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ABDOMINAL AORTA/ AAA ULTRASOUND (A3)

PATIENT NAME: _____ MR# _____ DATE: _____
TECH INITIAL: _____ EXT: _____ FACILITY: MIF/ MINS/ MILH/ ICW/ MIKG /MWH/ SH

INDICATION: Cigarette nicotine dependence History of cigarette nicotine dependence
 Tobacco use: packs a day _____ Years _____ Family history of AAA Abdominal pain Known AAA
 Pulsatile abdominal mass Surgical aortic graft Bruit Other: _____

COMPARISON: None Prior exams: _____

TECHNIQUE: Transabdominal grayscale and color flow Doppler was performed for evaluation of the abdominal aorta. Spectral Doppler waveforms also obtained.

FINDINGS:

ABDOMINAL AORTA:

Normal caliber _____ cm. No aneurysmal dilatation seen.
 Suboptimally visualized secondary to overlying bowel gas.
 Abnormal [ADD DICTATION]
 Ectatic aorta
 Plaque visualized
 Thrombus visualized
 Other: _____

Abdominal aortic aneurysm was visualized suprarenal juxtarenal infrarenal

(ADD / OMIT) Aortic aneurysm measurements for today and including any prior exams:

Today's exam: AP(cm) _____ x Width(cm) _____

Prior exam(s): Date: _____ AP(cm) _____ x Width (cm) _____
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RIGHT COMMON ILIAC ARTERY:

Normal in caliber _____ cm Suboptimally visualized secondary to overlying bowel gas.
 Abnormal: _____ ** [ADD DICTATION]

LEFT COMMON ILIAC ARTERY:

Normal in caliber _____ cm Suboptimally visualized secondary to overlying bowel gas.
 Abnormal: _____ ** [ADD DICTATION]

IVC:

Patent Abnormal: _____ ** [ADD DICTATION]

IMPRESSION: Preliminary findings/impression

Normal abdominal aortic and common iliac artery ultrasound
 ADD DICTATION

Additional Information (DO NOT TRANSCRIBE):

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Interpretation guidelines:

ABDOMINAL AORTA	COMMON ILIAC ARTERY
Normal diameter: ≤ 2.4 cm	Normal diameter ≤ 1.4 cm
Ectasia 2.5-2.9 cm	Ectasia 1.5-1.9 cm
Aneurysm ≥ 3.0 cm	Aneurysm ≥ 2.0 cm
Note, degree of thrombus or atherosclerotic disease as mild, moderate, or severe.	
Note, type of aneurysm-fusiform or saccular. Note, location – suprarenal, juxtarenal or infrarenal.	