



# Troubleshooting in Treating Left Sided Obstructions

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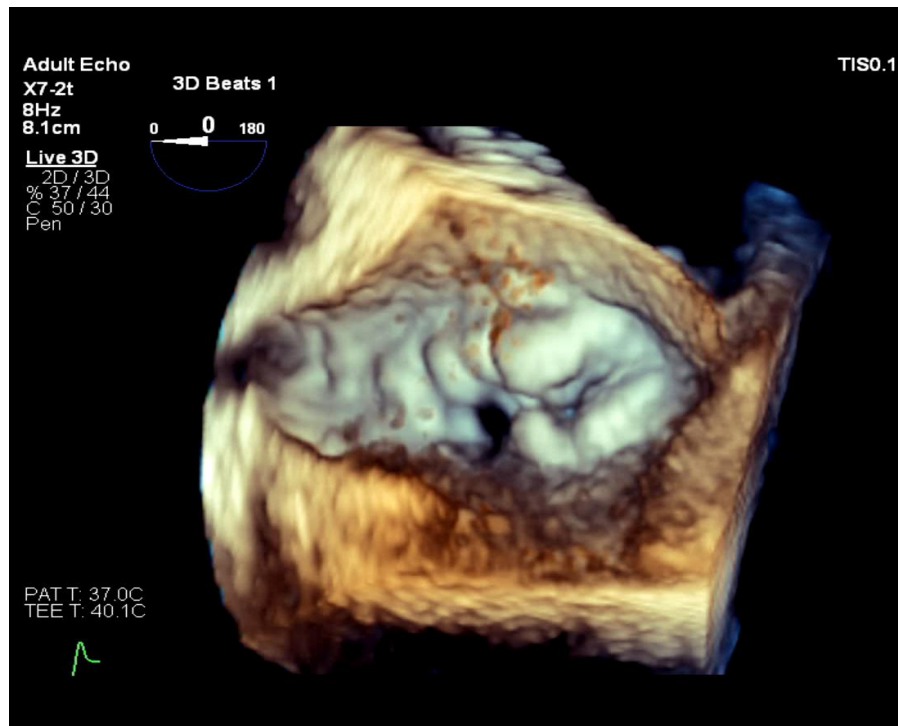
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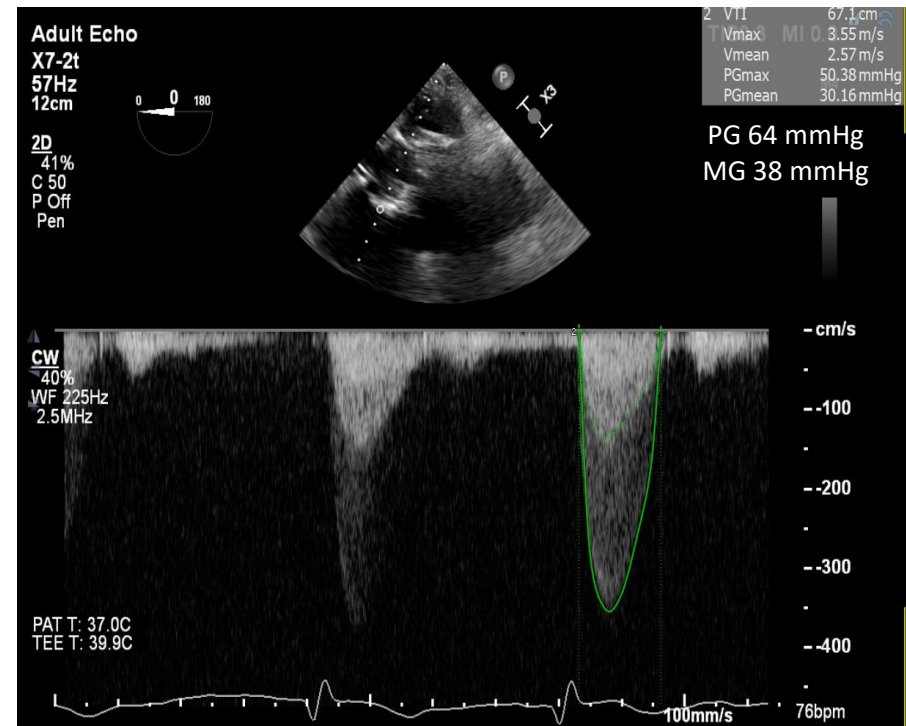
Beirut, Lebanon

- 85 year old female patient known to have:
  - ViV-TAVI 5 years ago with Evolut-R 23 mm
  - Severe mitral stenosis
  - Severe pHTN
  - ICD 1 year ago
  - DMII
  - Atrial fibrillation
  - Recurrent admissions for CHF exacerbations
  - Prior right femoral cut down
  - Euroscore II 23.13%, STS Score 20.348%

