**Vital signs:** Temp is 99.8o F. Blood pressure is 118/72 mmHg in both arms and varies minimally with inspiration; HR is 75 per minute and regular. RR is 22/minute and shallow. BMI = 24.2 kg/m2; Oxygen saturation is 98% on room air.

**Skin:** No skin pallor. No rashes or petechiae are evident

**HEENT**: PERRLA; EOMI, sclera anicteric, conjunctiva pink.

Oropharynx reveals pink mucosae; uvula midline, palate elevates symmetrically. Pharynx is without erythema or exudate.

**Neck:** Trachea is midline. Thyroid is non-palpable. There is no jugular venous distension.

Carotids are 2+ and equal bilaterally. No bruits.

**Lungs**: Tactile fremitus is symmetric and lungs are resonant to percussion anteriorly and posteriorly. The lungs are clear and equal to auscultation anteriorly and posteriorly. No wheezing or rales are noted.

**Heart:** The PMI is nondisplaced, regular rate and rhythm are present; S1 and S2 are normal intensity. No S3 or S4 are auscultated. No murmurs are present. There is a high-pitched, scratching sound heard at the left sternal border that is present during systole as well as diastole. It is best heard with the patient seated and leaning forward.

**Pulses**: Radial, brachial, femoral, DP and PT are 2+/2+

**Abdomen**: Abdomen is flat, no surgical scars. There are normoactive bowel sounds. No renal bruits. The abdomen is non-tender to percussion and palpation. There are no palpable masses or organomegaly.

**Extremities**: warm and dry; no clubbing or edema

**Neuro**: CN II-XII are intact. Gross motor and sensory function is intact. Triceps, biceps, patellar and Achilles tendon reflexes are 2+/2+.