



Foundations Frameworks
Approach to Bradycardia

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- 1. Initial Stabilization**
- Pads/Crash Cart/Airway Setup
 - EKG
 - Atropine 0.5mg-1mg



2. Evaluate for the Big 3

- Hyperkalemia
 - Send VBG w/ electrolytes
 - Look for wide complex, ventricular escape beats

- Calcium Channel/Beta Blocker Overdose
 - Also evaluate for digoxin/clonidine OD

- STEMI
 - RCA lesion, inferior lead distribution



- 3. General Treatment**
- Emergently stabilize blood pressure
 - fluids, inotropes/pressors (NE, dopamine, isoproterenol, epinephrine), transcutaneous/transvenous pacing



- Hyperkalemia Treatment**
- Calcium gluconate/chloride
 - Beta agonist, insulin/glucose, lasix
 - Dialysis

- CCB/BB OD Treatment**
- Glucagon (BB)
 - High dose insulin
 - Intralipid

- STEMI Treatment**
- Cath lab
 - Lytics