

# **Strategic decision-making PCI in ischemic cardiomyopathy**

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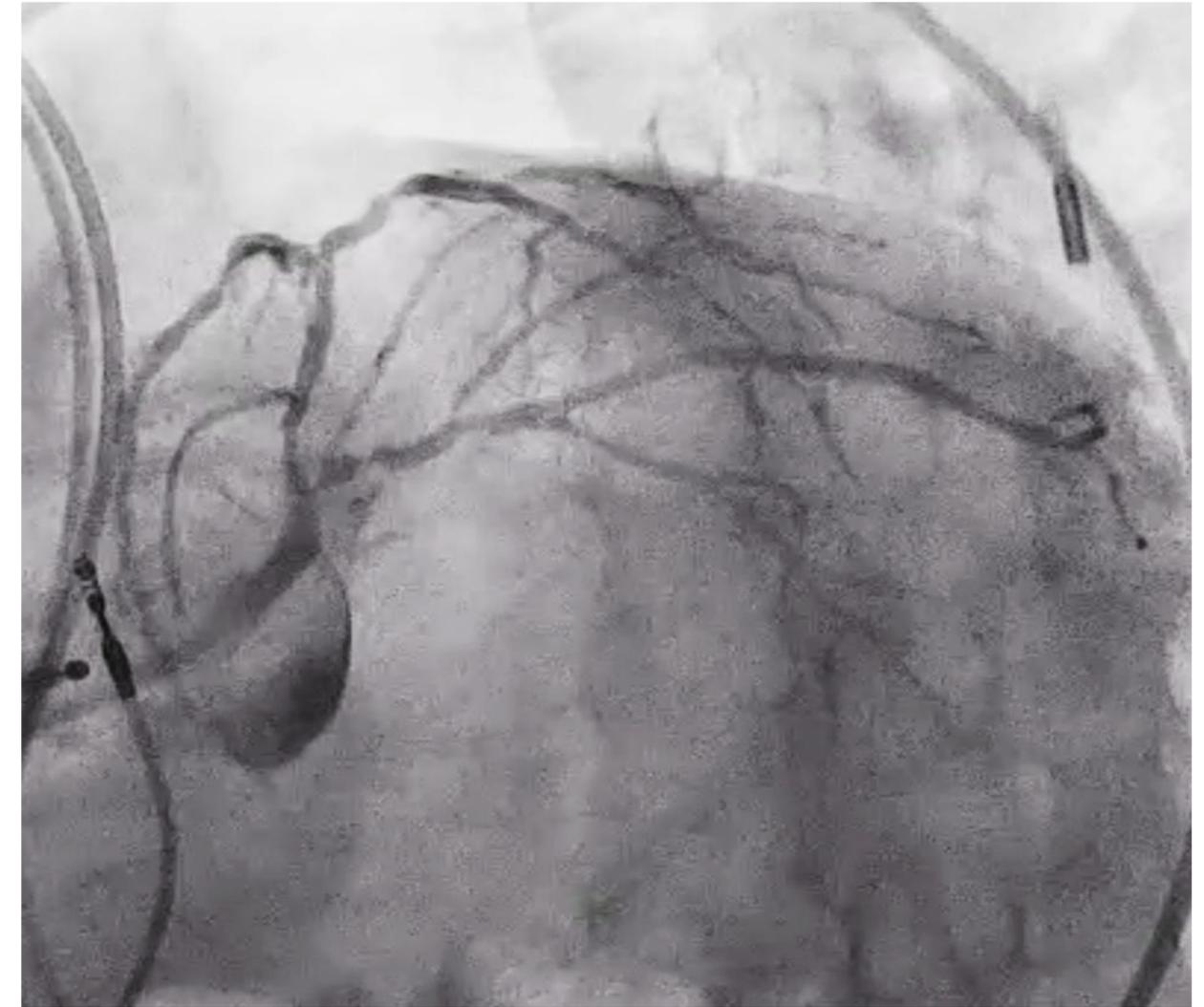
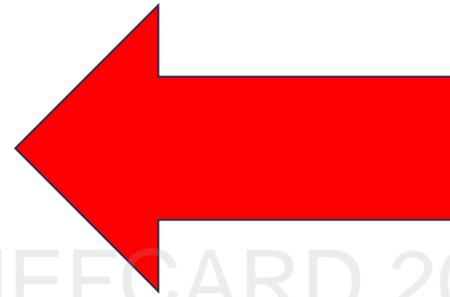
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# Dilated Cardiomyopathy



# “Ischemic” Cardiomyopathy

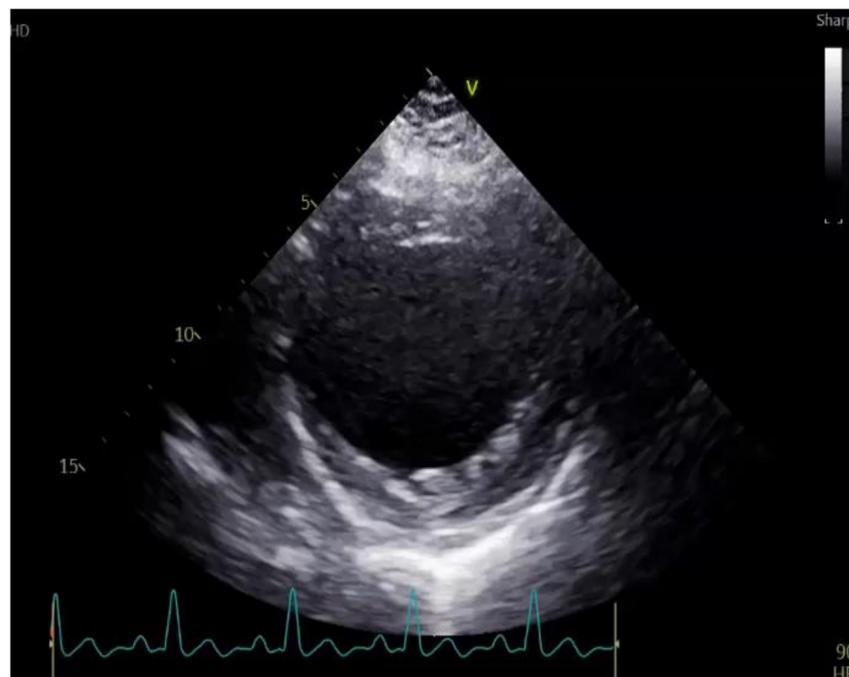
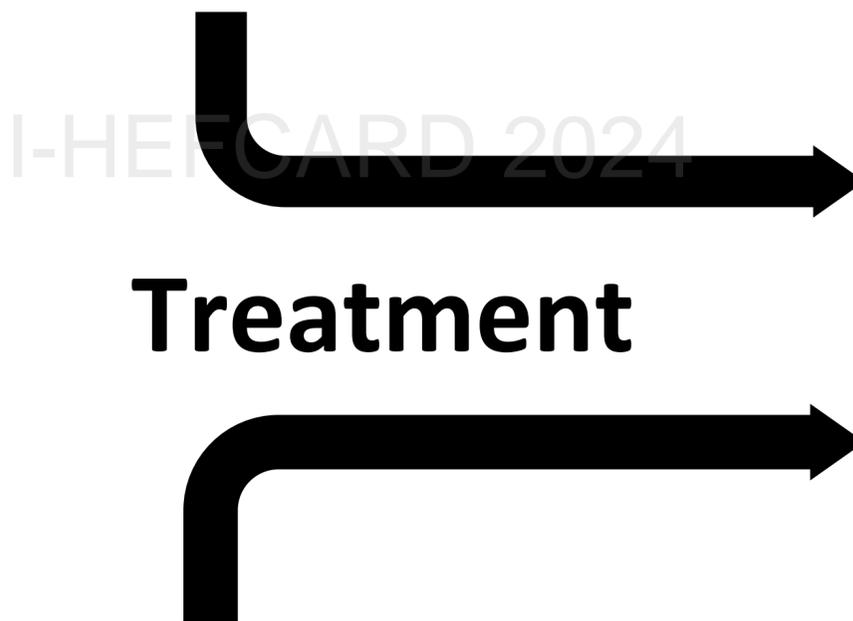


# Ischemic Cardiomyopathy : The Hope



- Recovery in regional function
- Reduced ventricular remodeling
- Prevented ventricular arrhythmia

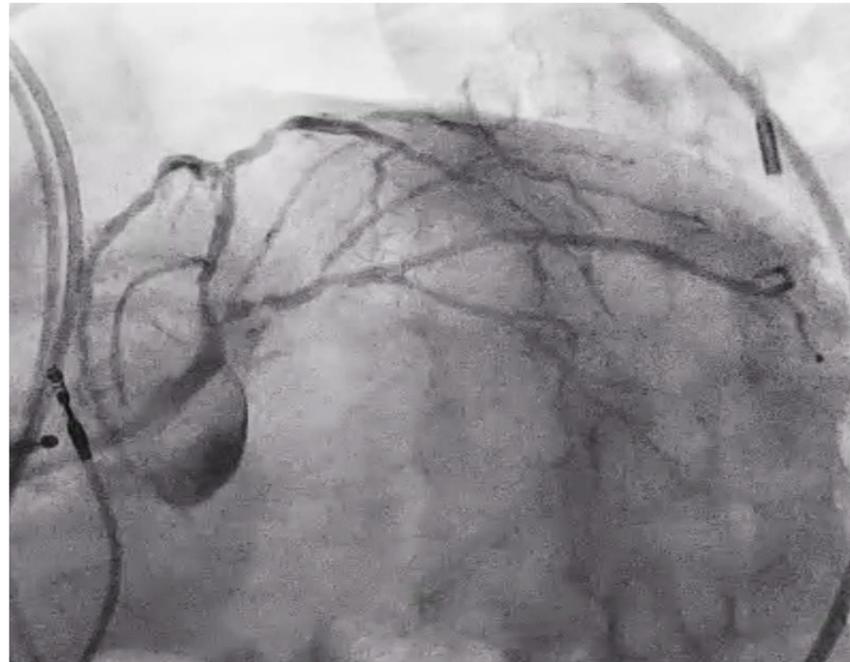
Better Prognosis



- Reduced ischemia and repetitive stunning
- Prevented MI

Relieve the Symptoms

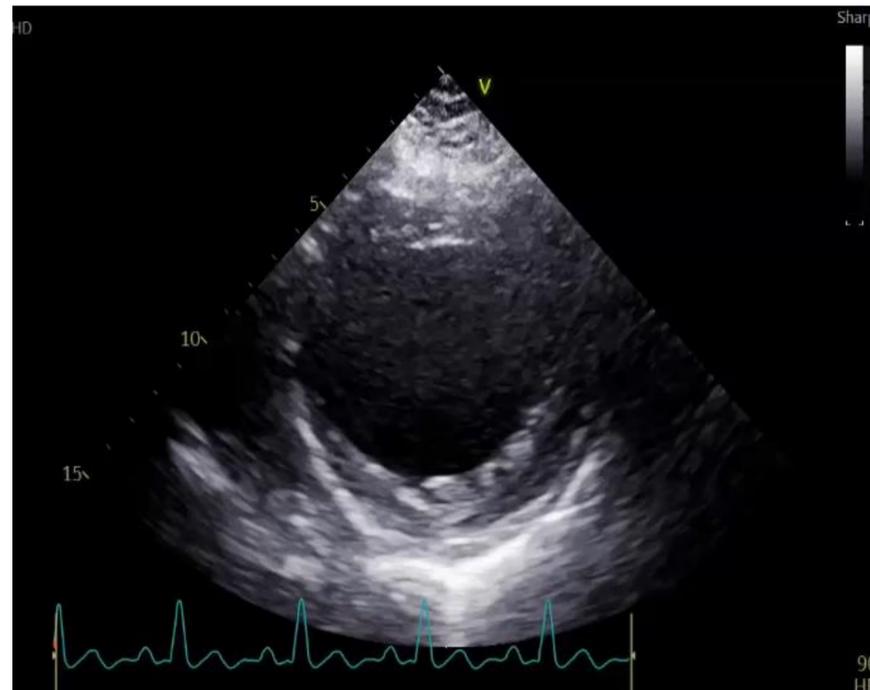
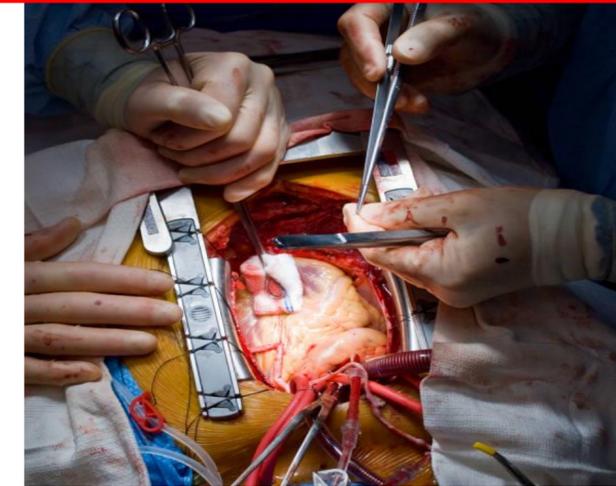
# The treatment option of Ischemic Cardiomyopathy



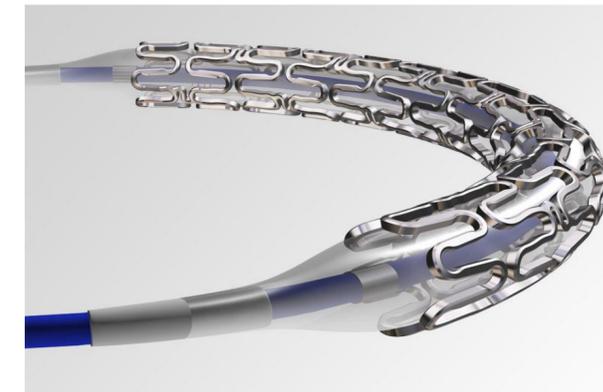
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**But..... ?**

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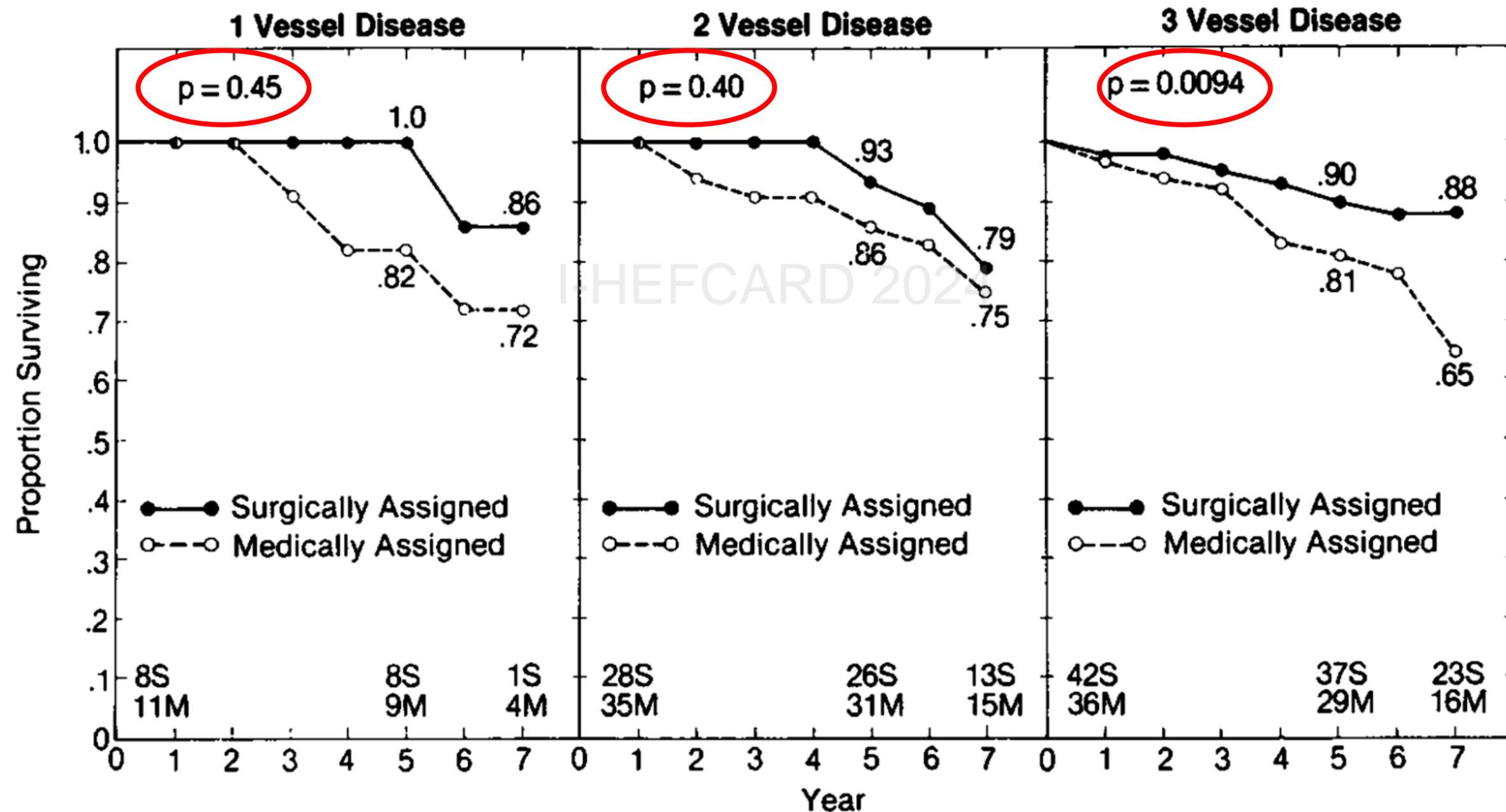
# The Treatment Option in Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

**Revascularization**

**Medical Treatment  
Only**

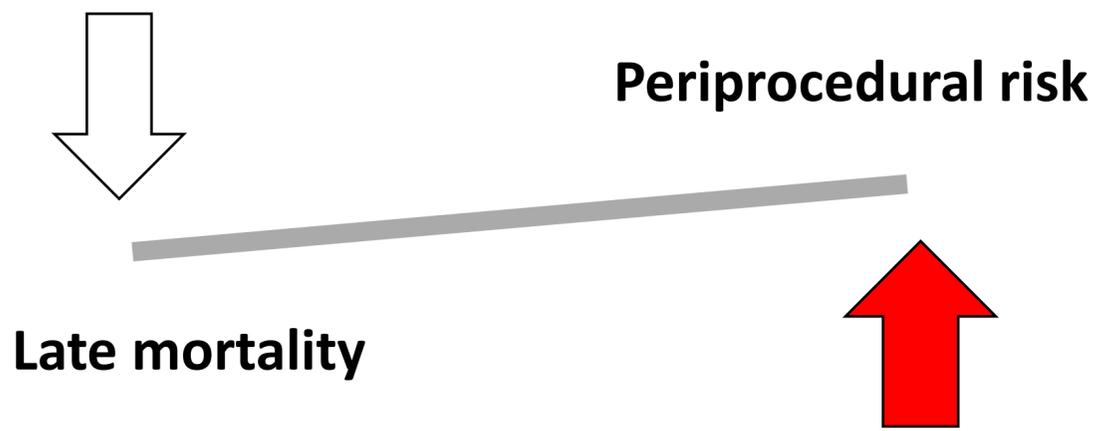
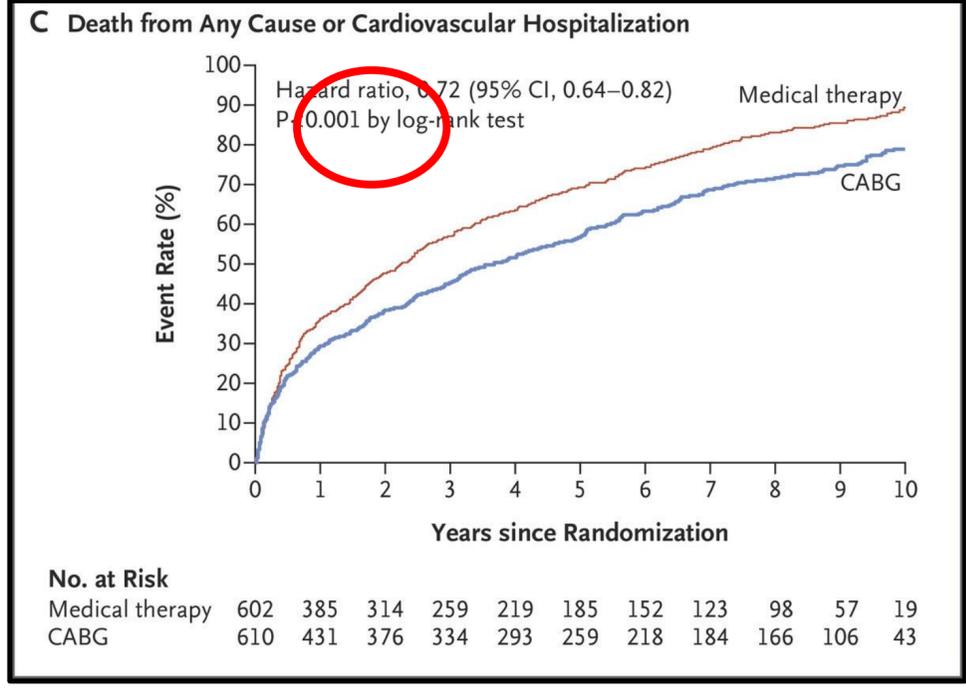
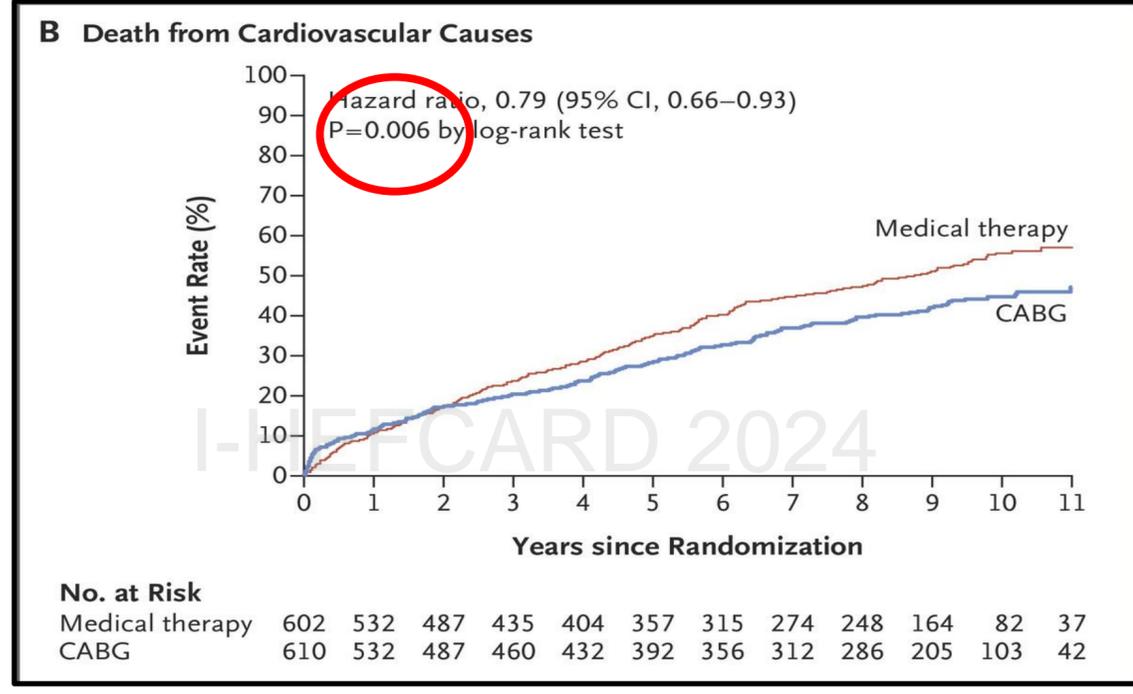
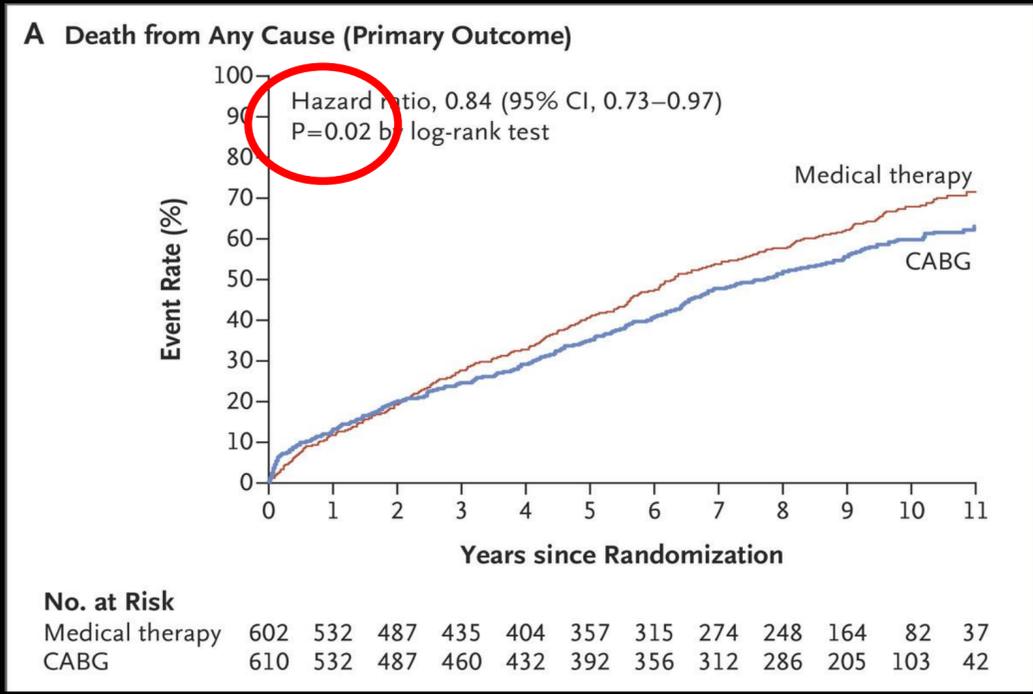


# Survival in Patients with LV dysfunction CASS Randomized Trial



# STICH trial – 10 Year Outcome

1212 pts, LVEF  $\leq$  35%



# The Four Pillars of Heart Failure

**ARNI**

**BB**

**MRA**

**SGLT2i**

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# PCI No Better Than GDMT in Ischemic Cardiomyopathy: REVIVED-BCIS2

PCI should not be undertaken to treat and improve left ventricular dysfunction, says Divaka Perera.

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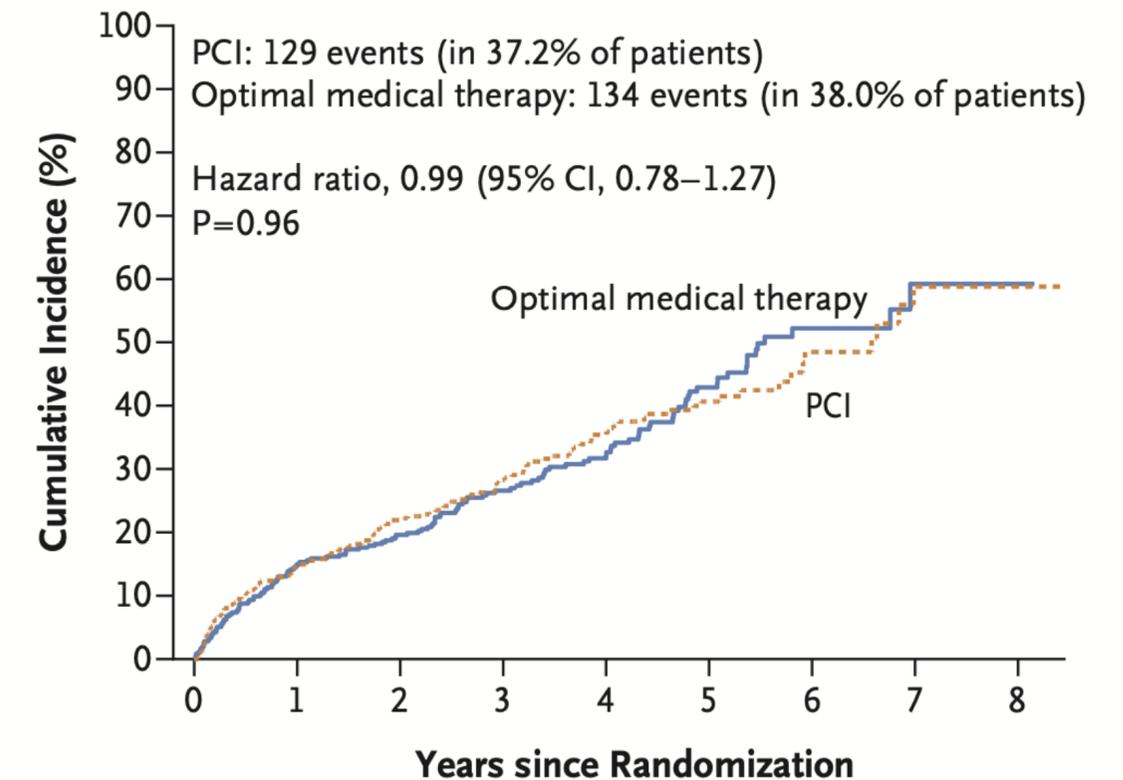
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### Percutaneous Revascularization for Ischemic Left Ventricular Dysfunction

Divaka Perera, M.D., Tim Clayton, M.Sc., Peter D. O’Kane, M.D., John P. Greenwood, Ph.D., Roshan Weerackody, Ph.D., Matthew Ryan, Ph.D., Holly P. Morgan, M.B., B.Ch., Matthew Dodd, M.Sc., Richard Evans, B.A., Ruth Canter, M.Sc., Sophie Arnold, M.Sc., Lana J. Dixon, Ph.D., Richard J. Edwards, Ph.D., Kalpa De Silva, Ph.D., James C. Spratt, M.D., Dwayne Conway, M.D., James Cotton, M.D., Margaret McEntegart, Ph.D., Amedeo Chiribiri, Ph.D., Pedro Saramago, Ph.D., Anthony Gershlick, M.D., Ajay M. Shah, M.D., Andrew L. Clark, M.D., and Mark C. Petrie, M.D., for the REVIVED-BCIS2 Investigators\*



#### No. at Risk

PCI	347	295	262	179	130	80	32	14	3
Optimal medical therapy	353	299	276	191	142	82	33	10	1

**Figure 1.** Primary Outcome of Death from Any Cause or Hospitalization for Heart Failure.

# Survival benefit of revascularization in HF

Meta-analysis, 21 studies, 16,191 patients

1° outcome – all cause mortality

2° outcome – MI, revascularization, stroke

CABG vs MT, HR 0.66,  $p < 0.001$

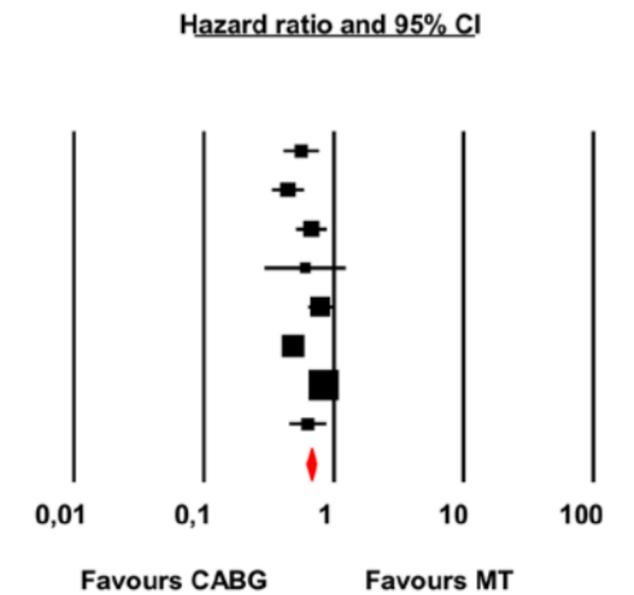
PCI vs MT, HR 0.73,  $p < 0.001$

CABG vs PCI, HR 0.82,  $p < 0.01$

Wolff, et al. Circ Heart Fail 2017 Jan 10(1)

