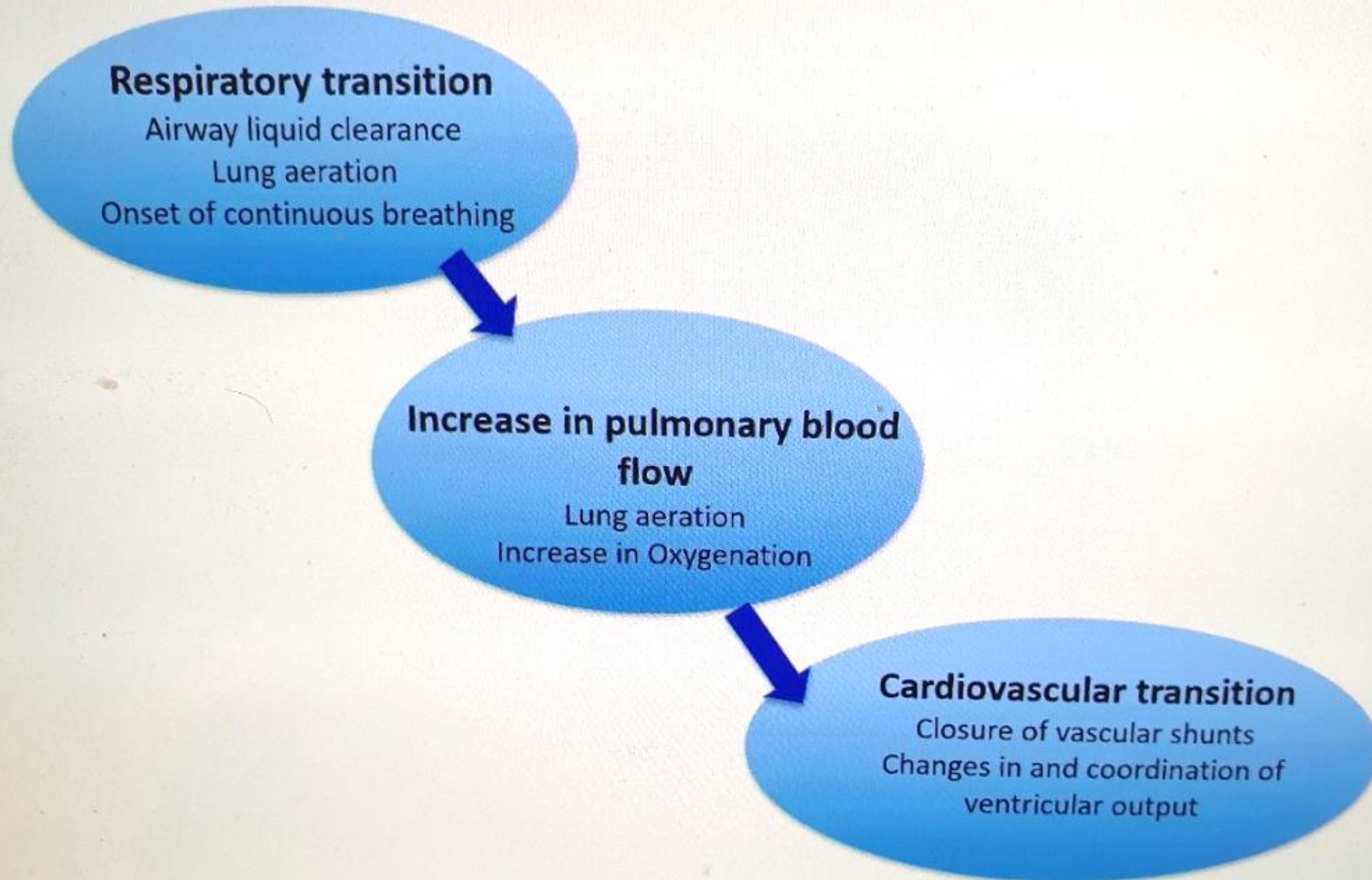


Quoi de neuf
CDH 2022, Glasgow

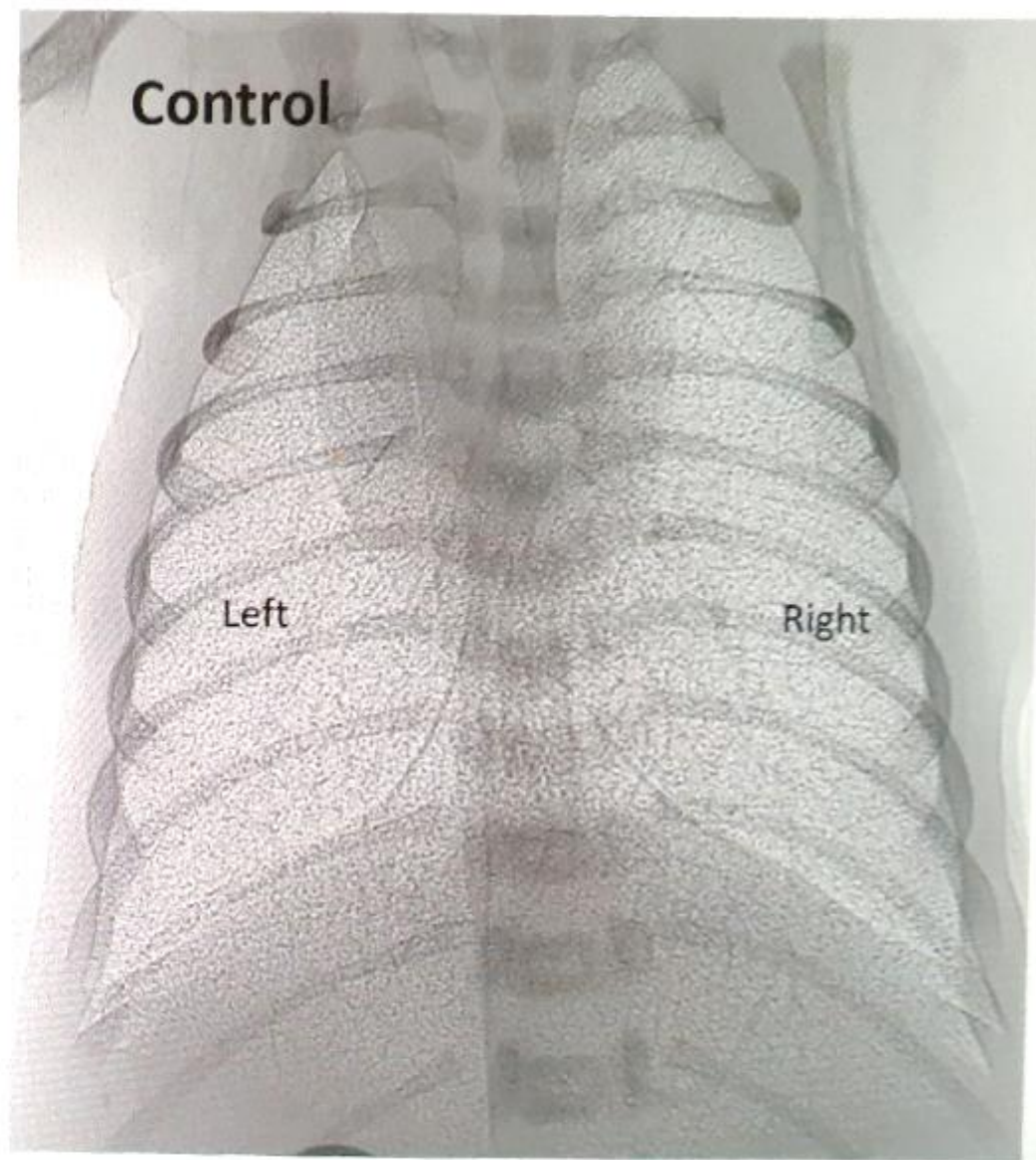
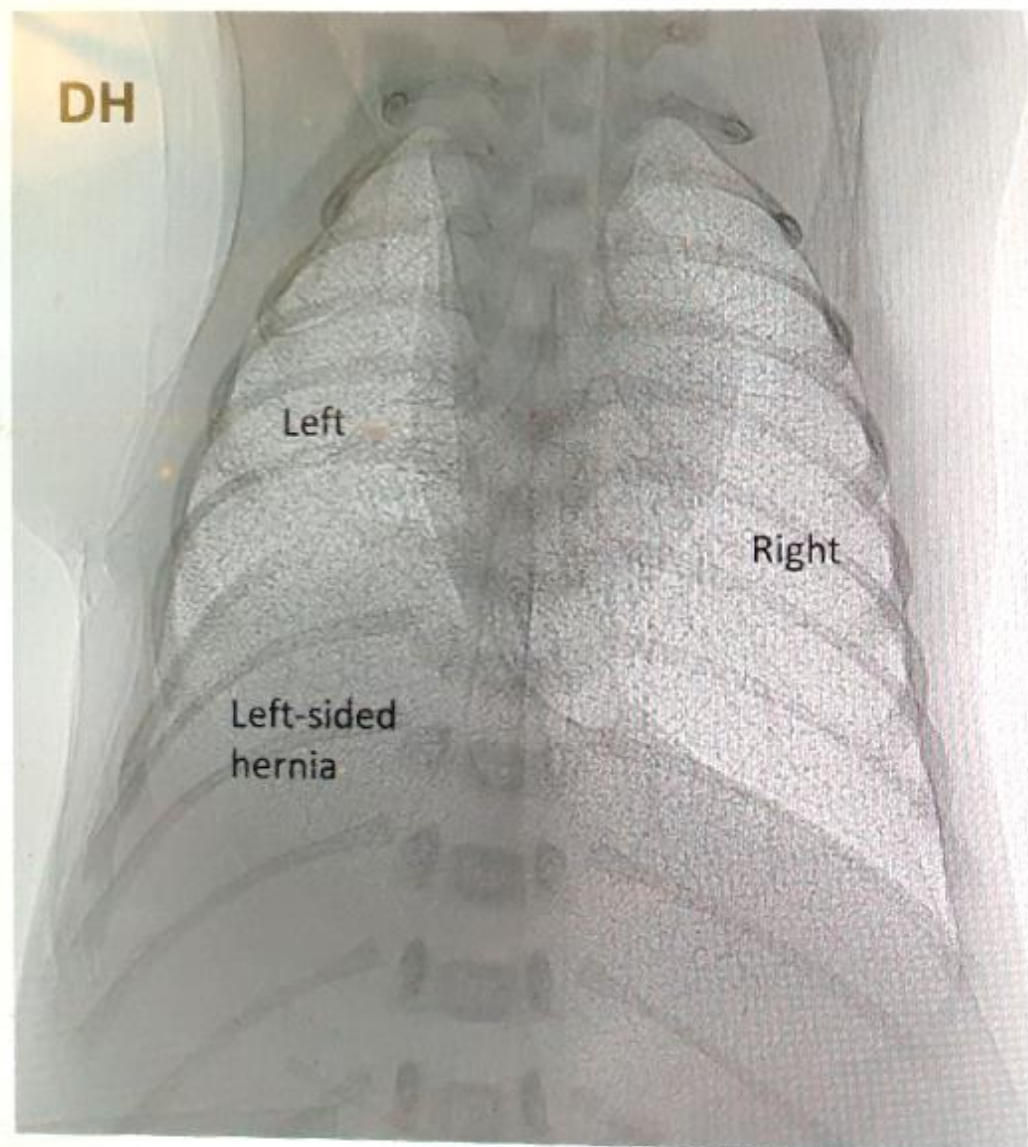
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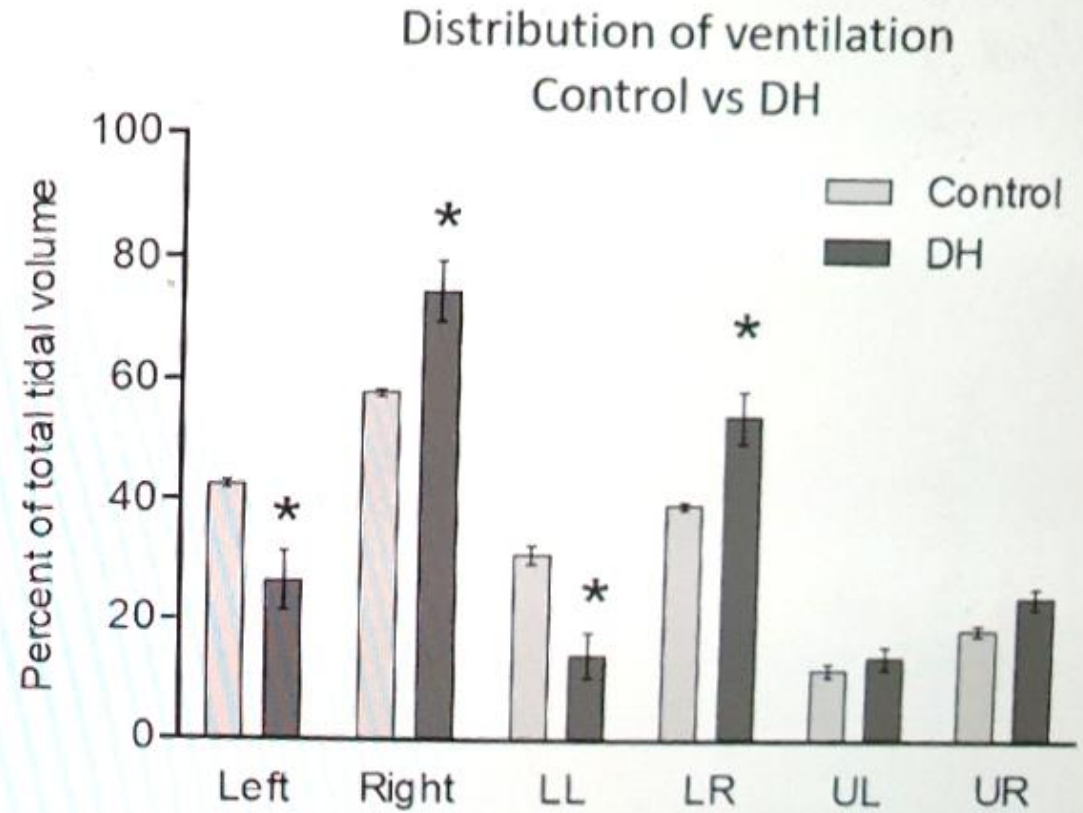
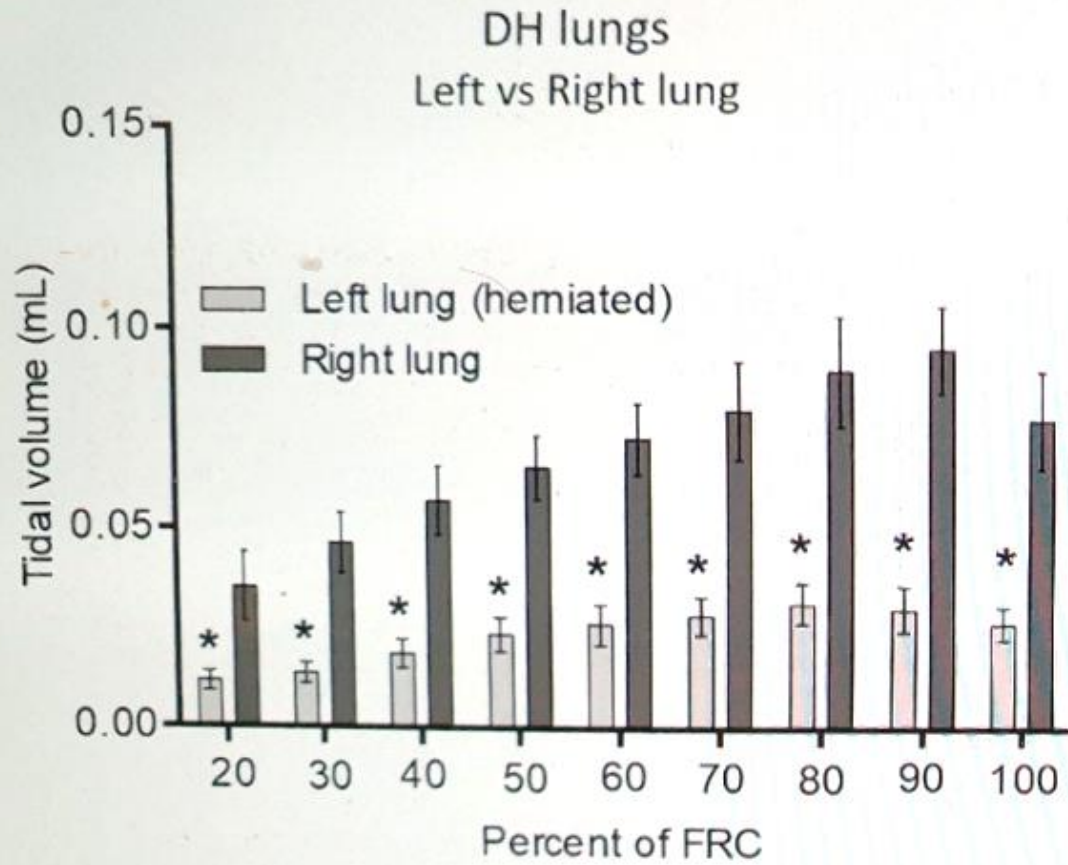
Fetal to Neonatal transition



Phase contrast X-ray imaging



Distribution of ventilation



Fetal to Neonatal transition

Respiratory transition

Lungs are slow to aerate

Aeration is non-uniform

Distribution of ventilation is abnormal –
risk of injury in normally grown regions

Respiratory transition

Airway liquid clearance
Lung aeration
Onset of continuous breathing

Increase in pulmonary blood flow

Lung aeration
Increase in Oxygenation

Cardiovascular transition

Closure of vascular shunts
Changes in and coordination of
ventricular output

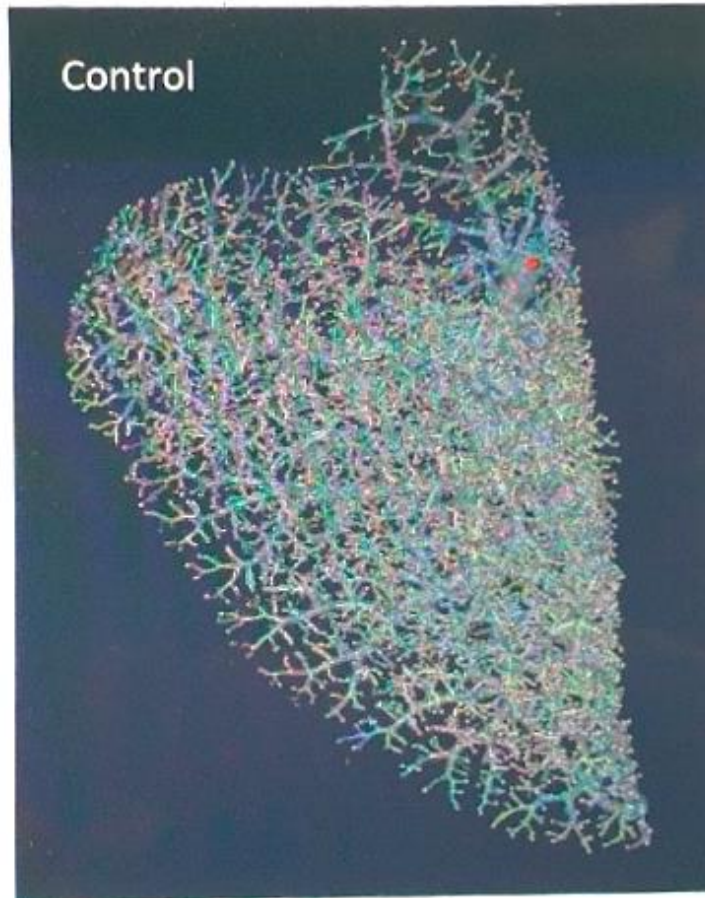
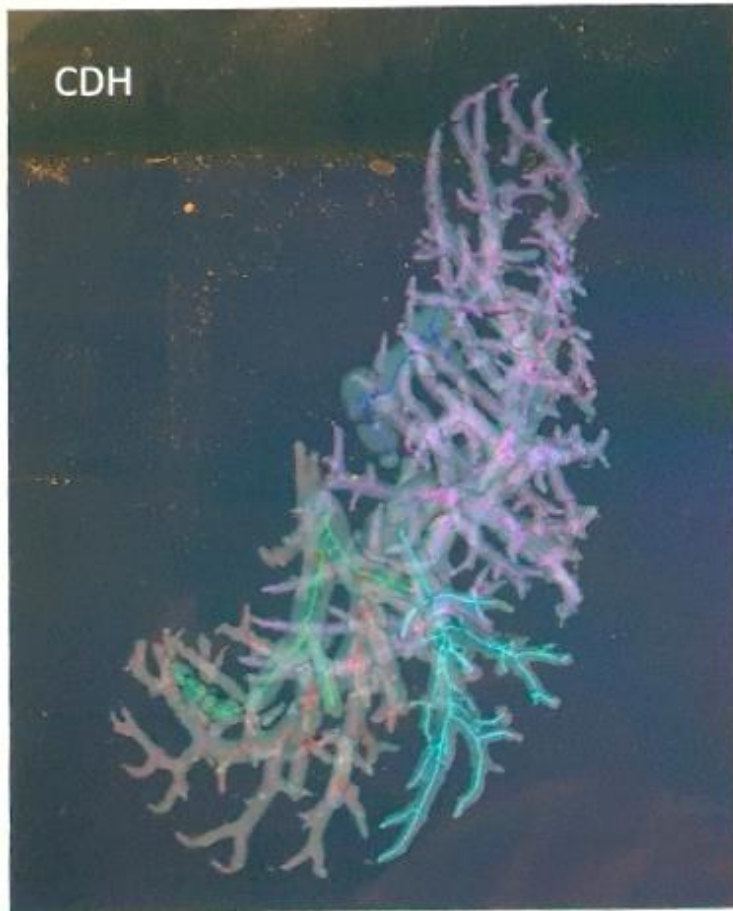
PPHN in CDH

High Resistance is due to:

- ✓ 1. Small lungs = reduced total cross-sectional area of arterial tree
- ? 2. Increased muscularization of small arteries
- ? 3. Abnormal myogenic responses in vascular smooth muscle

3D CT Scans of Pulmonary Vasculature

Skeletonized 3D Scans of the pulmonary vasculature



Contrast agent – Microfil

3D CT Scan Voxel res $16\mu\text{m}^3$

Morphometric analysis using Aviso
segmentation & skeletonization
of vascular network

Analysis by arterial hierarchy

Artery number

Radius

Length

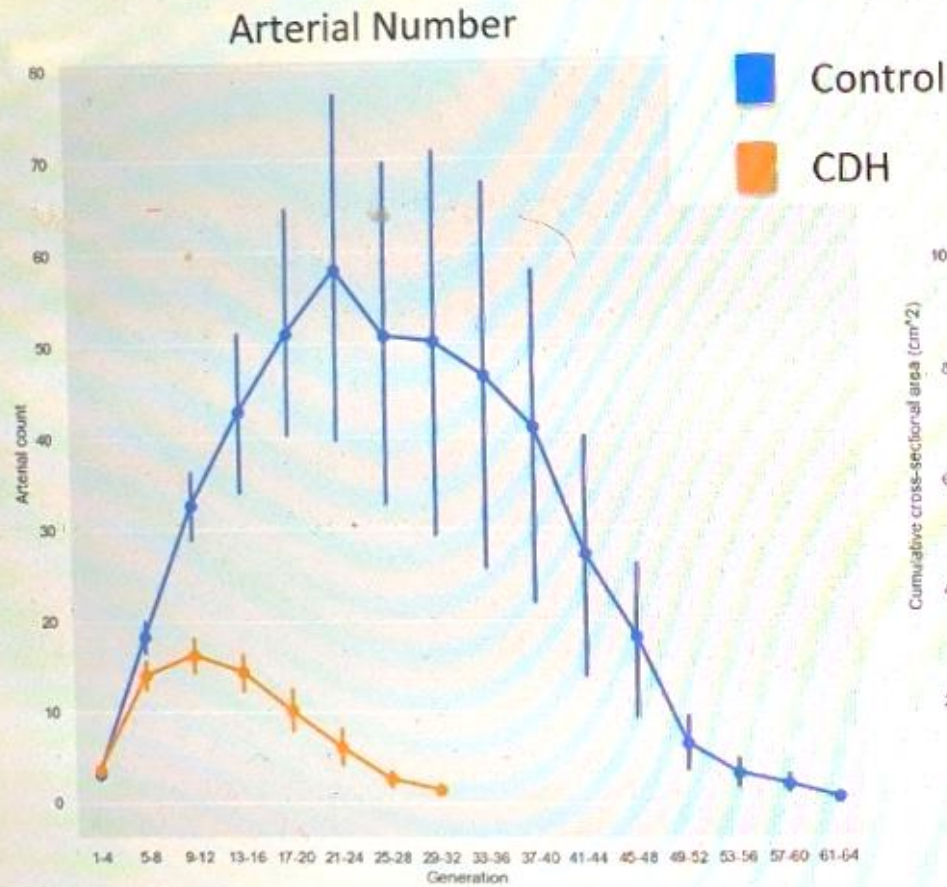
Branching angle

Tortuosity

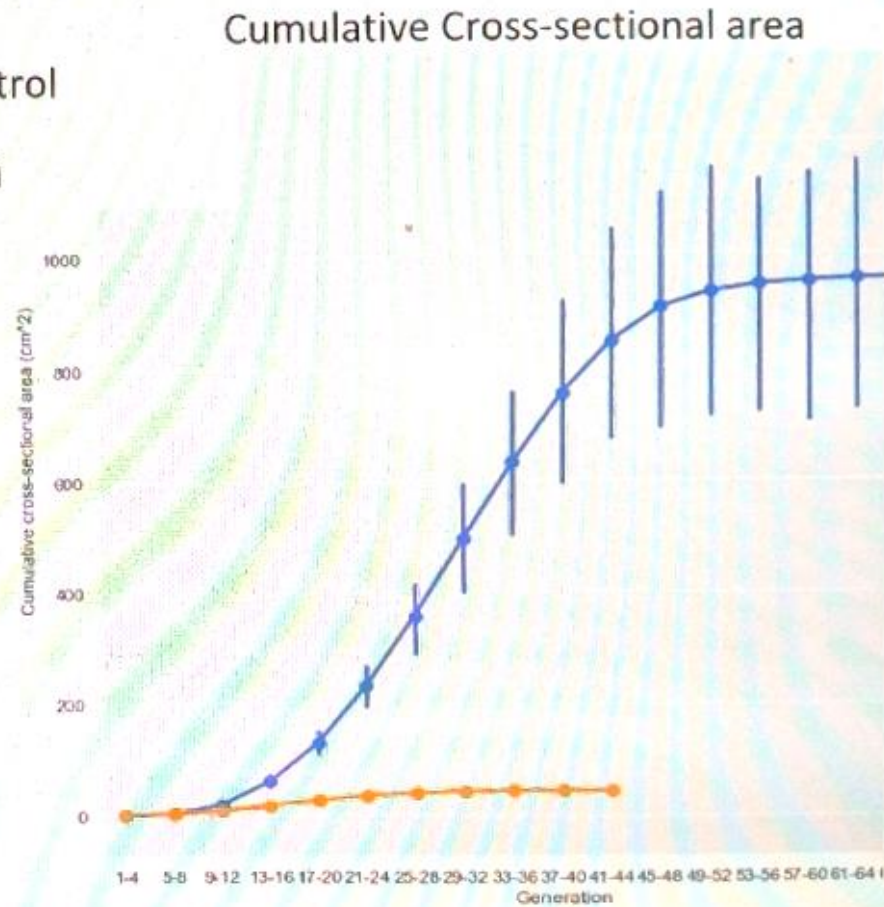
Cumulative volume

Cumulative surface area

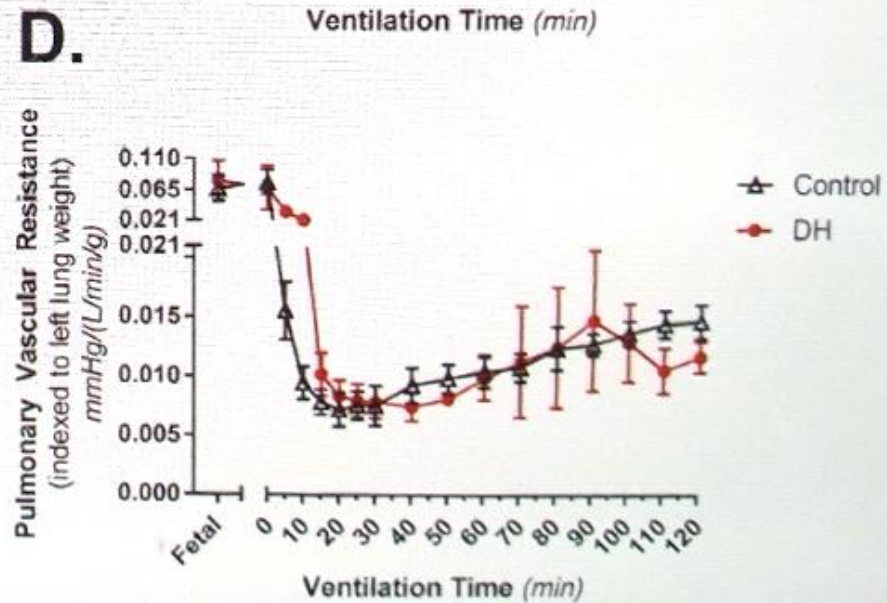
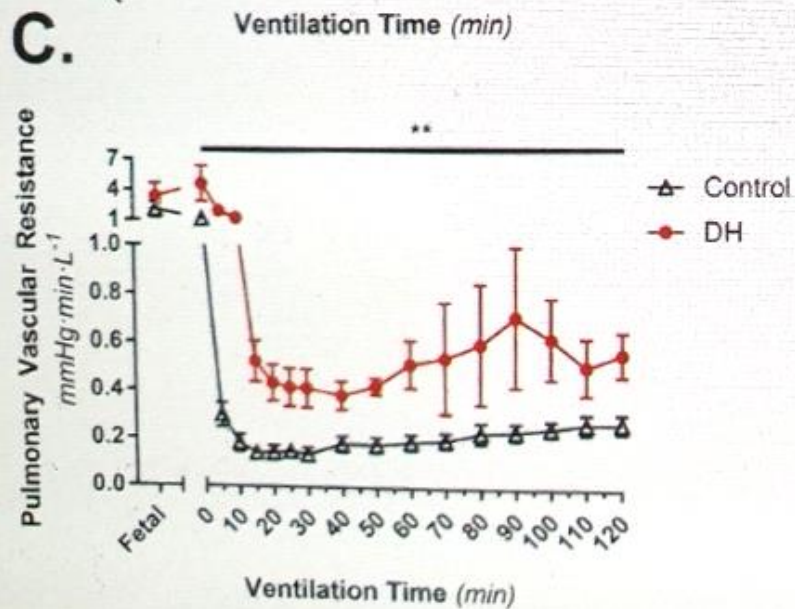
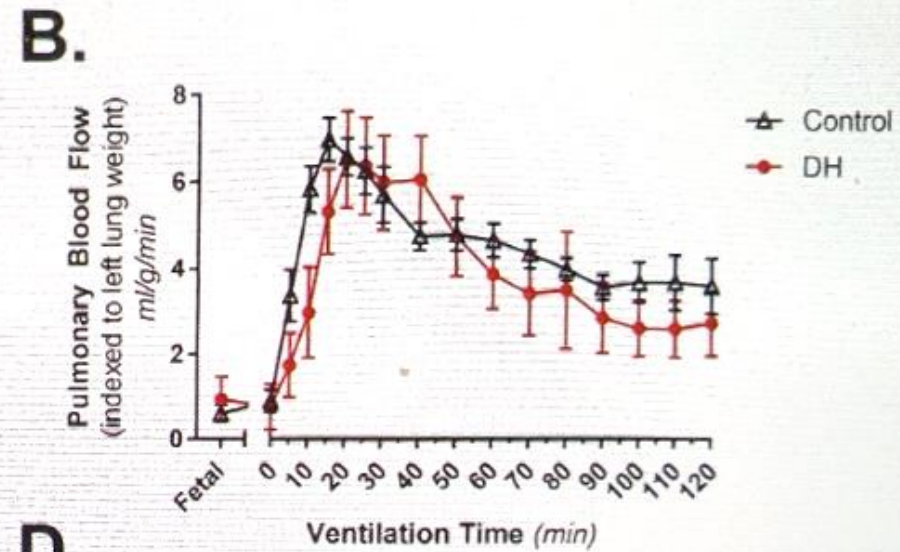
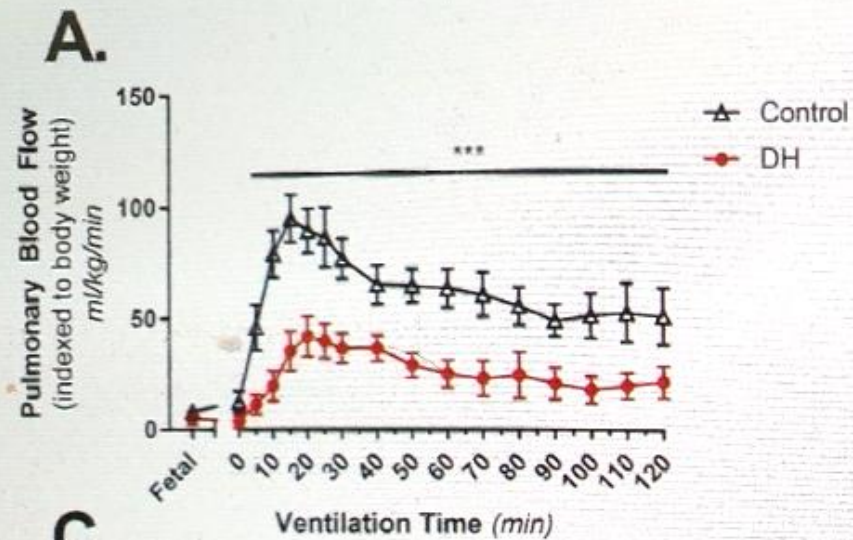
Arterial morphology



