# **Updates in PAD and Vascular Surgery**

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# **Conflict of Interest**

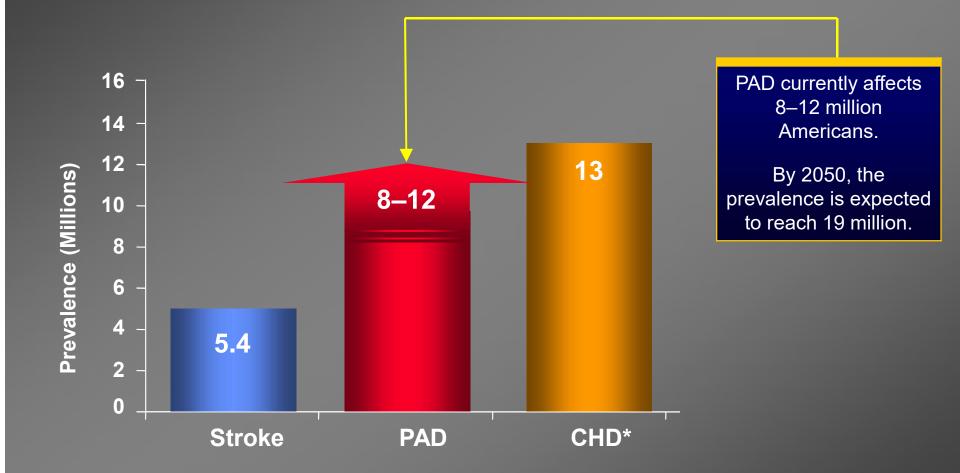
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# Vascular Surgery

- Approximately 3000 fellowship trained surgeons.
- Oklahoma
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    - Lowest per capita in the US
  - TULSA
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- Atherosclerosis affects up to 10% of the Western population older than 65 years.
- It is estimated that 2% of the population aged 40-60 years and 6% of the population older than 70 years are affected with PAD
- Most commonly manifests in men older than 50 years.

#### **Prevalence of PAD in the US**



CHD = coronary heart disease. PAD = peripheral arterial disease.

\* Includes myocardial infarction and angina pectoris.

American Heart Association. Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics—2005 Update. 2005.

#### Comparison of global estimates of prevalence and risk factors for peripheral artery disease in 2000 and 2010: a systematic review and analysis



F Gerald R Fowkes<sup>\*</sup>, Diana Rudan<sup>\*</sup>, Igor Rudan<sup>\*</sup>, Victor Aboyans, Julie O Denenberg, Mary M McDermott, Paul E Norman, Uchechukwe K A Sampson, Linda J Williams, George A Mensah, Michael H Criqui

People living with peripheral artery disease in year 2000 (thousands)			People living with peripheral artery disease in 2010 (thousands)			Rate of change (2000-10)		
High-income countries	Low-income and middle-income countries	Worldwide	High-income countries	Low-income and middle-income countries	Worldwide	High-income countries	Low-income and middle-income countries	Worldwide

# PAD IS A MAJOR GLOBAL HEALTH PROBLEM

60-64 years	5342	9074	14 416	6242	11787	18029	16-85%	29.90%	25.06%
65-69 years	5287	8416	13704	5547	10124	15 670	4.90%	20-29%	14.35%
70–74 years	5594	6953	12547	6043	9020	15063	8-02%	29.73%	20.05%
75-79 years	4808	4960	9768	5370	7012	12 382	11-68%	41.36%	26.75%
80-84 years	3107	3015	6123	4723	4396	9118	51-98%	45-77%	48-92%
85-89 years	2246	1411	3658	3028	2087	5115	34-80%	47-86%	39.84%
≥90 years	1174	544	1717	1611	864	2474	37-22%	58-82%	44-09%
Total	54195	109 405	163 600	61287	140775	202 062	13-08%	28.67%	23-51%

Additions in the table might deviate from the world total in the last digit due to rounding.

Table 2: Estimated number of people living with peripheral artery disease in high-income countries, low-income and middle-income countries, and worldwide in the years 2000 and 2010, and the rate of change from 2000 to 2010

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#### Lawmakers are bringing Peripheral Artery Disease awareness to Congress

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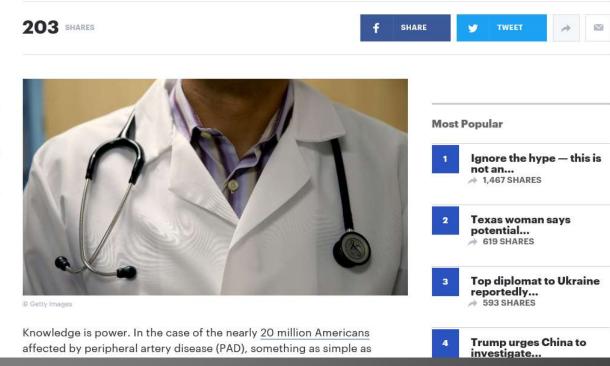
GOP senator: 'Whistleblowers should be protected' SENATE – 1M 195 AGO

Maxine Waters: President Trump is 'setting some of us up to be killed' HOUSE - 3M 45S AGO

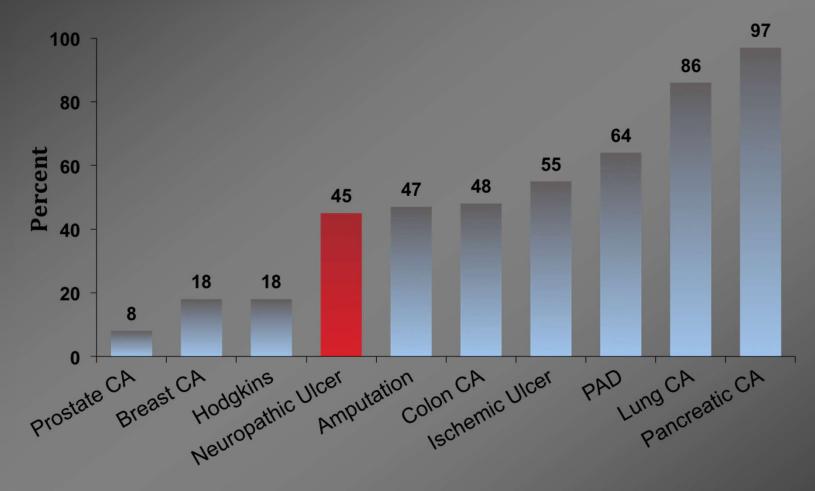
What America's Thinking: October 3, 2019 WHAT AMERICA'S THINKING

- 4M 4S AGO

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# **5-Year Mortality Rates**



# What is PAD:

#### Progressive restriction of peripheral blood flow

#### Clinical Presentation The Spectrum of Manifestations of PAD

- Asymptomatic
- Atypical symptoms
- Intermittent claudication
- Critical limb ischemia
  - Rest Pain
  - Ulceration
  - Necrosis/Gangrene
- Acute limb ischemia

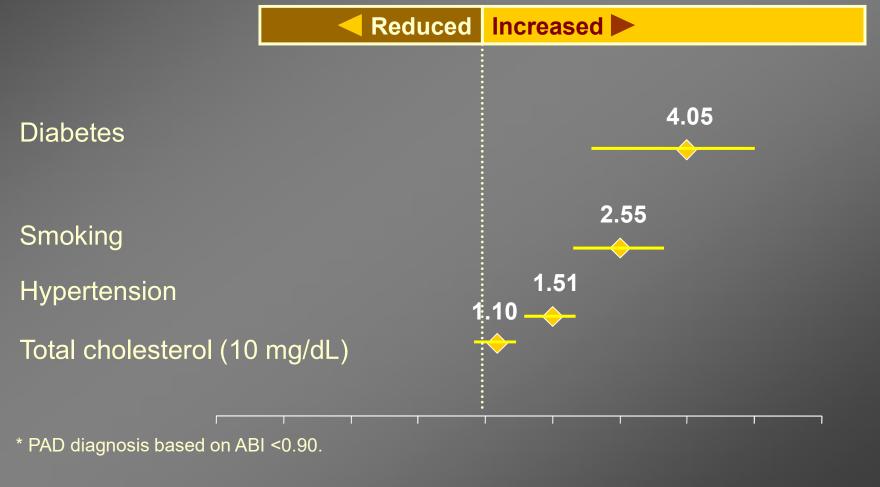


# **Does the Patient Have Intermittent Claudication?**

	Claudication	Pseudoclaudication
Characteristic of discomfort	Cramping, tightness, aching, fatigue	Same, tingling, burning, numbness
Location of discomfort	Buttock, hip, thigh, calf, foot	Same
Exercise-induced	Yes	Variable
Distance	Consistent	Variable
Occurs with standing	No	Yes
Action for relief	Stand	Sit, change position
Time to relief	Less than 5 minutes	Up to 30 minutes

# **Independent Risk Factors for PAD\***

Relative Risk vs the General Population



Newman AB, et al. Circulation. 1993;88:837-845

### **Prevalence of PAD in At-Risk Patients**

- The PARTNERS\* program evaluated 6,979 patients in physicians' offices.
- Patient criteria:
  - $\geq 70$  years, or
  - 50–69 years with a history of smoking and/or diabetes

**29%** 

**29%** of patients were diagnosed with PAD

\* PARTNERS=PAD Awareness, Risk, and Treatment: New Resources for Survival. Hirsch AT, et al. *JAMA*. 2001;286:1317-1324.

#### **Diabetes and PAD: A Global Epidemic**

- **O**>23 million diabetics in US; 300+ million worldwide
- OAge-adjusted risk for amputation is 28-fold higher
- OA diabetic is undergoing a lower extremity amputation every 20-30 seconds
- ODiabetic foot ulcer is a strong predictor for limb loss
- O1 out of 3 diabetics older than age 50 have PAD
- ODiabetics with PAD are at significantly increased risk for mortality and limb loss
- OMajor public health expenditures and growing rapidly

# PAD in Diabetic Patients: Cardiovascular Morbidity

■82% of amputations in the US related to diabetes\*

 $\Box$  DM + foot ulcer + PAD = 50% mortality in 5 years!

#### Typical vs Atypical Symptoms in Patients With Symptomatic PAD

#### Typical Symptoms<sup>1</sup>

#### Intermittent claudication

- Exertional calf pain that
  - causes the patient to stop walking
  - resolves within 10 minutes of rest

Other nonspecific leg symptoms that may be indicative of PAD

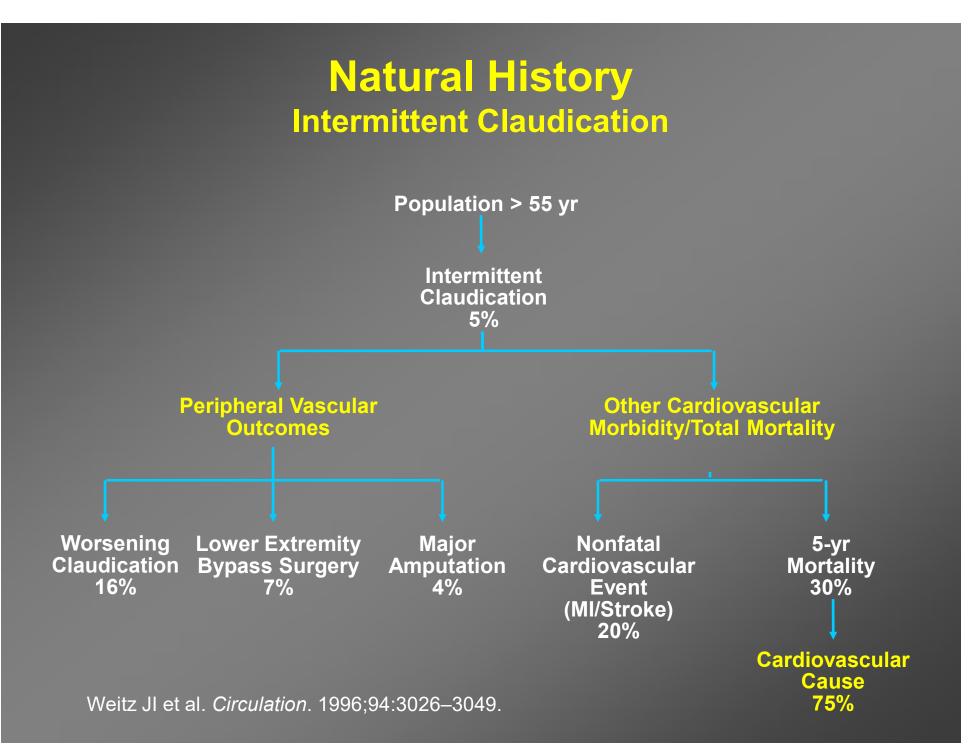
#### Atypical Symptoms<sup>1</sup>

- Exertional leg pain that
  - may involve areas other than the calves
  - may not stop the patient from walking
  - may not resolve within 10 minutes of rest

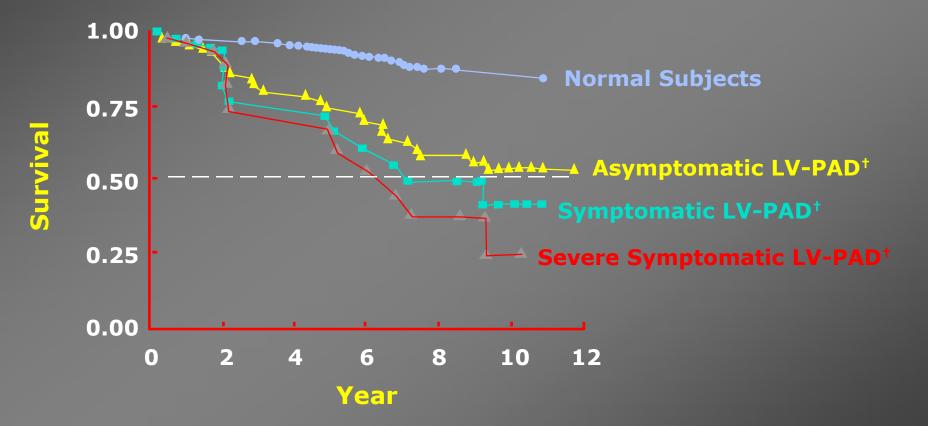
**33%**<sup>2</sup> >50%<sup>2</sup>

1. McDermott MM et al. *JAMA*. 2001;286:1599-1606. 2. Hiatt WR. *N Engl J Med*. 2001;344:1608-1621.

- 50-90% of patients with definite intermittent claudication do not report their symptom to clinician.
- Most patients appear to accept a decrease in walking distance as a part of aging.



