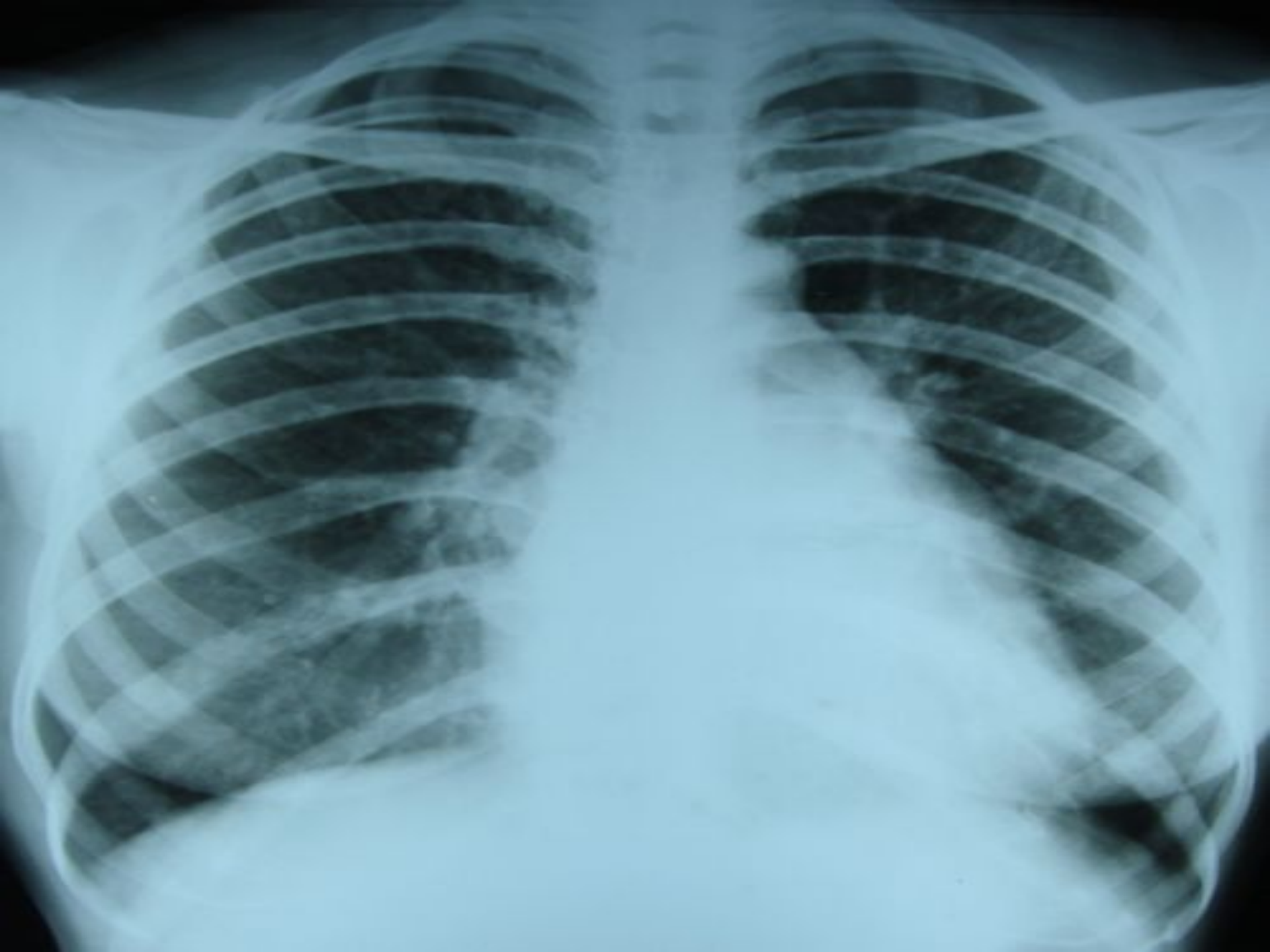


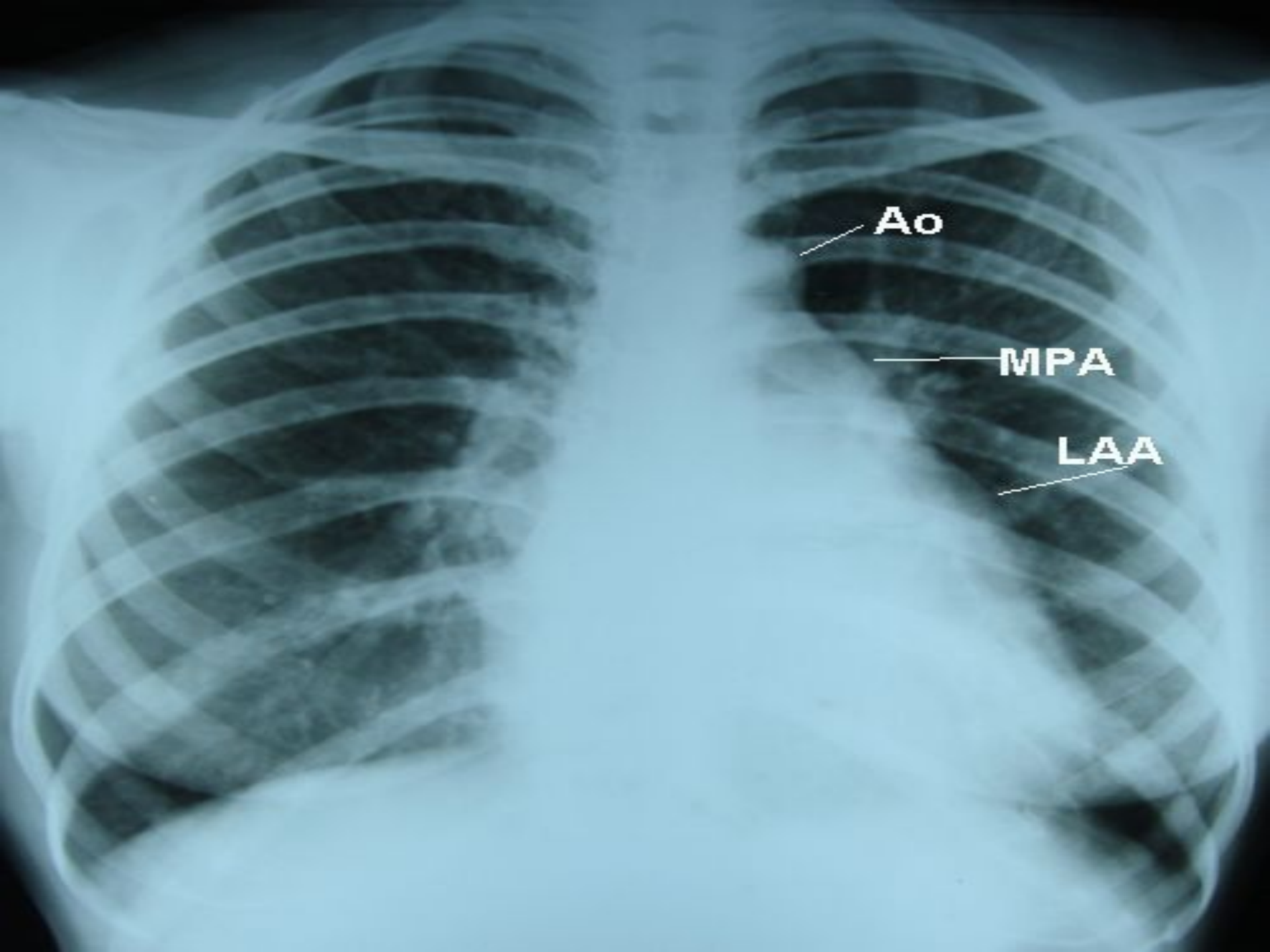


What was missing in his discharge meds??

Case 6

- 25 y/o female not known to have any medical illness presented c/o :
