# My Wire Will Cross But Nothing Else- What Now?

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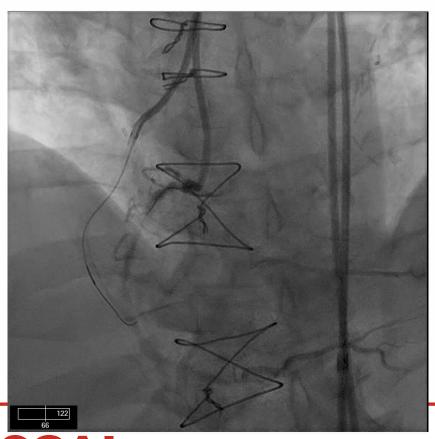


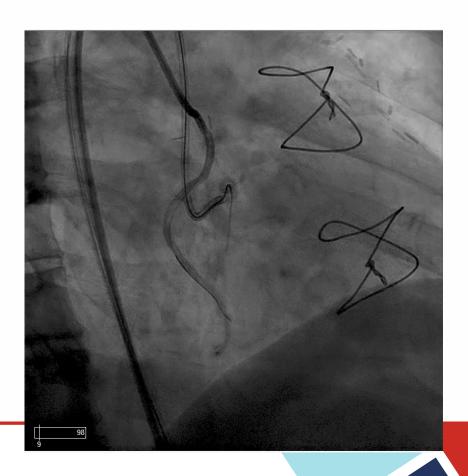
#### Case Presentation

- 60M referred for a second opinion regarding management of complex CAD
- PMH
  - Htn
  - Dyslipidemia
  - CABG surgery in 2010 with SVG to RCA, LIMA to LAD
- Recently told his Cardiologist at nearby University hospital that he had developed CCS class III chest pain and NYHA class III dyspnea on exertion
  - These symptoms persisted despite placing him on optimal medical therapy
- Echo with LVEF 40%, no significant valvular disease
- Sent for nuclear stress test → high-risk inducible ischemia in inferior distribution
- Sent for diagnostic coronary angiogram which showed degenerating graft to RCA in setting of dominant RCA CTO→ referred to my center



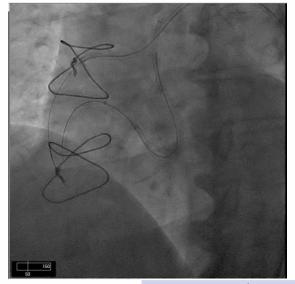
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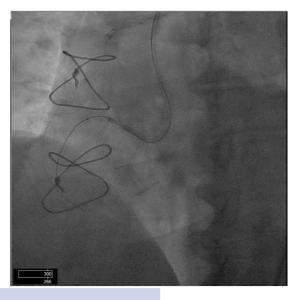






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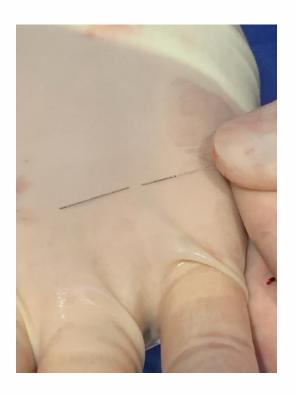


- 1. Increase guide support
- 2. Small balloon inflations
- 3. Balloon-assisted microdissection (BAM)
- 4. Switch to smaller profile microcatheter
- 5. Switch to stiffer microcatheter
- 6. Laser atherectomy
- 7. External cap crush
- 8. Modified Carlino
- 9. Deliver a short roto wire and perform rotational atherectomy
- 10. Go retrograde
- 11. See wire impenetrable cap algorithm







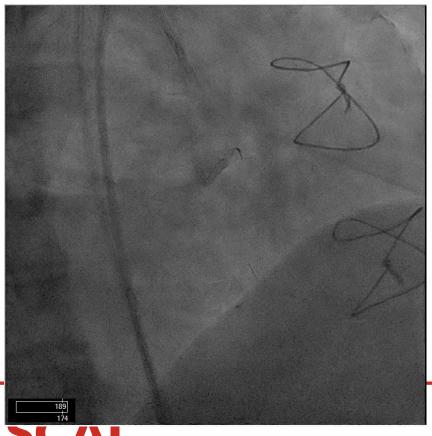


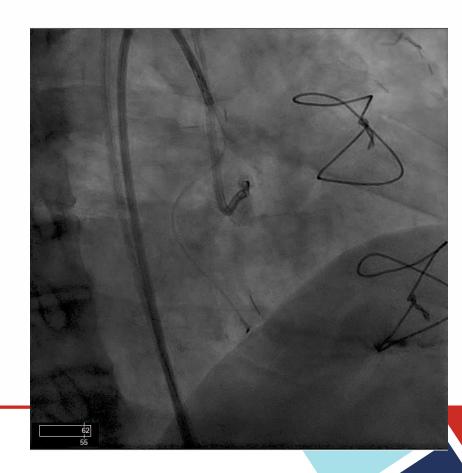
#### How to Cut a Roto Wire





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