

CODE: T4200 M3442/8

ID NOS: HX6758, 27028

DIAGNOSIS: ATHEROSCLEROTIC AORTIC ANEURYSM.

CLINICAL HISTORY: M/68. This patient's complaint was one of intermittent claudication which was becoming increasingly frequent and severe. An aortogram showed stenosis of the common iliac arteries. Surgical removal of the lower end of the aorta and proximal portions of the common femoral arteries was undertaken and a Y shaped graft inserted.

MACROSCOPIC: The lower 6cm of the aorta is uniformly dilated and was shown to contain a good deal of thrombus which extended down into both common femoral arteries. The vessels were very atherosclerotic.

MICROSCOPIC: No photomicrograph.