 - ✓ Progressive SOB
 - ✓ Recurrent palpitations





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MPA

LAA

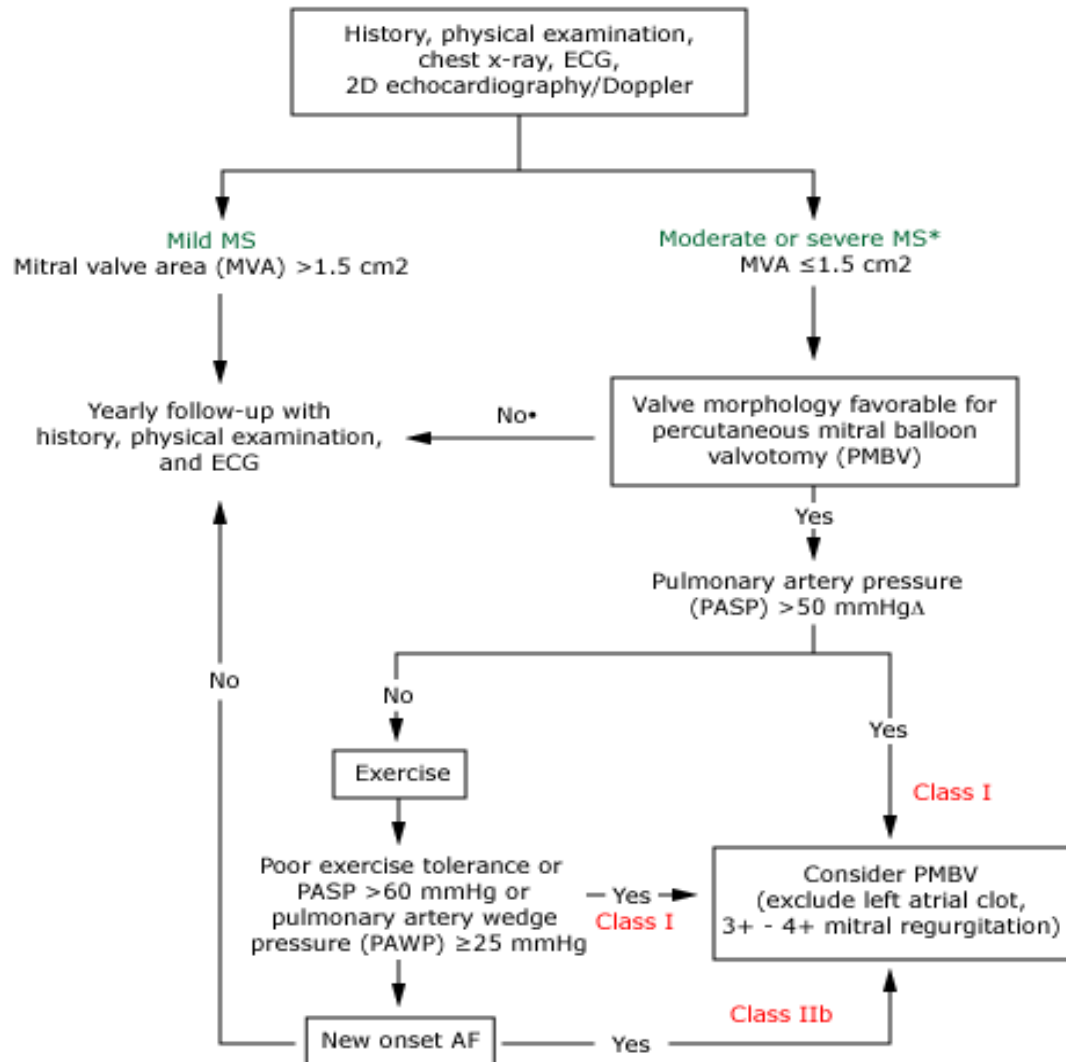


Most likely DX??