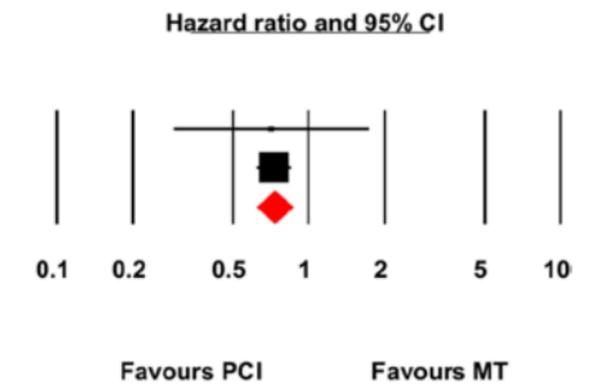
## A

Study name	Statistics for each study				
	Hazard ratio	Lower limit	Upper limit	Z-Value	p-Value
Appoo et al., Circulation 2004	0,56	0,409	0,774	-3,532	0,000
Bounous et al., Circulation 1988	0,44	0,333	0,594	-5,494	0,000
CASS, Circulation 1983	0,68	0,516	0,887	-2,827	0,005
Cleland et al., Eur J Heart Fail 2011	0,61	0,293	1,251	-1,356	0,175
Kwon et al., Circulation 2012	0,79	0,633	0,980	-2,144	0,032
LaBarbera et al., TCT/JACC 2012	0,49	0,405	0,592	-7,376	0,000
STICH, NEJM 2016	0,84	0,729	0,968	-2,404	0,016
Velazquez et al., AnnThoracSurg 2012	0,63	0,451	0,881	-2,700	0,007
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>0,66</b>	<b>0,611</b>	<b>0,721</b>	<b>-9,655</b>	<b>0,000</b>



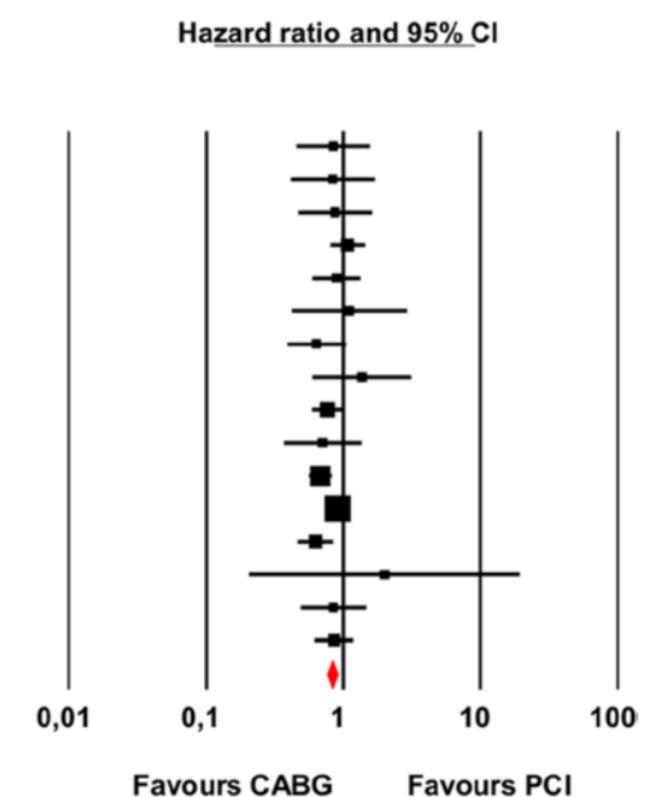
## B

Study name	Statistics for each study				
	Hazard ratio	Lower limit	Upper limit	Z-Value	p-Value
Cleland et al., Eur J Heart Fail 2011	0.71	0.290	1.744	-0.745	0.456
LaBarbera et al., TCT/JACC 2012	0.73	0.619	0.855	-3.858	0.000
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>0.73</b>	<b>0.620</b>	<b>0.852</b>	<b>-3.929</b>	<b>0.000</b>



## C

Study name	Statistics for each study				
	Hazard ratio	Lower limit	Upper limit	Z-Value	p-Value
Ahn et al., JACC Abstract 2011	0,85	0,462	1,565	-0,522	0,602
ASAN-MAIN, TCT/JACC 2015	0,84	0,412	1,712	-0,480	0,631
AWESOME-RCT, Am J Cardiol 2004	0,88	0,471	1,626	-0,422	0,673
AWESOME-Registry, Am J Cardiol 2004	1,08	0,804	1,451	0,510	0,610
Bangalore et al., NEJM 2015	0,90	0,599	1,353	-0,507	0,612
Cleland et al., Eur J Heart Fail 2011	1,11	0,421	2,935	0,213	0,832
CREDO-Kyoto, Am J Cardiol 2014	0,64	0,390	1,050	-1,766	0,077
Gioia et al., Cath Cardiovasc Int 2007	1,38	0,602	3,142	0,755	0,450
Hannan et al., NEJM 2008	0,77	0,591	1,002	-1,942	0,052
IRIS-MAIN, TCT/JACC 2015	0,71	0,368	1,371	-1,020	0,308
LaBarbera et al., TCT/JACC 2012	0,68	0,559	0,828	-3,842	0,000
Nagendran et al., Ann Thorac Surg 2013	0,91	0,789	1,049	-1,299	0,194
REAL, Eur J Cardiothorac Surg 2013	0,63	0,466	0,852	-2,998	0,003
REHEAT, Am J Cardiol 2007	2,00	0,205	19,541	0,596	0,551
Toda et al., Ann Thorac Surg 2002	0,85	0,488	1,475	-0,582	0,560
Yang et al., Am J Cardiol 2013	0,86	0,621	1,191	-0,907	0,365
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>0,82</b>	<b>0,752</b>	<b>0,900</b>	<b>-4,265</b>	<b>0,000</b>



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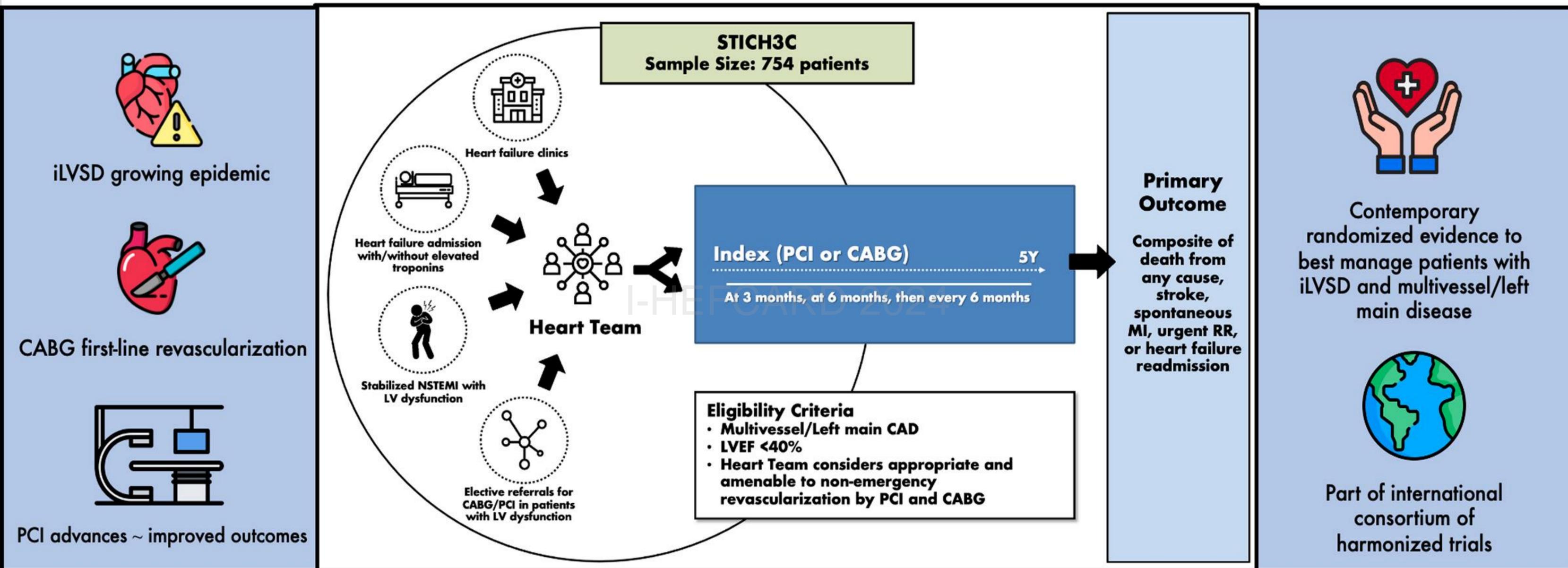
# Revascularization Option in Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

**CABG**

**PCI**

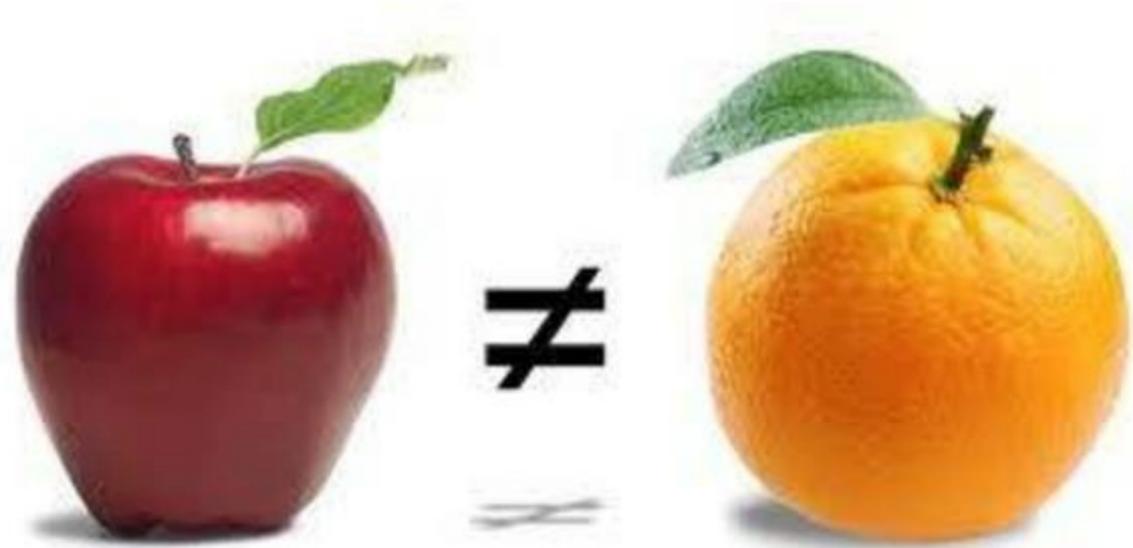


# The Canadian CABG or PCI in Patients with Ischemic Cardiomyopathy Trial (STICH3C): Rationale and Study Protocol



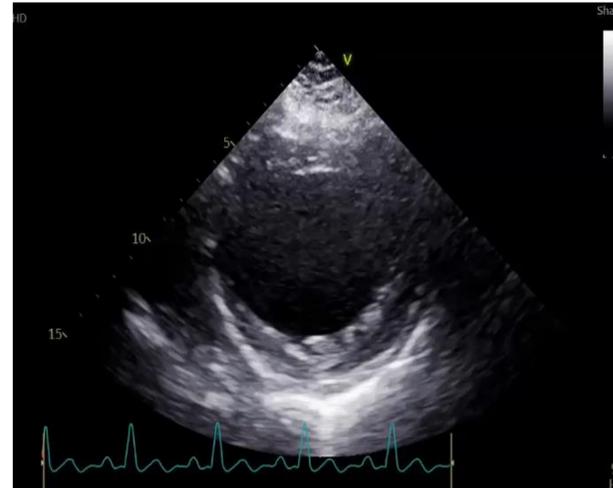
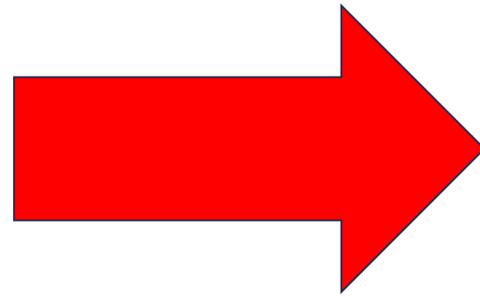
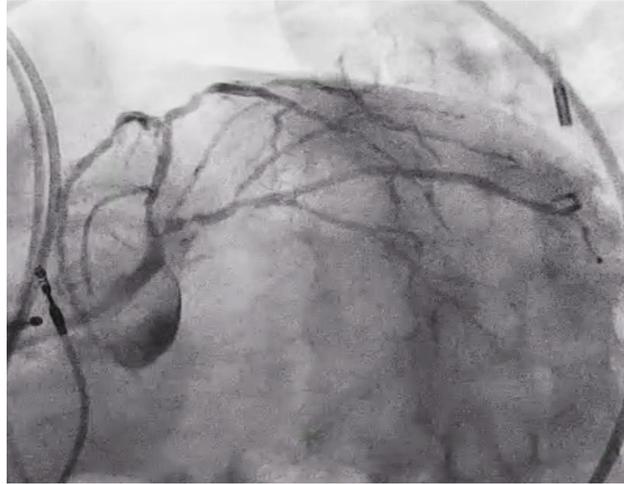
STICH-3.0 International Trial Consortium (STICH-3)

# Not all ischemic cardiomyopathy is the same entity !

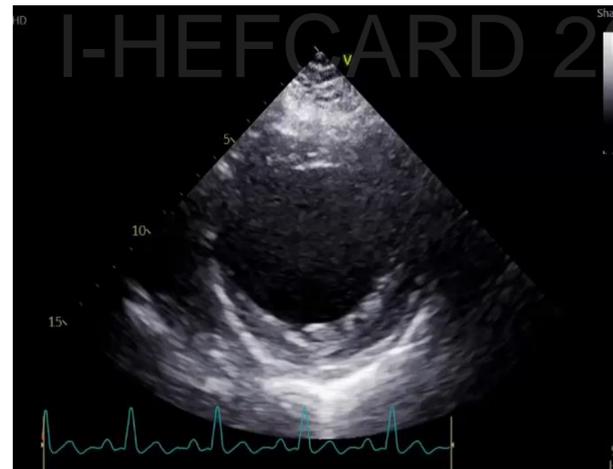
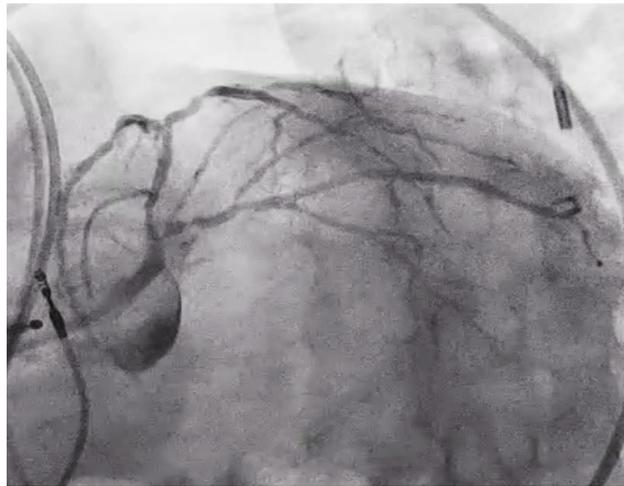


- Misclassifying of ischemic cardiomyopathy
- Various comorbidities
- Various coronaries complexity
- Various clinical setting
- Presence of microvascular dysfunction

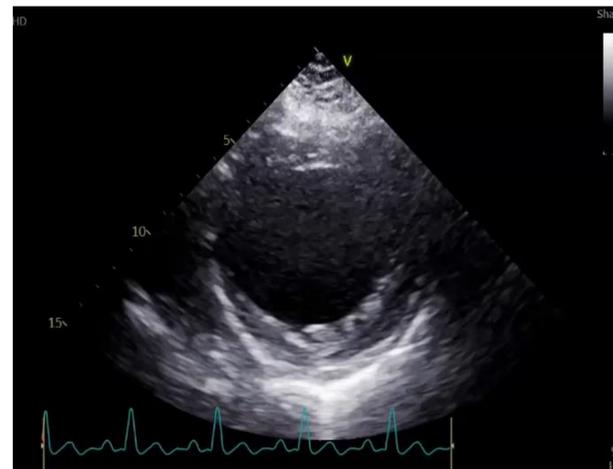
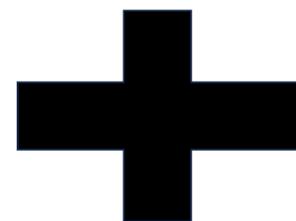
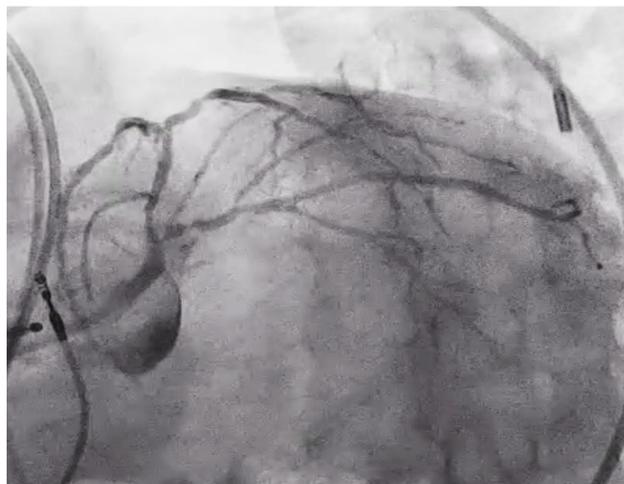
# Misclassifying of Ischemic Cardiomyopathy



**Ischemic  
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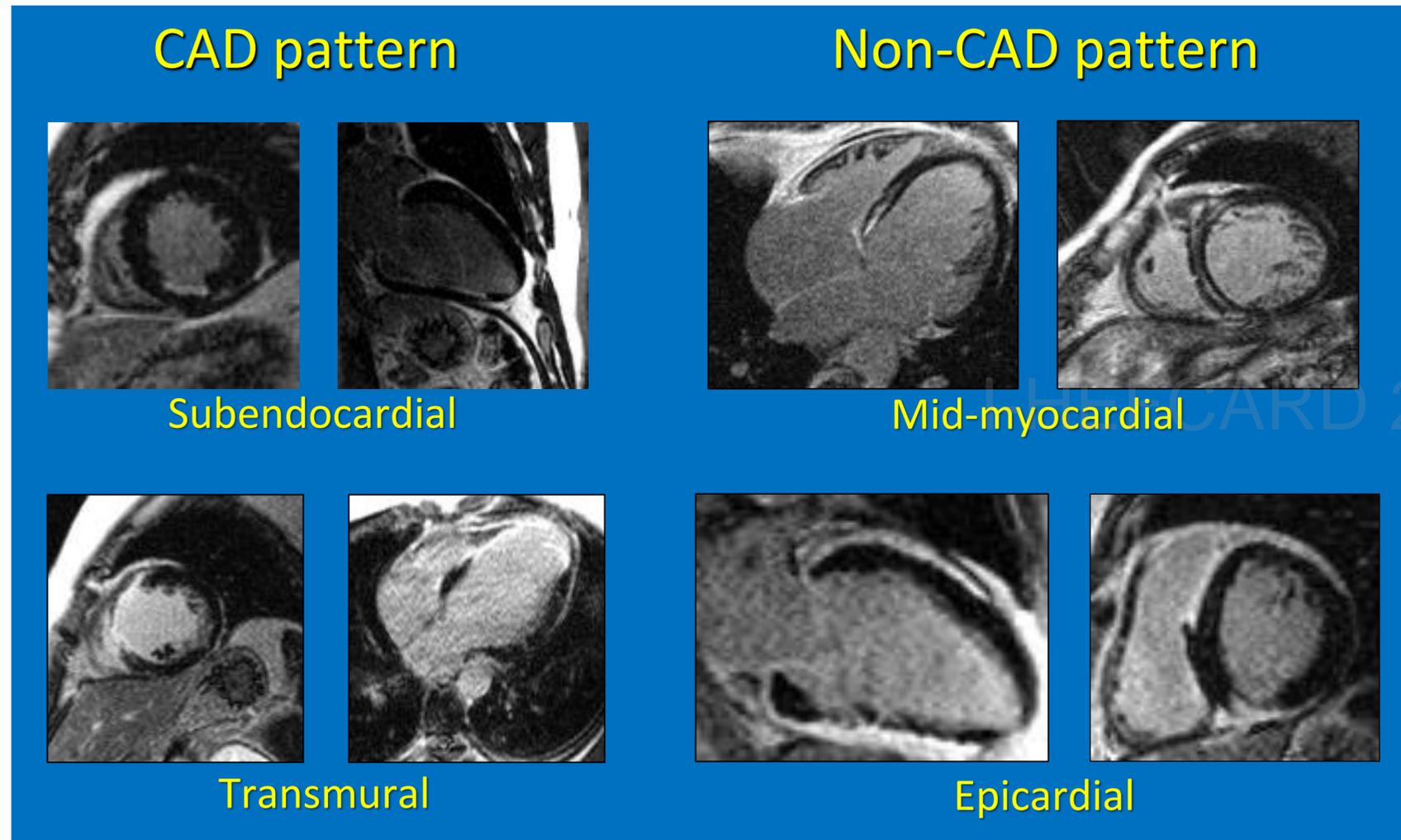


**Bystander CAD  
and  
Non-Ischemic Cardiomyopathy**



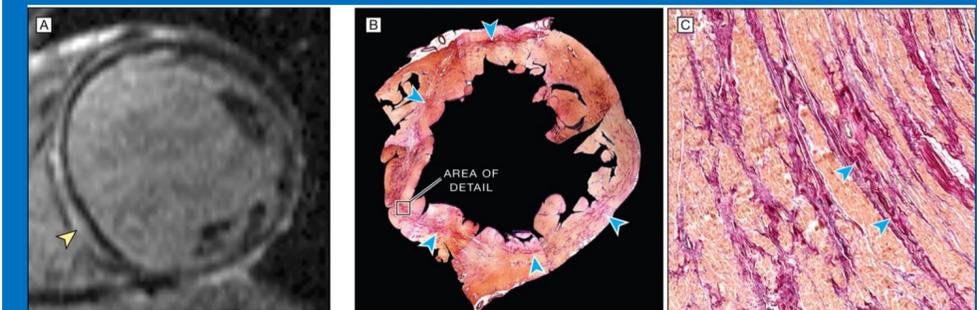
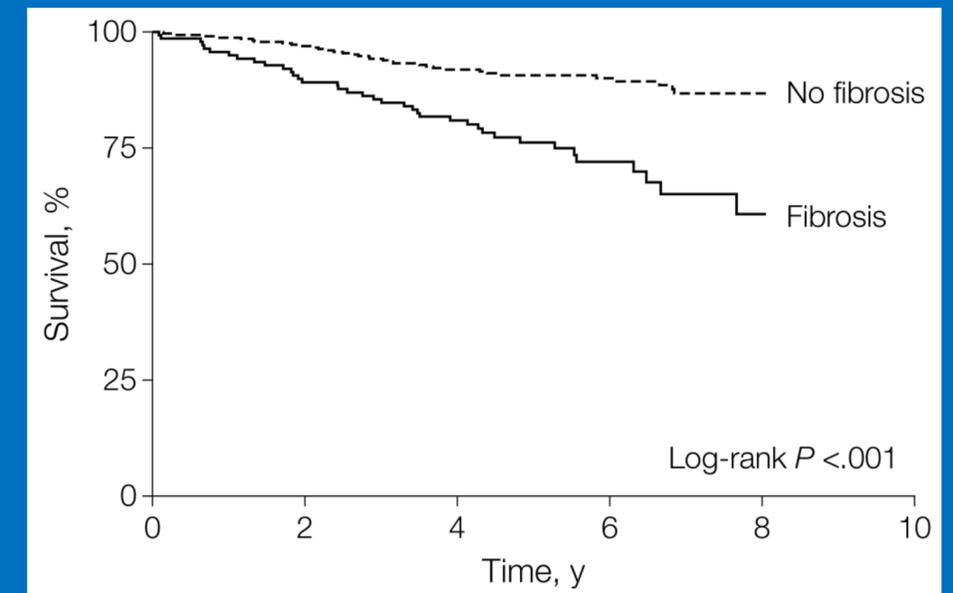
**Dual Cardiomyopathy  
Non-Ischemic and Ischemic  
Cardiomyopathy**

# LGE in Cardiomyopathy



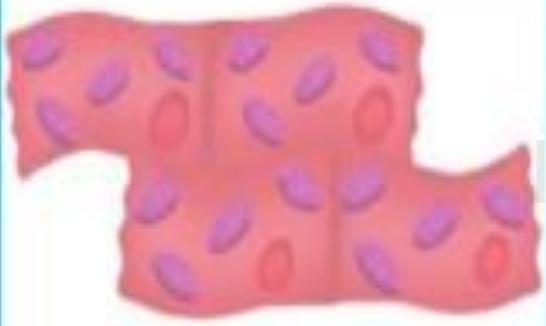
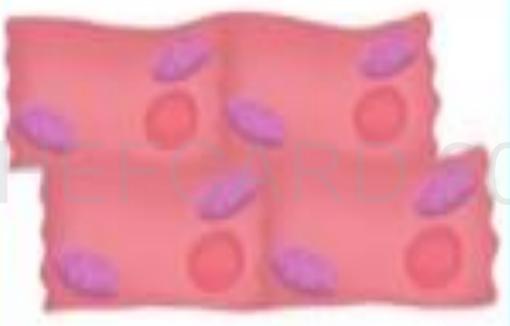
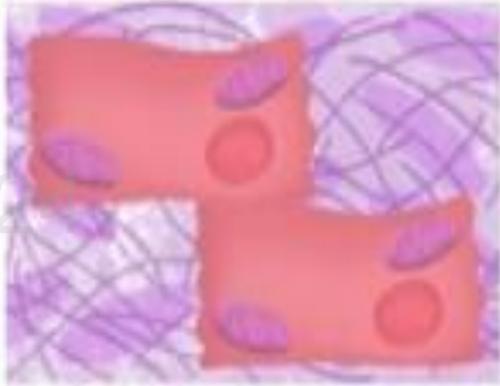
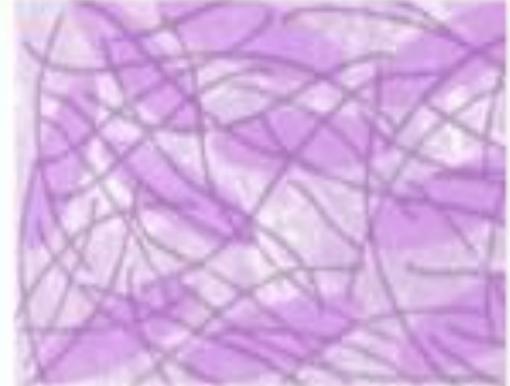
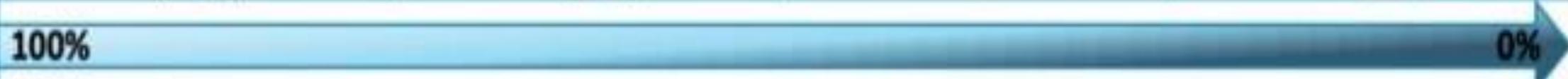
Association of Fibrosis With Mortality and Sudden Cardiac Death in Patients With Nonischemic Dilated Cardiomyopathy

## All-cause mortality



# Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

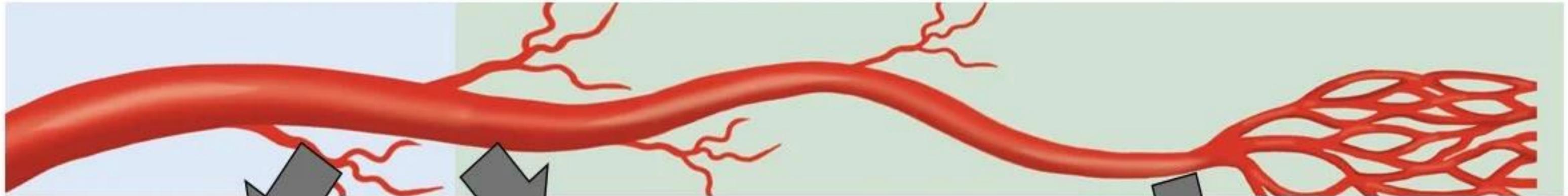
**A continuous spectrum process**

Ischaemic Left Ventricular Dysfunction				
Stages of Viability	Stunning	Early Hibernation	Advanced Hibernation	Infarction
				
Contractile Reserve	++	+	(+)	-
Glucose metabolism	+	++	++	-
Extracellular volume	(+)	(+)	+	++
Chance of recovery				
Time to recovery	Days	Weeks	Months	N/A

