

HIPERTENSION PULMONAR

Tratamientos no específicos

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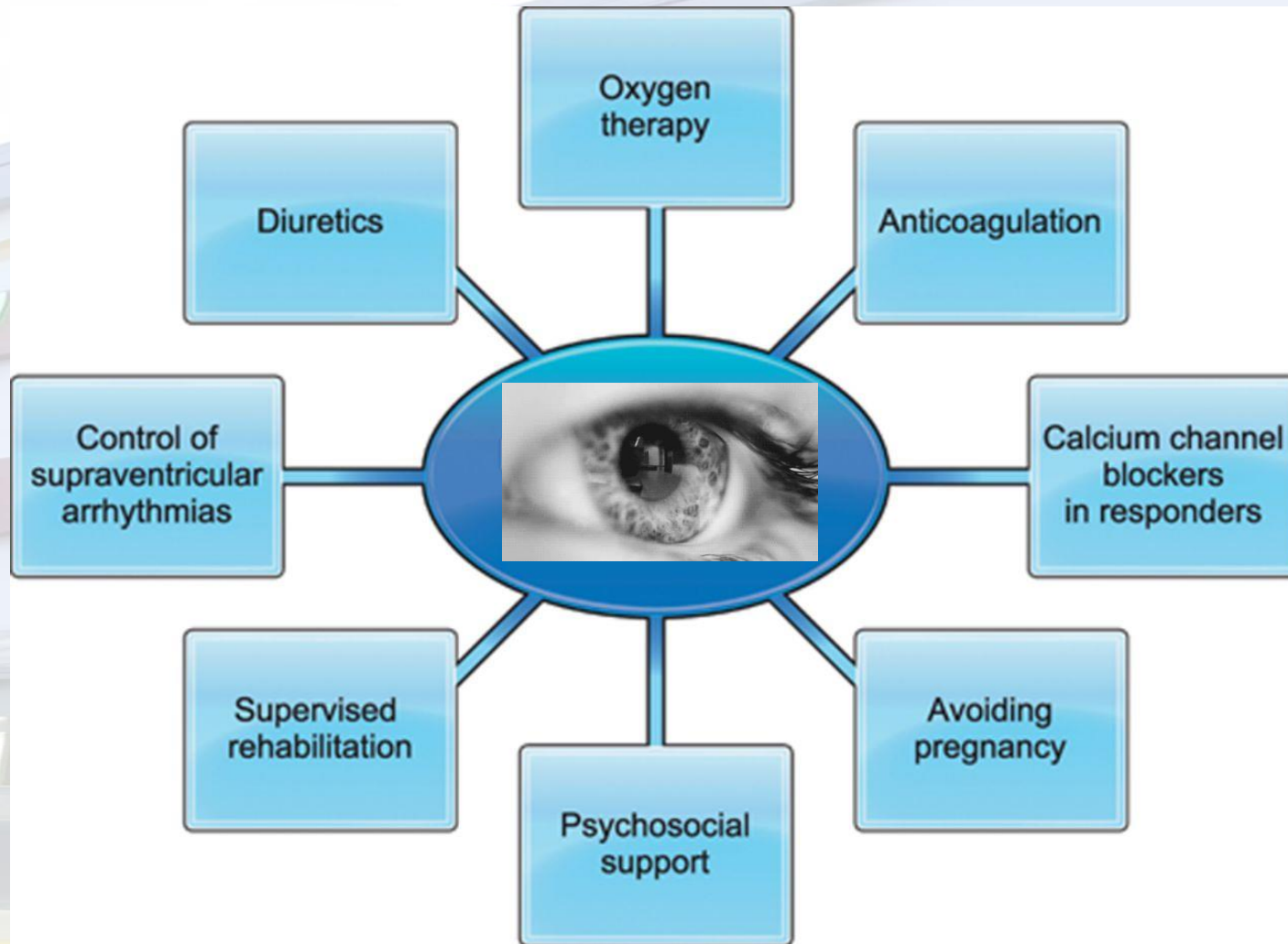
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Medidas generales

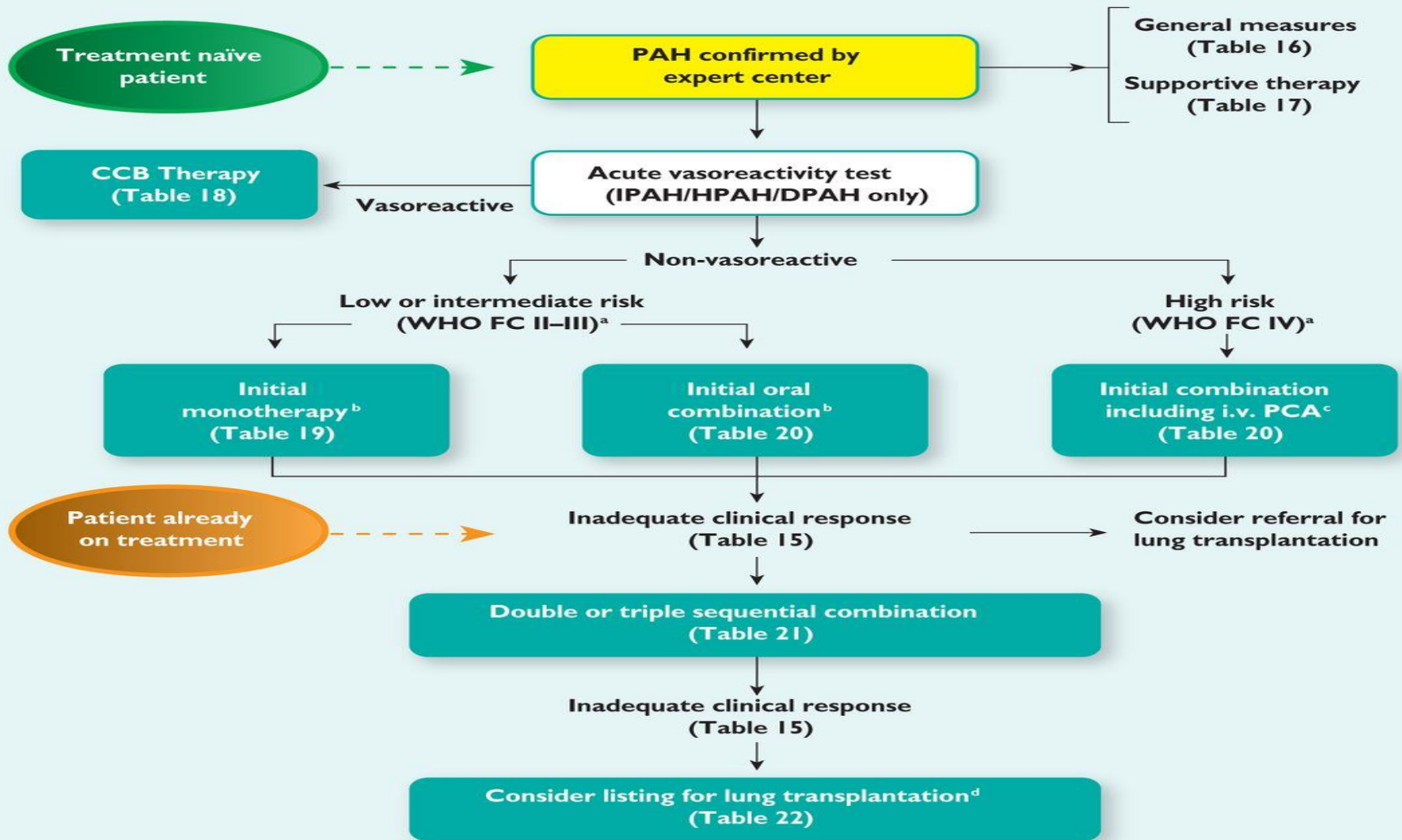


Basic measures and conventional therapies in PAH. The components of basic measures in the management of PAH are shown.



Humbert M et al. *Circulation*. 2014;130:2189-2208

Algoritmo de inicio terapeutico



CCB = calcium channel blockers; DPAH = drug-induced PAH; HPAH = heritable PAH; IPAH = idiopathic PAH; i.v. = intravenous; PAH = pulmonary arterial hypertension; PCA = prostacyclin analogues; WHO-FC = World Health Organization functional class.

^aSome WHO-FC III patients may be considered high risk (see Table 13).

^bInitial combination with ambrisentan plus tadalafil has proven to be superior to initial monotherapy with ambrisentan or tadalafil in delaying clinical failure.

^cIntravenous epoprostenol should be prioritised as it has reduced the 3 months rate for mortality in high risk PAH patients also as monotherapy.

^dConsider also balloon atrial septostomy.

Avoid pregnancy (I-C)
 Influenza and pneumococcal immunization (I-C)
 Supervised rehabilitation (IIa-B)
 Psycho-social support (IIa-C)
 Avoid excessive physical activity (III-C)

General measures and supportive therapy

Diuretics (I-C)
 Oxygen* (I-C)
 Oral anticoagulants:
 IPAH, heritable PAH and PAH due to anorexigens (IIa-C)
 APAH (IIb-C)
 Digoxin (IIb-C)

Expert Referral (I-C)

Acute vasoreactivity test
 (I-C for IPAH)
 (IIb-C for APAH)

VASOREACTIVE

NON VASOREACTIVE

WHO-FC I-III
 CCB (I-C)

Sustained response
 (WHO-FC I-II)

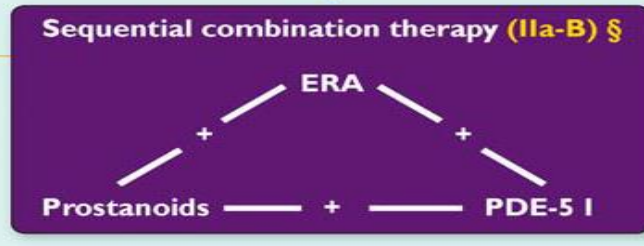
YES
 Continue CCB

INADEQUATE CLINICAL RESPONSE

BAS (I-C) and/or Lung transplantation (I-C)

INITIAL THERAPY			
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I-A	Ambrisentan, Bosentan, Sildenafil	Ambrisentan, Bosentan, Sitaxentan, Sildenafil, Epoprostenol i.v., Iloprost inhaled	Epoprostenol i.v.
I-B	Tadalafil†	Tadalafil†, Treprostinil s.c., inhaled†	
IIa-C	Sitaxentan	Iloprost i.v., Treprostinil i.v.	Ambrisentan, Bosentan, Sitaxentan, Sildenafil, Tadalafil†, Iloprost inhaled, and i.v. Treprostinil s.c., i.v., Inhaled† Initial Combination Therapy
IIb-B		Beraprost	

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Los cambios hemodinámicos del embarazo comportan

- 1) Aumento de la volemia**
- 2) Aumento de la PVC**
- 3) Reducción de la precarga del VD por compresión cava**
- 4) Reducción de la capacidad pulmonar**
- 5) Estatus pro coagulante de la progesterona**



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La mortalidad de las pacientes gestantes con hipertensión pulmonar aumenta entre el **12 al 17%** por encima de la basal marcada por su CF



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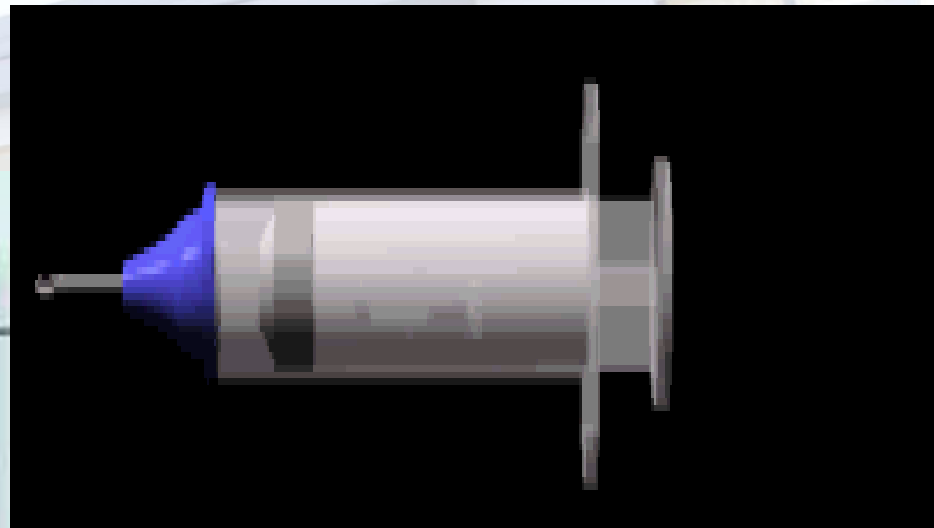


Barrera+ hormonal



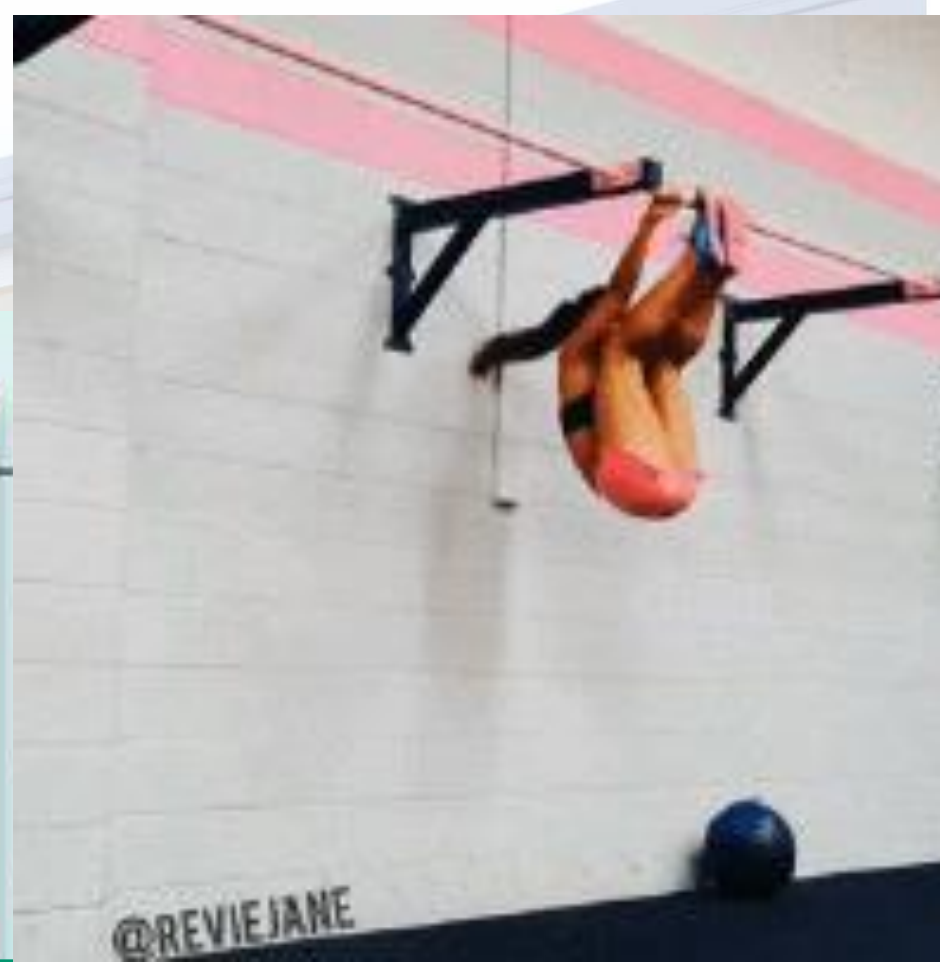
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EJERCICIO