Loss of supernumerary arteries

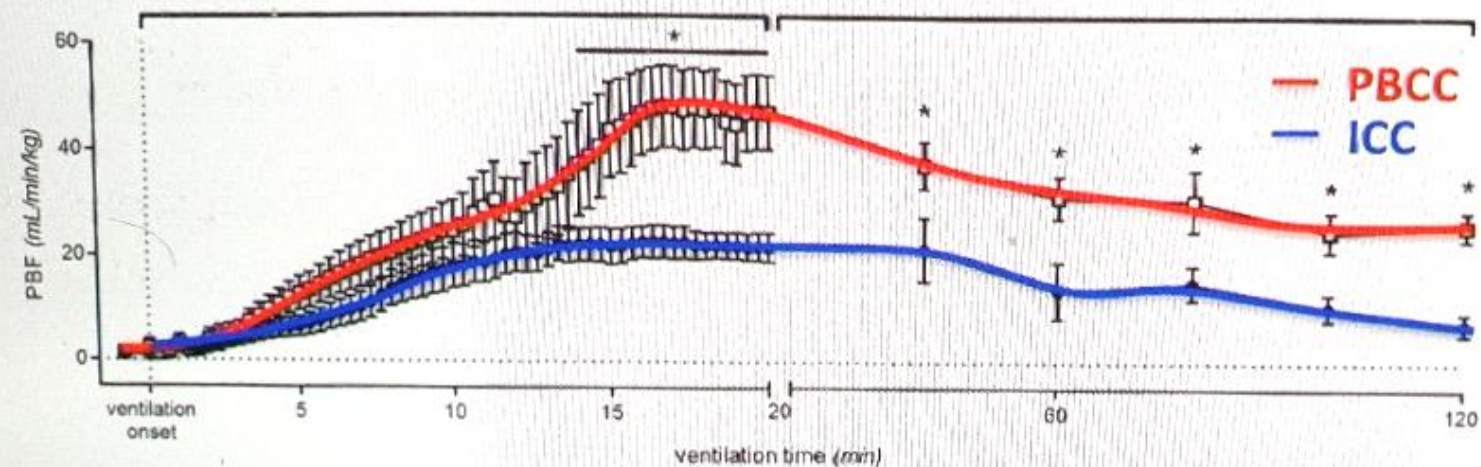


PBF increase at birth in DH Lambs

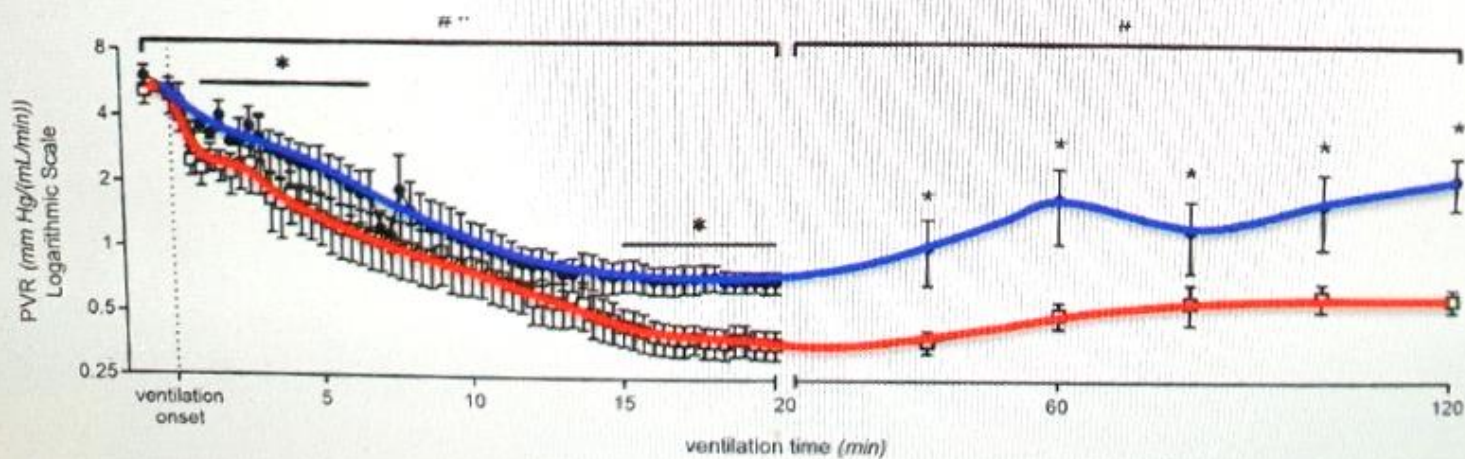


CDH Lambs

Effect of Physiological based cord clamping



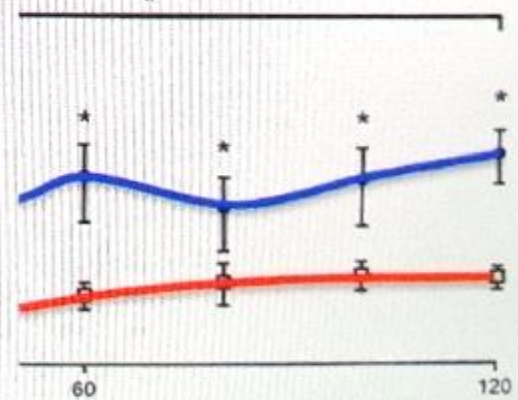
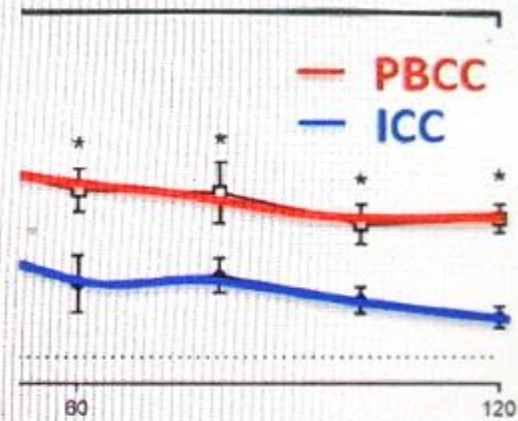
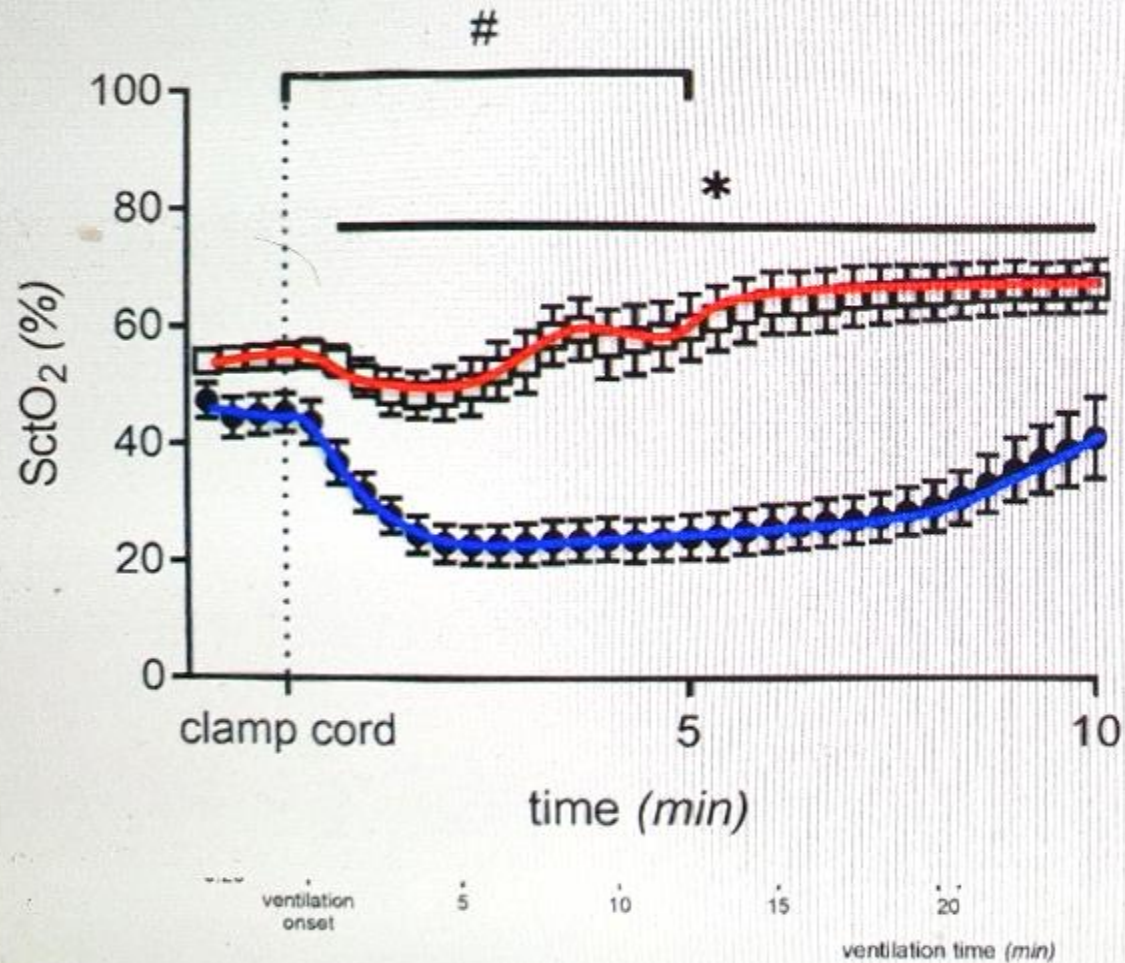
PBF



PVR

CDH Lambs

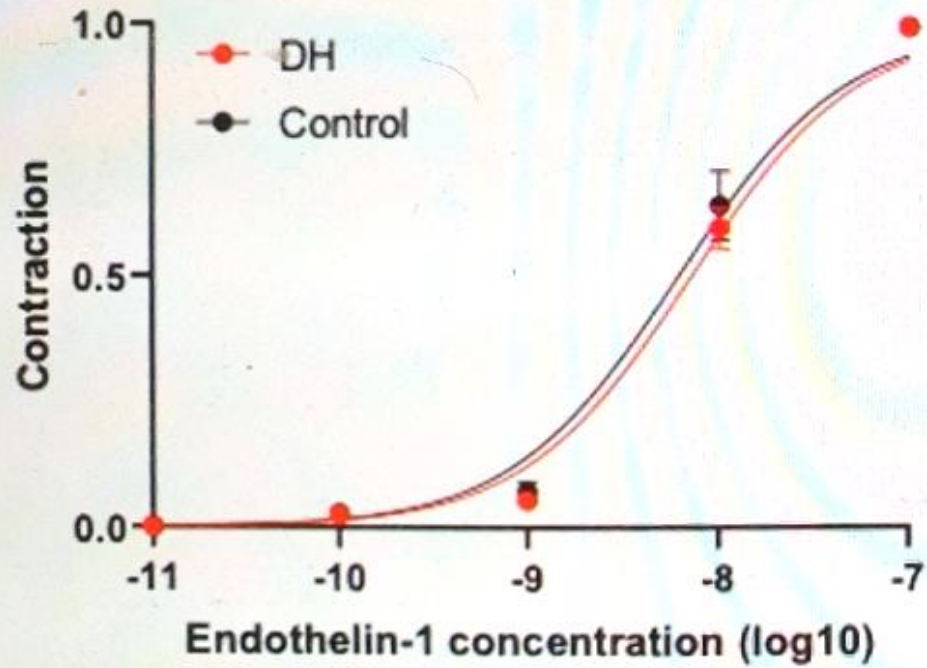
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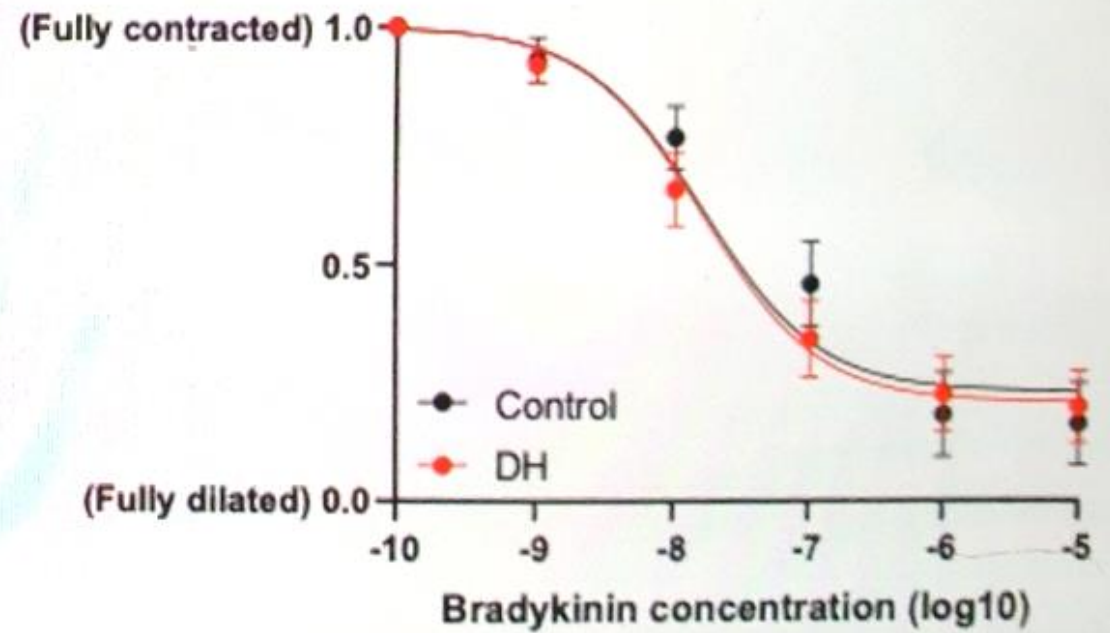
Myography in Unventilated lambs

Control Vs DH lambs

Ability to Contract



Ability to Relax

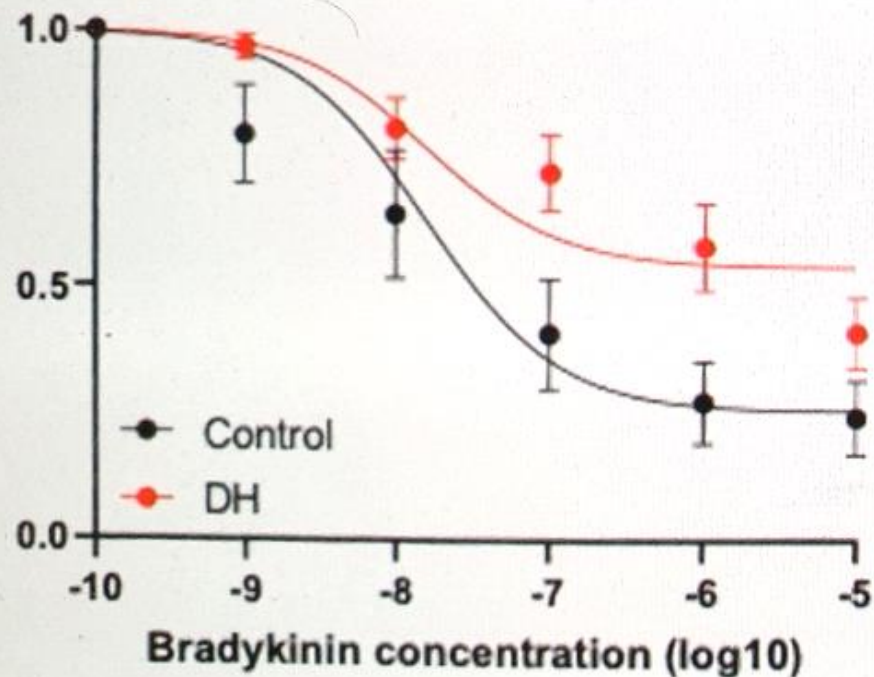


ICC reduces ability to relax

****Following ventilation onset****

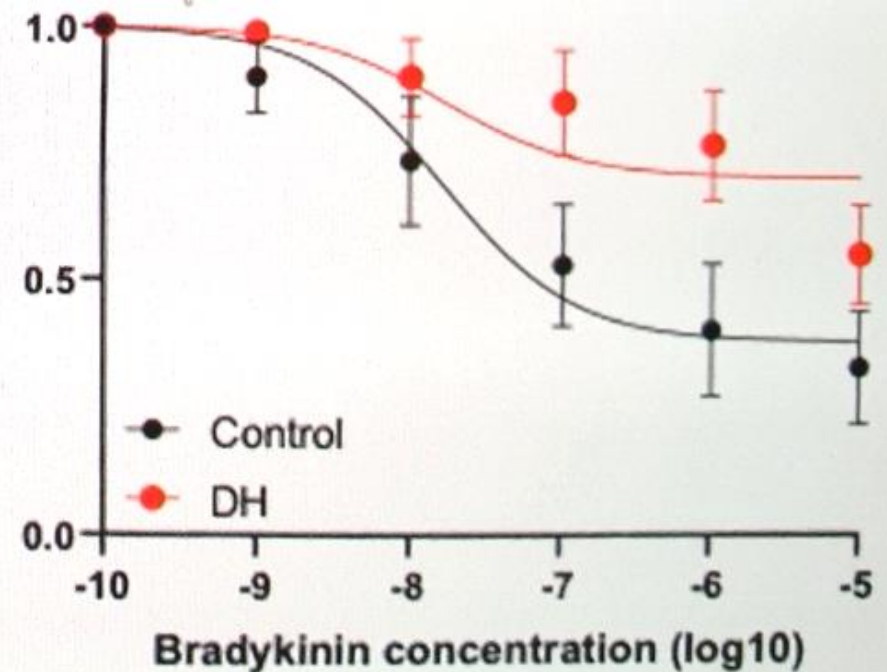
PBCC = Physiological based cord clamping

PBCC lambs



ICC = Immediate cord clamping

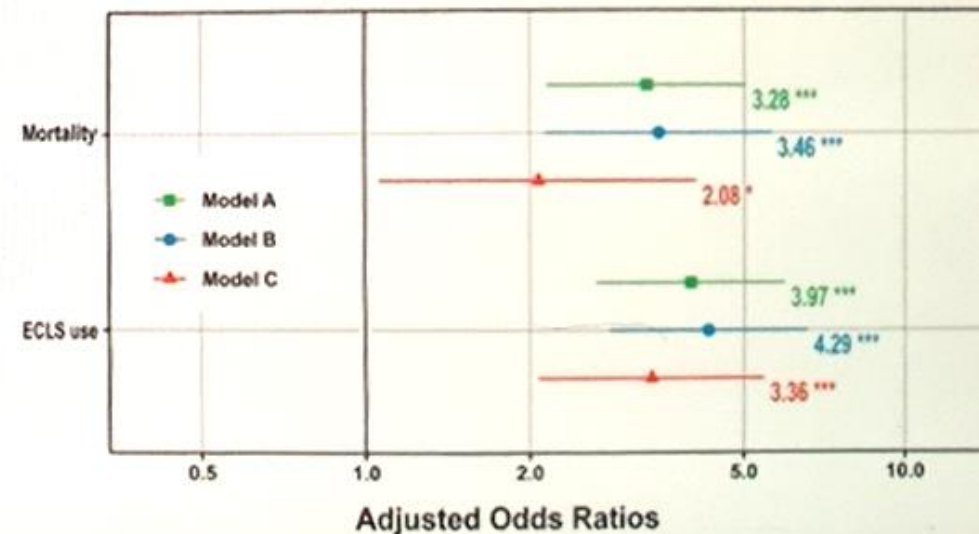
ICC lambs



iNO in CDH – the controversy continues



- iNO has not been associated with improved outcomes in RCT including CDH newborns.
- Poster at PAS 2022 by Stanford group using the CDH registry
 - 1777 patients in CDH study group with echo in first 2 days of life
 - No improvement even in isolated RV dysfunction
 - Early iNO use associated with increased mortality and ECLS use even when adjusting:
 - A) echo characteristics (PH, function, shunt pattern), B) neonatal characteristics and defect side C) + size and repair

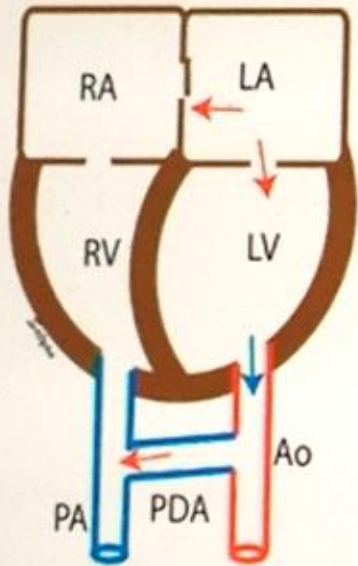


CDH Pathophysiology Review

by Dr Shazia Bhombal (Stanford University), drawings by Dr Satyan Lakshminrusimha (UC Davis)

No/mild PH
No cardiac dysfunction

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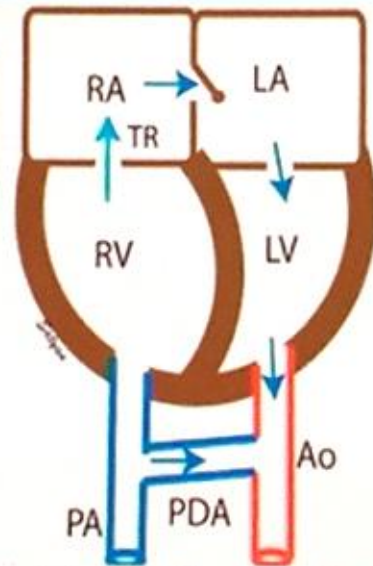


Left to Right atrial shunt
Left to Right PDA

PH
No cardiac dysfunction/RV
dysfunction

Pulmonary arterial Phenotype

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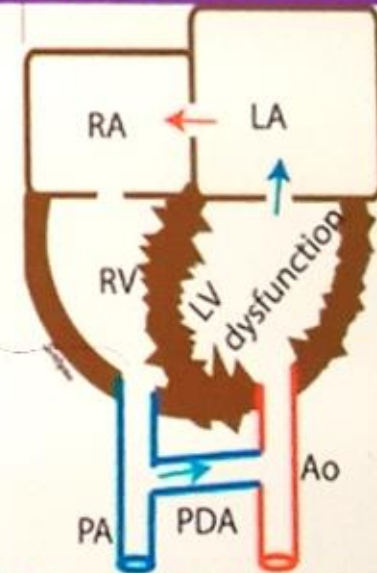


Right to left atrial shunt
Right to left PDA

PH
LV dysfunction/BiV
dysfunction

Pulmonary venous Phenotype

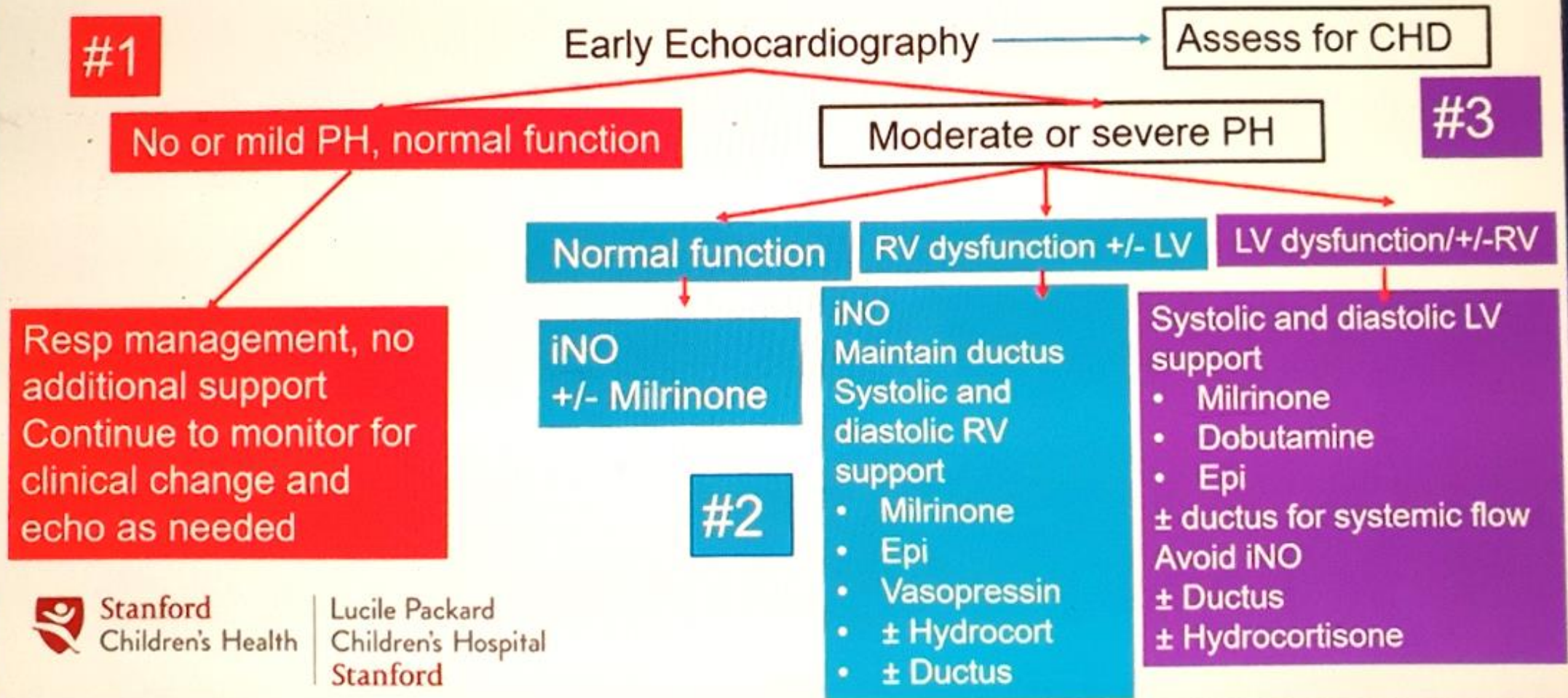
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Left to right atrial shunt
Right to left PDA

CDH Management – Precision Medicine

Adapted from slide provided by Dr Shazia Bhombal (Stanford)



Clinical Studies

- Single-center retrospective study
- 392 CDH patients
- 2008-2020
- Standardized protocols

CDH Outcomes – Female vs. Male		
Outcome	Exposure = Female	
	Adjusted Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P value
ECMO Use	0.41 (0.18-0.92)	0.03

Resolution of Pulmonary Hypertension on Echocardiogram at 1 year			
Outcome	Male	Female	P value
Pulmonary Hypertension Resolution at 1 Year	25%	49%	0.03

	Male	Female	P value
o/e TFLV median, (IQR)	0.29 (0.23-0.39)	0.31 (0.23-0.41)	0.63

PEDIATRIC PULMONOLOGY

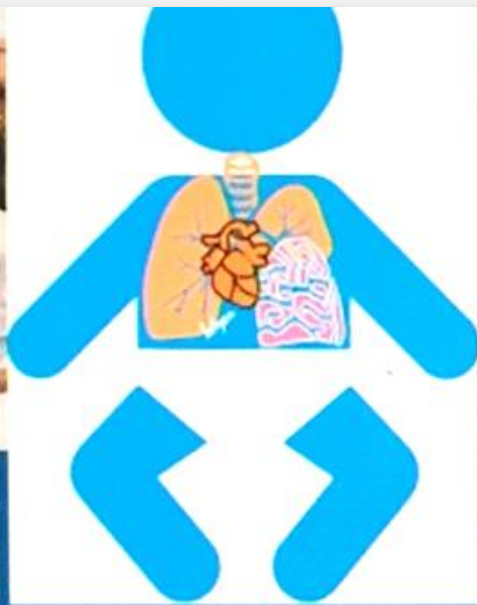
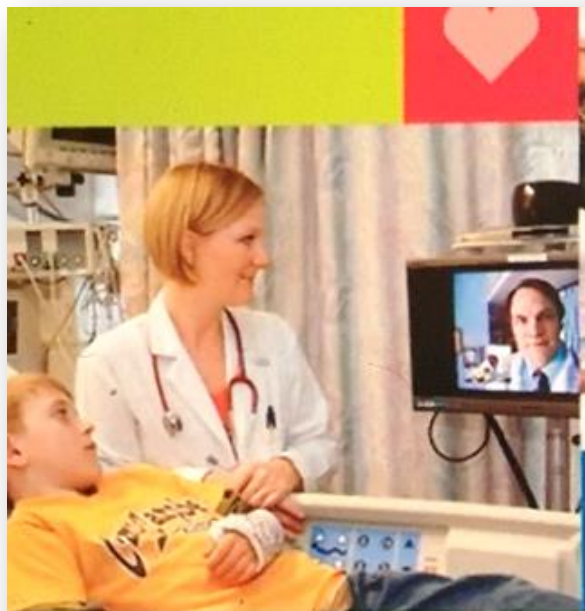
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Clinical features and outcomes associated with tracheostomy in congenital diaphragmatic hernia

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Summary

- Clinical data suggests that there are sex-based difference in PH outcomes of neonates born with CDH
- There are sex-based differences in transcriptome and functional differences in proliferation, migration, and tube formation in HUVECs of CDH patients