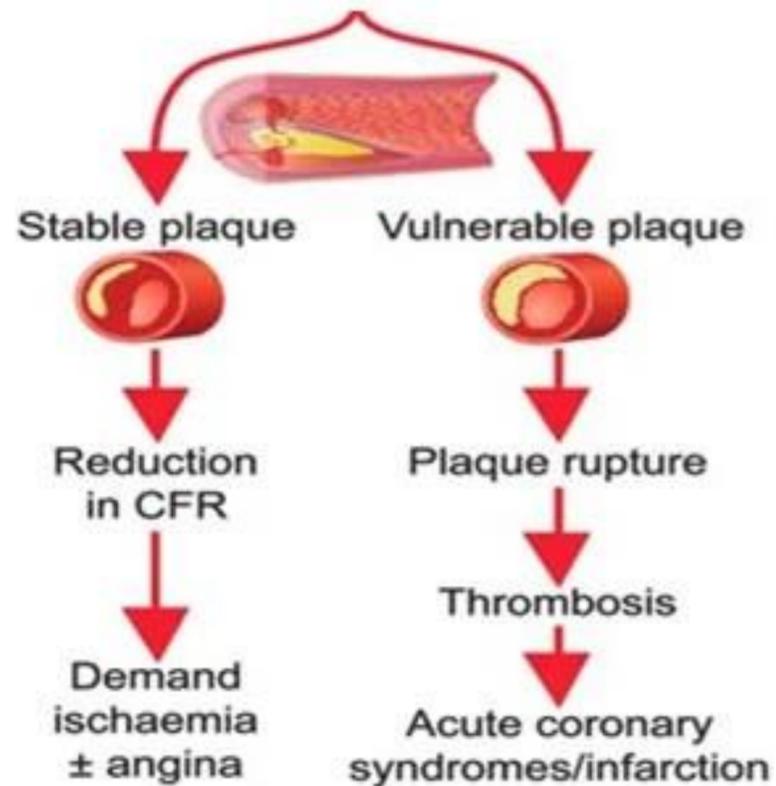
# Mechanisms of myocardial ischemia

**Epicardial coronary artery**

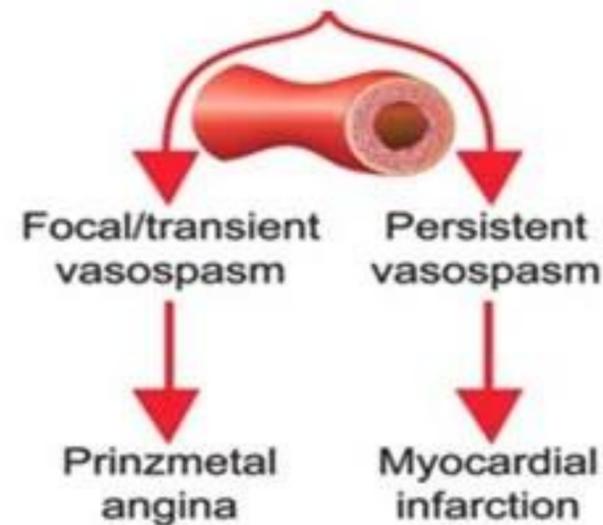
**Coronary microvessels**



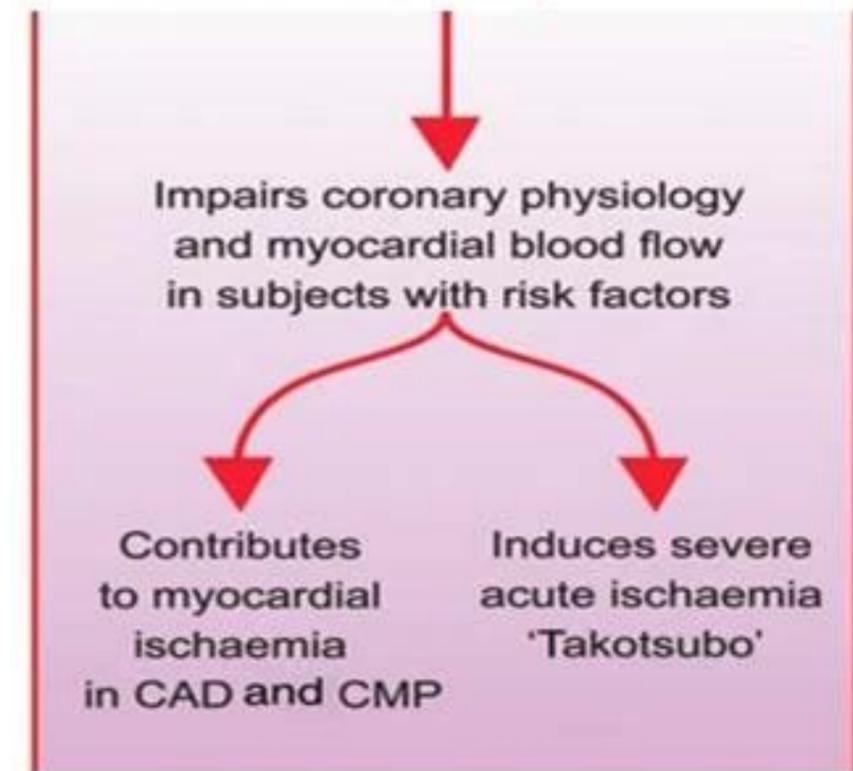
**Atherosclerosis**



**Vasospasm**



**Microvascular dysfunction**



# Who will benefit most from revascularization ?

## Coronary Anatomy

- ✓ Multivessel obstruction

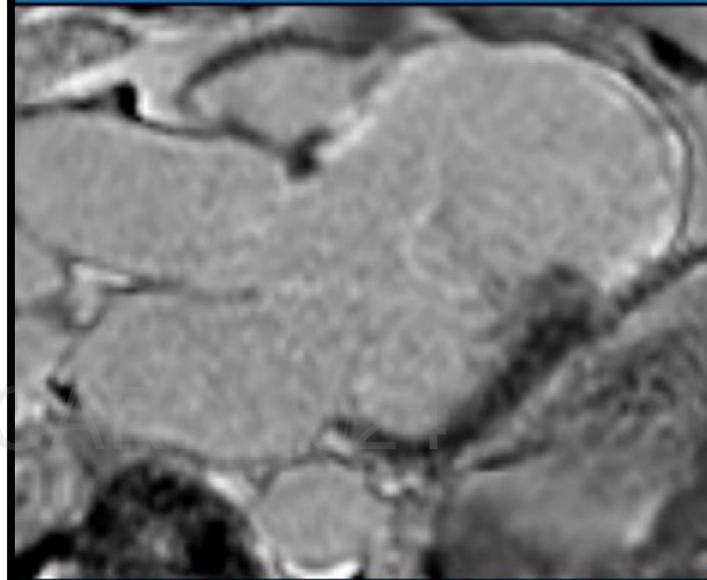
## LV Function

- ✓ Severely Impaired

## Clinical Status

- ✓ Symptomatic

Consider an ischaemic aetiology in any patient with severe LVSD

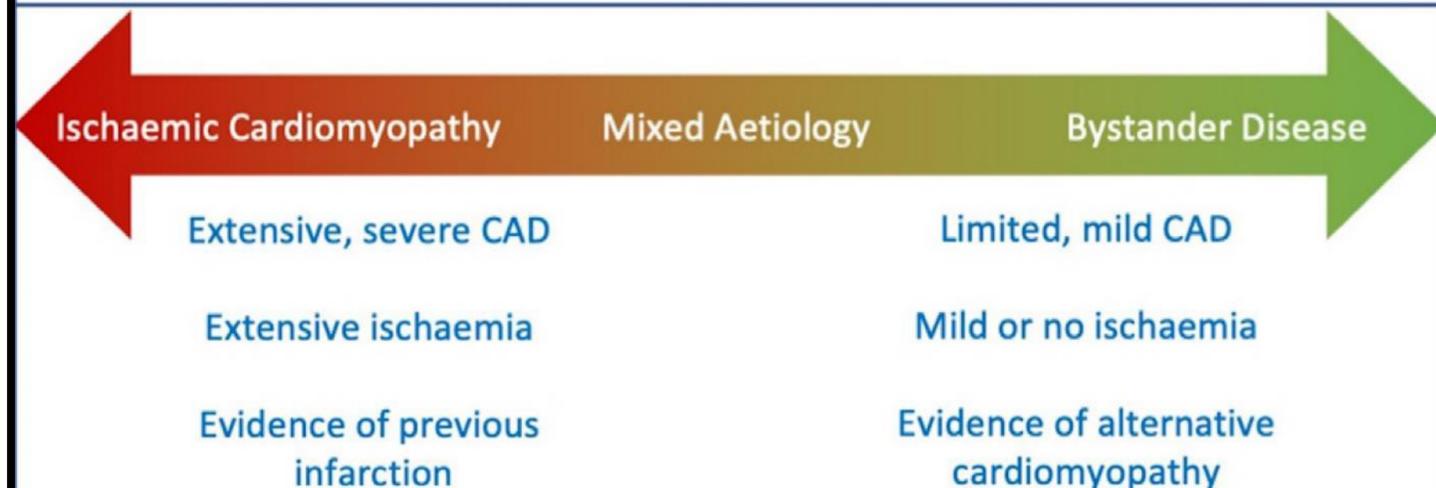


Non-Invasive



Invasive

### Diagnostic Spectrum



# Guidelines Recommendation

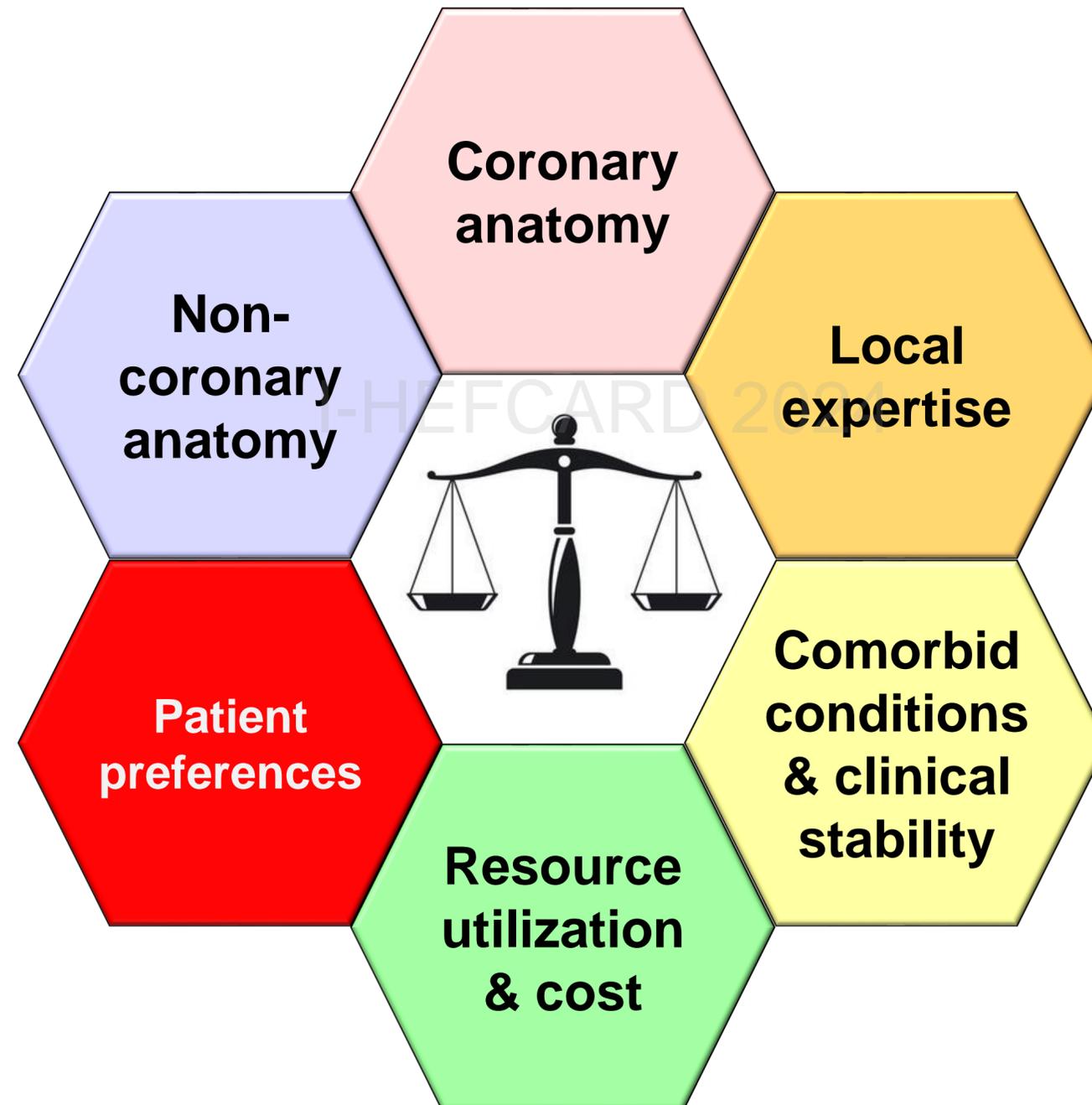
## PCI in Ischemic Cardiomyopathy

**Recommendations on revascularizations in patients with chronic heart failure and systolic left ventricular dysfunction (ejection fraction  $\leq 35\%$ )**

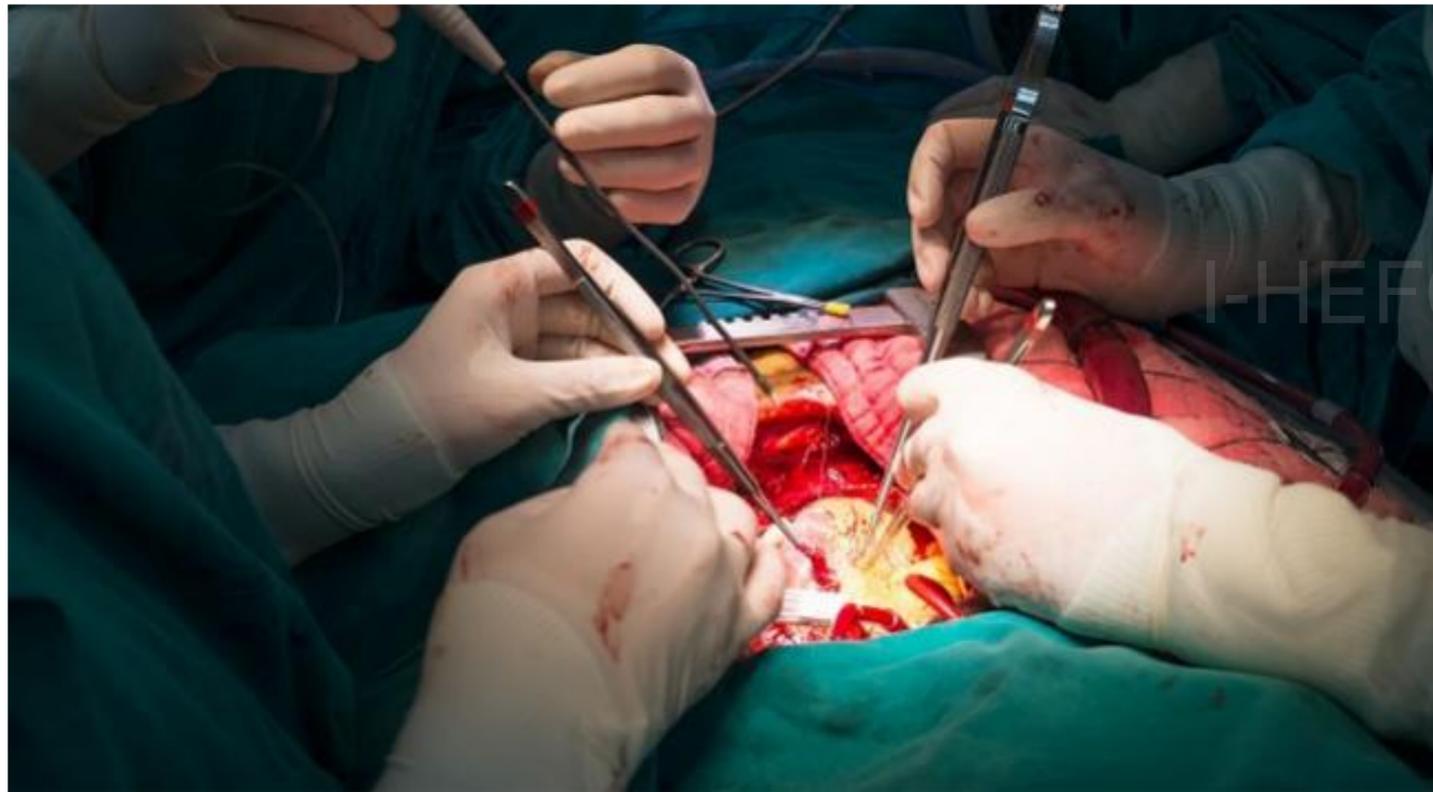
Recommendations	Class <sup>a</sup>	Level <sup>b</sup>
In patients with severe LV systolic dysfunction and coronary artery disease suitable for intervention, myocardial revascularization is recommended. <sup>81,250</sup>	<b>I</b>	<b>B</b>
CABG is recommended as the first revascularization strategy choice in patients with multivessel disease and acceptable surgical risk. <sup>68,81,248,255</sup>	<b>I</b>	<b>B</b>
In patients with one- or two-vessel disease, PCI should be considered as an alternative to CABG when complete revascularization can be achieved.	<b>IIa</b>	<b>C</b>

	Coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG)	Percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI)
European Society of Cardiology <sup>3</sup>	CABG is recommended as the first revascularisation strategy in patients with multivessel disease and acceptable surgical risk (I B).	PCI should be considered in one-vessel or two-vessel disease when complete revascularisation can be achieved or with three-vessel disease based on Heart team evaluation (IIa C).
American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association <sup>4</sup>	Revascularisation with CABG is sometimes recommended for patients with LVEF $\leq 35\%$ without significant left mainstem CAD (IIb B).	There are insufficient data to make a recommendation.

# Decision Making in Revascularization for Ischemic Cardiomyopathy



# Ischemic Cardiomyopathy : Candidate for CABG?



- Younger patient (<60 yo)
- High SYNTAX score
- Anterior wall viability
- Few comorbidities
- Need for valve surgery

**If patient said yes !!!**

# Major Adverse Events Within 30 Days

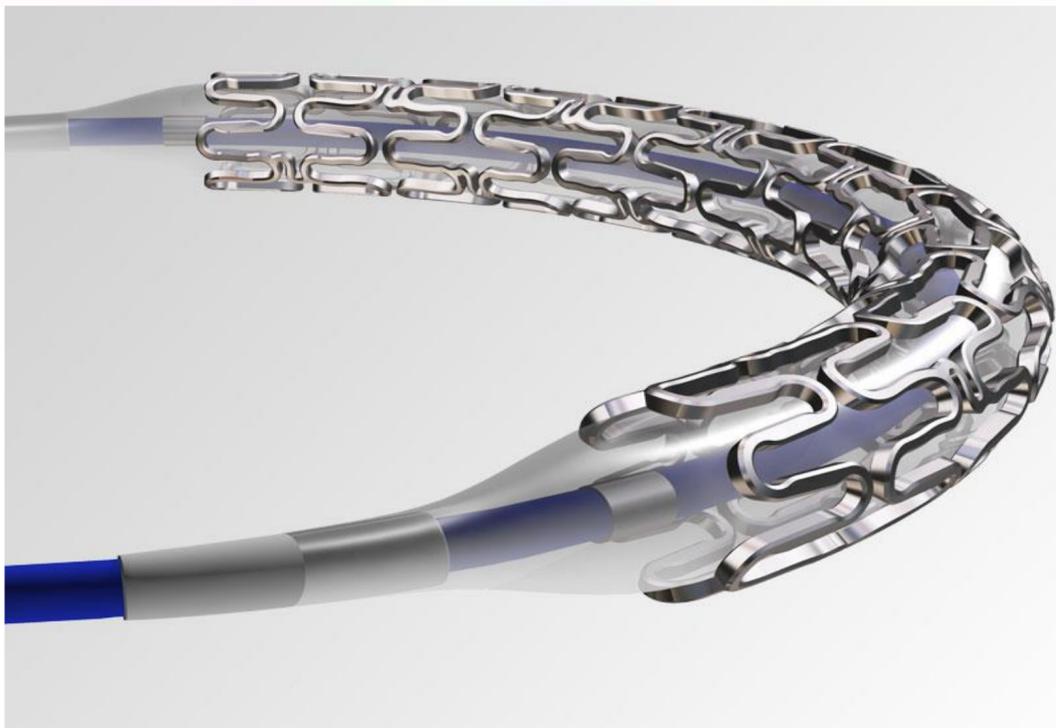
	PCI (n=948)	CABG (n=957)	RR [95%CI]	P-value
Peri-procedural MAE, any	12.4%	44.0%	0.28 [0.24, 0.34]	<0.001
- Death*	0.9%	1.0%	0.91 [0.39, 2.23]	0.83
- Stroke*	0.6%	1.3%	0.50 [0.19, 1.34]	0.16
- Myocardial infarction*	3.9%	6.2%	0.63 [0.42, 0.95]	0.02
- Ischemia-driven revascularization*	0.6%	1.4%	0.47 [0.18, 1.22]	0.11
- TIMI major/minor bleeding	3.7%	8.9%	0.42 [0.28, 0.61]	<0.001
- Transfusion ≥2 units	4.0%	17.0%	0.24 [0.17, 0.33]	<0.001
- Major arrhythmia**	2.1%	16.1%	0.13 [0.08, 0.21]	<0.001
- Surgery/radiologic procedure	1.3%	4.1%	0.31 [0.16, 0.59]	<0.001
- Renal failure†	0.6%	2.5%	0.25 [0.10, 0.61]	<0.001
- Sternal wound dehiscence	0.0%	2.0%	0.03 [0.00, 0.43]	<0.001
- Infection requiring antibiotics	2.5%	13.6%	0.18 [0.12, 0.28]	<0.001
- Prolonged intubation (>48 hours)	0.4%	2.9%	0.14 [0.05, 0.41]	<0.001
- Post-pericardiotomy syndrome	0.0%	0.4%	0.11 [0.01, 2.08]	0.12

\*Adjudicated events; others are site-reported. \*\*SVT requiring cardioversion, VT or VF requiring treatment, or bradyarrhythmia requiring temp or perm PM. †SCr increased by ≥0.5 mg/dL from baseline or need for dialysis.

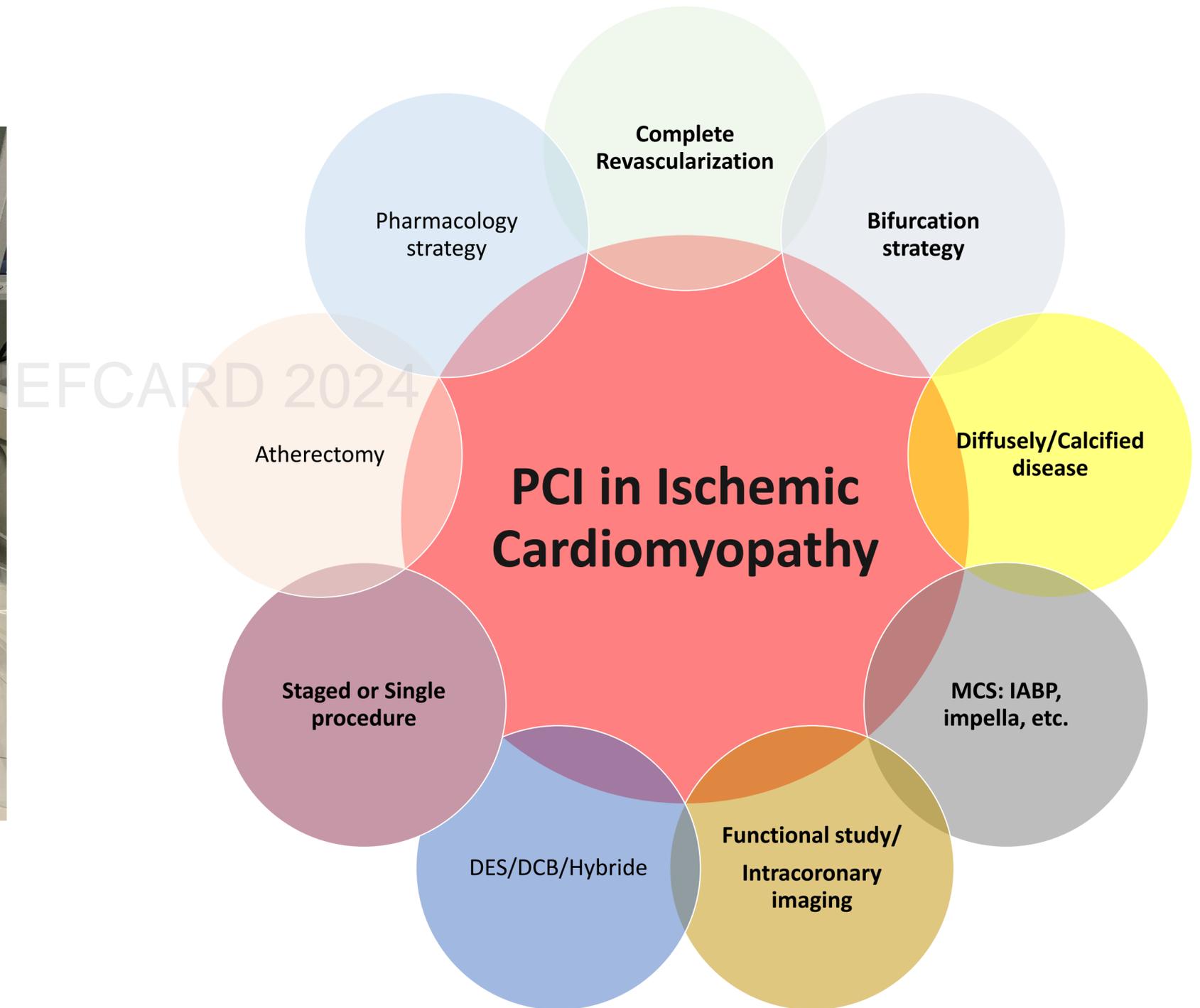
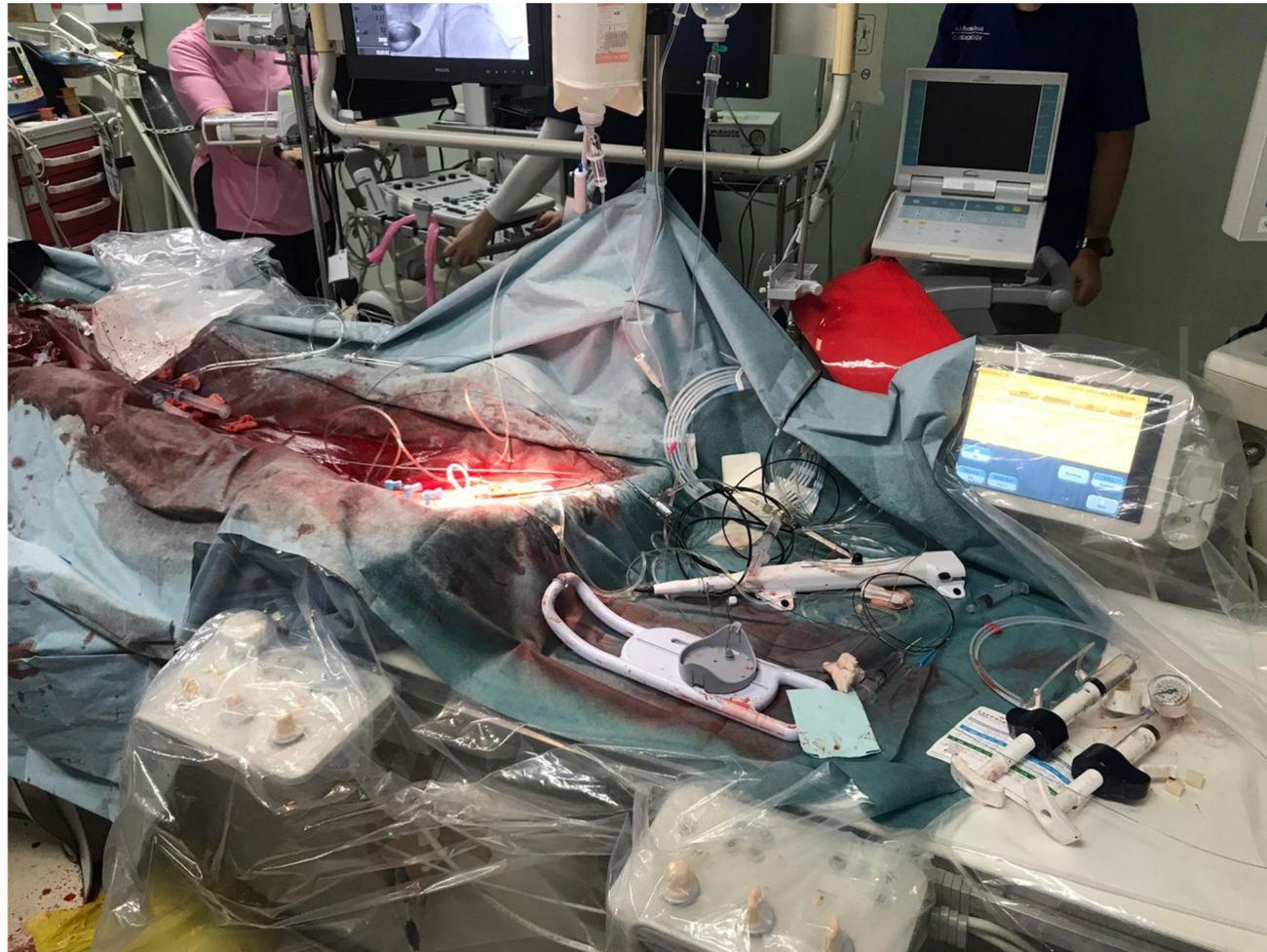
# Ischemic Cardiomyopathy : Candidate for PCI



- Comorbidities and Surgical inabilities
- Previous CABG
- Target vessel supply viable myocardium
- Trained complex PCI operator and team



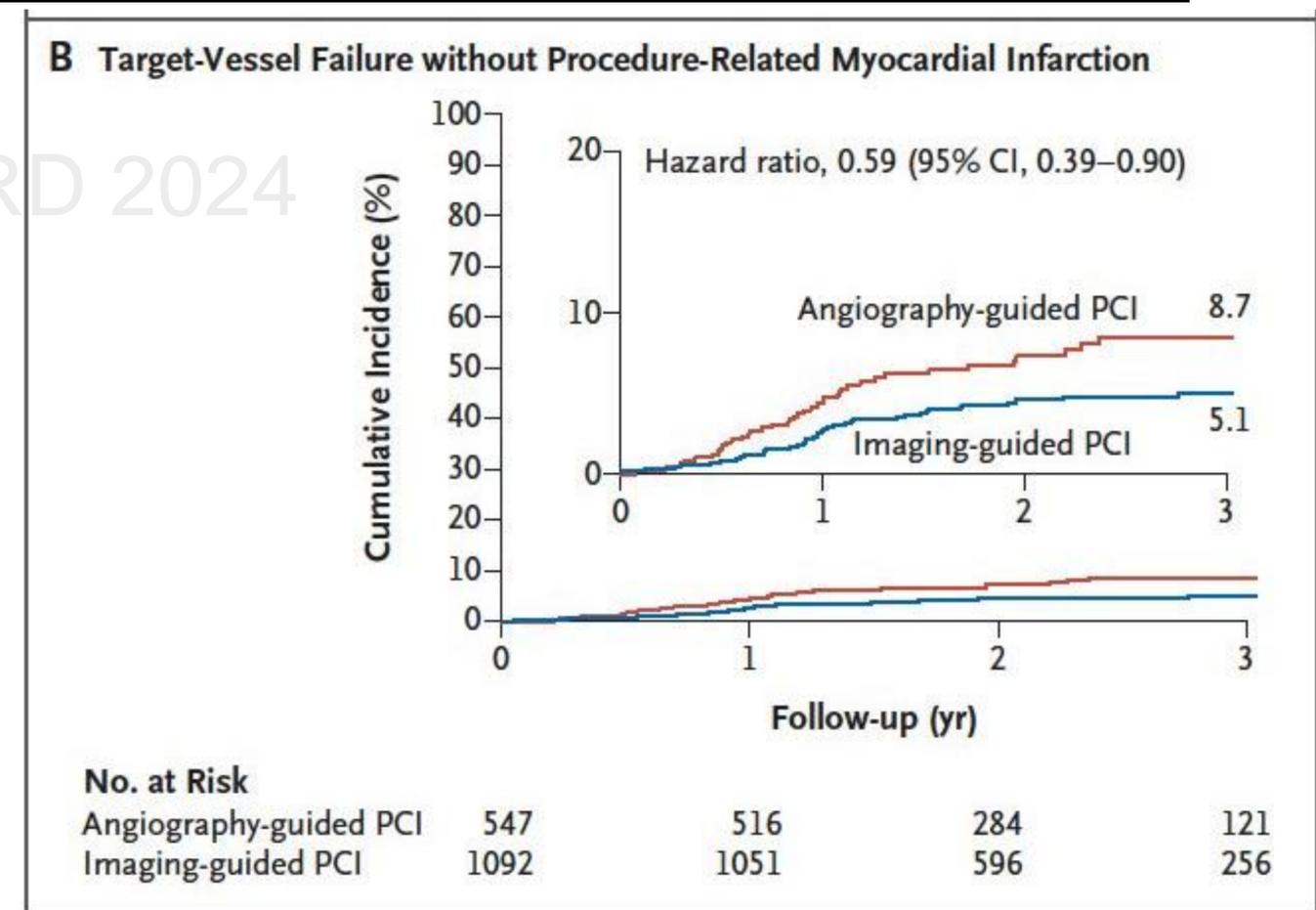
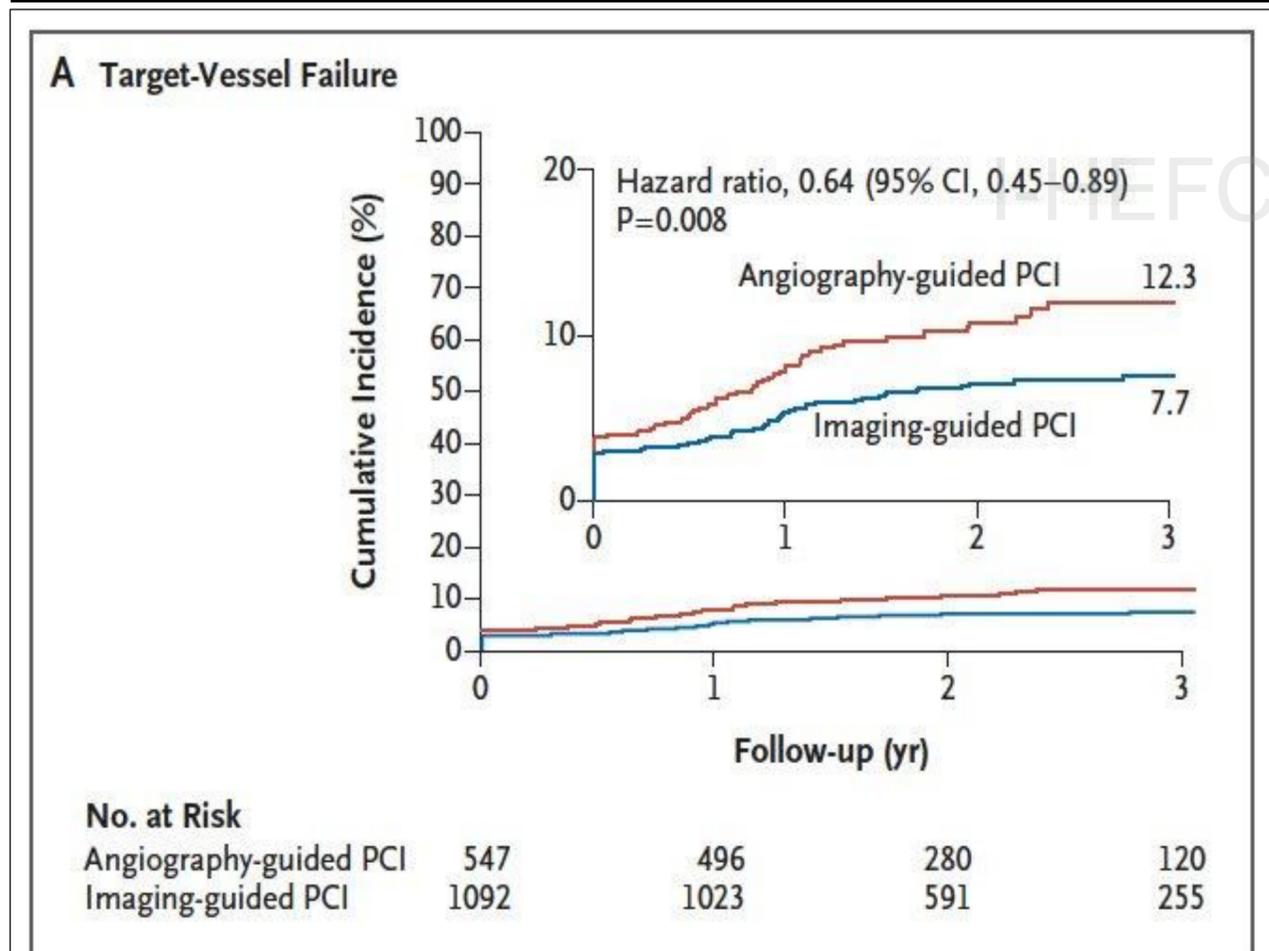
# PCI in Ischemic Cardiomyopathy