Mitral stenosis

- Treatment is usually supportive.
- **primary indications for intervention are:**
 - ✓ *moderate to severe MS*
 - ✓ *The presence of symptoms*
- The main indication for intervention in ***asymptomatic*** pts was moderate to severe MS & PHTN (PASP >50 mmHg at rest or >60 mmHg with exercise)

asymptomatic patients with mitral stenosis (MS)



- **2006 ACC/AHA guidelines generally recommended that PMBV is preferred to surgery if :**
 - ✓ Valve morphology is favorable
 - The degree of leaflet rigidity
 - The severity of leaflet thickening
 - The amount of leaflet calcification
 - The extent of subvalvular thickening and calcification MR.
 - ✓ NO left atrial thrombus.
 - ✓ No moderate to severe (3+ to 4+)

The background features a soft, pastel-colored sun with rays in shades of pink and purple. A bright yellow ECG (heart rate) line is overlaid on the scene, winding across the lower portion of the image. The overall aesthetic is clean and modern.

ECGs

Case 7

- 70 y/o female k/c of DM, HTN & COPD presented with acute exacerbation , found to be tachycardiac with irregular pulse .
- Her ECG showed:





**DDX of irregular irregular
rhythm ?**

The background of the slide is a faint, light-colored ECG (heart rate) tracing. The tracing shows a regular rhythm with distinct P waves, QRS complexes, and T waves. The text is overlaid on this background.

AF

Atrial flutter

CHB

MAT

- **The DX of MAT requires the following ECG criteria :**
 - ✓ Discrete P waves with at least 3 different morphologies (including the normal sinus P wave).
 - ✓ P wave morphology is generally best seen in leads II, III and V1.
 - ✓ An atrial rate of >100 bpm (classic definition) .
 - ✓ The P-P intervals, the P-R duration, and the R-R intervals vary.

Causes

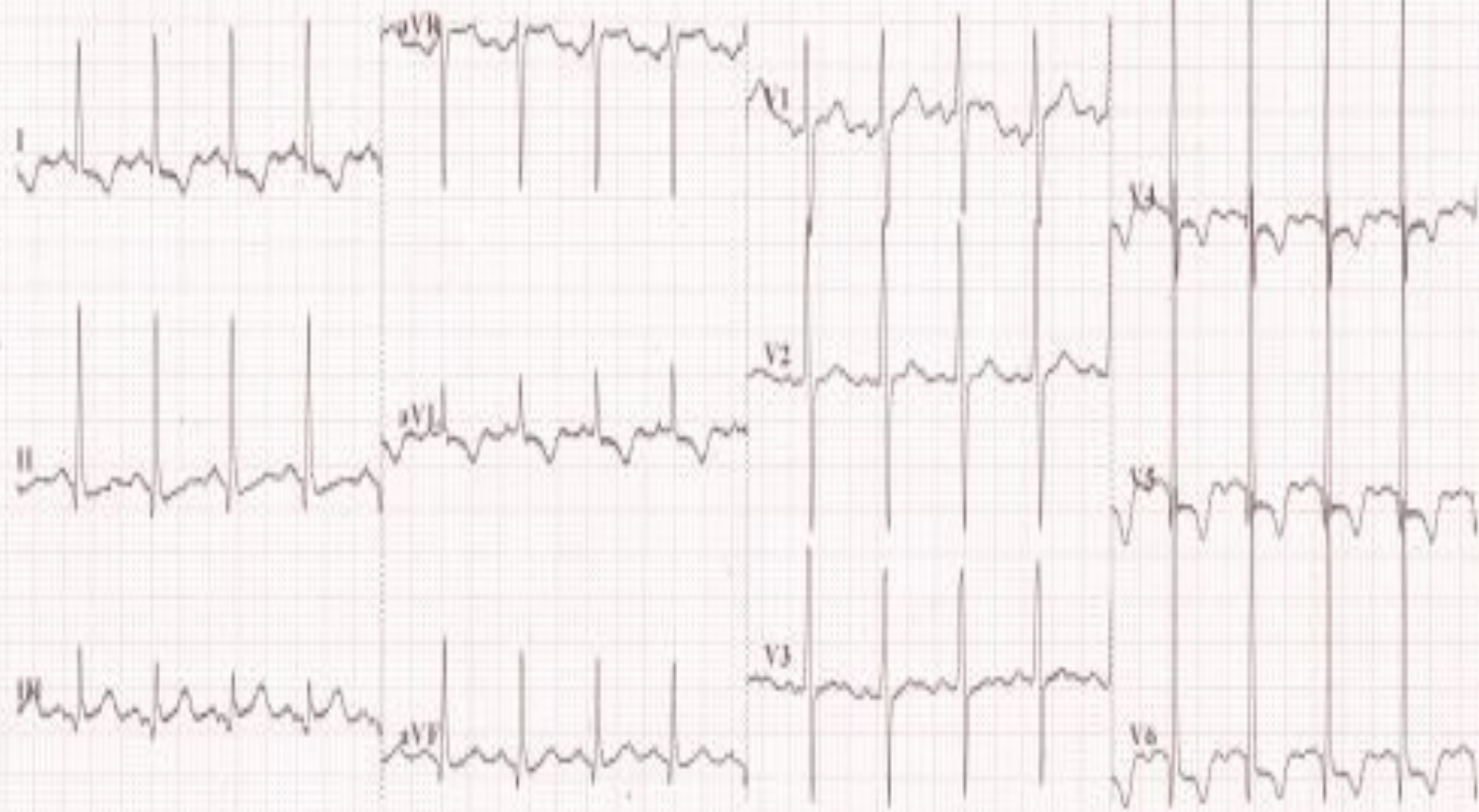
- **Pulmonary disease:** COPD (*most common*) ,can also occur with pneumonia & PE.
- **Cardiac disease**
- **Metabolic :** (Hypokalemia, Hypomagnesemia)
- **Drugs :** (isoproterenol, aminophylline & theophylline)
- **CRF**
- **Sepsis**
- **after recent surgery**
- **mitral valve prolapse**

Treatment

- The use of antiarrhythmic drugs in the Rx of MAT is generally disappointing.
- Evidence of benefit with verapamil & BB.

