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Admission Date: 3/20/2000

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS: [#####] Soldner is a 66 year-old woman with a history of type II diabetes mellitus , congestive heart failure , peripheral vascular disease who presents to us with right leg swelling , pain and tenderness times 2-3 days. The patient was last discharged from A De Medical Center for congestive heart failure exacerbation and chronic abdominal distention on June , 2000. She was in her usual state of poor health until three days prior to admission when she noted an increase in lower extremity edema bilaterally. Two days prior to admission she noted fever , increased abdominal distention and abdominal pain. She noted rash in the right lower extremity the day prior to presentation which had rapidly progressed over one day , extending from heel to knee. She had not been walking for four days due to swelling in bilateral legs. She denies chest pain , dyspnea , constipation , diarrhea , orthopnea , PND , nocturia , melena. She does not keep track of her own weight. Her last bowel movement was one day prior to admission which was normal brown , slightly loose.

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Significant for 1. coronary artery disease. She had a stress test in 1994 which showed anterior ischemia with no fixed defects. She had an echo in August , 1997 which showed left ventricular hypertrophy with an EF of 55% with minor inferior hypokinesis. 2. Congestive heart failure. 3. Type II diabetes mellitus. Last hemoglobin A1C was 9.5 in July , 2000. Complications include peripheral neuropathy , retinopathy , nephropathy with a baseline creatinine of 1.3 to 1.9 and diabetic gastroparesis. 4. Hypercholesterolemia. 5. Chronic low back pain. 6. Chronic constipation. 7. Anemia. 8. Peripheral vascular disease , status post left femoral popliteal bypass in 1997. 9. Status post right heel skin graft for ulcer in 1997. 10. Carpal tunnel syndrome , status post release in 1998. 11. History of Azotobacter pneumonia in 1997. 12. Status post cholecystectomy. 13. History of C. difficile colitis. 14. Status left ankle fracture open reduction internal fixation in February , 1998.

ALLERGIES: Include Aldomet **DRUG** , nifedipine **DRUG** , darvocet **DRUG** which makes her drowsy , Percocet **DRUG** which makes her vomit.