# Intravascular Imaging–Guided or Angiography-Guided Complex PCI

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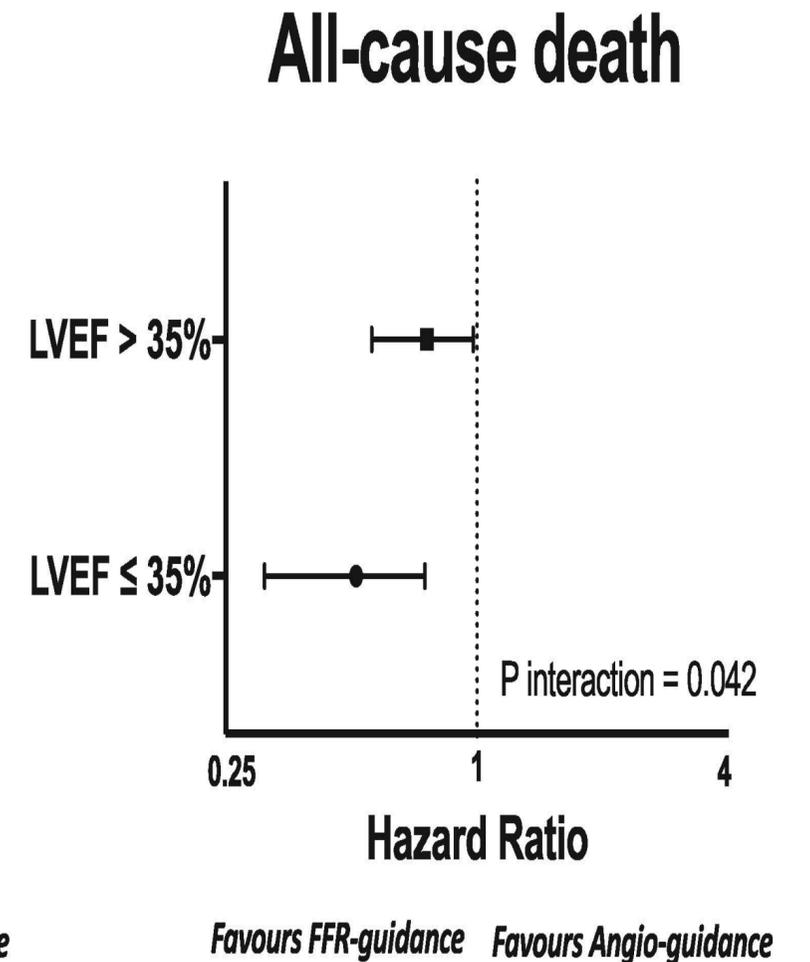
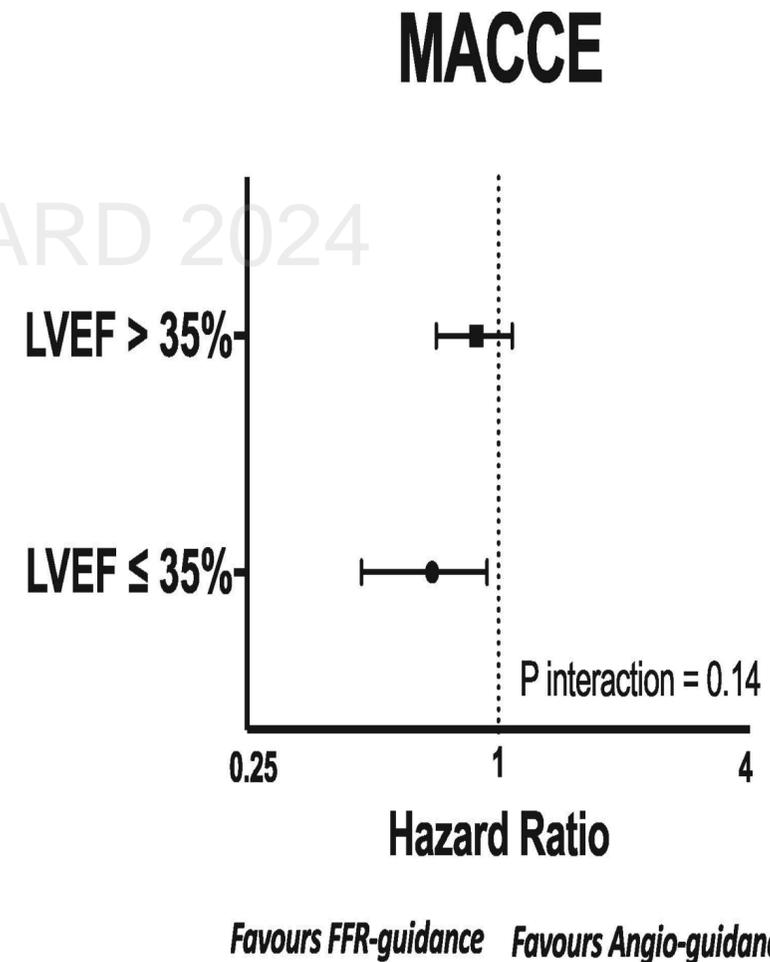
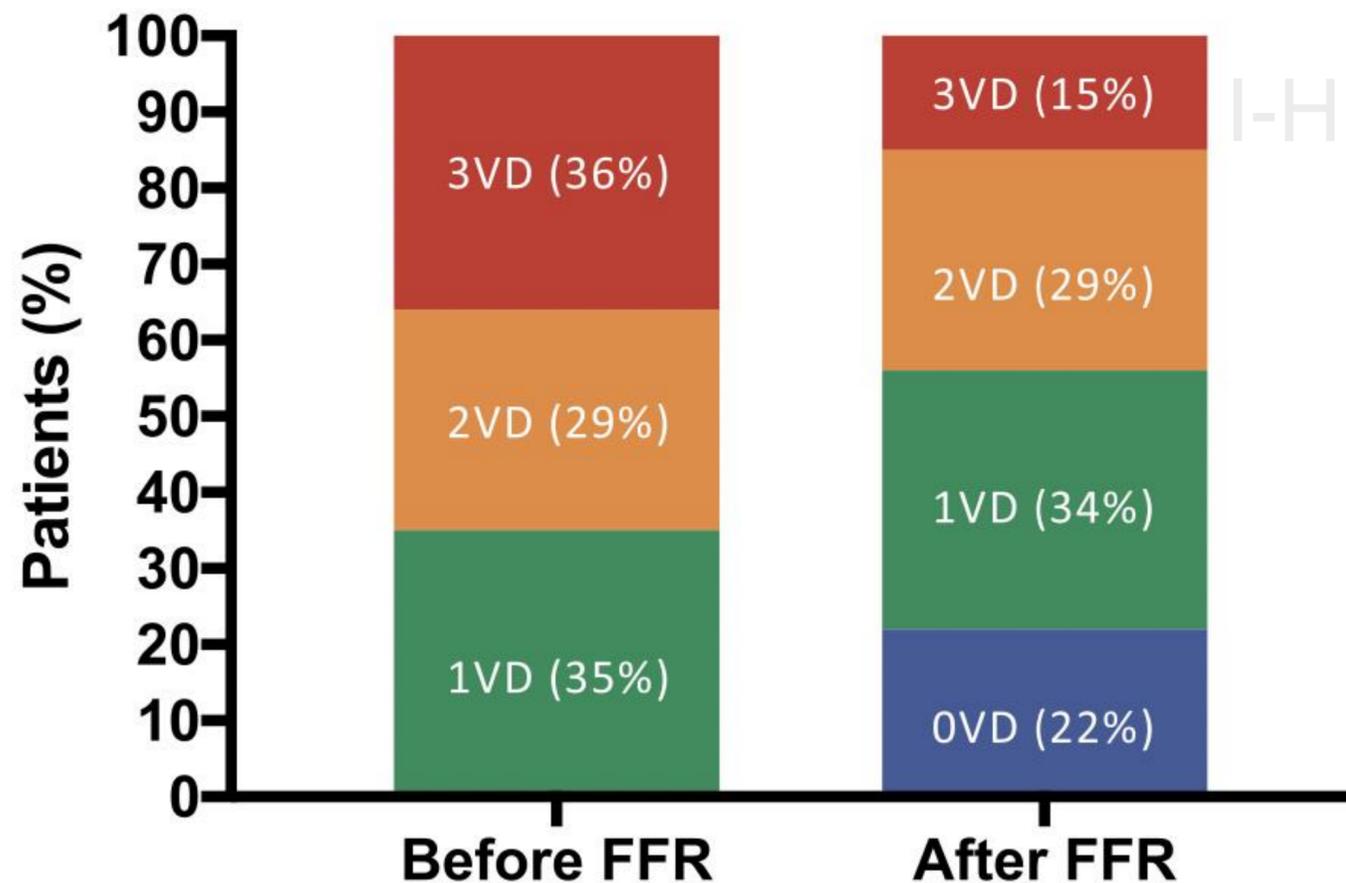
**Imaging-guided PCI was more effective than angiography guided PCI, especially in complex PCI**



# Fractional Flow Reserve in Patients with Reduced Ejection Fraction

Cohort study, propensity matched  
FFR-guided (433 pt) vs Angio-guided (866 pts), baseline LVEF <40%

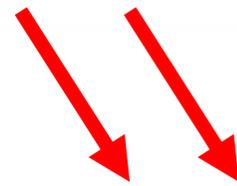
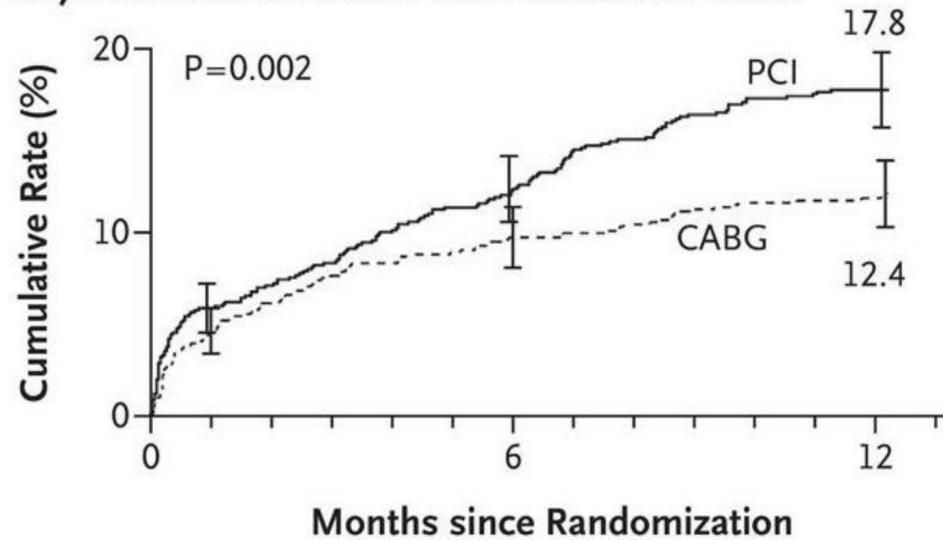
Downgrading in the number of diseased vessels after FFR measurement



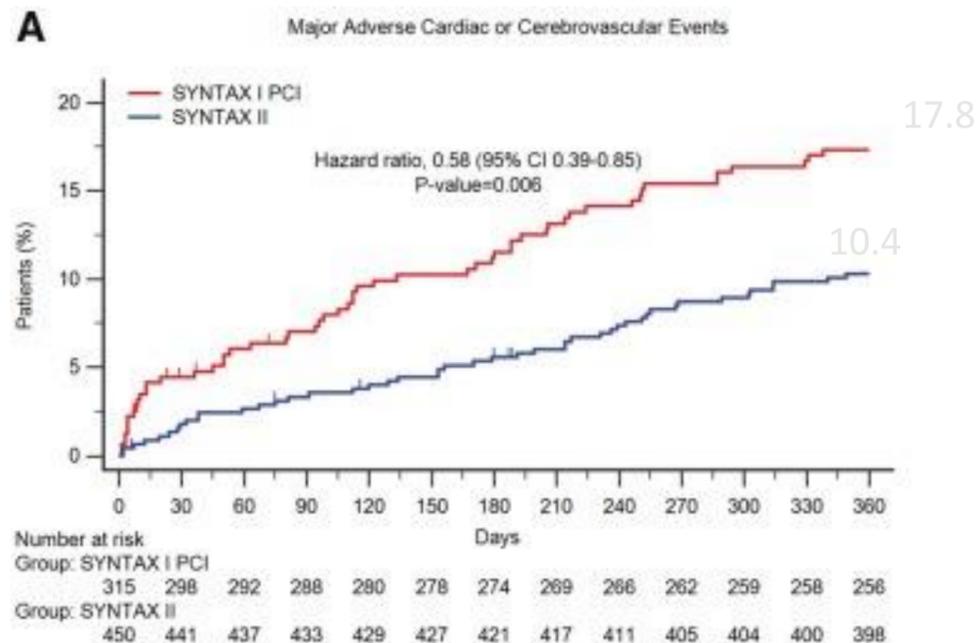
# How to Improve PCI Outcomes in Ischemic cardiomyopathy

## SYNTAX 1

D Major Adverse Cardiac or Cerebrovascular Event



## SYNTAX 2



### • Patient selection

- Objective assessment of rationale for revascularization
- Functional lesion assessment
- Hemodynamic assessment
- Co-morbidity assessment and management

### • Technical considerations

- Functionally complete revascularization
- LMCA/CTO expertise
- Lesion preparation
- Stent optimization
- Contemporary stents/DAPT
- Hemodynamic support

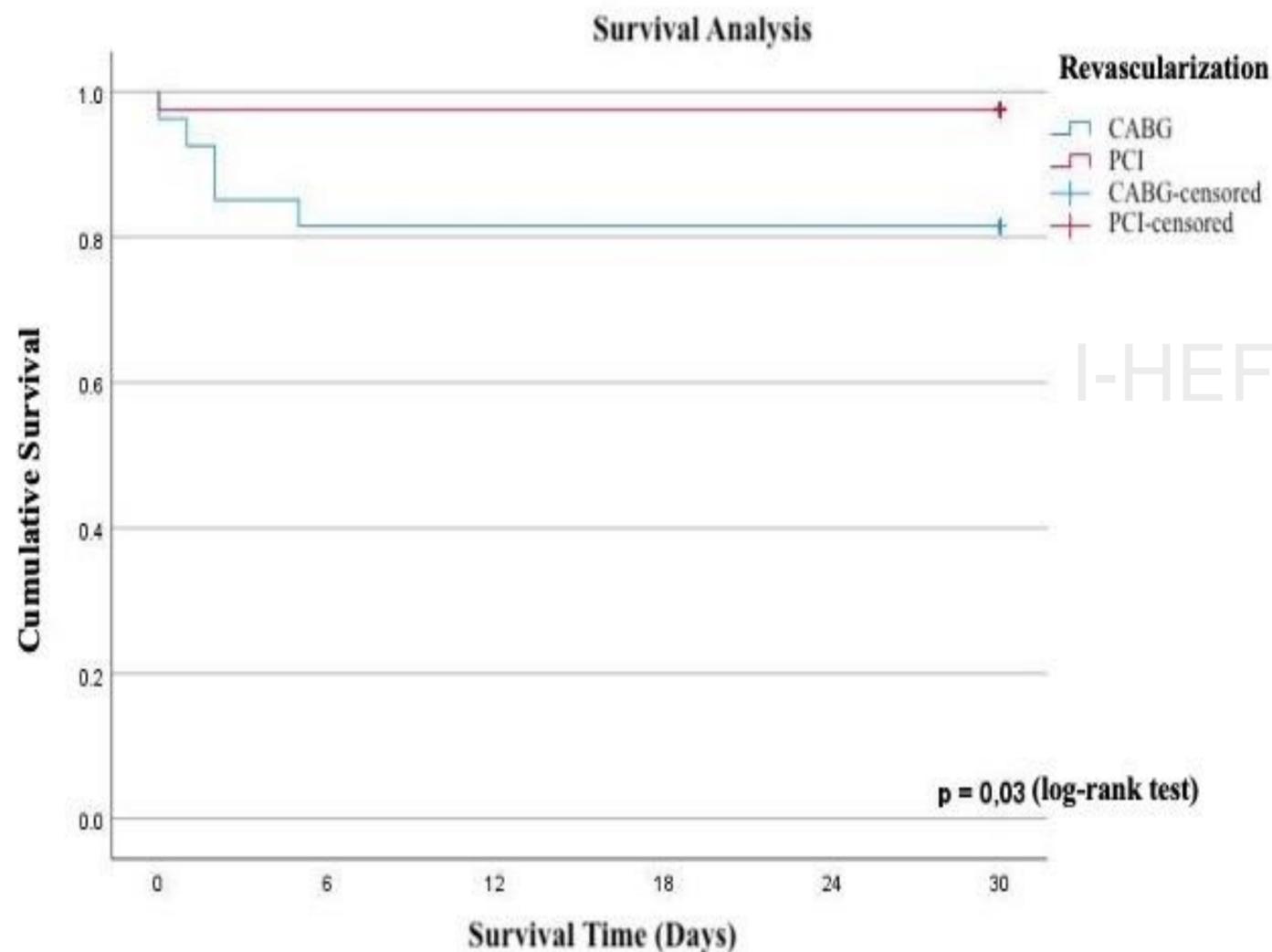
# Revascularization Outcome of Ischemic CM: CABG vs PCI

## Dr Hasan Sadikin Hospital Registry (2021-2022, unpublished)

67 Patients Aged  $\geq 18$  years with Ischemic CMP, SYNTAX I Score  $> 22$

CABG (n= 27)

PCI (n = 40)



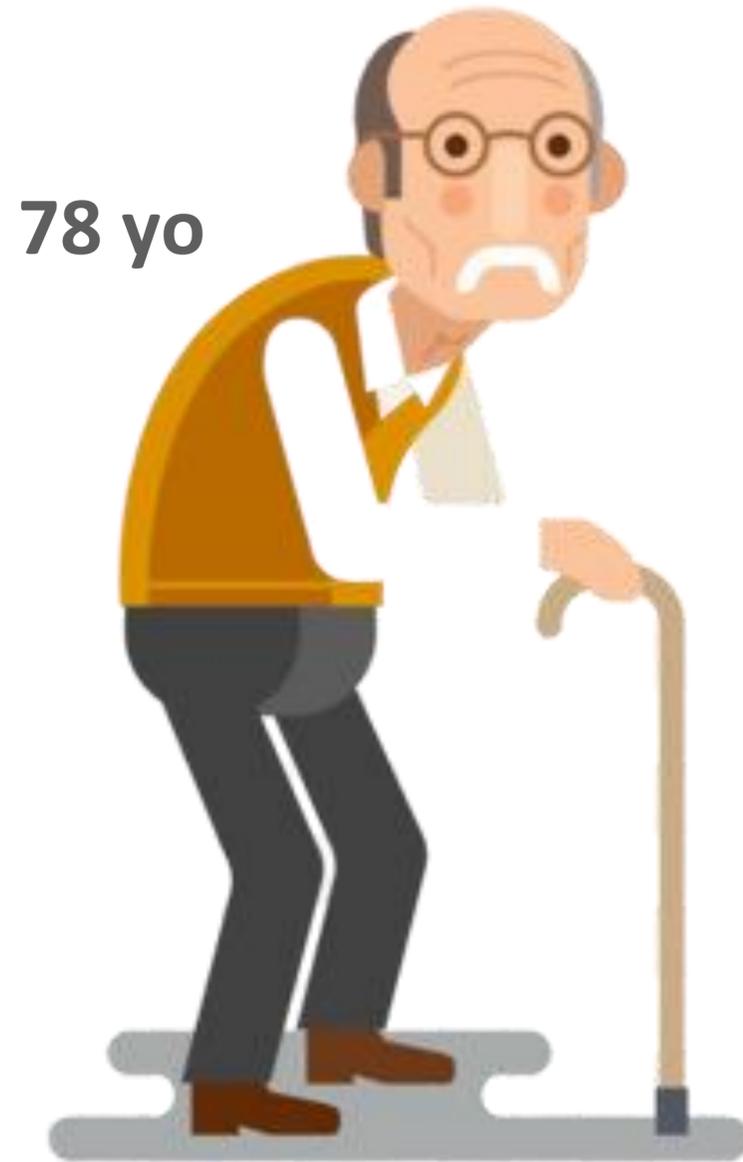
### Study Findings:

- In 30-day follow up:
  - 5/27 patients undergone CABG died (Survival Rate 81.5%)
  - 1/40 patients undergone PCI died (Survival Rate 97.5%)
- Mostly PCI was done with intracoronary imaging and DES
- OMT only achieved in minority patients of both group (CABG vs PCI = 18.5% vs 20%,  $p = 0.98$ )
- 30-day survival in PCI was better than CABG ( $p = 0.03$ )**
- After multivariate analysis, similar 30-day mortality rate (adjusted HR 4.02 for CABG, 95% CI 0.27 – 60.3;  $p = 0.31$ )

# Case 1

- Male, 78 yo
- Referred by HF division
- Cor Angio ; LM-3VD
- History of PPM DDDR (2012), HBP (2021)
- LVEF 20% → after OMT 31%
- Nuclear scan: reversible ischemia and viable at all LV segments
- Lab: Cr 1.98 mg/dL, eGFR 31 mL/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>

# But.....is he really a suitable candidate for CABG ?



- SYNTAX SCORE I: **40**
- SYNTAX SCORE II
  - **CABG 49.9**
  - **PCI: 53**
- Euroscore II: **6.34 %**
- STS Risk of mortality **8.4%**
- Frailty score: FI (Frail index): **0.47**

STS Adult Cardiac Surgery Database Version 4.20

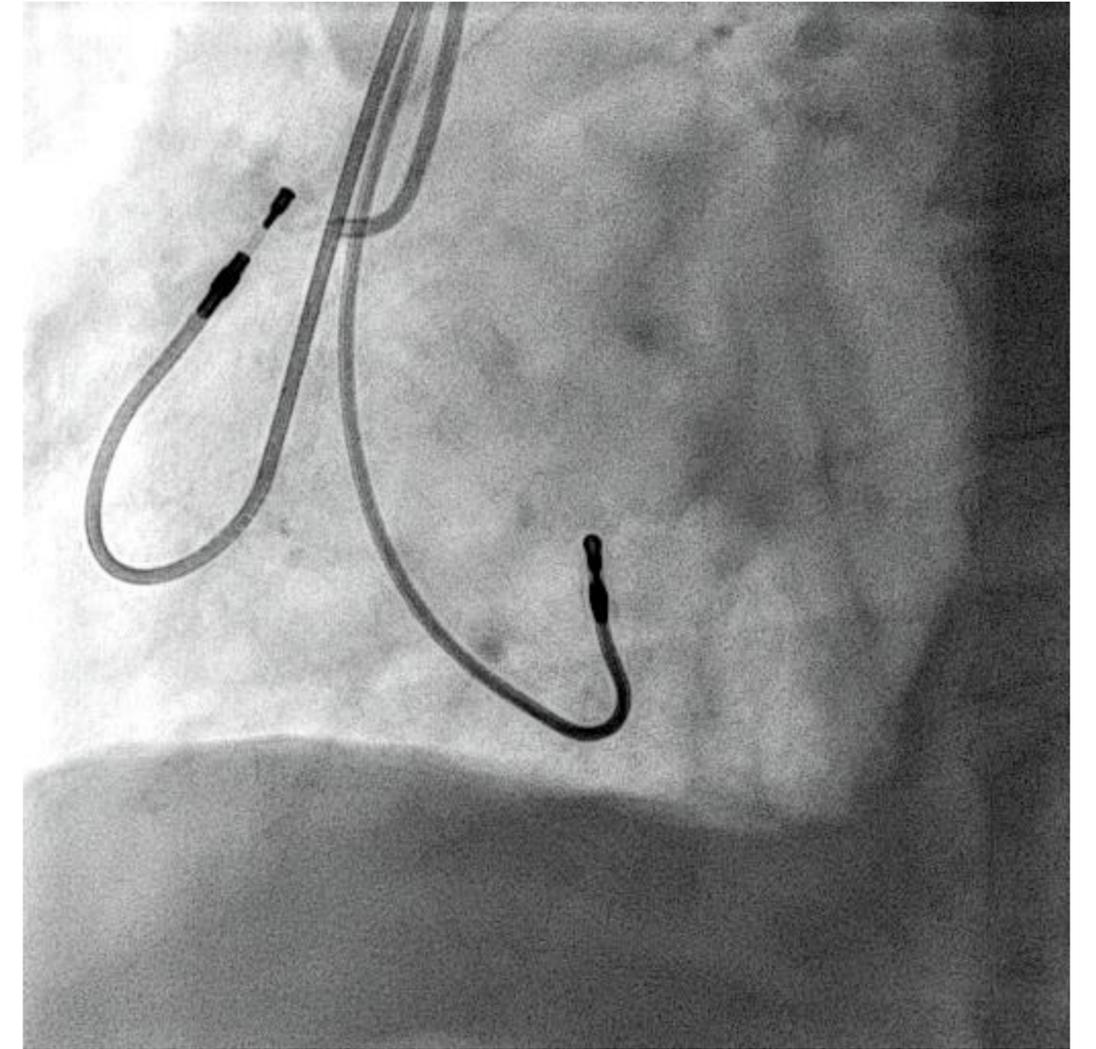
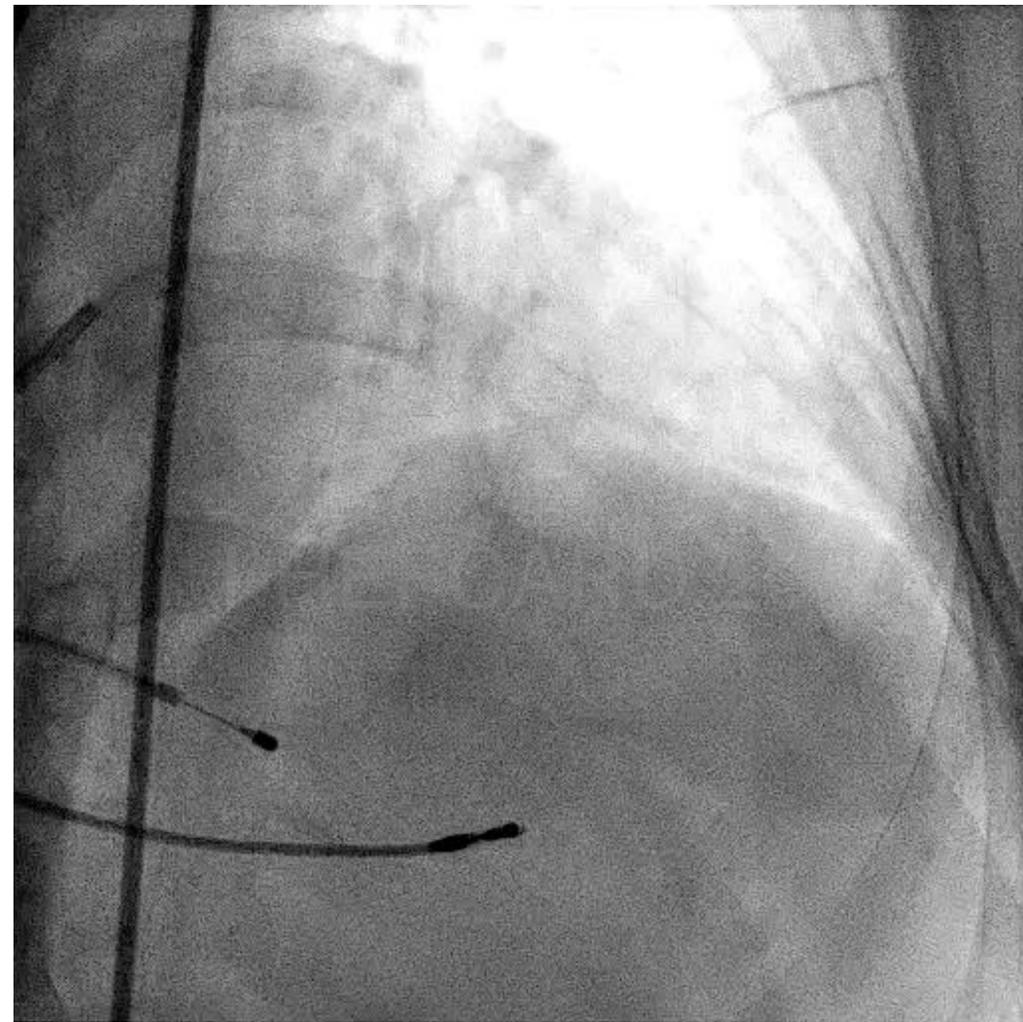
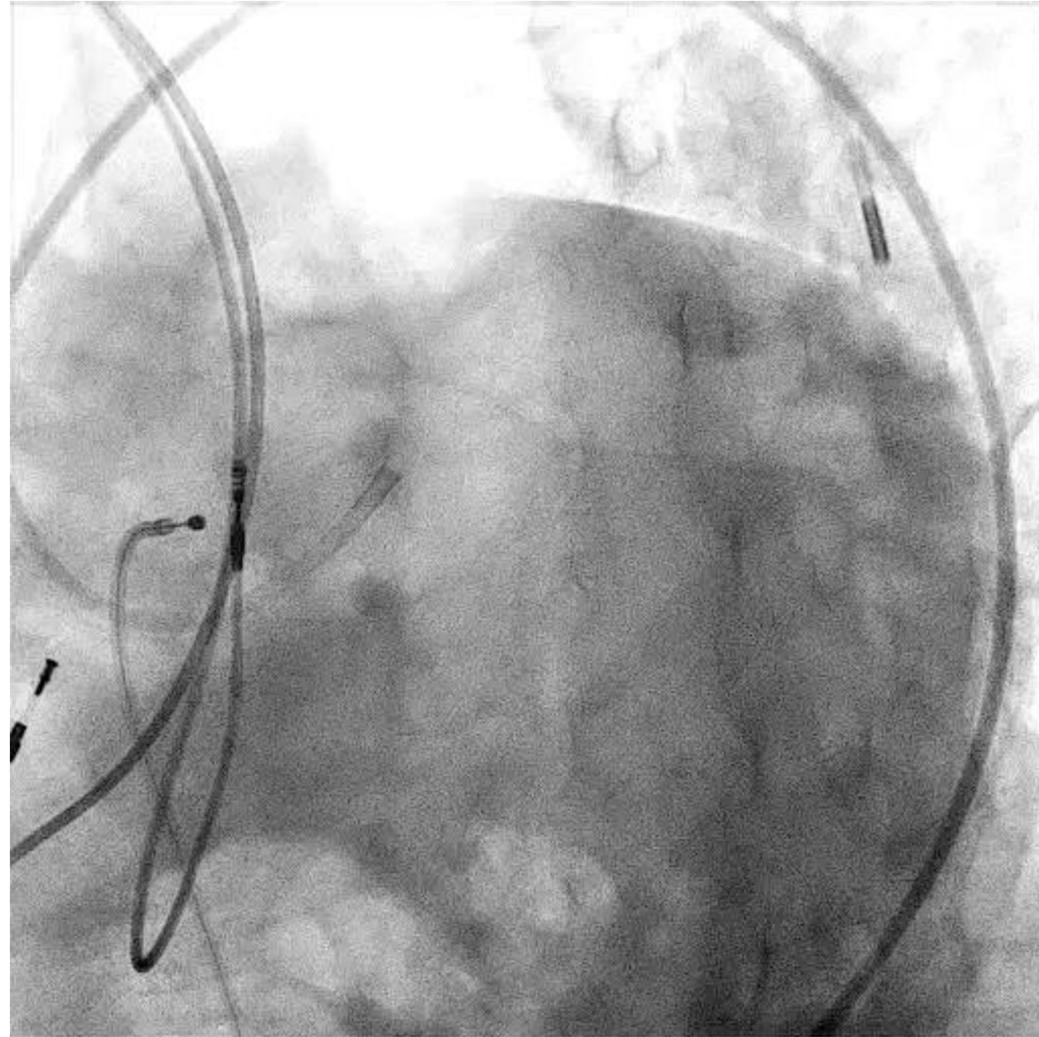
## RISK SCORES

