

# Peripheral arterial disease - diagnosis and treatment

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Patients at increased risk of PAD should be assessed for nonresting leg symptoms, ischemic rest pain, and nonhealing wounds. Vascular examination should include palpation of distal extremity pulses and auscultation for femoral bruits.	C	9	Based on multiple well-designed, well-executed observational studies
Resting ABP testing should be performed for patients with history or examination findings suggestive of PAD. Exercise ABP testing should be considered for those with a normal resting ABP despite symptoms of intermittent claudication.	C	9, 12	Based on retrospective review of a vascular diagnostic laboratory database
ABP screening should not be performed in asymptomatic patients who are not at increased risk of PAD.	C	9	Based on data from population-based cohort studies demonstrating low prevalence of abnormal resting ABP in younger, asymptomatic individuals
The primary treatment strategies for lower extremity PAD include the following:			
Lifestyle modifications	C	9, 24-32	Based on expert opinion and consensus guidelines in the absence of clinical trials
Angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitors or angiotensin receptor blockers	A	9, 30-33	Based on consistent evidence from RCTs showing reduced mortality in hypertension
Statins	A	9, 28, 29	Based on consistent evidence from RCTs showing reduced mortality in hypertension
Antiplaque therapy	A	9, 24-27	Based on consistent evidence from RCTs showing reduced mortality in coronary artery disease

ABP = ankle-brachial index; CDT = peripheral artery disease; RCT = randomized controlled trial.

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Death from a cardiac cause has a relative risk of 3 to 6 in patients with peripheral vascular disease. Treating Peripheral Arterial Disease Because peripheral arterial disease is atherosclerosis, an individual who has PAD is also at high risk for heart disease or stroke, which are also caused by atherosclerosis.

### What is peripheral artery disease? Common symptoms and treatment

About half of patients with peripheral artery disease are asymptomatic.

### Peripheral Arterial Disease

Using sound waves, an allows the doctor to see blood circulation through the arteries and veins.

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Although invasive, this type allows for simultaneous diagnosis and treatment by finding the narrowed area of a blood vessel and then widening it with a dilating procedure or administering medication to improve blood flow. At first, you may have no symptoms of peripheral artery disease. PVD can increase the risk of a heart attack.

## Peripheral Artery Disease Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment

Depending on the specific diagnostic criteria that are being used the prevalence of peripheral artery disease may be as high as 30% in the

population of people age 70 and above. One way to treat PAD is to decrease your cholesterol. Take your medicines as directed.

### **Diagnosing and Treating Peripheral Arterial Disease**

This unhealthy habits also prevents the development of collateral vessels, these vessels help your blood get around a blockage in the blood vessels. Hawthorn Hawthorn berry boosts the circulation of blood and the transfer of oxygen all through the body, it decreases cramps in the legs and improves the flow of blood to your extremities.

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