



PRE COURSE TEST

Rhythm Recognition

For CORE Level 6 & 7 courses, you will be required to identify the rhythms below. You will also be asked to determine that in the absence of a pulse whether you would defibrillate the patient

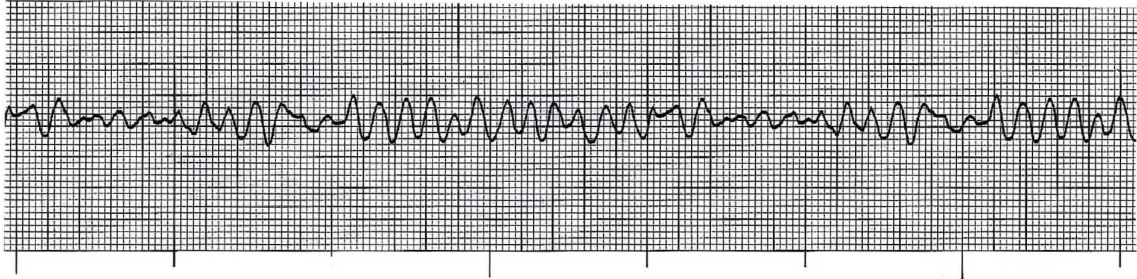
For CORE Level 5 (8 hours) and Level 5 Refresher (4 hours) you will be asked to determine that in the absence of a pulse whether you would defibrillate the patient

An answer key is provided at the end of this document.

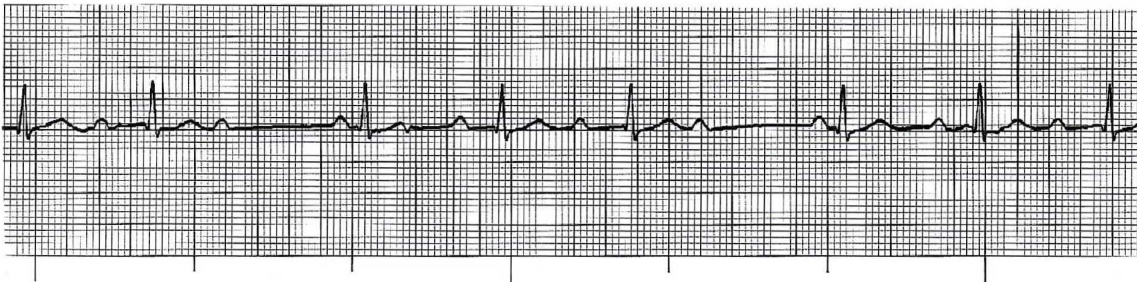
Further ECG examples can be found at <http://www.skillstat.com/learn.htm> - click on ECG Simulator

Rhythm strip and electrical conduction animations can be found at <http://www.youtube.com/user/richACLS?feature=watch>

