Rev 8/2021

Abdominal Aorta (AAA)
Image Summary

Image:	Measurement:
1. Patient information screen	
2. Long IVC grayscale	
3. Long IVC color	
4. Long proximal aorta grayscale	AP*
5. Long mid aorta grayscale	AP*
6. Long distal aorta grayscale	AP*
7. Long distal aorta color and/or spectral Doppler waveform	
8. Transverse proximal aorta grayscale	Width*
9. Transverse mid aorta grayscale	Width*
10. Transverse distal aorta grayscale	Width*
11. Transverse right and left common iliac arteries	Width*
12. Long left common iliac artery grayscale	AP *
13. Long left common iliac artery color	
14. Long right common iliac artery grayscale	AP*
15. Long right common iliac artery color	

*Please make sure to obtain grayscale images with AND without calipers.

Document any aortic dilatation by measuring sagittal AP, and AP & width transverse diameter noting level as suprarenal, juxtarenal or infrarenal; careful gain setting should be used to assess for thrombus, calcium, plaque and intimal flap/dissection; assess periaortic region or any evidence of fluid, inflammation or adenopathy; PW and/or Color Doppler may be used to document blood flow in aorta or when clinically indicated.