

Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy in the light of European recommendations for diagnosis and treatment of hypertrophic cardiomyopathy

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Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy is disease with very high prevalence in general population (1~500). There is marcabable diversity in disease course. Majority of patients have benign clinical course and normal life expactancy but some are in risc for sudden cardiac death, severe arrhythmia and progressive heart failure. We present a case of female patient who was diagnosed with hypertrophic cardiomyopathy as a child (10years). She was clinicaly and echocardiographicly followed up in our clinic. When she was 44 years old signs and symptoms of heart failure started to develop.

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