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| Journal Name: | Asian Journal of Cardiology Research |
| Manuscript Number: | Ms_AJCR_130662 |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Severe Ischemic Cardiomyopathy in a Young Smoker: A Rare Case of Apical Thrombus and Ventricular Tachycardia |
| Type of the Article | Case report |

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| Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part. | Interesting case report. | |
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