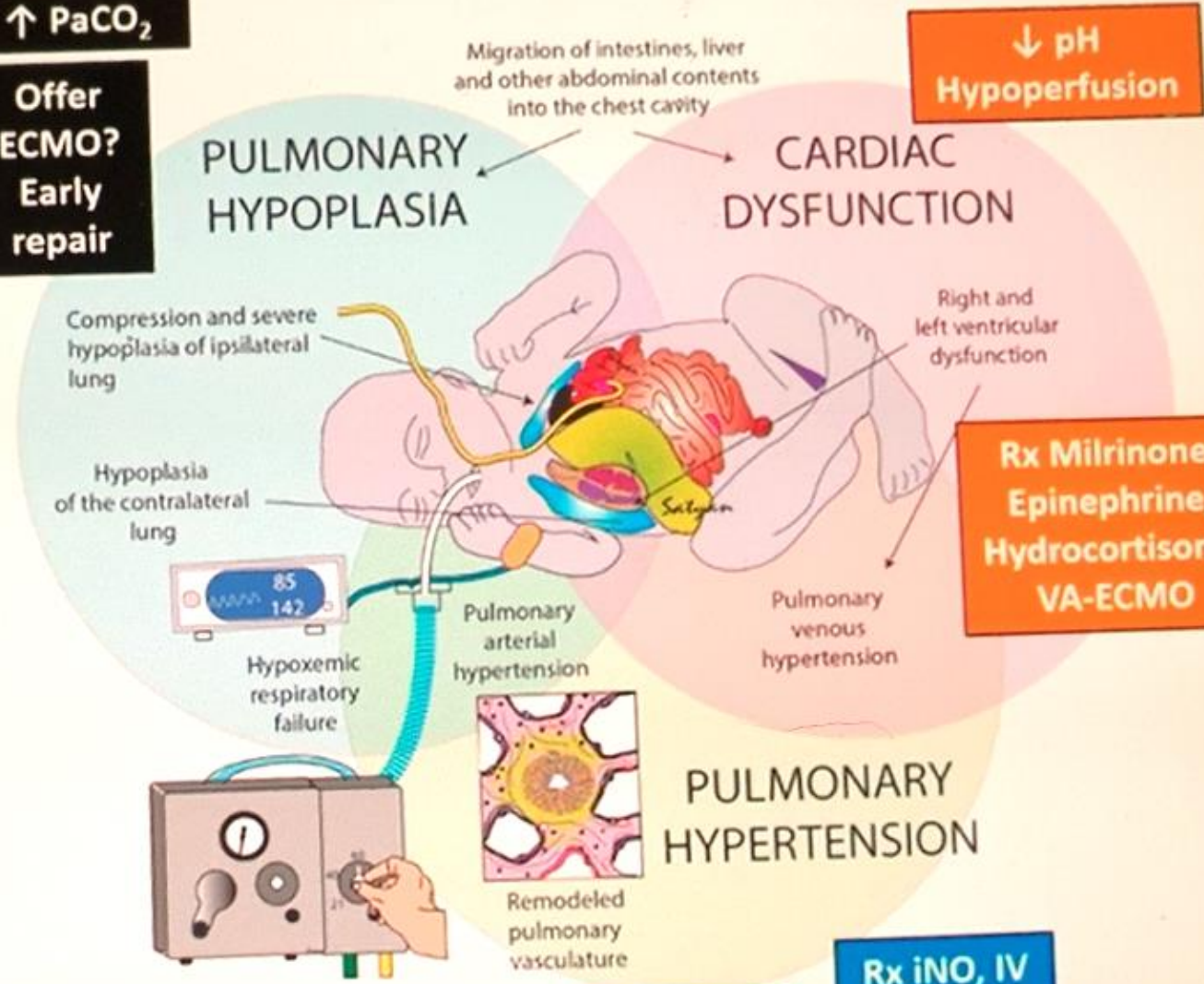


Pulmonary Hypertension in CDH

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Congenital Diaphragmatic Hernia: Three Pathologies

↑ PaCO₂
Offer ECMO? Early repair

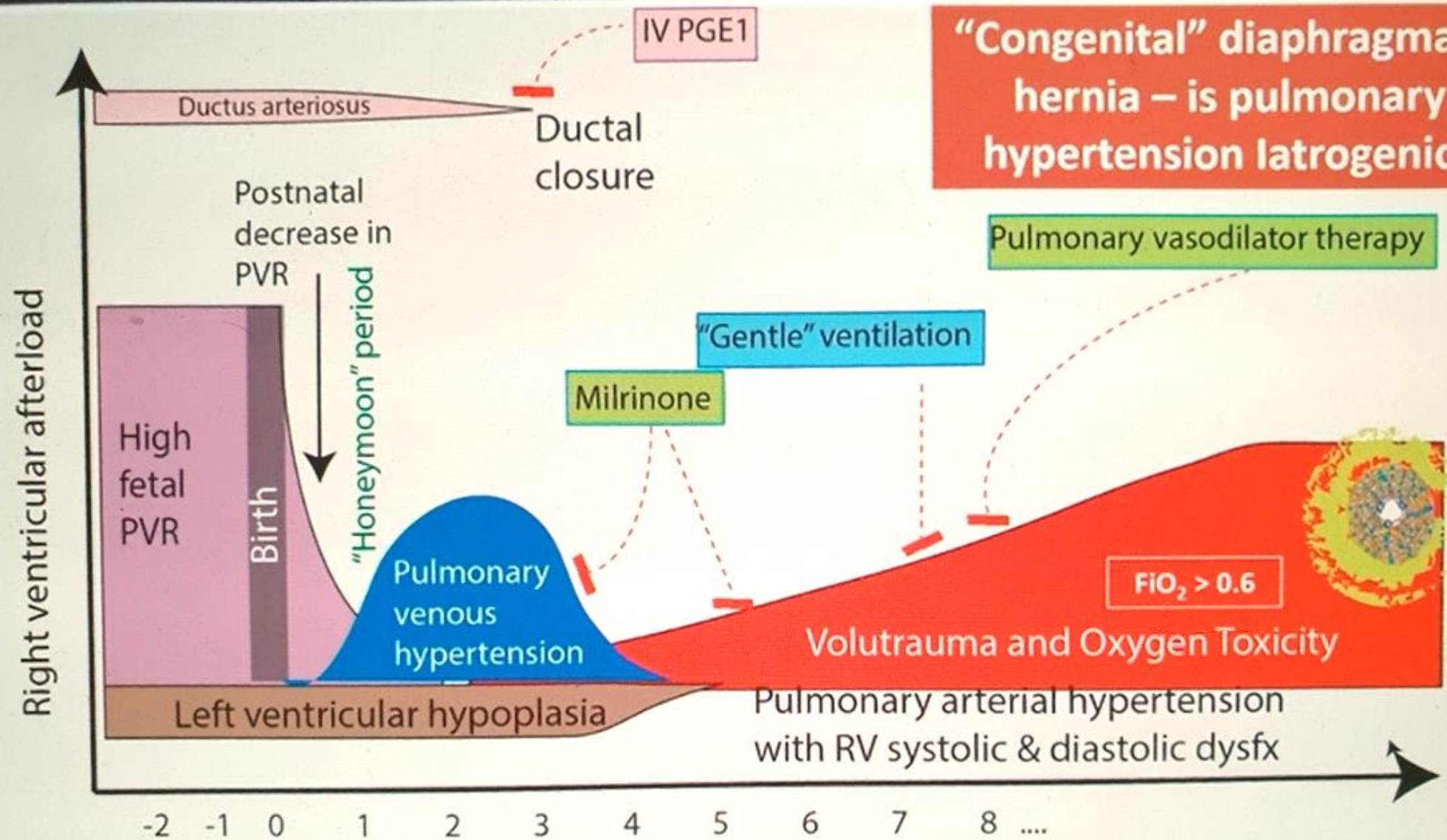


↓ pH
Hypoperfusion

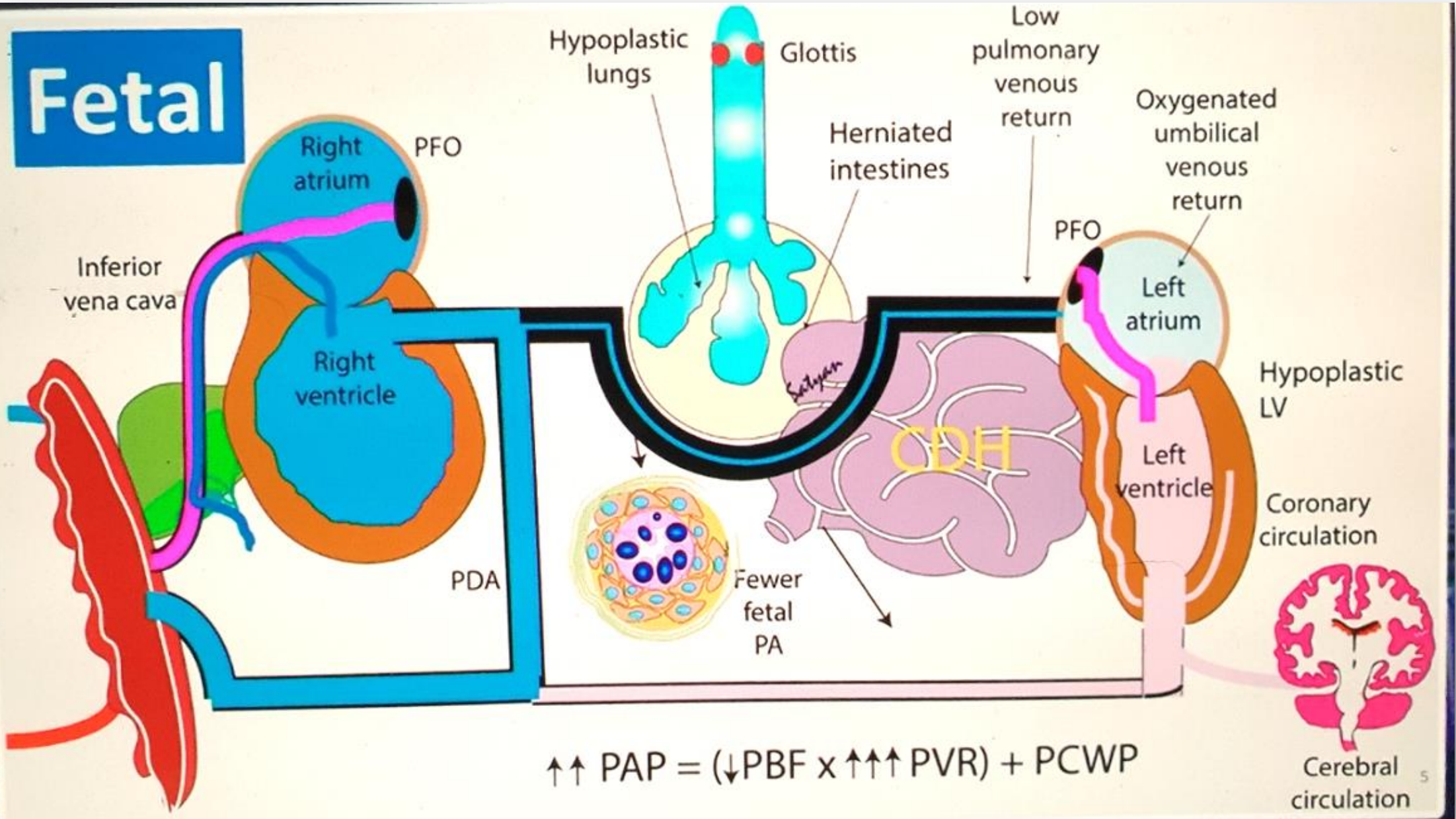
Rx Milrinone, Epinephrine, Hydrocortisone, VA-ECMO

↓ PaO₂

Rx iNO, IV sildenafil, VV-ECMO



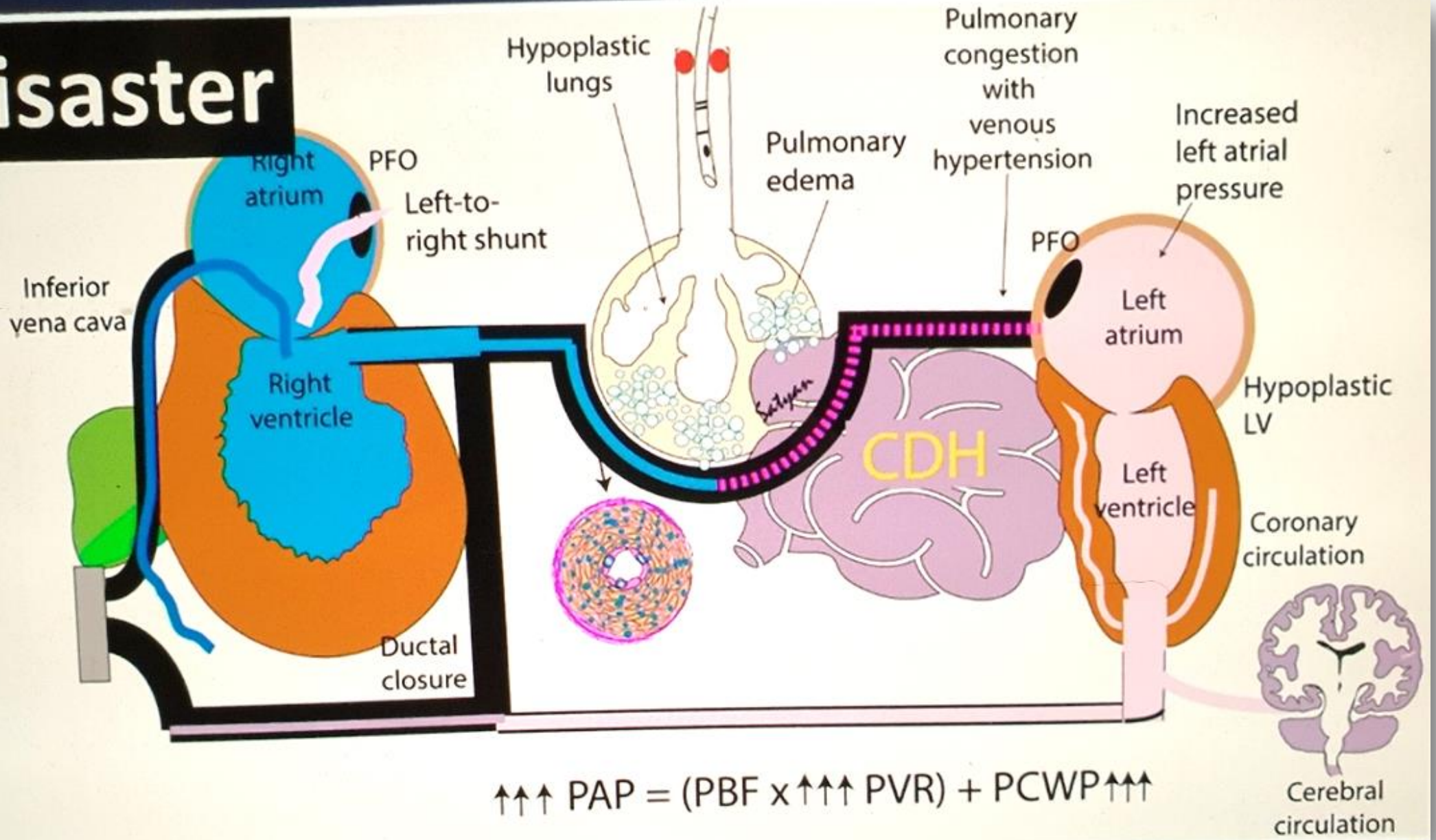
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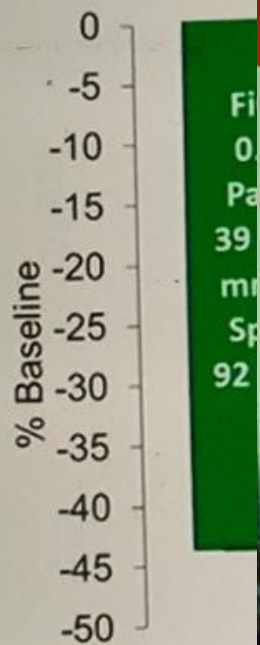
$$\uparrow\uparrow \text{PAP} = (\downarrow \text{PBF} \times \uparrow\uparrow\uparrow \text{PVR}) + \text{PCWP}$$

Cerebral circulation 5

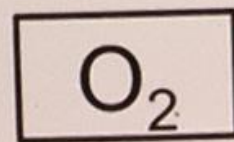
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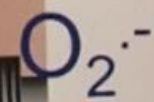
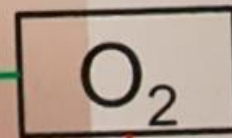
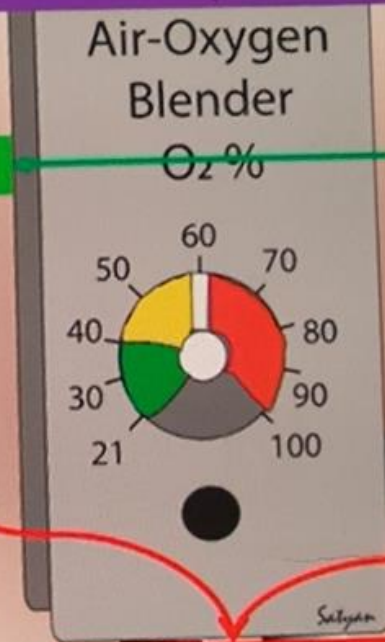
Exposure to High FiO_2 can Impair Response to iNO



Sexagintiphobia (fear of 60)

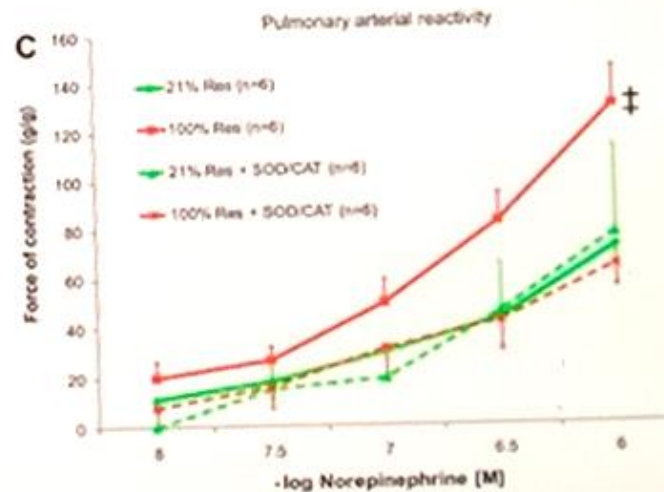
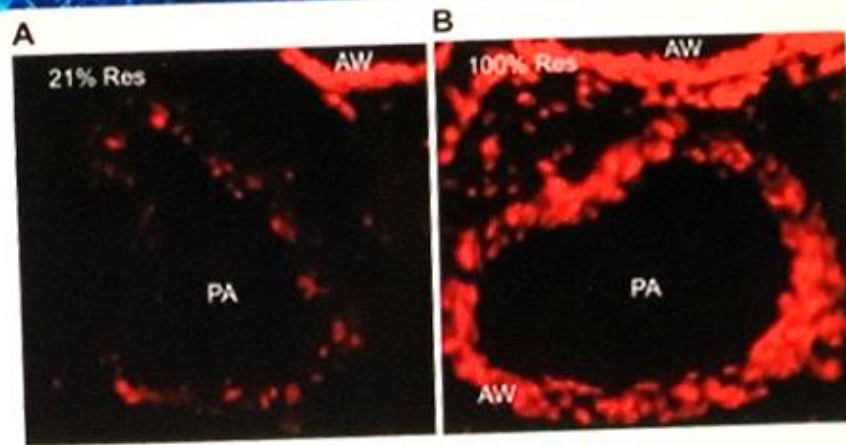
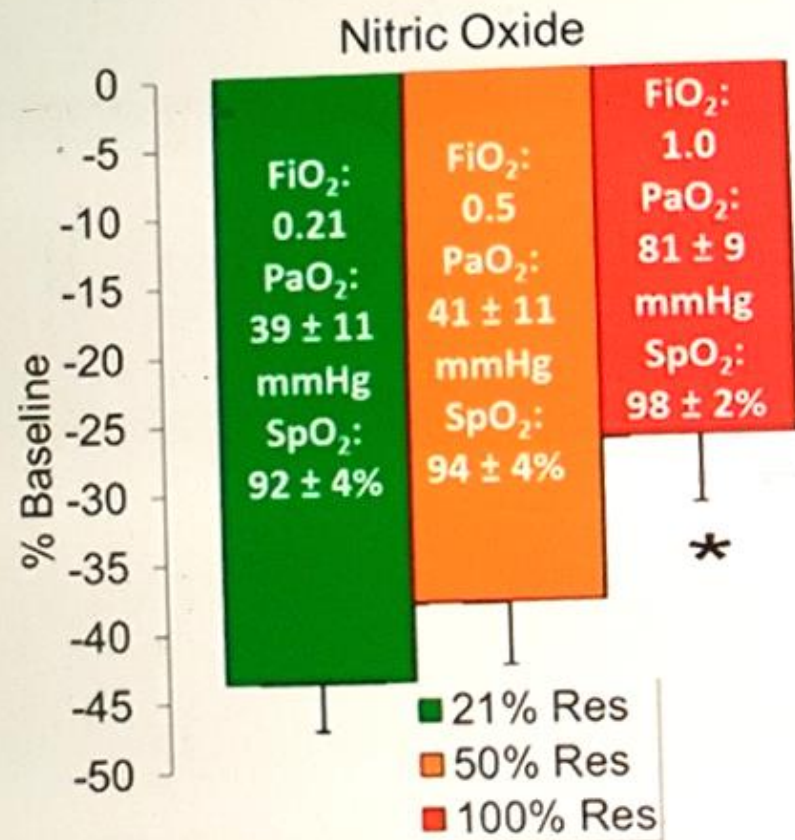


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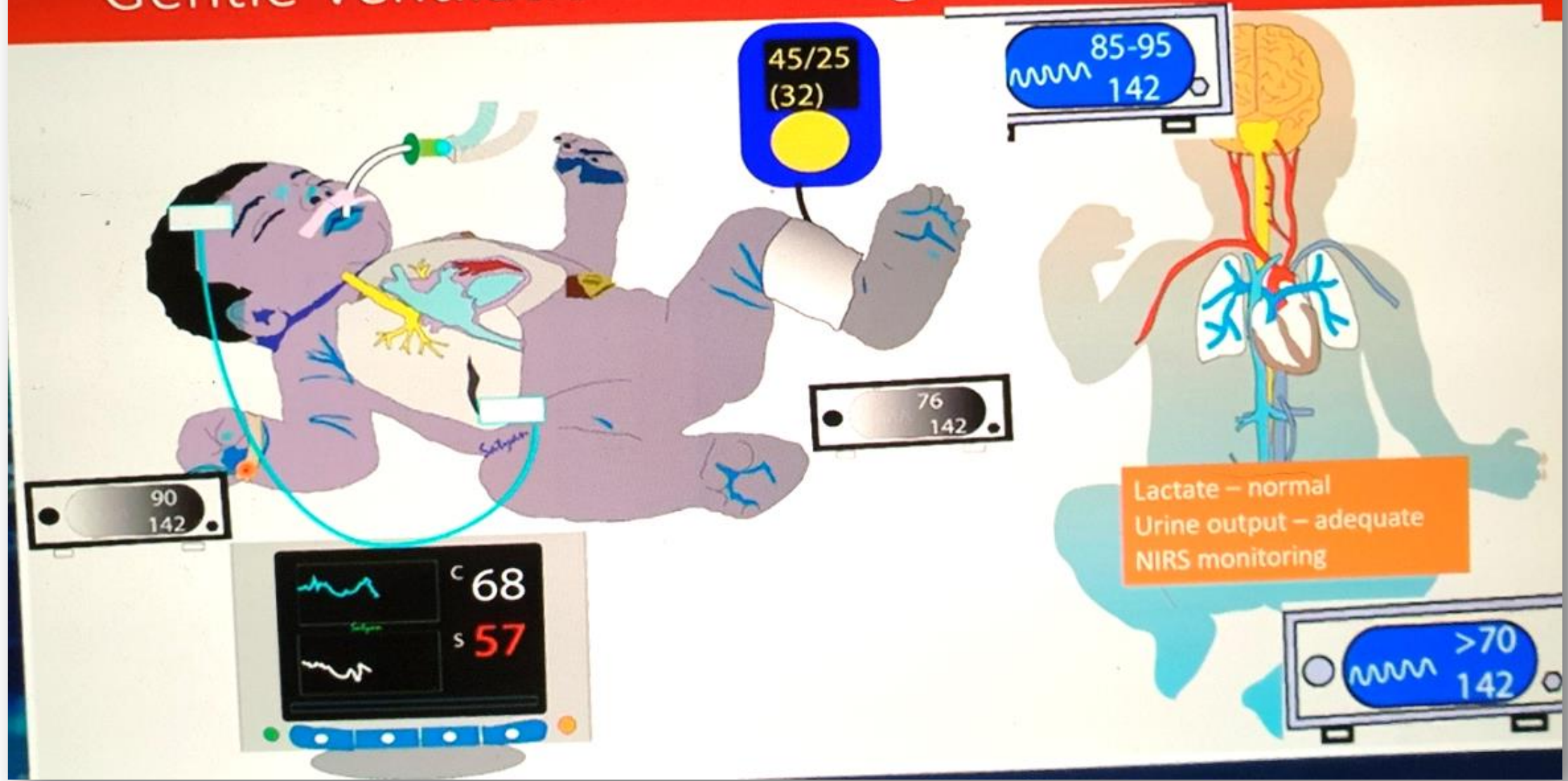
vasoconstriction

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Lakshminrusimha, et al.
 "Pulmonary hemodynamics in neonatal lambs resuscitated with 21%, 50%, and 100% oxygen." *Pediatric research* 62.3 (2007): 313-318.

Gentle Ventilation 101: Target Preductal Oxygen

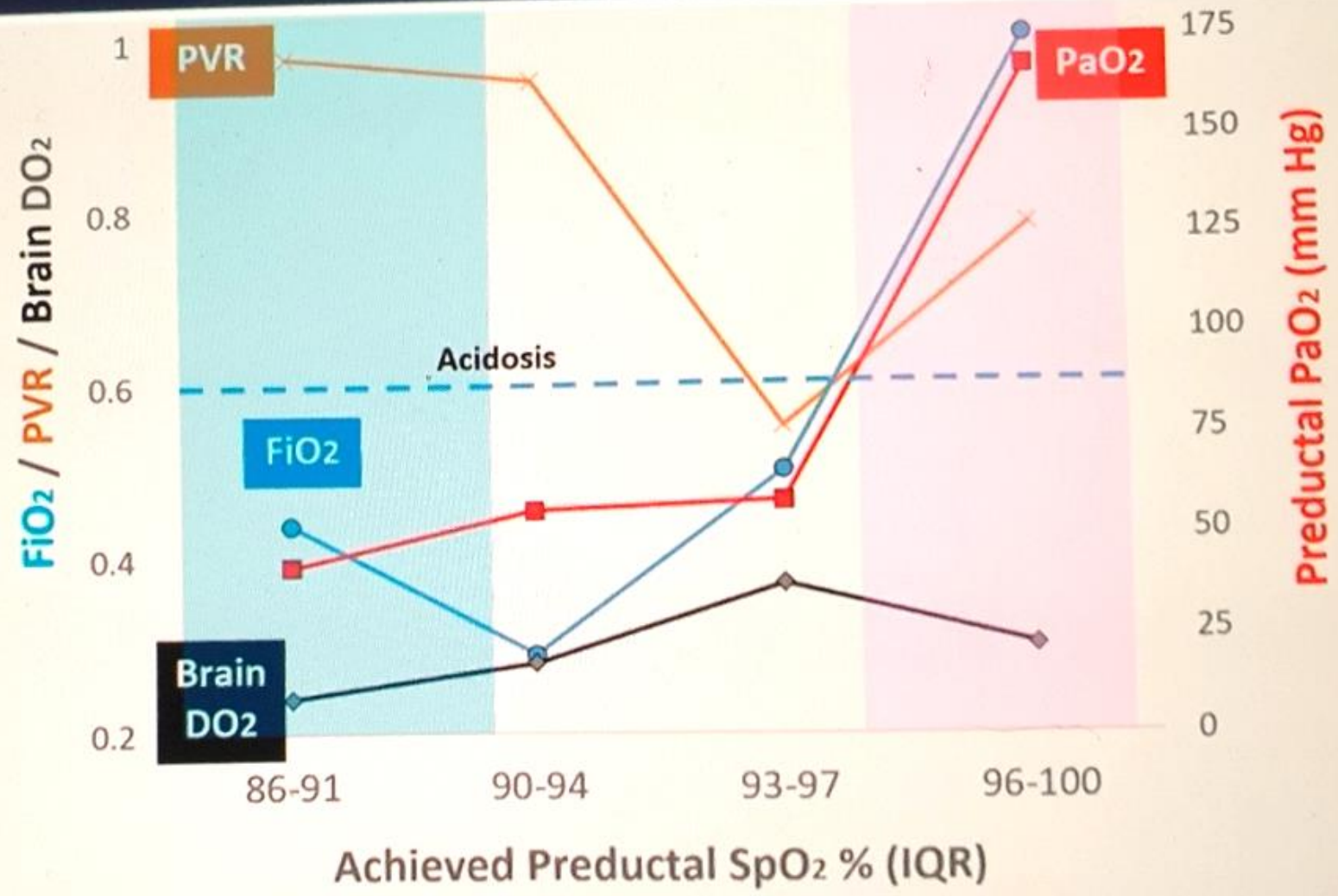
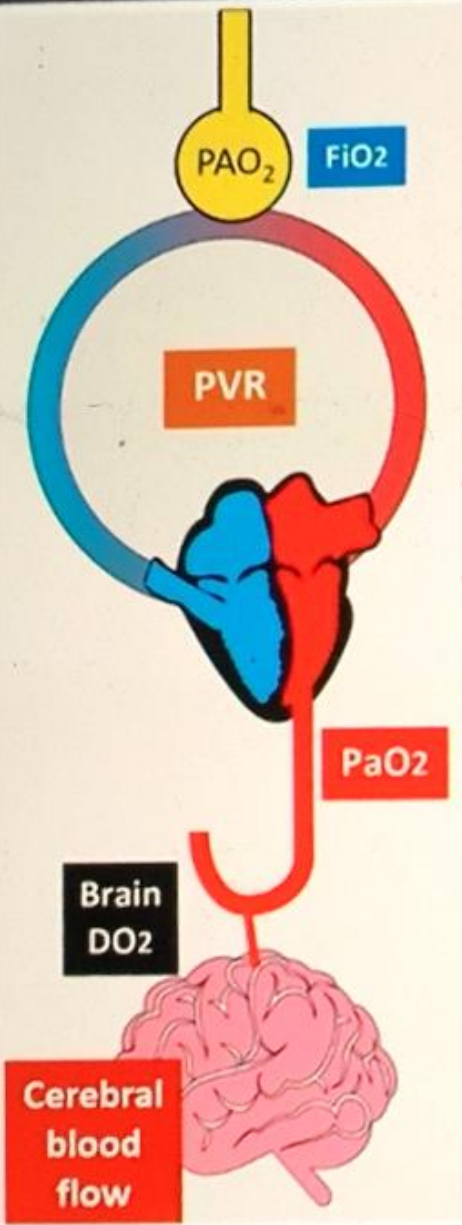


Importance of FiO_2 – Benefits and Risks Sexagintiphobia (Fear of 60 or $> 60\%$ O_2)

If FiO_2 is < 0.6 ,
Try to maintain
preductal SpO_2 in
the low-to-mid
90s
Benefit of
pulmonary
vasodilation $>$
oxygen toxicity



If FiO_2 is > 0.6 ,
Try to tolerate
preductal SpO_2 in the
85-95% range and
watch NIRS, lactate &
urine output
Oxygen toxicity $>$ risk
of hypoxic pulmonary
vasoconstriction



