

Table III. Differential diagnosis of the patient with hypertension, hypokalemia and metabolic alkalosis		
Disease	Plasma renin activity (PRA)	Plasma [aldosterone] (PAC)
Primary aldosteronism	Decreased	Increased
Renal artery stenosis	Increased	Increased
Renin-producing tumor	Increased	Increased
Cushing's syndrome	Decreased	Decreased
Licorice ingestion	Decreased	Decreased
Apparent mineralocorticoid excess	Decreased	Decreased
Liddle syndrome	Decreased	Decreased