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No debe ser contraindicado el ejercicio aeróbico
No cualquier tipo de actividad física en cualquier condición

Debe ser rehabilitación supervisada programada



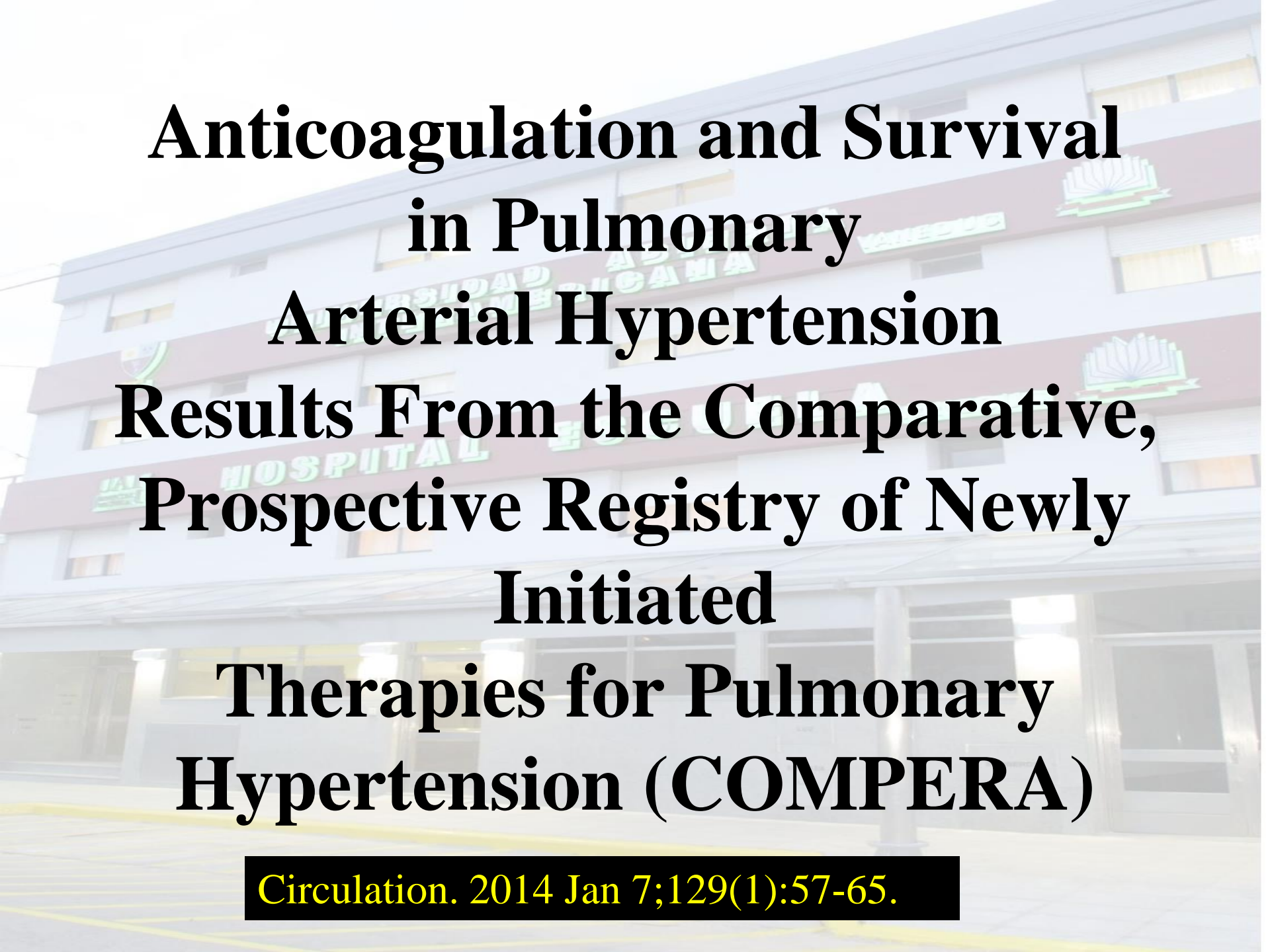
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Anticoagulación

ANTICOAGULACIÓN EN HIPERTENSION PULMONAR





**Anticoagulation and Survival
in Pulmonary
Arterial Hypertension
Results From the Comparative,
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Circulation. 2014 Jan 7;129(1):57-65.

Glob Cardiol Sci Pract.

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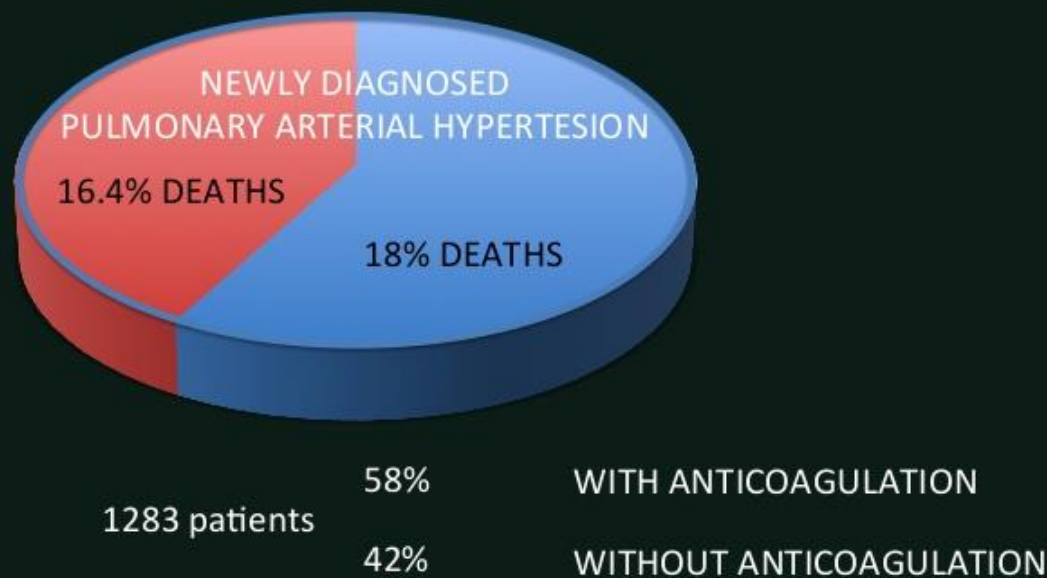
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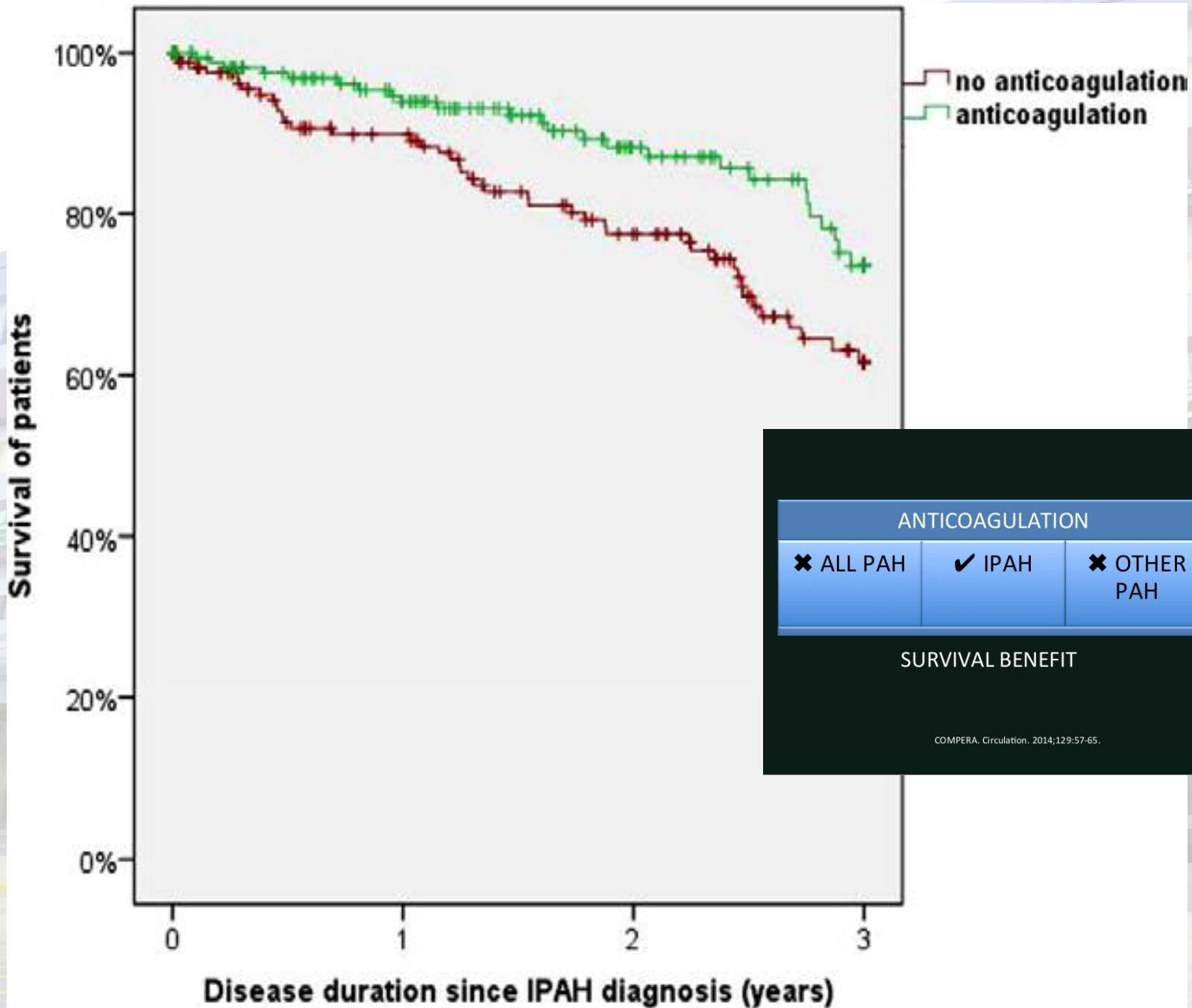
**Anticoagulation in
pulmonary arterial
hypertension:**

**Contemporary data from
COMPERA registry**

Comparative, Prospective Registry of Newly Initiated
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The results of lend support to current recommendations for thCOMPERA e use of anticoagulant therapy in **patients with idiopathic PAH, but not in other forms** of PAH. Also, the study confirmed the previously reported concern that anticoagulant therapy may be harmful in patients with scleroderma-associated PAH



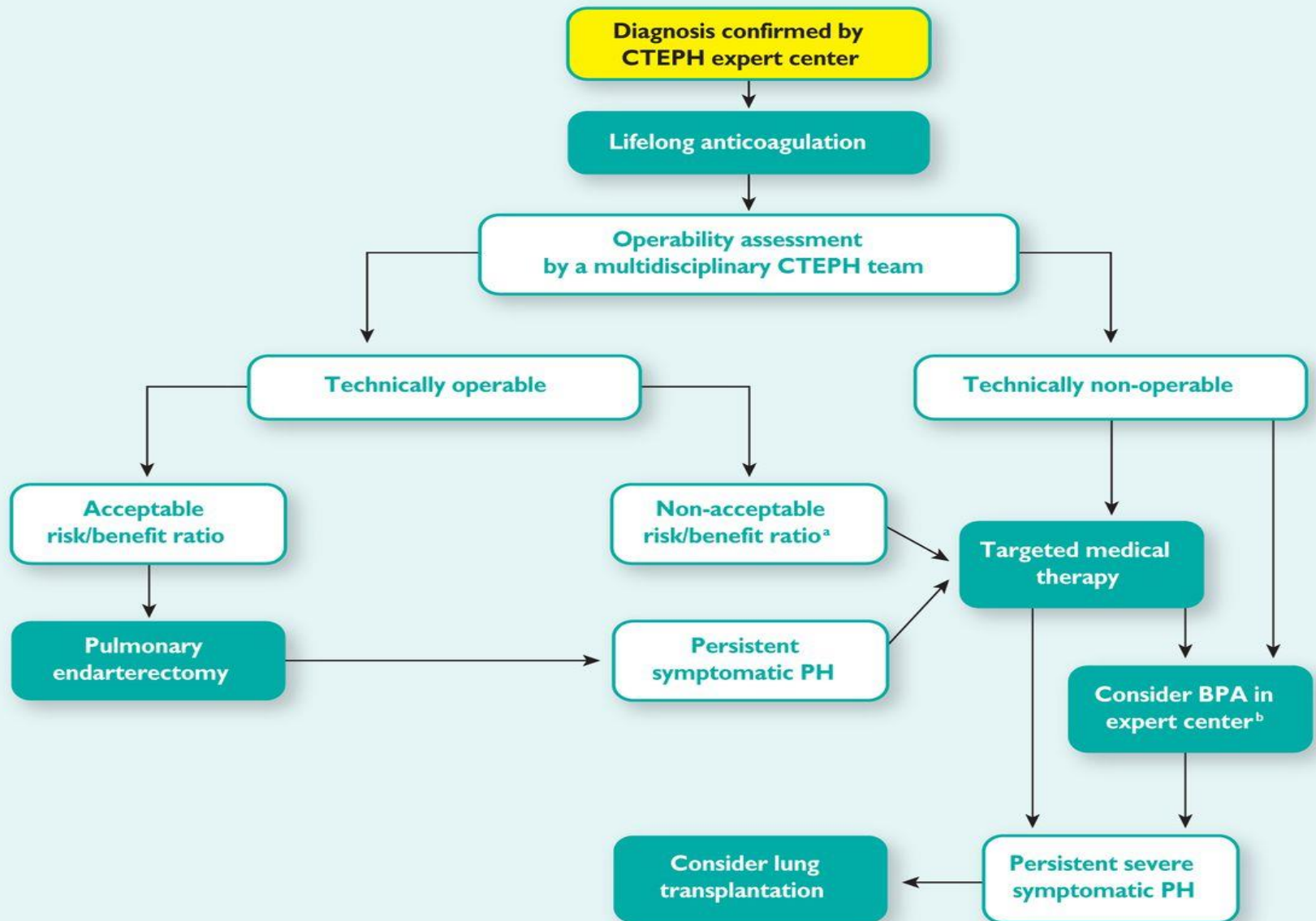
Anticoagulation Therapy for Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension

- Idiopathic PAH
 - Improved survival reported with oral anticoagulation in iPAH¹.
 - *In situ* microscopic thrombosis documented in patients with iPAH
 - RV failure and venous stasis increases risk of pulmonary thromboembolism
 - Recommended target INR 1.5-2.5 but varies from center to center
- PAH associated with other diseases - controversial
 - Consider risk/benefit ratio
 - Scleroderma – risk of increased GI bleeding higher
 - Consider if right ventricle is enlarged and systolic dysfunction present

Badesch D et al. *Chest*. 2004;126.