Rawat et al Am J Resp Mol Biol – July 2020

Optimal Initial Mode of Ventilation – VICI Trial



MAP 13 to 17 cm H₂O,
Frequency 10 Hz,
Amplitude 30 to 50
I:E 1:1

High Frequency Oscillator

OR

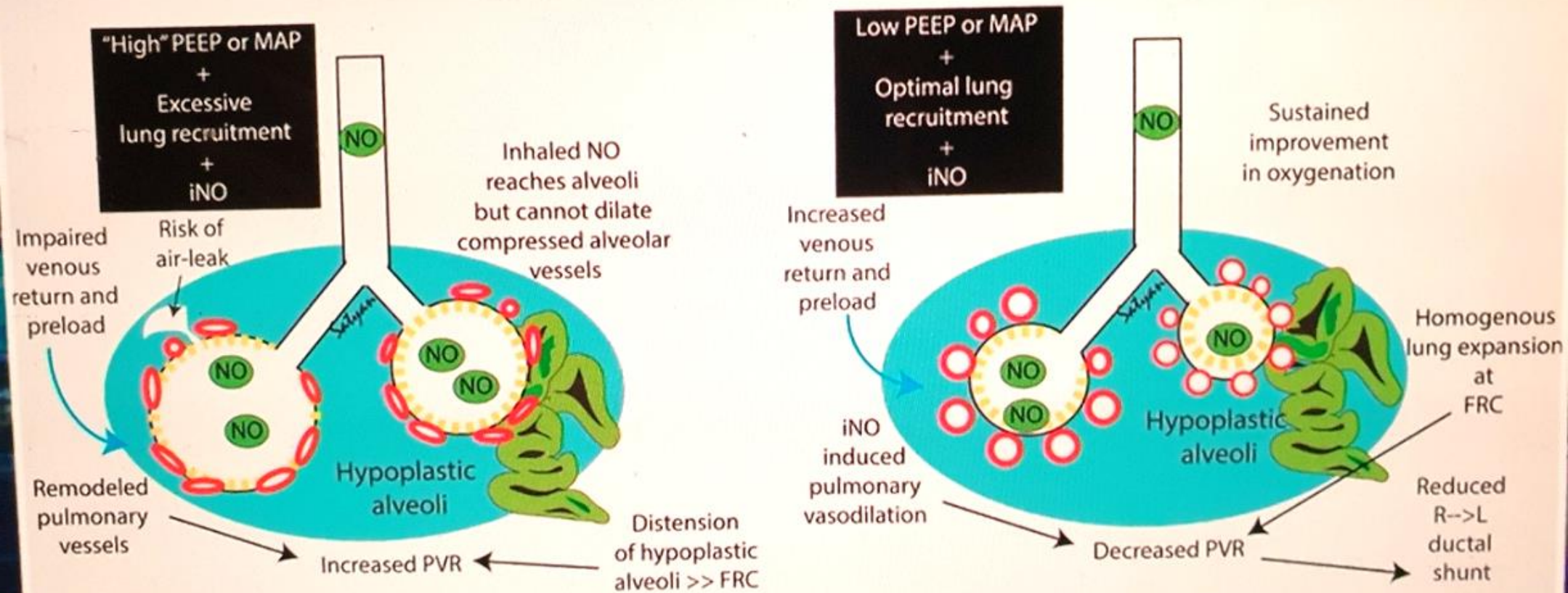
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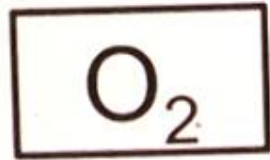
PIP 20-25 cm H₂O,
PEEP 2-5 cm H₂O
40-60 per minute

Conventional Ventilator

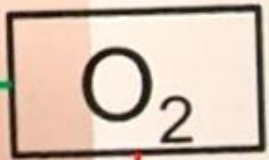
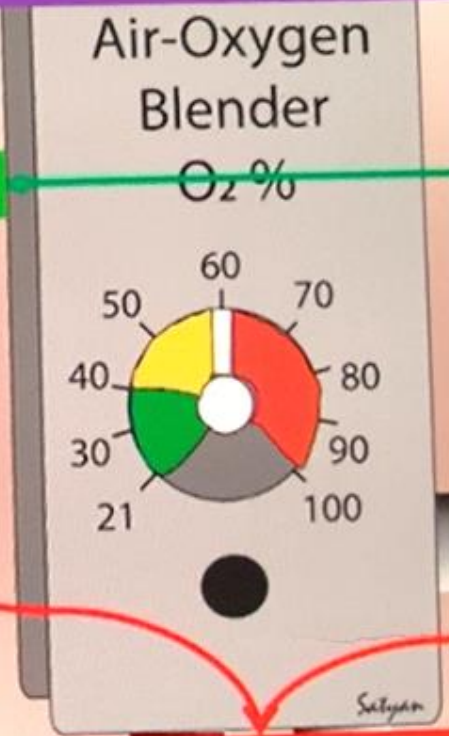
Optimal Lung Inflation in CDH



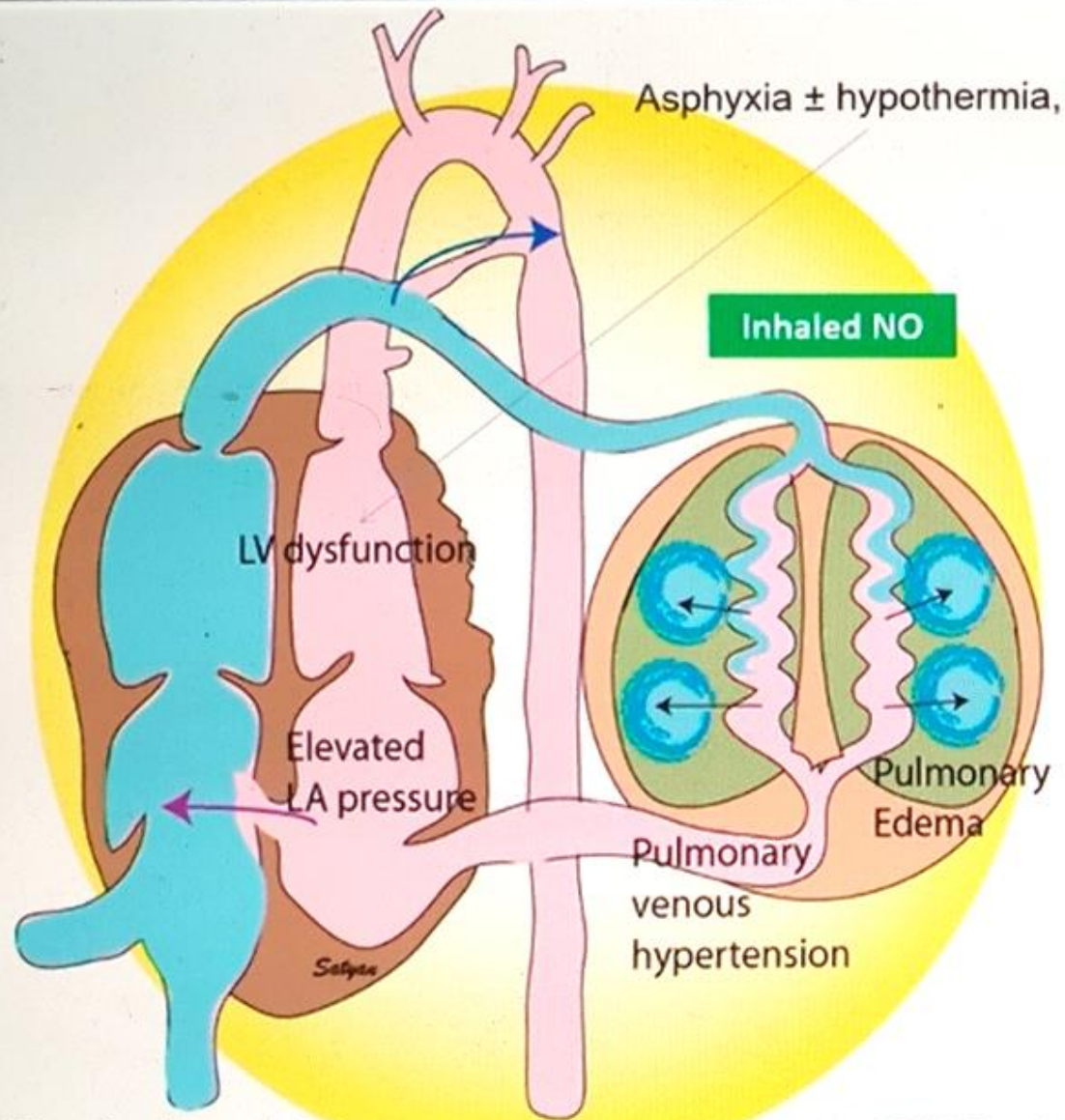
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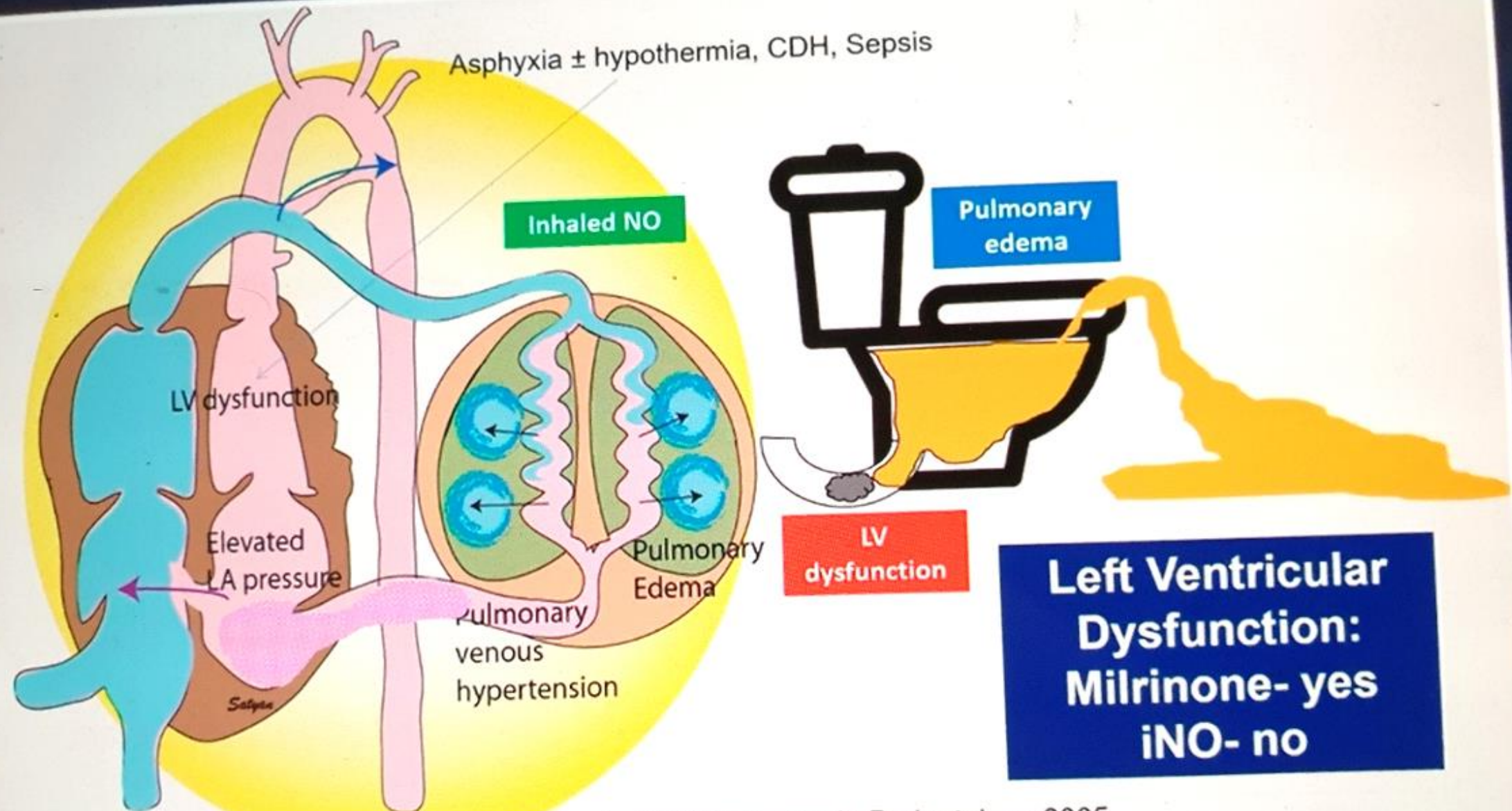
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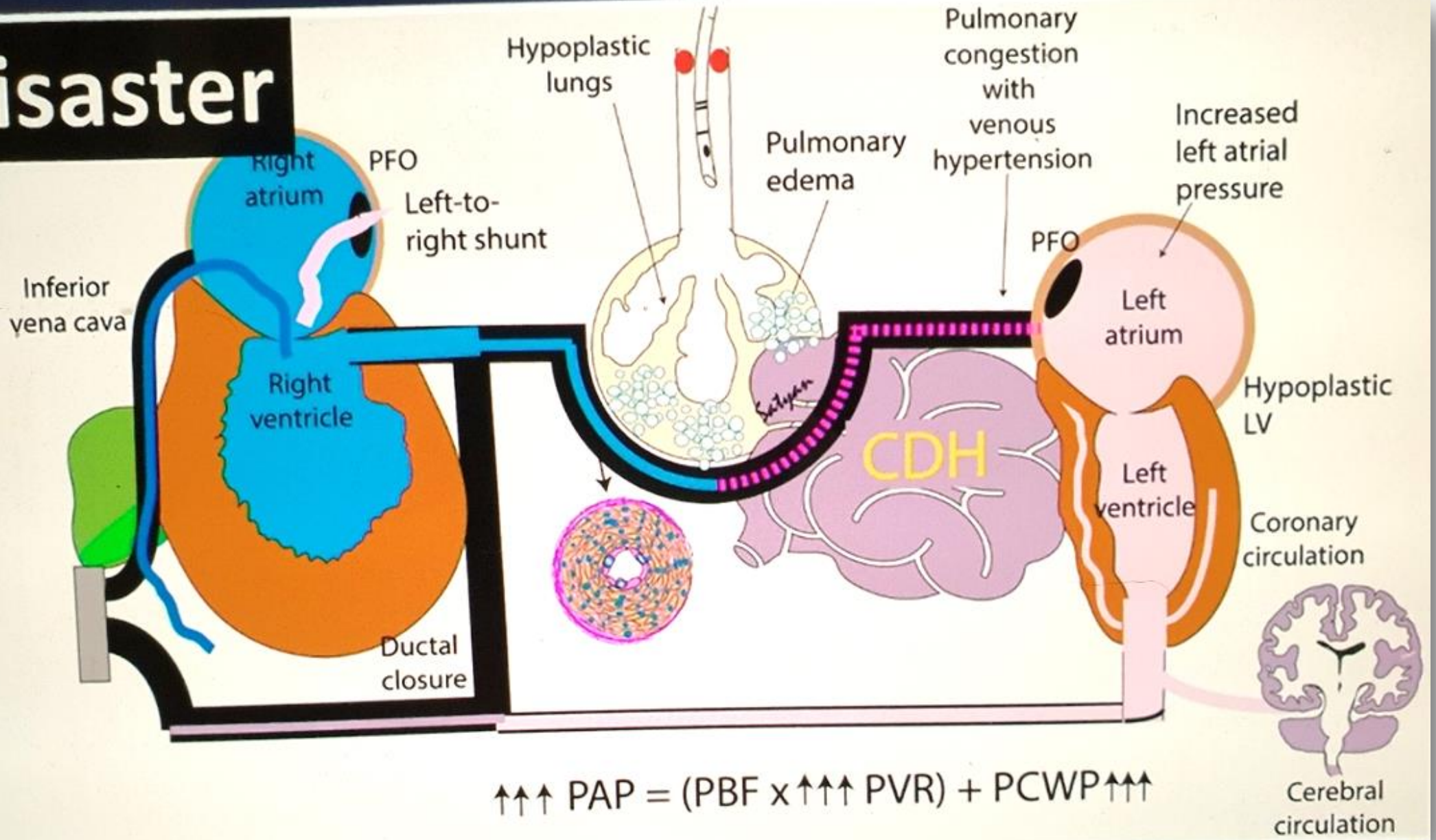


Left Ventricular Dysfunction:

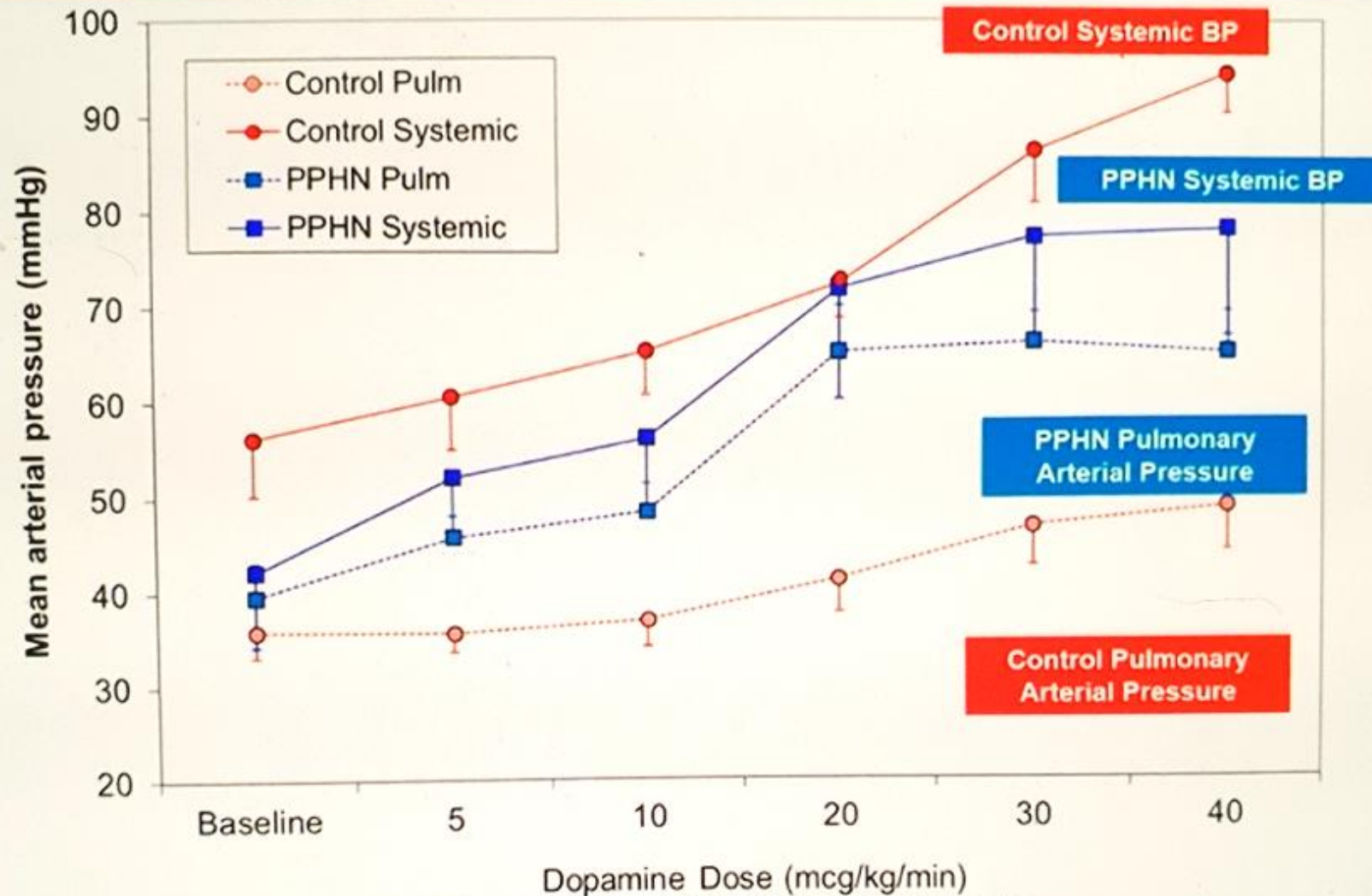


Kinsella JP et al Pulmonary vasodilator therapy in CDH Seminars in Perinatology 2005

Disaster

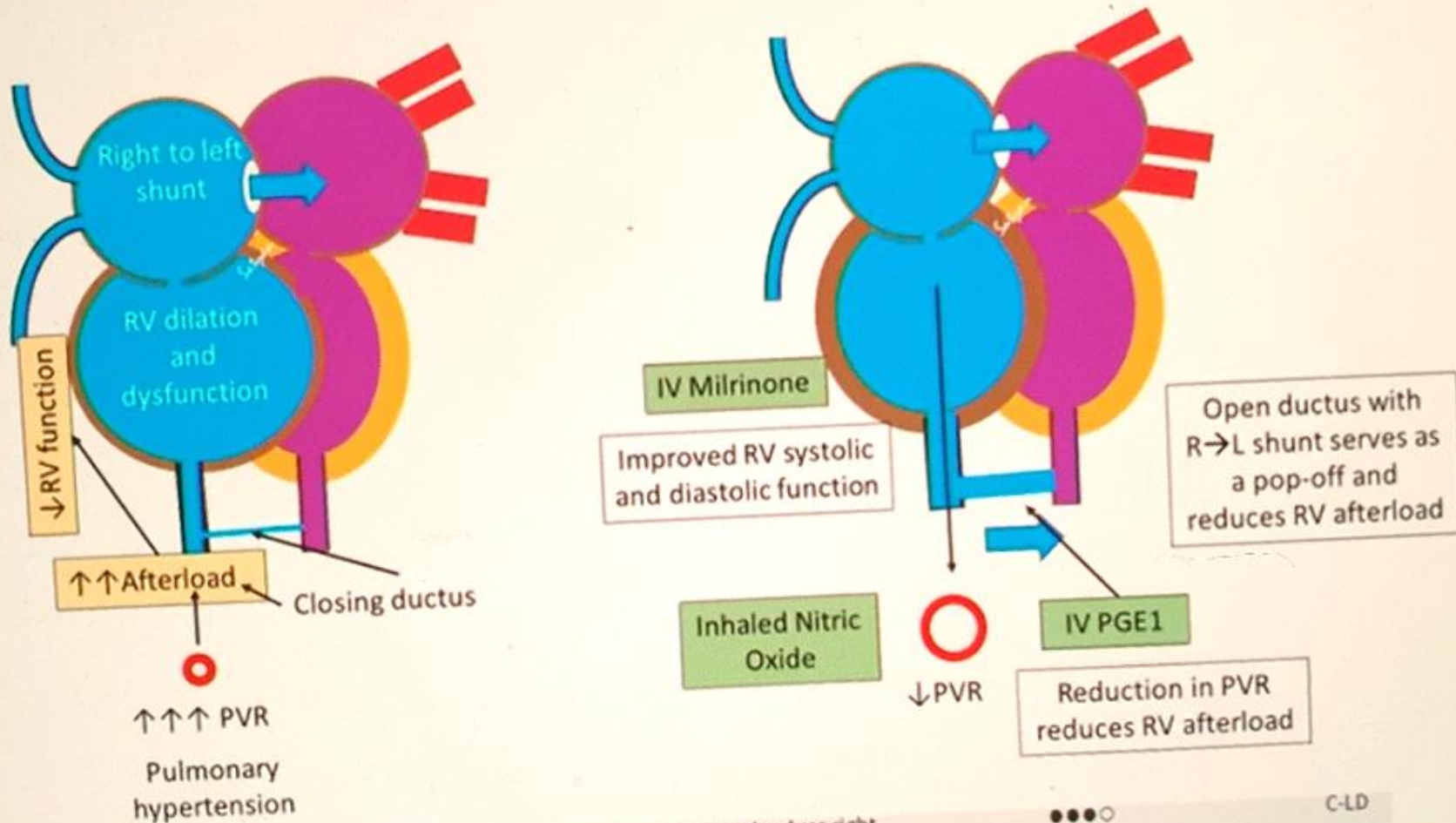


CAUTION: Dopamine & Selectivity to Systemic Circulation



Kirmani et al E PAS 2007; Lakshminrusimha et al Clin Perinatol 2012 McNamara – J Peds 2022

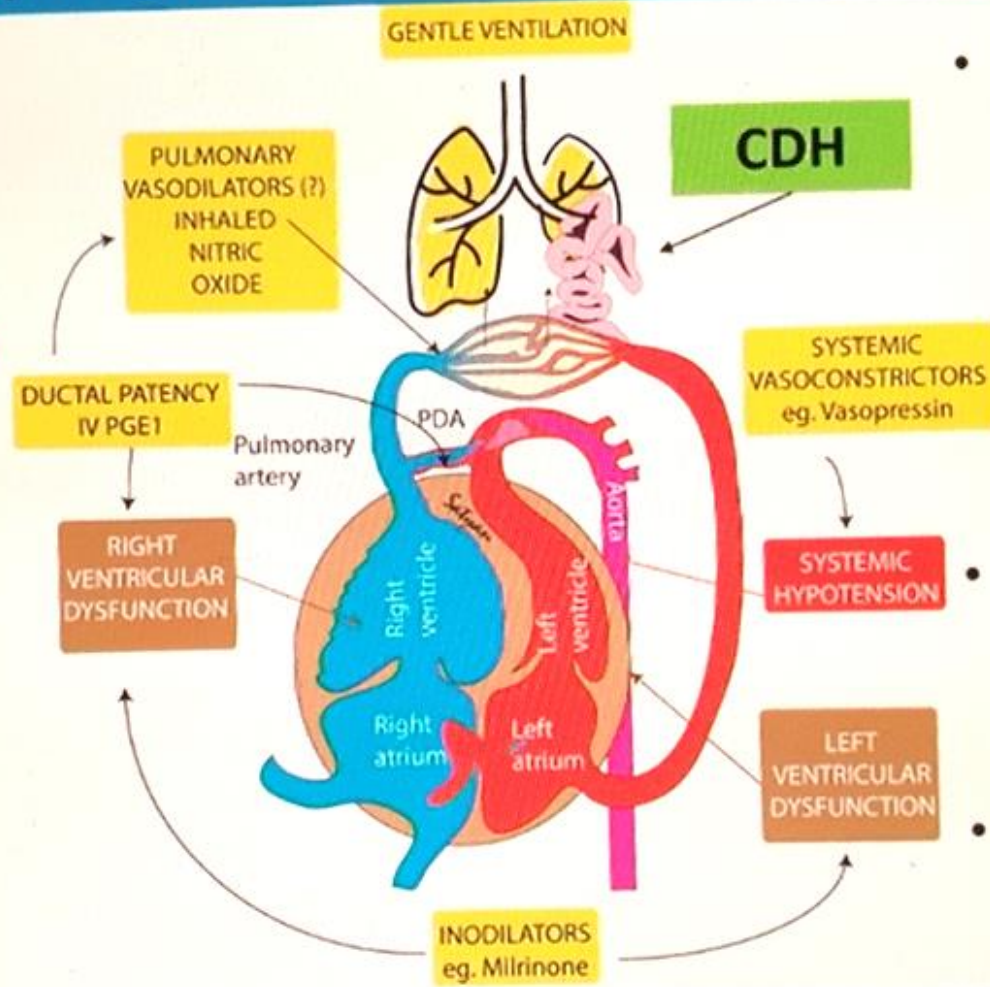
Use of IV PGE1 for Ductal Patency



Prostaglandin E₁ can be used to maintain ductus arteriosus patency and reduce right ventricular afterload in patients with pulmonary hypertension with right ventricular failure, or in the presence of a closing ductus.

An Evidence-Based Approach to Diagnose and Manage PH in Congenital Diaphragmatic Hernia – Mimic the Fetus

- PULMONARY HYPOPLASIA: Gentle, lung protective ventilation, SpO_2 targets in the low-90s (mid-90s if acidotic and $FiO_2 < 0.6$)
- Consider low PEEP
- Reasonable Hgb (fetal preferred)
 - ↓iatrogenic loss
 - ↑Placental transfusion



- PULMONARY HYPERTENSION: Pulmonary **vasodilators** **iNO** – (keep $FiO_2 < 0.6$), sildenafil, bosentan, prostaglandins) and correction of systemic hypotension
- VENTRICULAR DYSFUNCTION: Early use of inodilators (**milrinone**)
- DUCTAL PATENCY: with **PGE1** for pop-off

To intubate or not?

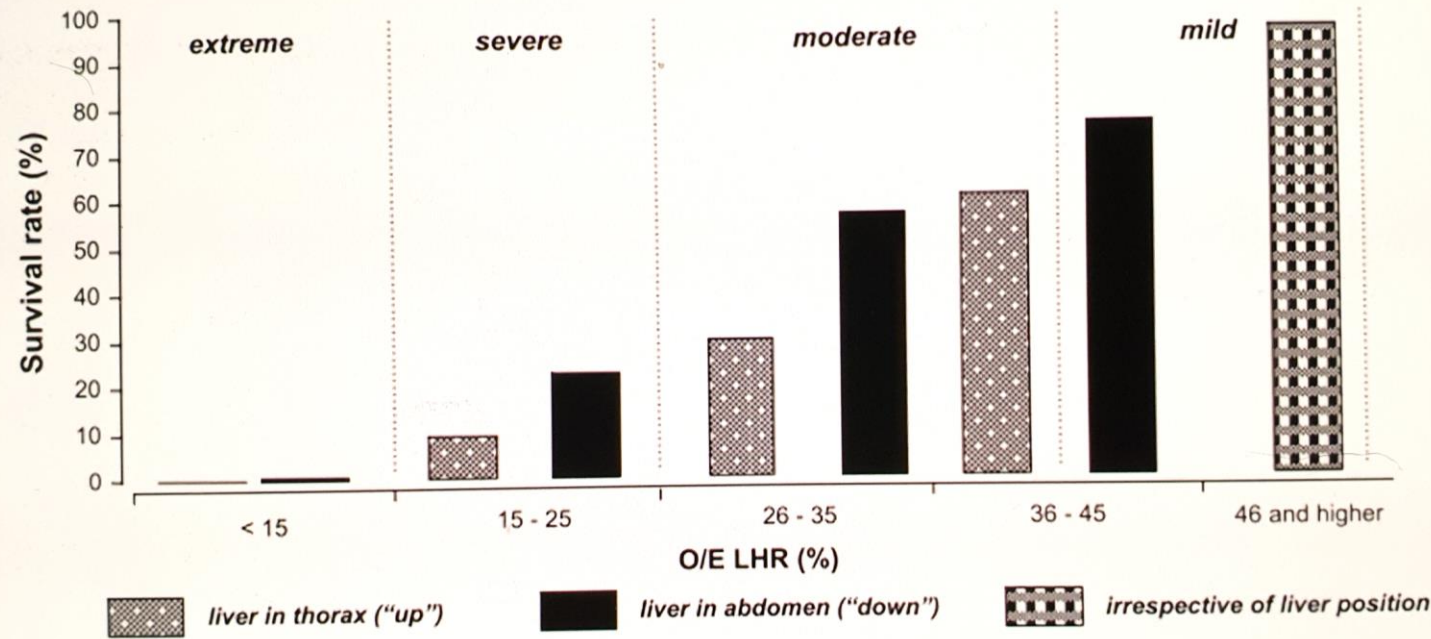
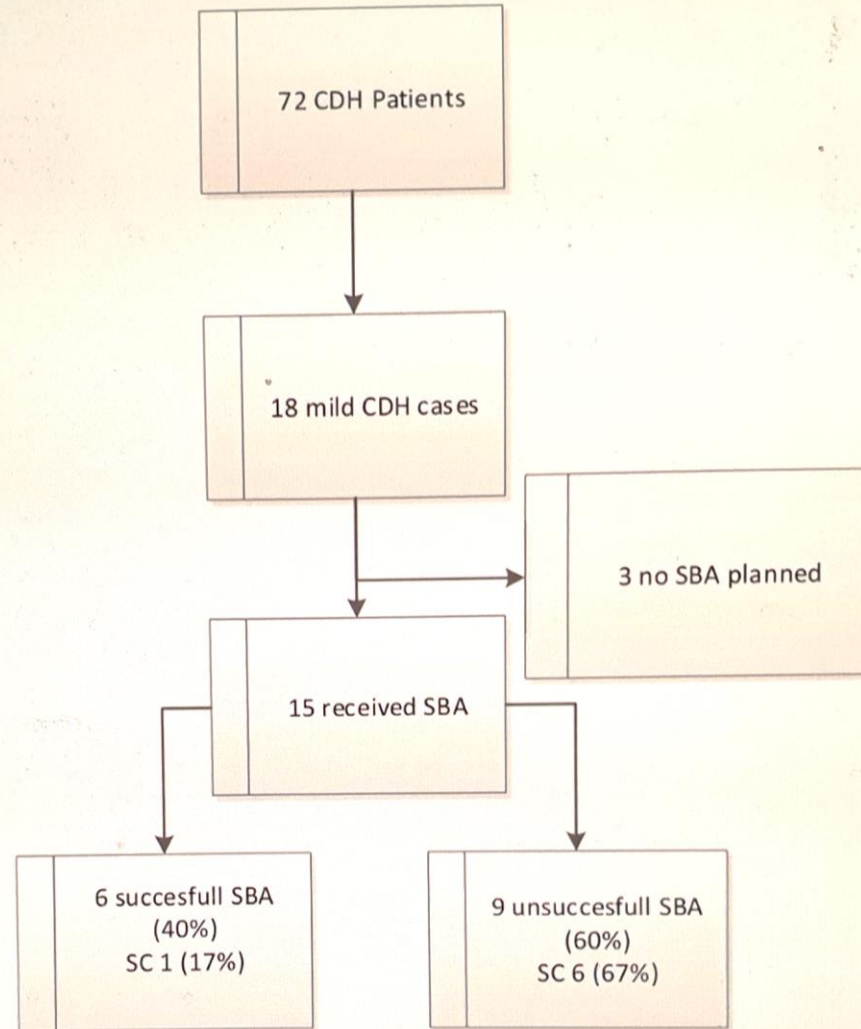


Fig. 2. Survival rates depending on observed/expected lung:head ratio (O/E LHR) measurements and liver position as in the antenatal congenital diaphragmatic hernia registry. (Based on data from Jani et al.¹¹).

