



ECG of a 33-year-old man who presented to the Emergency unit with left sided chest pain.

QUESTION 1: Which ONE of the following best describes this ECG:

- Normal sinus rhythm with early repolarisation.
- WPW pattern.
- Accelerated idioventricular rhythm.
- Inferior myocardial infarction with posterior extension.
- Sinus rhythm with left bundle branch block.
- WPW plus inferior myocardial infarction.
- Acute pericarditis.

QUESTION 2: Which of the following would you recommend:

- Urgent coronary angiography to confirm the diagnosis and institute revascularisation.
- Echocardiography to look for a wall motion abnormality.
- Echocardiography to look for evidence of pericardial disease.
- Arrange for catheter ablation of his accessory pathway.
- Base your decision on his current and previous history.

Please analyse the ECG carefully and commit yourself to an answer before checking the explanation.

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