Procedure: **Isolated CAB**

CALCULATE

Risk of Mortality:	8.477%
Renal Failure:	10.924%
Permanent Stroke:	2.222%
Prolonged Ventilation:	20.503%
DSW Infection:	0.192%
Reoperation:	8.029%
Morbidity or Mortality:	36.604%
Short Length of Stay:	11.747%
Long Length of Stay:	25.193%

# Left Main Triple vessel Disease



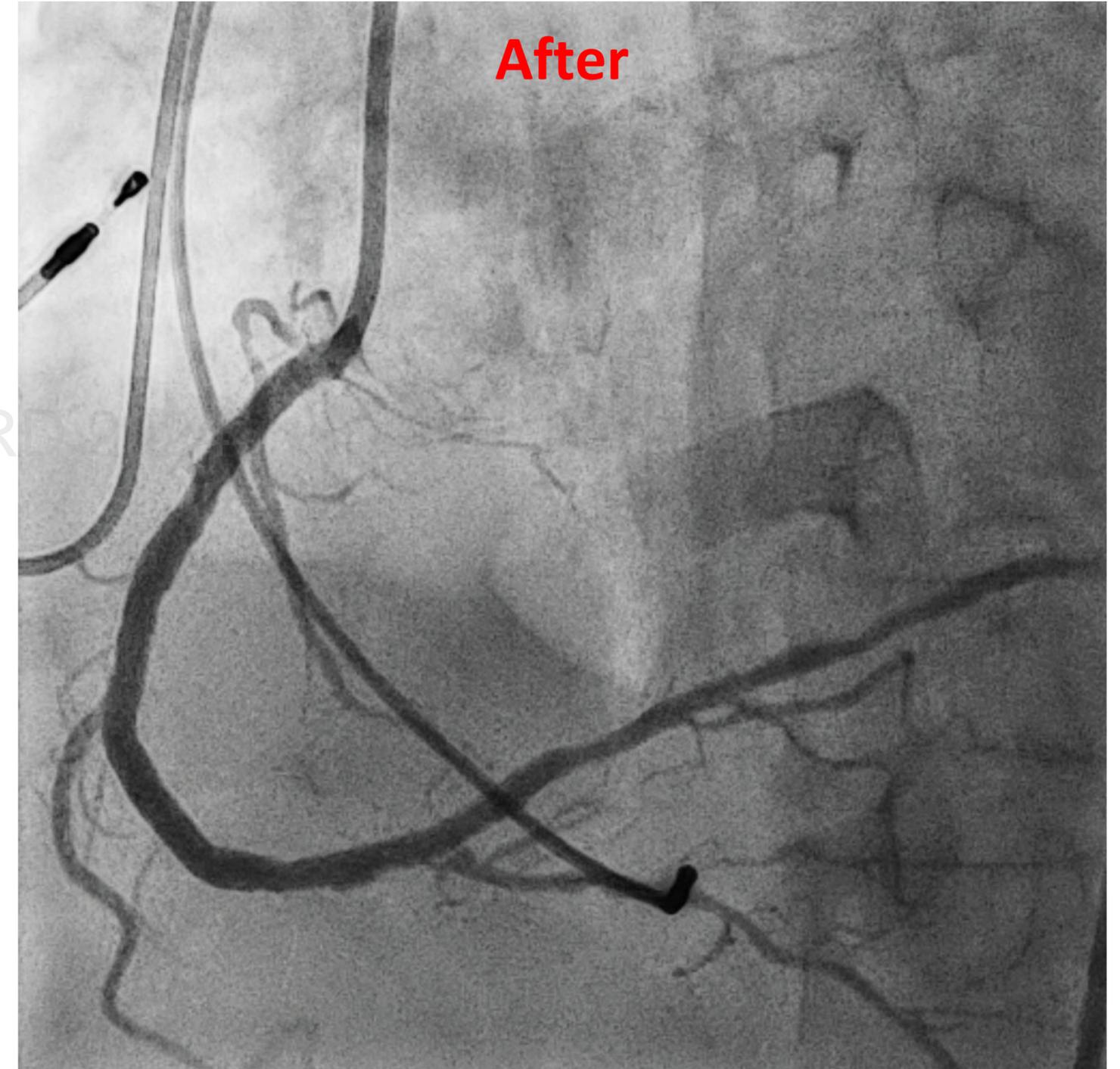
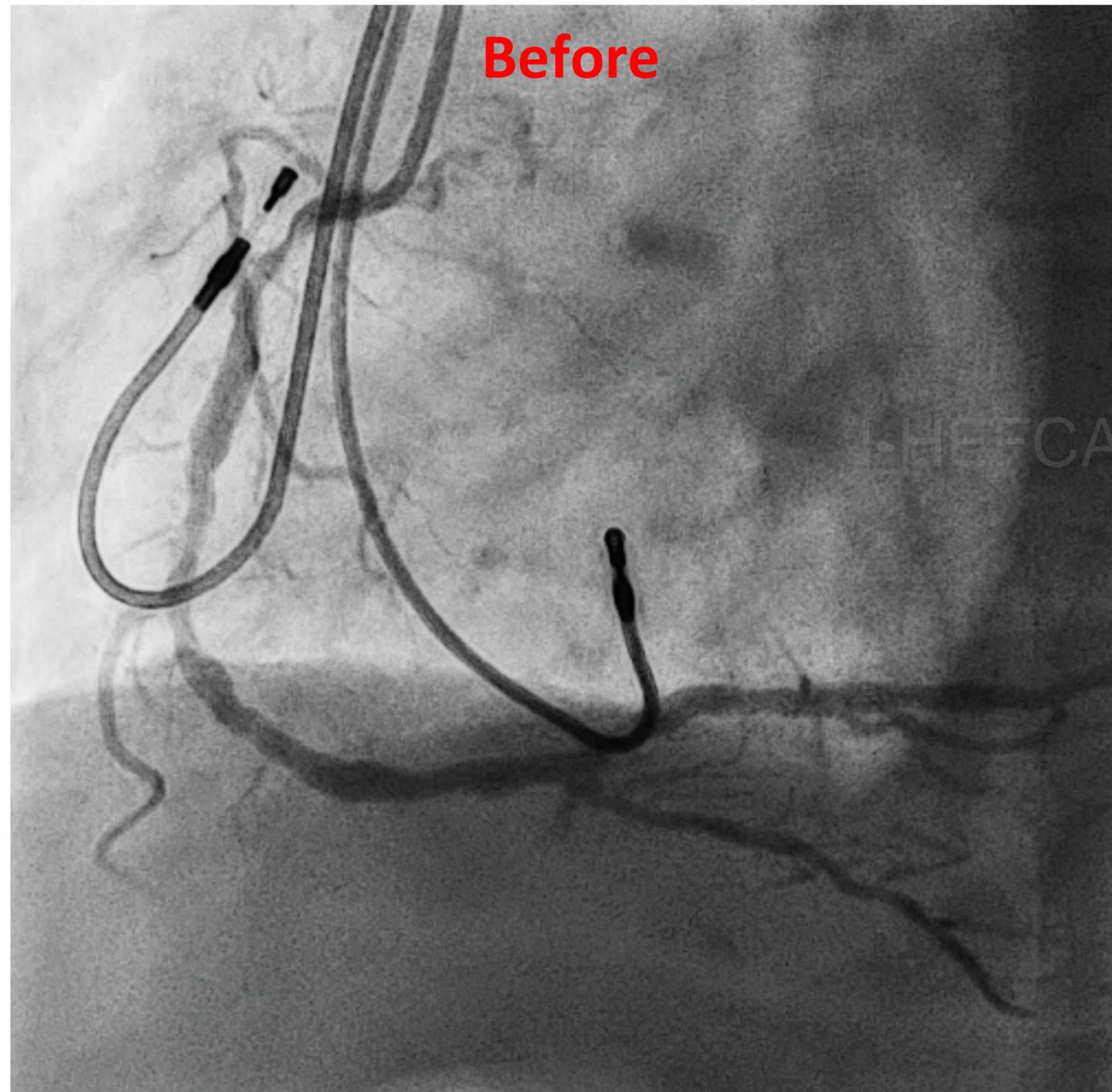
# PCI strategy

- Complete revascularization
- MCS: IABP
- IVUS guided PCI (staged)

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# RCA: Spot stenting 3 DES

**Xience Xpedition 3.5/15mm, Resolute Integrity 3.0/34mm, Ultimaster 2.75/24mm**

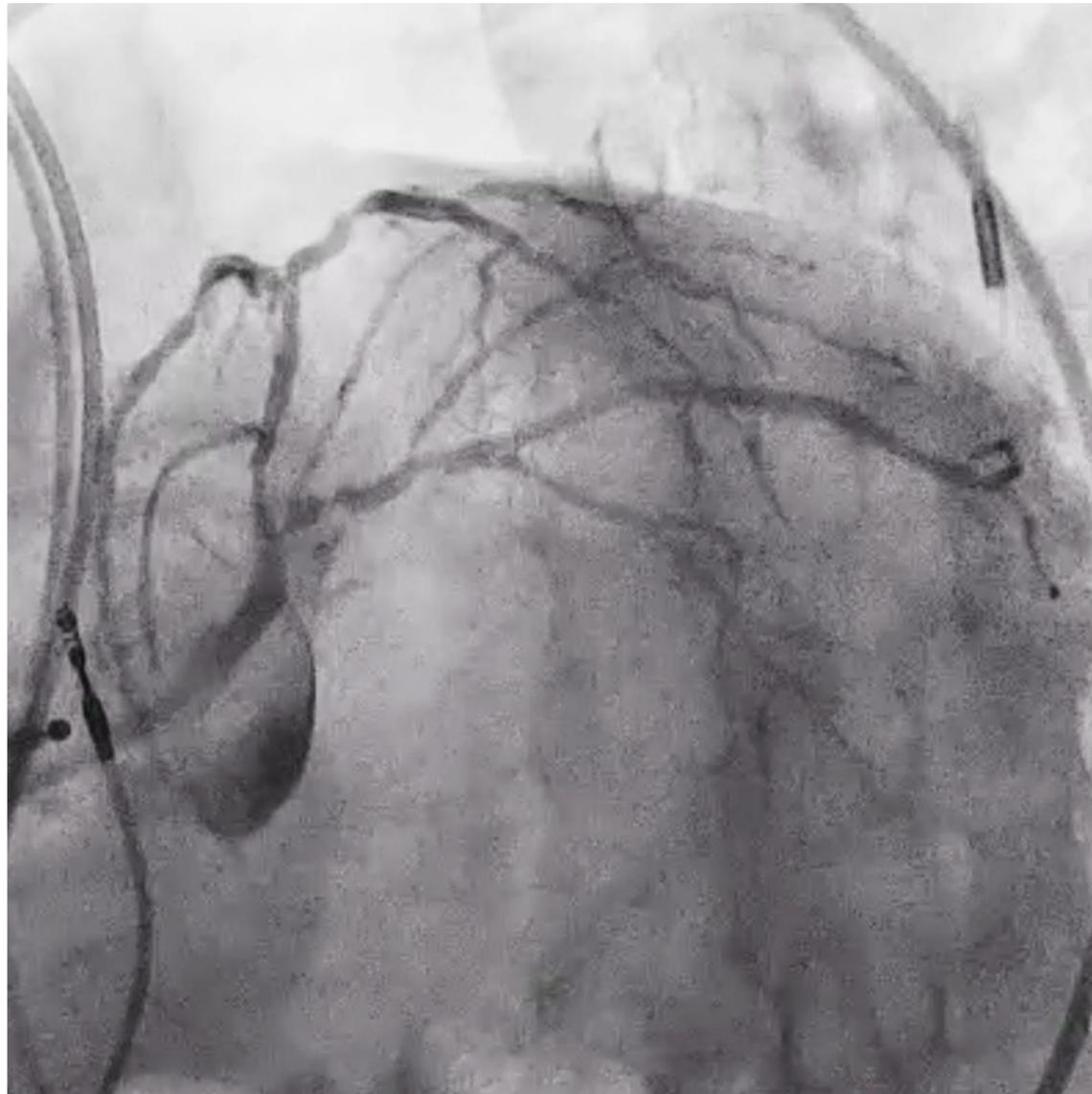


# LM bifurcation: DK Culotte Stenting

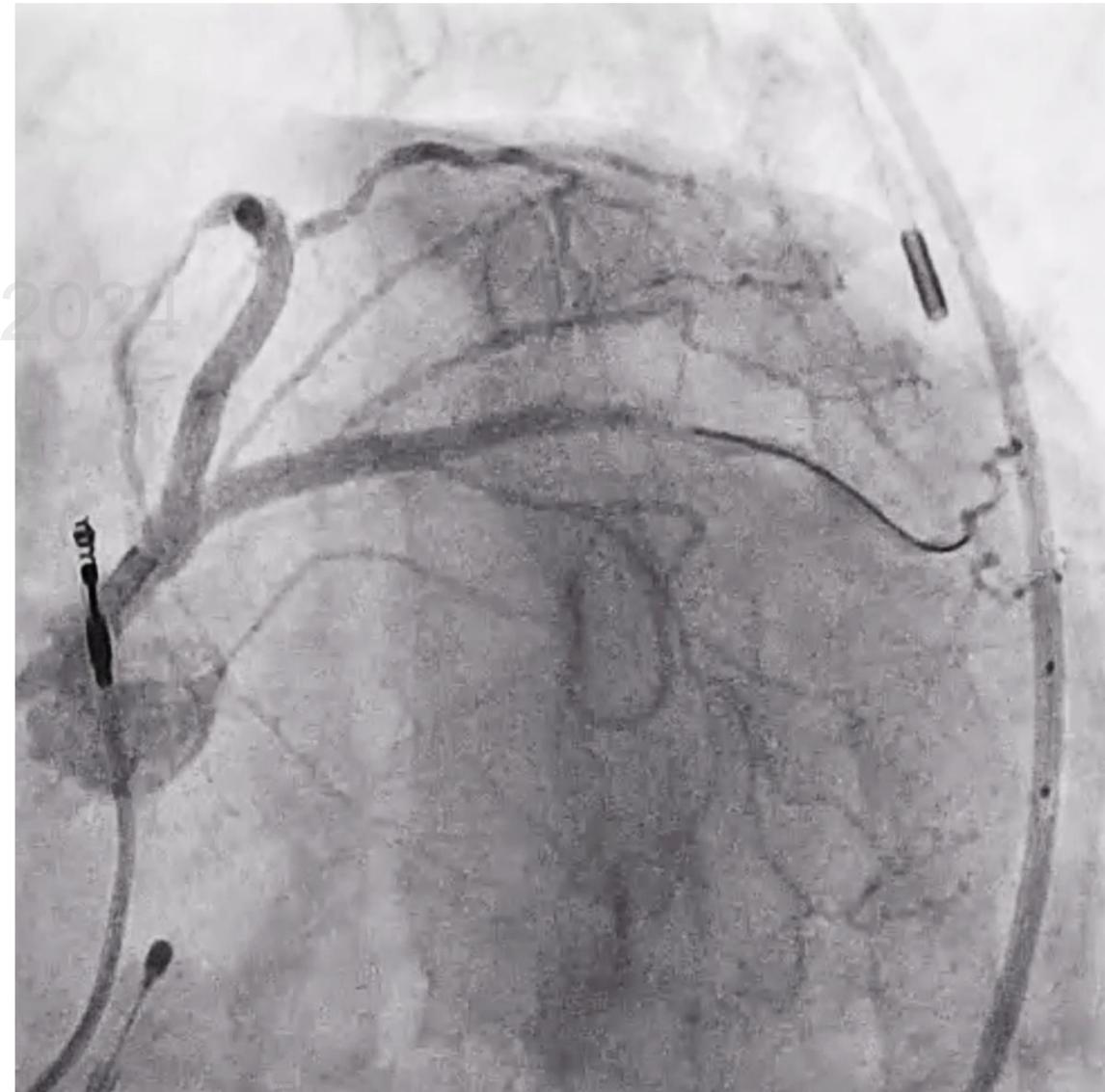
**LM-LAD:** 2 DES (Xience Xpedition LL 3.0/38 mm & 2.5/38 mm)

**LM-LCx:** 1 DES (Resolute Integrity 3.5/38 mm) & 1 DCB (Sequent Please Neo 2.75/30 mm)

**Before PCI**



**After PCI**



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# Case 2

**Male, 54 yo,**

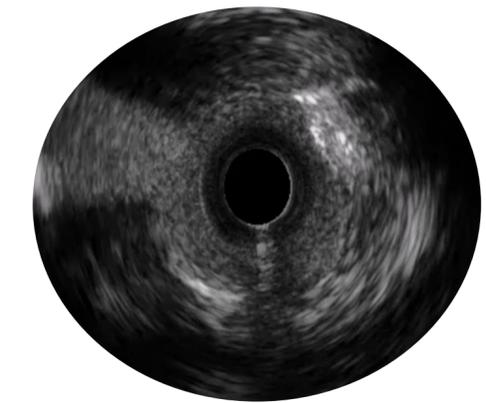
- **Ischemic Cardiomyopathy**
- **CVRF : Dyslipidemia**
- **Echo: LVEF 29%, RWMA (+)**
- **CMRI : Subendocardial LGE at mid-apico lateral (transmural 100%) and mid anterior (transmural 50%)**

# ***Left coronary angiogram***

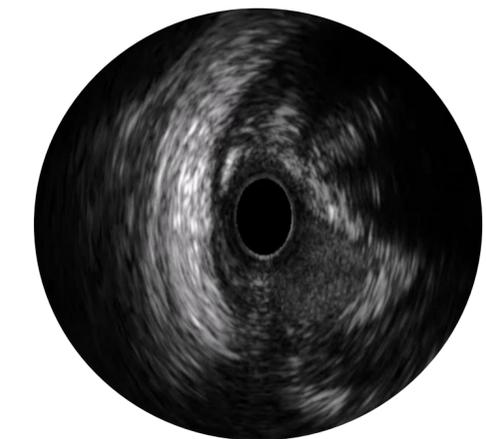
mLAD

***RCA: nonsignificant stenosis***

***Syntax score 21, Euroscore 1.7%***



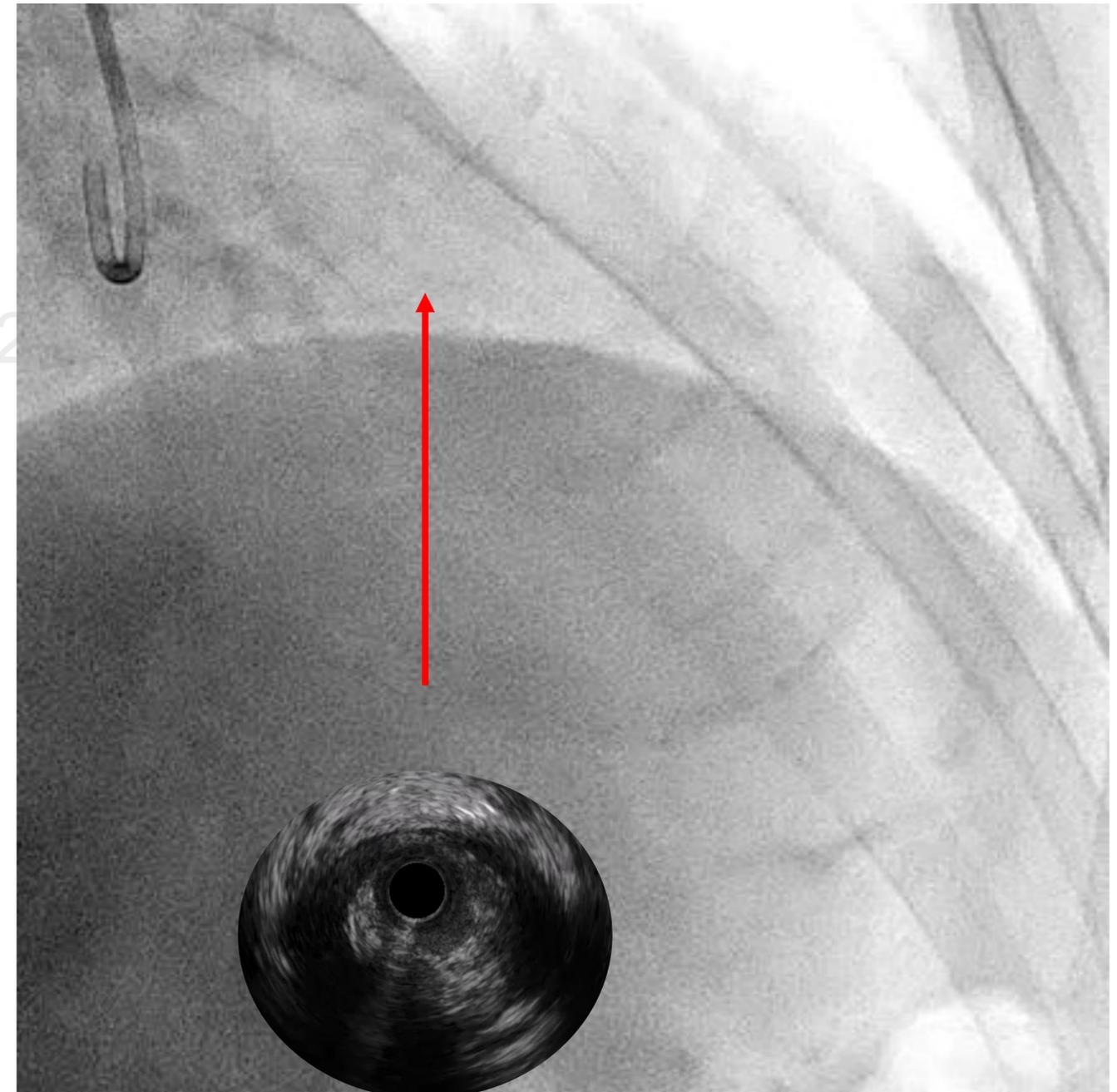
**oLAD**



**pLAD**

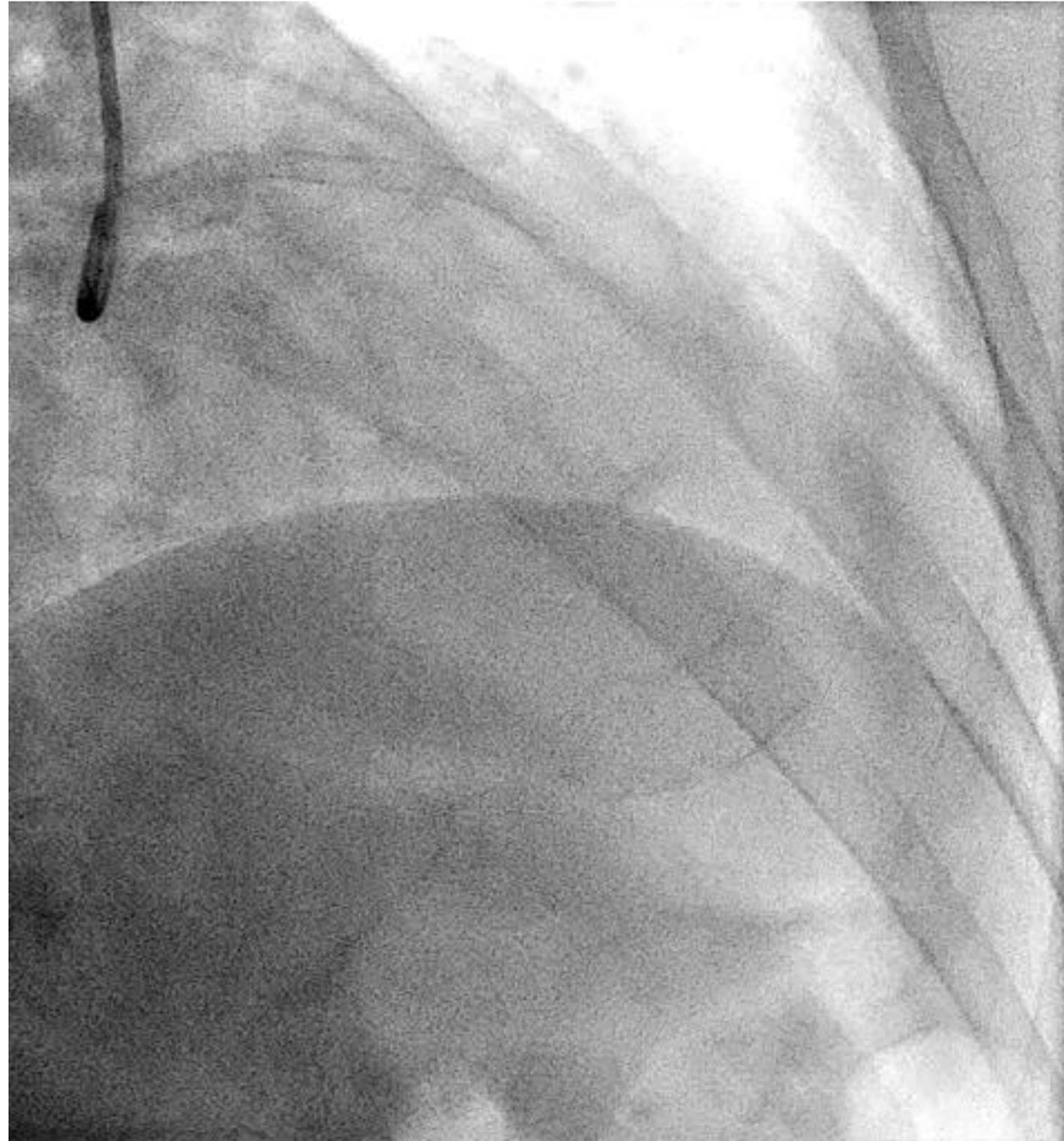


**oLCX**



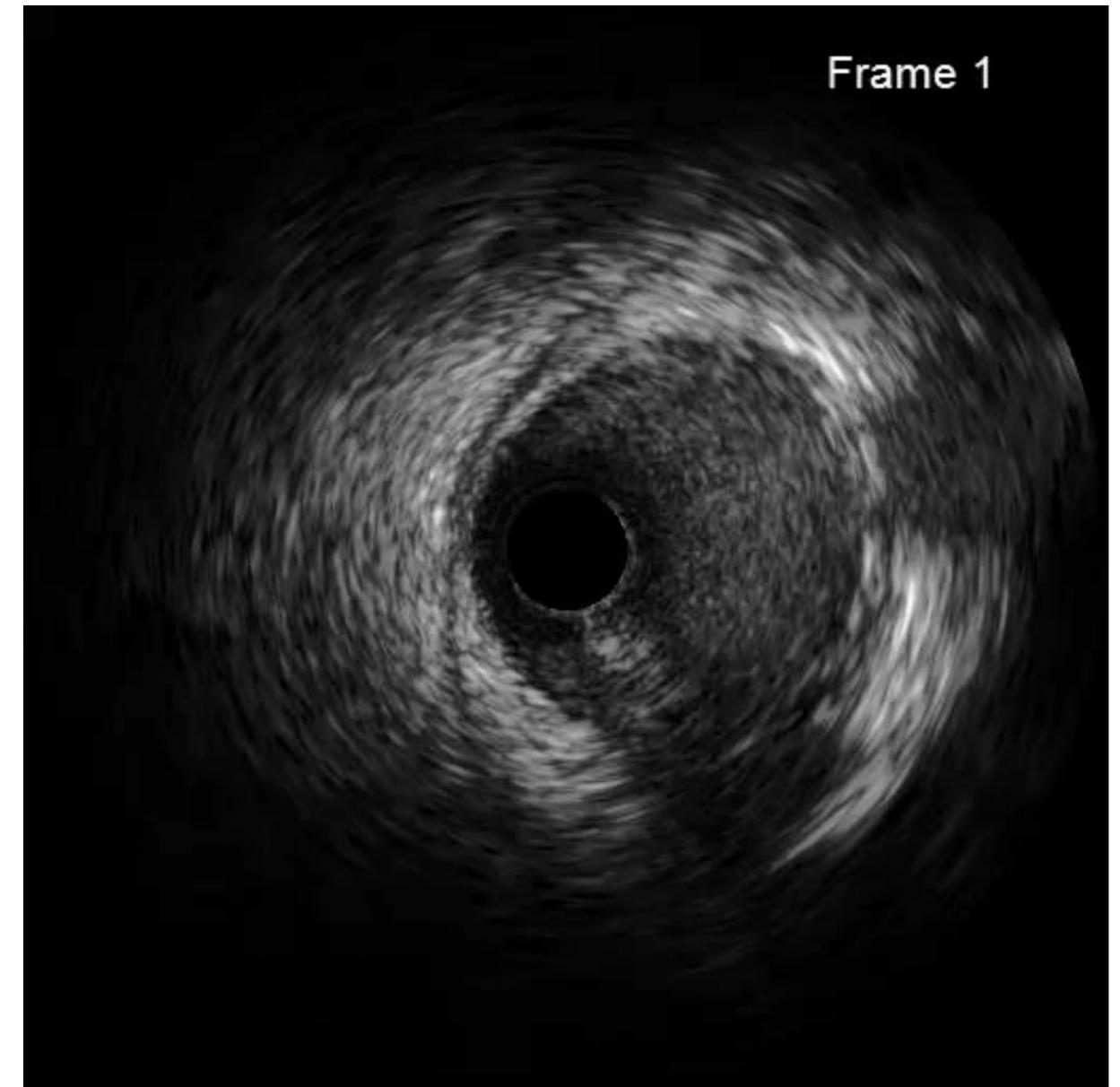
# Cross over stenting LM-LAD

## 2 DES (3.5x24 mm and 4.0x20 mm)



Minimal jailed strut at ostial LCx,  
Optimal expansion and apposition: MSA distal LAD  
7mm<sup>2</sup>, prox LAD 9 mm<sup>2</sup>, ostial LAD 10 mm<sup>2</sup>,  
LM 12.9 mm<sup>2</sup>