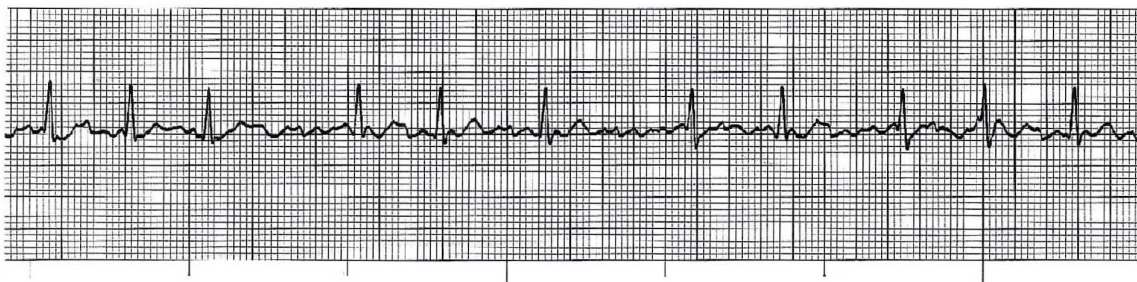
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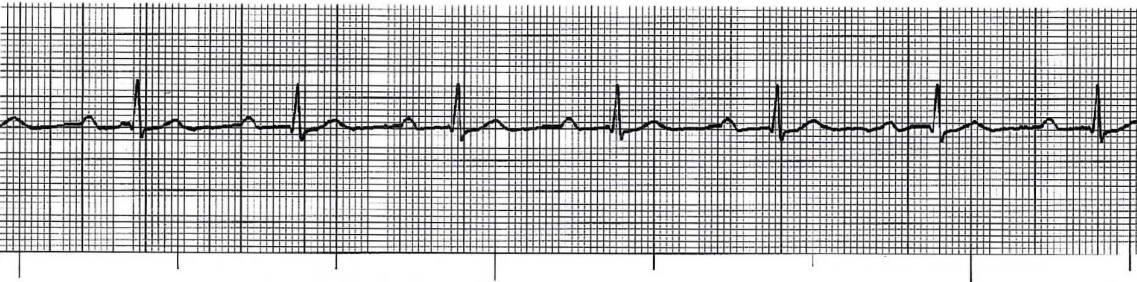
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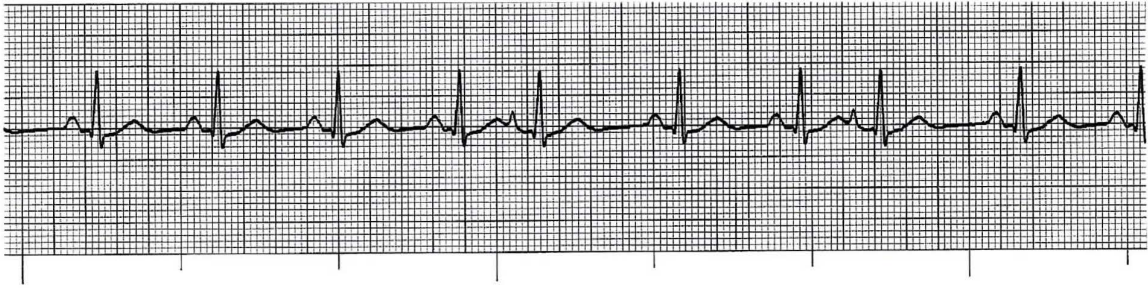
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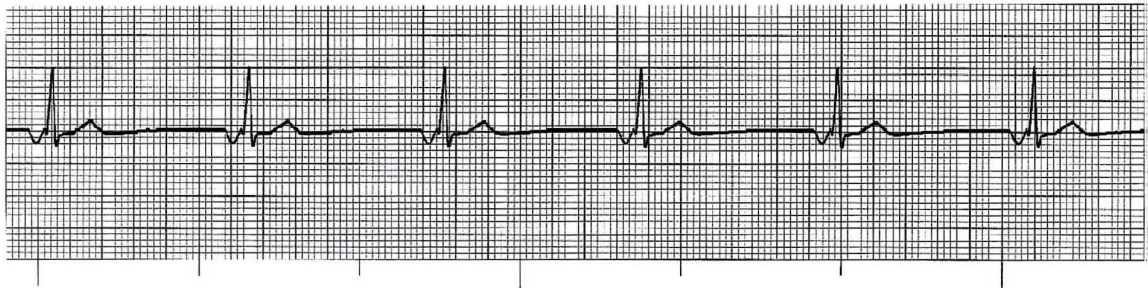
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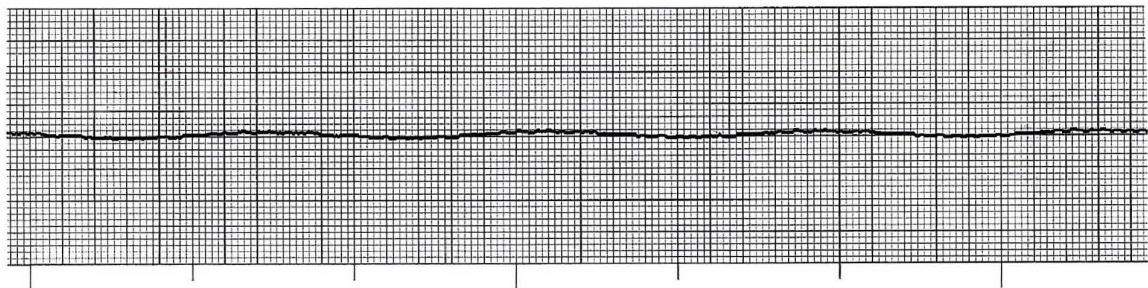
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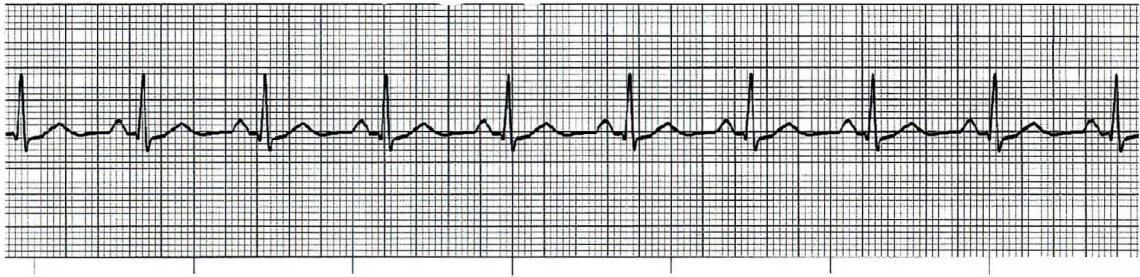
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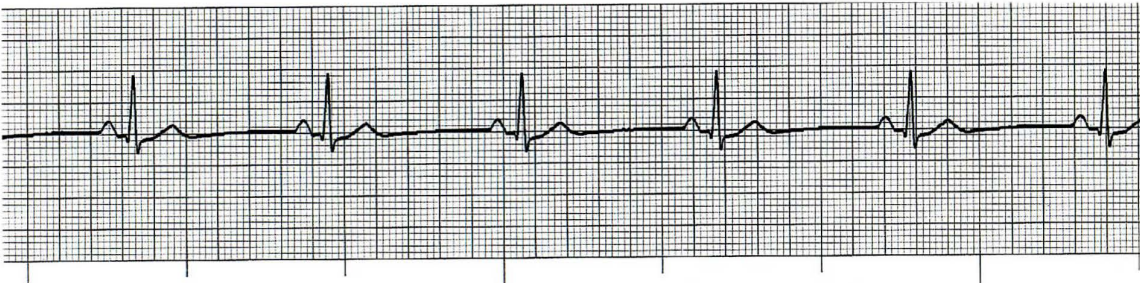
