

Health Report Summary

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Doctor Summary

In this case, it appears that the patient, Ms., was not fully evaluated for an infrarenal abdominal aortic aneurysm. The patient

The Board's allegation of "failure to evaluate a patient with syncope and thoracic aneurysm for abdominal aortic aneurysm"

In conclusion, this is a most unfortunate case, and although the primary focus was on the patient's syncope which was appropriate

Patient Summary

The case presents a situation where a patient, Ms. X, experienced syncope (fainting) and was found to have aneurysms in the abdominal aorta.

The primary focus was on Ms. X's syncope, which was appropriately worked up. However, when a 4.9cm aortic aneurysm was found in the abdominal aorta, the appropriate next step was to continue imaging the rest of the aorta.

The radiologist reading and performing the pulmonary artery CT scan should have continued imaging the rest of the aorta to rule out an abdominal aortic aneurysm.