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## **Case 1**

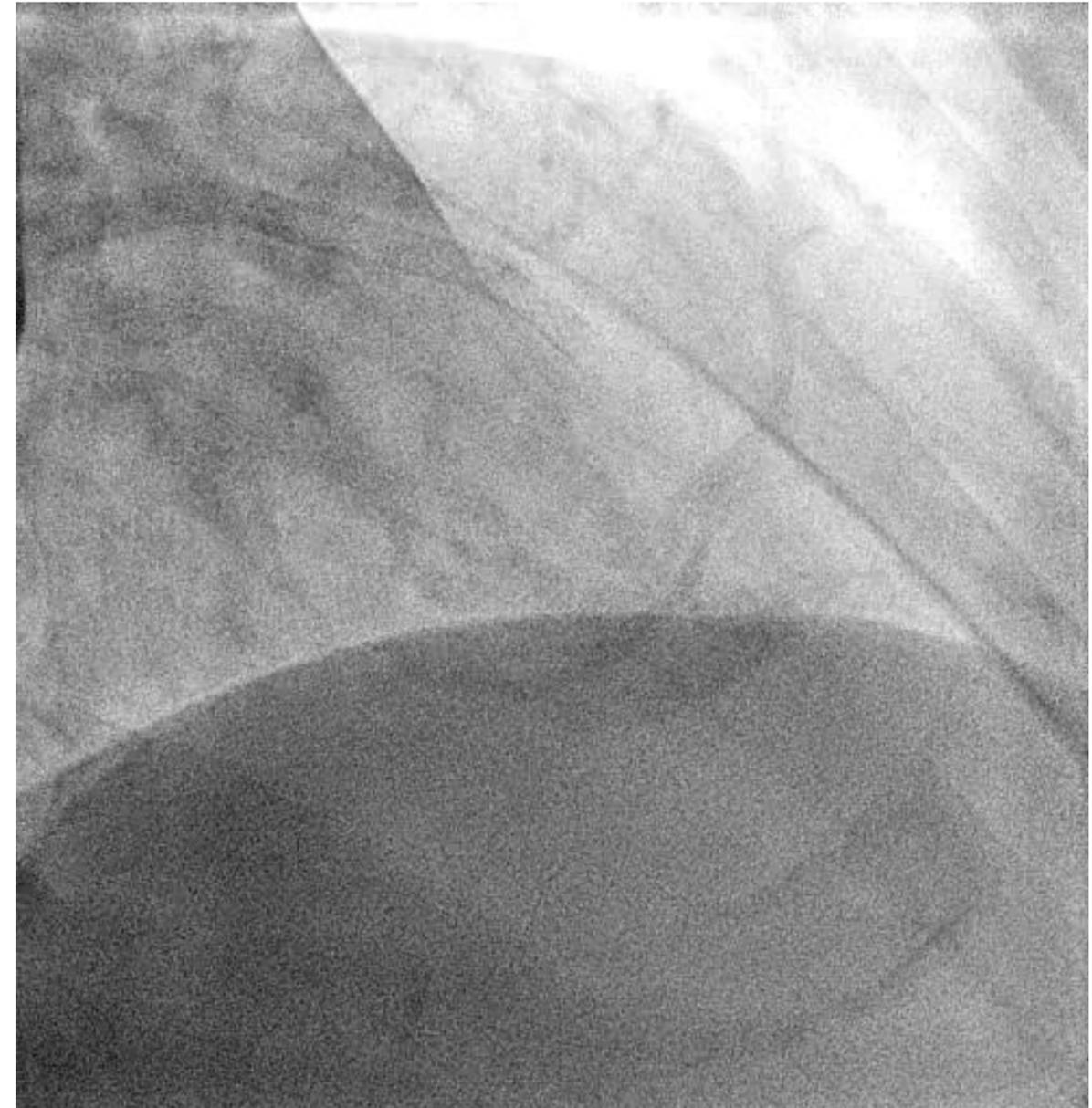
**Echo: LVEF 29%**

**→ 43%**

### **CMRI after PCI:**

- Subendocardial enhancement (transmurality <25%) at mid-distal LAD
- Mid wall enhancement at lateral wall
- Impression: Dual cardiomyopathy

# Two years follow up



# Case 3

**Female, 58 yo**

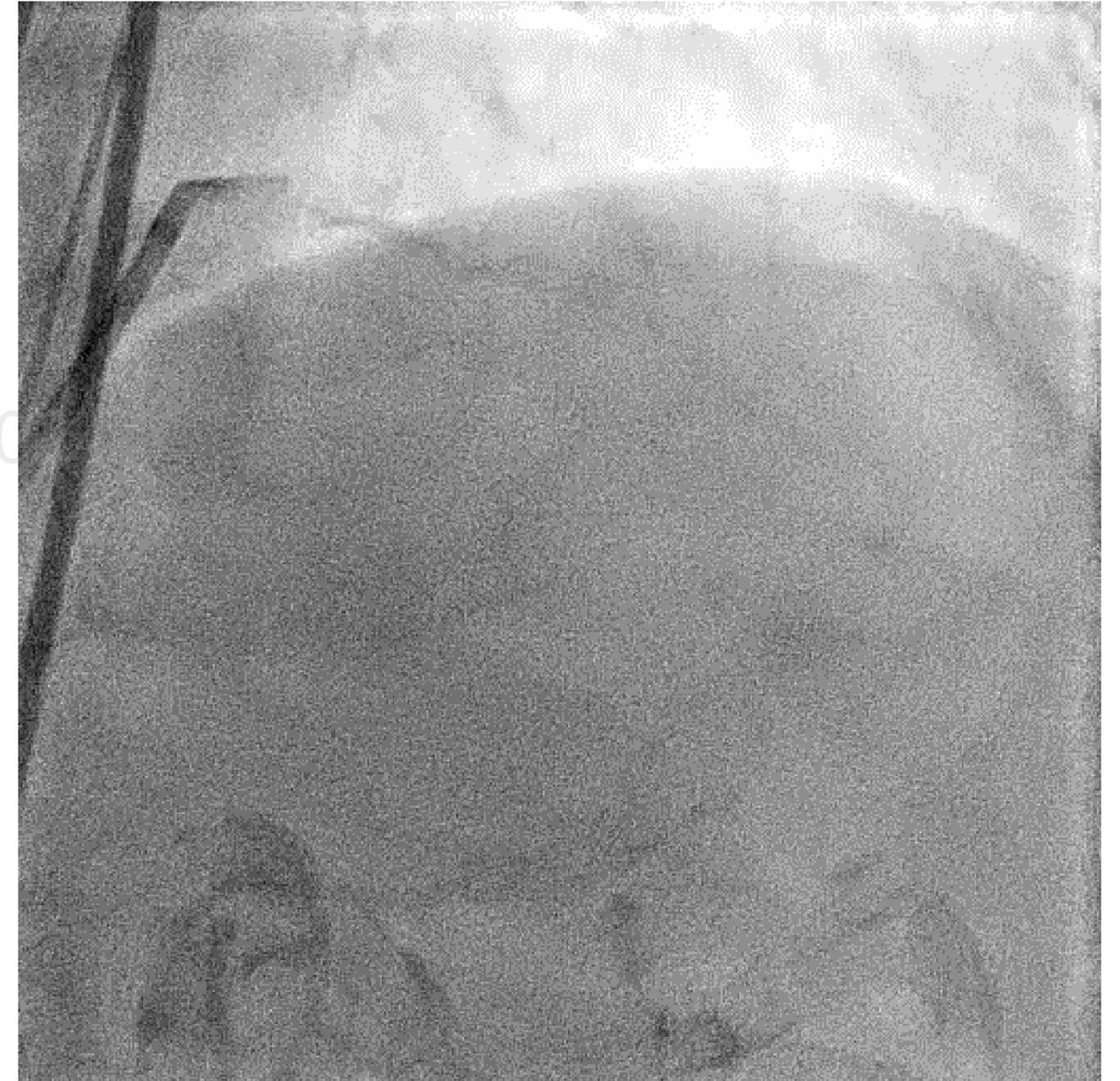
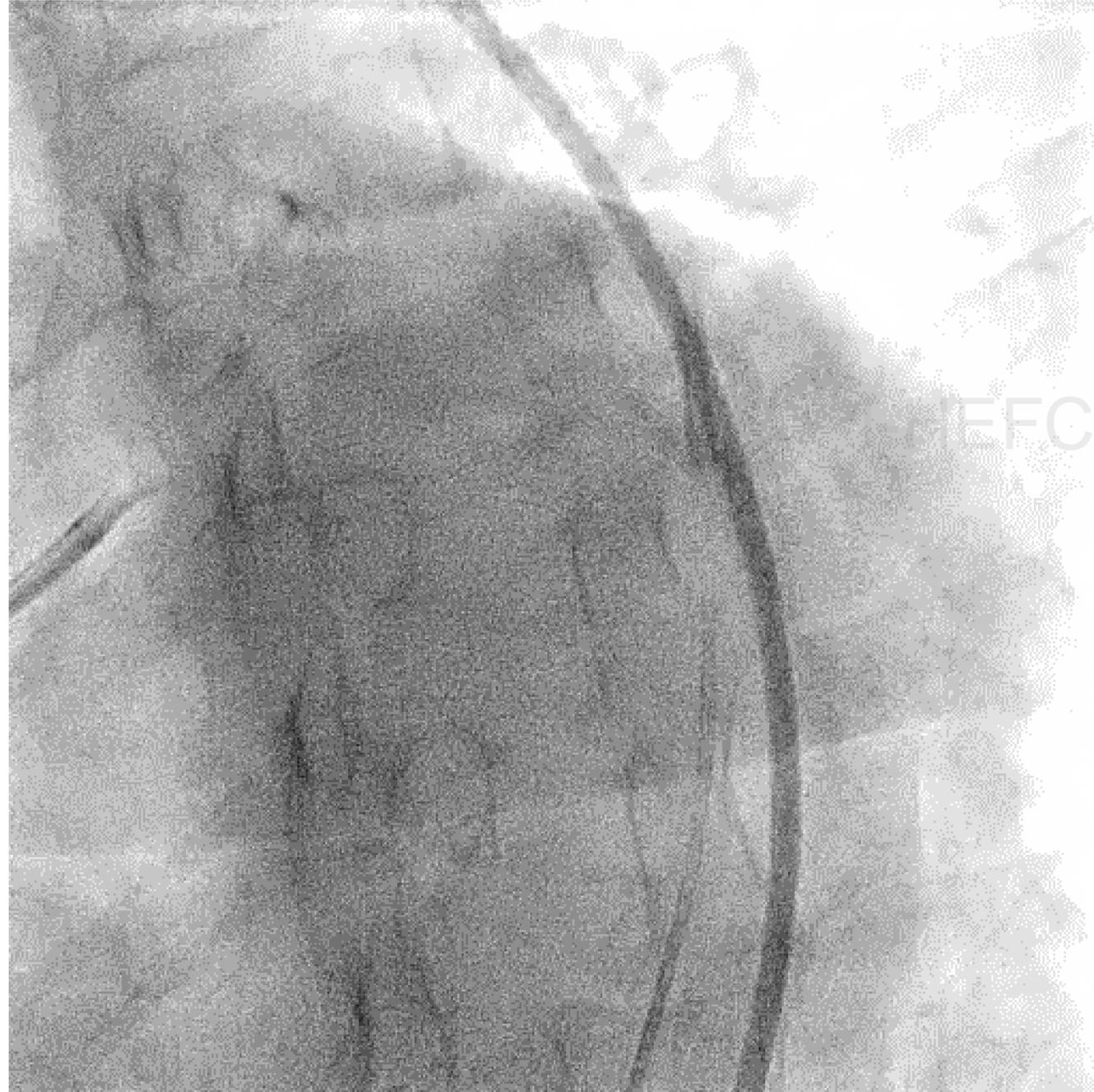
- **Ischemic Cardiomyopathy**
- **CVRF : HT**
- **Heart team discussion + family IC**
- **Echo: LVEF 26%, RWMA (+)**
- **CMRI**
  - Transmural infarction at inferior
  - Subendocardial infarction:
    - 50% transmurality inferoseptal – anteroseptal
    - 25-50% transmurality: anterior, anterolateral

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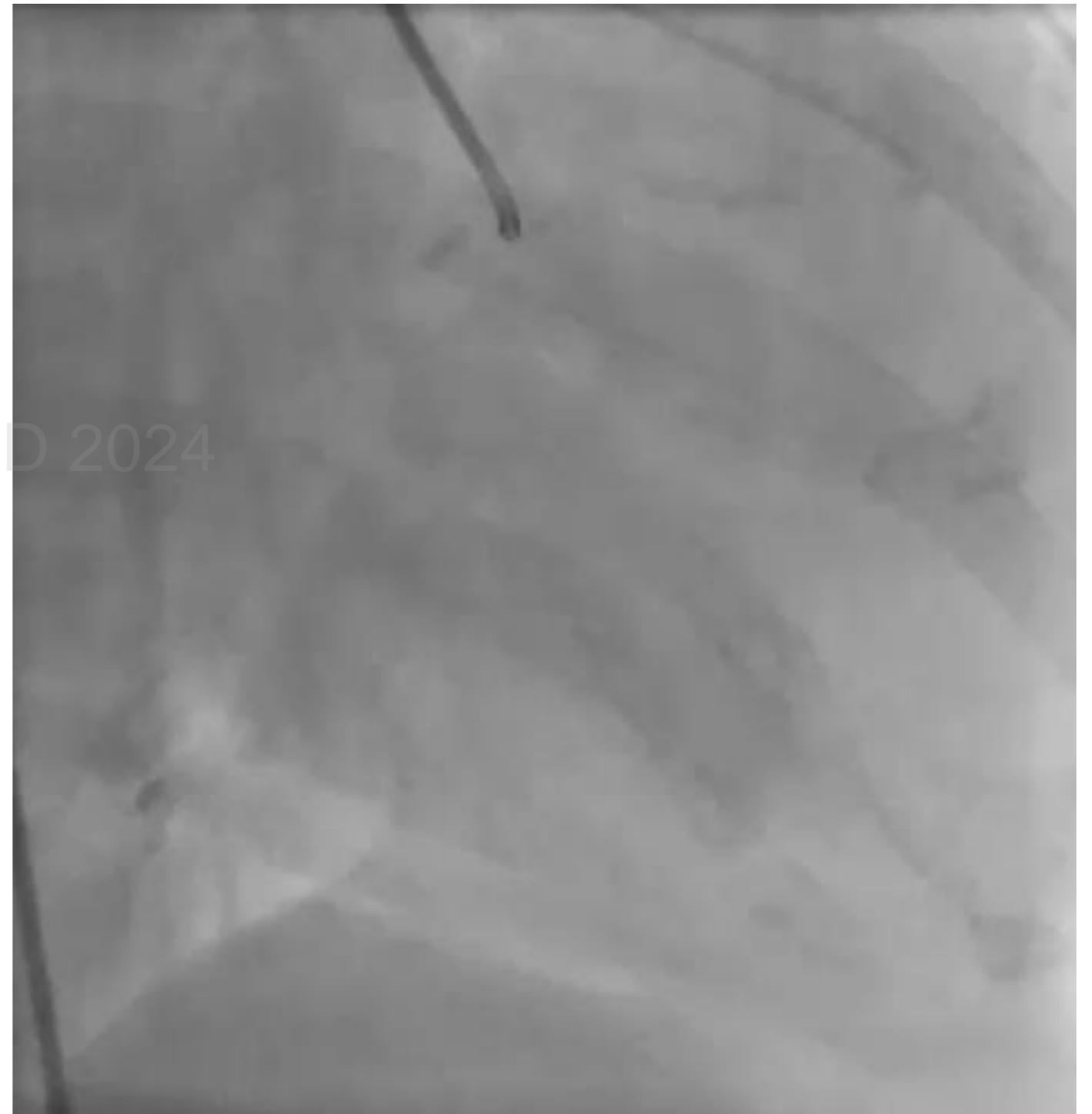
# ***Left coronary angiogram***

**IABP support**

**Syntax score 28, Euroscore 4.31%**



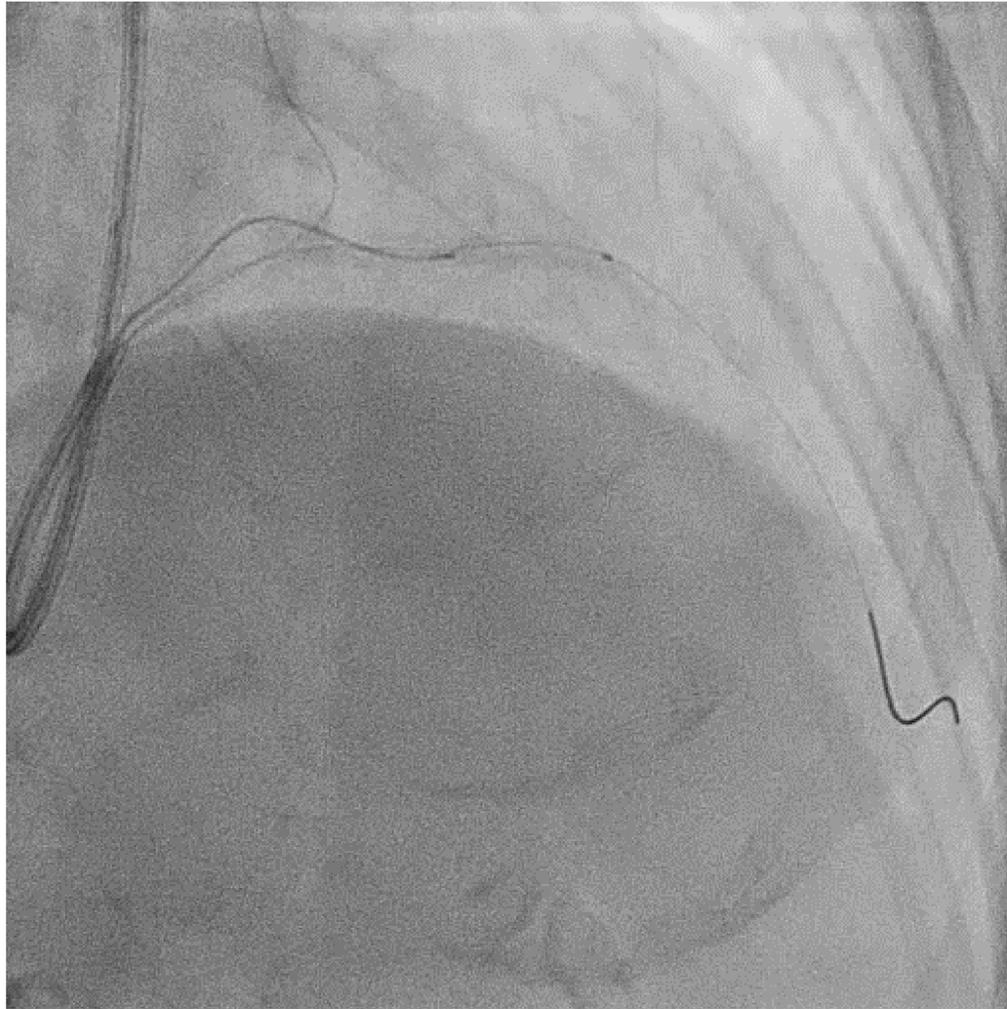
# ***Right coronary angiogram***



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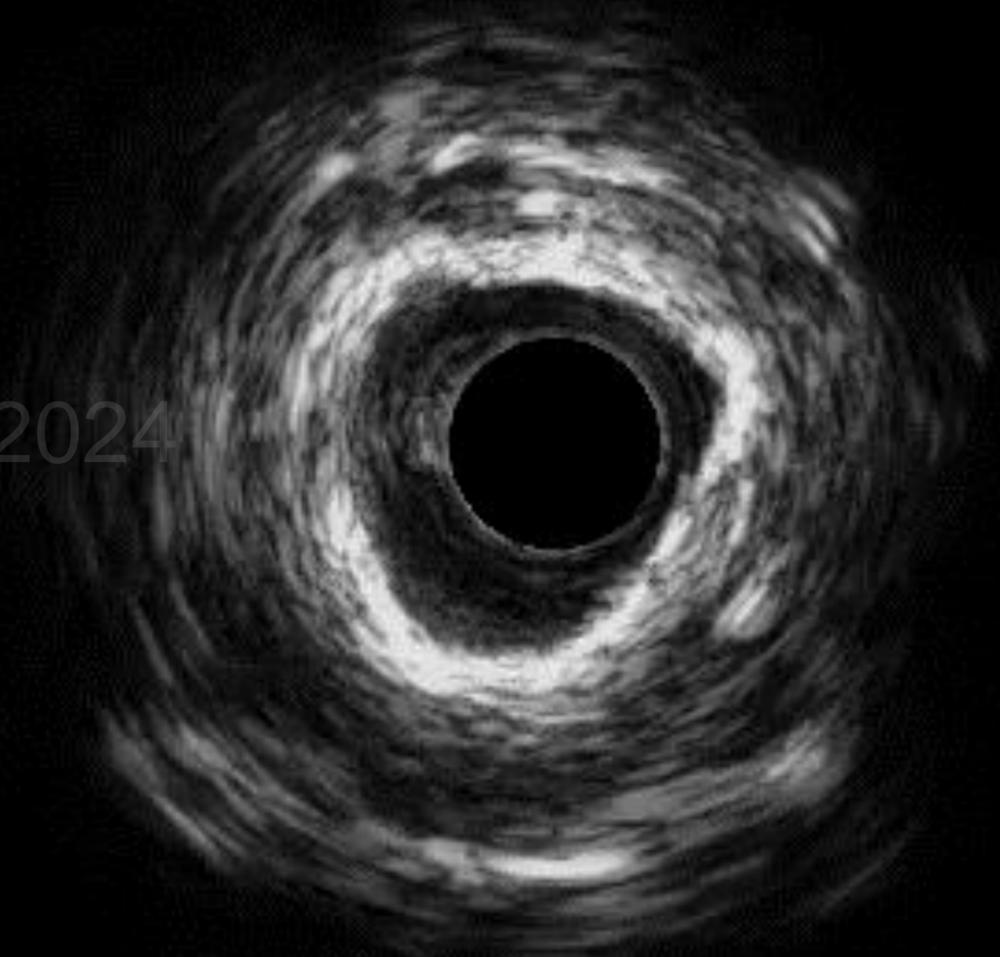
## LAD IVUS Analysis :

IVUS Ca score 3: napkin ring (+), eccentric calc (+) with nodular calc at ostial LAD

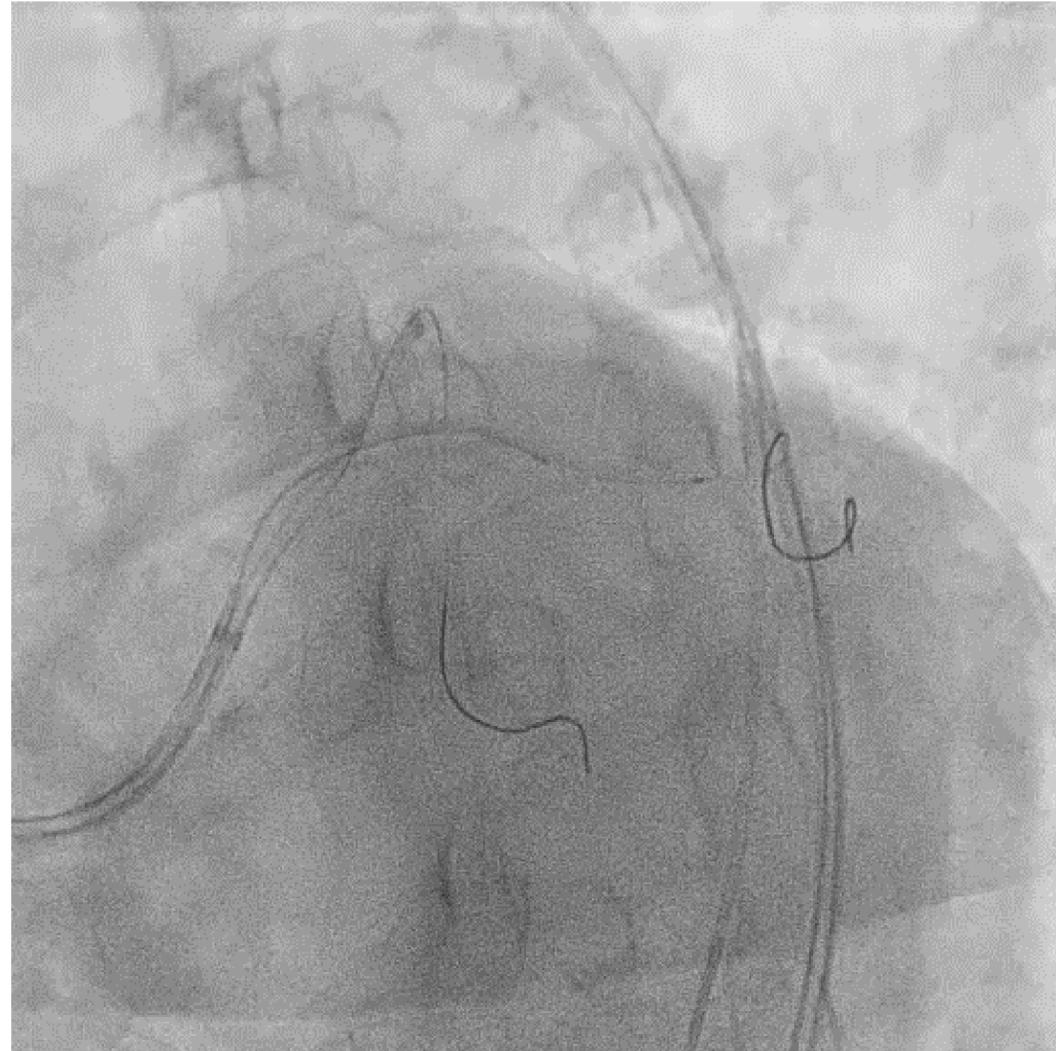


**IVUS catheter could not  
advanced more distal**

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# IVUS study LM - LCx



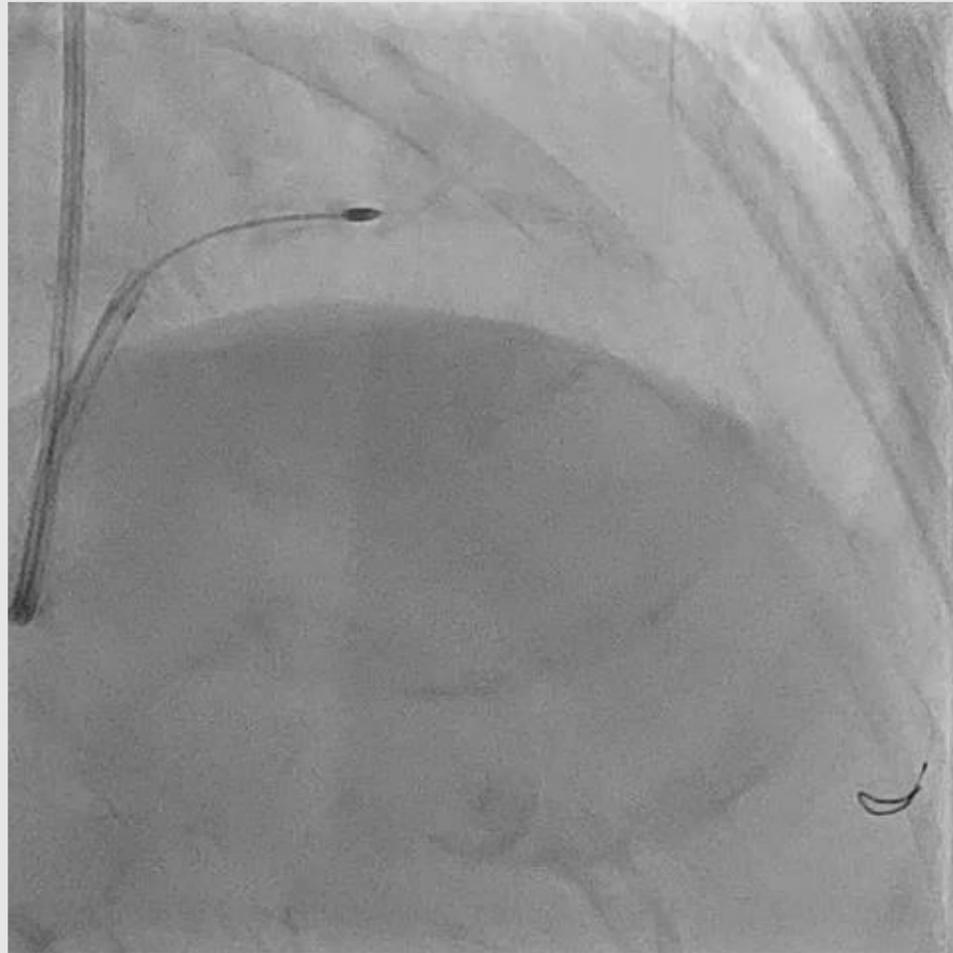
## LCx IVUS Analysis : Nonsignificant lesion