SBA

Mild:
L-CDH
O/E LHR ≥ 50
Liver down
No anomalies



SBA

	Successful SBT (n=6) Median / %	Failed SBT (n=9) Median (IQR)	p-value
Apgar score 5 minutes	8 (8-9)	7 ((7-9)	0.18
Peak ventilator pressure	23.5 (21.5-27)	23 (19.5-25)	0.37
Days on ventilator	1 (1-2.5)	7 (4-10)	0.004
Maximum FiO2 on the ventilator	60 (40-79)	50 (37.5-75)	0.64
Total oxygen therapy (days)	4.5 (2.5-7)	15 (5-17)	0.037

Resuscitation of Infants with an Intact Umbilical Cord

- C Section deliveries – infant placed on maternal legs
- Vaginal Deliveries – infant placed on maternal abdomen

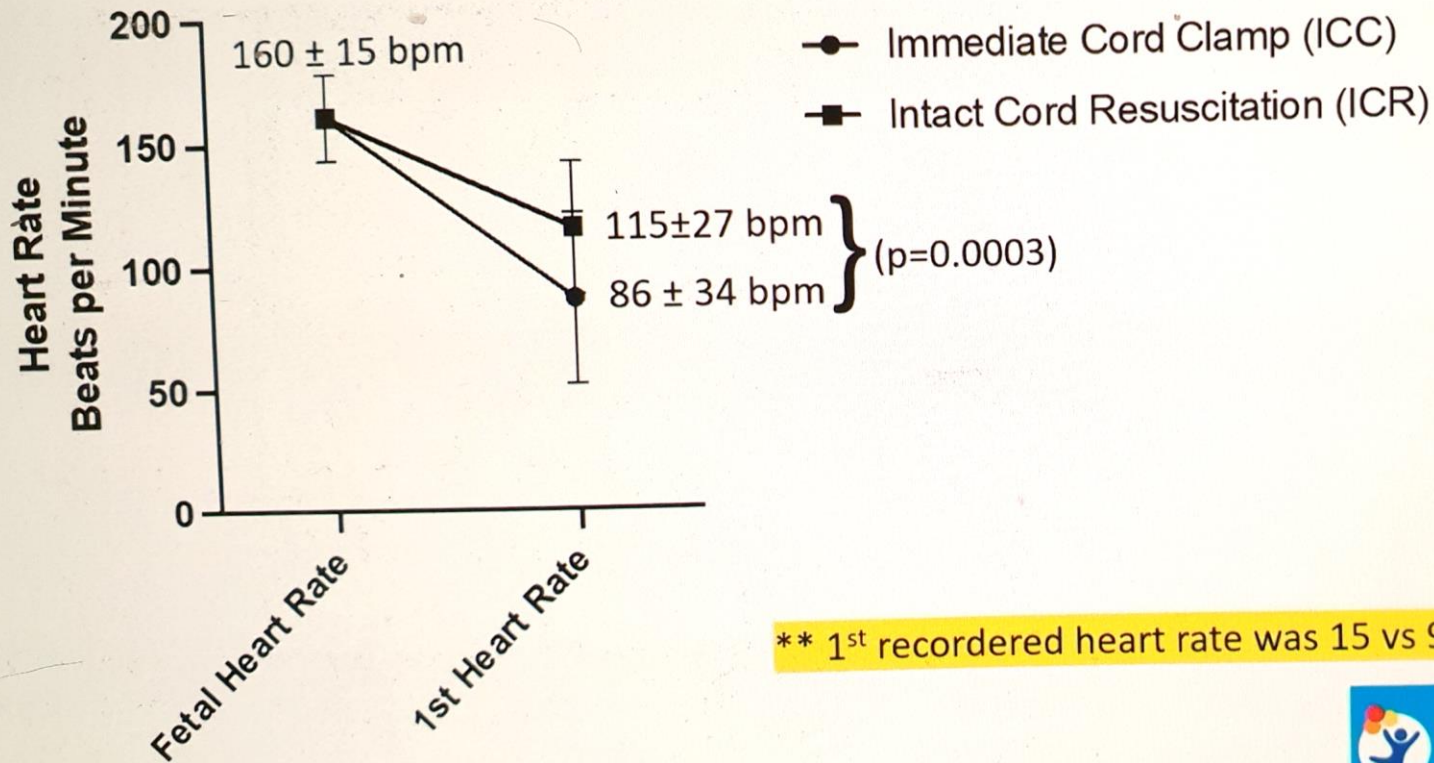


- Infant intubated with umbilical cord intact
- Positive Pressure Ventilation initiated with T Piece Resuscitation
- 25/5 rate 40-60 50% Oxygen
- RN place preductal pulse-oximeter
- HR < 60 bpm for > 60 seconds after initiation of Ventilation FiO₂ Increased to 100%

Demographics Intact Cord Resuscitation Versus Historical Controls

Characteristic	All (n=71)	Control (n=46)	Intervention (n=25)	P Value
Gestational Age.at.birth	37±2	37±2	38±1	0.1205
Weight	2958±489	2918±476	3030±514	0.3735
Percent Predicted Lung Volume (PPLV) 24wks	21±8	21±9	21±6	0.8939
Total Lung Volume (TLV)	31±13	30±12	32±15	0.6408
Lung Head Ratio (LHR)	1±1	1±0	1±1	0.1354
Observed:Expected LHR	45±17	44±17	46±16	0.6023
Liver				0.3773
Down	25 (35%)	14 (30%)	11 (44%)	
Up	46 (65%)	32 (70%)	14 (56%)	
APGAR.1	5±2	5±2	5±2	0.448
APGAR.5	7±2	7±2	7±1	0.3075
Closure				0.3143
Primary	28 (39%)	15 (33%)	13 (52%)	
Flap	35 (49%)	25 (54%)	10 (40%)	
Patch	8 (11%)	6 (13%)	2 (8%)	

Intact Cord Resuscitation Attenuates the abrupt Onset of Bradycardia with Umbilical Cord Clamping



** 1st recorded heart rate was 15 vs 90 seconds (Neobeat vs Pulse Oximetry)

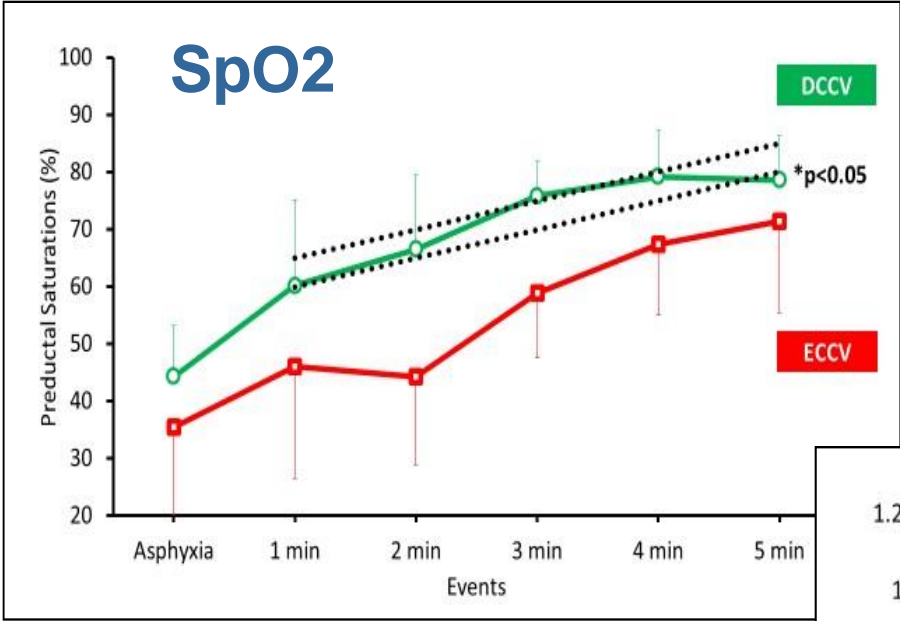
Echocardiographic Parameters Intact Cord Resuscitation Versus Historical Controls

	All (n=71)	Control (n=46)	Intervention (n=25)	
LV function				0.0234
Normal	43 (61%)	31 (67%)	12 (48%)	
Mild	6 (8%)	1 (2%)	5 (20%)	
Moderate	13 (18%)	10 (22%)	3 (12%)	
Severe	9 (13%)	4 (9%)	5 (20%)	
LV SF	35±13	35±13	34±15	0.8783
LF EF	64±19	67±16	60±22	0.2581
RV function				0.028
Normal	35 (49%)	27 (59%)	8 (32%)	
Mild	21 (30%)	9 (20%)	12 (48%)	
Moderate	12 (17%)	9 (20%)	3 (12%)	
Severe	3 (4%)	1 (2%)	2 (8%)	
TR jet	55±13	56±11	53±17	0.6277
PDA				0.7215
Bidirectional	52 (73%)	32 (70%)	20 (80%)	
Right to Left	18 (25%)	13 (28%)	5 (20%)	
Left to Right	1 (1%)	1 (2%)	0 (0%)	
PFO				0.8929
Bidirectional	26 (37%)	16 (35%)	10 (40%)	
Right to Left	11 (15%)	8 (17%)	3 (12%)	
Left to Right	34 (48%)	22 (48%)	12 (48%)	

Conclusion

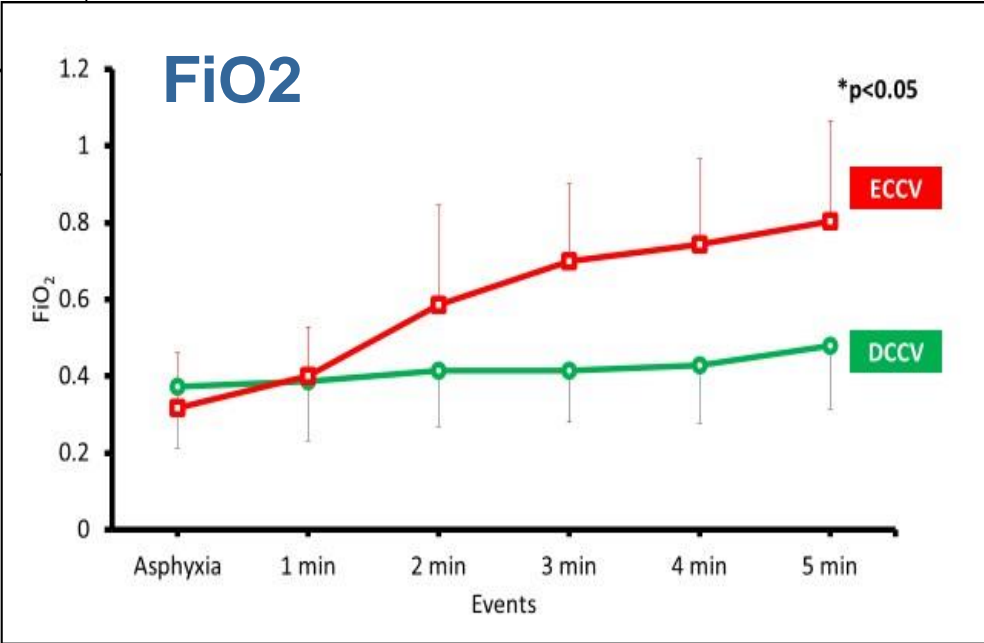
- Intact Cord Resuscitation in Infants with CDH
 - attenuates bradycardia that ensues after cutting the umbilical cord
 - no effect on cardiac function – possible detrimental effect in the most severe subset of infants
 - LVEF 67.7% vs 30.5%
 - LVSF 33% vs 6%
 - 2 patients in intervention group with retrograde flow in Ao Arch
- These differences were not apparent in the mild and moderate subsets
- No Difference in ECMO utilization, overall 29/71 (41%), controls 17/46 (37%), intervention 12/25 (48%) (p=0.5148)
- No difference in survival 9/71 (87%), controls 39/46 (85%), intervention 23/25 (92%) (p=0.4779)

Evolution de la SpO2 préductale lors d'une réanimation à cordon intact comparé à un clampage immédiat du cordon après un épisode d'asphyxie (agneau prématuré)

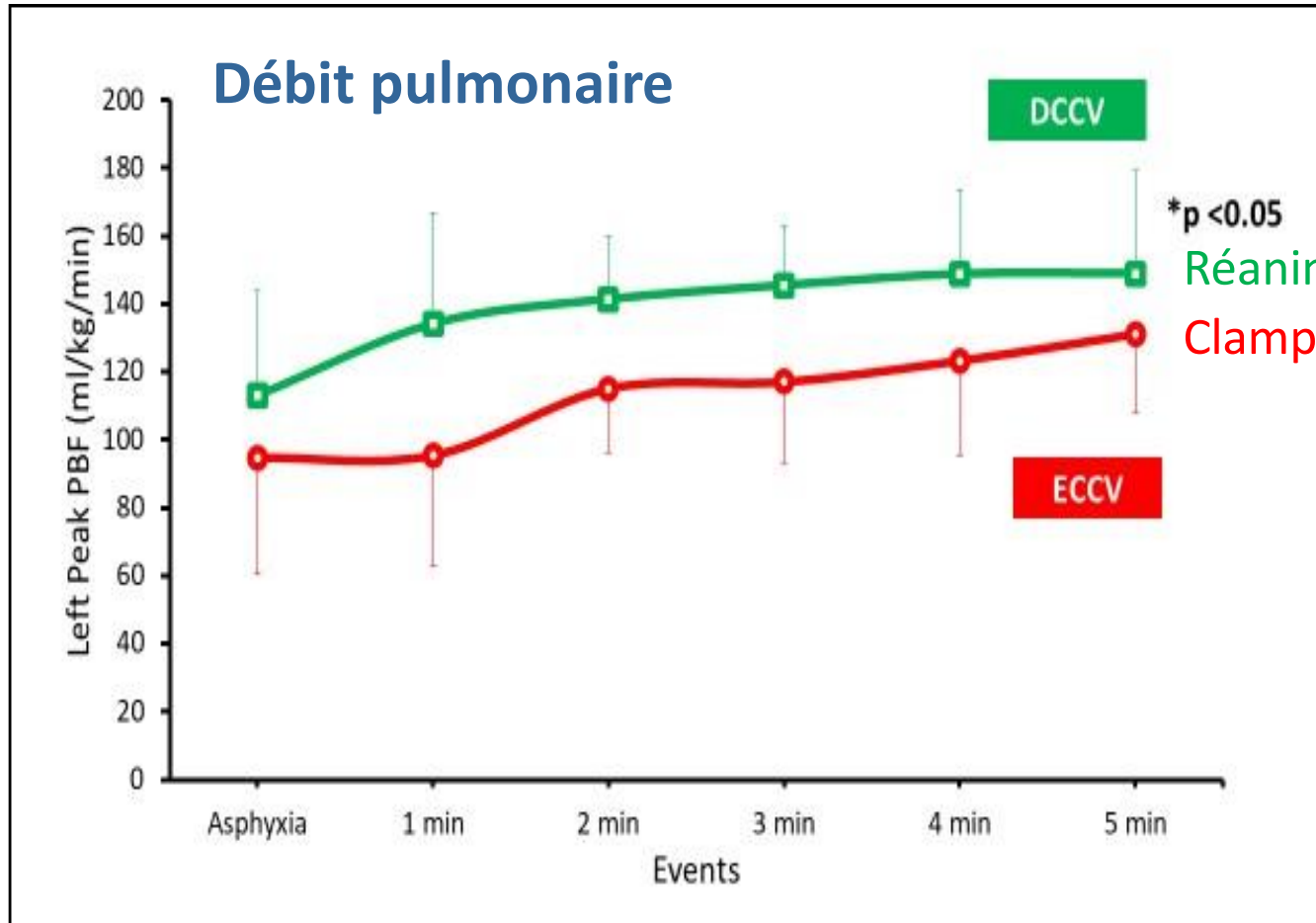


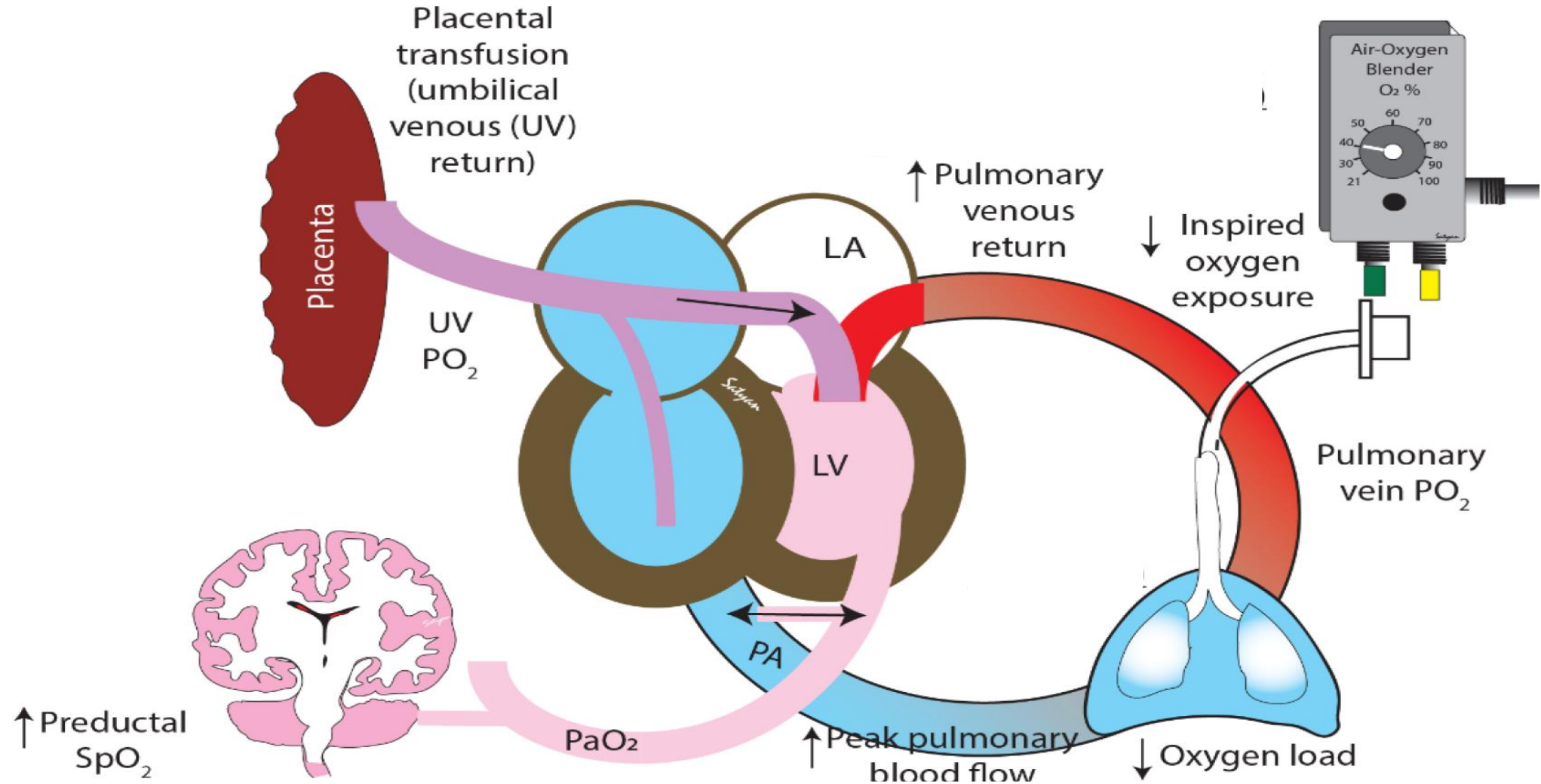
Réanimation à cordon intact

Clampage immédiat du cordon



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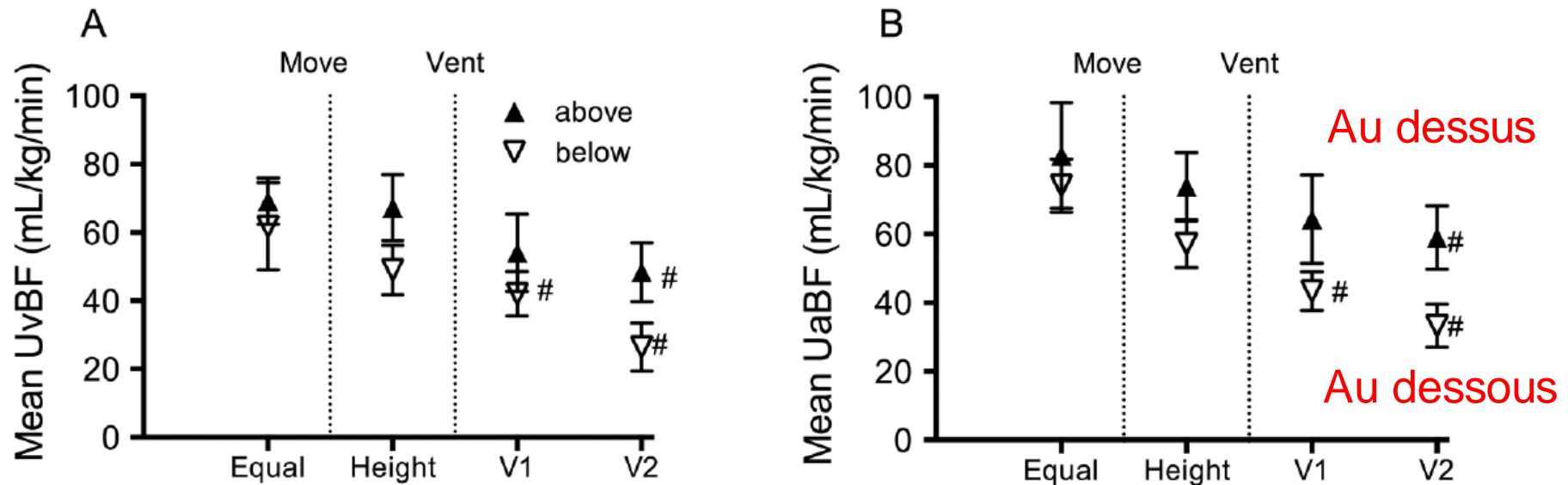


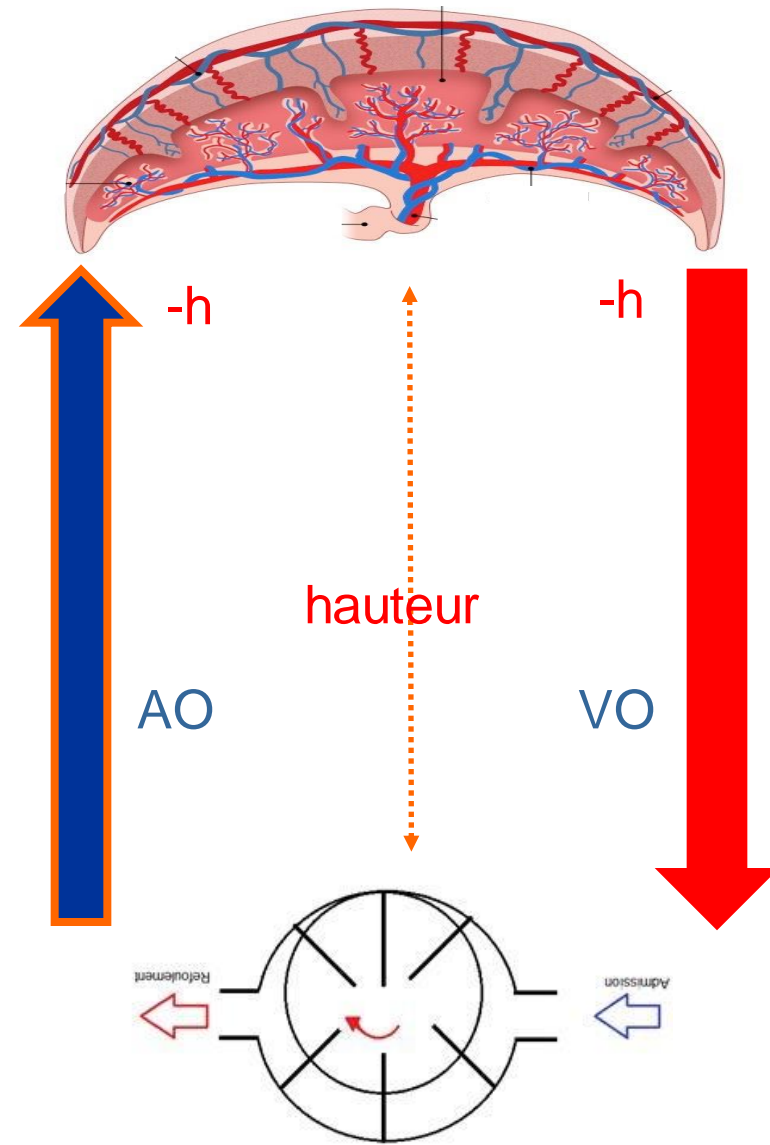
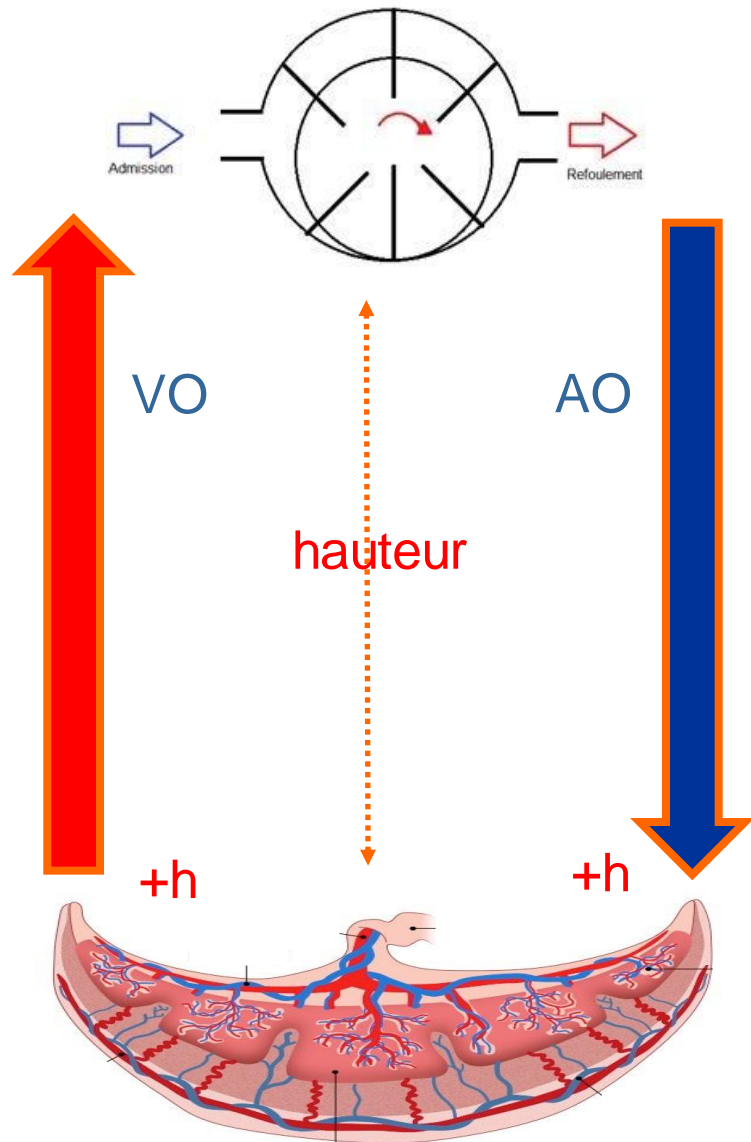


