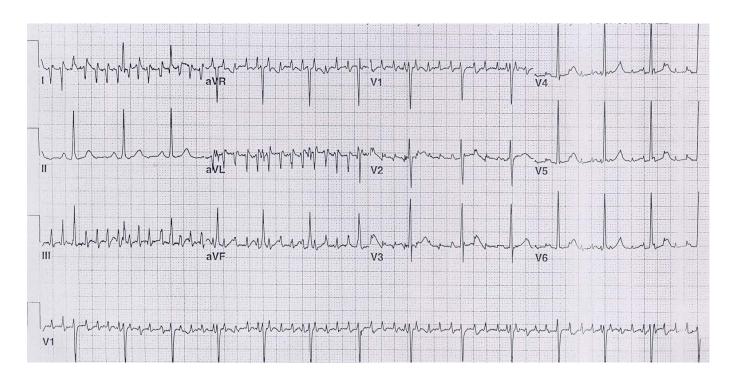


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This is an ECG of a 53-year-old woman. She has never had heart surgery.

QUESTION: Which ONE of the following is the best treatment?

(a) Cardioversion

(b) Beta-blockers

(c) Levodopa

(d) Pacemaker

(e) Electrophysiological study and ablation procedure

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

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