Presented to the ER on 11/12/2020 for shortness of breath and fatigue

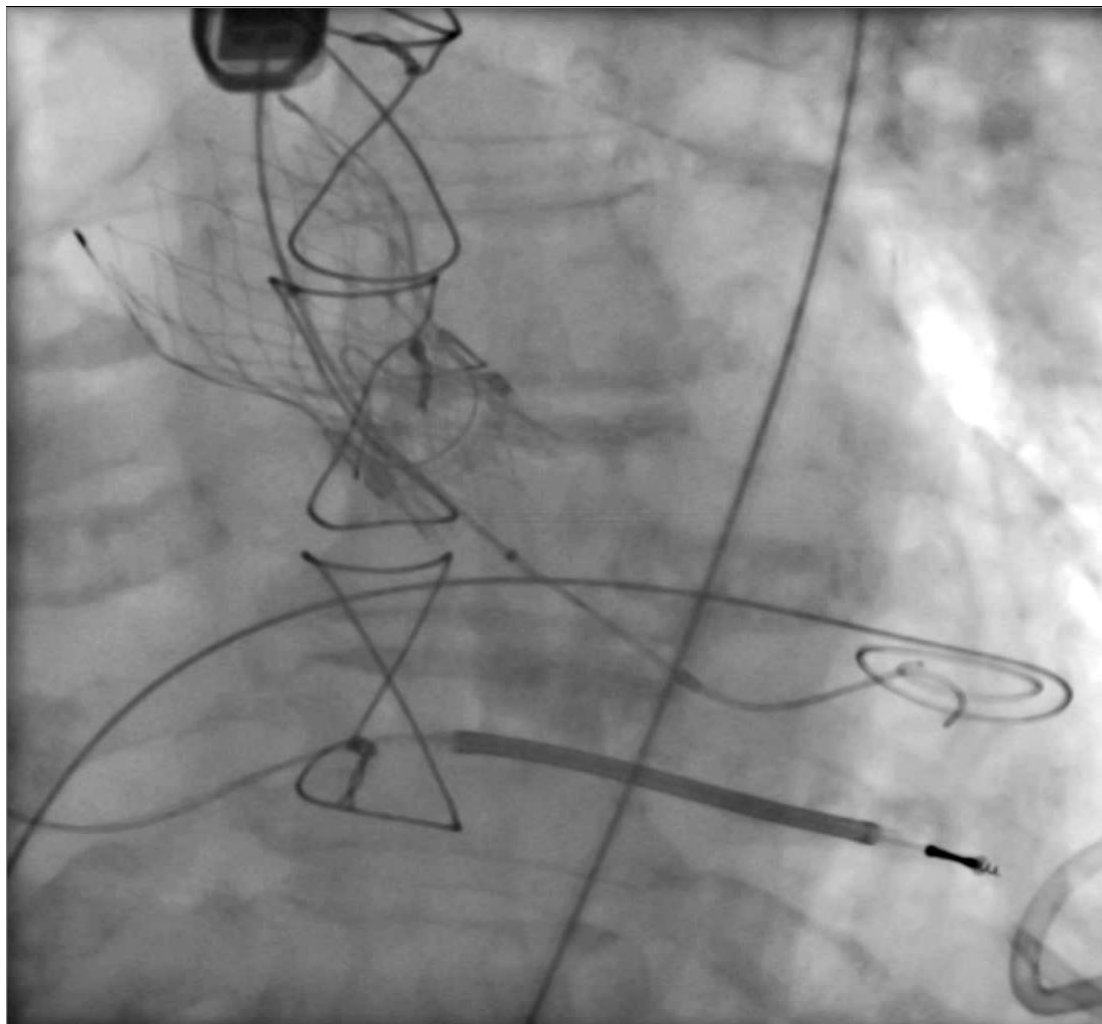


Severe **mitral stenosis**, PG/MG 22/12 mmHg at HR 85bpm, moderate MR



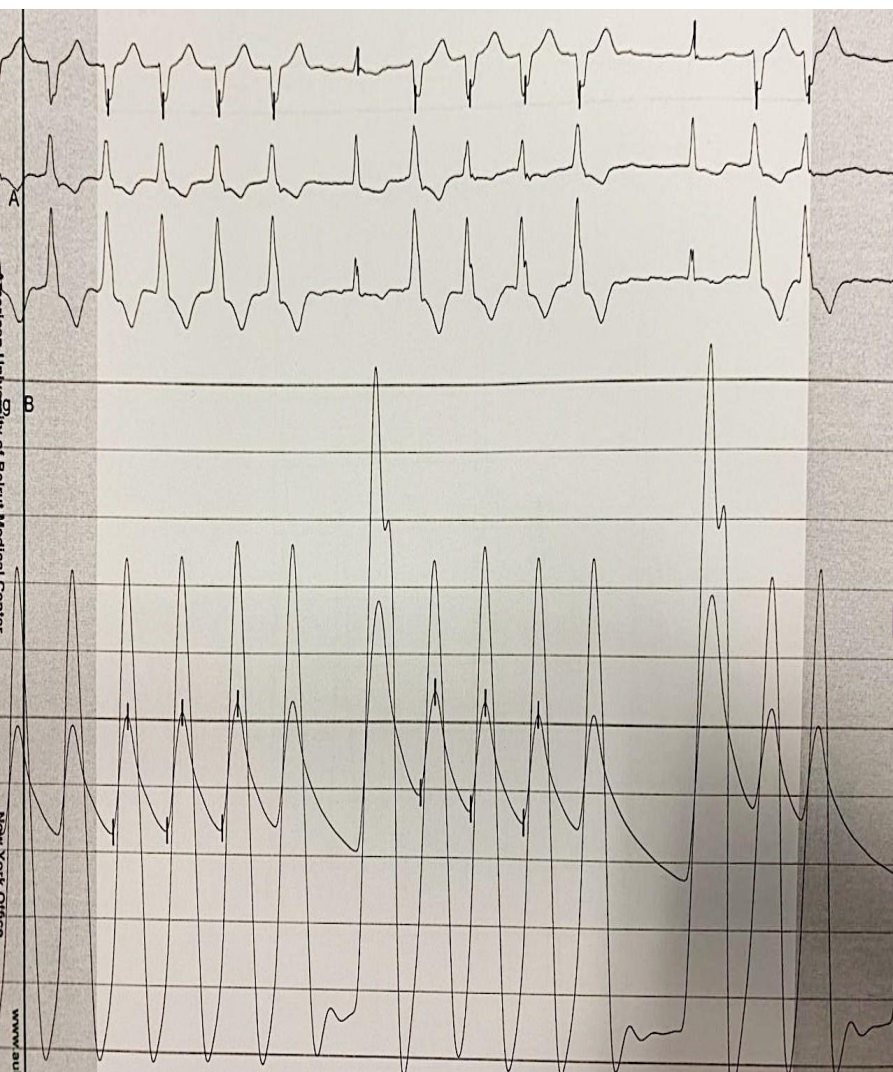
s/p TAVI with PG/MG 64/38 mmHg- **patient prosthesis mismatch**

