**PROCEDURE NOTE**

**TREADMILL EXERCISE STRESS TEST**

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The patient exercised for 6 minutes and 1 second, utilizing the standard Bruce protocol, achieving the maximal work load of 7.2 METS. Resting heart rate of 62 beats per minute increased to maximal heart rate of 143 beats per minute during exercise, which represented 87% of the maximal predicted heart rate. The test was terminated because of fatigue and the patient having achieved his target heart rate.

Conclusion:

1.       Negative treadmill exercise stress test for ischemia.

2.        Mildly-impaired exercise capacity.

3.        No exercise induced chest pain.

4.       Occasional isolated premature ventricular complexes were noted during exercise and early recovery, but there were no repetitive complexes.