### ECG FOR DISCUSSION

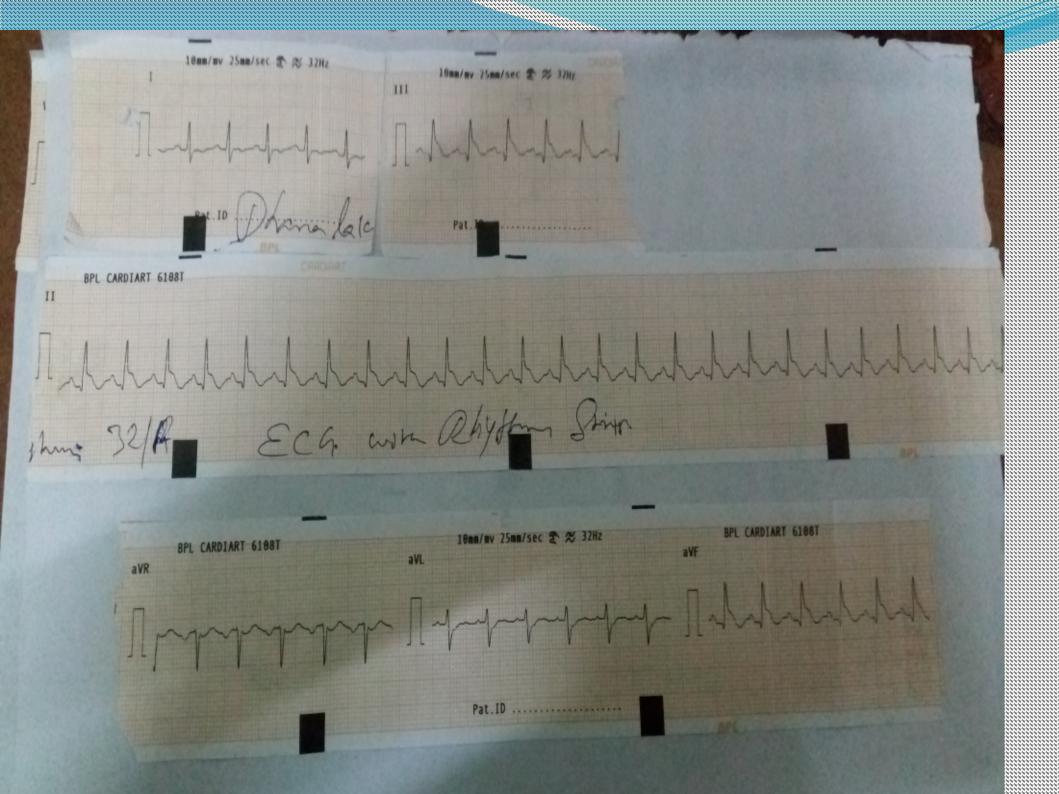
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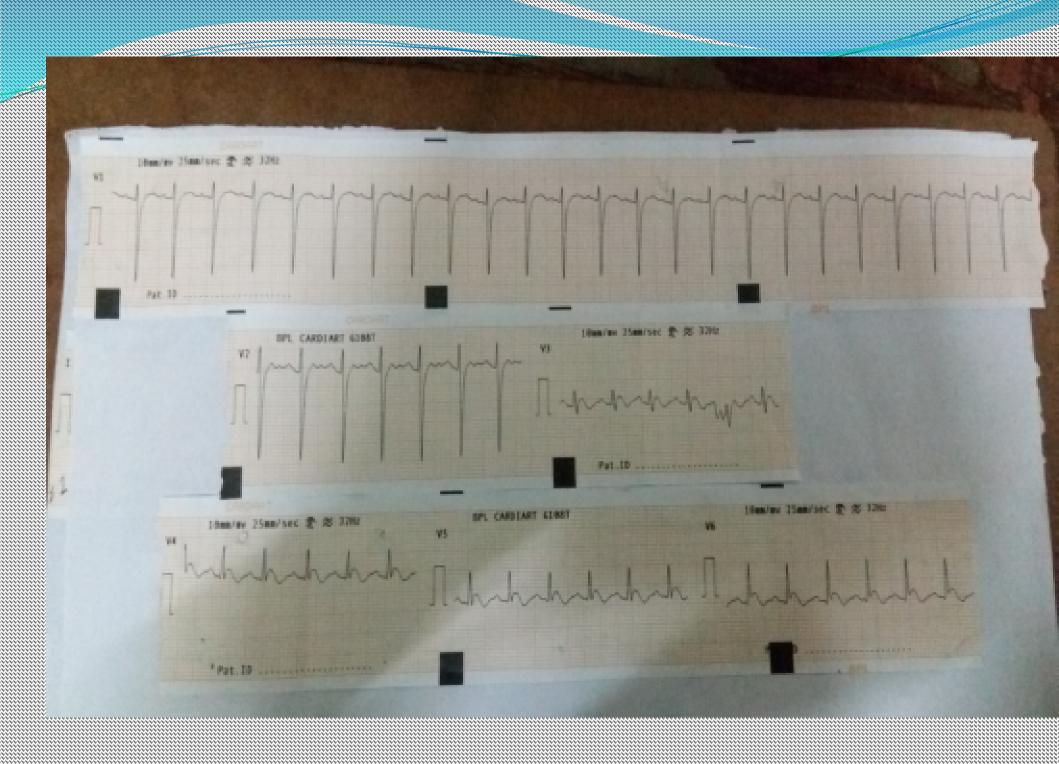
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## History