Severe **tricuspid regurgitation**, severe **pulmonary HTN**, sPAP 76 mmHg

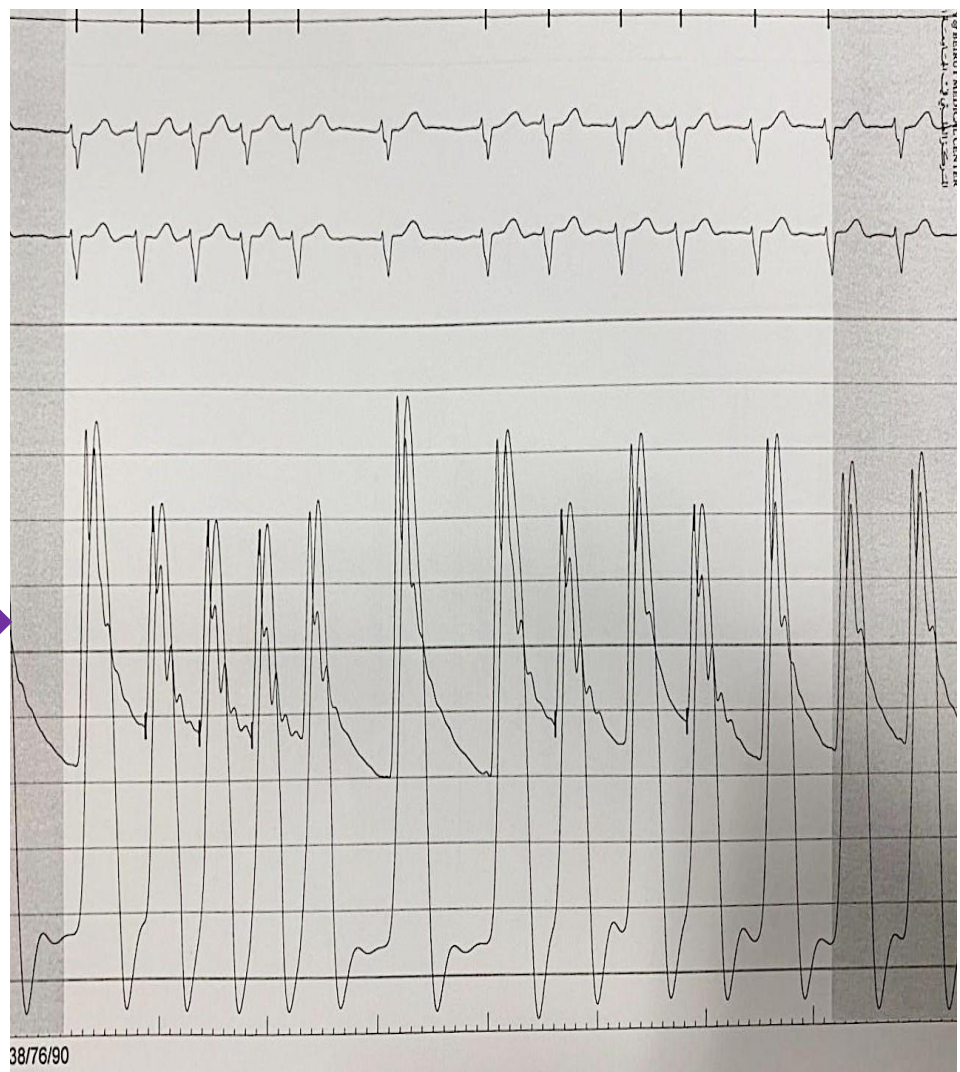


TAVI Valve fracture with 20 mm Atlas balloon at 18 atm

## Gradients pre/post valve fracture



Pre-fracture=peak to peak gradient 44 mmhg



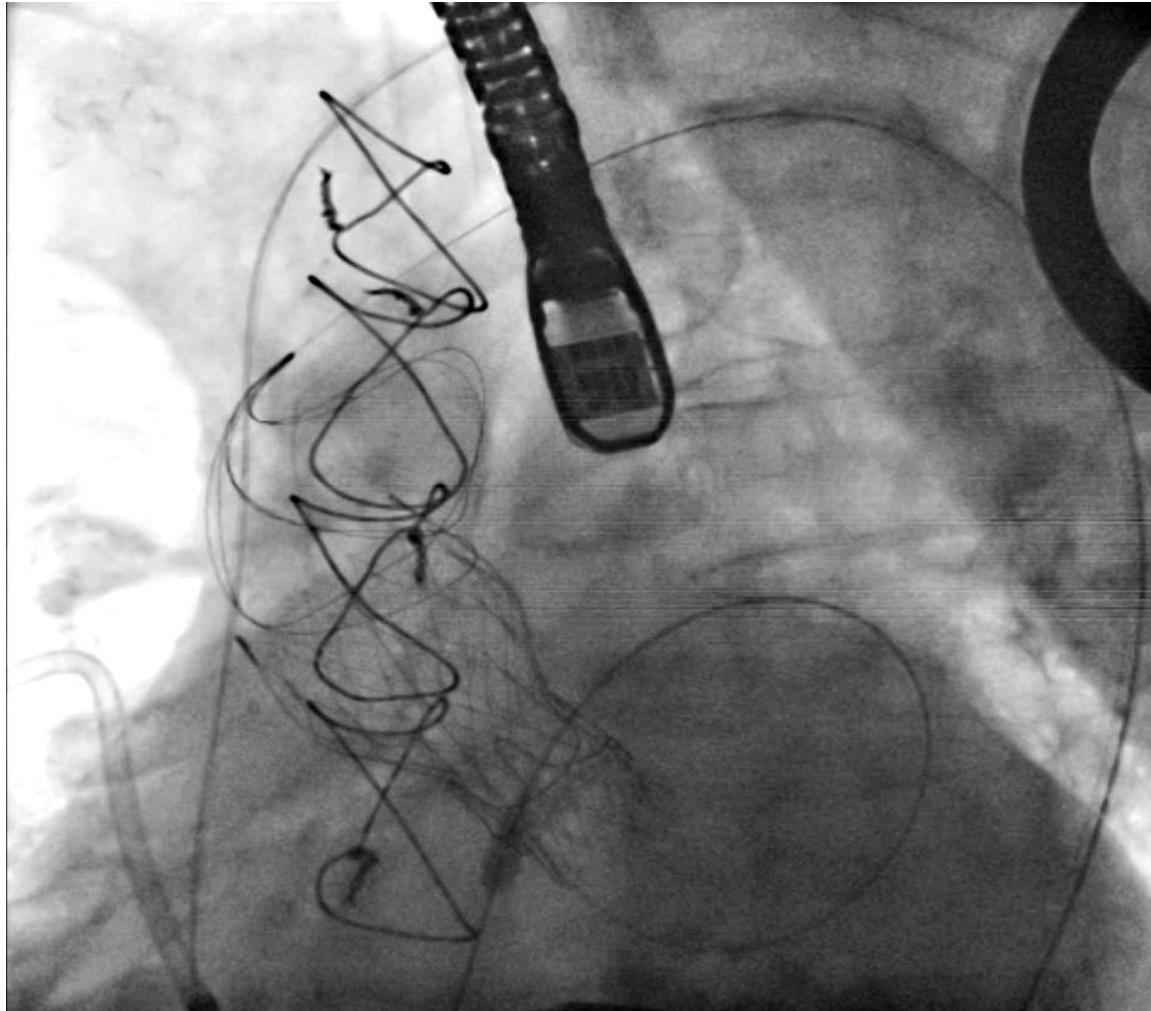
Post-fracture= peak to peak gradient 5 mmhg



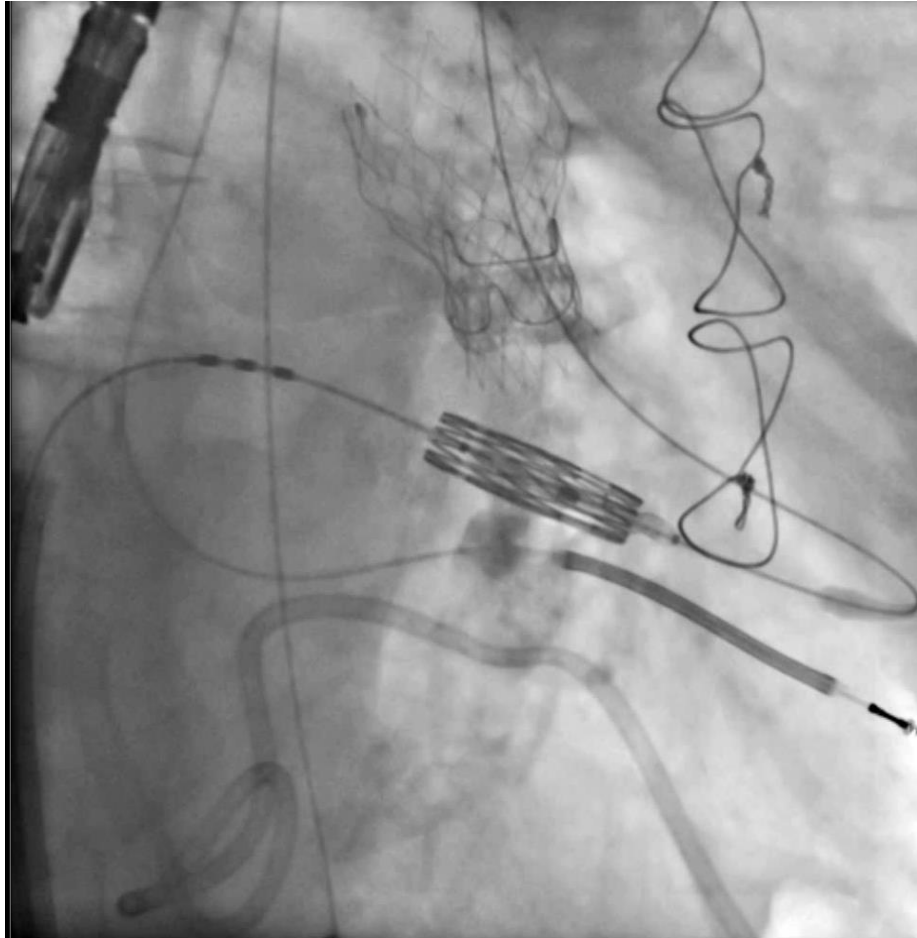


Balloon atrial septostomy was performed using a Z-MED 14x40 mm balloon

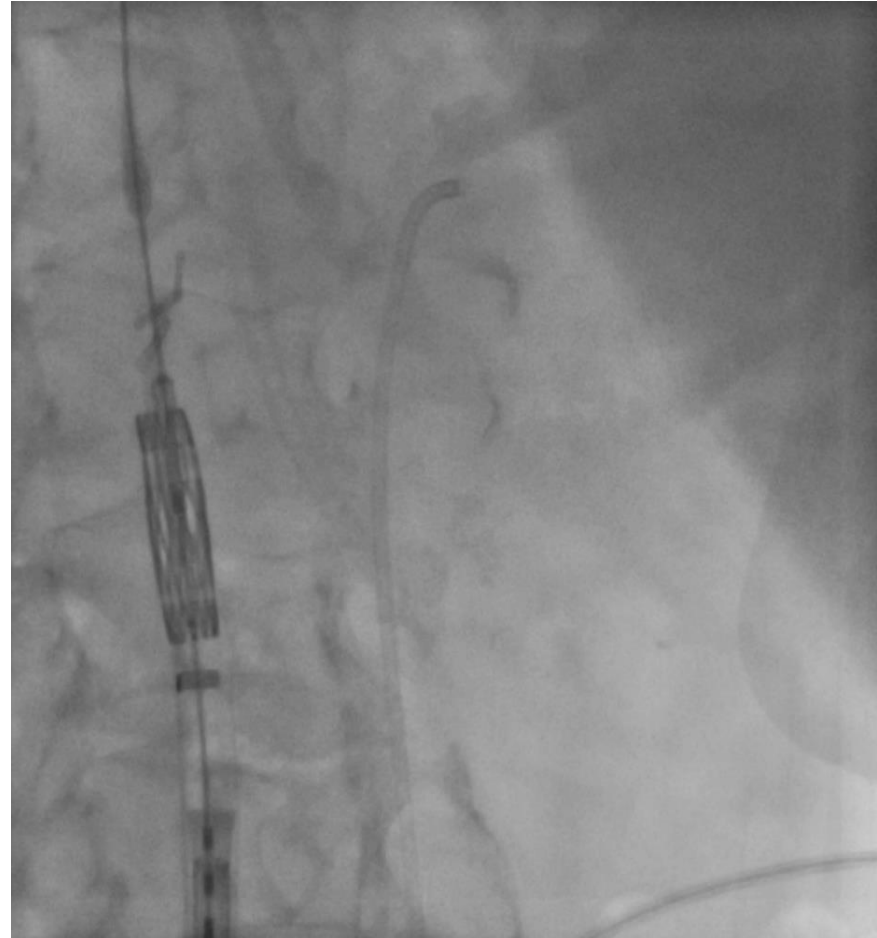
A lot of resistance was encountered during valve advancement in E-sheath due to scar from prior cutdown– in the process LV wire was lost in LA



A terumo stiff wire was advanced from LA to LV to aorta and was snared with an En-Snare to form a VA rail.

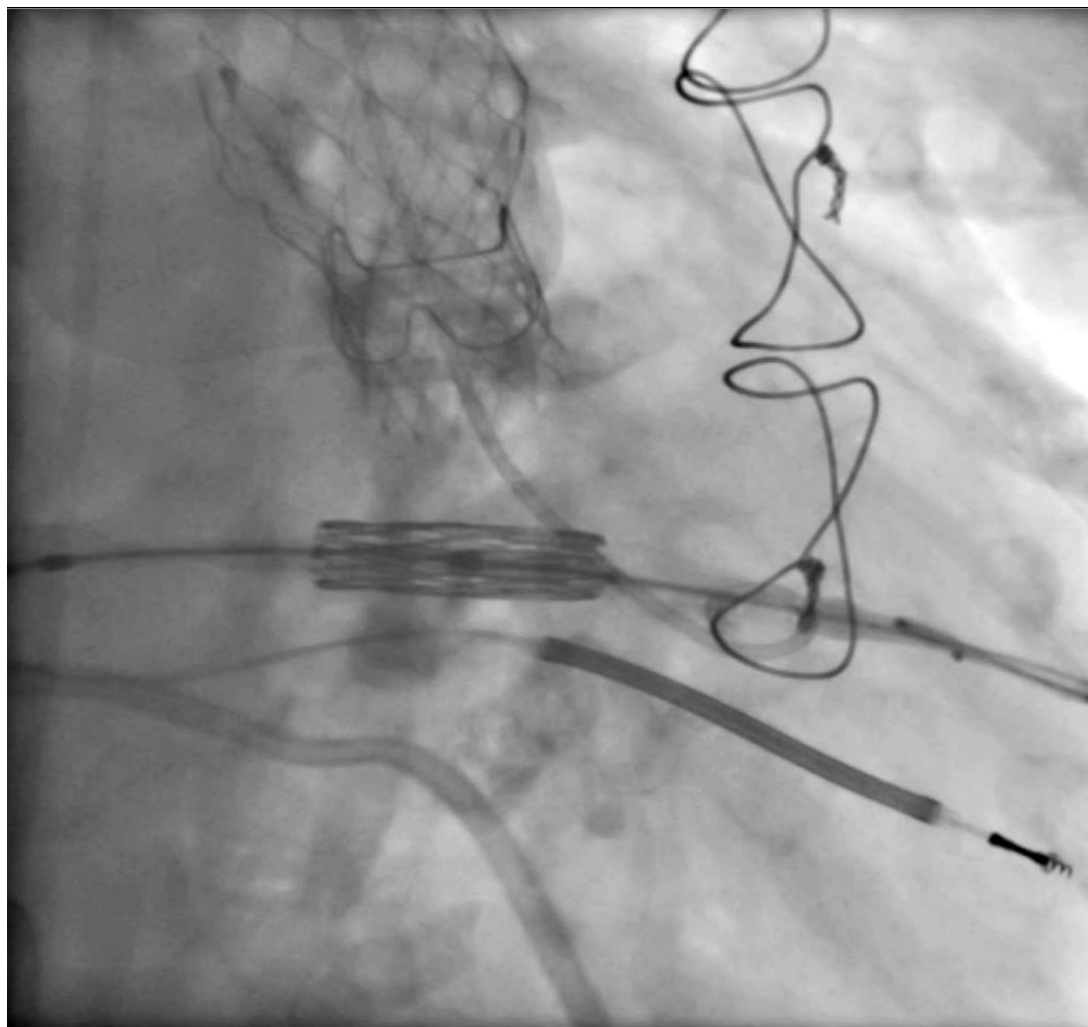


Sapien Valve advanced to the mitral annulus but failure to deploy due to balloon rupture and extravasation of contrast in LA

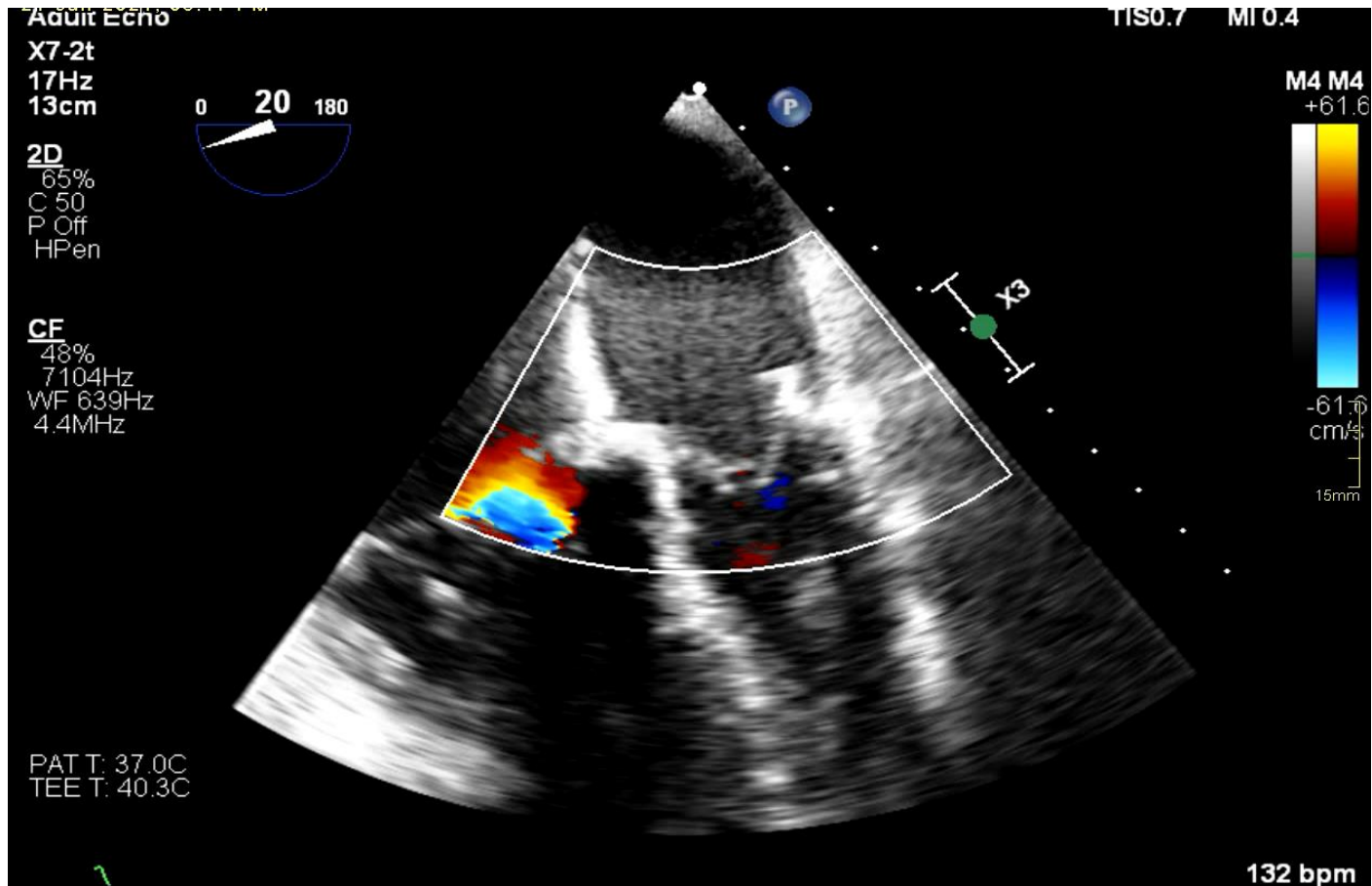


The valve was pulled back to the right femoral vein and removed via surgical cutdown. The femoral sheath was upgraded to a 24 F DRYSEAL sheath

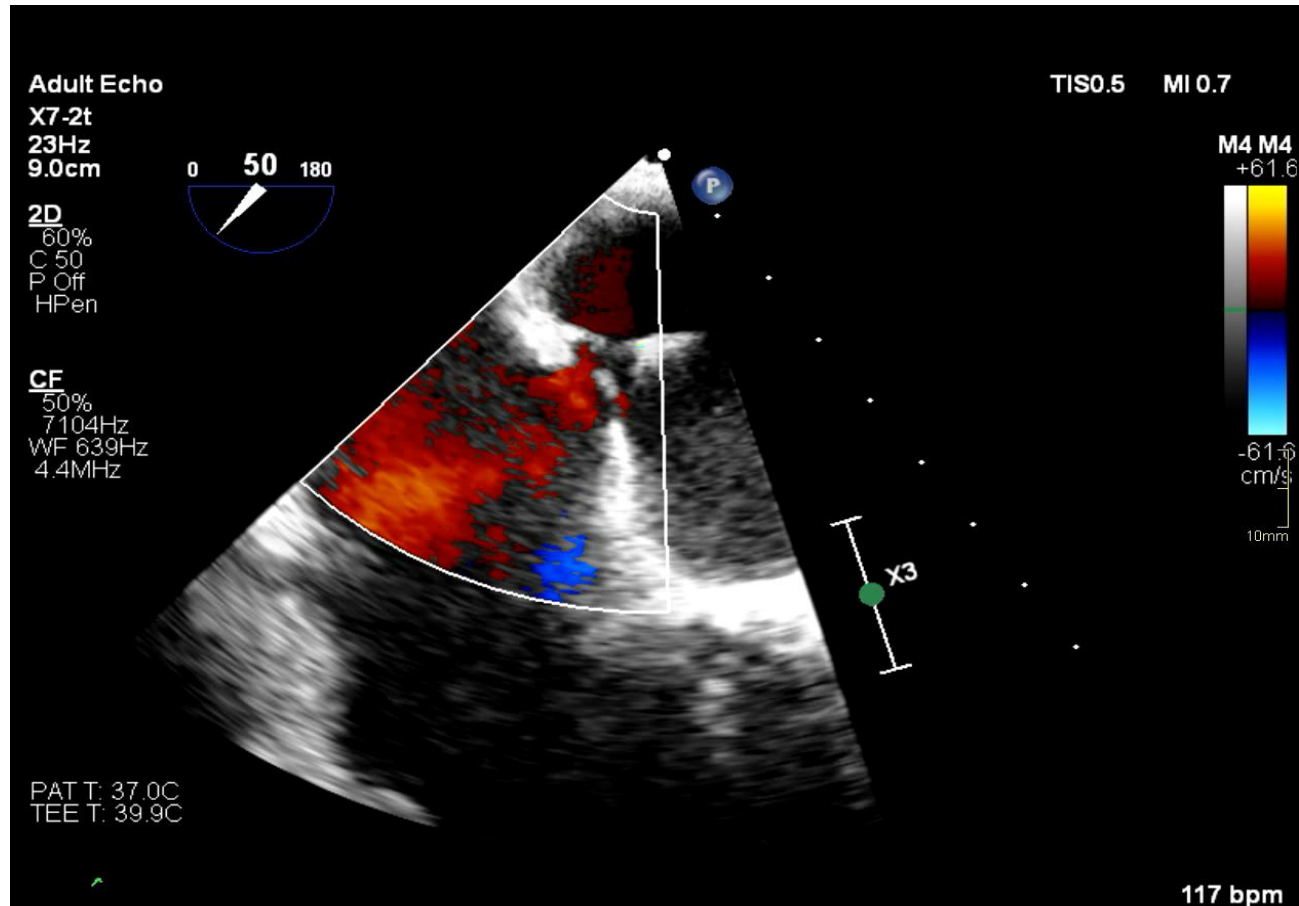




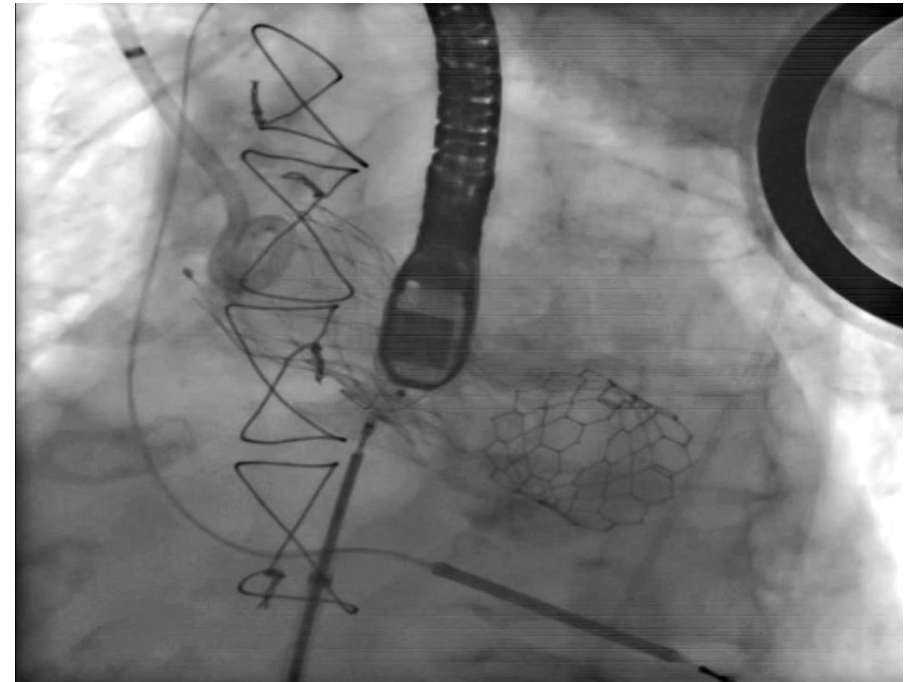
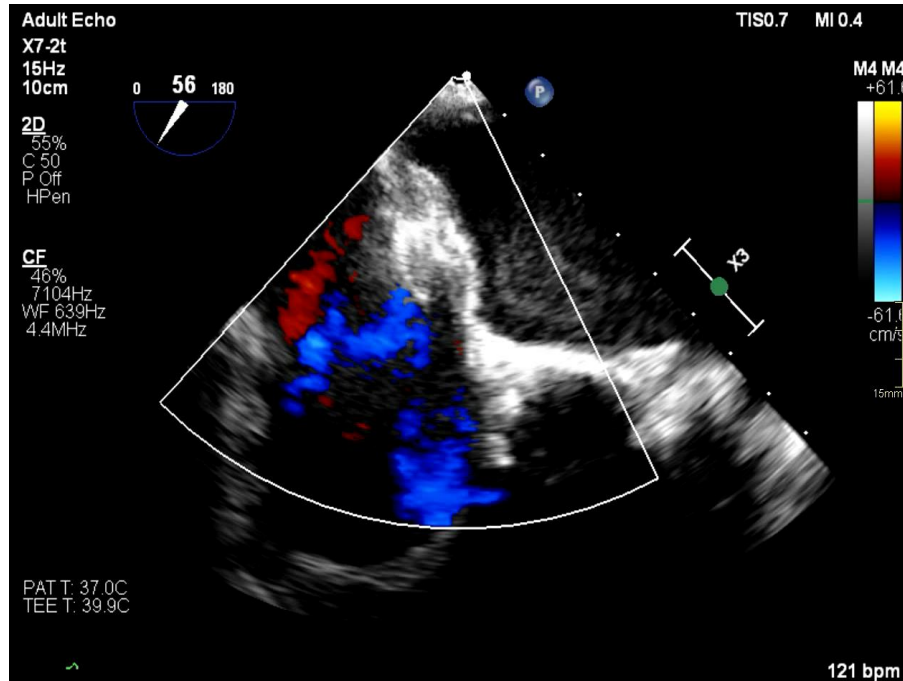
Sapien 3 26 mm + 3cc was deployed via transeptal approach under rapid pacing.