Case 8

- 55 y/o male , heavy smoker & k/c of HTN on HCZ & amlor , presented for a routine check up & his ECG showed:



Voltage criteria of LVH

- The Sokolow-Lyon index:

- ✓ S in $V_1 + R$ in V_5 or V_6 (whichever is larger) ≥ 35 mm

- ✓ R in $aVL \geq 11$ mm

- The Cornell criteria for LVH are:

- ✓ S in $V_3 + R$ in $aVL > 28$ mm (men)

- ✓ S in $V_3 + R$ in $aVL > 20$ mm (women)

- **Other voltage-based criteria for LVH include:**

- ✓ Lead I: R wave > 14 mm
- ✓ Lead aVR: S wave > 15 mm
- ✓ Lead aVL: R wave > 12 mm
- ✓ Lead aVF: R wave > 21 mm
- ✓ Lead V₅: R wave > 26 mm
- ✓ Lead V₆: R wave > 20 mm

Non-voltage criteria

- LAD
- LV "strain"
- LA enlargement: ↑ duration of P w (≥ 120 ms) in the limb leads &/or biphasic P w with a prominent (-) component (≥ 40 ms in duration &/or ≥ 1 mV in depth) in V1.
- QRS duration ≥ 0.09 sec
- Delayed intersicoid deflection in V₅ or V₆ (> 0.05 sec)

Case 9

- 60 y/o male k/c of IHD , presented to the ER with hx of chest pain for 1 hour associated with sweating .
- ECG showed :



EMEDU



Sgarbossa criteria

- A minimal score of 3 is required for a specificity of 90 % :
 - ✓ ST segment elevation of 1 mm or > that is (concordant) with QRS in any lead (**score 5**).
 - ✓ ST segment depression of 1 mm or > in any lead from V1 - V3 (**score 3**) .
 - ✓ ST segment elevation of 5 mm or > that is discordant with the QRS (ie, associated with a QS or rS complex) (**score 2**).

