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Vascular surgeons are specially trained to collaborate with other medical professionals to develop patient-centered care plans. Their comprehensive approach to promoting vascular health includes prevention, medical therapy, multiple surgical options, including both minimally invasive and open procedures, and ongoing, long-term disease management.

Because vascular disease affects millions of adults each year, your patient may benefit from seeing a vascular surgeon, especially those with risk factors such as:

- Atherosclerosis
- ?Hyperlipidemia
- Hypertension
- ?Smoking
- Diabetes
- ?Vasculitis
- Lymphedema

Consider engaging with a vascular surgeon as soon as possible to learn all treatment options and to help create a care plan that will result in the best long-term outcome for your patient.

Learn more and have more meaningful conversations with your patients about the following vascular conditions:

- **Head and Neck:**
 - Carotid Artery Disease
 - ?Stroke
 - TIAs
 - ?Vertebral Artery Disease

- - Chest and Abdomen: Aneurysms and Occlusive disease**
 - Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm
 - Endoleaks (Type I-V)
 - ?Aortic Dissection
 - Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm
 - ?Aortoiliac Occlusive Disease
 - Mesenteric Ischemia
 - ?Visceral Artery Aneurysm
 - - Renovascular Conditions (renal artery stenosis, renovascular HTN)
- - Upper Extremity**
 - Thoracic Outlet Syndrome
 - ?Arm Artery Occlusive Disease
 - Hypothenar Hammer Hand (Ulnar Artery Aneurysm)
 - ?Lymphedema
- - Lower Extremity**
 - Peripheral Arterial Disease
 - ?Claudication
 - Chronic Limb-Threatening Ischemia
 - Diabetic Foot Ulceration
 - ?Non-Healing Wounds
 - - Gangrene
 - Peripheral Aneurysm
 - - Venous Disease
 - Acute Deep Vein Thrombosis
 - ?Pulmonary Embolism
 - Chronic Venous Insufficiency
 - ?Varicose Veins
 - - ?Lymphedema
- - Unusual Vascular Problems:**
 - Popliteal Entrapment
 - Adventitial Cystic Disease
 - Iliac Artery Endofibrosis
 - Hypothenar Hammer Hand
 - Fibromuscular Disease
 - Giant Cell Arteritis
 - Connective Tissue Disorder (CTD)
 - Raynaud's Syndrome
- - Vascular Infections**
 - Aortic Infections

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- ?Prosthetic Graft Infections
- Dialysis Access Graft Infections

- **Vascular Trauma**

- **Dialysis Access**

- Hemodialysis Access Creation
- ?Steal Syndrome
- Malfunctioning Hemodialysis Access

Why you should refer your patients to a vascular surgeon?

Find the symptoms and related conditions that vascular surgeons are best equipped to treat.

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Where can you find a Vascular Surgeon?

To find a board-certified vascular surgeon, click the link below, enter your zip code, and select the preferred distance from your practice.

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