Oxygénation et circulation lors de la réanimation à cordon intact

Déterminants des débits ombilico-placentaires au cours de l'ICR

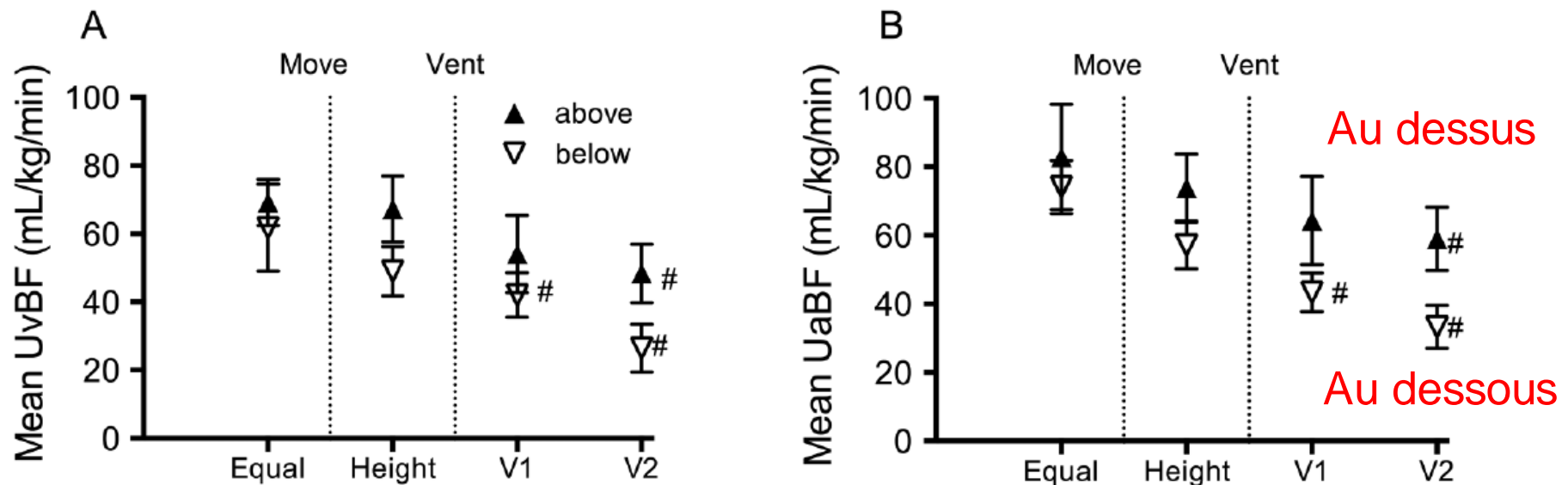
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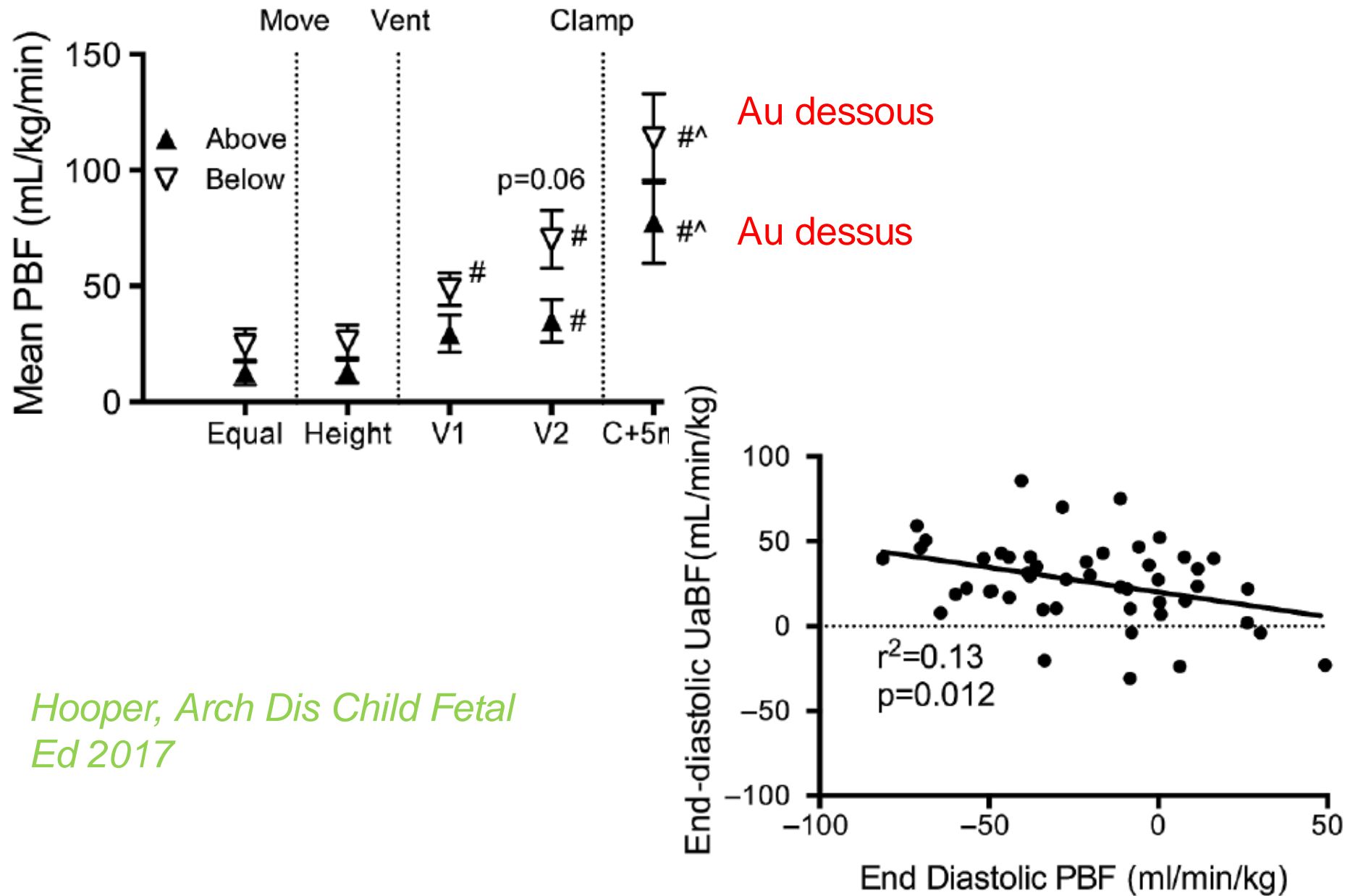


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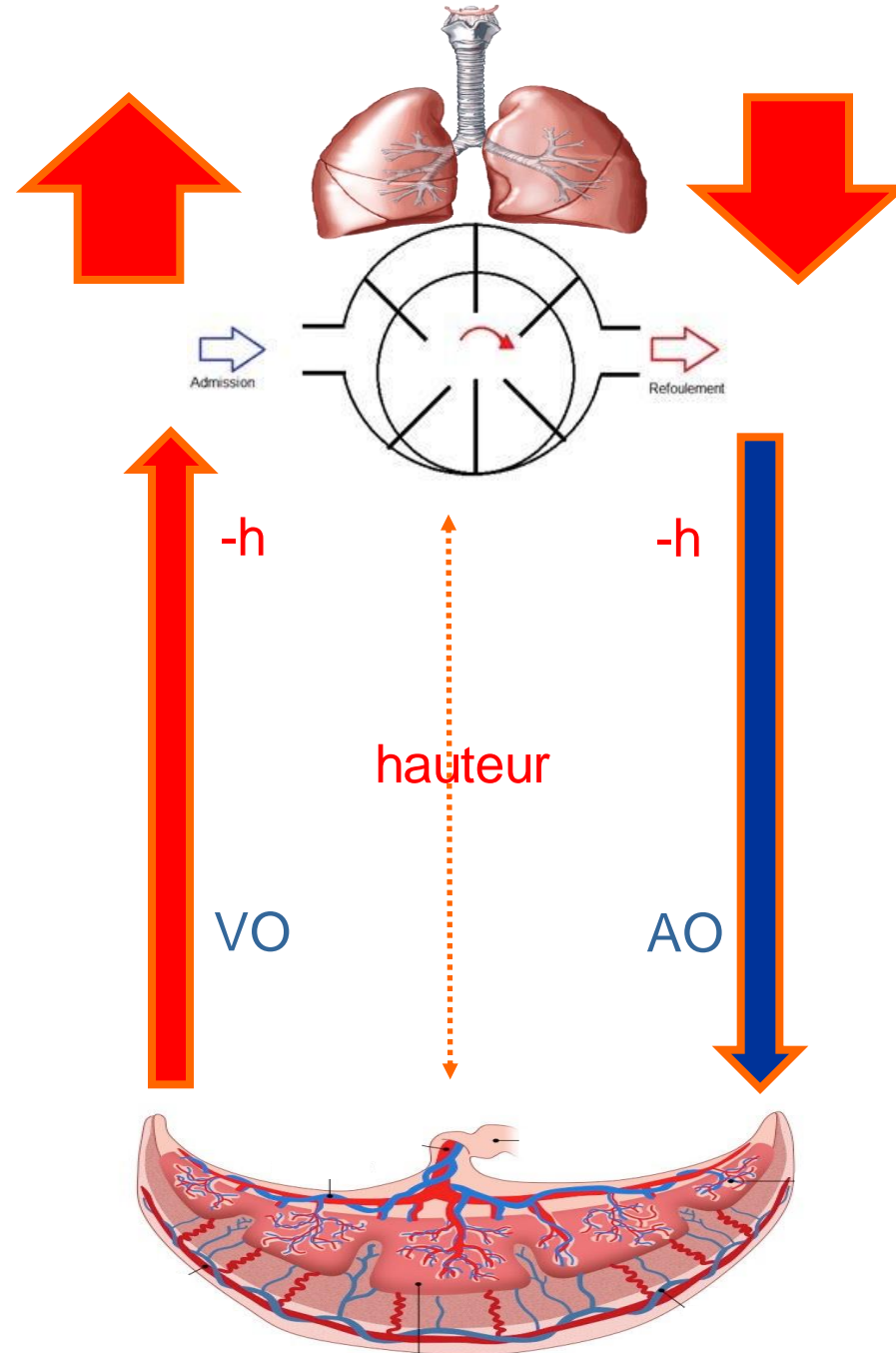


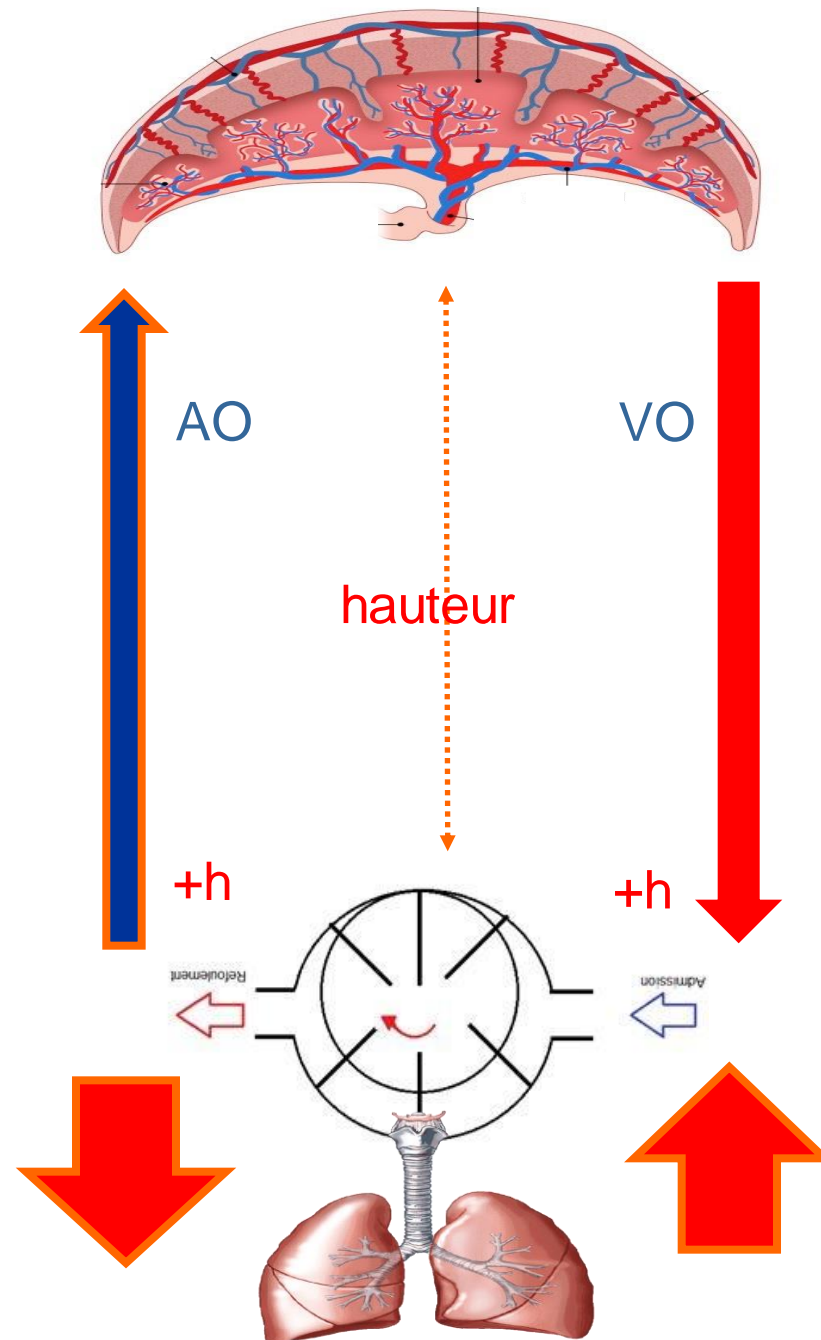
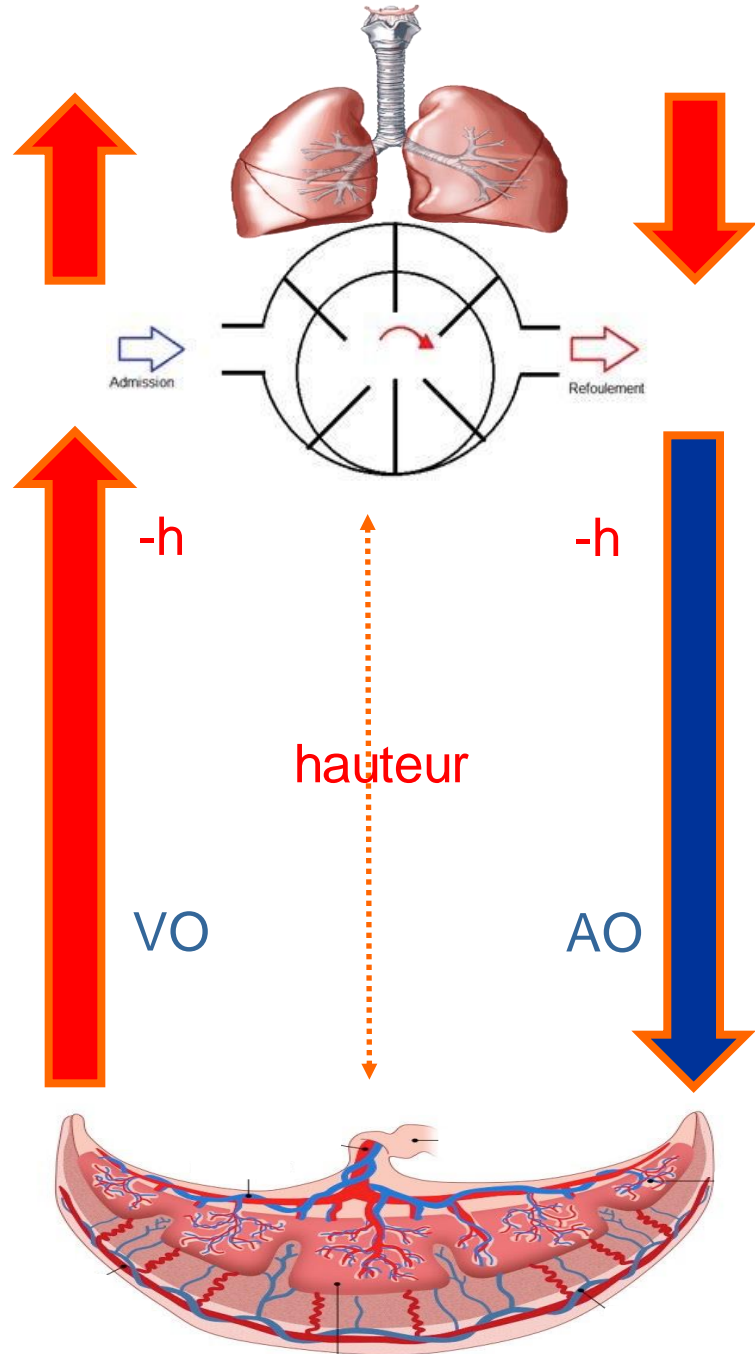
Hooper, Arch Dis Child Fetal Ed 2017

↑ débits
pulmonaires



↓ perfusion
placentaire



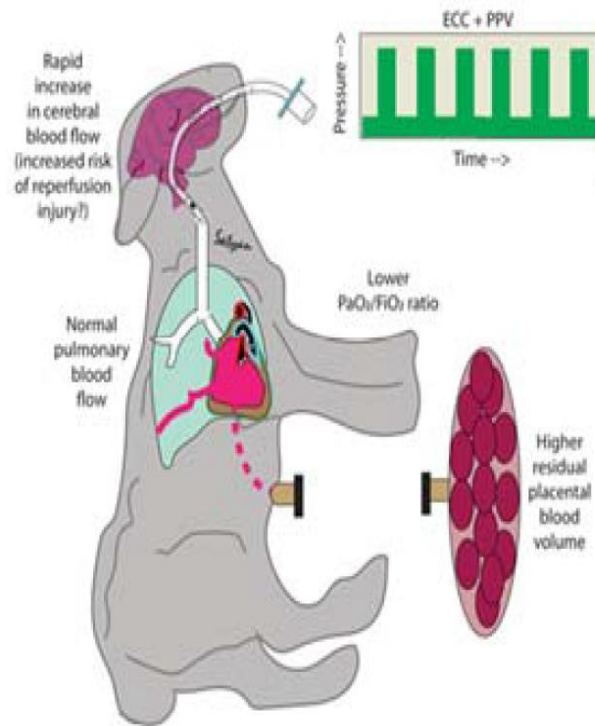


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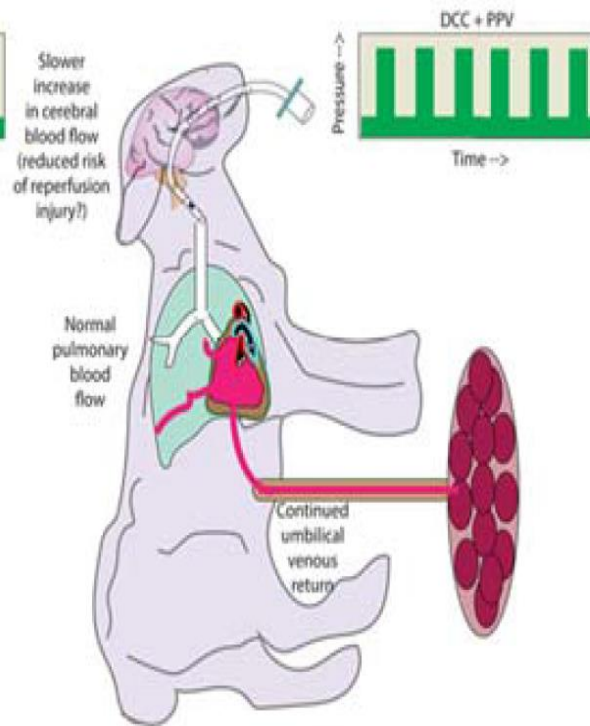
- **Rapport volume sang Agneau/(Agneau+placenta) similaire dans les 2 groupes (60%)**

Pression de distension pulmonaire à la naissance réduit le débit veineux ombilical

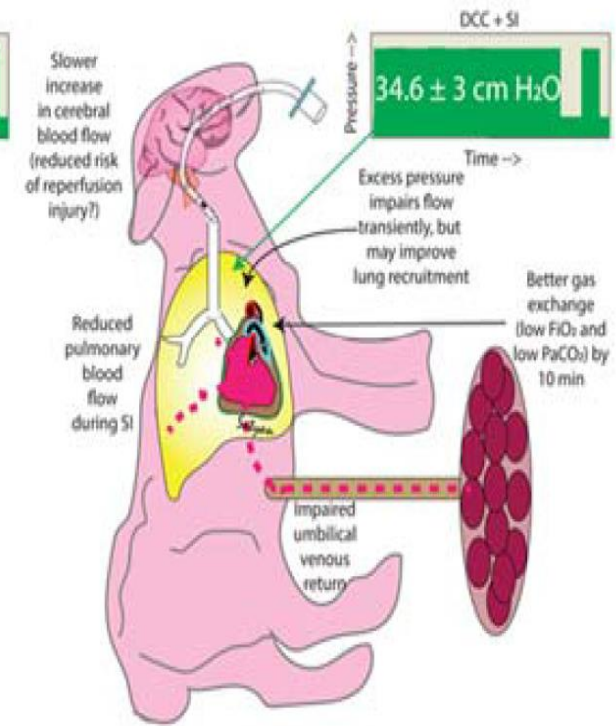
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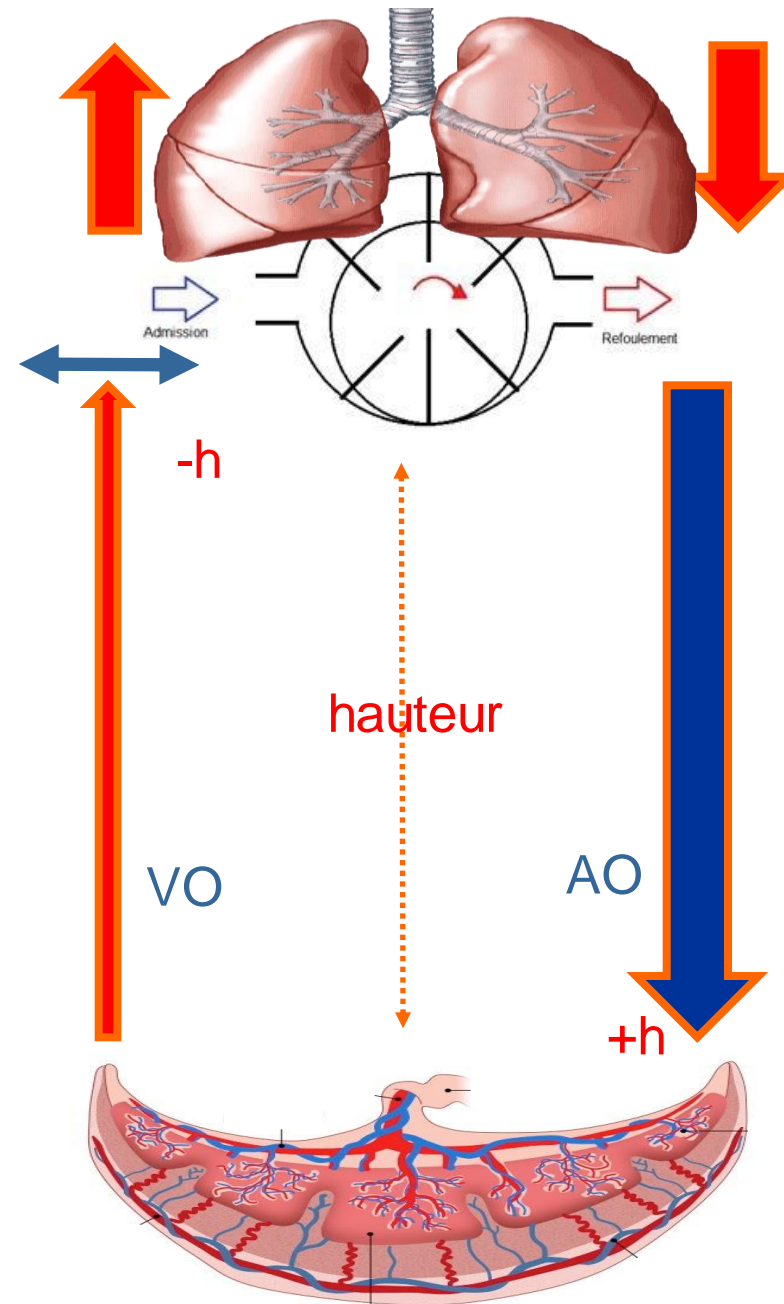
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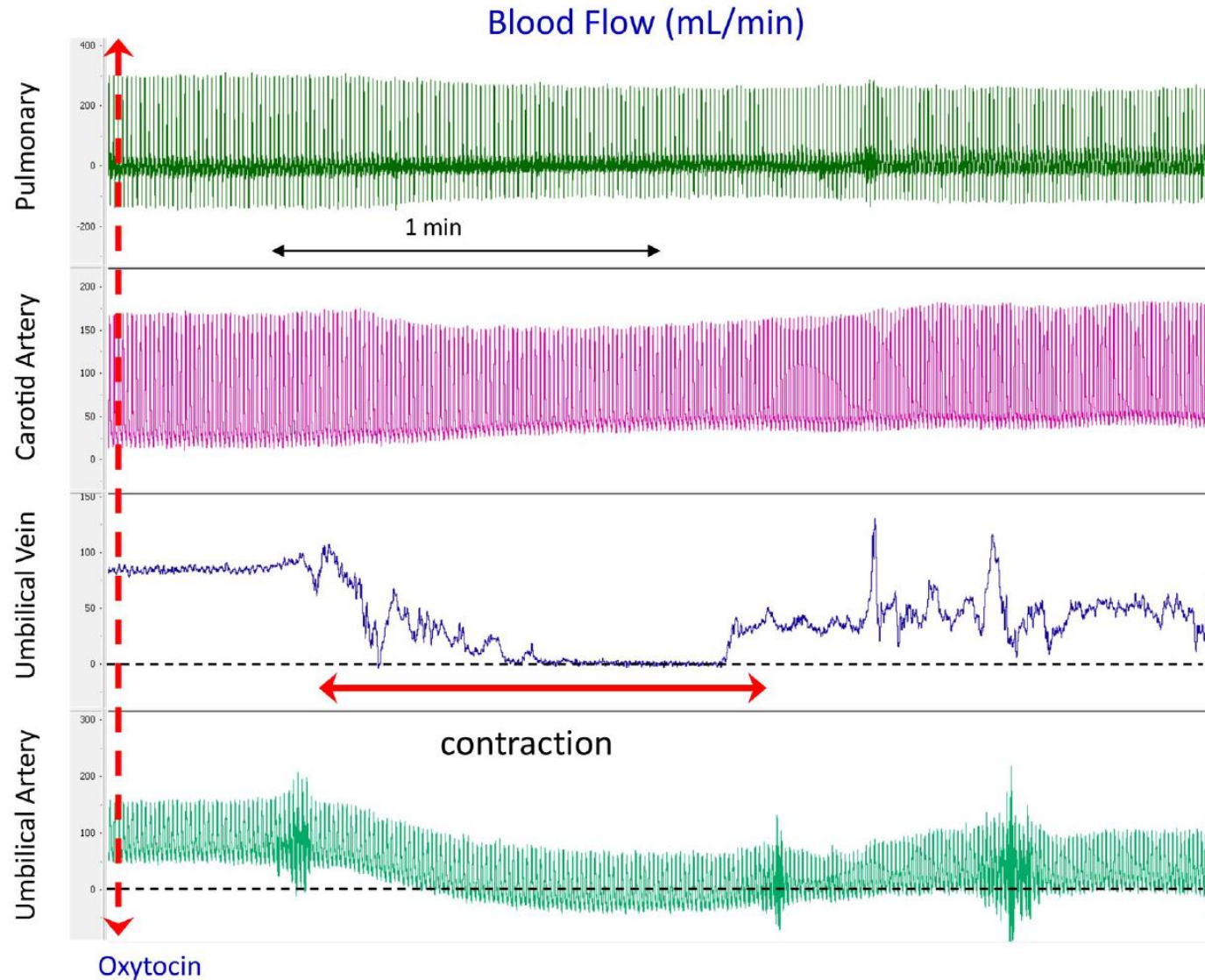
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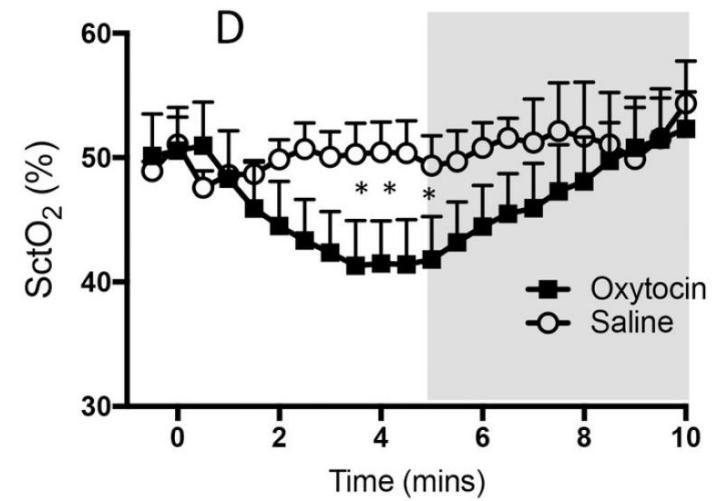
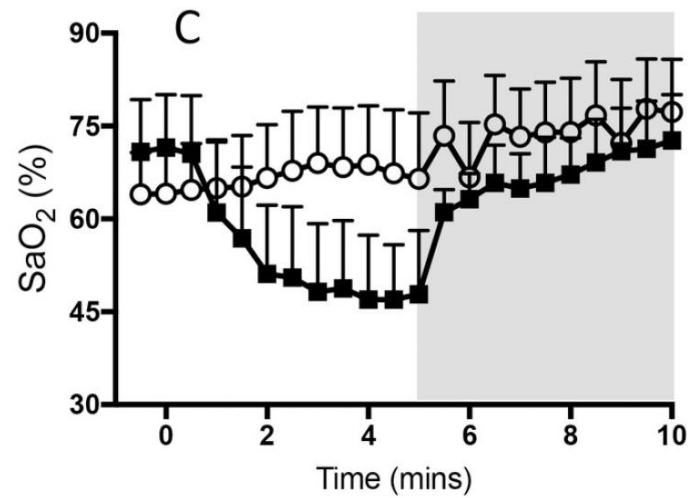
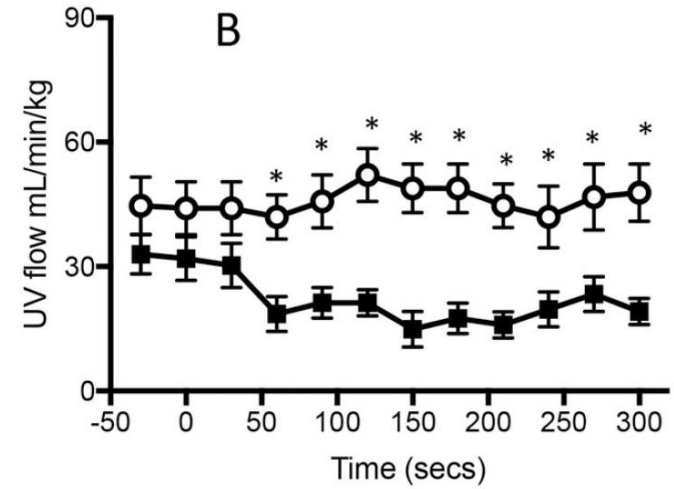
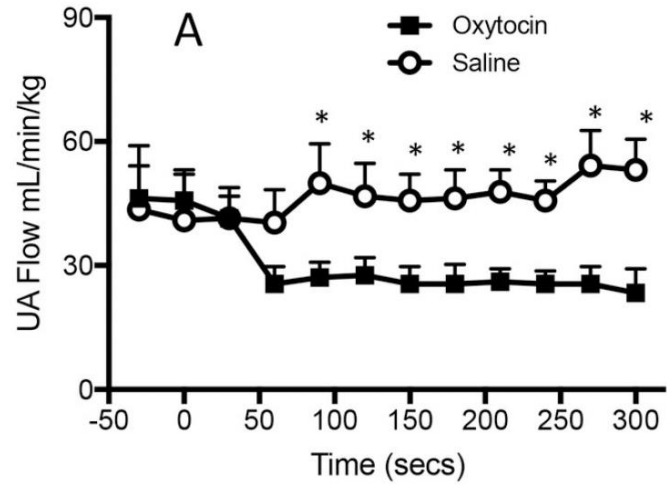
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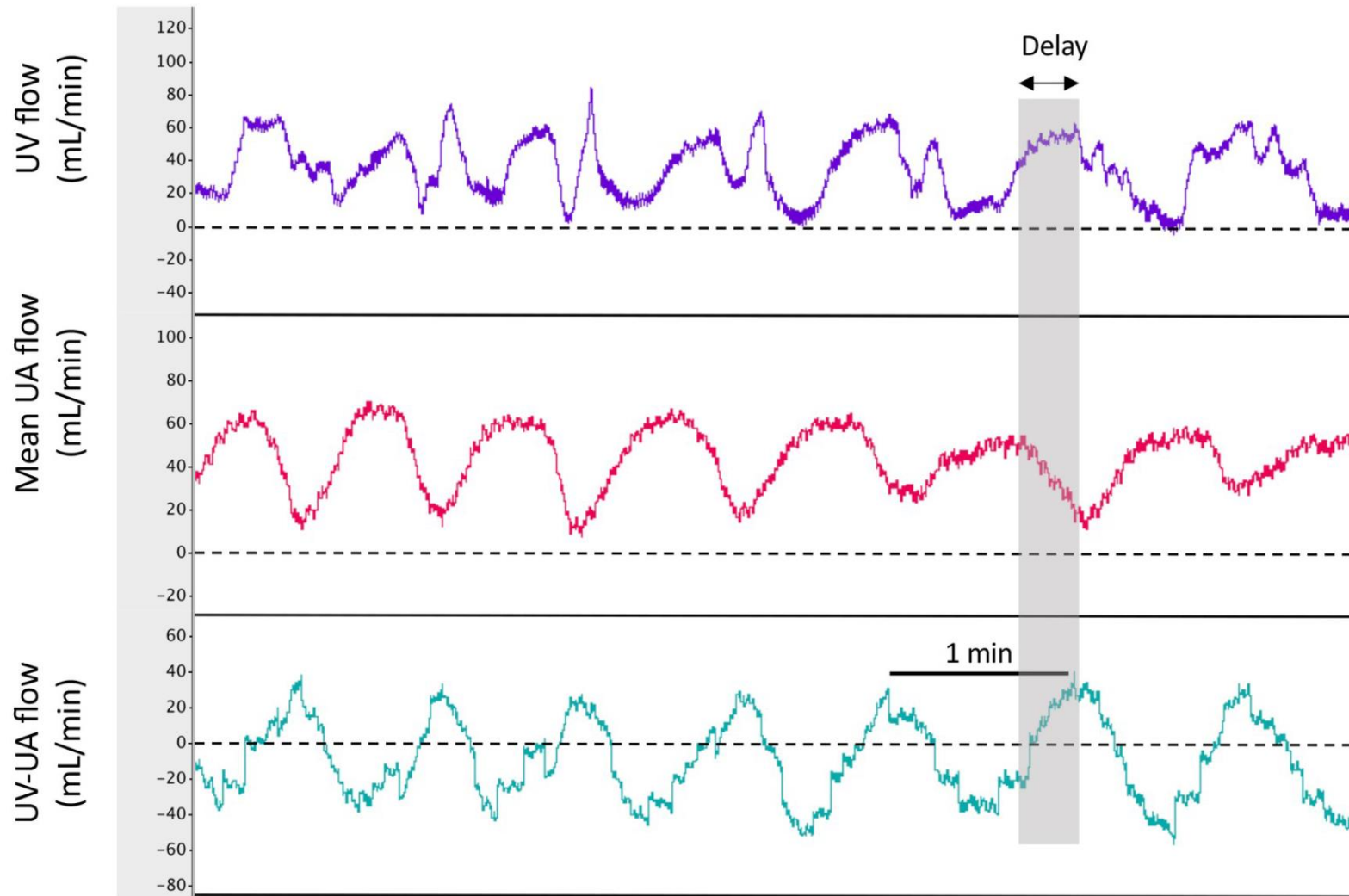
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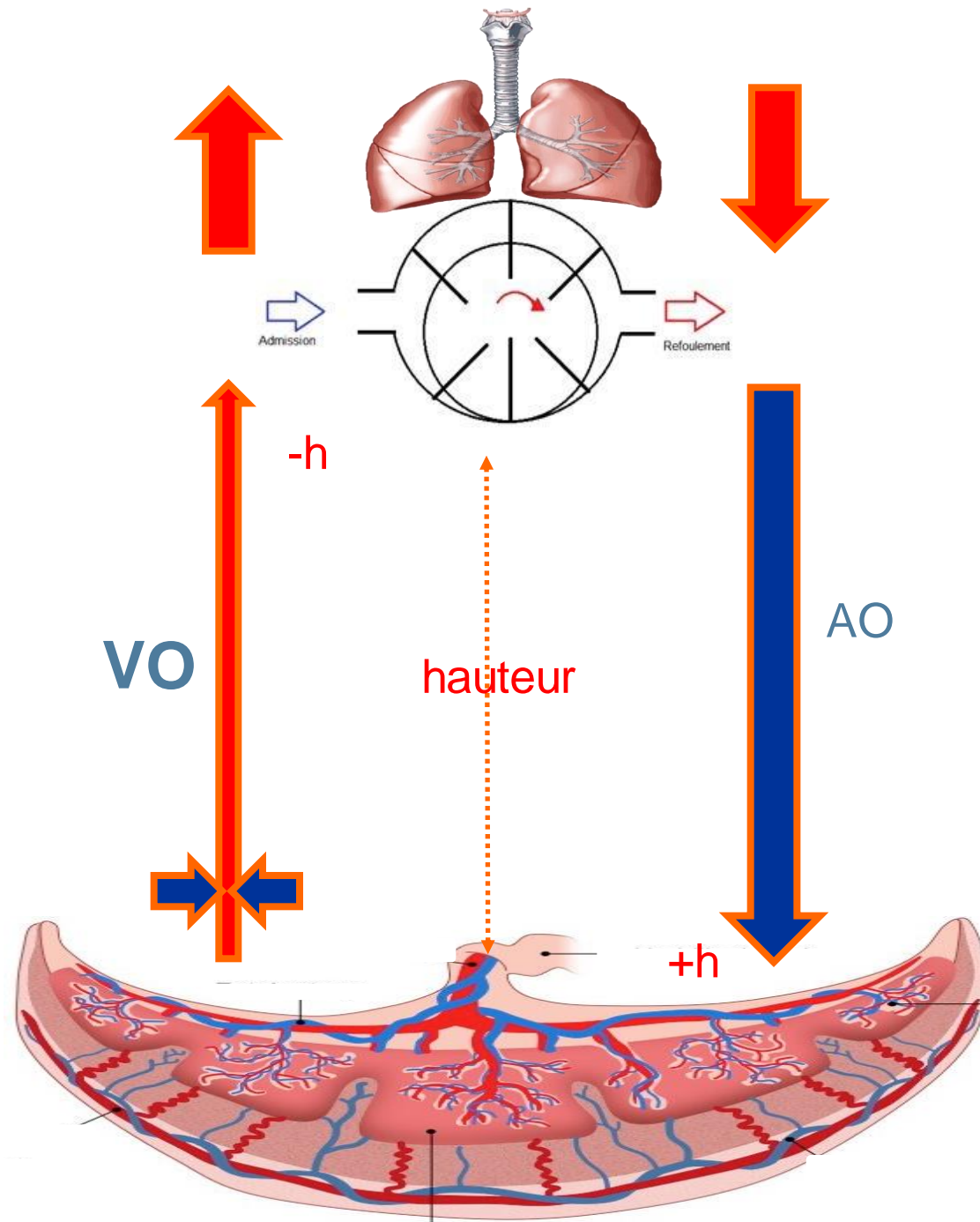
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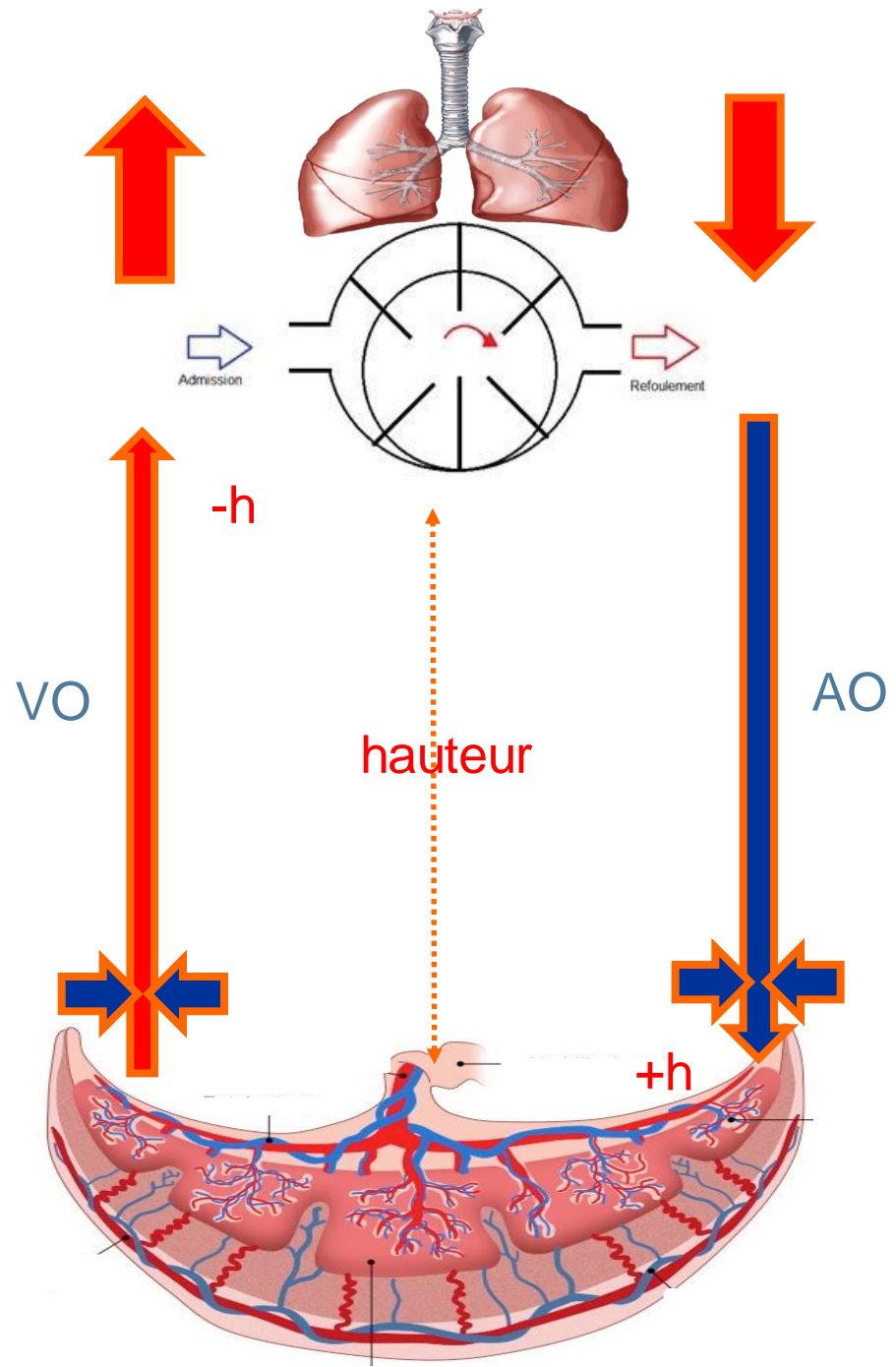
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**Contraction
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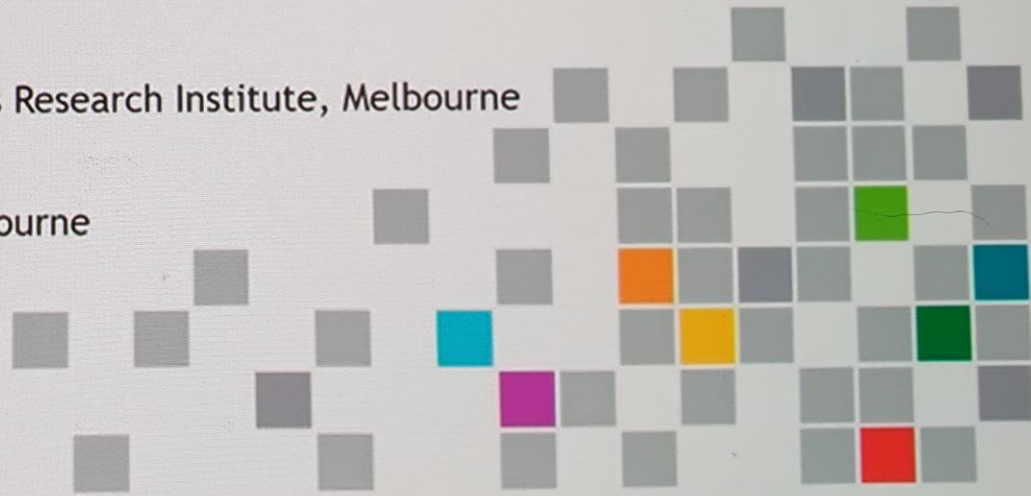




