

EKG Changes in Pulmonary Embolism

BMC Emergency Medicine Rotation Quick Clinical Case

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Case

Initial Presentation

- Ms. Klott is a 33 year old female presenting with sudden onset dyspnea and chest pain that began today while in a hair salon after a day of left calf pain.
- She has a history of recurrent bilateral PE concerning for a hypercoagulability disorder (Factor V Leiden), treated with ultrasound-accelerated thrombolysis (EkoSonic).
- She works as a traveling healthcare worker and has not been able to establish primary care to continue anticoagulation after her initial prescription ran out.