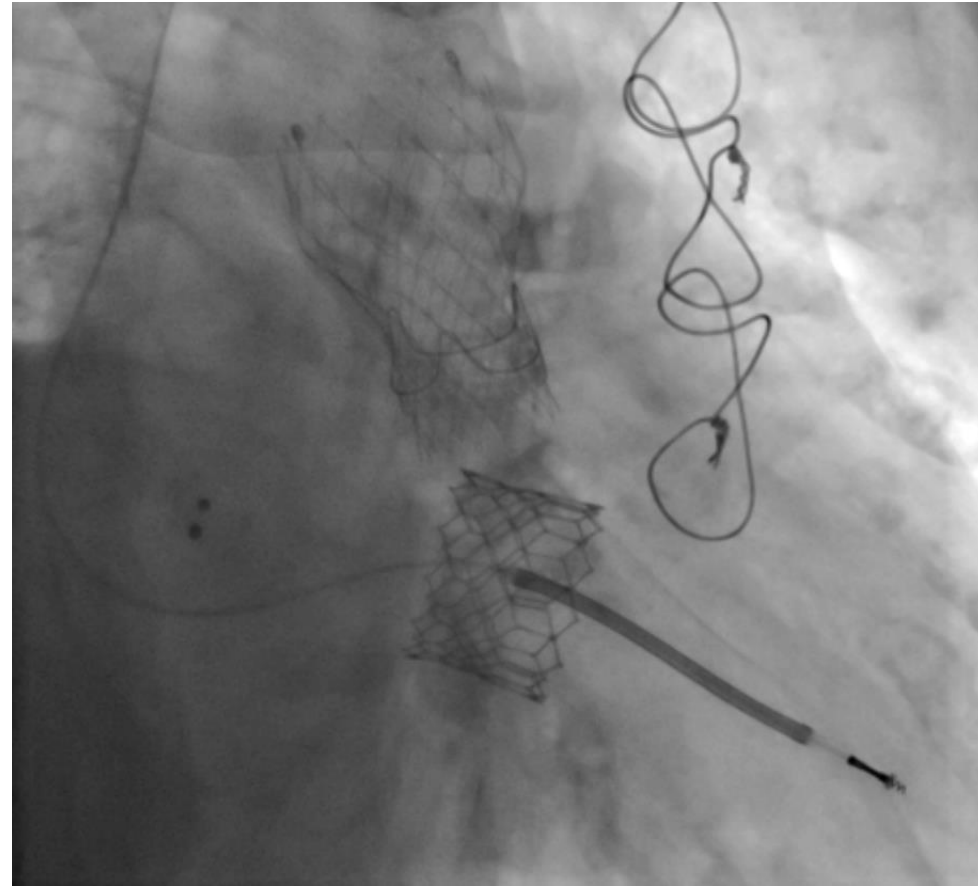
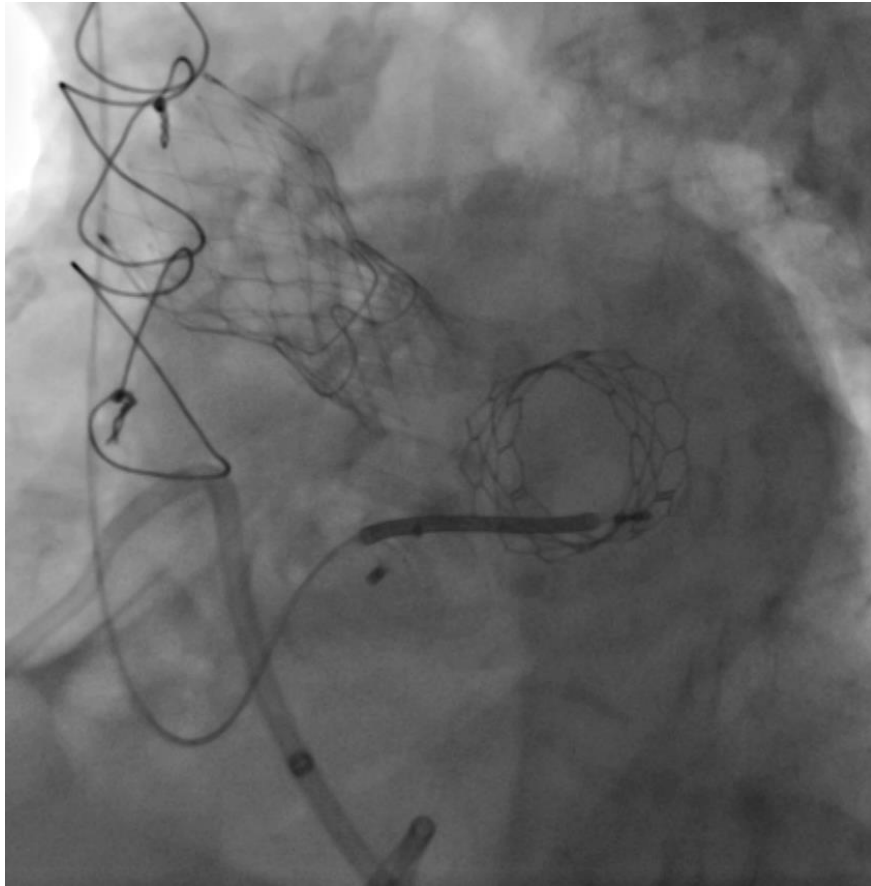
TEE showed trivial para-valvular leak with mean gradient of 2 mmhg.



Evidence of Right to Left Shunt on TEE with hypoxia 86% on 100% FiO<sub>2</sub>



An Amplatzer 15 mm septal occluder device was deployed across the septum with resolution of hypoxia (86→99%)



Final Images in LAO caudal and RAO Caudal showing the relation between the aortic, mitral valves and ASD device