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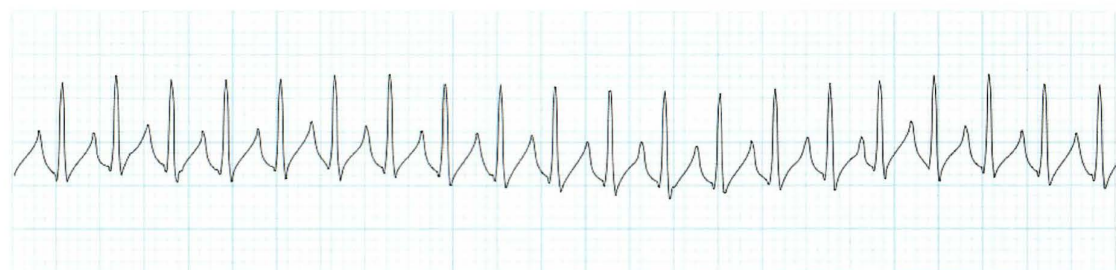
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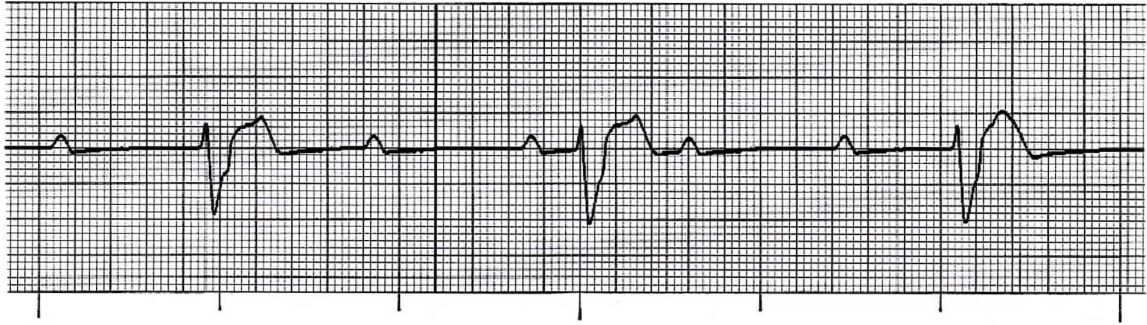
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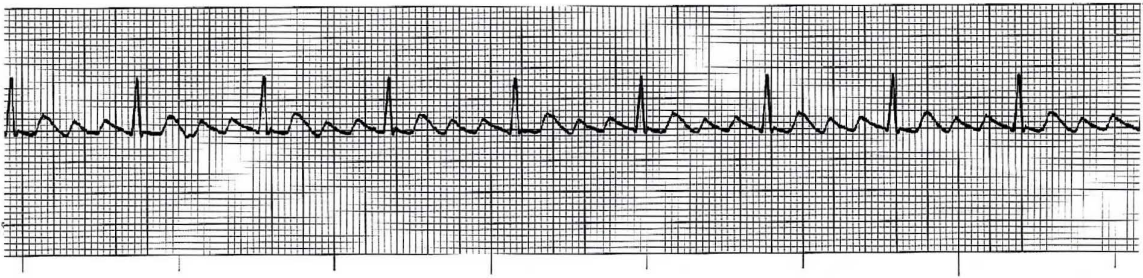
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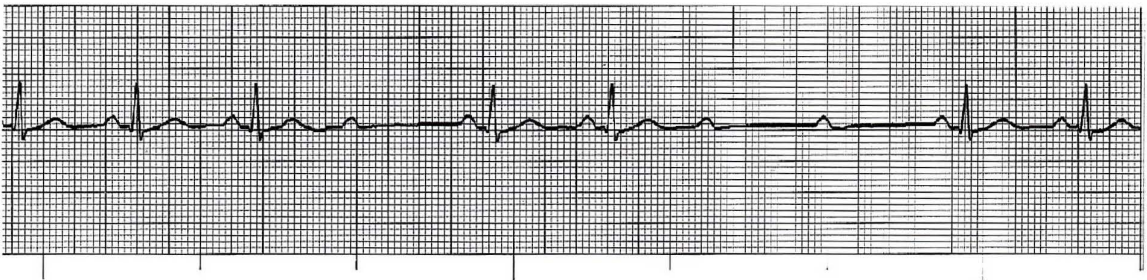
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Answer Key

1. Ventricular fibrillation – **Defibrillate**
 2. Second Degree Heart Block Type 1 – Not Defibrillate
 3. Atrial Fibrillation – Not Defibrillate
 4. First Degree Heart Block – Not Defibrillate
 5. Sinus Rhythm with Premature Ventricular Complexes – Not Defibrillate
 6. Sinus Rhythm with Premature Atrial Complexes – Not Defibrillate
 7. Junctional Rhythm – Not Defibrillate
 8. Asystole – Not Defibrillate
 9. Normal Sinus Rhythm – Not Defibrillate
 10. Ventricular Tachycardia – **Defibrillate**
 11. Sinus Bradycardia – Not Defibrillate
 12. Supraventricular Tachycardia – Not Defibrillate
 13. Third Degree Heart Block / Complete Heart Block – Not Defibrillate
 14. Atrial Flutter – Not Defibrillate
 15. Second Degree Heart Block Type 2 – Not Defibrillate
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