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### **Dyspnea at 66**

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**Background and Aim:** A 66 year old man with no history of interest, who refers dyspnea with minimal effort, without other symptoms of interest. Physical examination anodyne.

**Method:** The following additional tests were performed: Normal hemogram, basic biochemistry and coagulation. Transaminases, cholesterol, total bilirubin, alkaline phosphatase, thyroid hormones and tumor markers without alterations. Thoracic Xray with cardiomegaly. No electrocardiographic changes. Given the clinical findings, the patient was referred to cardiology consultation.

**Results:** The patient was diagnosed of Atrial Myxoma and was referred to thoracic surgery service. The tumor had surgery and the patient is currently being treated with heparin and is awaiting for the results of the pathology.

**Conclusions:** Myxoma is the most common primary benign cardiac tumor. In 90% of cases, the myxoma usually occurs unilaterally. The left atrium is the most common site in 75% of cases, followed by right atrium and ventricles. Right atrial myxomas can remain undiagnosed indefinitely due to nonspecific symptoms that accompany them.