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Clinical Image

Acute Ascending Aortic Dissection

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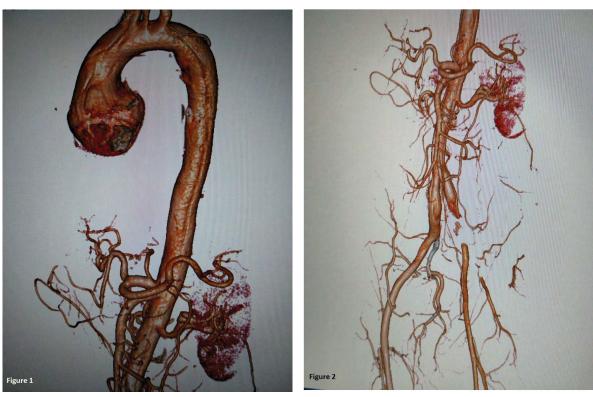


Figure 1: Acute ascending aortic dissection. Figure 2: Same patient with complete occlusion of left common illiac artery.

A 25 year old man presented to the hospital for severe abdominal pain right after weight lifting. Further imaging of the abdomen reveled that he had an acute dissection of the ascending aorta as well as a complete occlusion of the left common illiac artery as seen above (Figures 1 and 2).

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