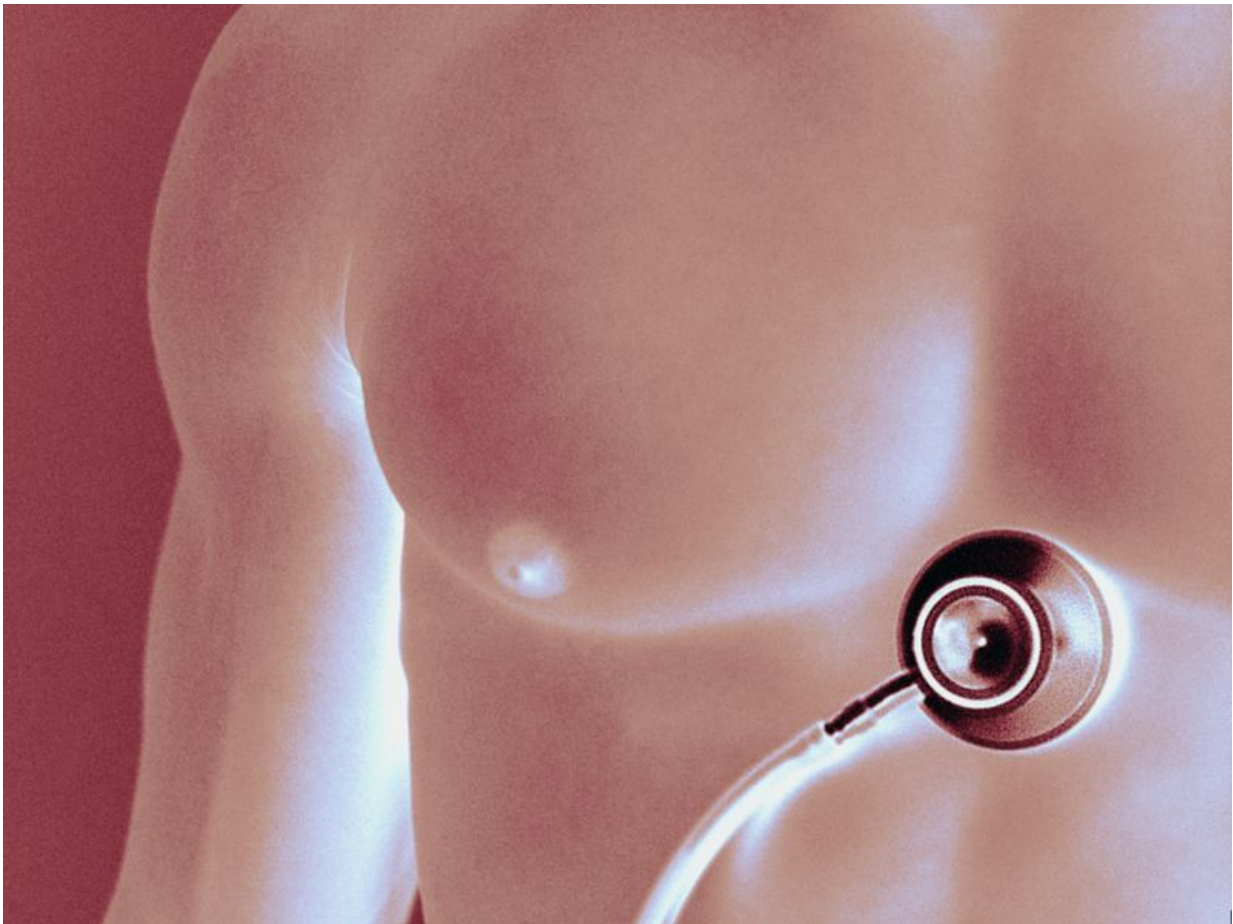


Modest changes in practice for high-sensitivity TnT reporting

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(HealthDay)—For patients presenting to the emergency department with

chest pain, high-sensitivity troponin T (hs-TnT) reporting is associated with modest changes in practice, according to a study published online Aug. 9 in *Circulation: Cardiovascular Quality and Outcomes*.

Derek P. Chew, M.B.B.S., M.P.H., from Flinders University in Adelaide, Australia, and colleagues examined the impact of hs-TnT reporting on care and outcome among patients presenting to emergency departments with [chest pain](#). A total of 1,937 patients without ST-segment elevation were enrolled and randomized to hs-TnT reporting (hs-report) or standard reporting (std-report).

The researchers found that 75.7 percent of patients had maximal troponin

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