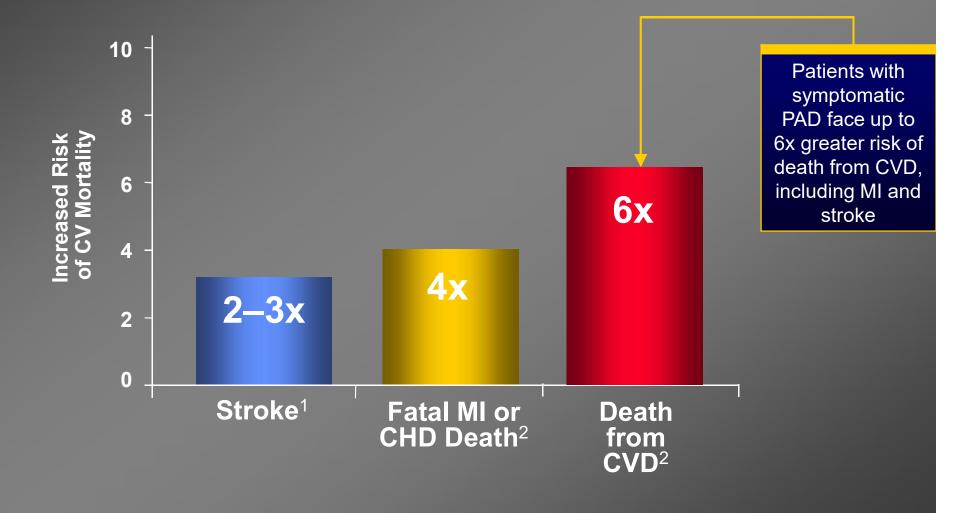
# Impact of PAD on Mortality



\*Kaplan-Meier survival curves based on mortality from all causes. <sup>+</sup>Large-vessel PAD.

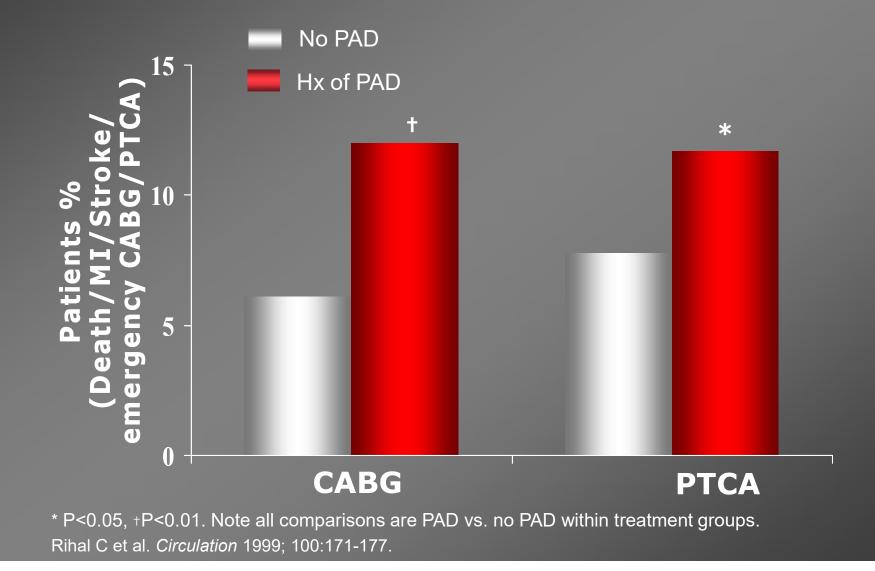
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#### **Cardiovascular Events with PAD**

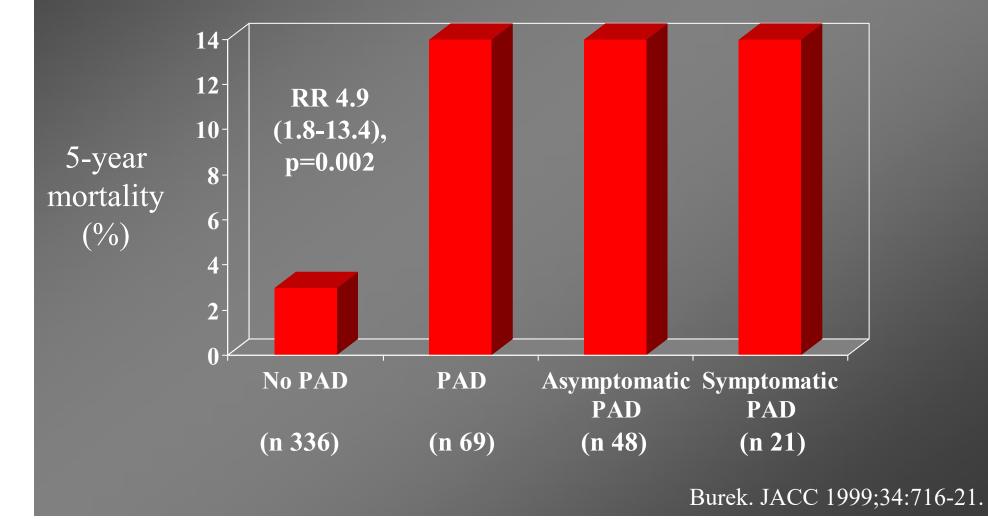


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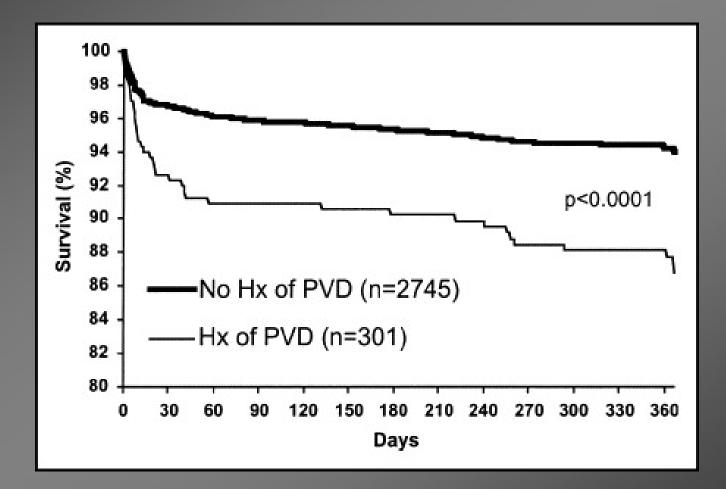
# Increased Incidence of Periprocedural Complications in PAD



# Prognostic importance of PAD in patients undergoing coronary revascularization



## Effect of PVD on Mortality after AMI treated with PCI



Guerrero et al. Am J Cardiol 2005;96:649-654.

#### **Treatment of PAD** *Prevent Ischemic Events*

### **Risk factor modification** Antiplatelet therapies

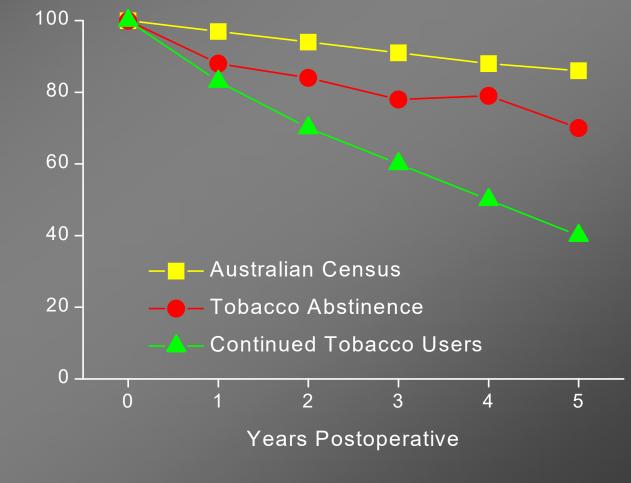
- Smoking cessation
  - Goal: complete cessation
- Lipid management
  - Target LDL < 100 mg/dL
- Blood pressure control
  - Goal <130/85 mm Hg
- Blood sugar control
  - Goal: HbA<sub>1c</sub> <7%

- Aspirin or Clopidogrel
  - Goal: reduction in risk of MI, stroke, and vascular death
  - Only clopidogrel is FDA approved
  - Many professional societies include ASA among first line agents in guidelines

# Effect of Smoking Cessation on Survival in PAD

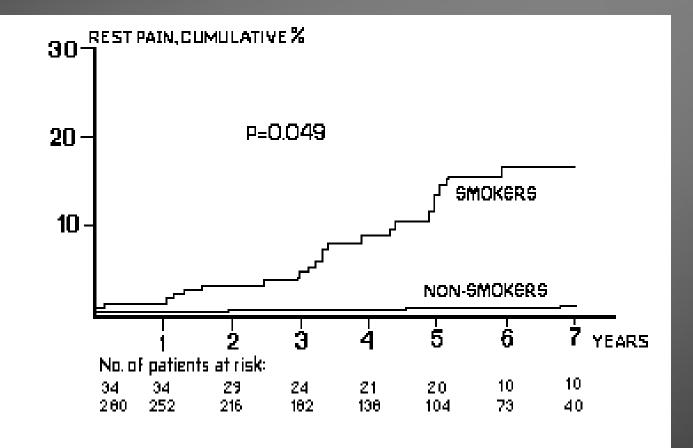
131 PatientsFollowed AfterBypass Graft orLumbarSympathectomySurgery

Cumulative Survival (%)



Faulkner et al. Med J Aust 1983;1:217.

# Impact of Smoking Cessation on PAD

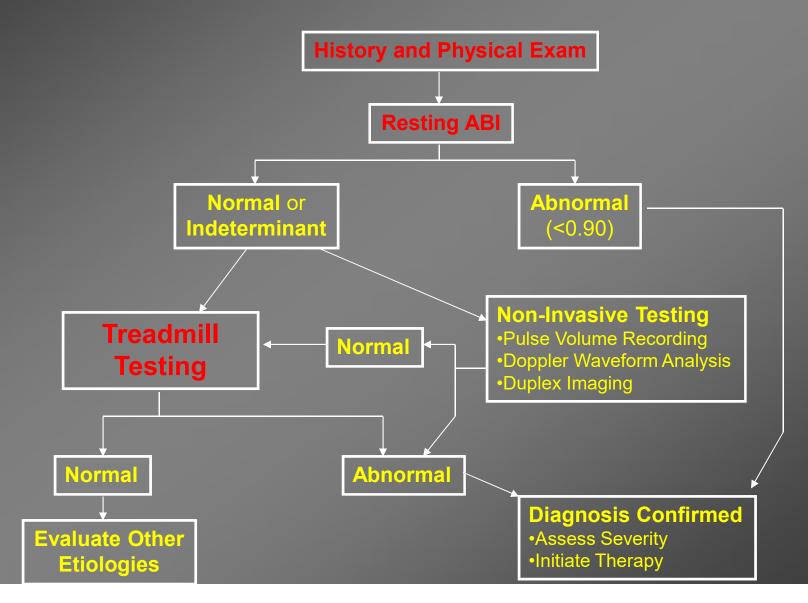


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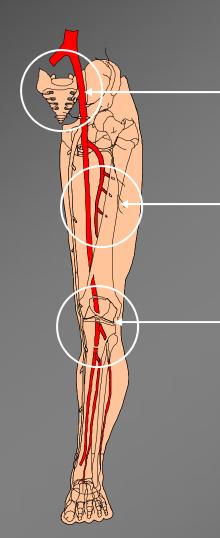
# **Diagnostic Testing**

- Ankle-brachial index
- Segmental limb pressures
- Pulse volume recordings
- Doppler velocity waveform analysis
- Functional testing
  - Treadmill exercise testing
- Duplex scanning
- Advanced imaging techniques

# Establishing the Diagnosis of Intermittent Claudication



### **Common Sites of Claudication**



<b>Obstruction</b>	ir
Aorta or	
iliac artery	

Femoral artery or branches

Ischemia in Buttock, hip, thigh

→ Thigh, calf

Popliteal artery \_\_\_\_ or distal Calf, ankle, foot

# **Advanced Vascular Imaging**

#### **CT Angiography**

- Maximum-intensity projection (MIPs)
  - Angiographic like representation
- Volume rendering
  - Preserves depth information
- Multi-planar reformat
- Curved planar reformat (CPR)
  - Perpendicular to median arterial centerline



#### **MR Angiography**

- Traditional: Time of flights
- Contrast-enhanced MRA
  - Improves speed of exam, anatomic coverage, and small- vessel resolution
- Time-resolved gadolinium enhanced sequences
  - Time-resolved imaging of contrast kinetics (TRICKS)
  - Provides angiographic like dynamic contrast passage
- Moving-table technique or multi-array, parallel-imaging
  - Optimize large field-of-view imaging

#### **Treatment of PAD** *Therapies Based Upon Symptoms*

#### **Intermittent Claudication**

- Exercise Therapy
- Risk Factor Modification
- Revascularization
  - Severe disability

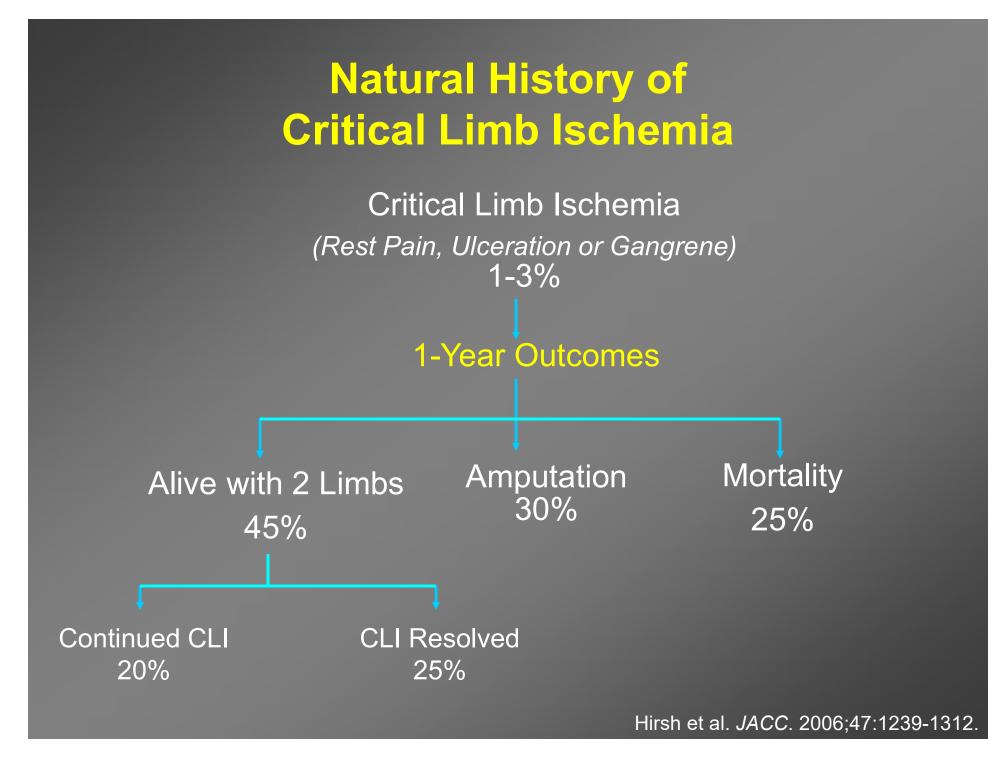
- Wound care
- Antibiotics
- Revascularization