Respiratory Management in CDH: Do we still ~~have~~ need the answers?

- David Tingay

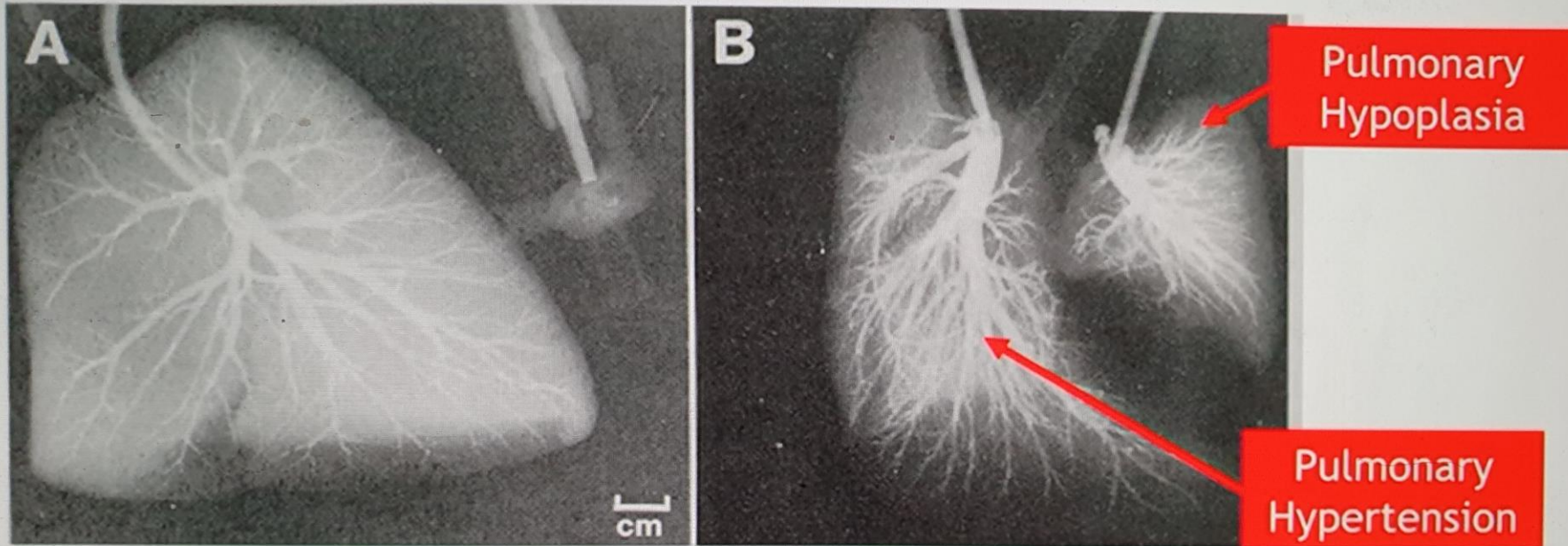
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The Lung in CDH



Loss of lung unity

Levin *J Pediatr* 1978



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Pulmonary Hypoplasia

An exercise in compromise, patience and trust

- Small Lungs - less alveolar surface for gas exchange
- Increased VQ mismatching
- Unknown FRC and EILV



Biotrauma
Oxidative Injury



Managing Pulmonary Hypoplasia

Current Guidelines

CDH Euro Consortium 2015

- Avoid BM Ventilation
- Decompress stomach
- CMV initial mode of support
 - PIP <25 cmH₂O
 - PEEP 3-5 cmH₂O
 - Rate 40-60/min
- HFOV rescue therapy (MAP >12 cmH₂O)
- Preductal SpO₂ 80-95% (Post SpO₂ >70%)
- PaCO₂ 50-70 mmHg

TABLE 1. OUTLINE OF PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT

Resuscitation

ET tube placement with minimal bag mask/ventilation

Vascular access

Gut decompression by nasogastric tube

Ventilation objectives: preductal Sa_{o2} > 85% and pH > 7.3 with PIP
≤ 25 cm H₂O

Cardiopulmonary management

Ventilation

Conventional ventilation

Objective: preductal Sa_{o2} > 85% pH > 7.3
PIP ≤ 25 cm H₂O

HFOV

Objective: preductal Sa_{o2} > 85%
MAP ≤ 16 cm H₂O

Pulmonary vascular management

Cardiac echo

Exclude CHD

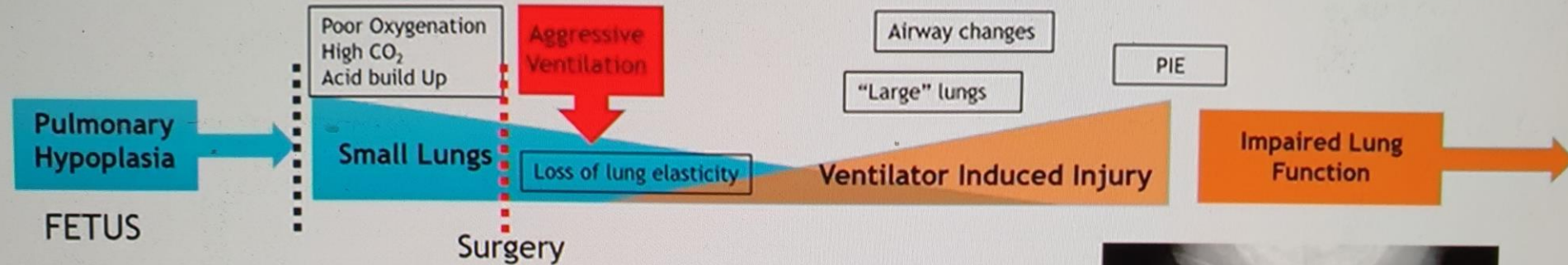
Assess RV function

Estimate PA pressure

Identify the ductus and assess shunting

Trial of inhaled nitric oxide for patients with increased RV pressure

Respiratory Management Phases of CDH



1. Birth: Initial slightly higher PEEP (never use SI)
2. Pre-repair: Lowest possible PEEP (3-6 cmH₂O)/MAP
3. Post-repair: Low PEEP (3-5 cmH₂O) overdistension risk/MAP
4. Titrating to pathophysiological priorities after surgery
 - Aim low initially but don't resist higher PEEP/MAP to support airway or interstitial changes later
 - Positioning



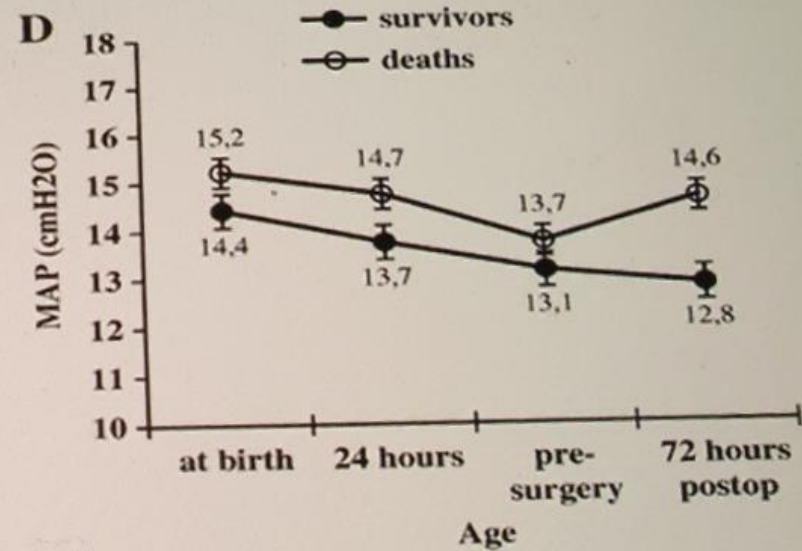
Not all CDH Lungs are the same Is there Pulmonary Hypoplasia CDH Phenotypes?

Tidal Volume:

- 4.7 ml/kg (pre) and 4.5 ml/kg (post)

Associated with survival:

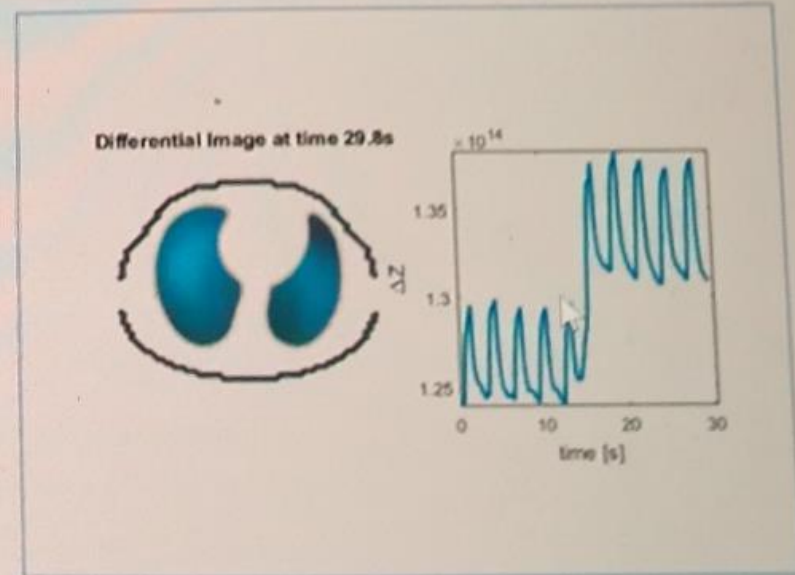
- V_{Texp} 4.3 vs 2.0 ml/kg
- $V_{Texp} > 3.8$ ml/kg
- $C_{dyn} > 0.12$ ml/kg/cmH₂O
- Higher Dead space
- Lower MAP needs
- Higher maximal pre-ductal SpO₂ in DR



Are early measures of mechanical state the best discriminator of pulmonary hypoplasia, post-hypoplasia support and/or later VILI?

Do we really understand the CDH lung? Volume state, Lung Function and Lung Disunity?

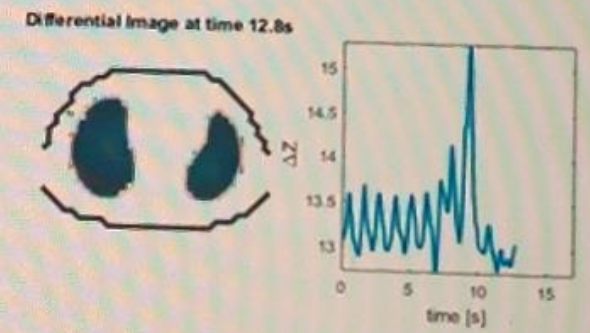
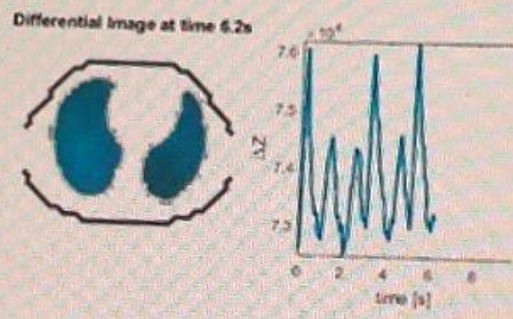
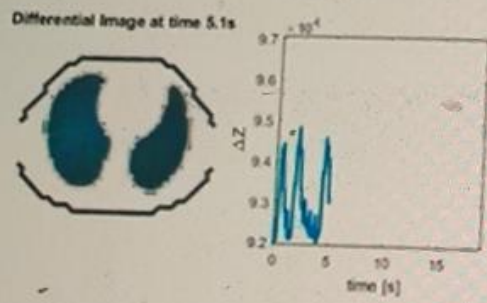
- All current bedside measures of lung function assume lung unity
- Electrical Impedance Tomography (EIT) assesses both lungs simultaneously



Withdrawal of ETT from RMB to trachea

Lung Behaviour during post-natal CDH life

- Serial EIT imaging at the RCH; n=18 infants



Pre-Repair	
Right Lung	97.3%
Left Lung	2.7%
CoV _{RL}	25.6%
CoV _{VD}	53.8%

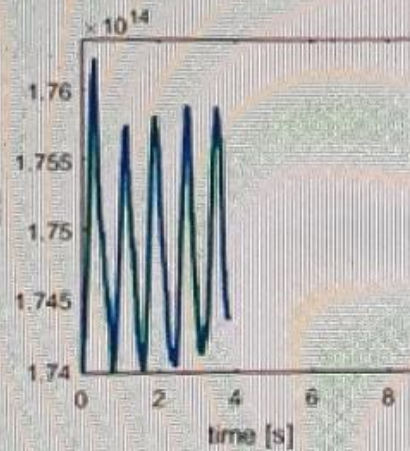
D3 Post-Repair	
Right Lung	76.7%
Left Lung	23.3%
CoV _{RL}	36.9%
CoV _{VD}	56.3%

2 month age	
Right Lung	67.1%
Left Lung	32.9%
CoV _{RL}	41.8%
CoV _{VD}	56.8%

Idea CoV: RL 46%; VD 55%

Defining the mechanical disunity of the CDH lung

Differential Image at time 3.8s



Contralateral Lung $\tau = 0.067s$

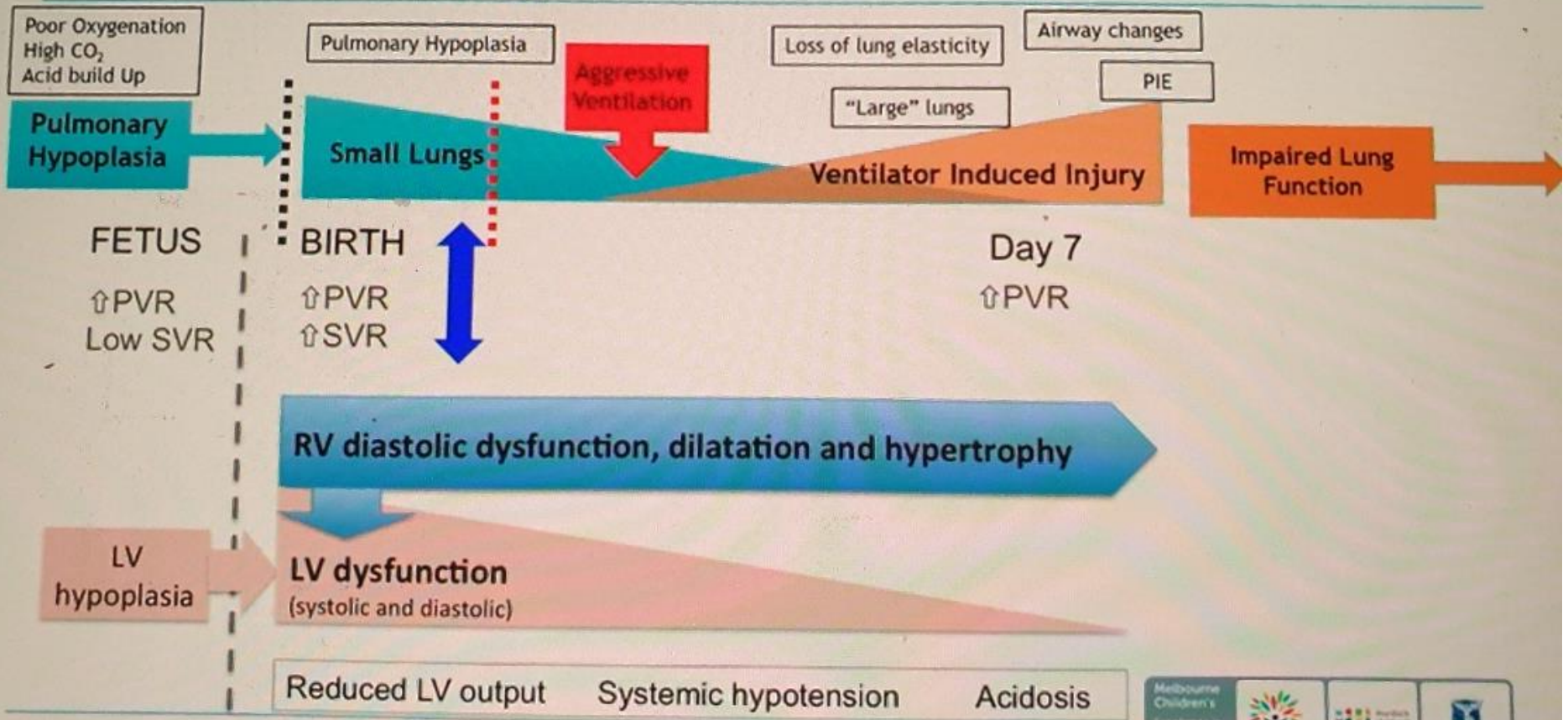
Ipsilateral Lung $\tau = 0.065s$

Time to achieve steady state end-inspiratory volume

Contralateral = 0.335 s

Ipsilateral = 0.325 s

Summary Cardiorespiratory trajectory of CDH



Adapted from Patel and Kipfmueller Sem Ped Surg 2017



CDH22

What matters to us: Personalising Support for people with CDH?

Philosophy of Care

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Professionals vs families : What matters to us?

Mortality - Comorbidities

- Mortality : from 10 to 40%
- Comorbidities: from 40 to 60%
 - Chronic lung disease, Pulmonary hypertension;
 - Oral aversion, failure to thrive, growth retardation;
 - Scoliosis, pectus excavatum;

How can we better predict the outcome ?

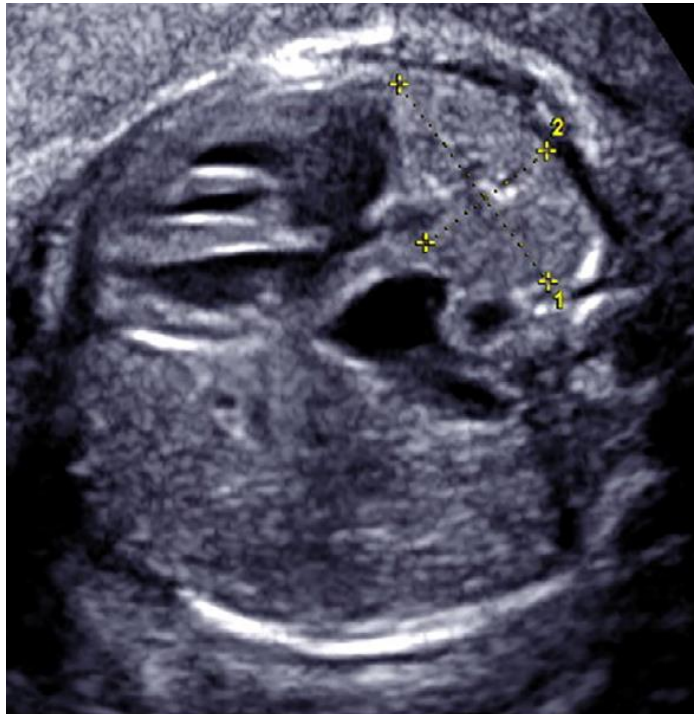
Prenatal prognostic factors

- Isolated CDH or syndromic CDH?
- Gestational age at birth ;
- Side of the CDH ;
- Severity of the pulmonary hypoplasia.

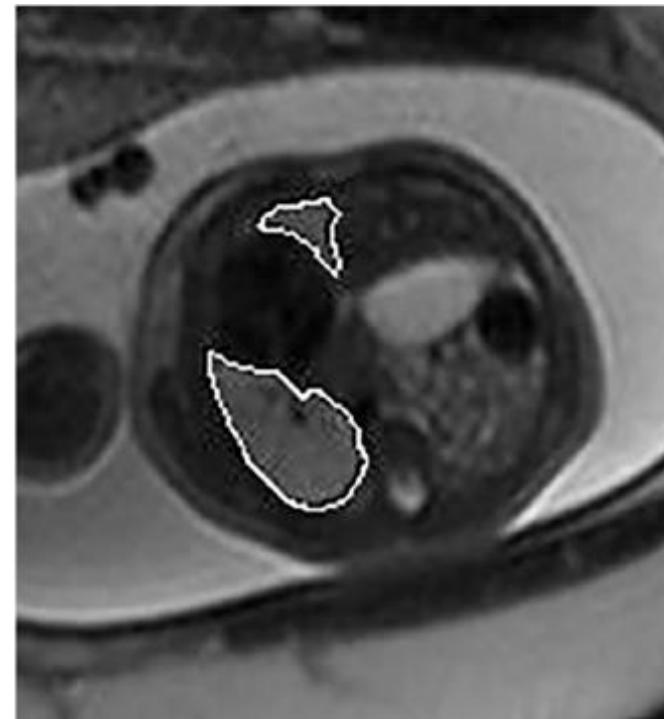
Severity of the pulmonary hypoplasia and of the pulmonary hypertension

Prenatal assessment of the lung volume:

Observed/expected « lung over head ratio »



MRI: O/E Fetal Lung volume



Observed/expected « Lung over head ratio »

Table 2 – Prognosis of Left CDH with liver UP correlates with LHR observed/expected measured at US evaluation.