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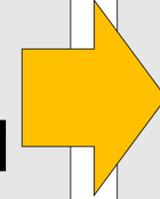
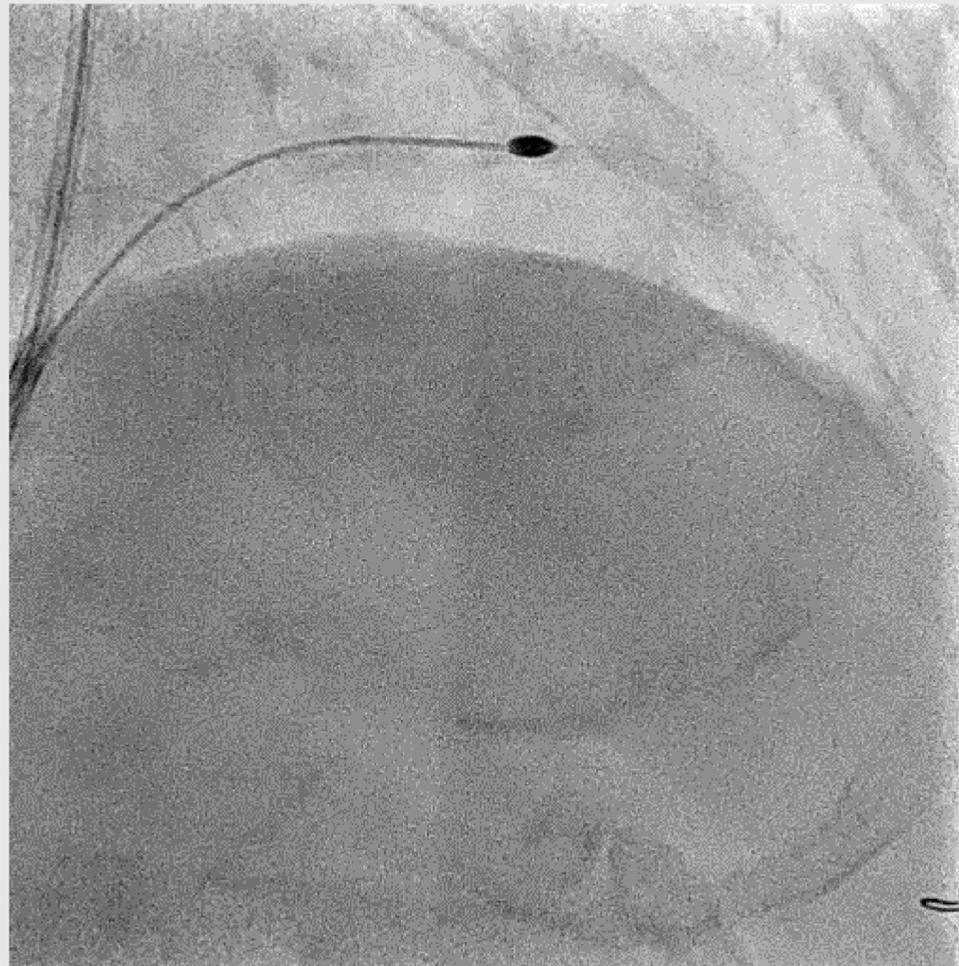
## Rotablation

Rotaburr 1.5 mm/ 190KRPM



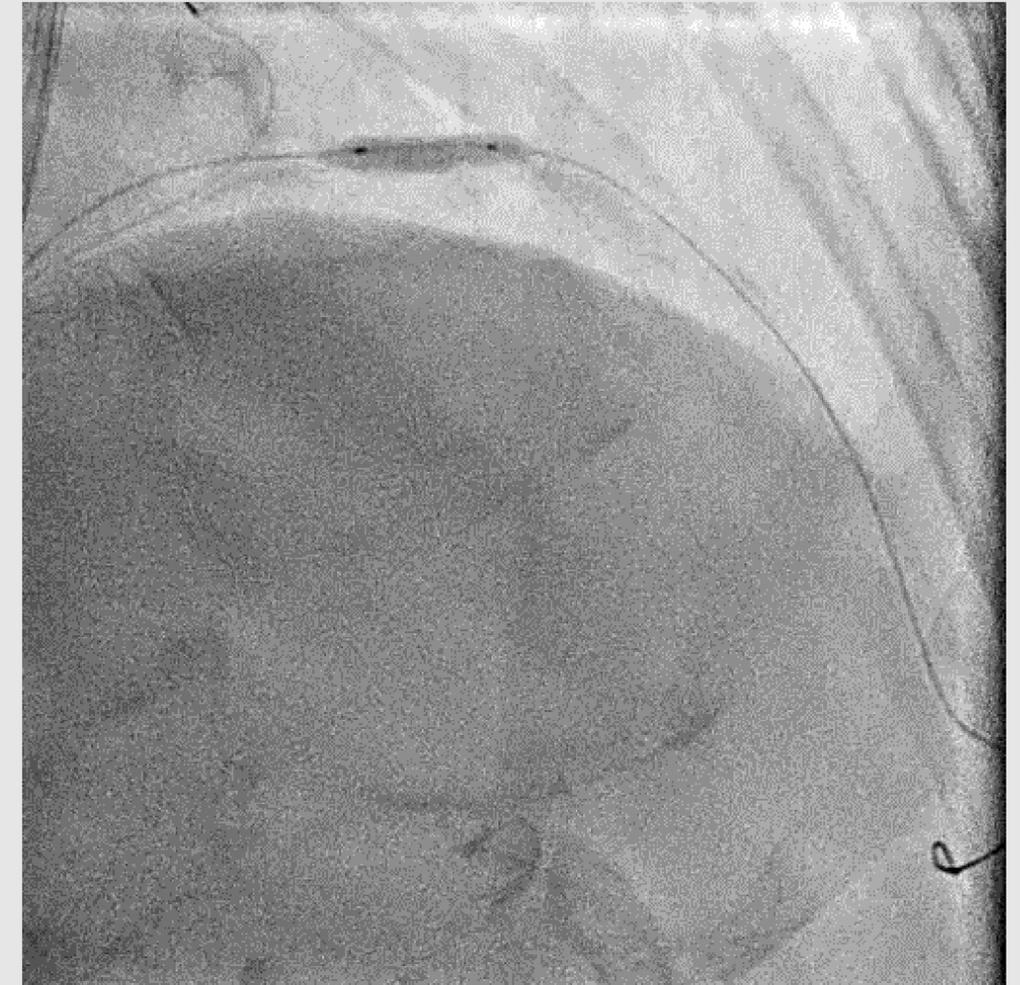
## Rotablation

Rotaburr 2.0 mm/ 160KRPM



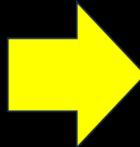
## Predilate

3.0/10mm CB



# IVUS evaluation (Ostial LAD)

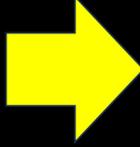
Post Rota  
1.5mm/190KRPM



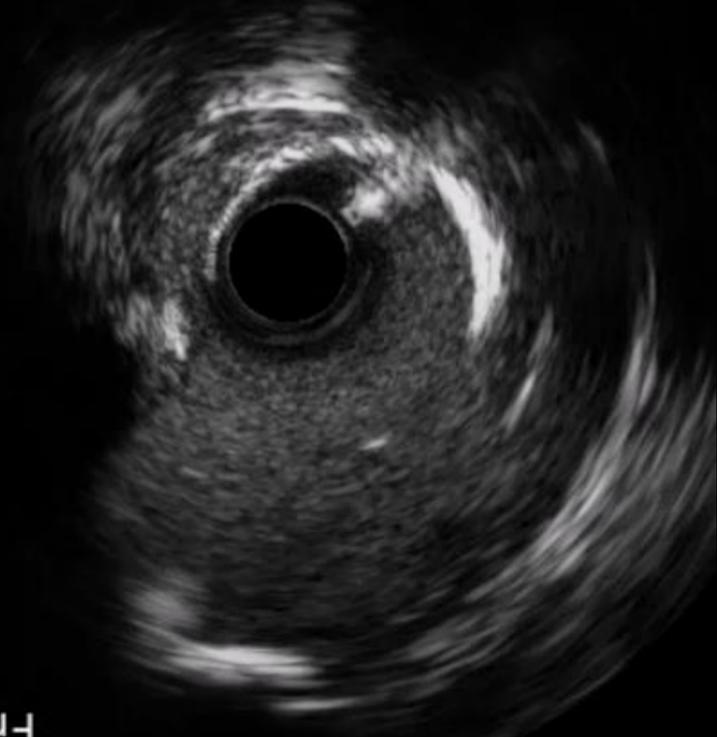
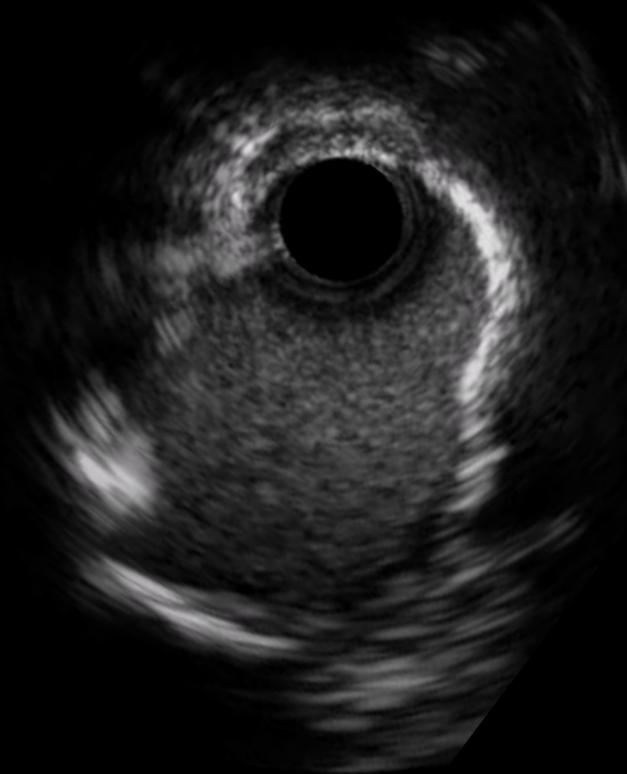
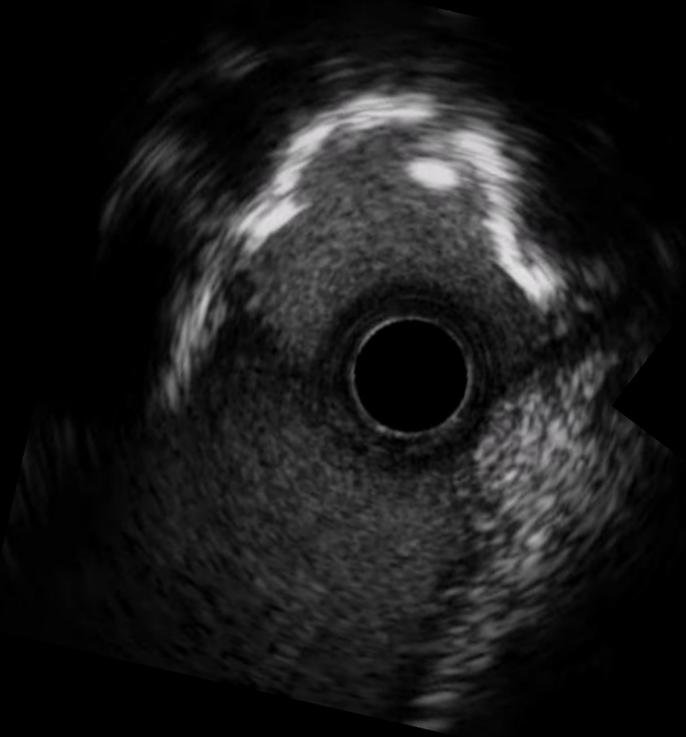
Post Rota  
2.0mm/160KRPM



Post CB 3.0mm



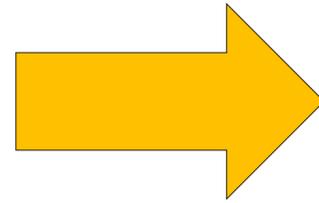
Post NC 3.5mm



Fram

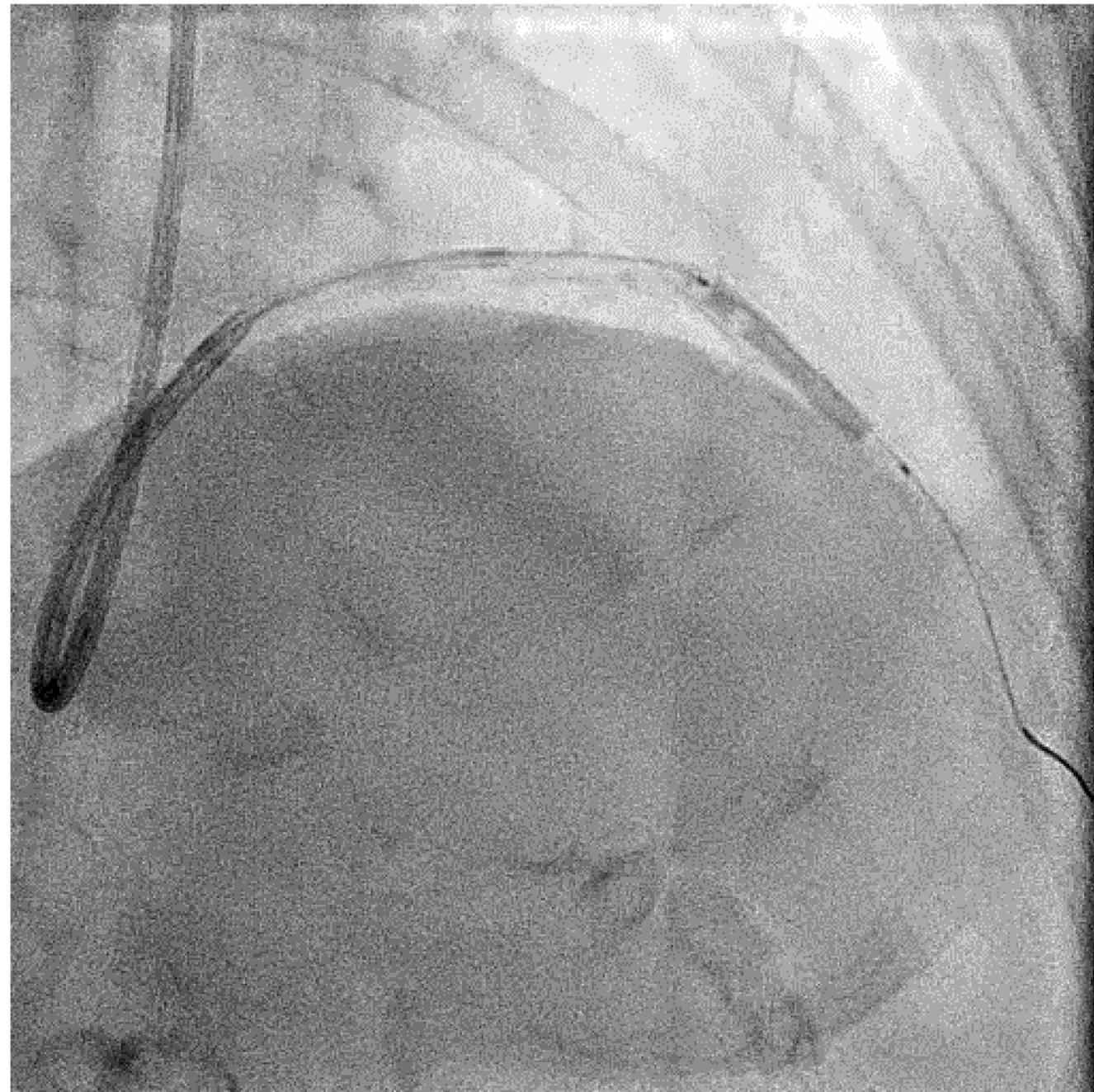
**DCB 2.75/25 mm**

**(8 atm 60 sec)**

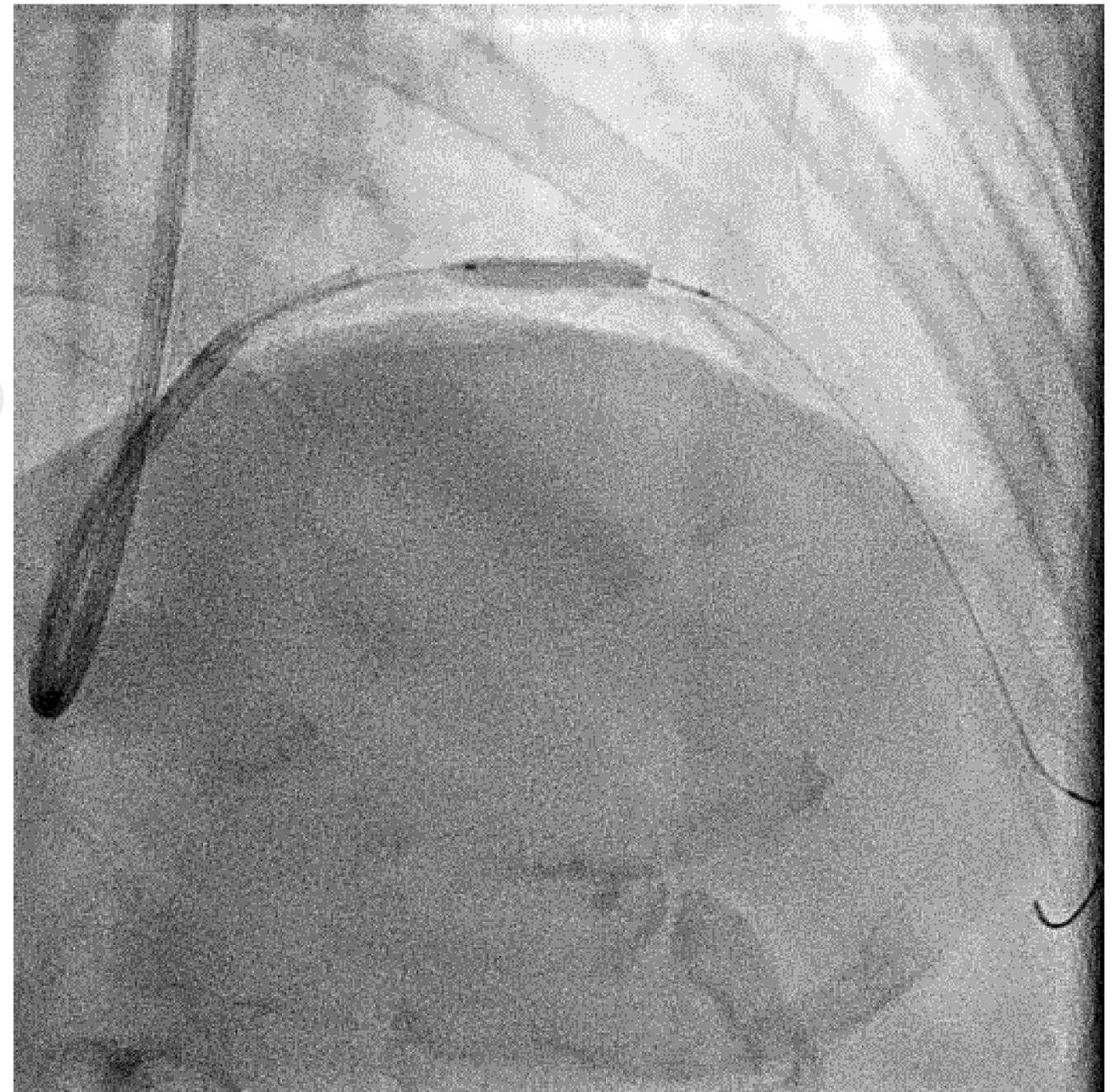


**DCB 3.0/20 mm**

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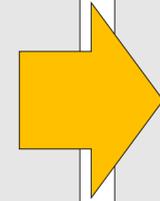
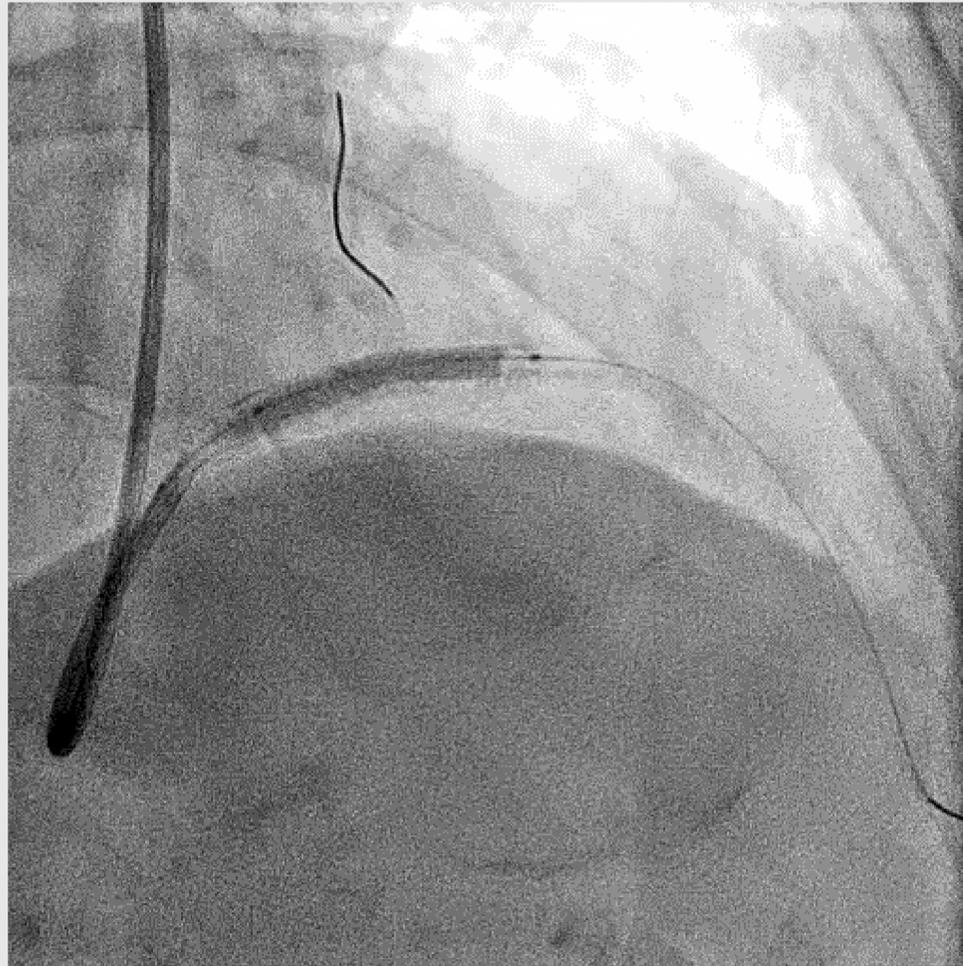
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# Left Main Provisional Stenting

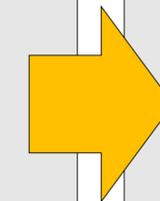
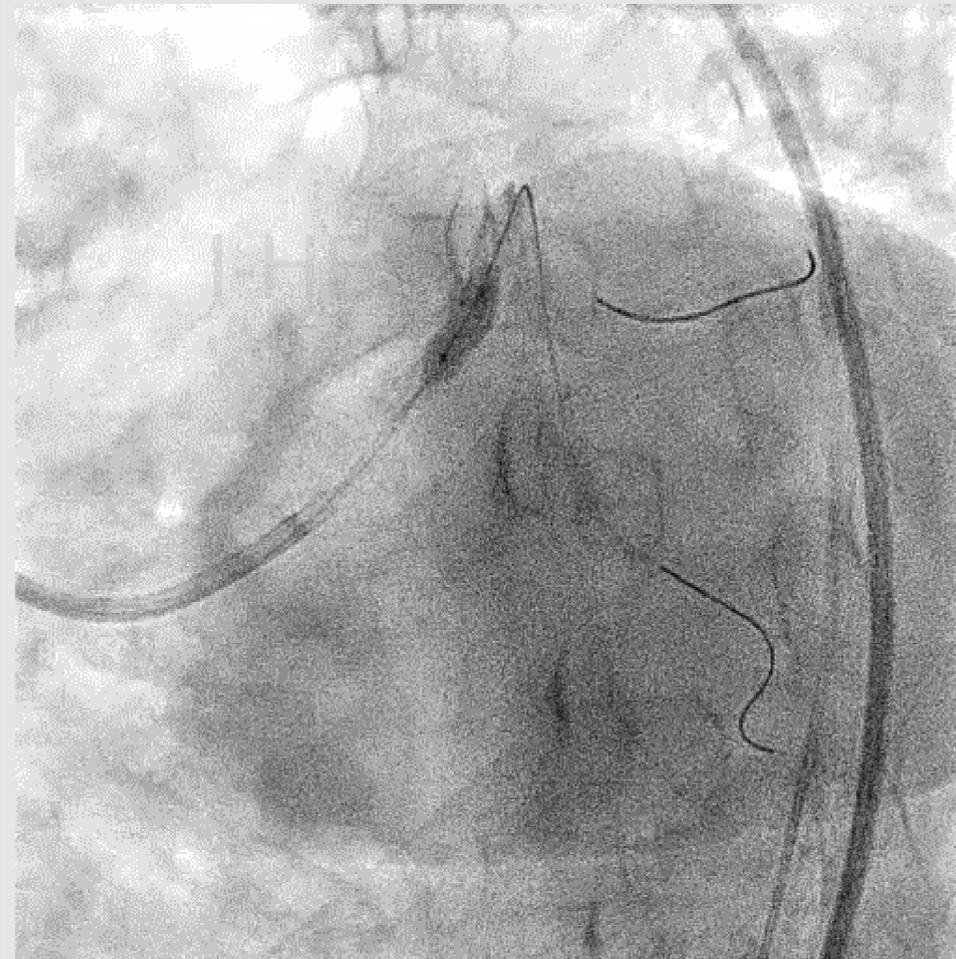
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3.5/28mm DES

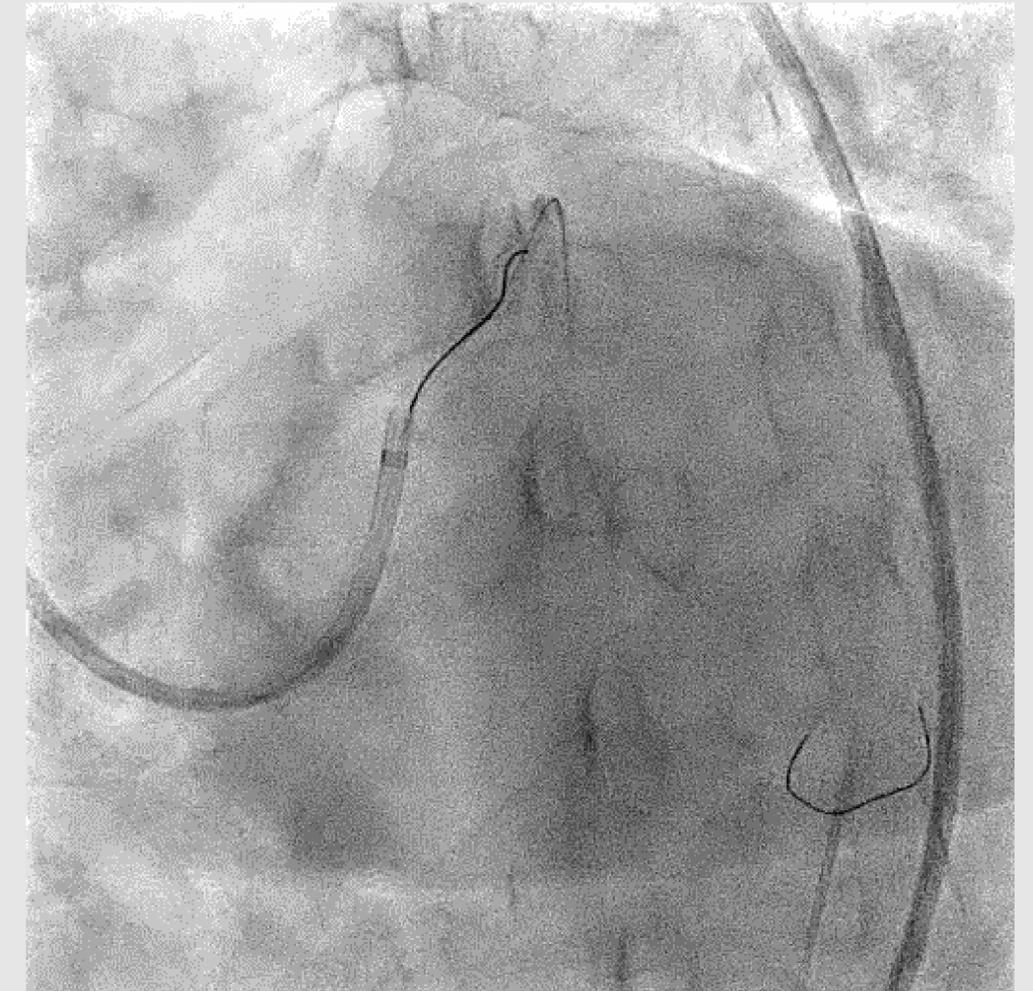


## POT

4.5/12mm NCB (24 atm)