**Critical limb ischemia** 

- Endovascular
- Surgery

# Goal to provide relief of symptoms

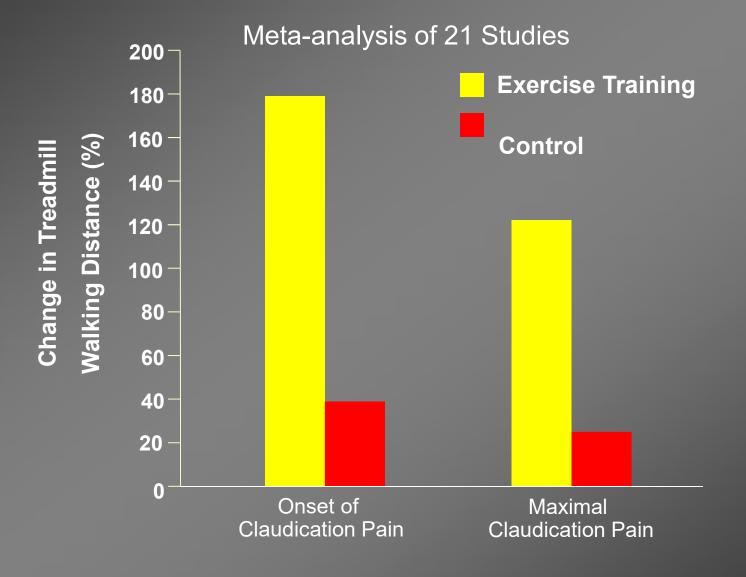
Goal to promote limb survival



# **Exercise for PAD?**

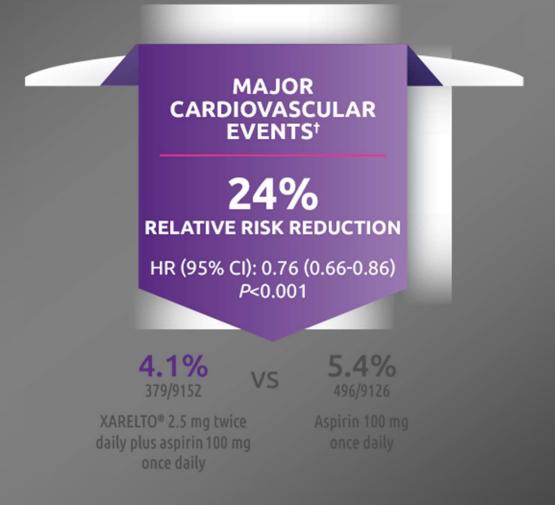
Your legs hurt when you walk so go out and walk?

#### **Treatment of PAD** Effect of Exercise Training



Gardner AW. JAMA. 1995;274:975-980.

# COMPASS Trial Xarelto 2.5 BID + ASA





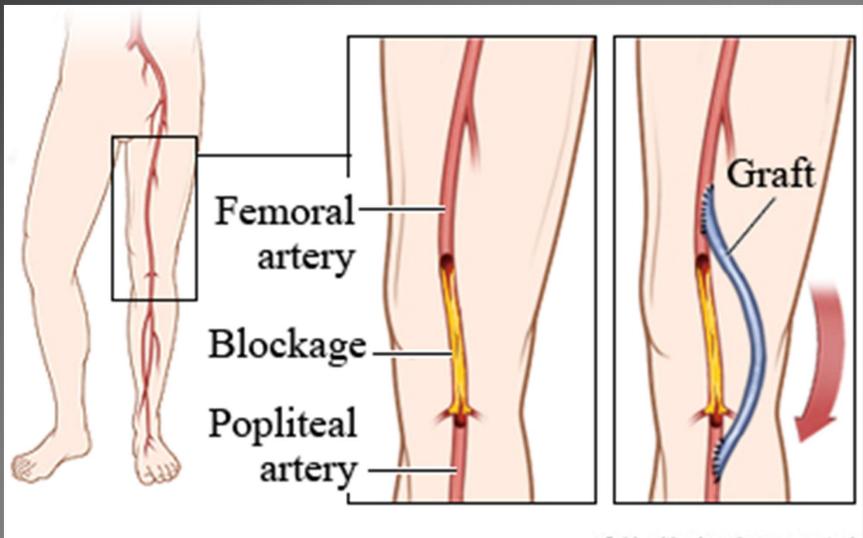
# **44% reduction in ALI**

# **Failed Conservative MGMT**

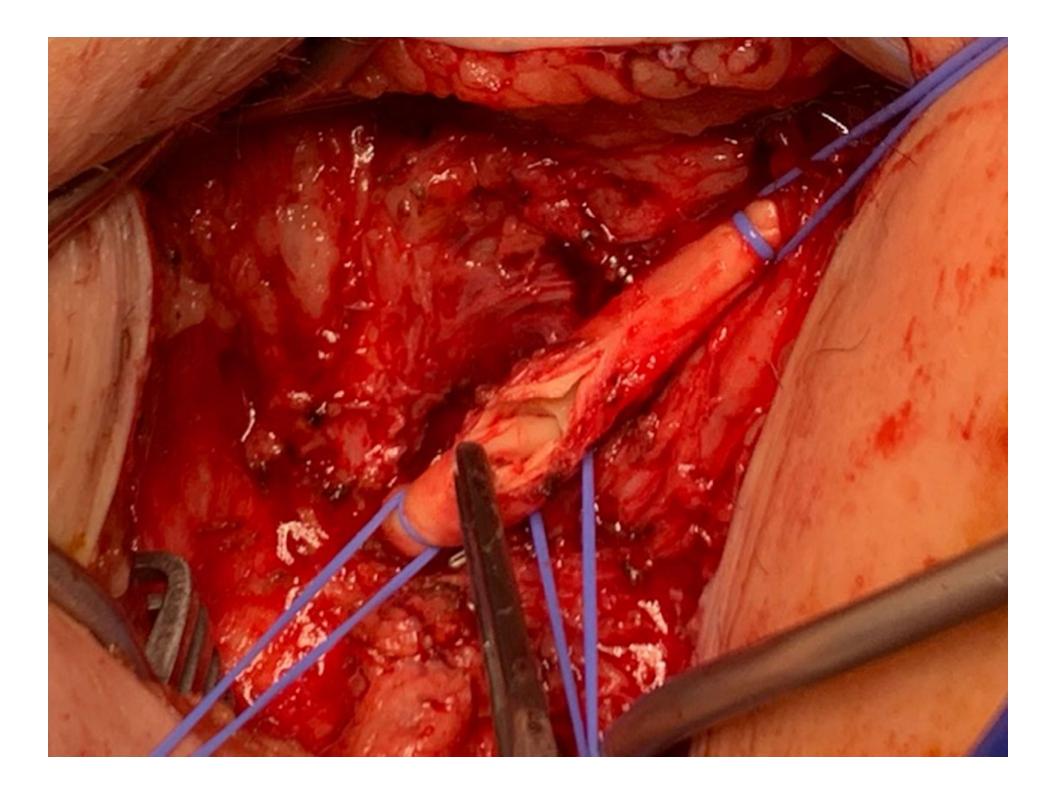
- Invasive Therapy
  - Endovascular
  - Open Surgical
  - Hybrid

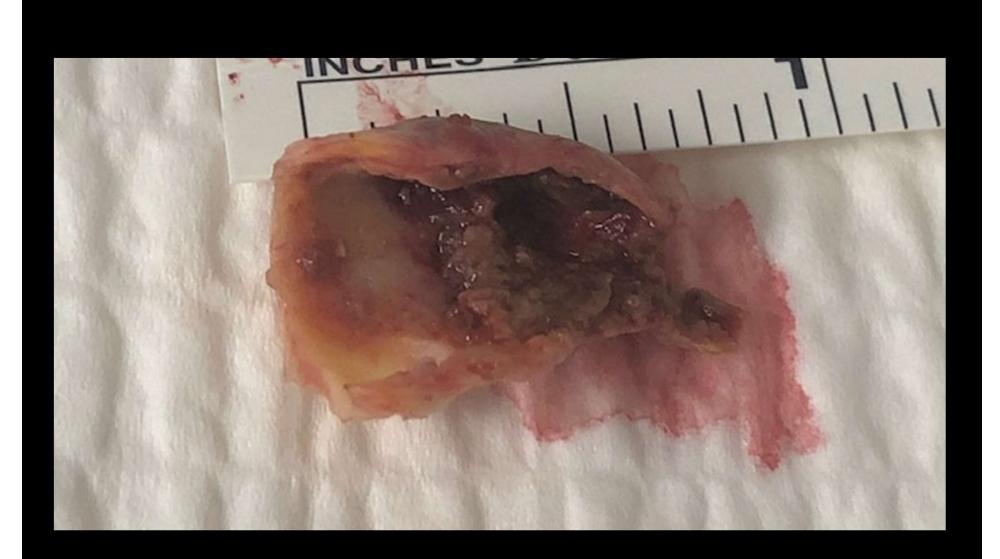
# **Open Surgical**

- Bypass
- Endarterectomy
- Amputation



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## **Endovascular Revascularization**

- Aortoiliac Reconstructions
- SFA Stenting
- Atherectomy
- DCB angioplasty
- Thrombolysis
- Endovascular Bypass

## **Revascularization for Aorto-Iliac Arterial Disease**

### **Aortofemoral Bypass**

- Primary patency at 5 years of 81-85%<sup>1</sup>
- Perioperative mortality 5-8%<sup>1</sup>
- Reserved for severe diffuse disease cases<sup>2</sup>

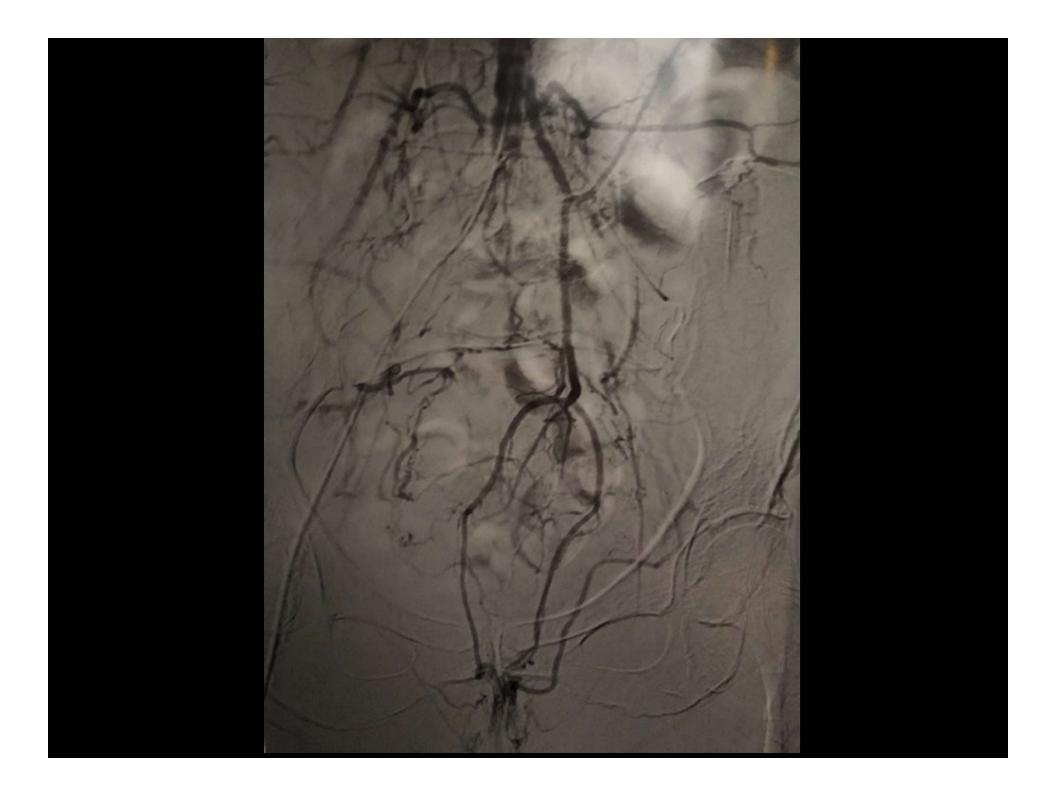
### **Percutaneous Intervention**

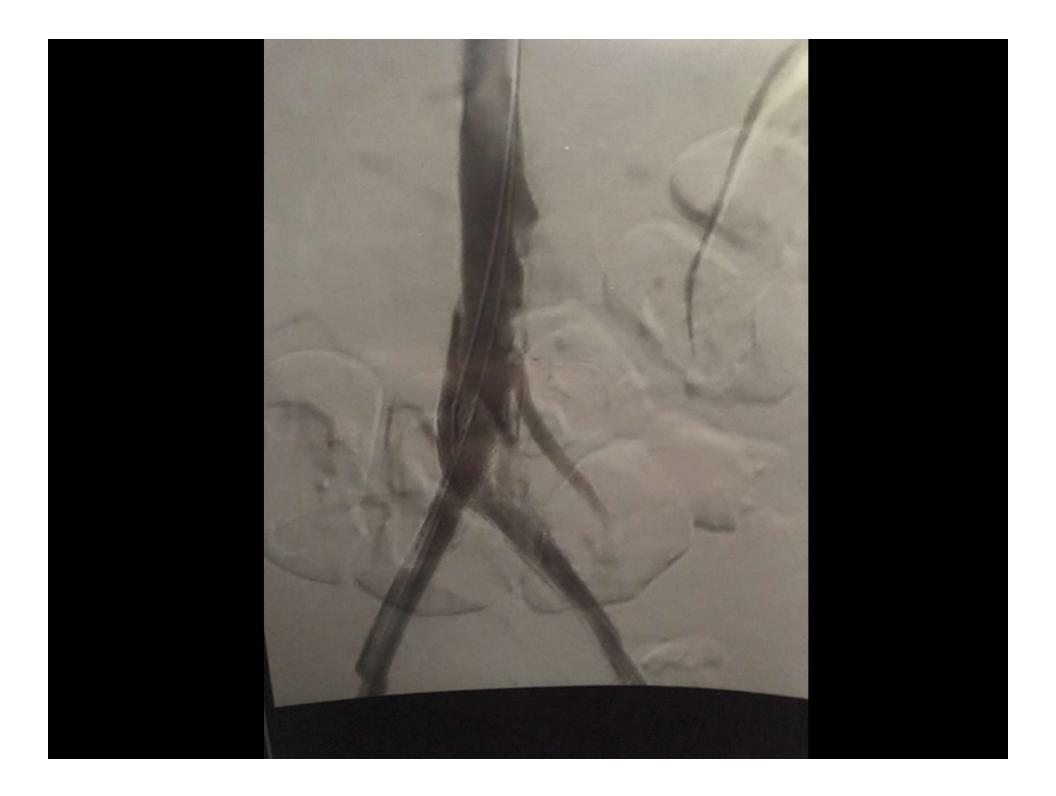
- Patency at 5 years of 65-80%<sup>1</sup>
- Perioperative mortality 0.1%<sup>1</sup>
- Treatment of choice<sup>3</sup>

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- 2. Rosenfield K and Isner JM. Chap 97 in Textbook of Cardiovascular Medicine 1998
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- 2. Belli A-M et al. Clin Radiol 1990;41:380-3
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## **Treatment of PAD** Revascularization for Femoro-Popliteal Disease

## Femoro-Popliteal Bypass Surgery

- Primary patency at 5 years of 60-80%
- Autologous veins preferred to synthetic grafts
- Perioperative mortality 0-3%
- Indicated for Rutherford class  $\geq 3$

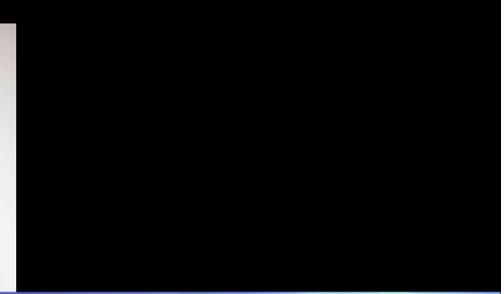
## Femoro-Popliteal Angioplasty

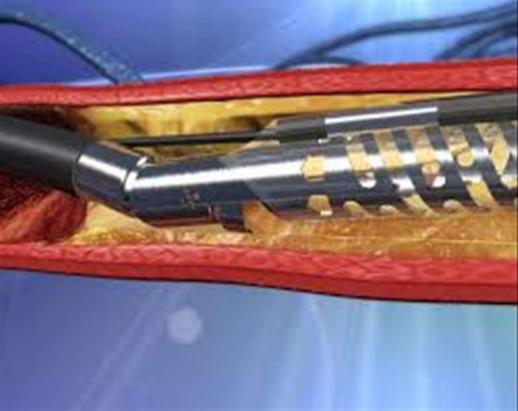
- Patency at 2-5 years ranges between 40-70%
- Technical problems due several anatomic issues:
  - Occlusions vs stenosis
  - Diffuse disease
  - Adductor canal
  - Disease in run off vessels
- Perioperative mortality is very low
- Indicated for Rutherford class  $\geq 2$

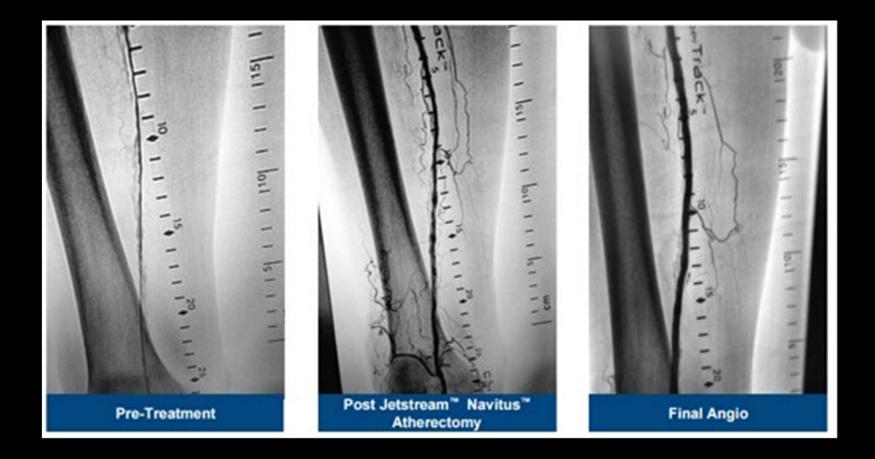
## Atherectomy



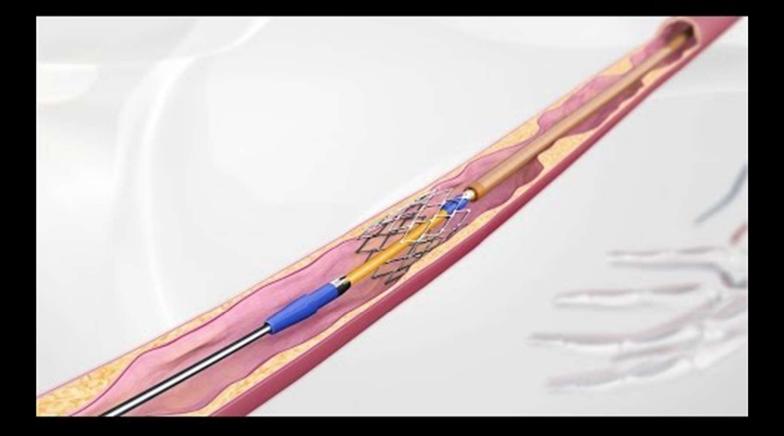








# Stenting

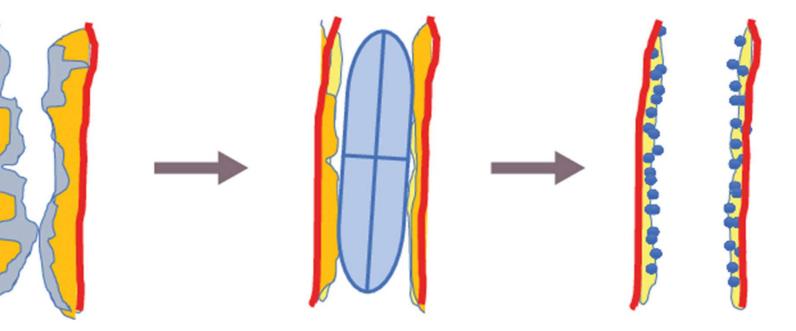




# **Drug Coated Balloon Angioplasty**



#### Lesion preparation (debulking) using atherectomy techniques

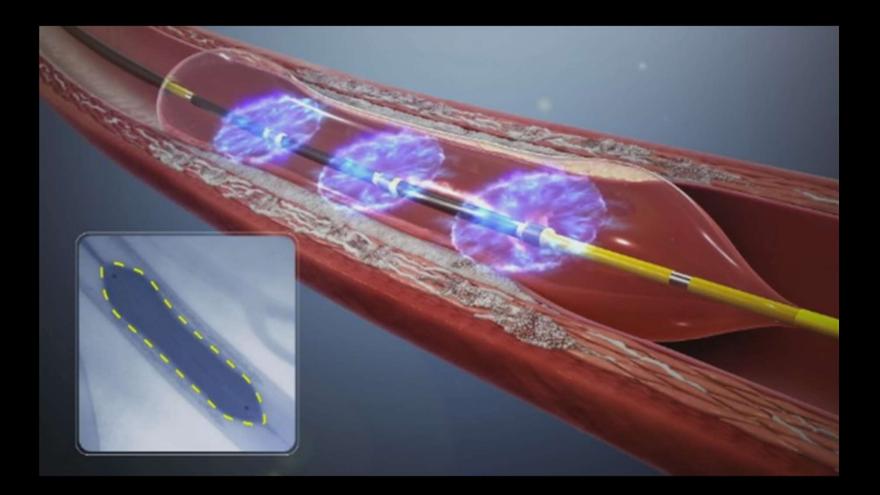


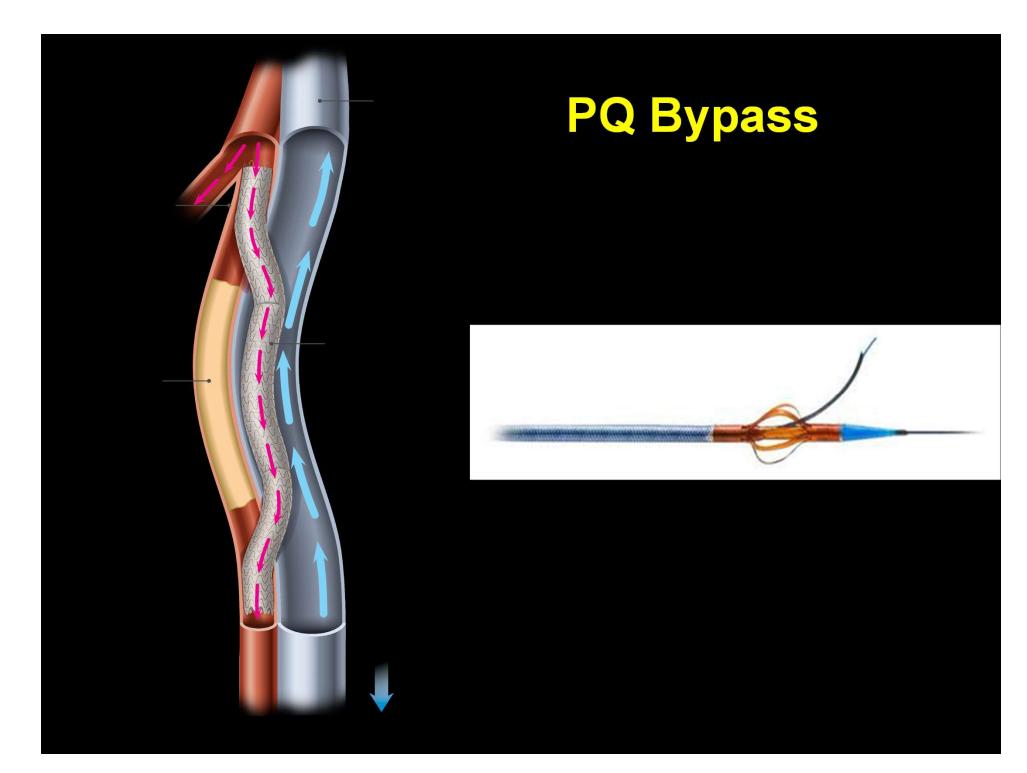
 Atherectomy removes atherosclerotic/calcific tissue, similar to open surgical techniques, resulting in lumen gain without barotrauma 2. Lesion preparation is followed by low-pressure balloon angioplasty, decreasing the chance of dissection and obviating the need for stent placement 3. Simultaneously, drug delivery to the vessel wall is increased, lowering the chance of restenosis due to neointimal tissue hyperplasia in the long term

# Thrombolysis



# Lithotripsy



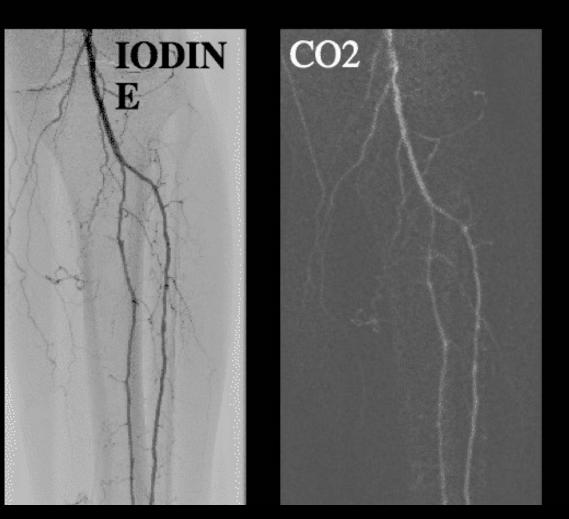


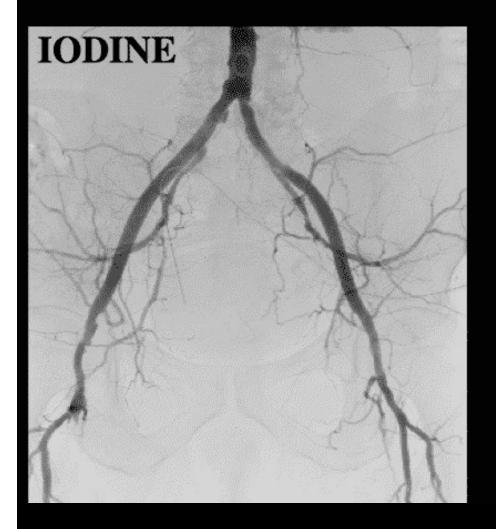
## **Summary of PAD and Its Management**

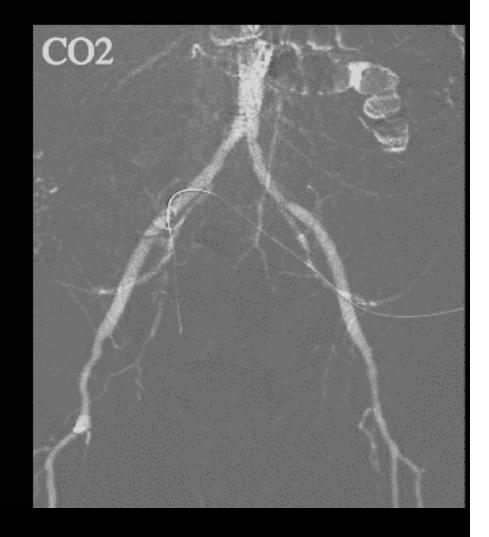
- PAD is common and has a significant impact upon cardiovascular outcomes
- Treatment of PAD, even asymptomatic, should focus on risk factor modification/risk reduction
- Treatment of intermittent claudication should include exercise therapy, drug therapy and selective use of revascularization
- Treatment for critical limb ischemia warrants aggressive efforts at revascularization, including surgery, to reduce the risk of amputation

