



SONOGRAPHER CLINIC

Frequency of visits and alerts

MITRAL STENOSIS

Severe	every 6 months (exercise test annually)
Moderate	every 12 months
Mild	every 2 years

Echocardiographic alerts

- New PA hypertension or rise in PA systolic pressure towards 50 mmHg
- RV dysfunction

Other alerts

- Symptoms
- INR > 4.0 or < 1.5 in last 6 months
- New atrial fibrillation
- TIA or stroke
- Patient request
- Suggestion of endocarditis