Causes of LAD

- LVH
- LAFB
- IMI
- ASD primum

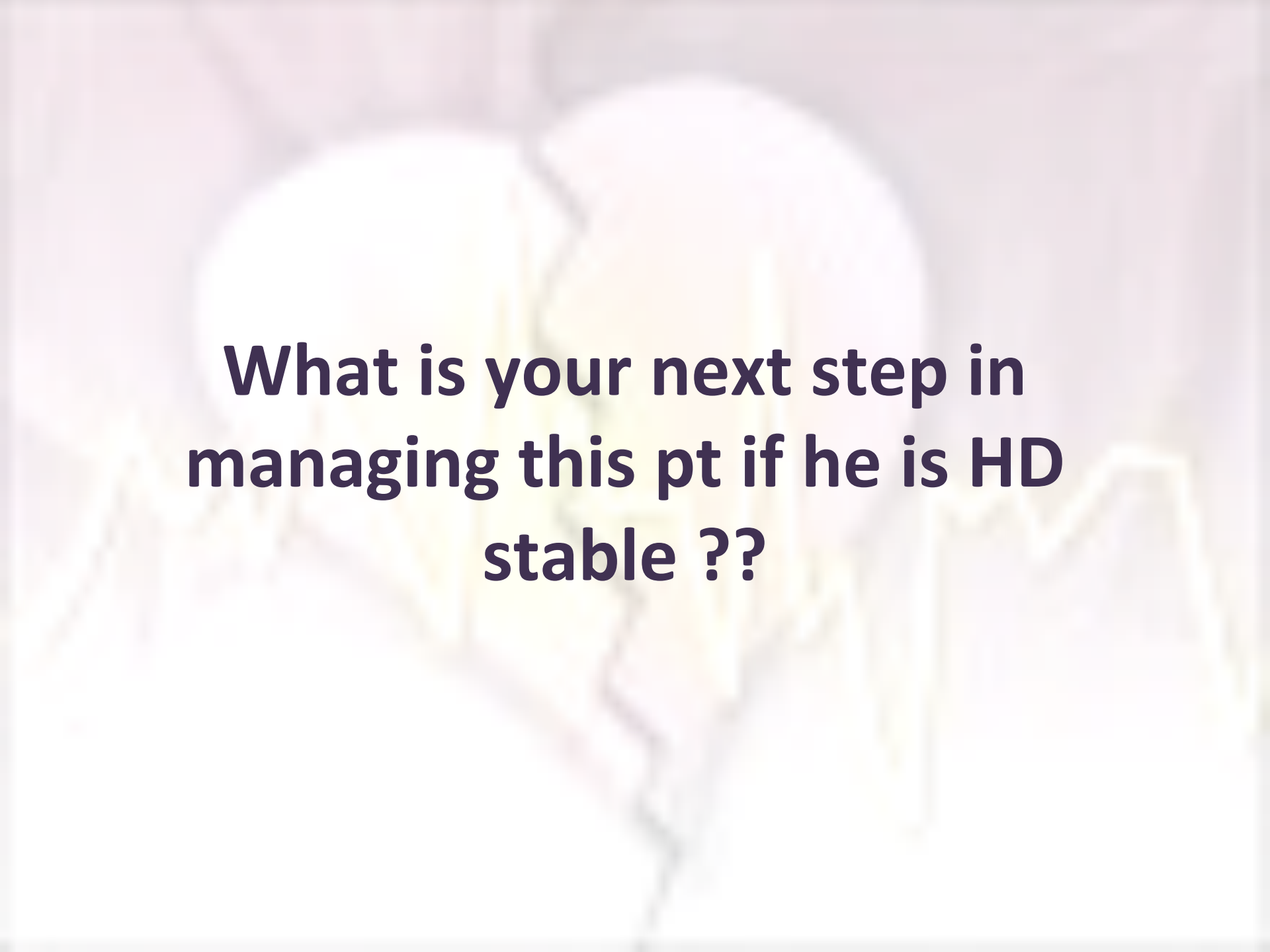
Case 10

- While you were on call in the CCU, one of your patients cardiac monitors shows the following rhythm :

16-JUL-1962 (29 yr)
Male Caucasian



09-APR-1992 17:09



**What is your next step in
managing this pt if he is HD
stable ??**

Brugada criteria of VT

- Lack of an RS complex in the precordial leads
- Whether the intersecoide interval in any precordial lead (the beginning of the R to the deepest part of S) when an RS complex is present is > 100 ms .
- AV dissociation .
- V1 and V6 fulfilled classic criteria of VT.

Morphology criteria

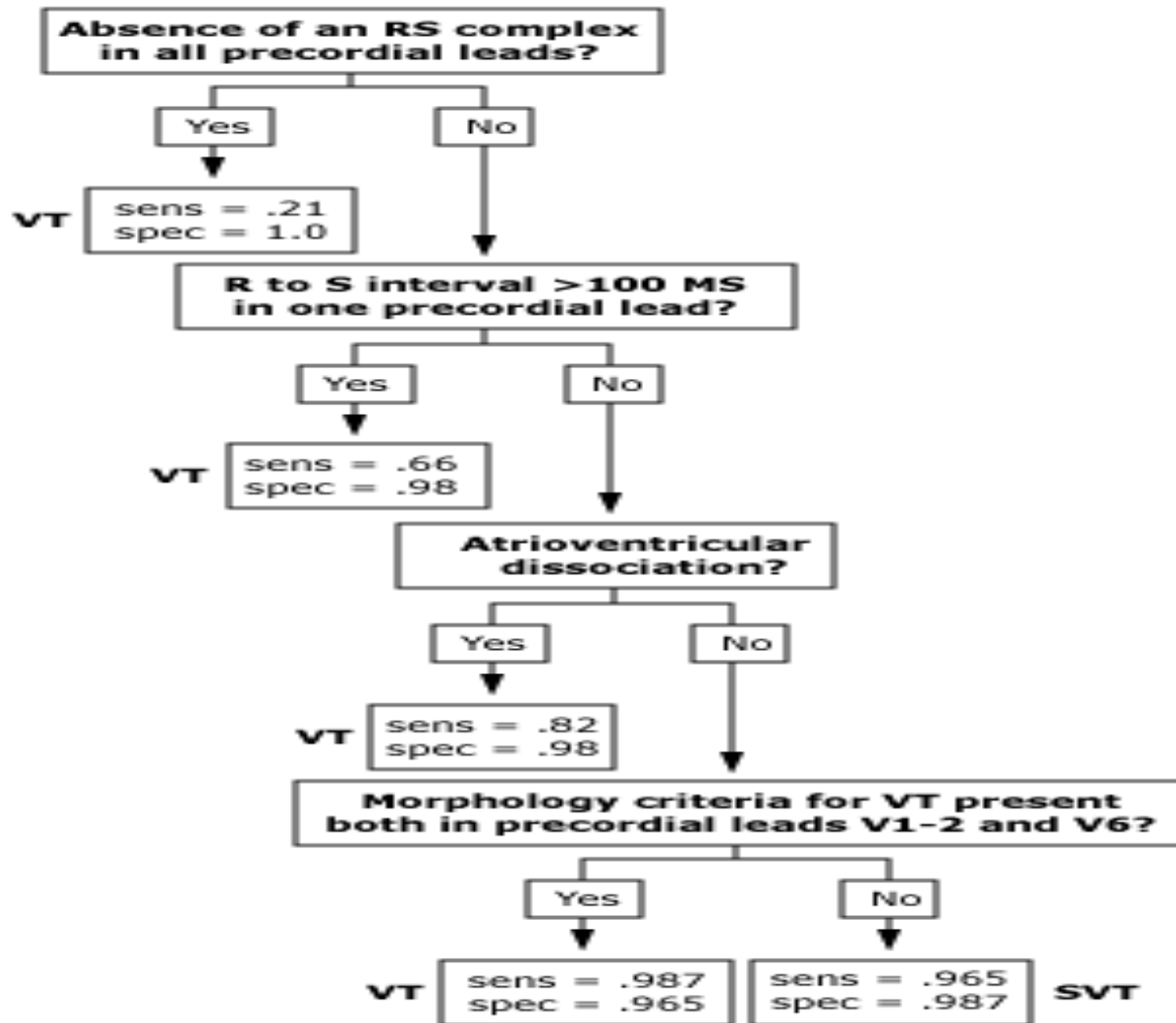
RBBB- like QRS:

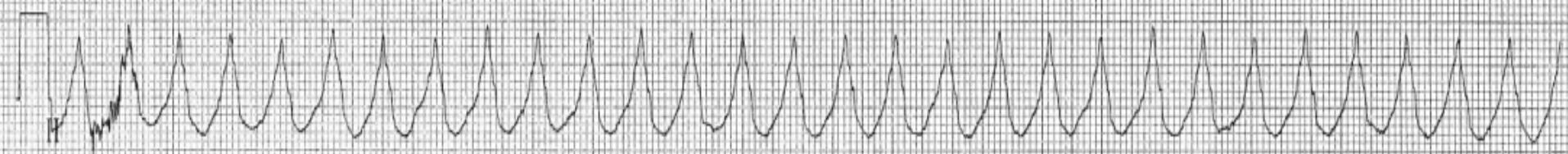
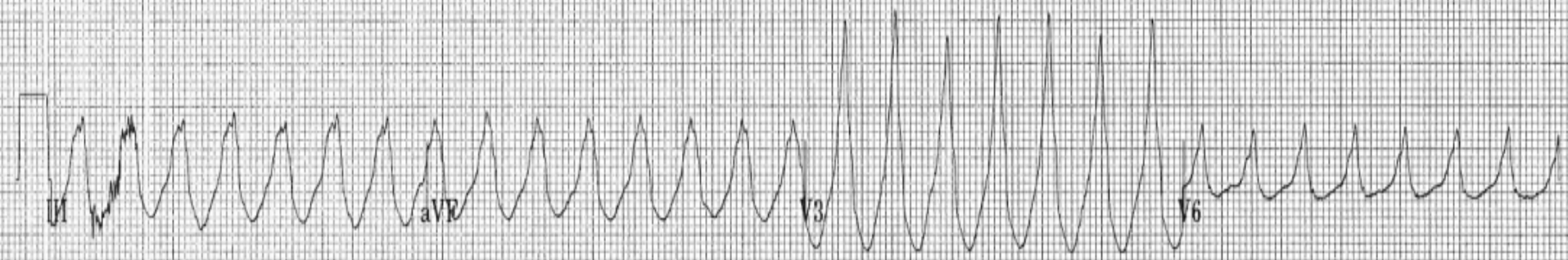
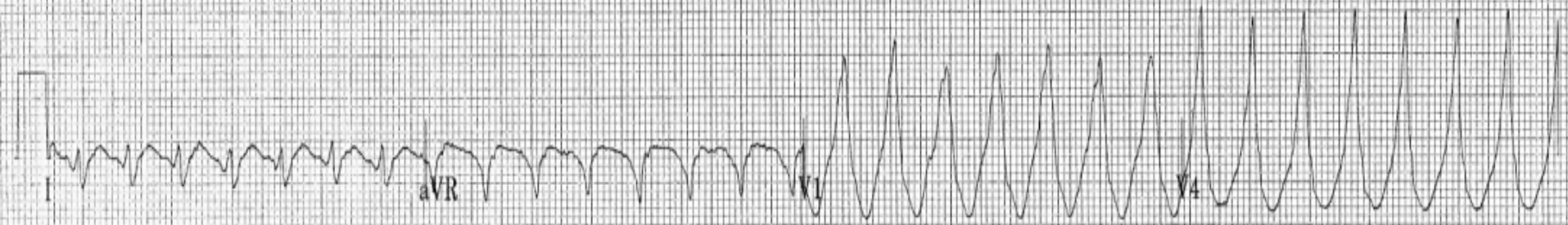
- **Lead V1**
 - ✓ Monophasic R or QR or RS favors VT
 - ✓ Triphasic RSR' favors SVT
- **Lead V6**
 - ✓ R to S ratio <1 (R wave smaller than S wave) favors VT
 - ✓ QS or QR favors VT
 - ✓ Monophasic R favors VT
 - ✓ Triphasic favors SVT
 - ✓ R to S ratio >1 (R wave larger than S wave) favors SVT

LBBB- like QRS:

- **Lead V1 or V2**
 - ✓ Any of following:
(R >30 msec, >60 msec to nadir S, notched S favors VT)
- **Lead V6**
 - ✓ Presence of any Q wave, QR or QS favors VT
 - ✓ The absence of a Q wave in lead V6 favors SVT

Stepwise algorithm





Case 11

- 60 y/o lady k/c of DM, HTN, fibromyalgia on (OHA, HCZ & amytiptaline) , admitted as case of UTI & started on ciprofloxacin , next day pt arrested & the rhythm during arrest was :

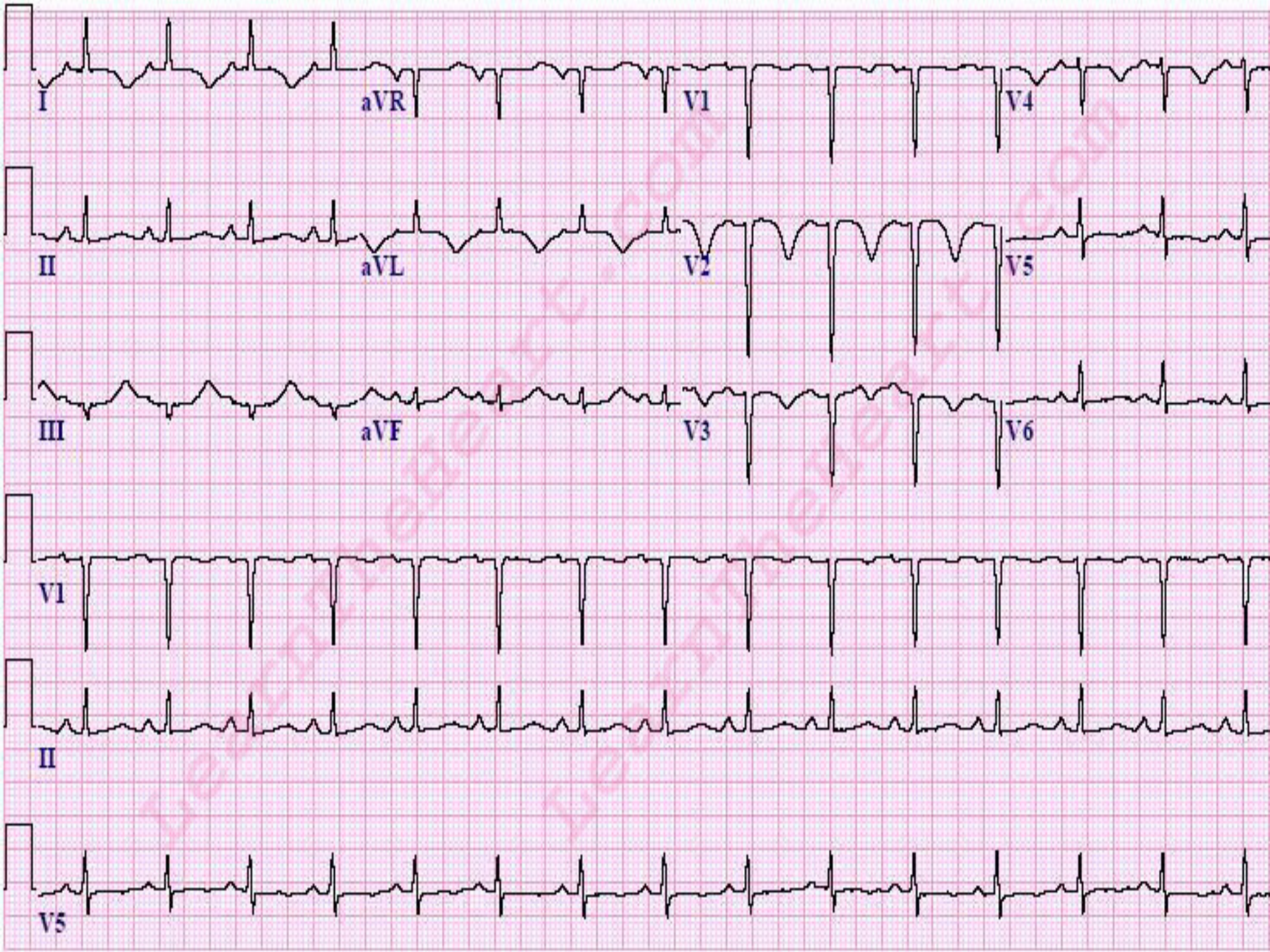




What is your next step ??



ECG on admission !



QT interval

- **QTc** = QT interval \div square root of the RR interval (in sec)
- The normal value for the **QTc** is ≤ 0.44 sec.

Cause of prolonged QT interval

- Electrolyte dist. (hypo Mg, Ca, K)
- Drugs : antipsychotic , antiarrhythmic, macrolids , lithium.
- ICH
- Hypothermia
- Hypothyroidism
- Long QT syndrome (congenital)

Case 12

- 45 y/o male smoker & diabetic presented with chest pain, nausea & vomiting
 - ECG showed:

Age: 40

Sex:

QT/QTc

0.342s/0.441s

• Normal sinus rhythm

12-Lead 8

P-QRS-T Axes:

65° 66° 100°

• ST elevation consider inferior injury or acute infarct

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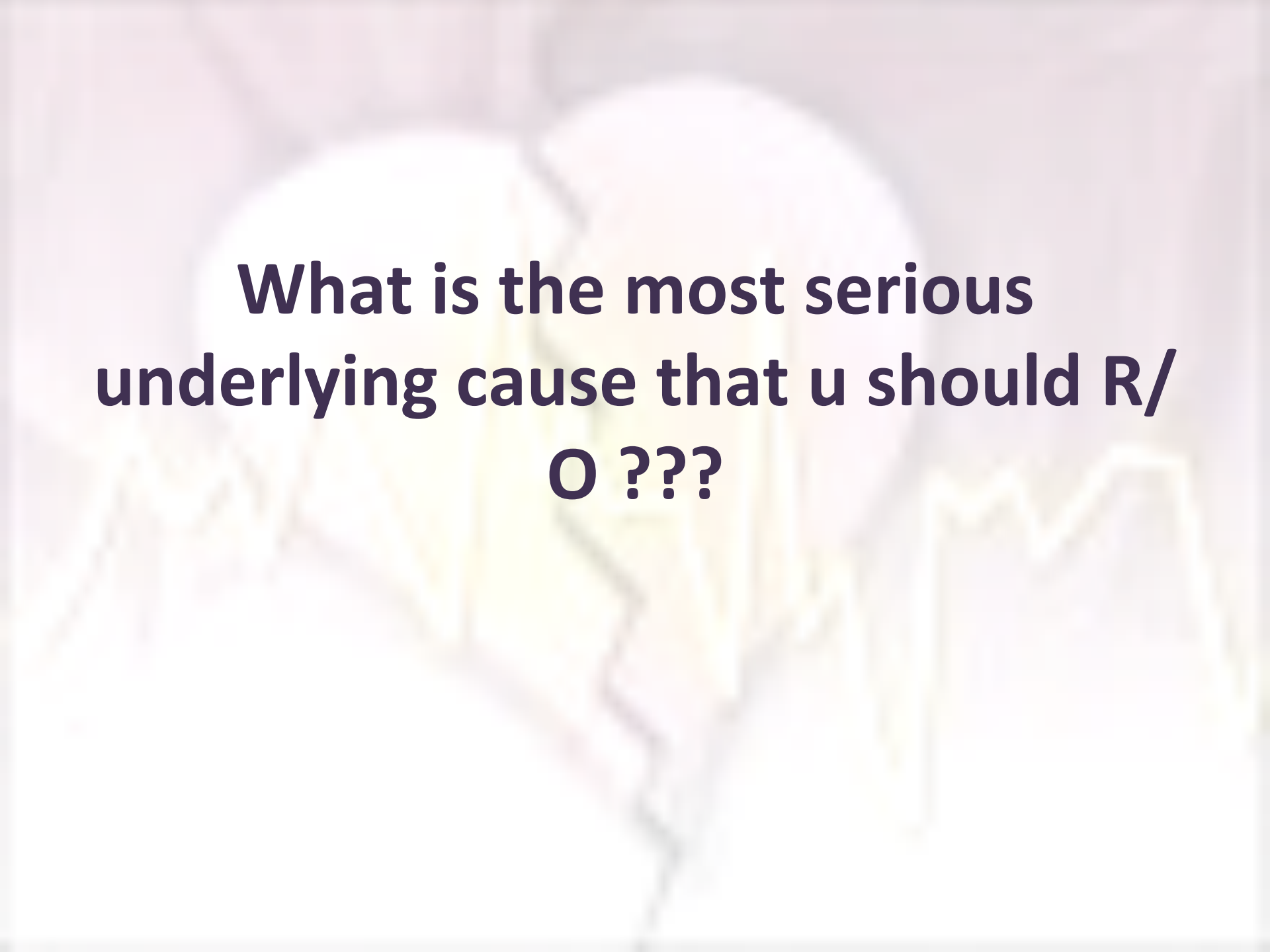