ESRD CKD Angiography New Access Options





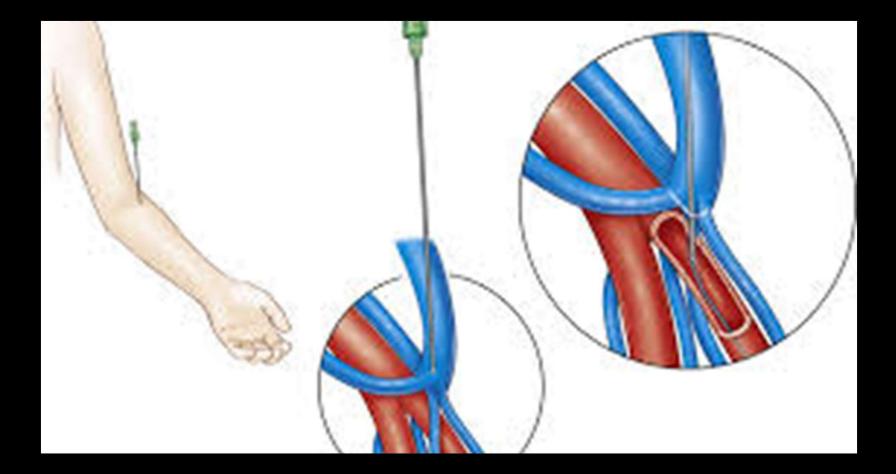


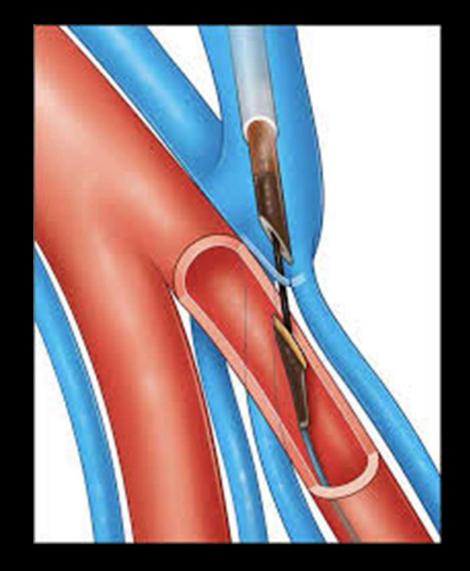


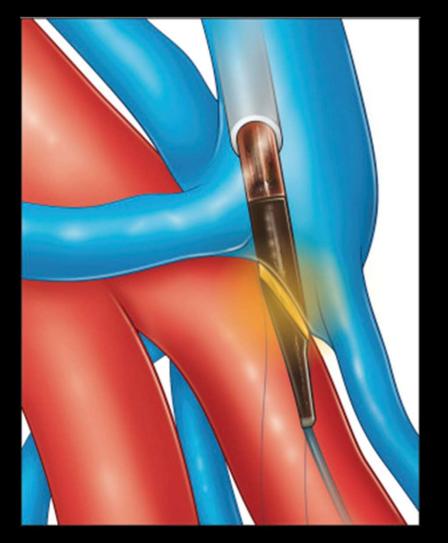
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- Ellipsys
- Waveling

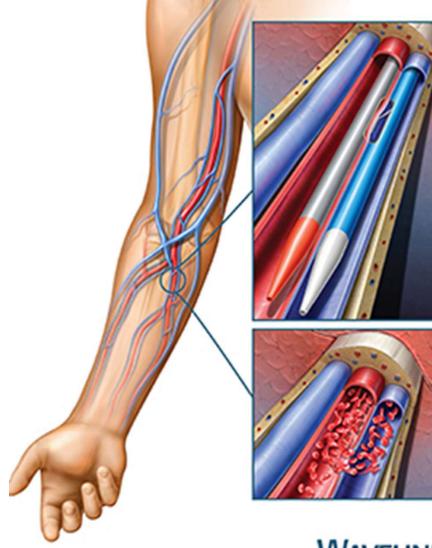








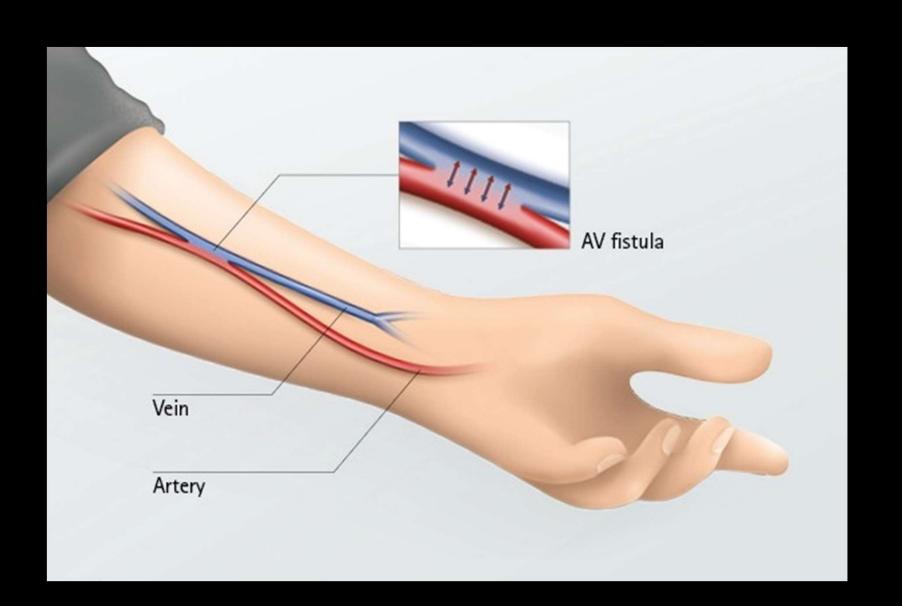
# Waveling



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# Cerebrovascular Disease

# Screening

- No good guidelines
- Recommended against screening in the asymptomatic general population
- Recommend screening in patients with bruits who are candidates for intervention and in pre-op planning of CABG surgery

# Screening

- Potential "High Risk" Group
  - ->60
    - HTN
    - CAD
    - Smoking
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Deg relative with a CVA
    - 1 = 6%
    - 2 = 14%
    - 3 = 16%
    - 4 = 76%

## **Recommended Imaging**

- TIA/CVA w/in 6 mo
- Amaurosis Fugax
- Retinal Artery Occlusion
- Asymptomatic Cerebral Infarction

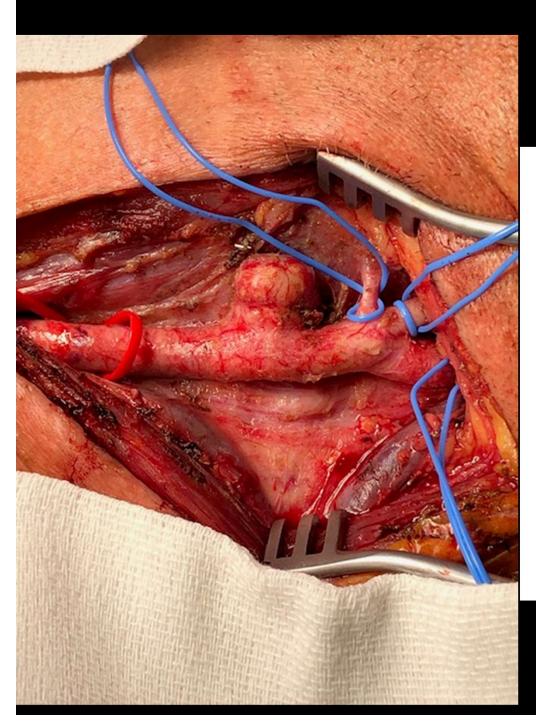
#### Indications

- Greater then 80% stenosis
   US, CTA, Angiography
- Symptomatic Disease

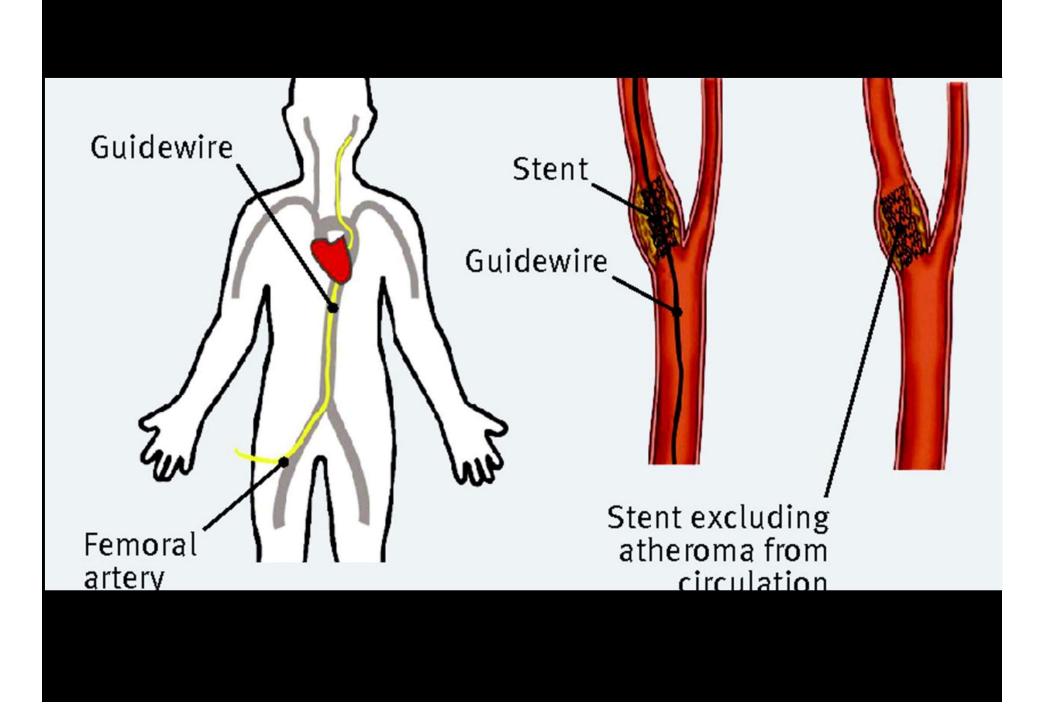
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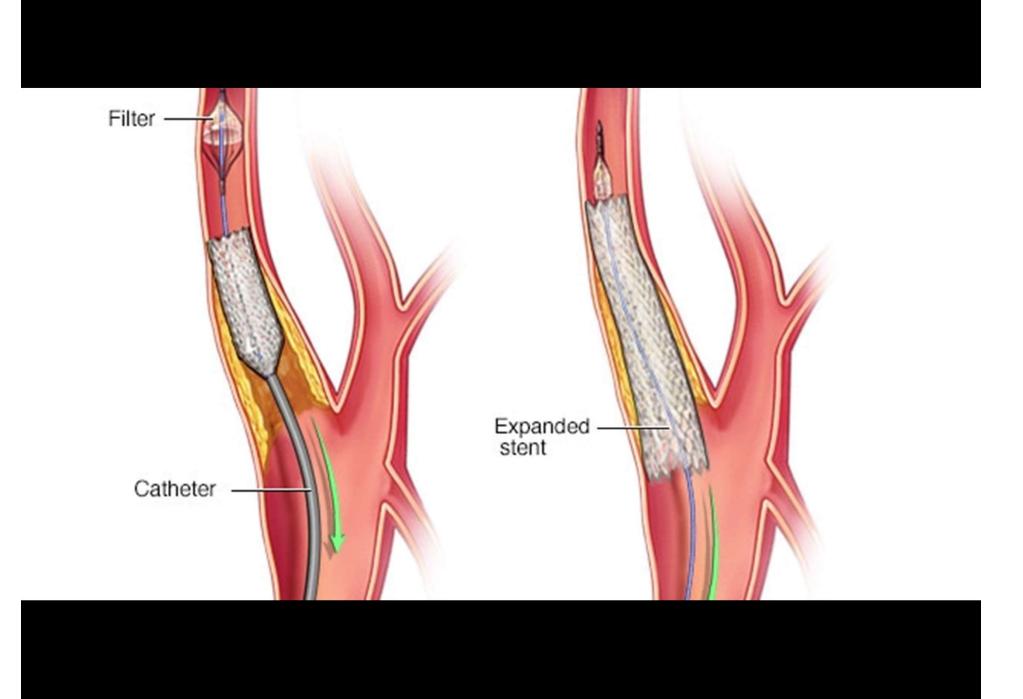
#### **Treatment Options**

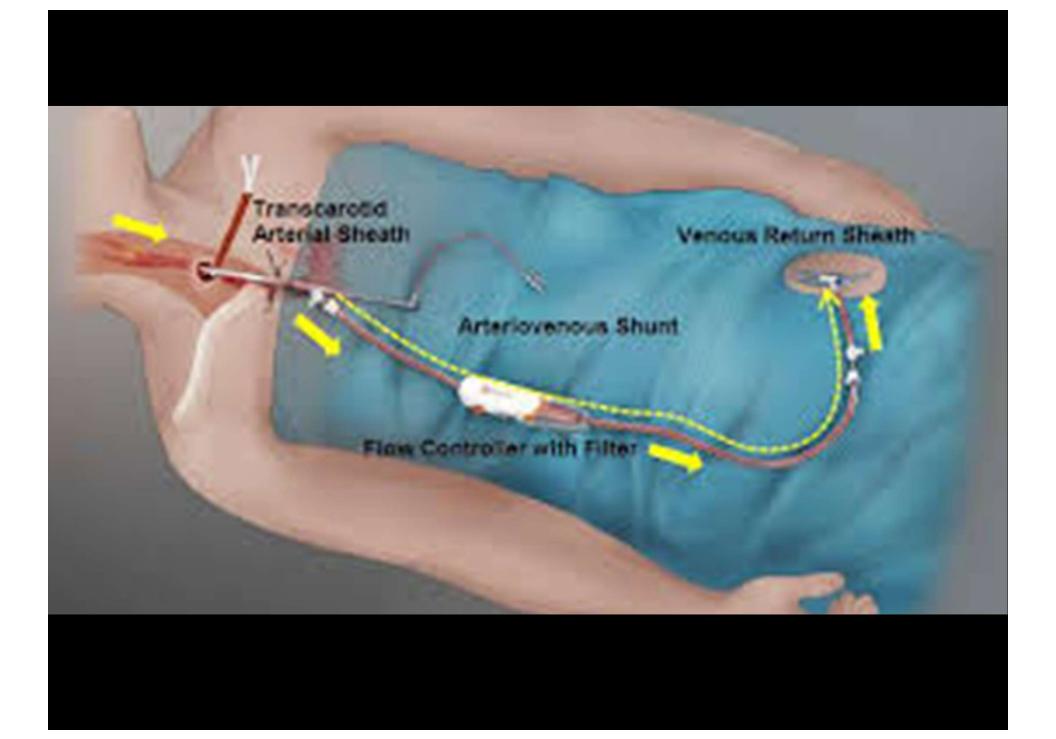
- Carotid Endarterectomy
- Trans-Femoral Stenting
- Trans-Carotid Stenting (TCAR)

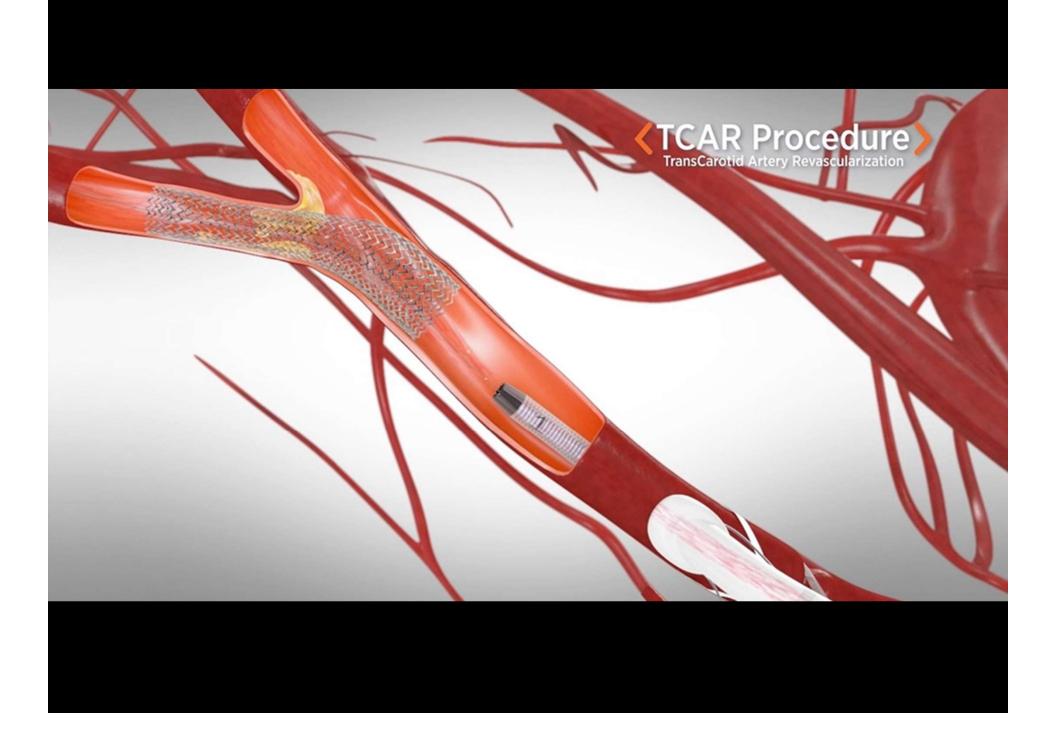


#### REMOVAL OF PLAQUE Internal carotid Internal External carotid carotid External carotid - Clamps Patch Incision in artery wall Sutures Page Common carotid Common carotid Clamp ·

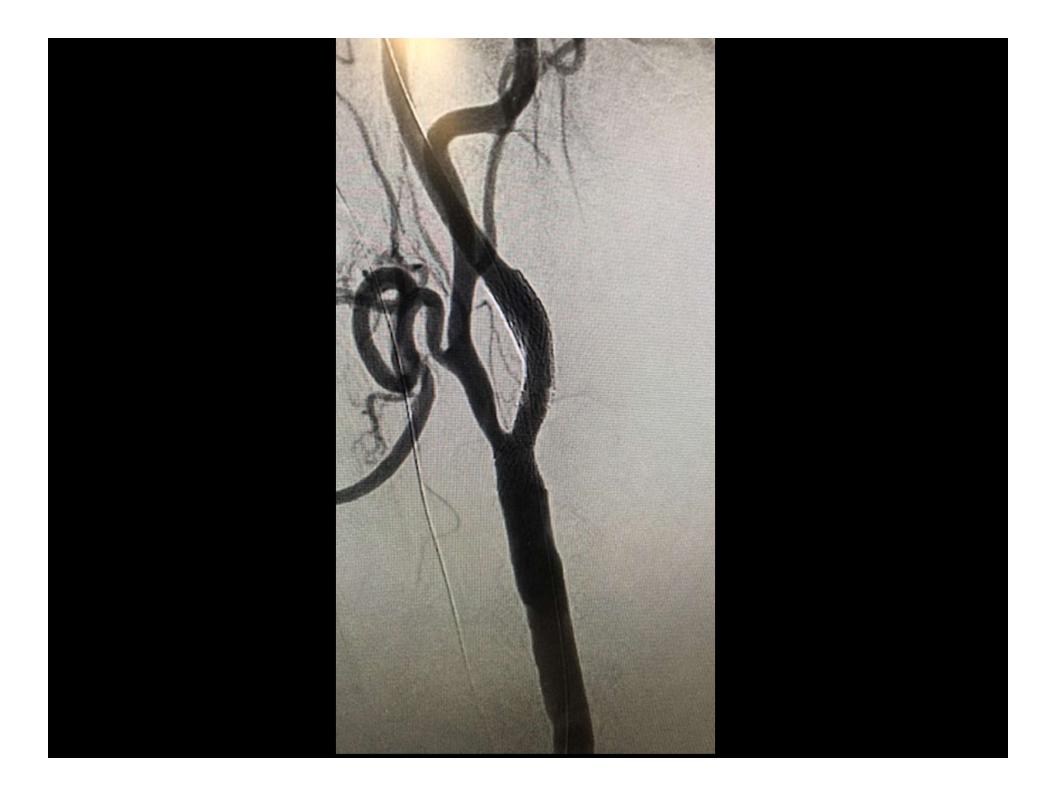






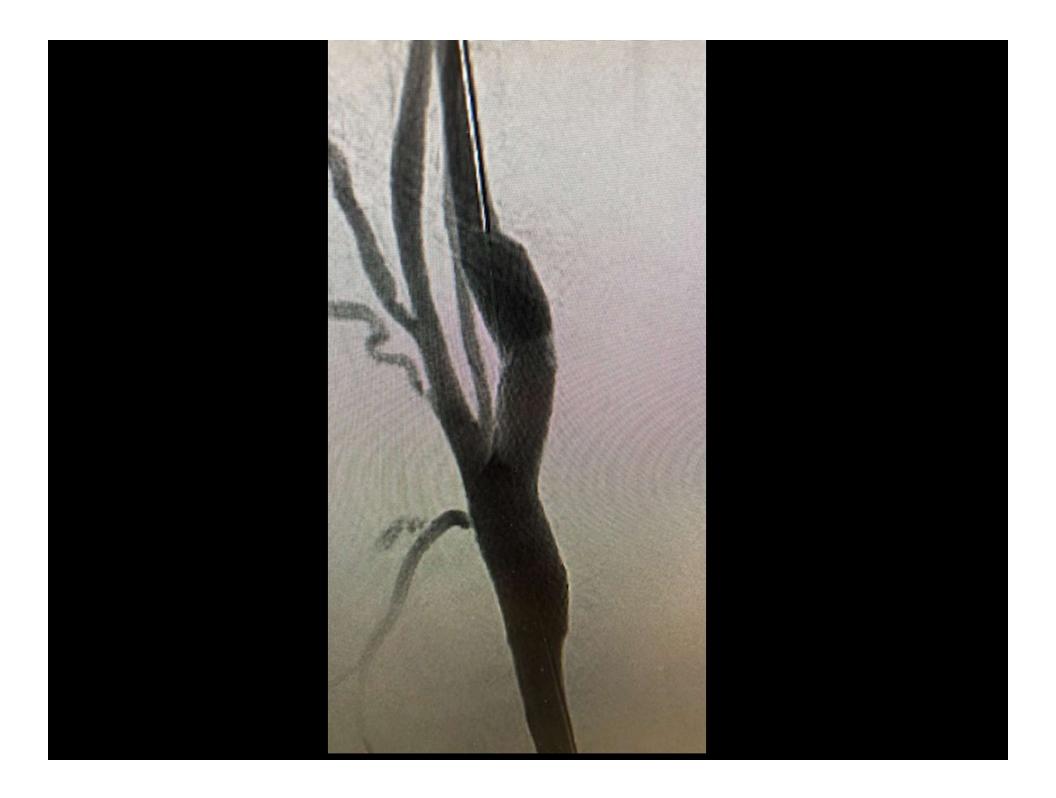
















### Screening

Male > 65

100 cigs/lifetime

Family History

#### **Aortic Aneurysm Population**

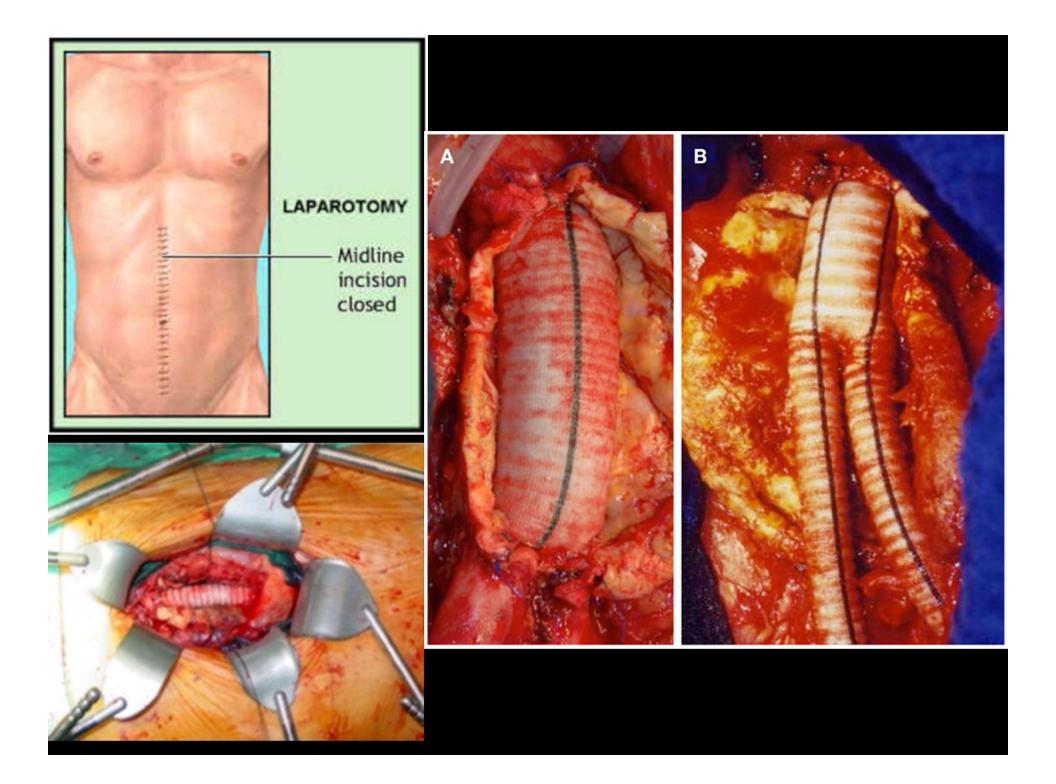
- Average age 69
- Age at rupture 74
- 25% DM
- 60% COPD
- 70% CAD
- 65% present emergently
- 85% are ASA III or greater

#### Indications

- 5.0 cm Infrarenal AAA fusiform
- 4.5 cm Infrarenal AAA Saccular
- 2.5-3.0 cm Iliac Aneurysm

#### Treatment

- Open
- Endovascular
  - Infrarenal
  - Fenestrated
  - Snorkle
  - Physician Modified



#### **Complex Endo Aortic Techniques**

#### • FEVAR

- Fenestrated EndoVascular Aortic Repair

• ChEVAR

– Chimeney EndoVascular Aortic Repair

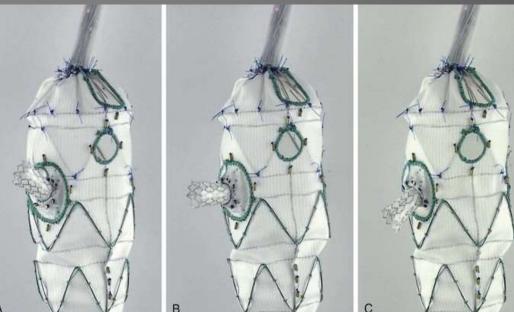
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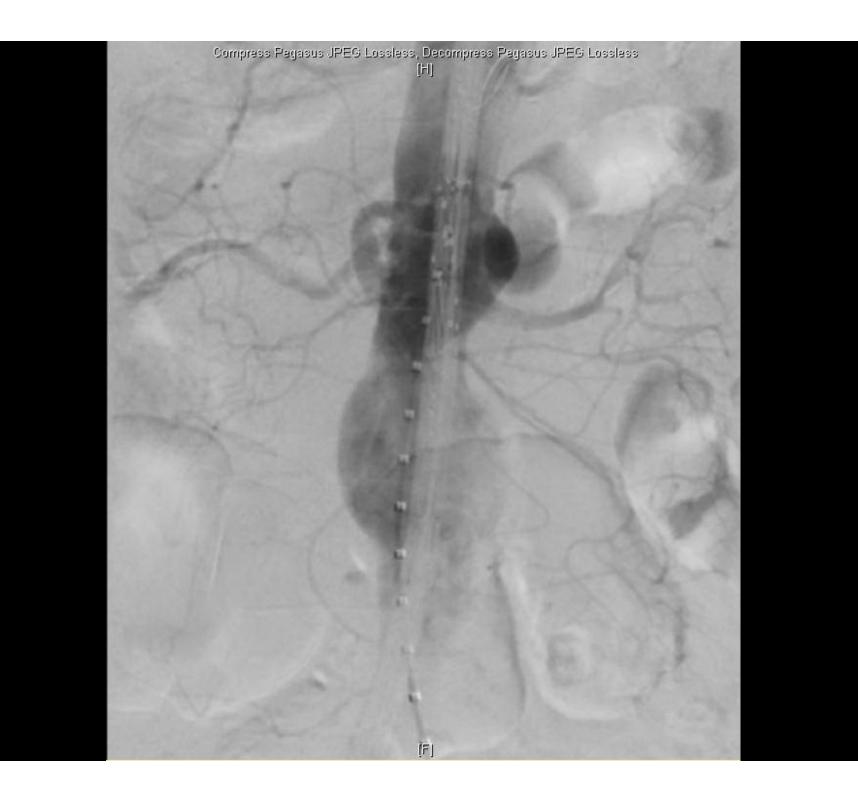
– Branched EndoVascular Aortic Repair

• Hybrid Repair

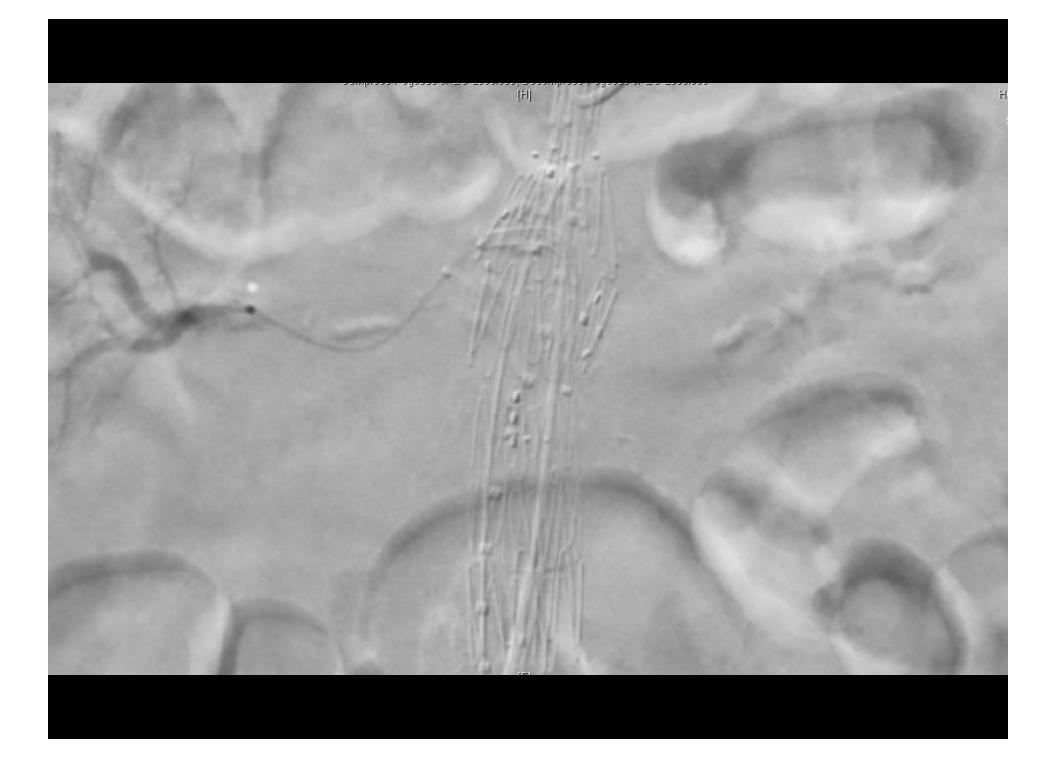
#### **FEVAR**

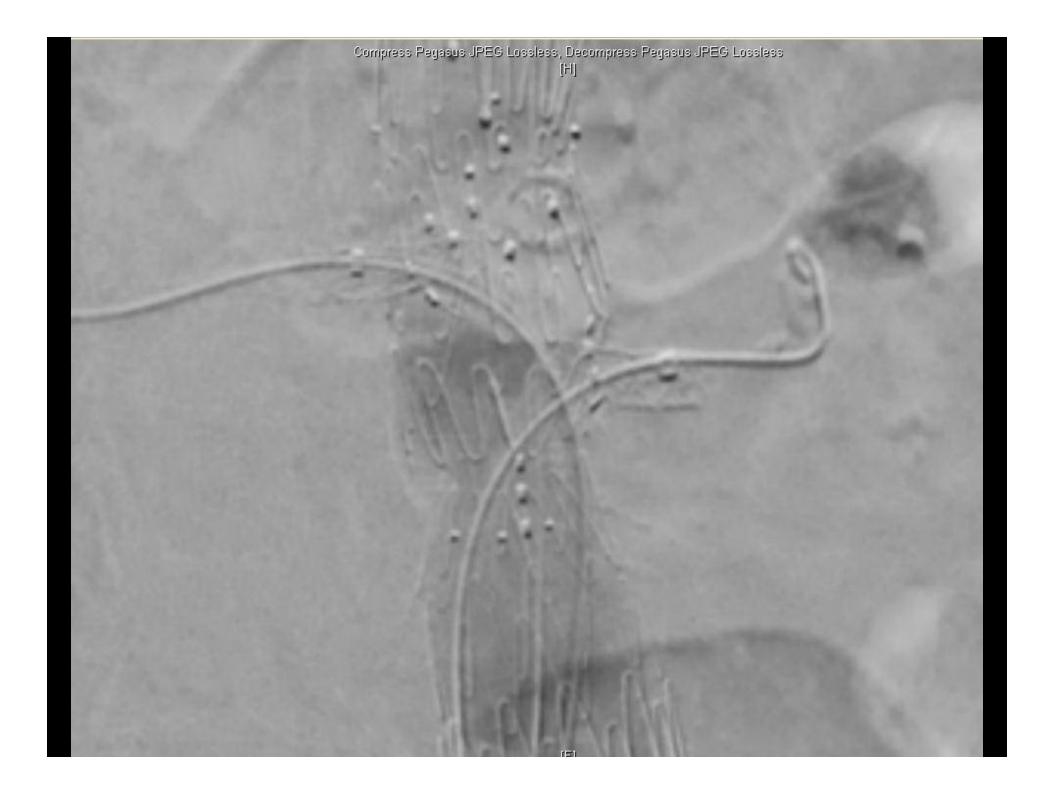
- Grafts are custom made to a specific anatomy
- Only FDA approved device in the US is the Cook Zenith Fenestrated (ZFEN).
- Indications
  - AAA with hostile necks
    - 4-15 mm
    - Thrombus
  - Juxtarenal
  - Suprarenal
  - 3 weeks to fabricate

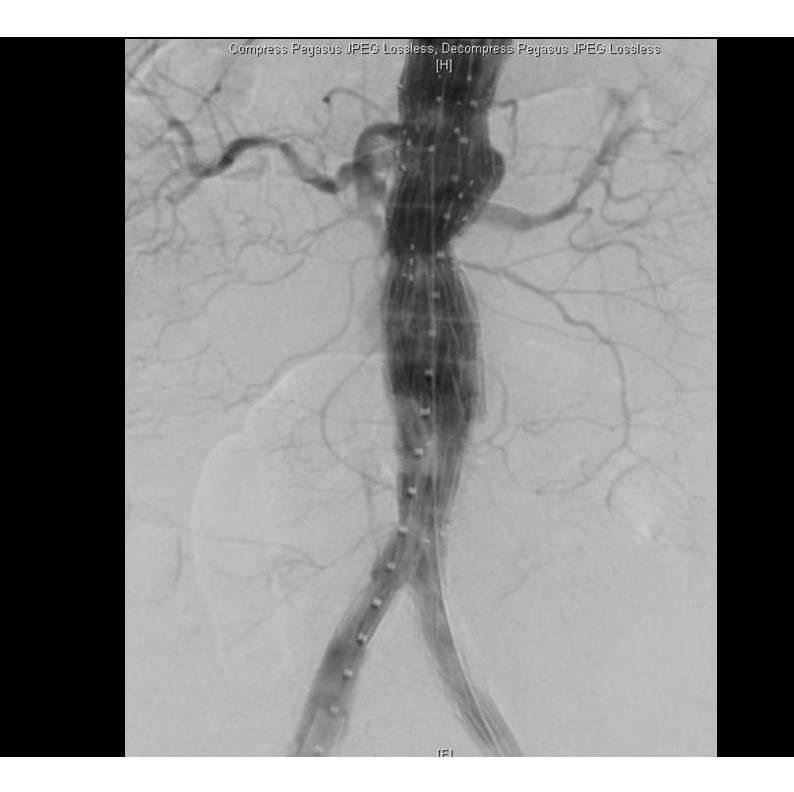






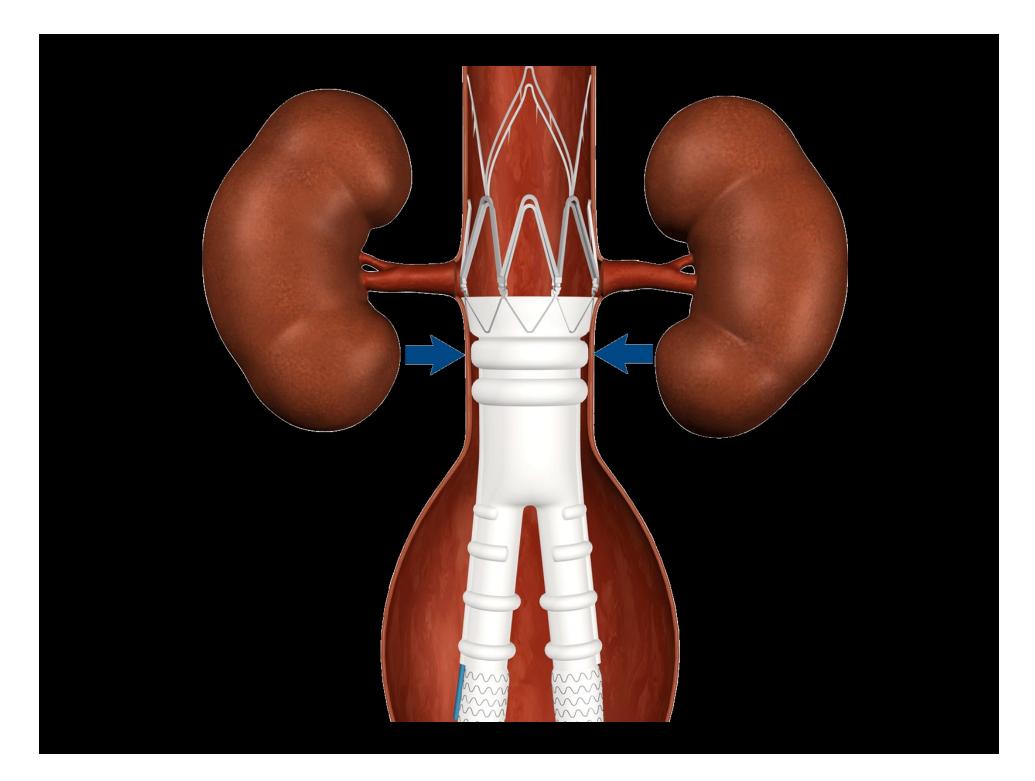


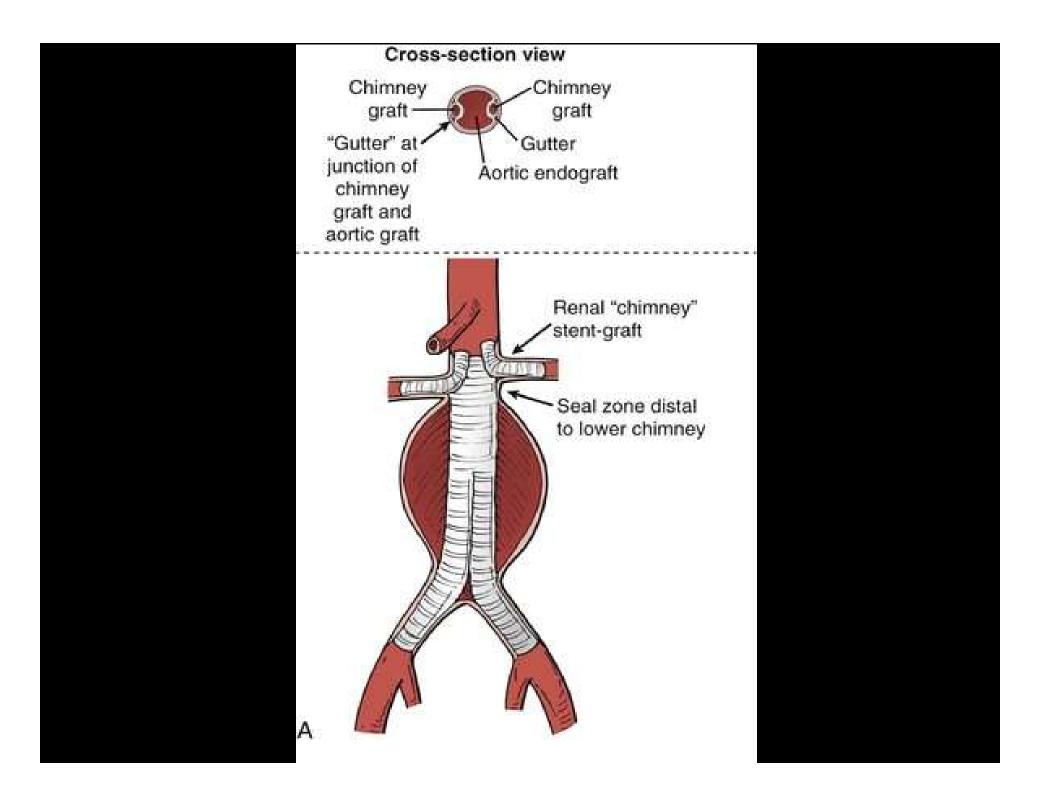


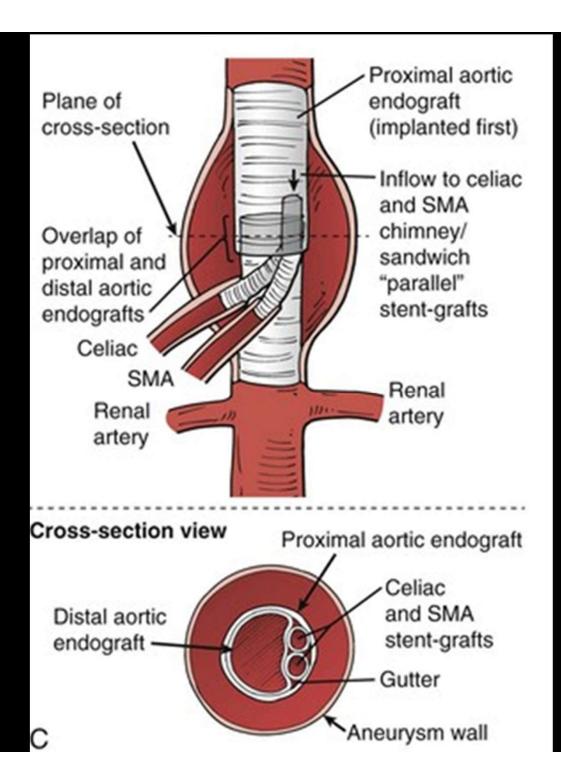


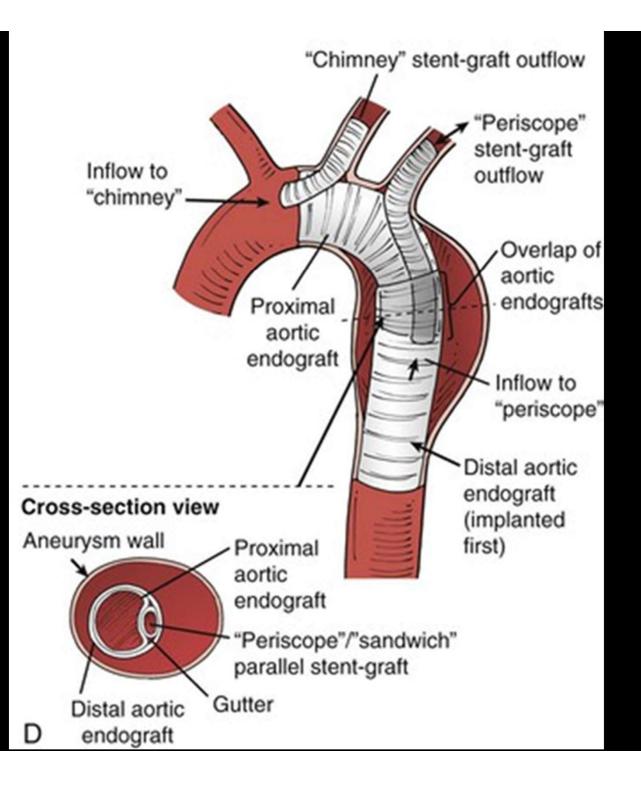
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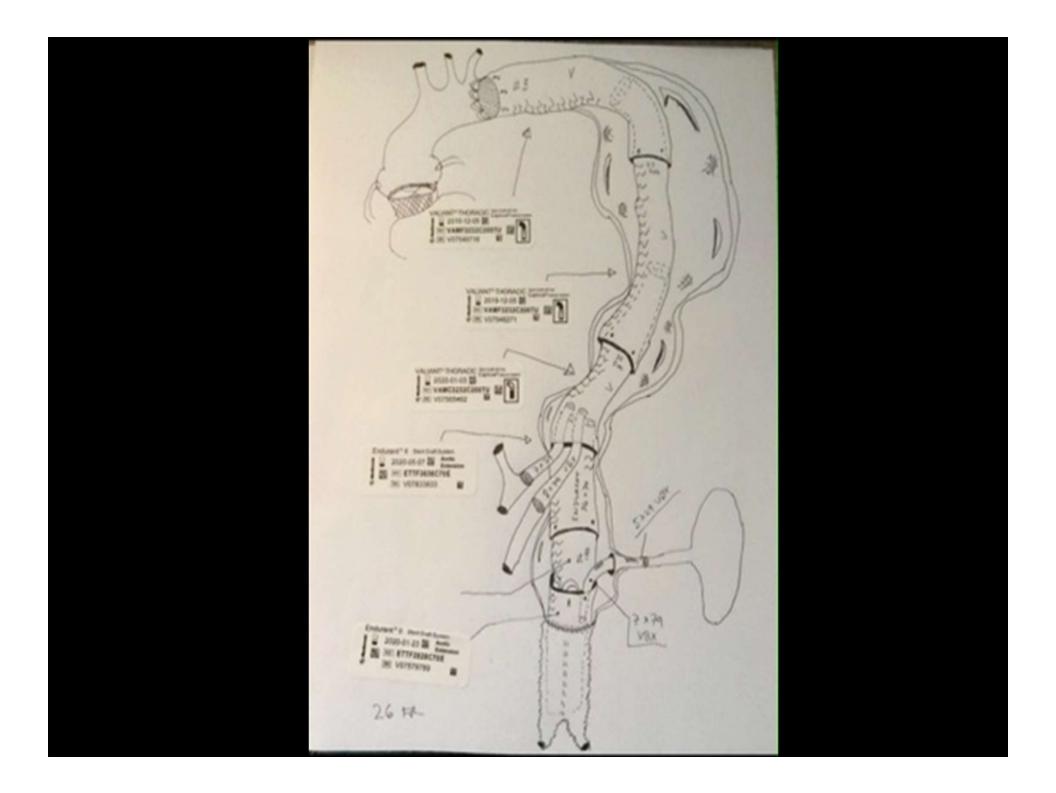
- "Poor mans FEVAR"
  - Aka
    - Parallel grafting
    - Snorkeling
    - Parascoping
- Utilize a combination of off the shelf EVAR graft and stents to build up to a more favorable seal zone.











## **Physician Modified Grafts**





#### **Venous Disease**

• DVT

– Iliofemoral DVTs in young patients

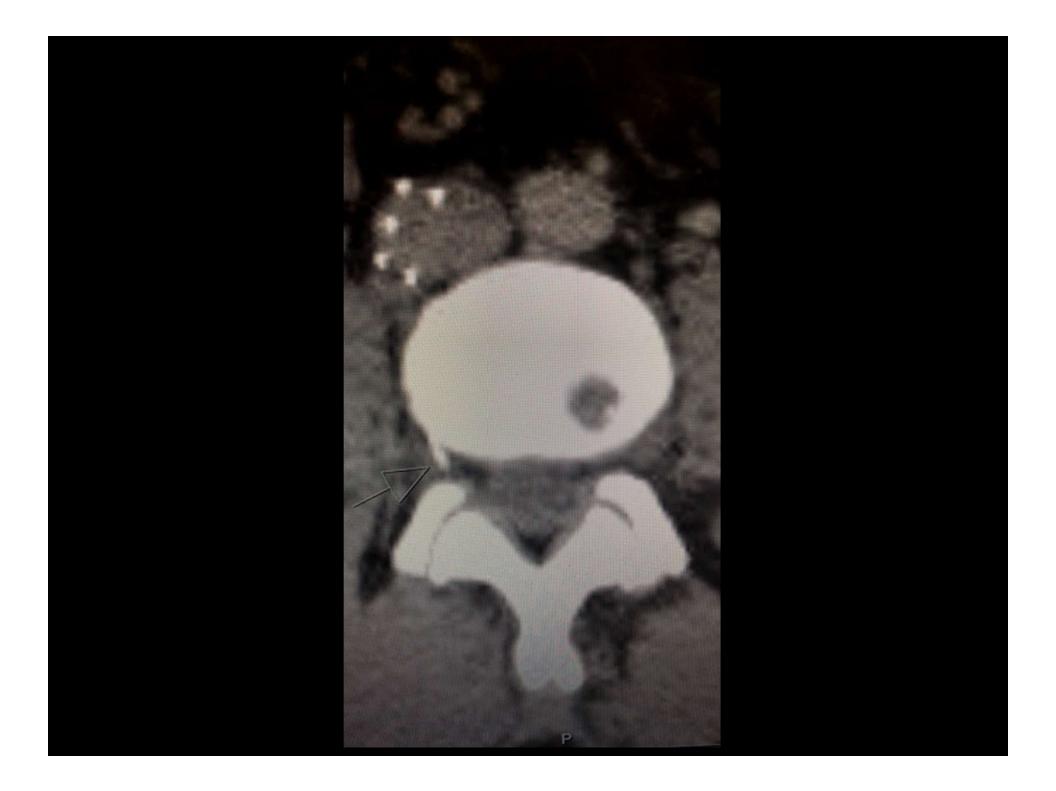
• PE

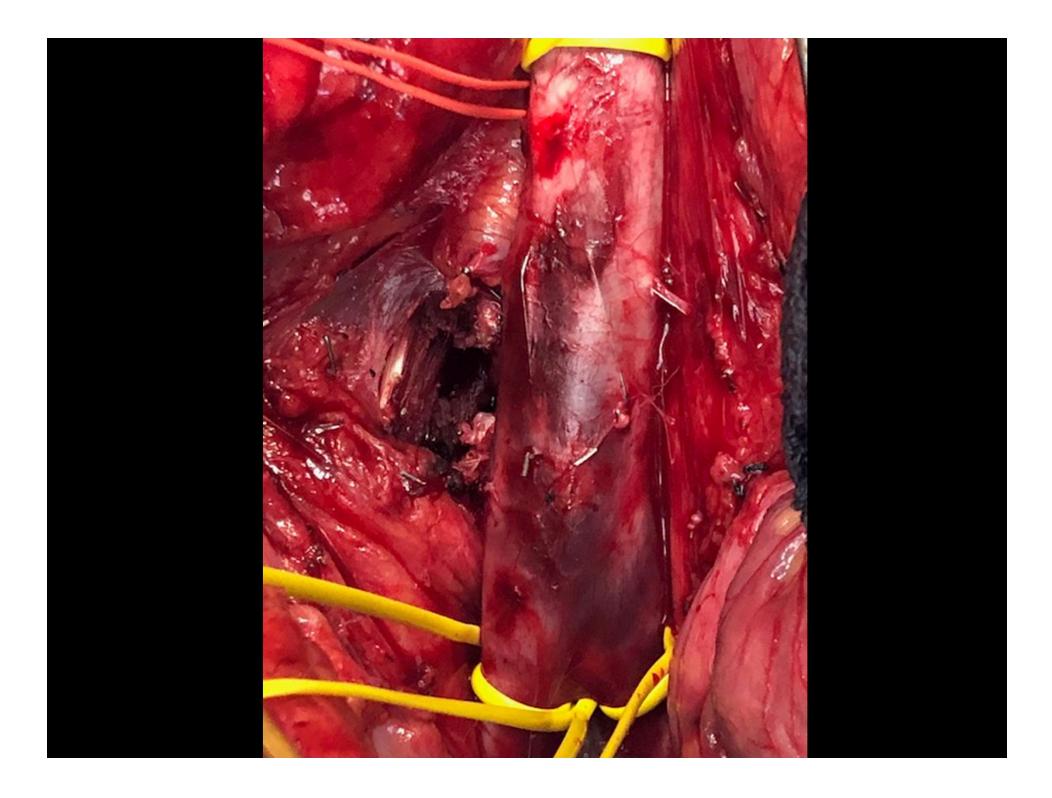
– Submassive and Massive PEs

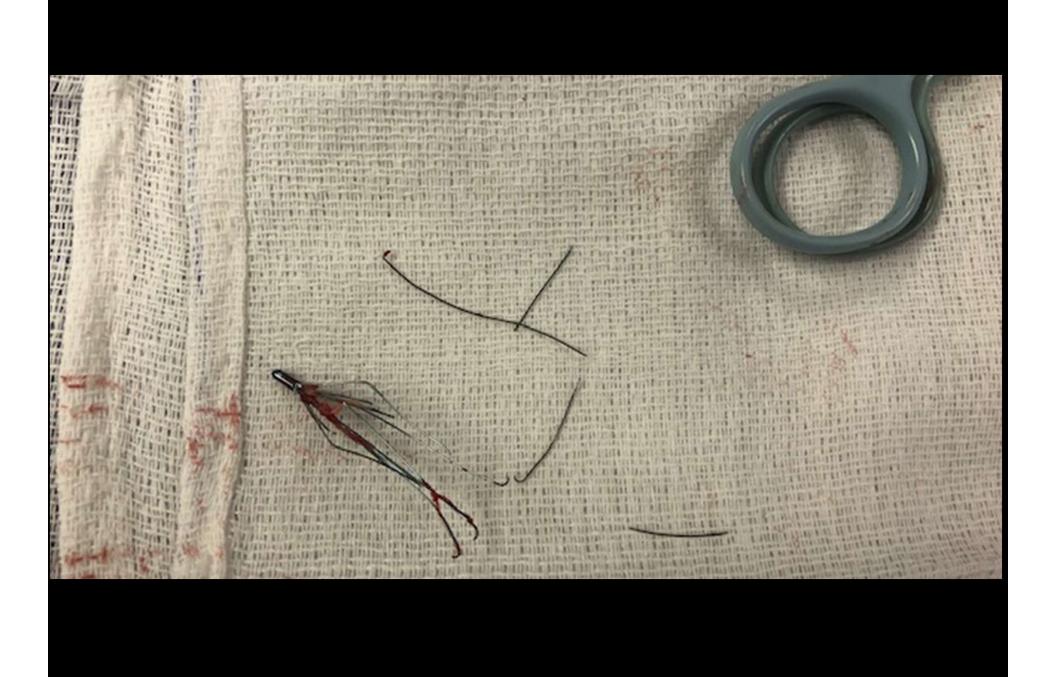
- IVC Filters
- Pelvic Congestion Syndrome

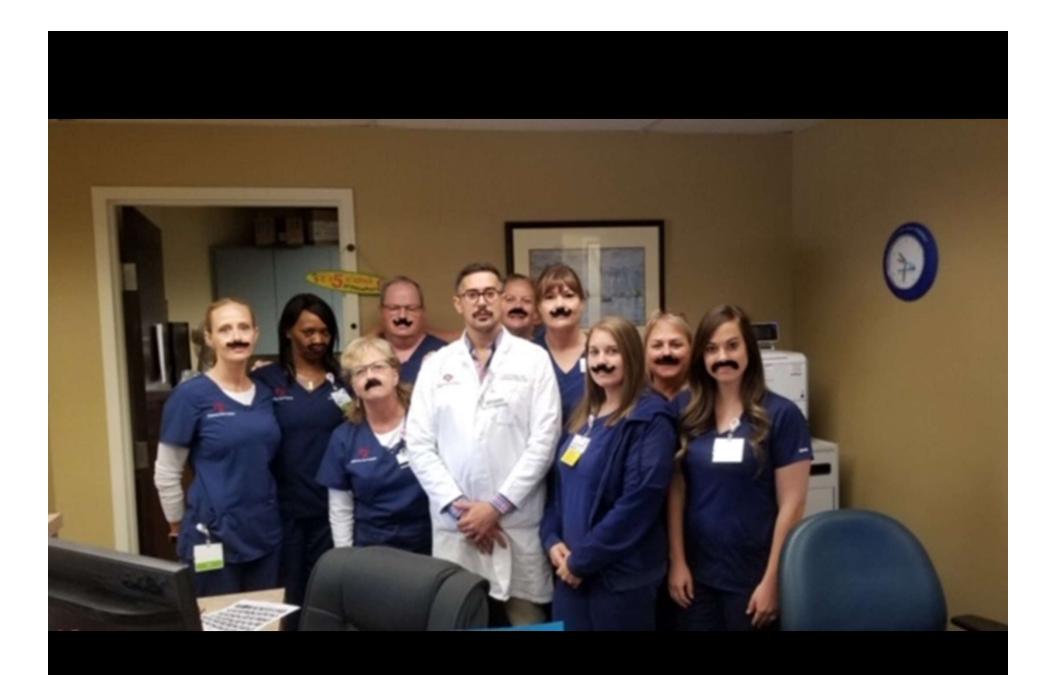














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