

Current cigarette smoking, smoking intensity, and smoking duration are significantly associated with ruptured IAs at presentation. However, the significantly increased risk persists after [smoking cessation](#), and smoking cessation does not confer a reduced risk of [aneurysmal subarachnoid hemorrhage](#) beyond that of reducing the cumulative dose ¹⁾.

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