

# **Section IX. Role of Echocardiography**

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## IX. The Role of Echocardiography

- Echocardiography is useful for:
  - Assessment of left ventricular dysfunction and the presence of left ventricular hypertrophy
- Echocardiography is not useful for routine evaluation of hypertensive patients