What is your next step??






**What is the most likely
culprit ??**



**What is the most serious
underlying cause that u should R/
O ???**



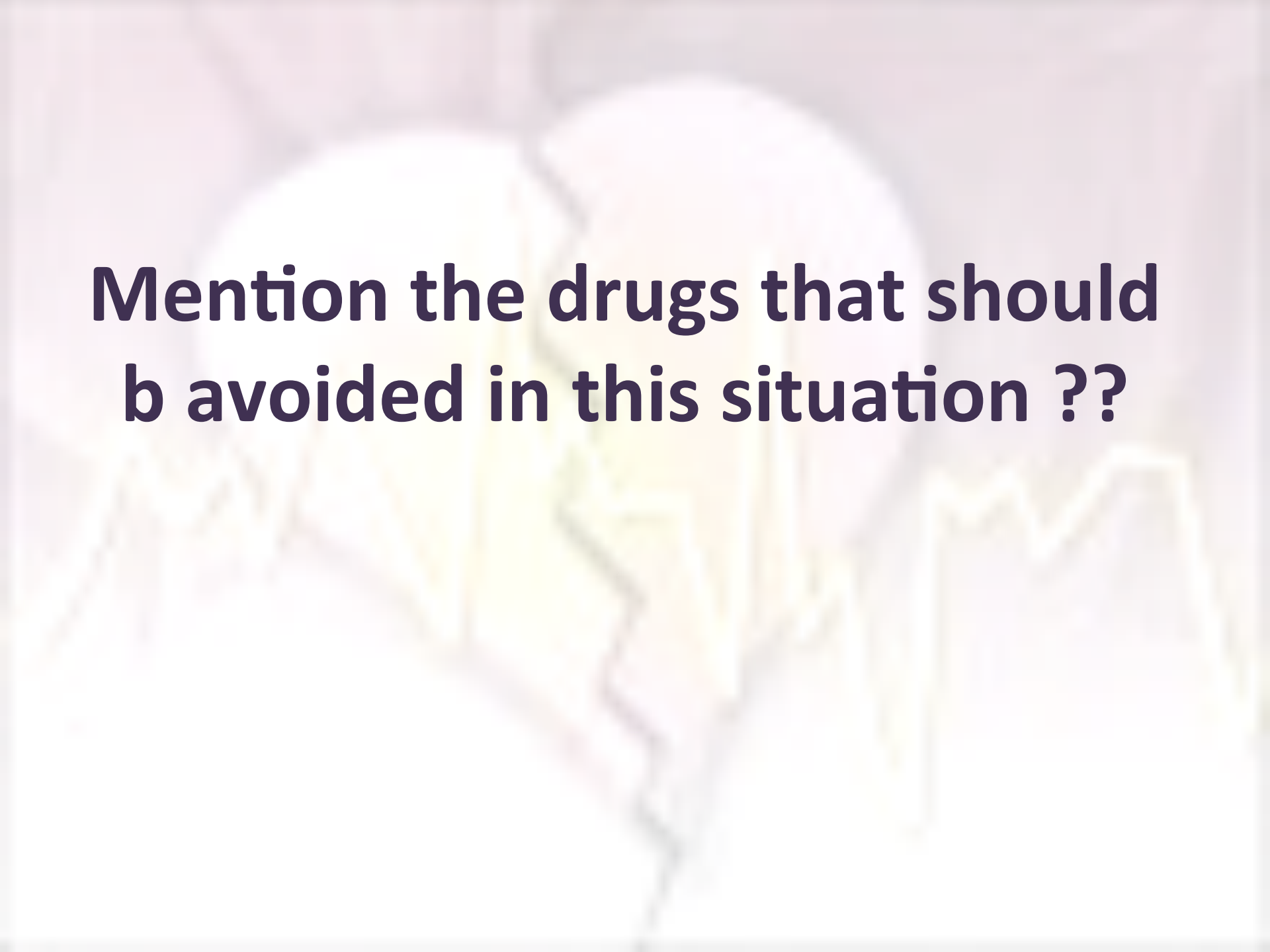
Mention the 3 most important clinical signs of RV MI ??



Hypotension
jugular vein distention
clear lung fields



**What is the most imp. Step in
Mx??**



**Mention the drugs that should
b avoided in this situation ??**

Thank you