¹Rich S et al. *N Engl J Med*. 1992;327.

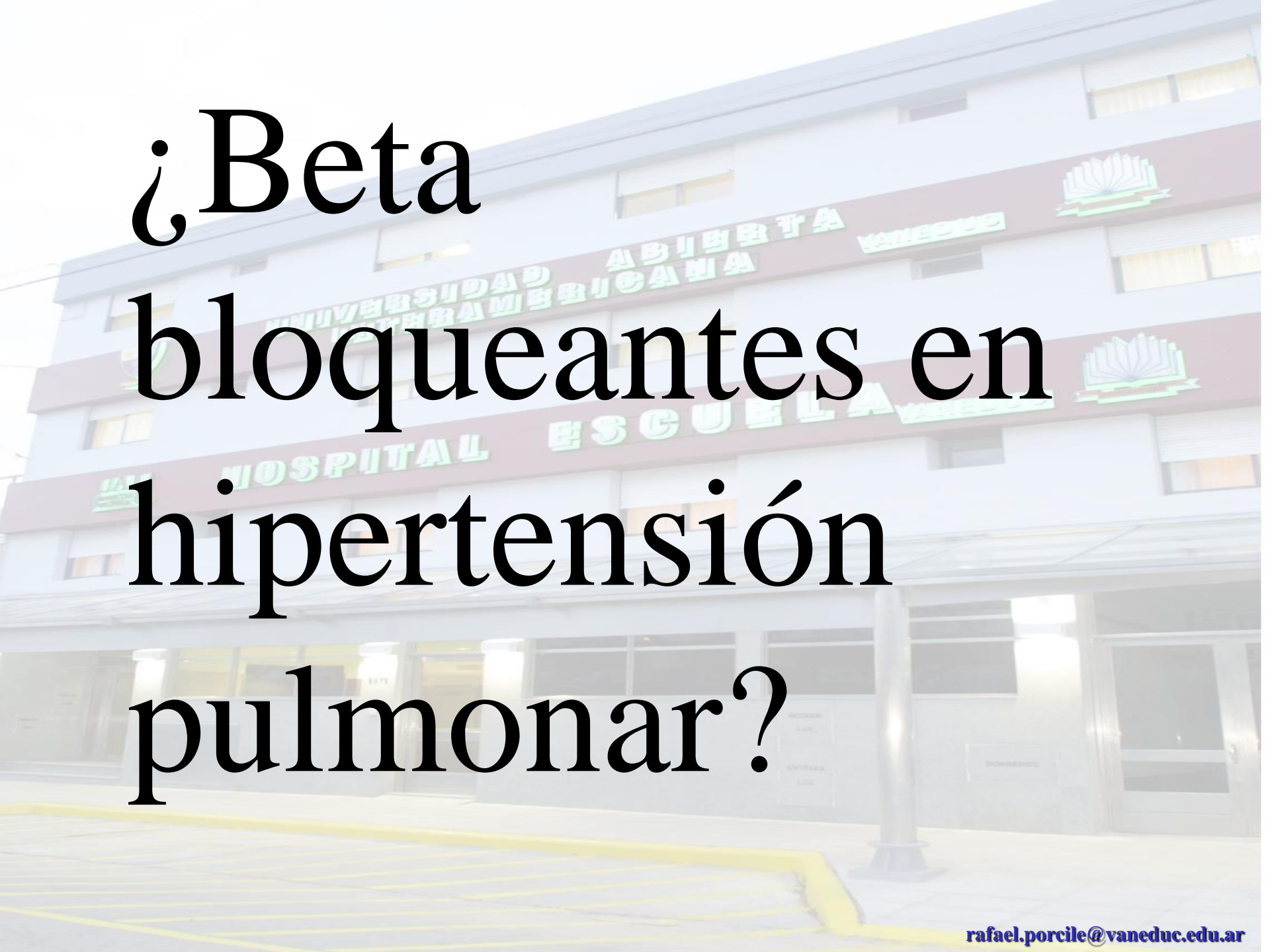
Treatment algorithm for chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension.



BPA = balloon pulmonary angioplasty; CTEPH = chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension; PH = pulmonary hypertension.

^aTechnically operable patients with non-acceptable risk/benefit ratio can be considered also for BPA.

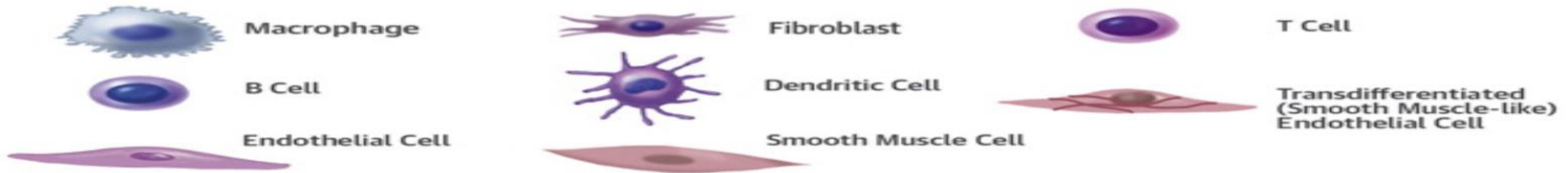
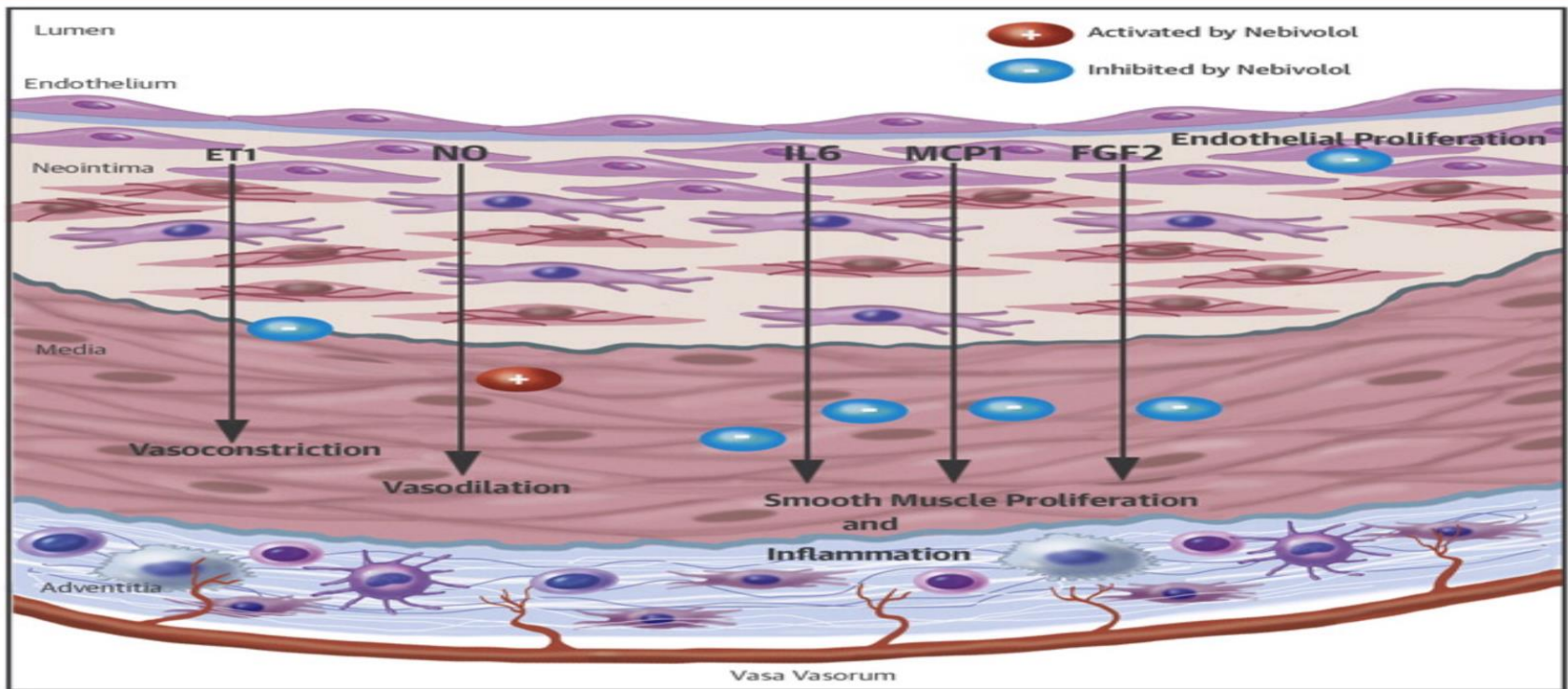
^bIn some centers medical therapy and BPA are initiated concurrently.

The background image shows a multi-story building facade. The text on the building includes 'UNIVERSIDAD ABORIGINAL VANEDUC' in Spanish and 'UNIVERSITY OF VANEDUC' in English. Below that, it says 'HOSPITAL ESCUELA' and 'VANEDUC'. There are logos on the building that look like stylized trees or plants. The main text is overlaid on this image.

¿Beta
bloqueantes en
hipertensión
pulmonar?

From: Nebivolol for Improving Endothelial Dysfunction, Pulmonary Vascular Remodeling, and Right Heart Function in Pulmonary Hypertension