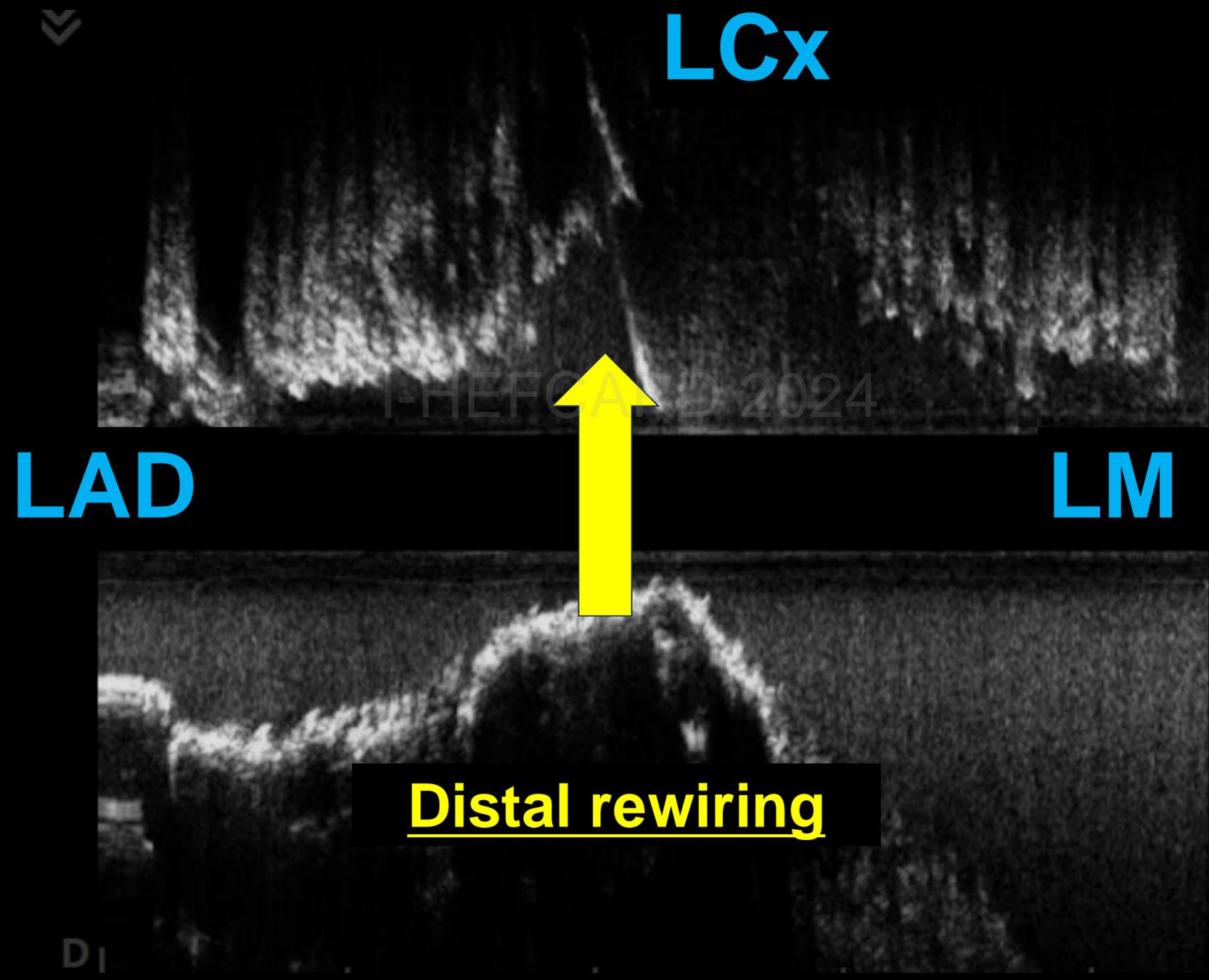


## Rewiring LCx



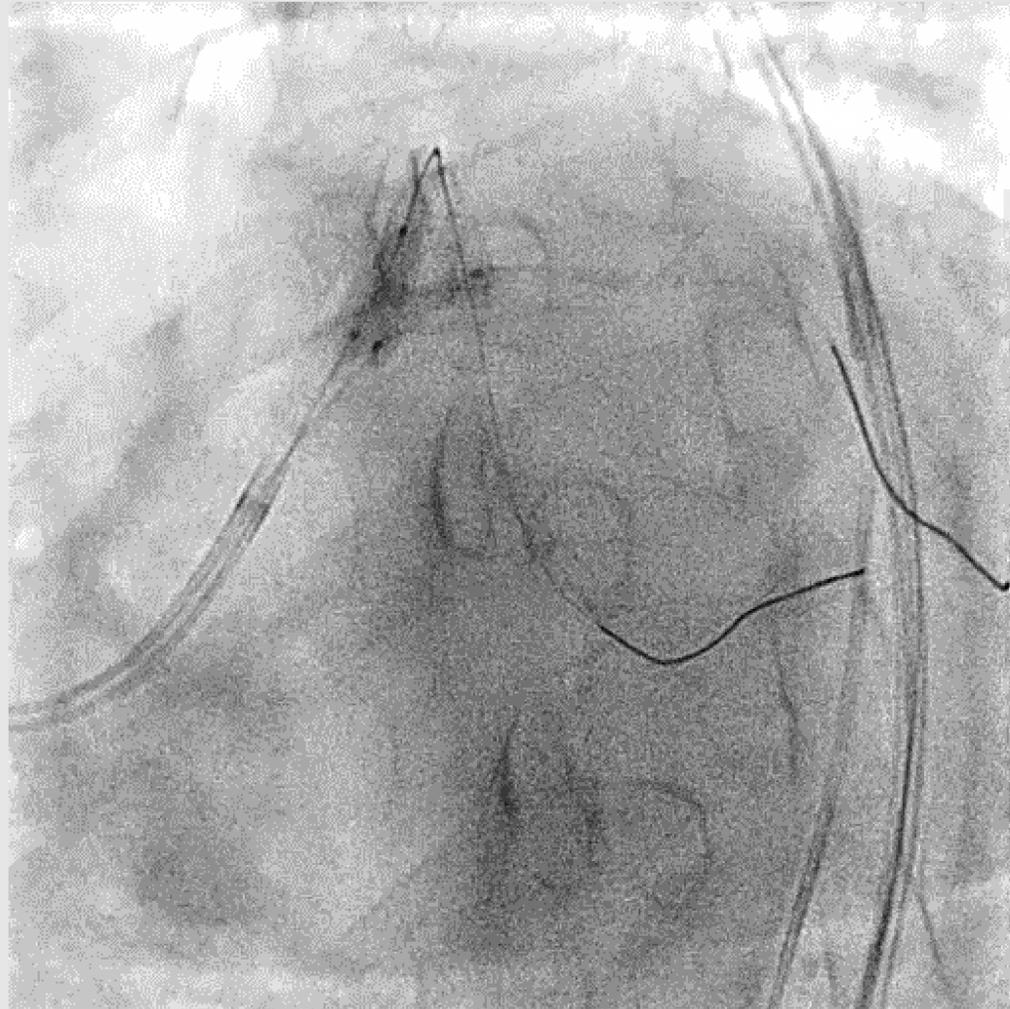
# LM – LAD IVUS study

After LCx rewiring



# KBI

LM – LAD: 3.0/15 mm NCB  
LM – LCx: 3.0/12 mm NCB



# Re - POT

4.5/12 mm NCB

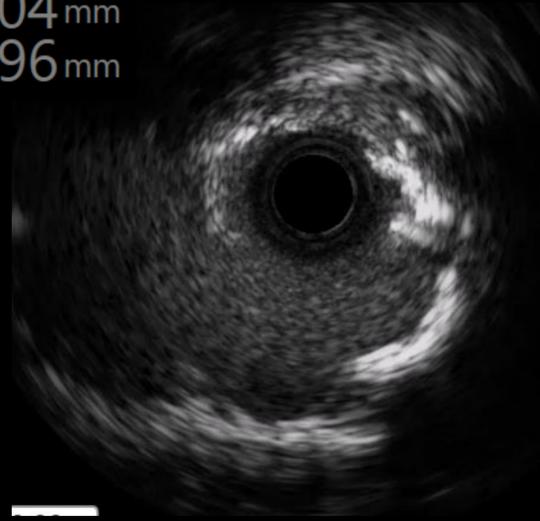


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# Final IVUS study

## MSA Ostial LAD

9.98 mm<sup>2</sup>  
3.04 mm  
3.96 mm



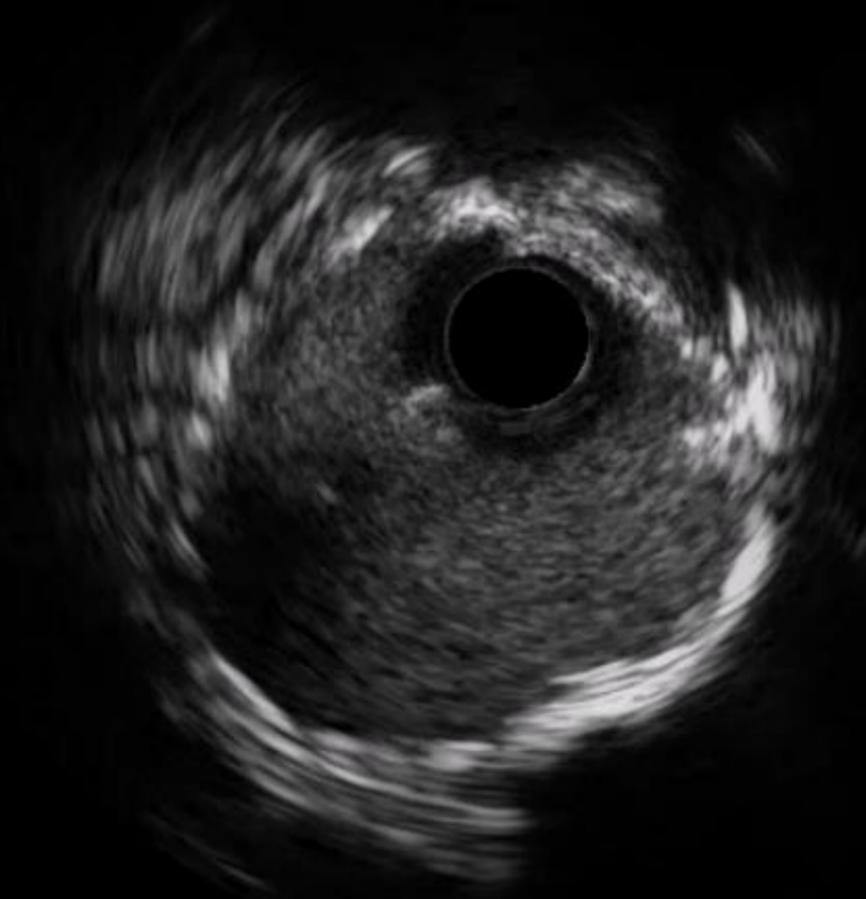
## MSA POC

11.54 mm<sup>2</sup>  
3.34 mm  
4.23 mm



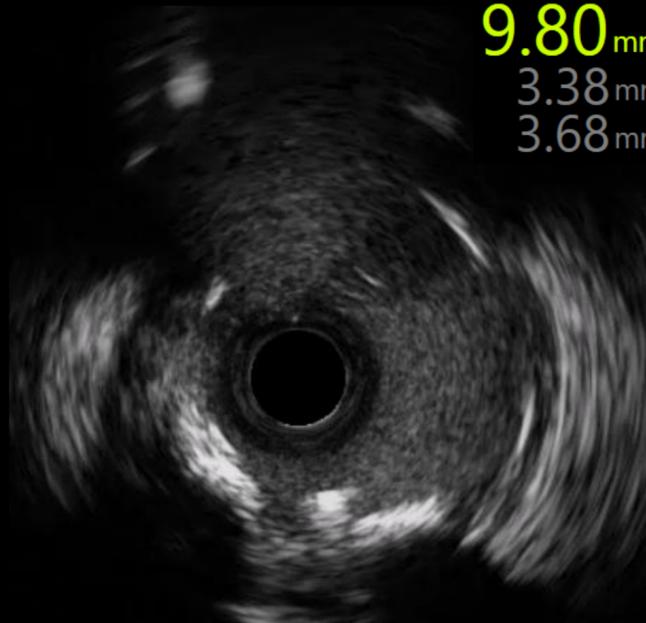
## MSA LM

12.27 mm<sup>2</sup>  
3.69 mm  
4.35 mm



## MLA Ostial LCx

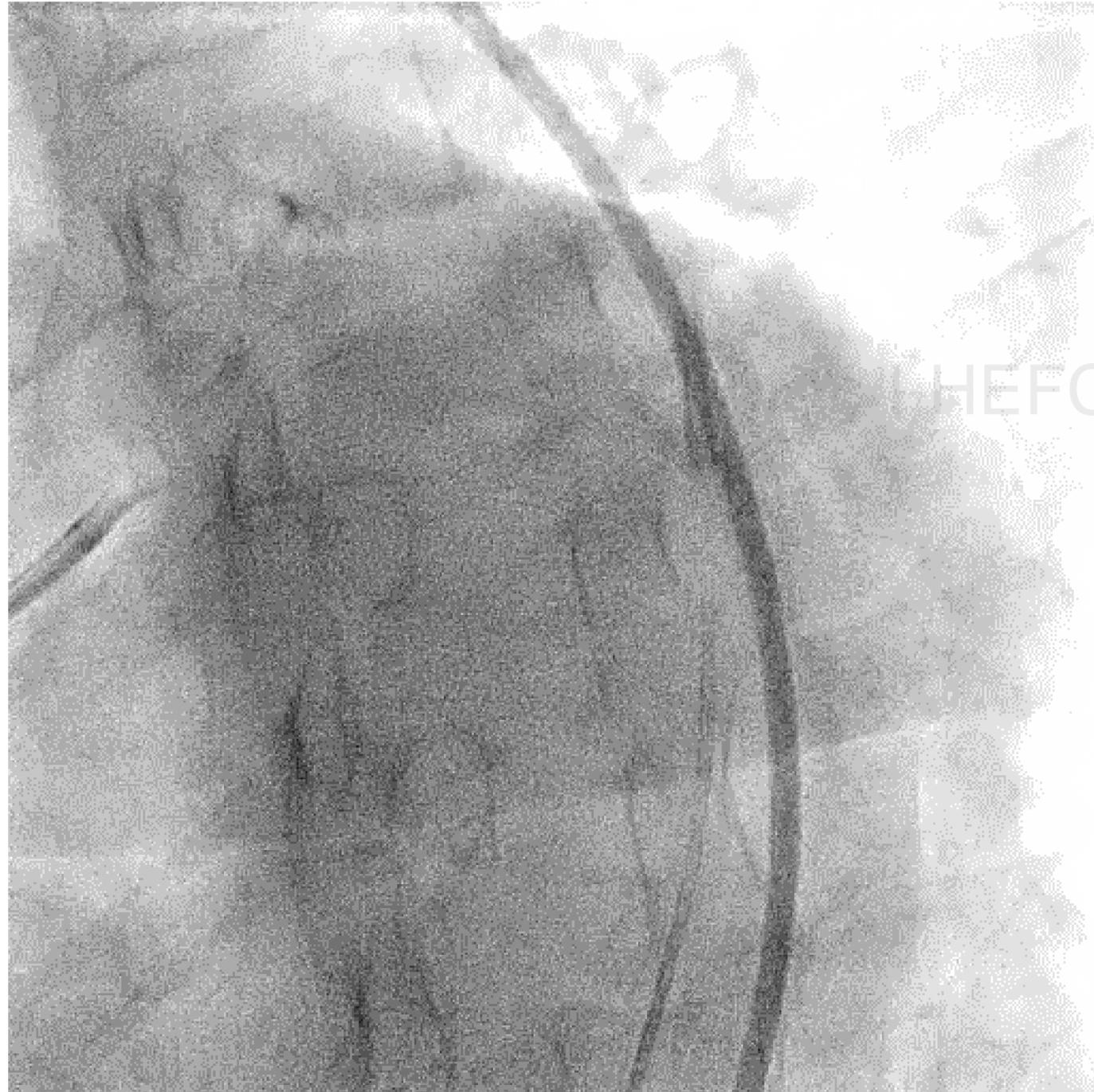
9.80 mm<sup>2</sup>  
3.38 mm  
3.68 mm



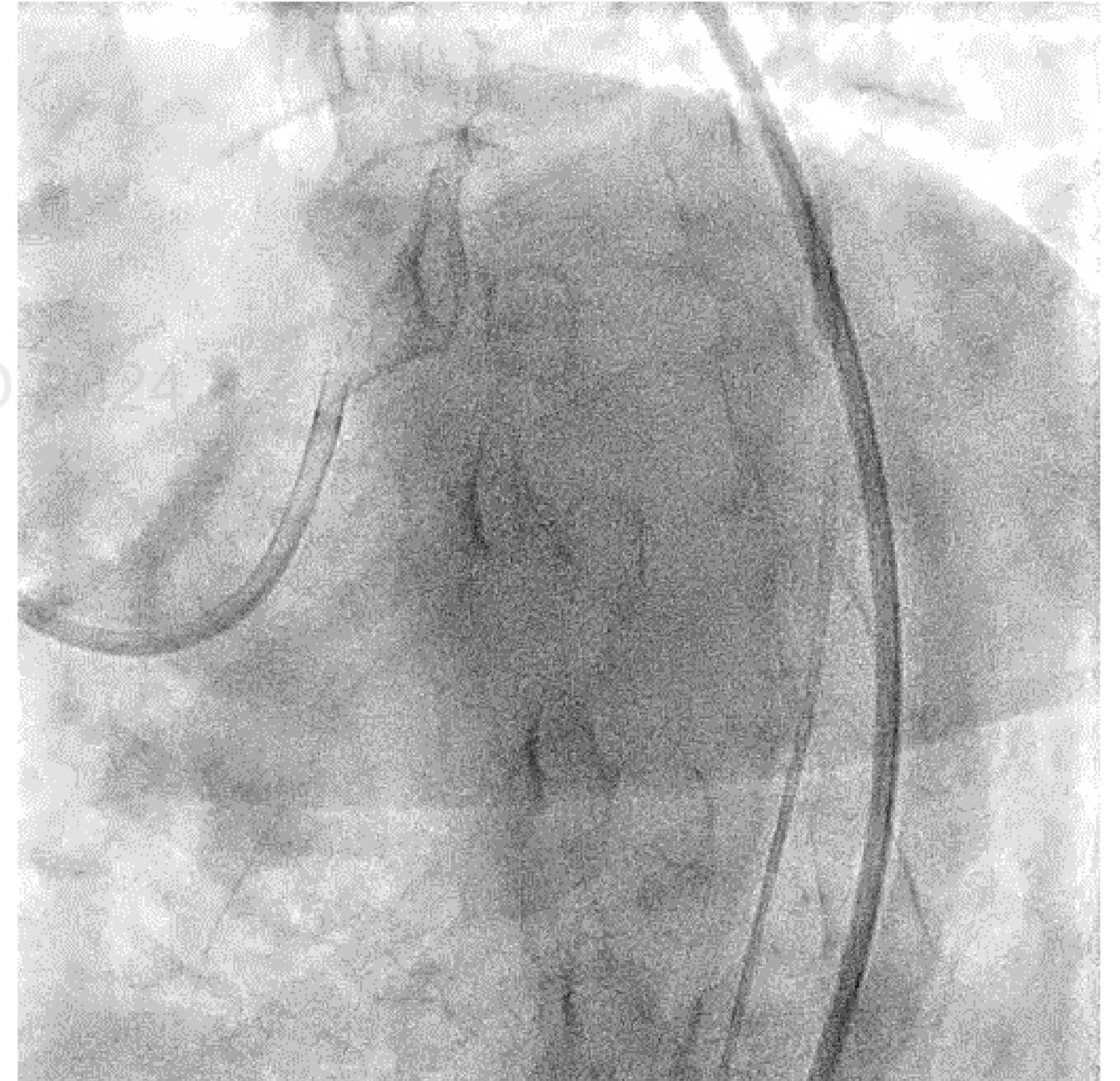
No jailed strut at  
ostial Cx

# Final results

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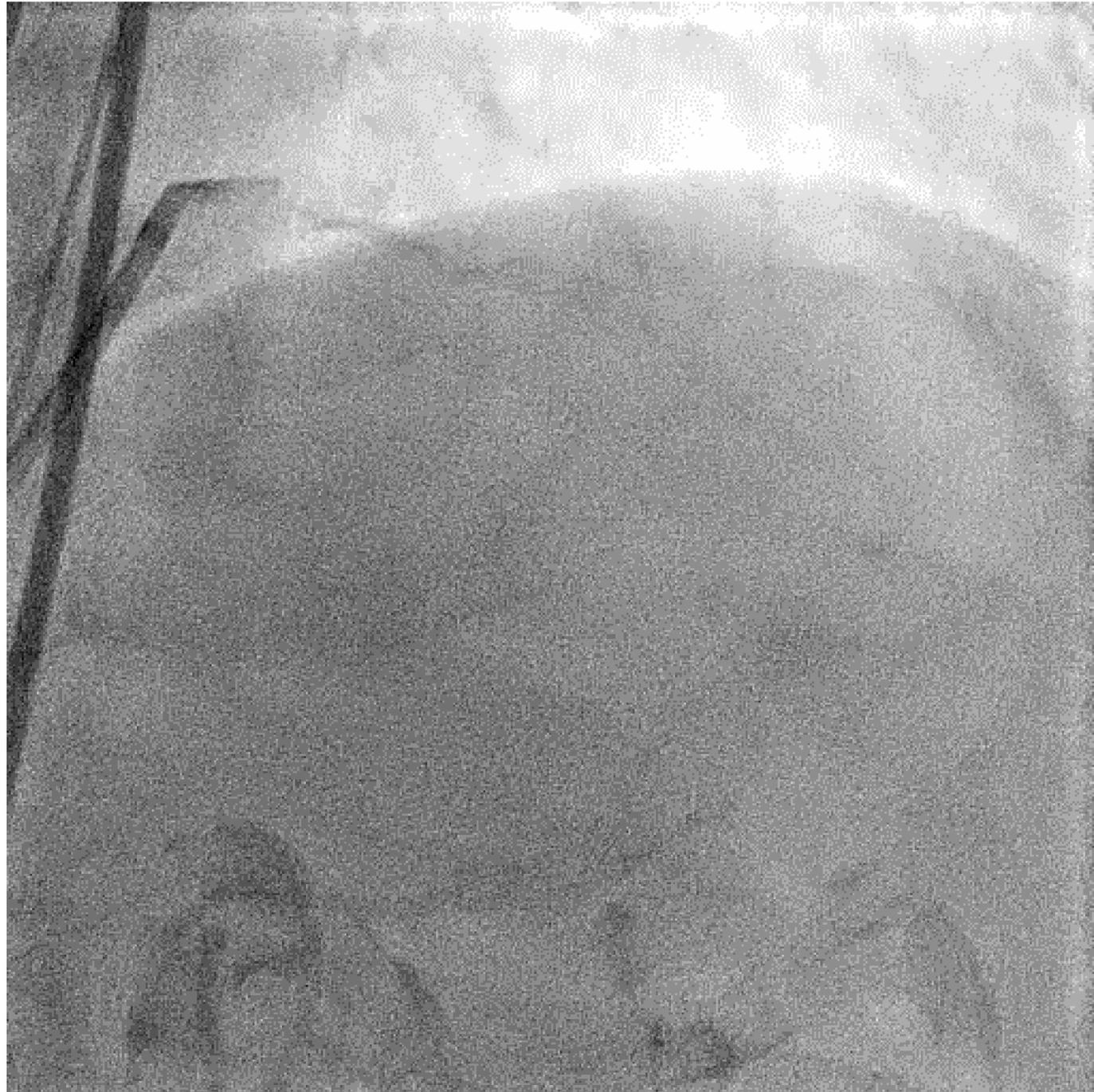


Post PCI

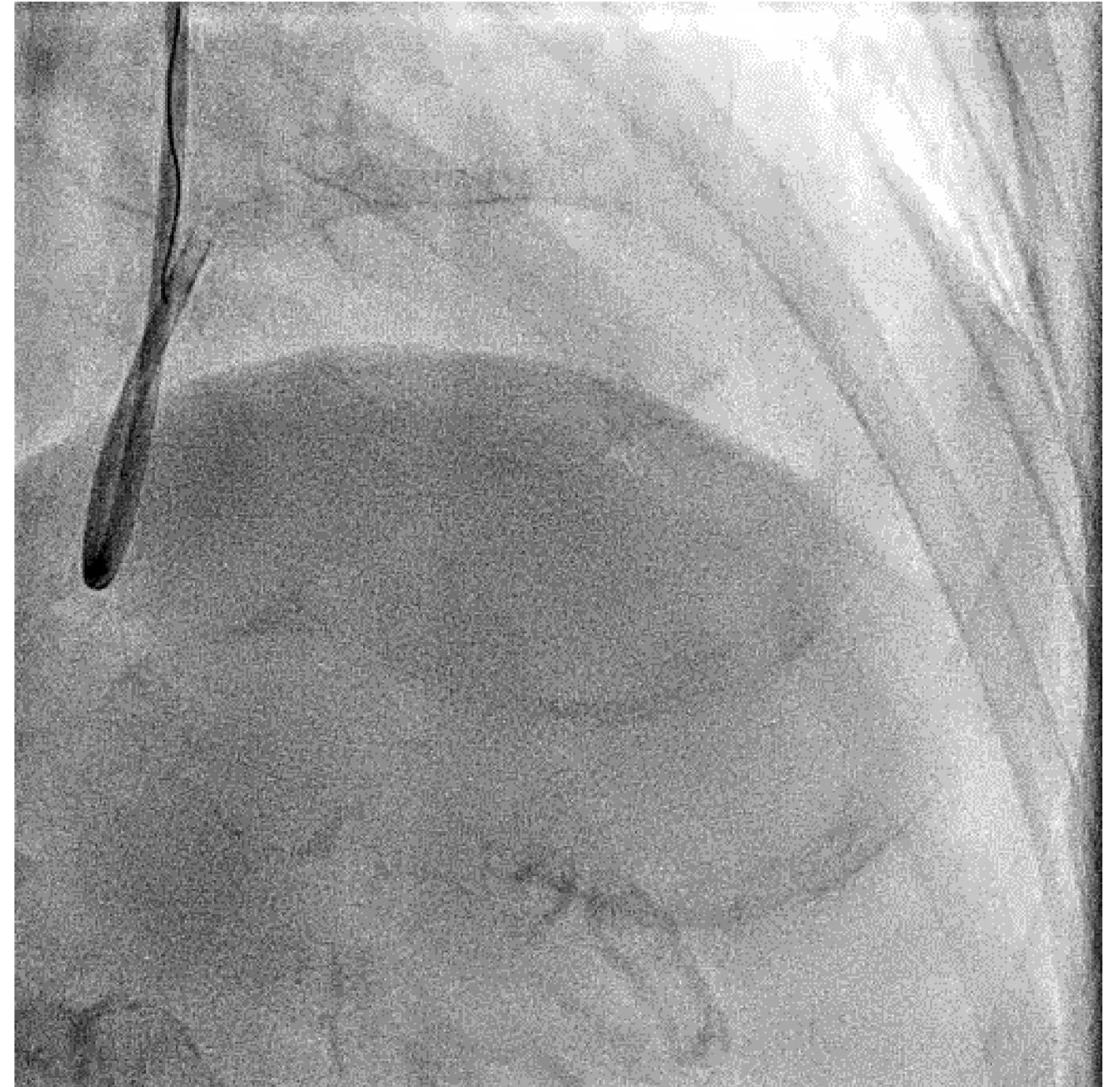


# Final results

Pre PCI



Post PCI

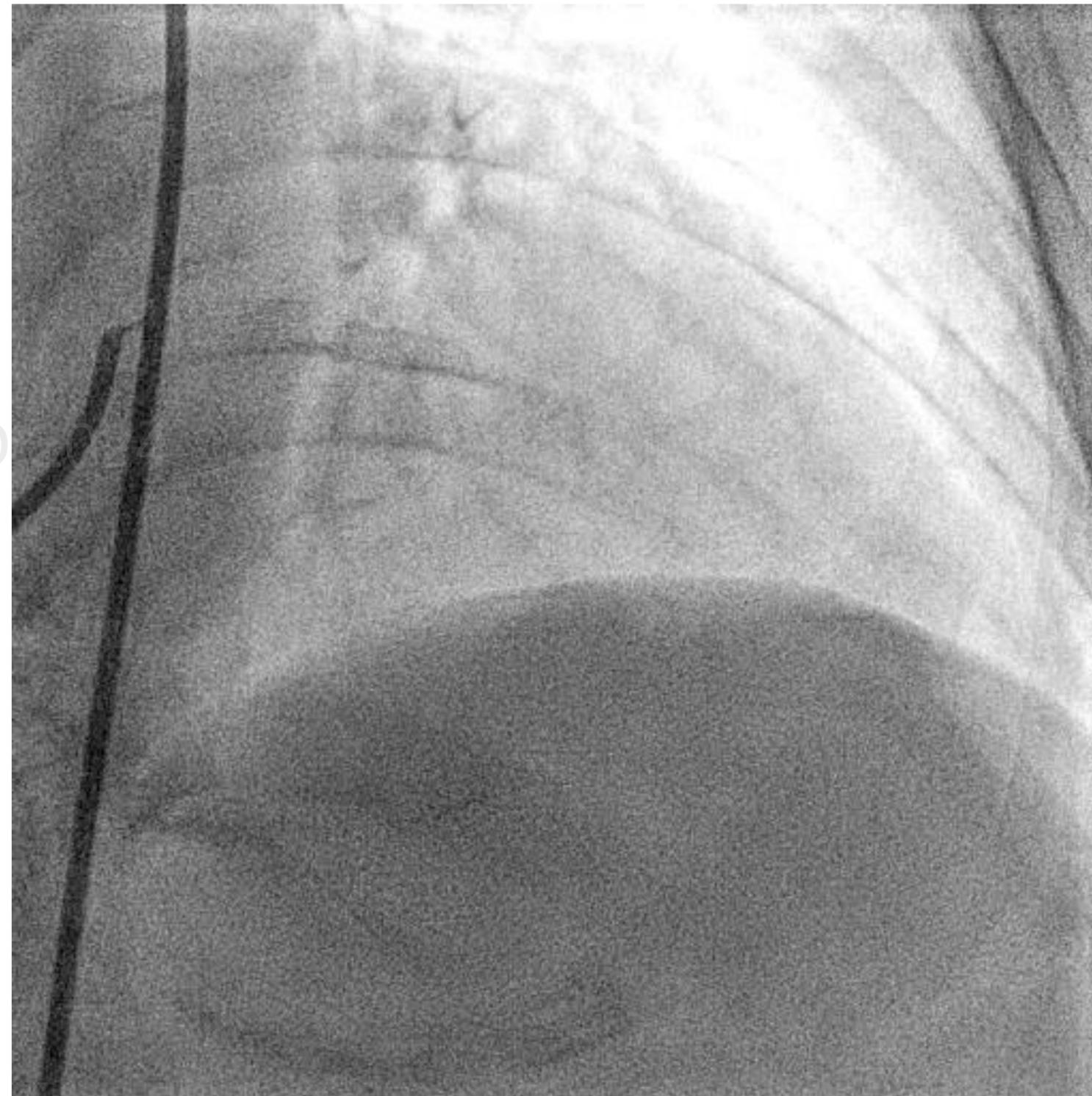


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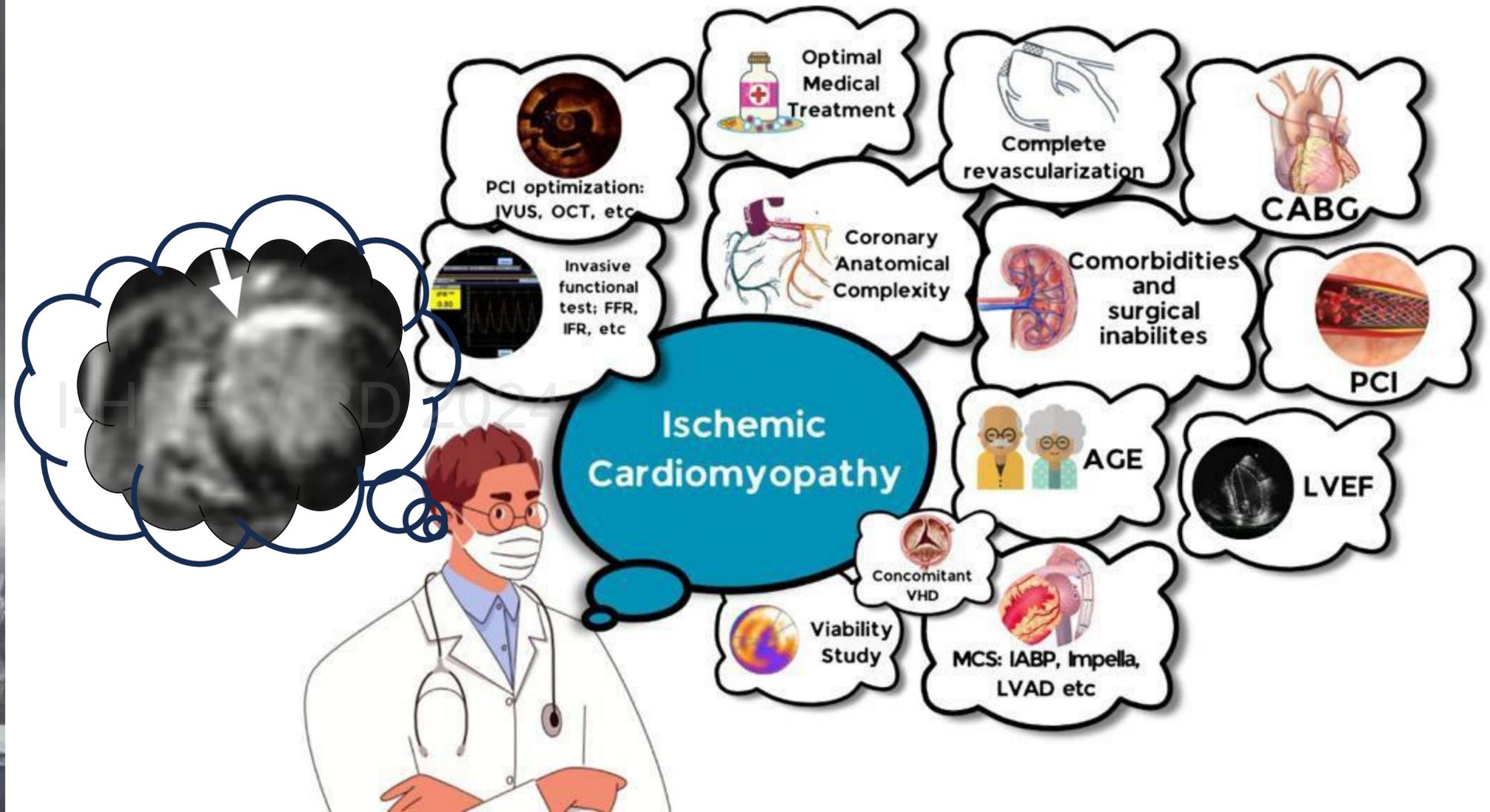
**FU Echo:**

**LVEF 26% → 41%**

# Six months Follow up



# Take home messages



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“Opportunity is often Delivered in a Fog of Uncertainty”  
(JK-Zinn)

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Thankyou