Left CDH, liver UP	LHR o/e	Survival
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Mild	>45%	95%

AG Cordier, Semin Perinatol 2020

Lung volume measured by MRI

Table 3 – Prognosis of Left CDH depending on liver position and TFLV (Total Fetal Lung Volume) by MRI.

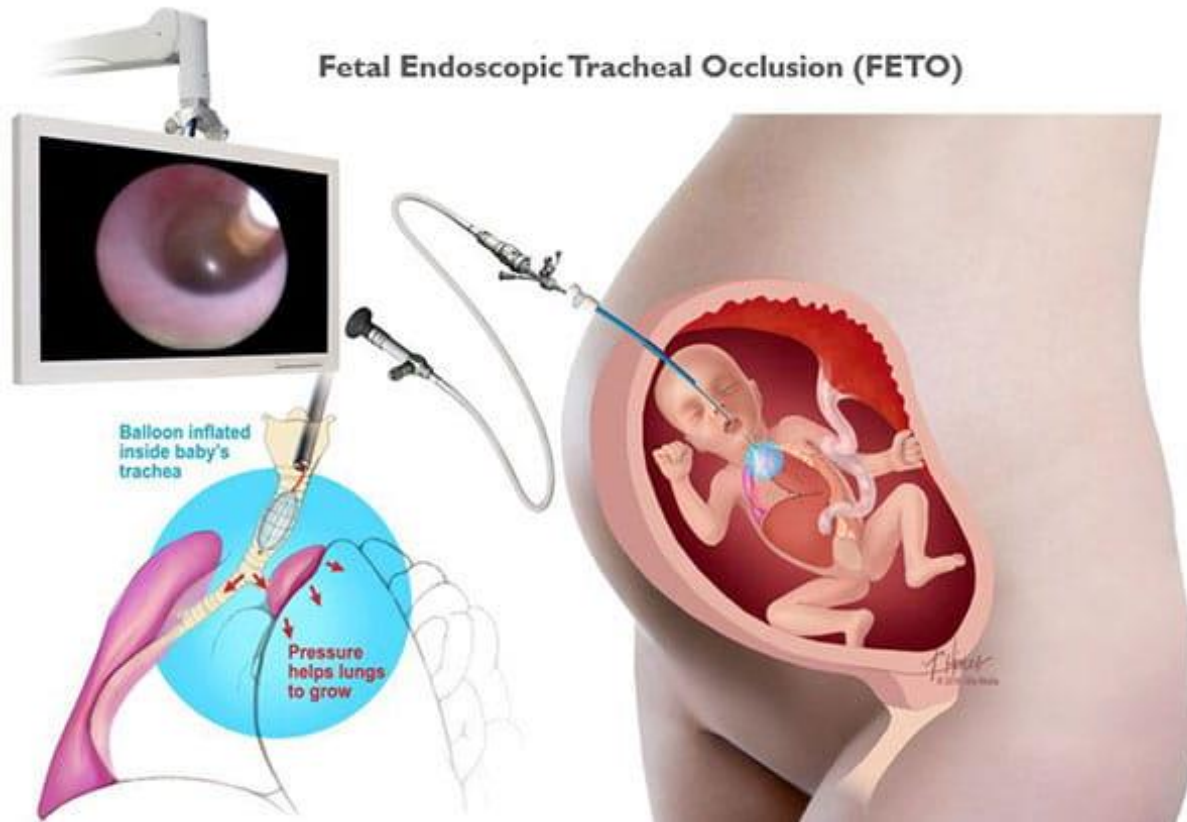
	TFLV o/e	Survival	
		Liver UP	Liver DOWN
Very severe	<15%	12%	40%
Severe	16–25%	40%	85%
Moderate	26–45%	65%	85%
Mild	>45%	75%	85%

Can we predict mortality?

- Yes, assessment of the vital risk is possible in the fetus with CDH;
- Consensual methods and indicators: O/E LHR, O/E MRI Lung volume;
- Standardized and reliable methods;
- Regular training at least in reference centres;

Prenatal assessment of vital risk: *impact for the management / research ?*

Indication for Fetoscopic Endoluminal Tracheal Occlusion (FETO)



Picture from the *Cincinnati Children's Fetal Care Center*

Clinical trials

Stratification of the
population according
prenatal prognostic
factors

J Deprest, NEJM 2021

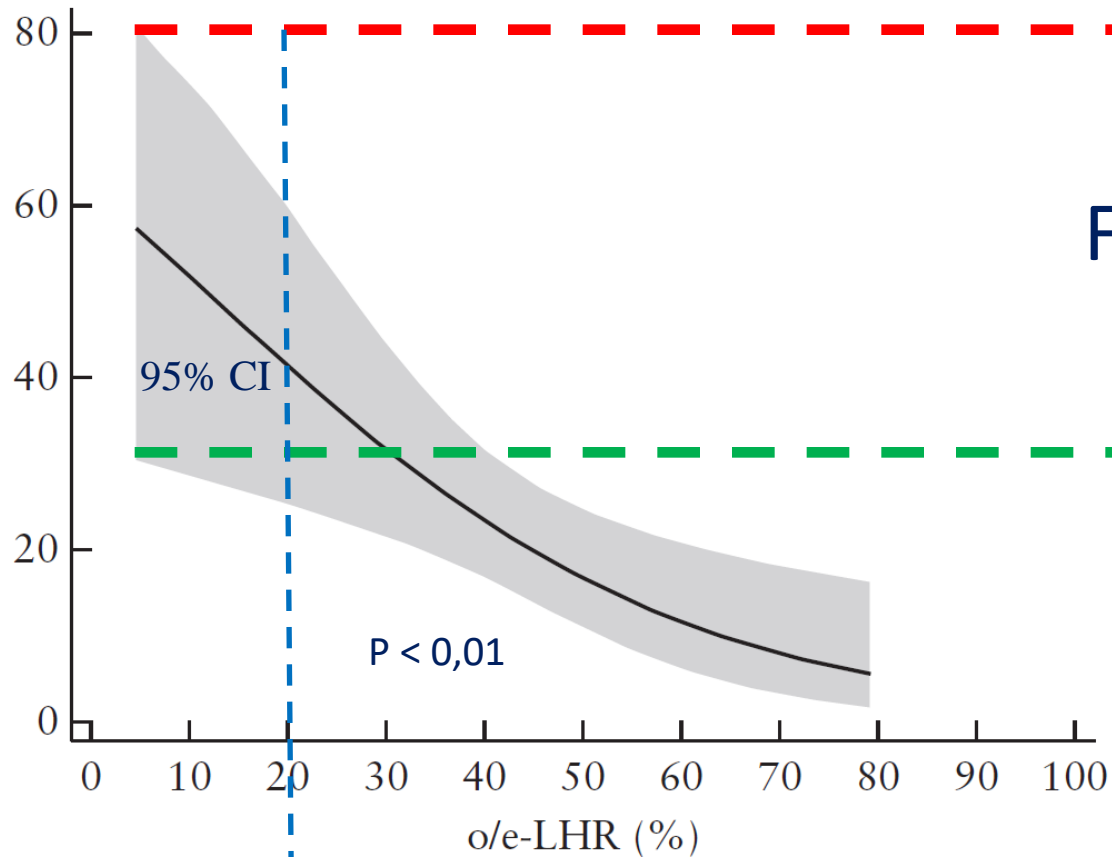
Prenatal assessment of vital risk: *Which information for the parents?*

Mortality depends on lung size and liver position

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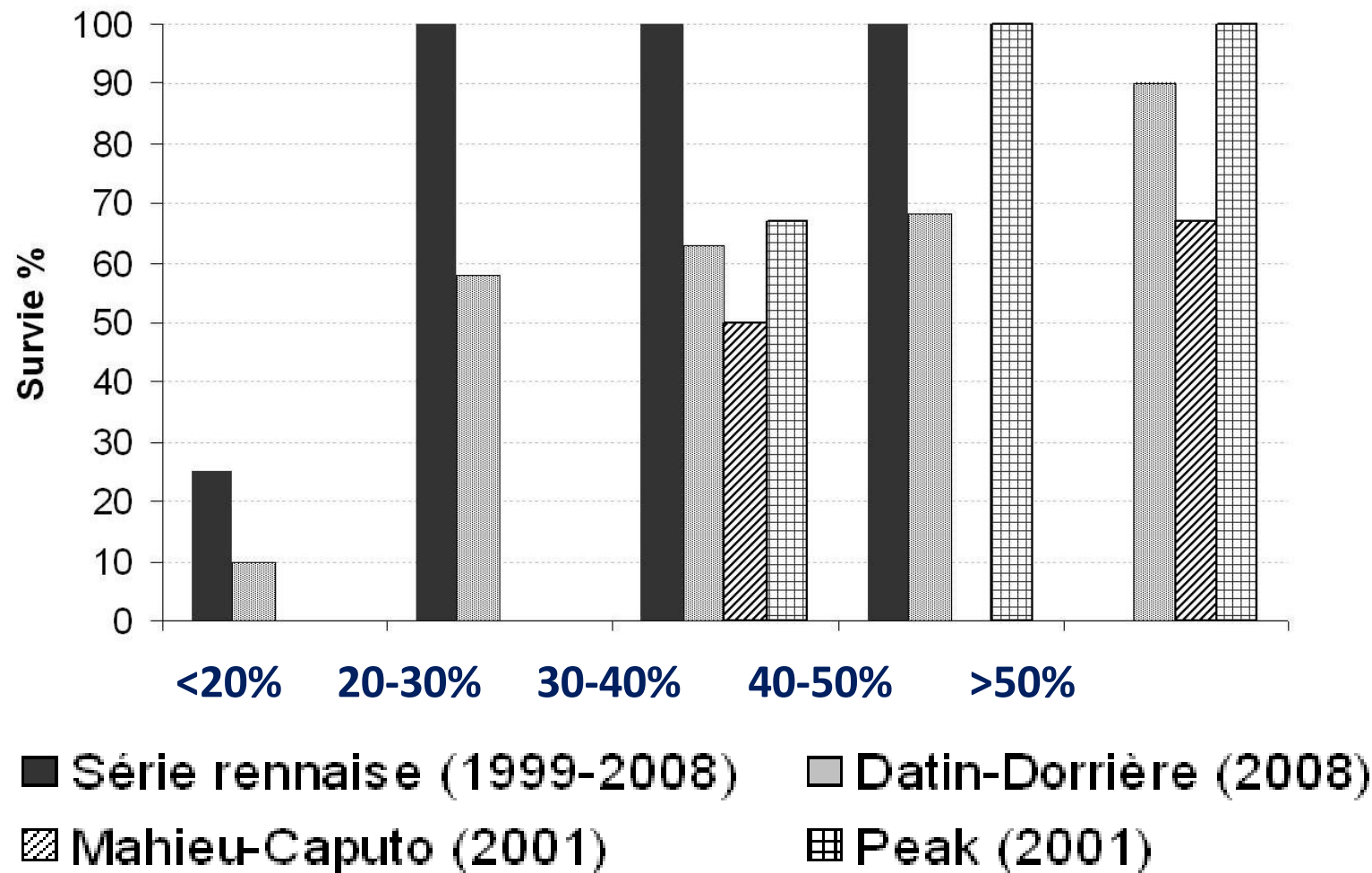
Adjusted mortality at 28 days

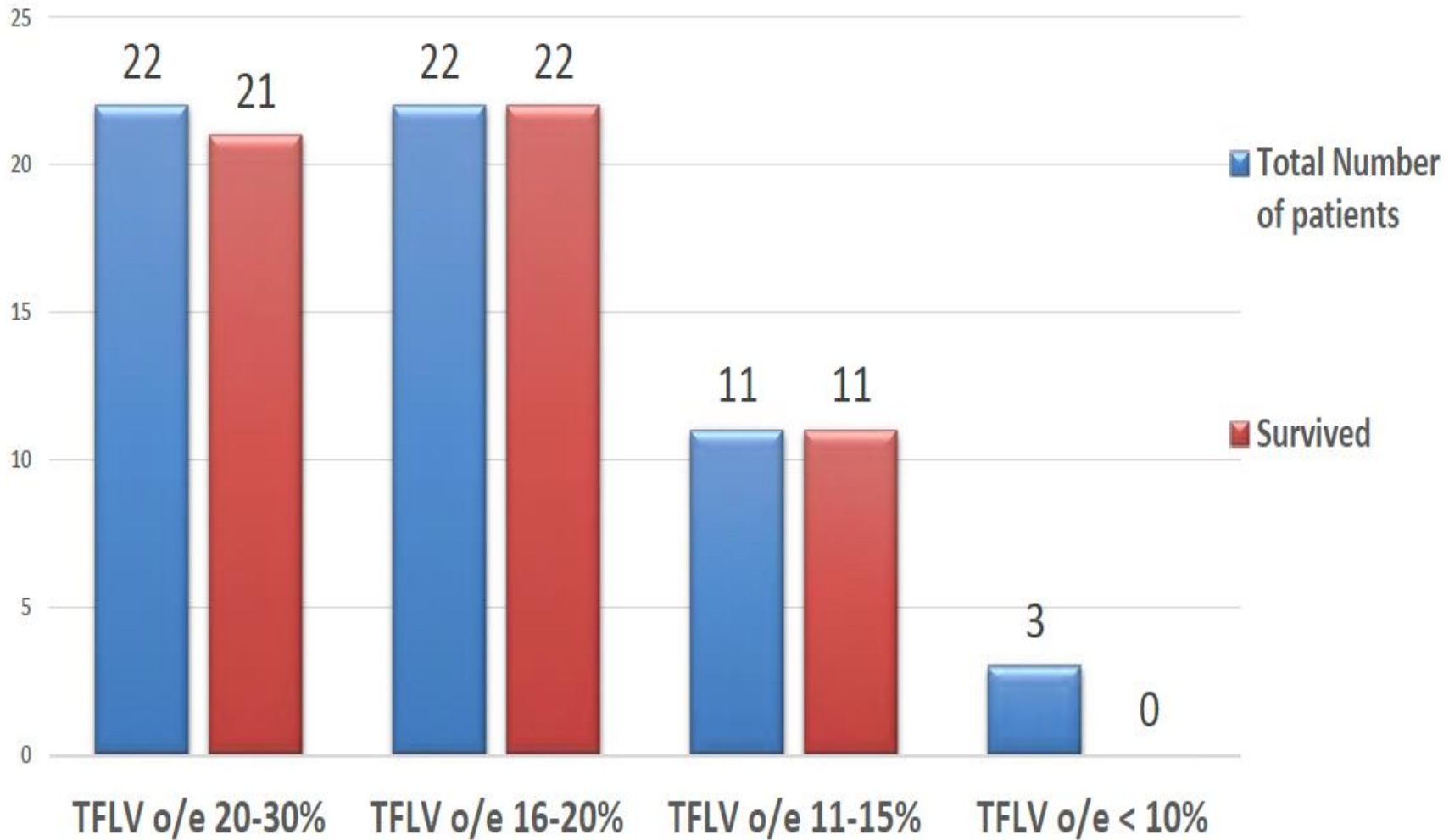


- 420 fetuses with CDH :
- from 31 perinatal units
 - from 2008 to 2013

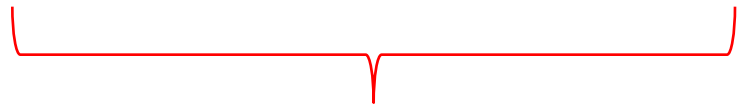
High variability of mortality between centres in France despite fetal lung volume adjustment

Survival according fetal lung volume





Survival adjusted
for the fetal lung volume

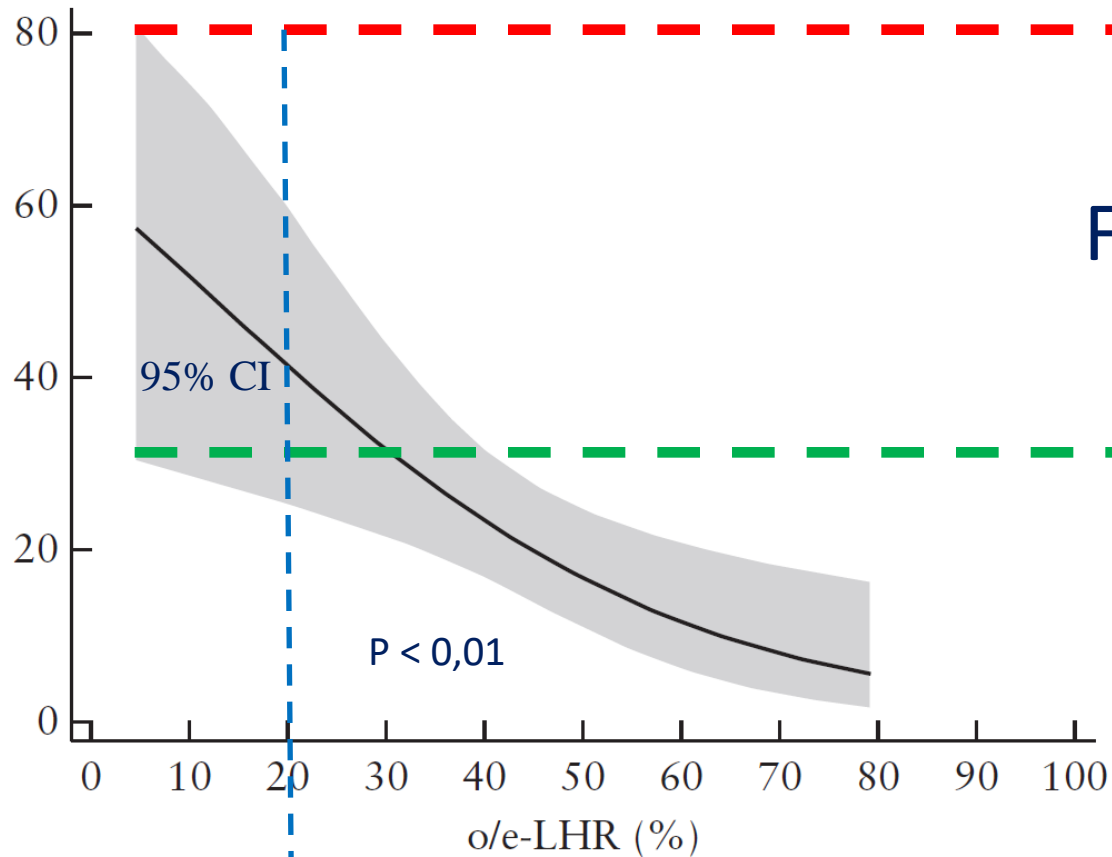


Survival 100%

Kays DW, John Hopkins Houston

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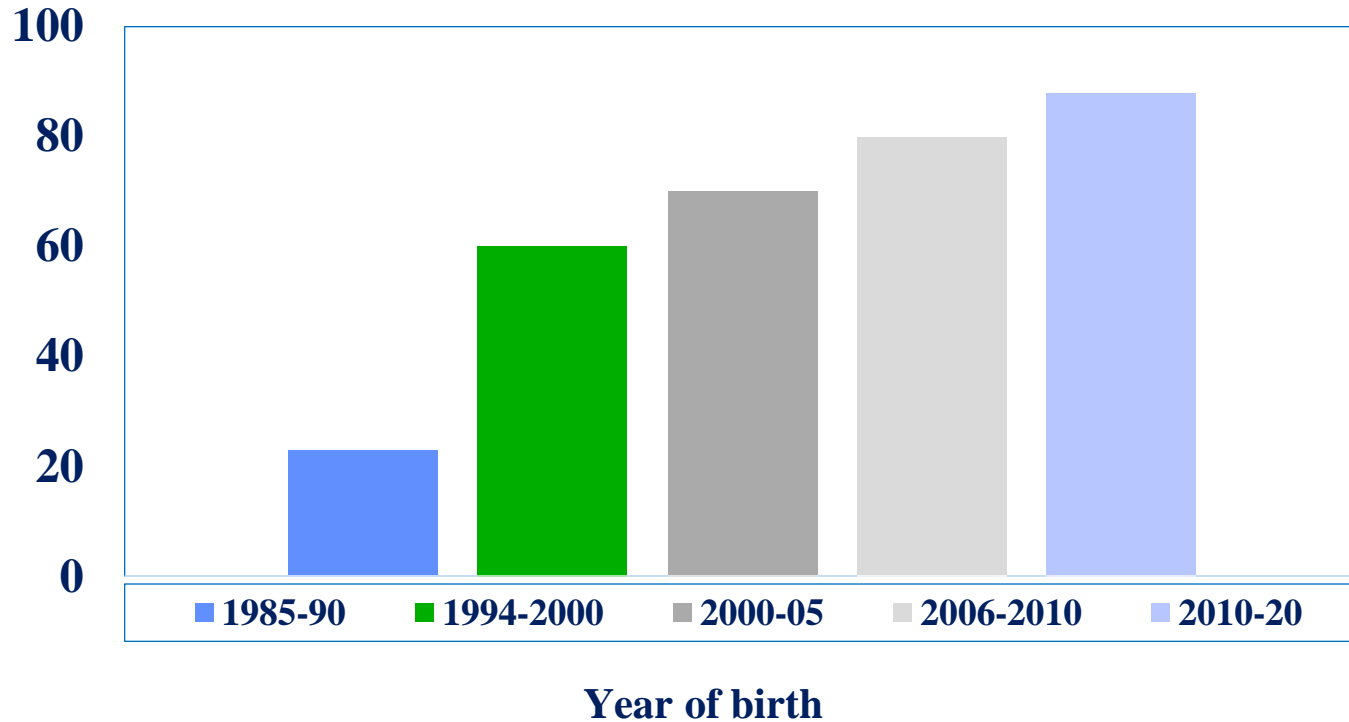
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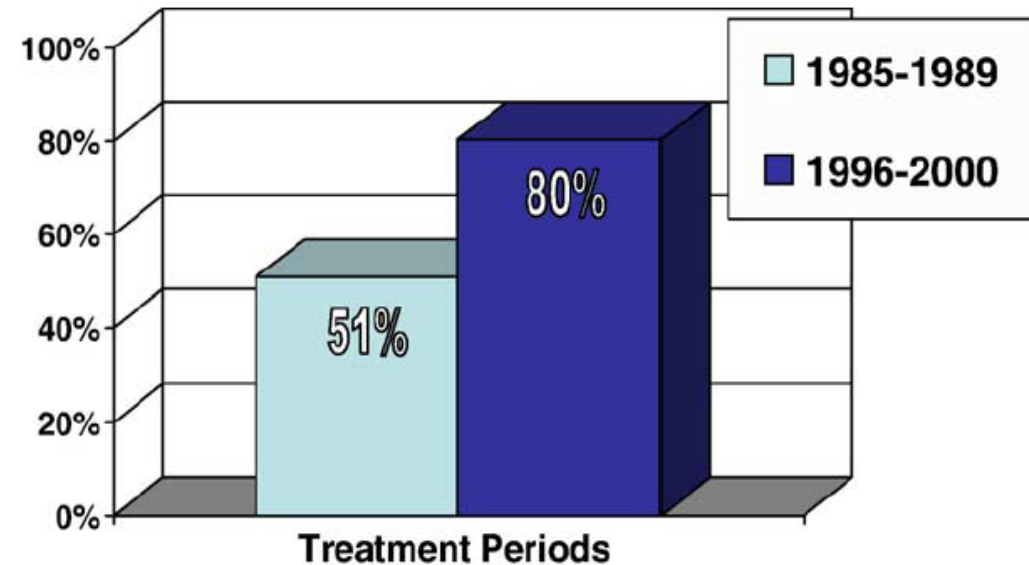
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Change in survival over time



Change in survival rate in the Nord – Pas de Calais area in France
N=420 CDH infants



Chiu P et al. J Ped Surg, 2006

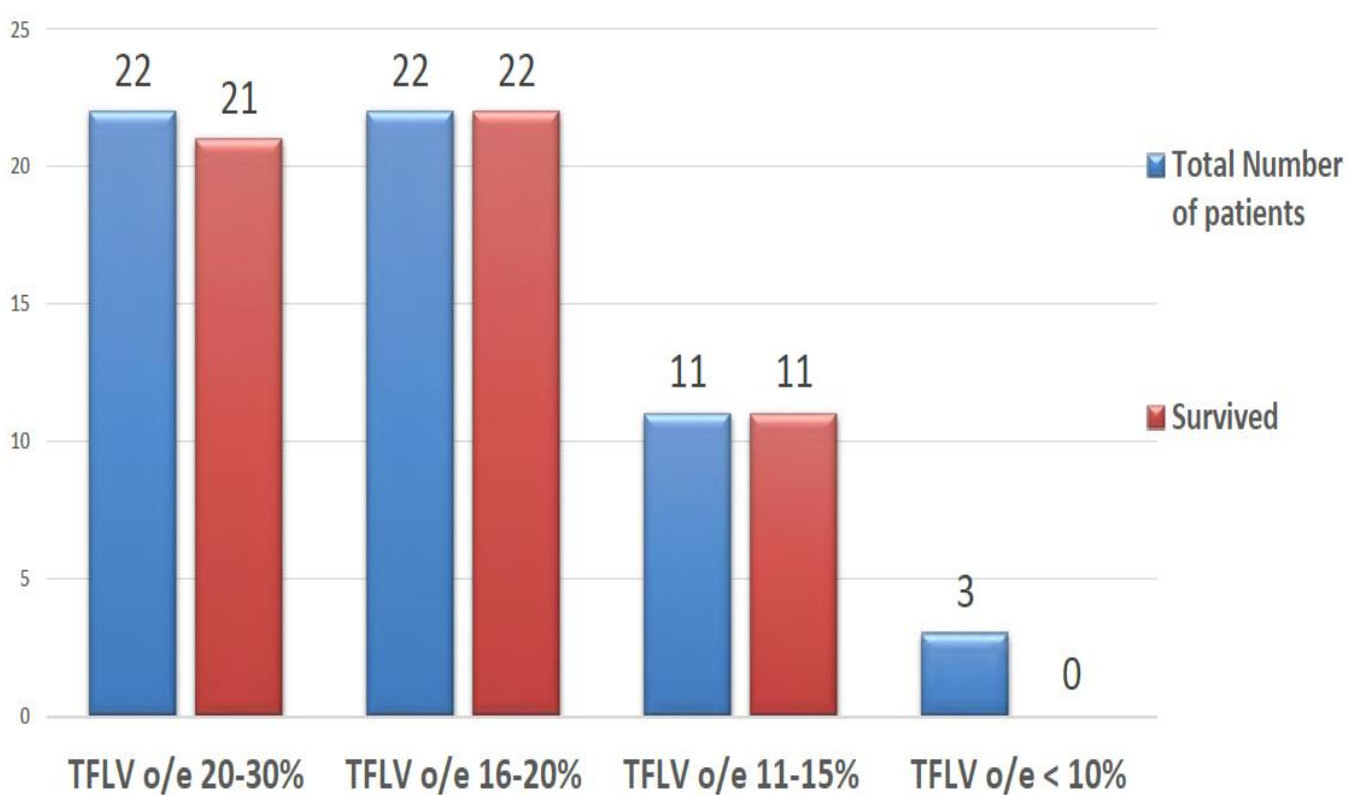
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} < 30% survival

Possible biais through self-fulfilling prophecy shown in the following conditions:

- Limits of viability in the preterm baby (*EPIPAGE 1 vs 2, Stanak M, BMC Pediatr 2019*);
- Polymalformative syndrome (*Pfeifer U. J Matern Fetal Neonatal Med 2018*);
- Cerebral stroke in adult (*Montano R, Handb Clin Neurol 2021*);



Survival adjusted for the fetal lung volume

Kays DW, John Hopkins Houston

What if we put it all together?

- Protect lungs
- Risk Stratify Repair timing
- Get Everyone Repaired
- Do Great ECMO
 - Good decision making
 - Minimize errors
- Believe they can Survive
- What If ?

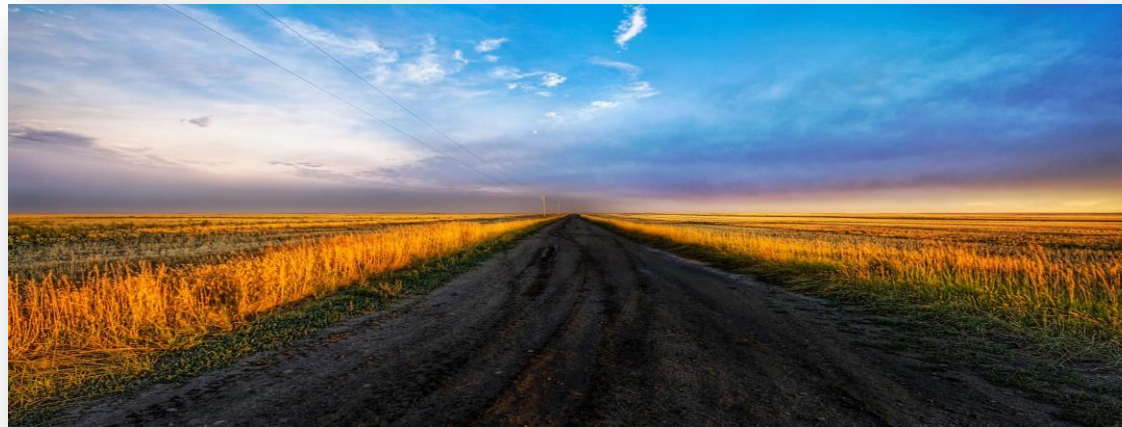
- Believe they can survive
 - Minimize Errors
 - Learn from mistakes
 - Simplify care

Prenatal prognosis assessment: *What is at stake for the parents?*

Mortality rate?

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Long-term outcome, the future of their baby



Nutritional outcome

	At 2 years N = 51	At 5 years N = 49
Oral aversion	18 (35%)	12 (25%)
Gastro-esophageal reflux	14 (30%)	7 (15%)
Growth retardation	9 (20%)	15 (30%)

S Jaillard et al. Ann Thorac Surg, 2003

S Jaillard et al. Eur J CardioThorac Surg, 2000

Respiratory outcome

	At 2 years N = 51	At 5 years N = 49
Tracheotomy	1	0
O2 supplementation	2 (5%)	0
Bronchiolitis	22 (50%)	0
Asthma	-	7 (15%)

S Jaillard et al. Ann Thorac Surg, 2003

S Jaillard et al. Eur J CardioThorac Surg, 2000

What is at stake ? Quality of life

- Score of the CDH patients similar to control;
- **No correlation between prenatal risk factors, severity of the disease, and the health-related quality of life;**

Derragh G, Eur J Pediatr Surg 2020
Koivusalo A, J Pediatr Surgery, 2005
Jill L. Morsberger, J Pediatr Surg 2019



Key determinants of quality of life :

- Supportive environments: positive family coping, strong support network;
- Individual adaptability: motivation, hardiness;
- Resources and supports available to the family.

Quality of life, the future?

Our ability to respond to the parents needs:

- Empathy,
- Alliance,
- Relational commitment;



“As for the future,
it is not a matter of foreseeing it,
but of making it possible”

Antoine de Saint-Exupéry



What matters to us: Personalising Support for people with CDH

Theoretical aspects of parental support

- *Personalising Care for patients & families with CDH*

Kelly Saint Denny, Lille University Hospital

Practical aspects of parental support

- *Family Integrated Care in CDH: lessons from Preterm Care*

Karel O'Brien, Mount Sinai Hospital, Toronto

- *Implementing FICare for CDH*

Carolyn McConnell, Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow