

Evidence Discussion (PV 24.1)

- Symptoms of bladder mass may include hematuria, urgency or frequency of urination, urinary infection or urinary retention^{1,2,3}.
- Bladder masses may be found incidentally on initial imaging such as ultrasound, cystoscopy or KUB (Kidney, Ureter and Bladder X-ray).
- Suspected bladder stone may be further evaluated with CT pelvis if initial imaging is inconclusive or for surgical planning³. CT has a higher sensitivity than ultrasound for bladder stones³.
- Suspected bladder diverticuli can be further evaluated with CT pelvis^{1,2}.

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