- 34 years old female known case of Carcinoma posterior 1/3 of tongue diagnosed September 2017
- on chemo -radiation (5 flurouracil, and cytarabine and 33 cycles of radiotherapy to primary tumor site and neck)
- now she presented with complaints of hemoptysis 2 episodes 10-15 ml per episode
- No other symptoms

- Vitals:
- PR 98/mint
- BP 110/90 mm hg
- Examination
- CVS: s1 s2 + no murmur
- RS: NVBS+ occasional wheeze +
- Per abdomen : soft, no organomegaly
- CNS: no FND





### Discussion

- Echo: no RWMA,
- pericardial thickening 3.2mm
- EF:62%

- HR: 13o /min
- Axis: normal axis, normal sinus rhythm
- PR:200 milli sec
- QT:240 milli sec QTc 360 milli sec
- ST elevation with T wave inversion in lead II,III, aVF, V6, U wave seen in V2,biphasic T wave inversion in lead V3 V4 and V5

## 5 FU - cardiology

- Coronary vasospasm
- Coronary thrombosis
- Cardiomyopathy
- SVT,VT
- Acute MI
- Sudden death



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# A CASE OF 5-FLUOROURACIL-INDUCED CORONARY ARTERY VASOSPASM IN RECTAL ADENOCARCINOMA

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### **Background**

5-fluorouracil (5-FU) is a key chemotherapeutic agent in the treatment of many gastrointestinal tract adenocarcinomas. It is used as frontline chemotherapy in rectal adenocarcinoma. 5-FU can cause cardiac toxicities, including coronary vasospasm, coronary thrombosis, cardiomyopathy, and sudden cardiac



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### Coronary Vasospasm Secondary to 5-Fluorouracil and Its Management: Case Report

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#### **Abstract**

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Although rare, 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) may lead to cardiotoxicity that presents with angina, elevated cardiac enzymes and electrocardiogram (ECG) changes. Coronary vasospasm related to 5-FU is a rare clinical entity in oncological practice and may be seen during both bolus and protracted infusional administration. This toxicity is generally reversible and responds well to conventional anti-angina treatment following discontinuation of infusion. We propose that parenteral diltiazem is an effective and safe approach for the treatment of coronary vasospasm secondary to 5-FU infusion. We present clinical findings and management of a case in which coronary vasospasm occurred during the infusion of the 5-FU component of FOLFIRI-bevacizumab chemotherapy (CT) regimen given for treatment of metastatic rectal cancer.

Keywords: 5-fluorouracil, Coronary vasospasm, Diltiazem

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## Aim of presentation

To know the various cardiac side effects of 5 FU