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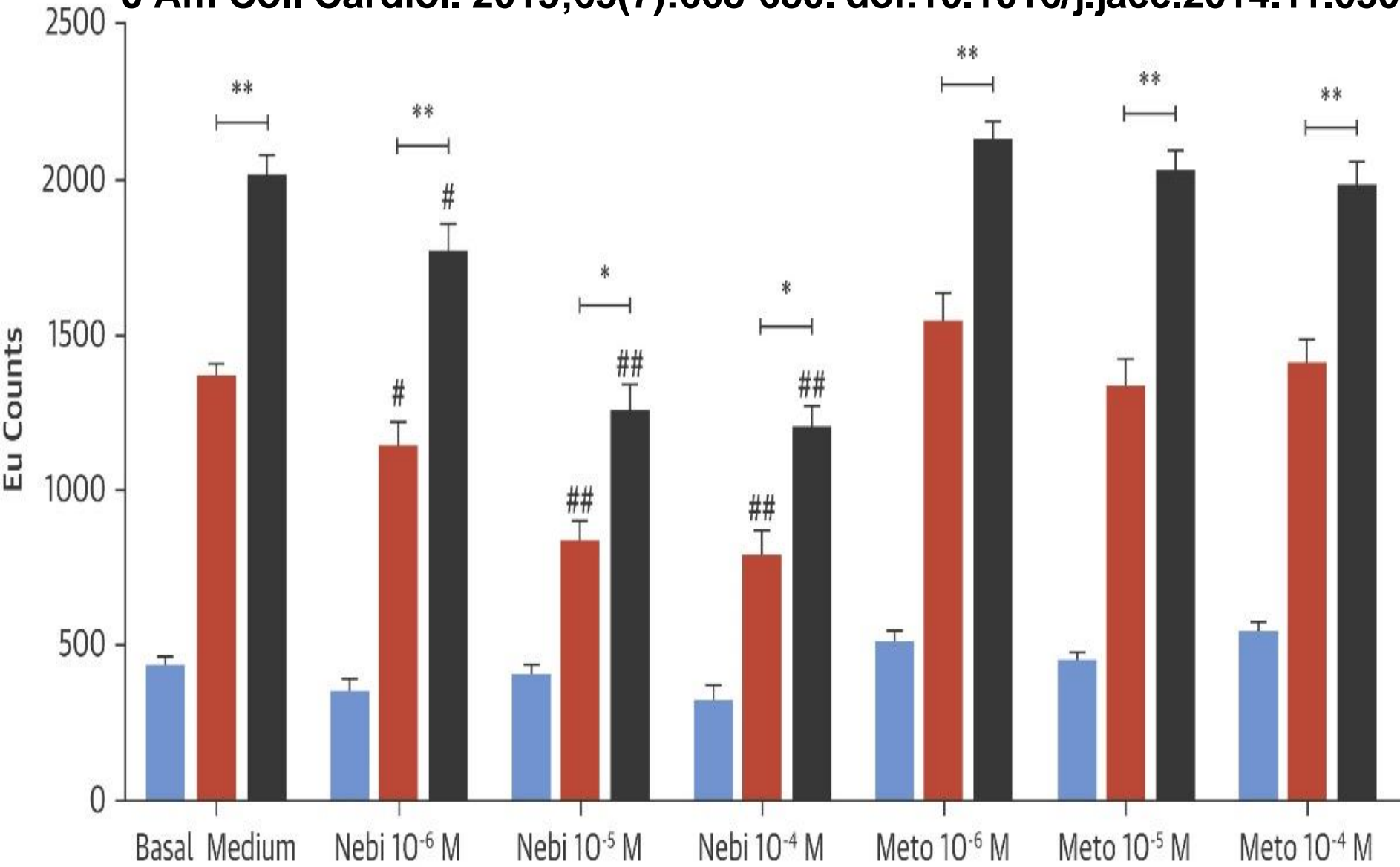
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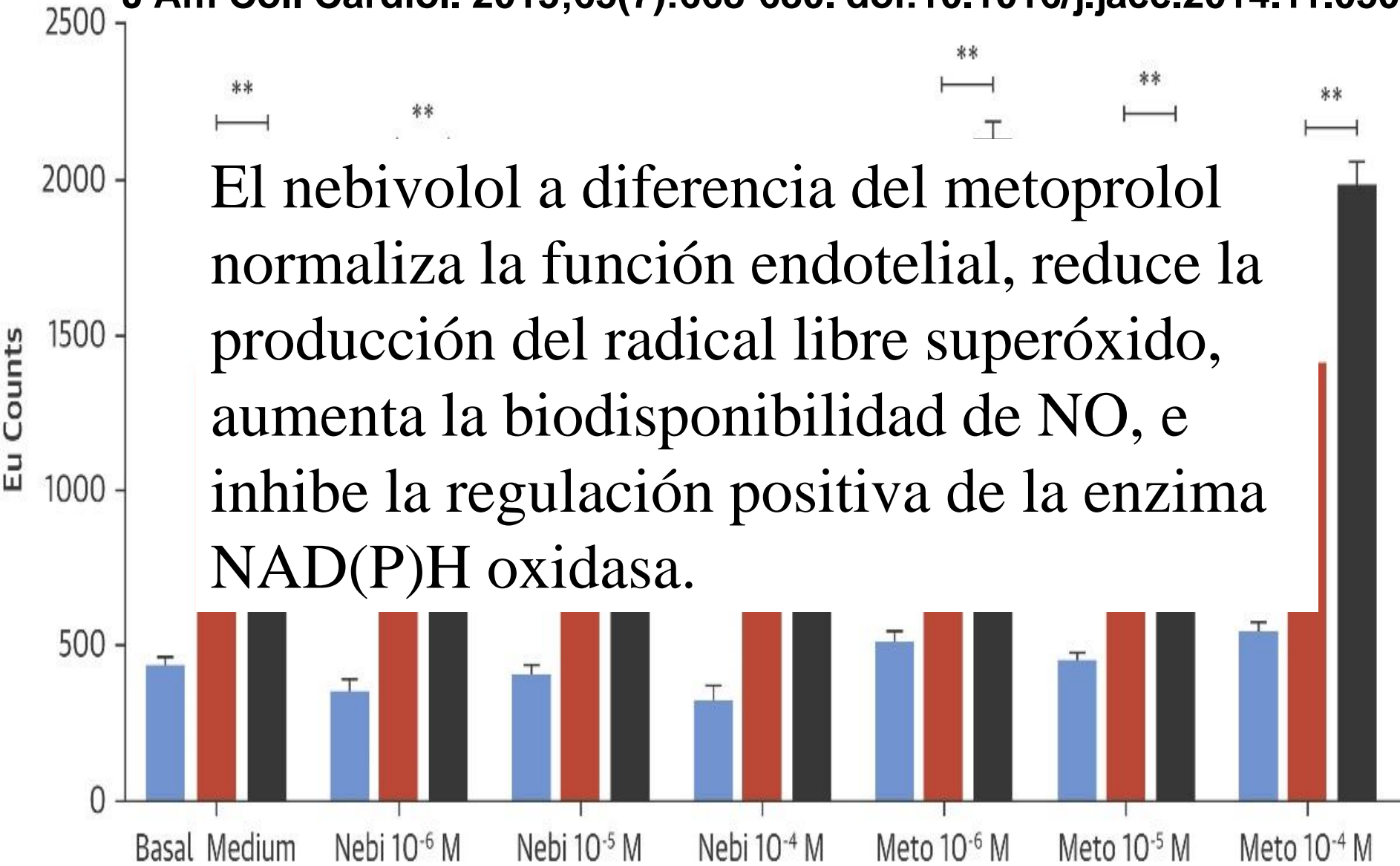
- 1) la proliferación de CE pulmonares (P-CE) control y HAP en cultivo;**
- 2) la producción de factores vasoactivos y proinflamatorios**
- 3) la diafonía (*crosstalk*) con células musculares lisas de arteria pulmonar (AP). Asimismo, se evaluó los efectos de ambos β -bloqueantes en anillos de AP previamente contraídos y se compararon los efectos de ambos β -bloqueantes en HAP experimental.**

Medium Control EC PAH EC

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El nebivolol a diferencia del metoprolol normaliza la función endotelial, reduce la producción del radical libre superóxido, aumenta la biodisponibilidad de NO, e inhibe la regulación positiva de la enzima NAD(P)H oxidasa.

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Nebivolol could be a promising option for the management of PAH, improving endothelial dysfunction, pulmonary vascular remodeling, and right heart function. **Until clinical studies are undertaken, however, routine use of β -blockers in PAH cannot be recommended**

¿Beta
bloqueantes en
hipertensión
pulmonar?



NO! si no

son liberadores

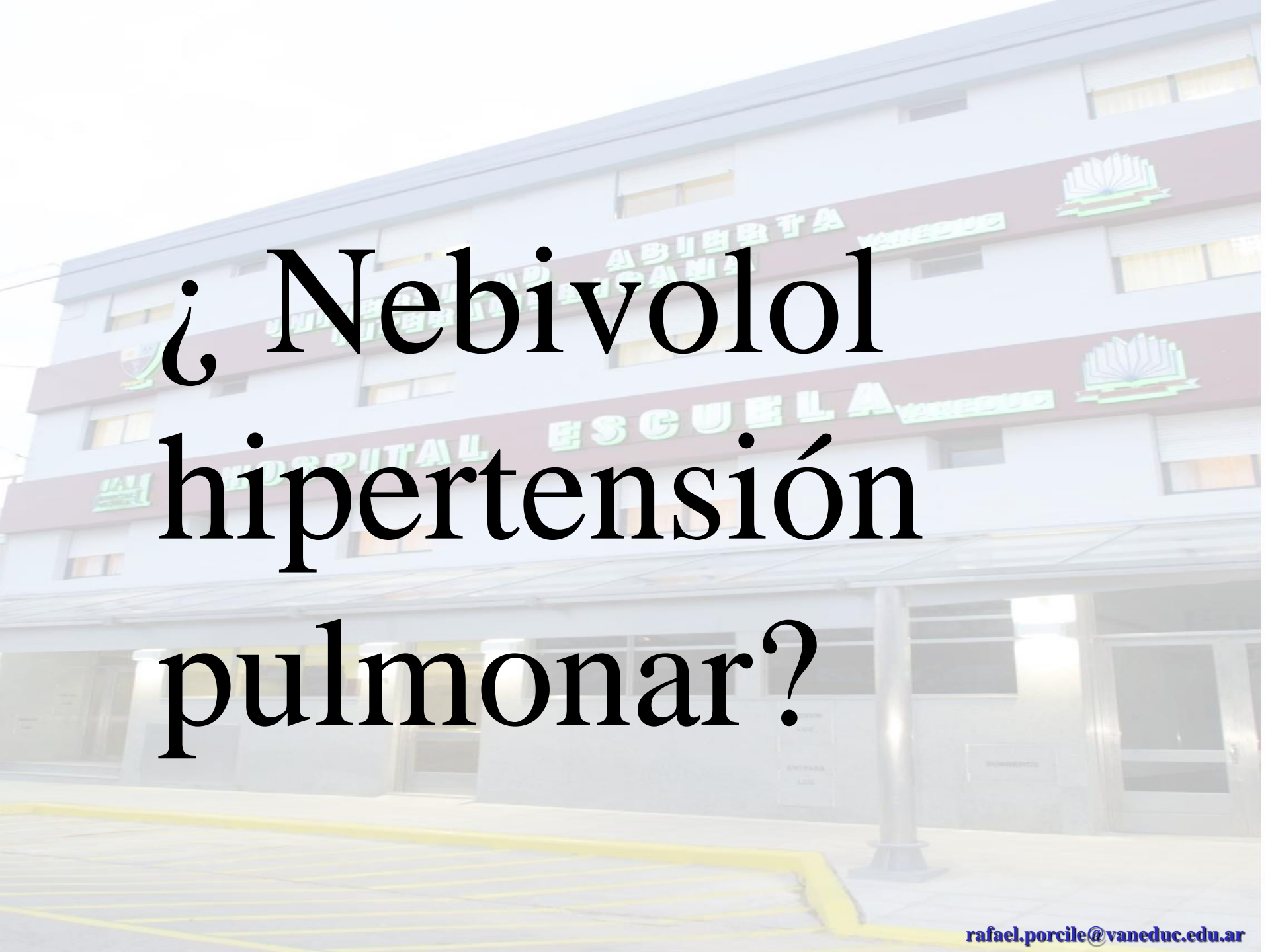
de oxido

nitrico





Reformulemos
la pregunta ...

The background is a photograph of the Hospital Escuela Viedma, a multi-story building with a light blue facade and a prominent red horizontal band. The building features several windows and logos, including a stylized green and blue emblem. The text 'HOSPITAL ESCUELA VIEDMA' is visible on the red band. Overlaid on this image is the question '¿Nebivolol hipertensión pulmonar?' in a large, black, serif font.

¿Nebivolol
hipertensión
pulmonar?

PODRIA

SER.....

Aun NO

NECESITAMOS MAS
INFORMACIÓN

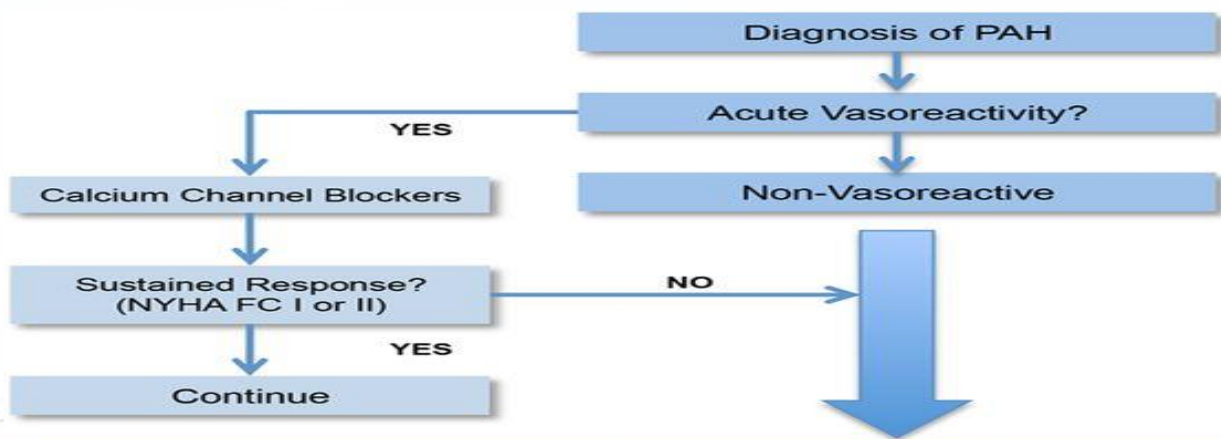


Diuretics (I-C)
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Diuréticos

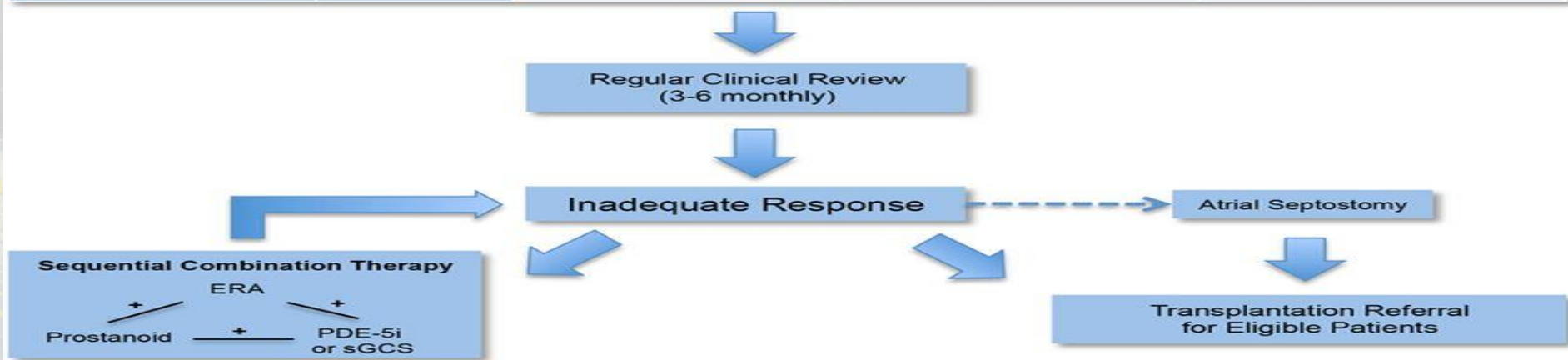
Bloqueantes de la angiotensina

Antialdosteronicos siempre deben ser incluidos en el tratamiento



Therapy with Approved PAH Drugs

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Acute vasoreactivity test
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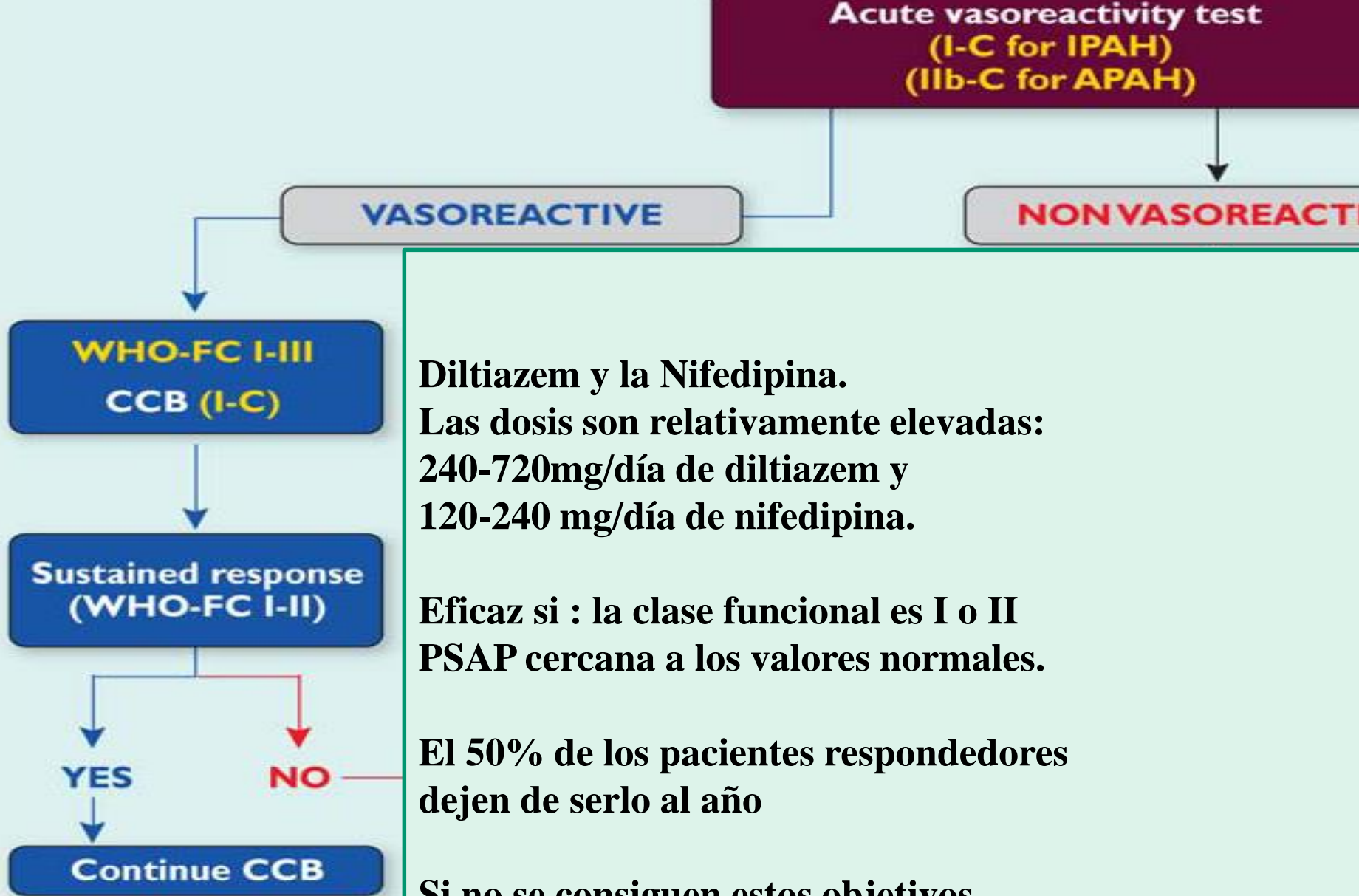
YES

Continue CCB

NO



DATOS **OBSERVACIONALES**
SUGIERES QUE LOS BLOQUEANTES
CALCICOS EN ALTAS DOSIS MEJORAN
LA HEMODINAMIA PULMONAR
Y LOS SINTOMAS DE LOS
PACIENTES CON PRUEBAS DE
VASOREACTIVIDAD POSITIVA



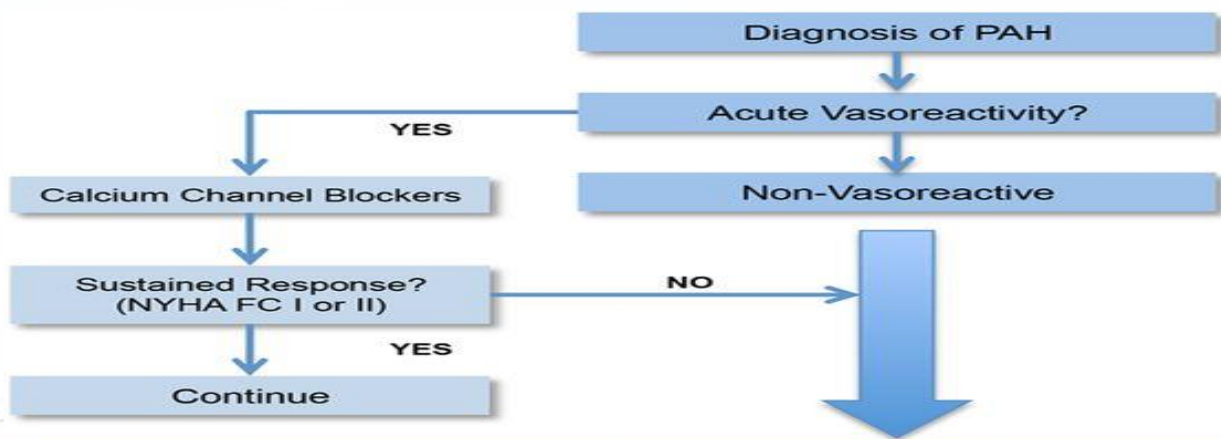
Diltiazem y la Nifedipina.

**Las dosis son relativamente elevadas:
240-720mg/día de diltiazem y
120-240 mg/día de nifedipina.**

**Eficaz si : la clase funcional es I o II
PSAP cercana a los valores normales.**

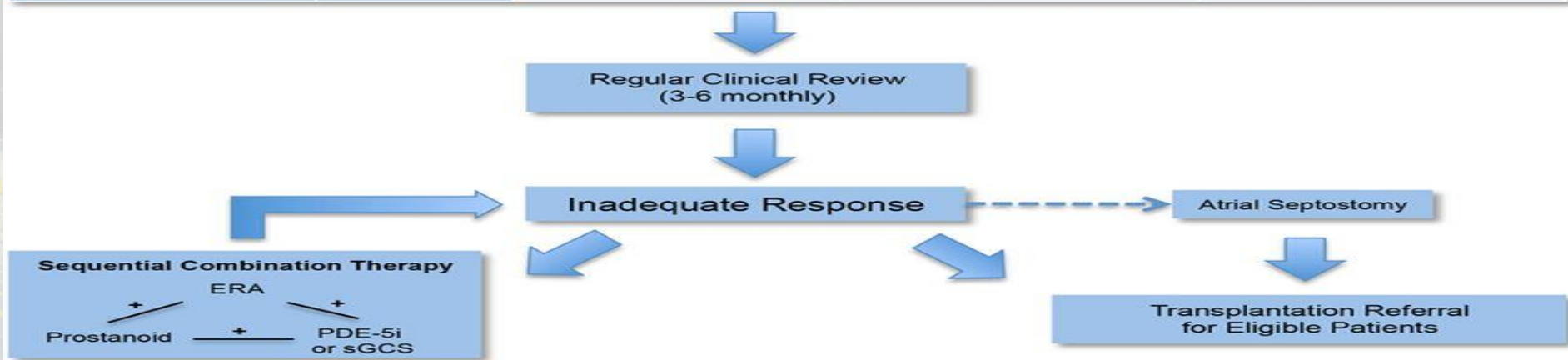
**El 50% de los pacientes respondedores
dejen de serlo al año**

**Si no se consiguen estos objetivos
está indicado iniciar tratamiento con
fármacos específicos**



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Measure/treatment	Class ^a -Level ^b		WHO-FC II		WHO-FC III		WHO-FC IV	
	I	B	I	B	I	B	I	B
Macitentan added to sildenafil ^d	I	B	I	B	I	B	IIa	C
Riociguat added to bosentan	I	B	I	B	I	B	IIa	C
Selexipag ^e added to ERA and/or PDE-5i ^d	I	B	I	B	I	B	IIa	C
Sildenafil added to epoprostenol	–	–	–	–	I	B	IIa	B
Treprostinil inhaled added to sildenafil or bosentan	IIa	B	IIa	B	IIa	B	IIa	C
Iloprost inhaled added to bosentan	IIb	B	IIb	B	IIb	B	IIb	C
Tadalafil added to bosentan	IIa	C	IIa	C	IIa	C	IIa	C
Ambrisentan added to sildenafil	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C
Bosentan added to epoprostenol	–	–	–	–	IIb	C	IIb	C
Bosentan added to sildenafil	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C
Sildenafil added to bosentan	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C
Other double combinations	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C
Other triple combinations	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C	IIb	C
Riociguat added to sildenafil or other PDE-5i	III	B	III	B	III	B	III	B

Substance

NITRIC OXIDE

PROSTACYCLIN

ENDOTHELIN

PAH

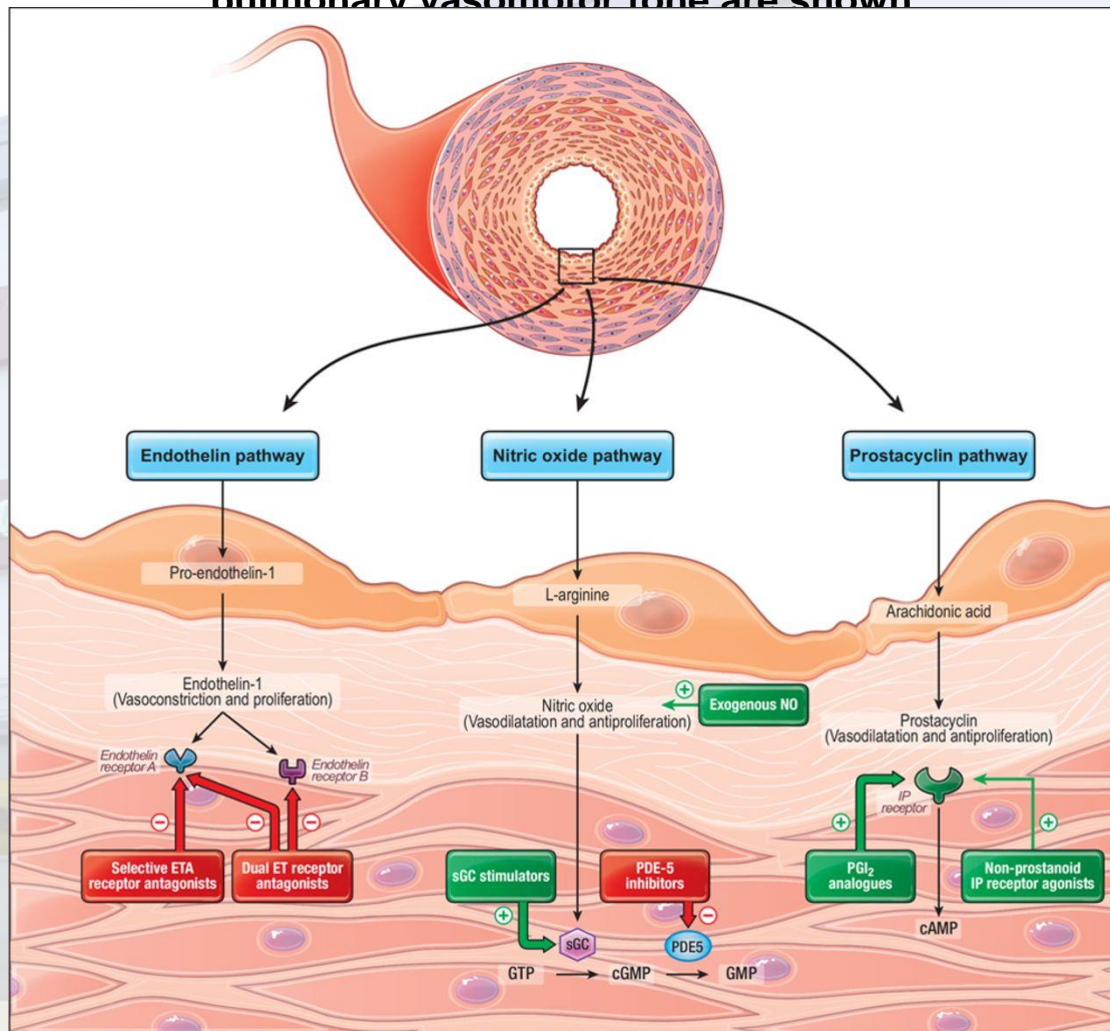
Treatment

Phosphodiesterase Type 5
(PDE-5) Inhibitor

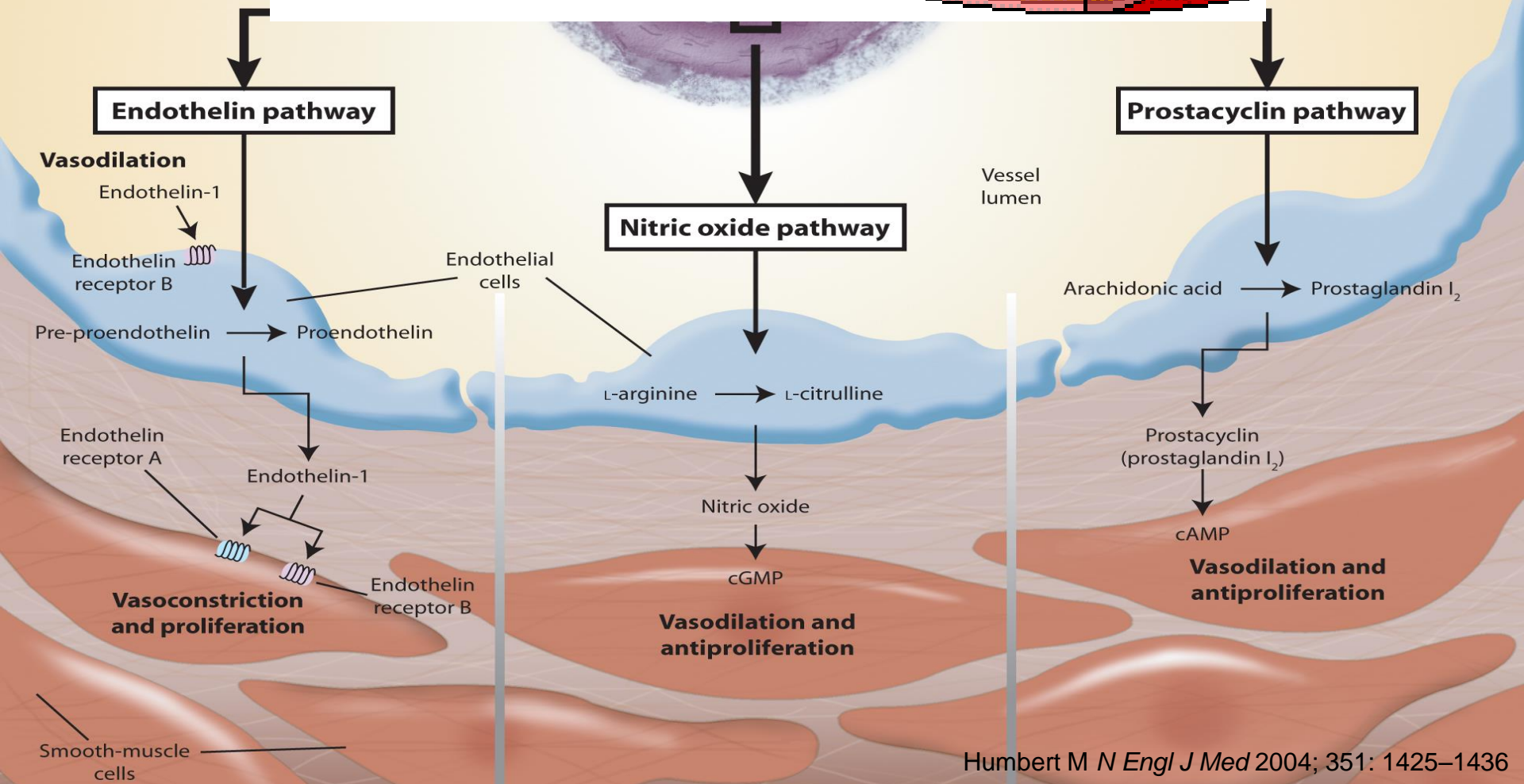
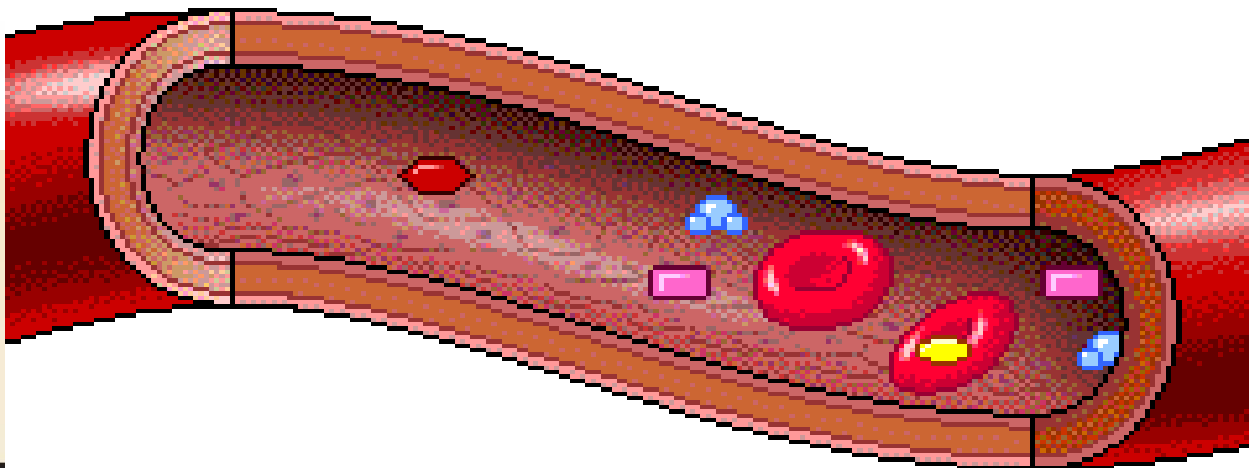
Prostacyclin Class
Therapy

Endothelin Receptor
Antagonist (ETRA)

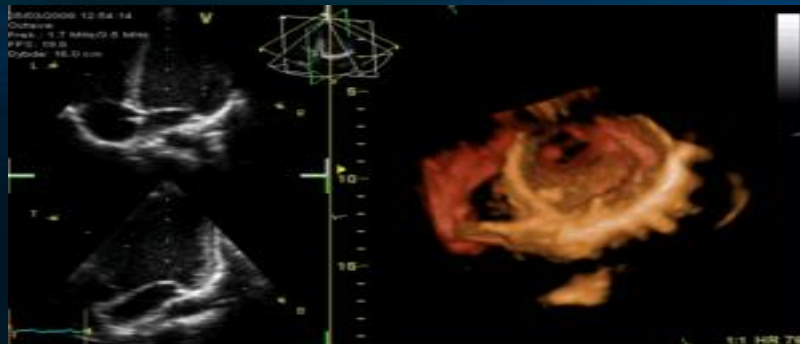
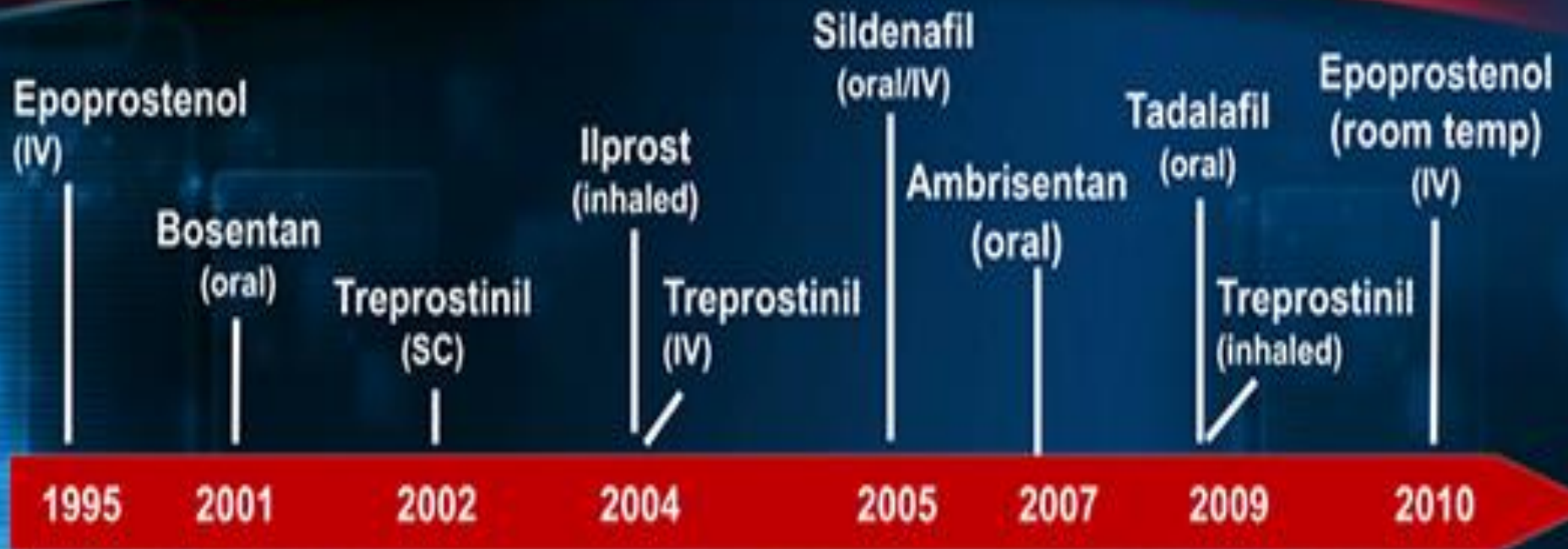
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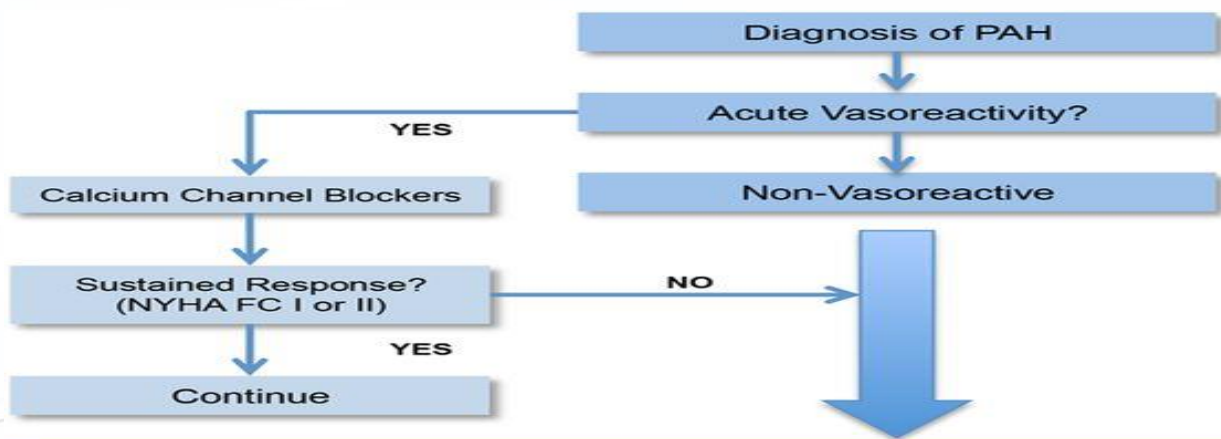


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PAH-Specific Therapies: US FDA Approvals





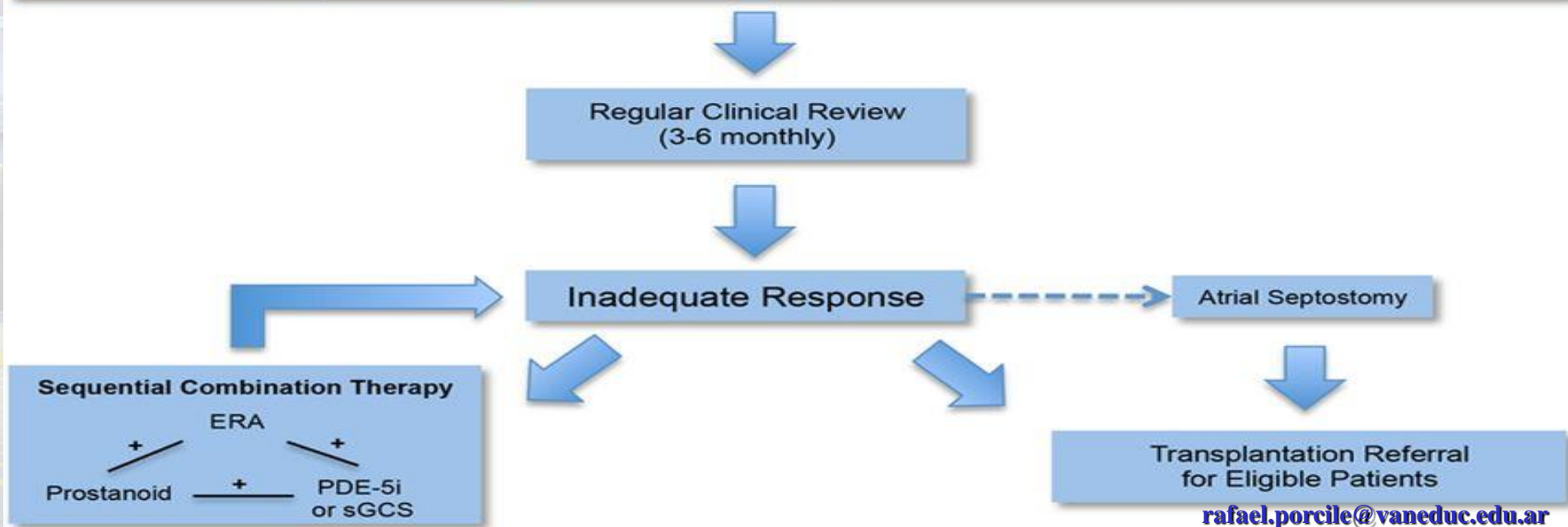
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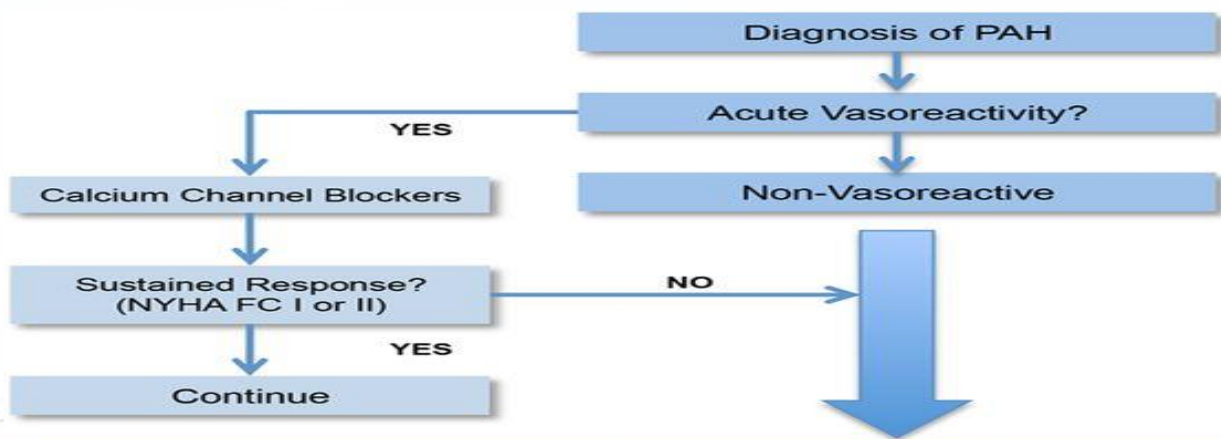
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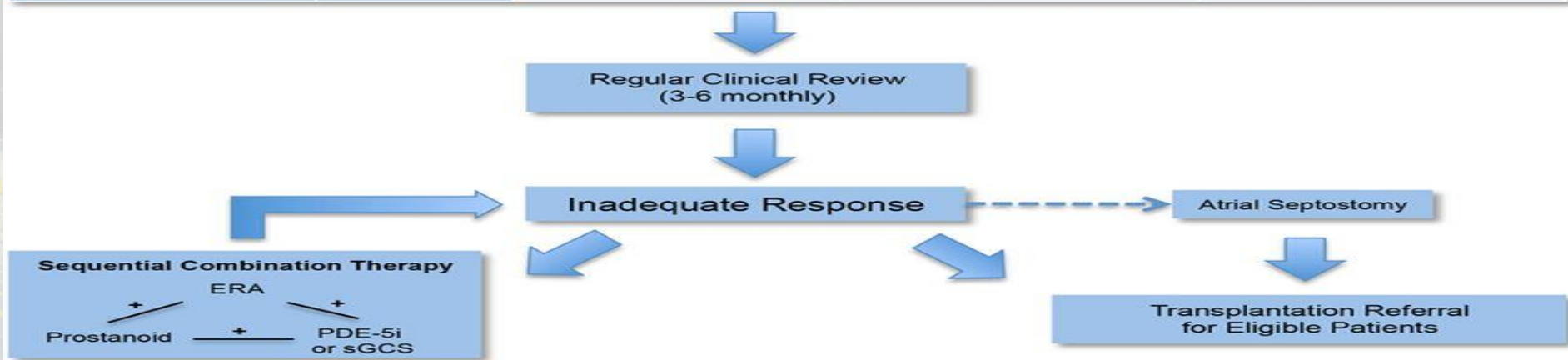
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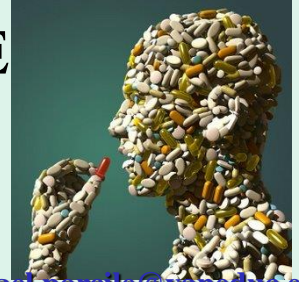


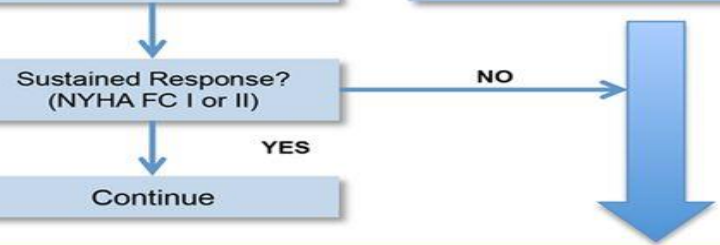


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LA REVISION SISTEMATICA DEMUESTRA (EXEPTO EN EPOPROSTENOL) LA EFECTIVIDAD DE LOS FARMACOS CONSIDERADOS INDIVIDUALMENTE ***NO DISMINUYEN LA MORTALIDAD***





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	C	

**WHO-FC II. 8 AÑOS
SOBREVIDA**

EVIDENCIA PARA TERAPEUTICA EN CFII

Effects of the dual endothelin-receptor antagonist
bosentan in patients with pulmonary hypertension: a
randomised
placebo-controlled study

Lancet 2001;358:1119-23.

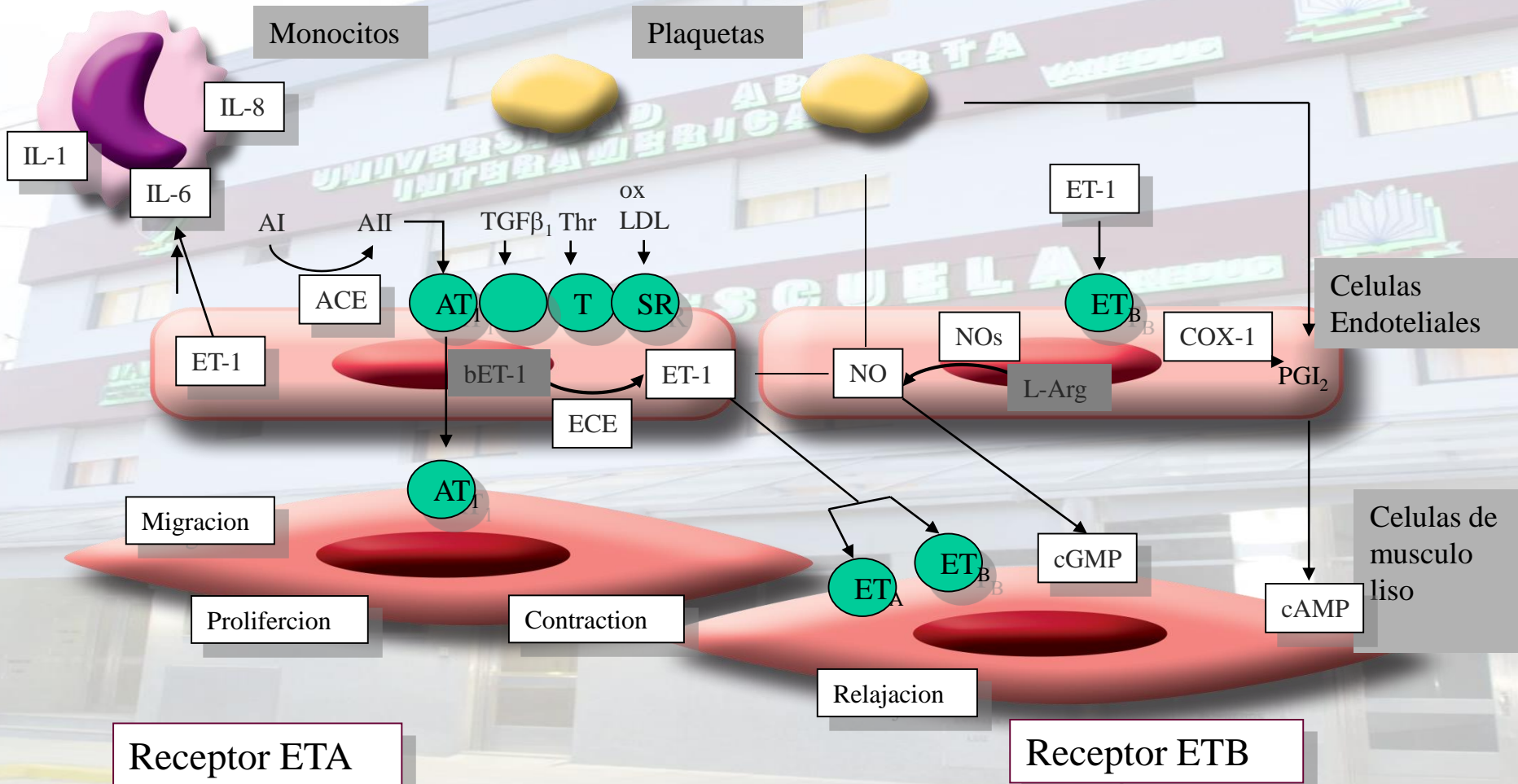
- **Mejoría en Capacidad al ejercicio, clase funcional y variables ecocardiográficas**
- **10% de los pacientes aumentan los valores de transaminasas.**
- **Anemia, disminución de la espermatogénesis y efectos teratogénicos.**
- **Reduce por competencia efecto del sildenafil**

Tasas de toxicidad hepática observadas con AREs

- Bosentan 11.2%
- Sitaxentan 7.0%
- Ambrisentan 2.1%

Todas los AREs requieren de un monitoreo mensual de funcionalidad hepática.

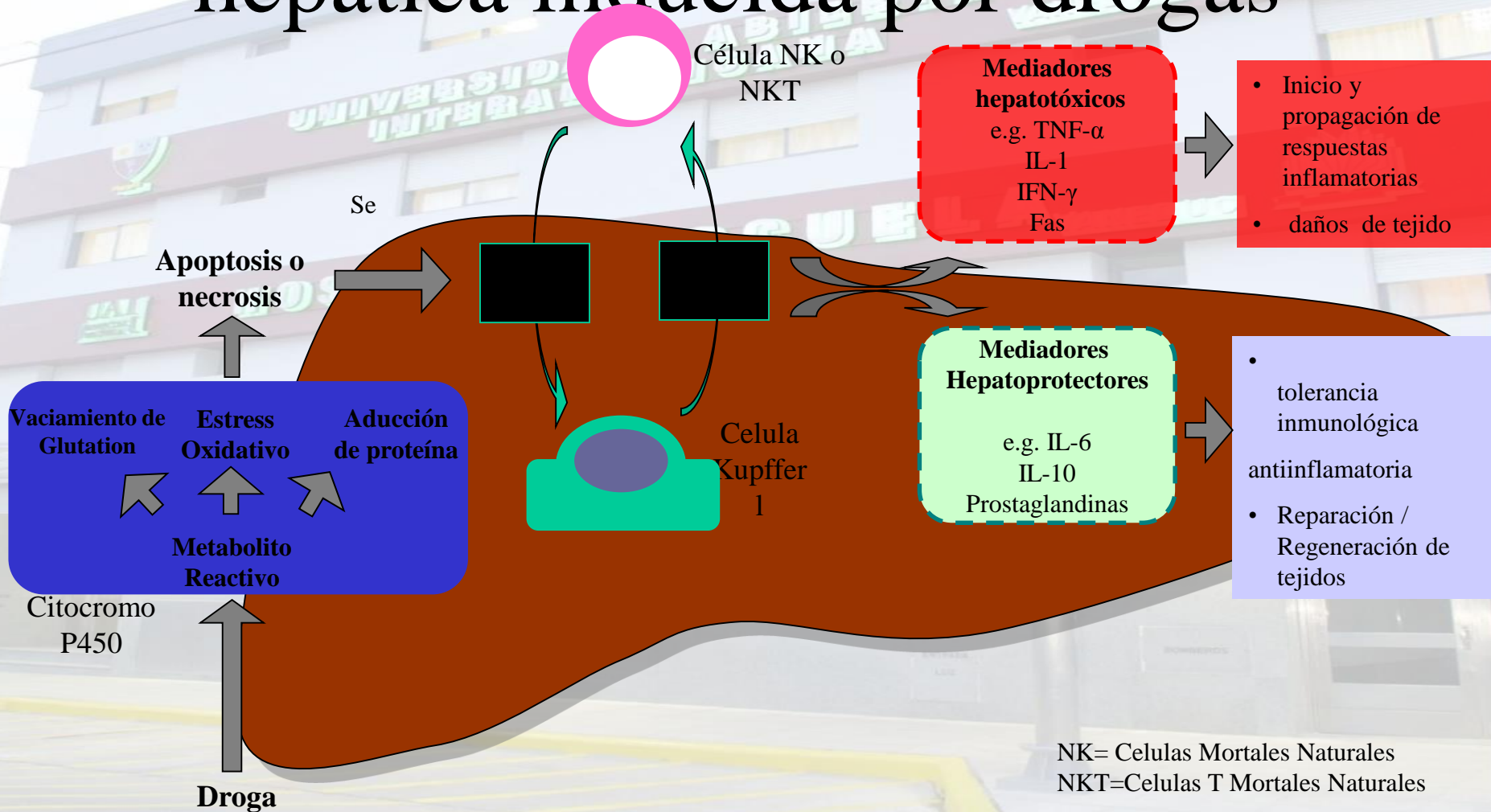
Endotelina 1 desempeña un papel importante en HAP



Vasoconstricción
SMC migración + proliferación

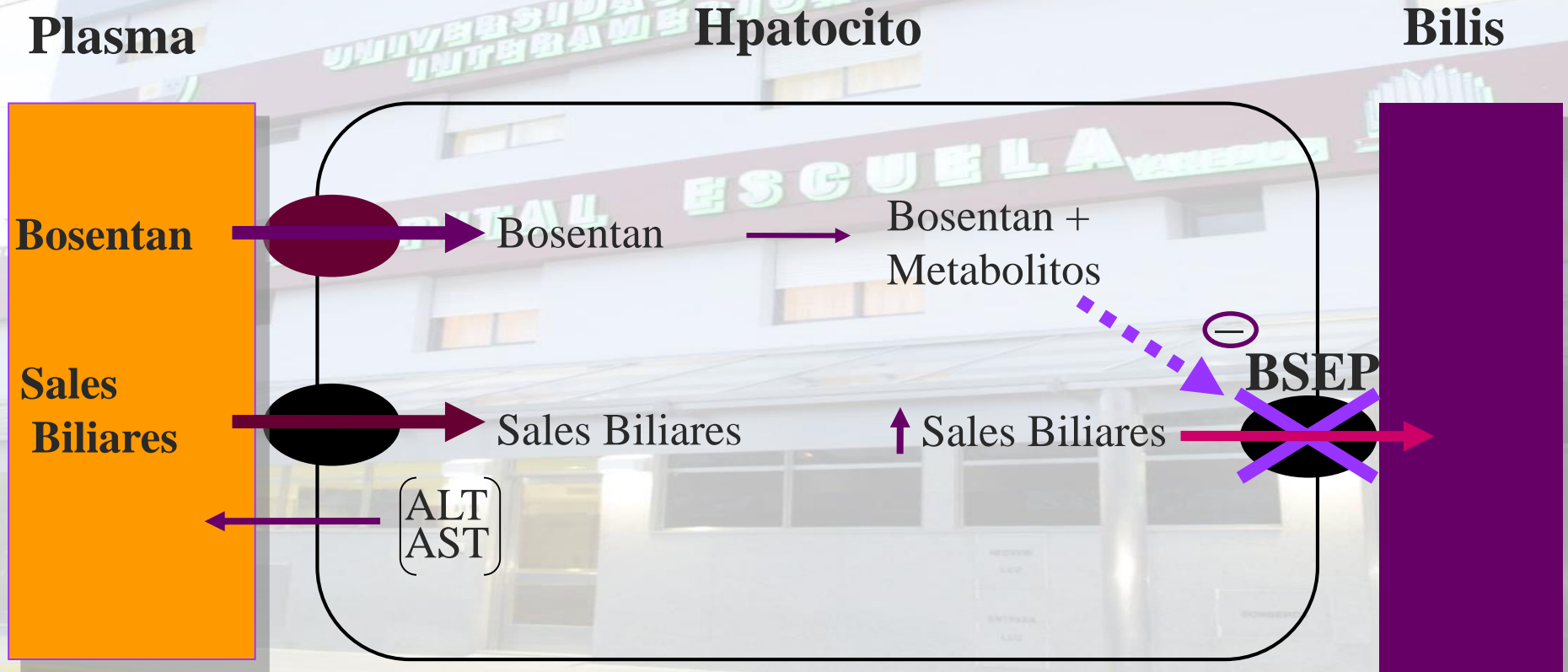
ET-1 clearance
Vasodilación/antiproliferativo

Mecanismo propuesto de lesión hepática inducida por drogas



NK= Celulas Mortales Naturales
NKT=Celulas T Mortales Naturales

La inhibición de la bomba de exportación de sales biliares puede contribuir a las anomalías

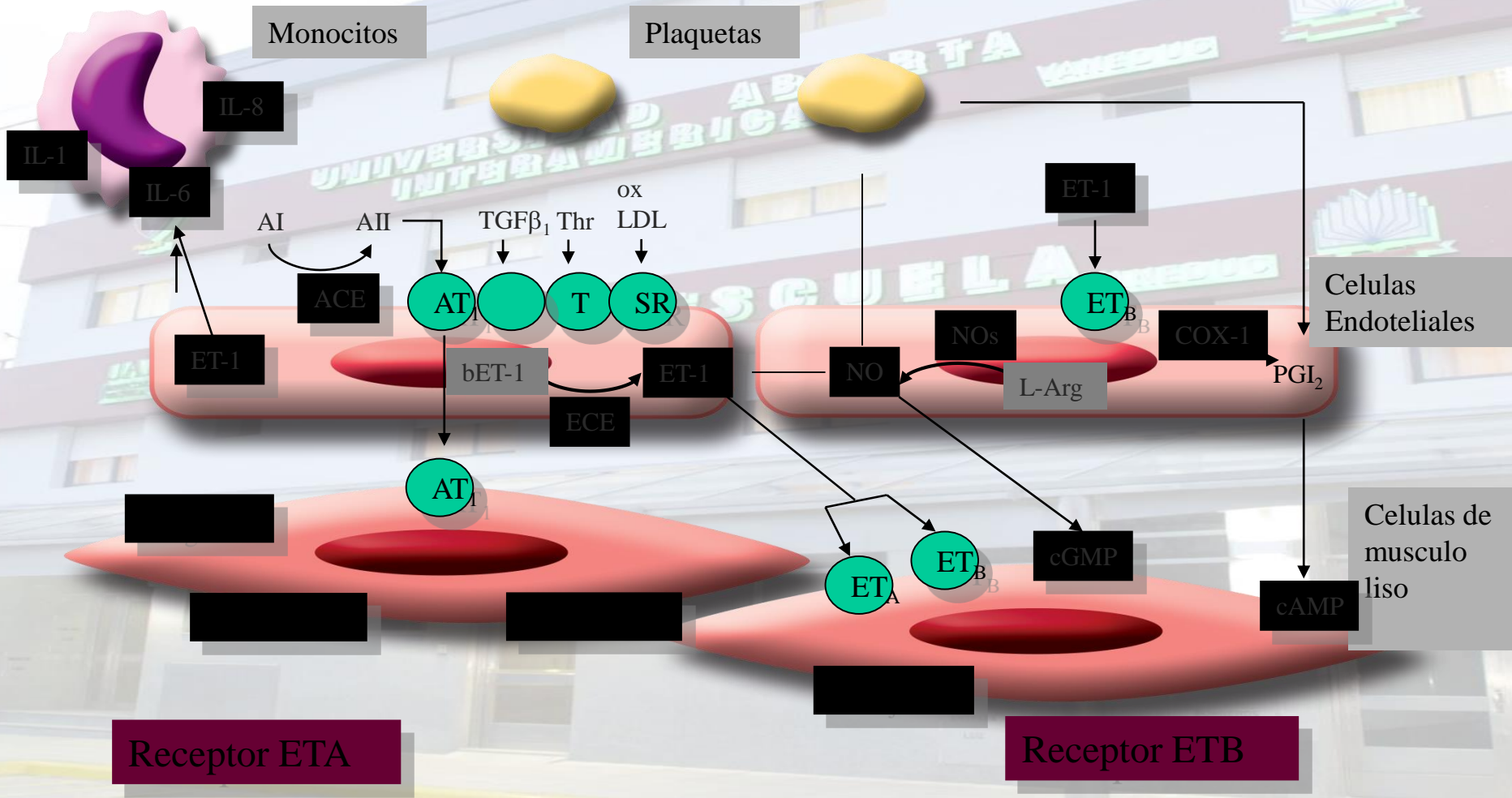


Ther Adv Respir Dis. 2012 Aug 29. [Epub ahead of print]

An update on the use of ambrisentan in pulmonary arterial hypertension. Meta analysis

improvement including **time to clinical worsening, survival, functional class, quality of life** and hemodynamic variables have been reported in clinical trials. A favorably **low incidence of aminotransferase** elevation indicating lower hepatic toxicity than other ERAs has been observed. Ambrisentan can be **safely administered** with warfarin or sildenafil .A once daily oral medication.

Endotelina 1 desempeña un papel importante en HAP



Vasoconstricción
SMC migración + proliferación

ET-1 clearance
Vasodilación/antiproliferativo

Treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension in connective tissue disease

The European treatment guidelines advocate the use of PAH-targeted therapies including Ambrisentan, sildenafil, inhaled iloprost, intravenous epoprostenol (I-A recommendations), tadalafil or treprostinil (I-B recommendations) for patients in WHO functional class II-III.

Drugs. 2012 May 28;72(8):1039-56.

Long-term hepatic safety of ambrisentan in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertension

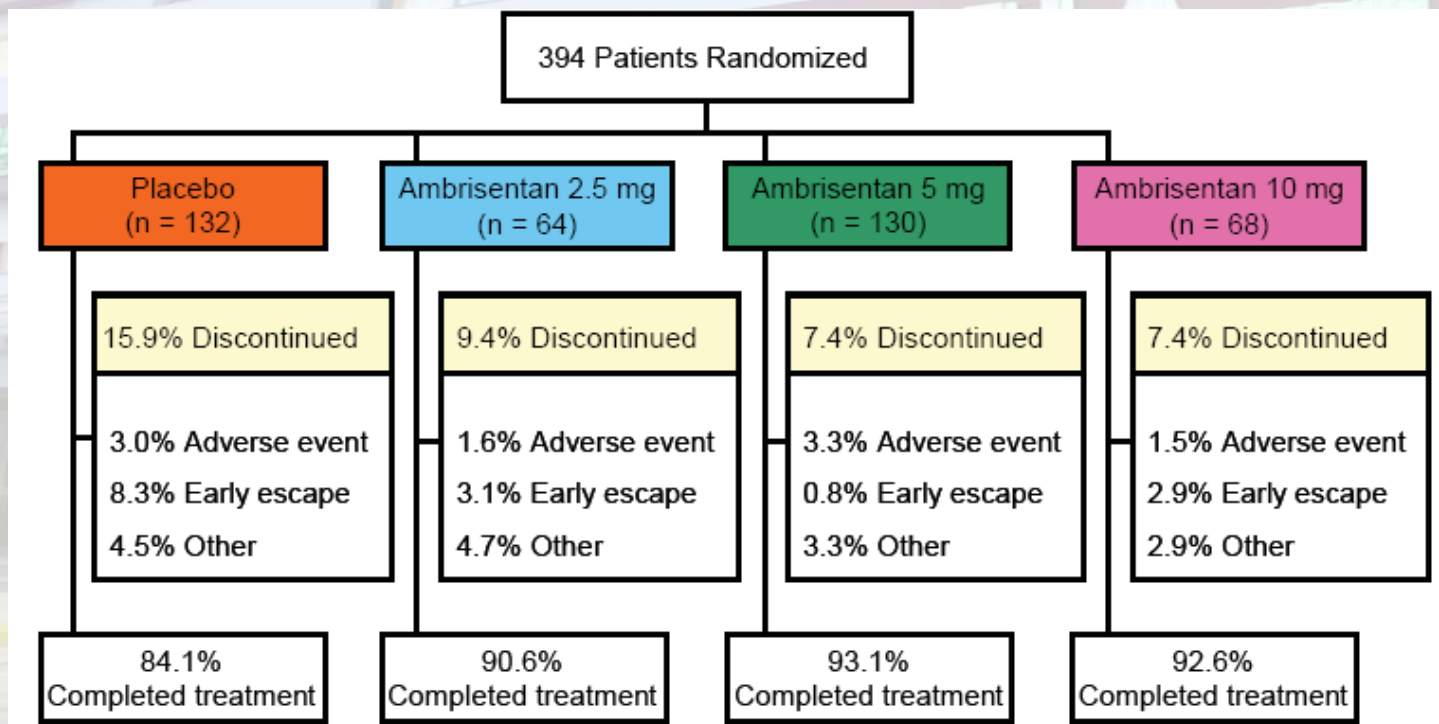
**J Am Coll Cardiol. 2012 Jul
3;60(1):80-1. Epub 2012 May 9.**

**Compared with bosentan,
ambrisentan seems to have a better
safety profile with regards to hepatic
safety and drug-drug interactions.**

ARIES-C

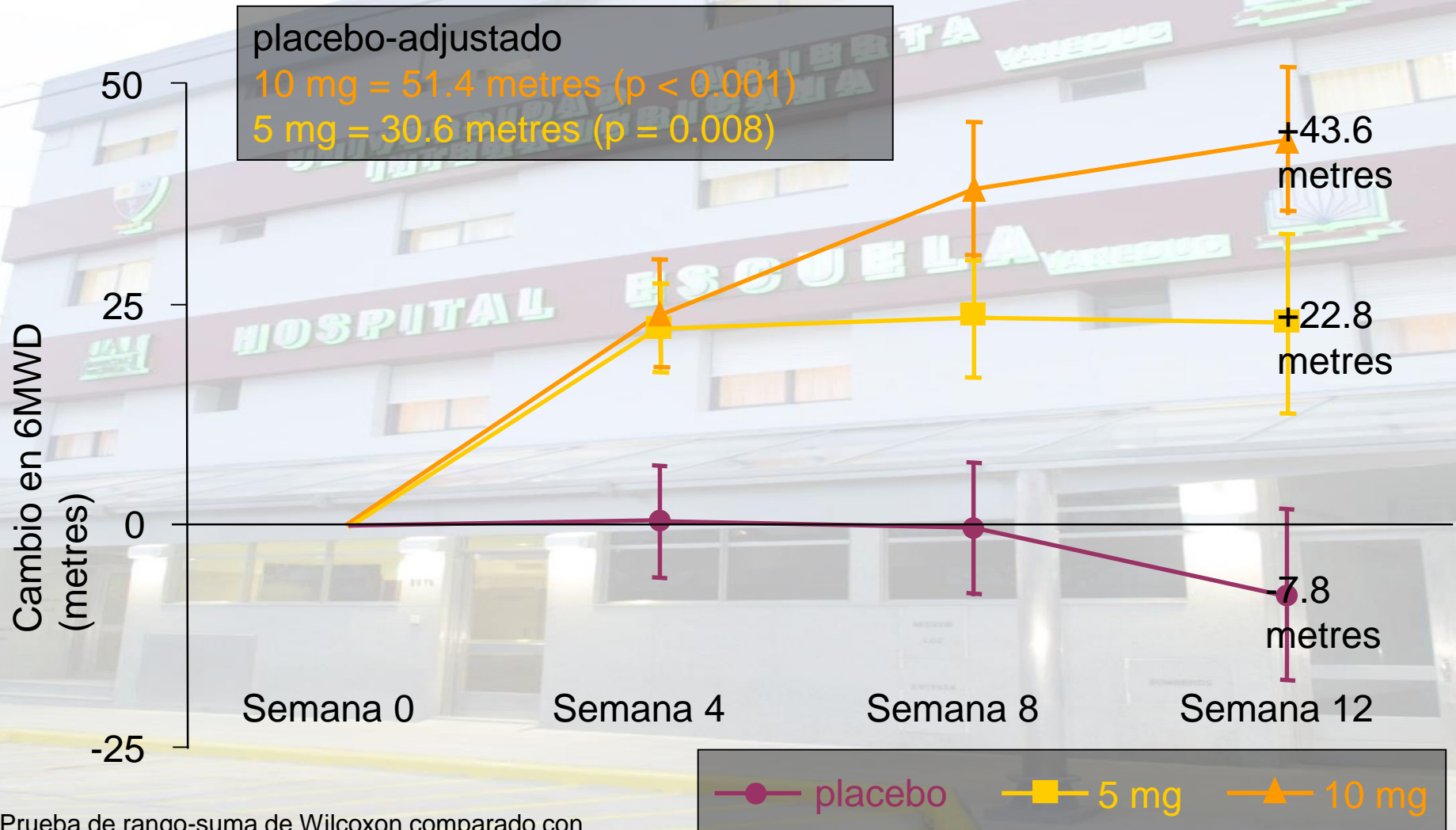
Detalle de Analisis

- Un análisis integrado de estudios ARIES-1 y ARIES-2 por OMS FC fue previamente especificado antes de develar alguno de los estudios
- Los análisis evaluaron la seguridad y eficacia de ambrisentan en OMS FC II y III en una población de HAP



Estudio ARIES-1

Ambrisentan mejora la capacidad de ejercicio en 12 semanas



Prueba de rango-suma de Wilcoxon comparado con barras de Error de placebo = error estándar de la media

Adapted from Galiè N *et al Circulation* 2008;117:3010-3019

Long-Term Pulmonary Hemodynamic Effects of Ambrisentan in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension

- ..ambrisentan may **provide sustained improvements in pulmonary hemodynamics** in patients with PAH who receive long-term treatment and these changes correlate with improvements in exercise capacity.

Am J Cardiol. 2011 May 3.

Klinger JR, Oudiz RJ, Spence , Despain D Dufton C

Source

Division of Pulmonary, Sleep and Critical Care Medicine, Rhode Island Hospital and Alpert Medical School, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island.

Clinical safety, pharmacokinetics, and efficacy of ambrisentan therapy in children with pulmonary arterial hypertension

..initial experience with ambrisentan in children suggests that treatment is safe with similar pharmacokinetics to those in adults and may improve PAH in some children.

Takatsuki S,

Pediatric Cardiology, University of Colorado School of Medicine,
Children's Hospital, Aurora, Colorado

Pulmonol. 2012 Apr 17. doi: 10.1002/ppul.22555

A randomized, double-blind, multicenter study of first-line combination therapy with AMBrIsentan and Tadalafil in patients with pulmonary arterial hypertensION





AMBITION

MUNICH--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Sep. 8,
2014-- Gilead Sciences, Inc.
(Nasdaq:GILD) today announced results
from the **AMBITION** study

AMBITION

Combination of ambrisentan 10 mg
and tadalafil 40 mg

Reduced the risk of clinical failure by
fifty percent (50%) compared to
pooled ambrisentan and tadalafil
monotherapy arm (hazard ratio =
0.502; $p=0.0002$)

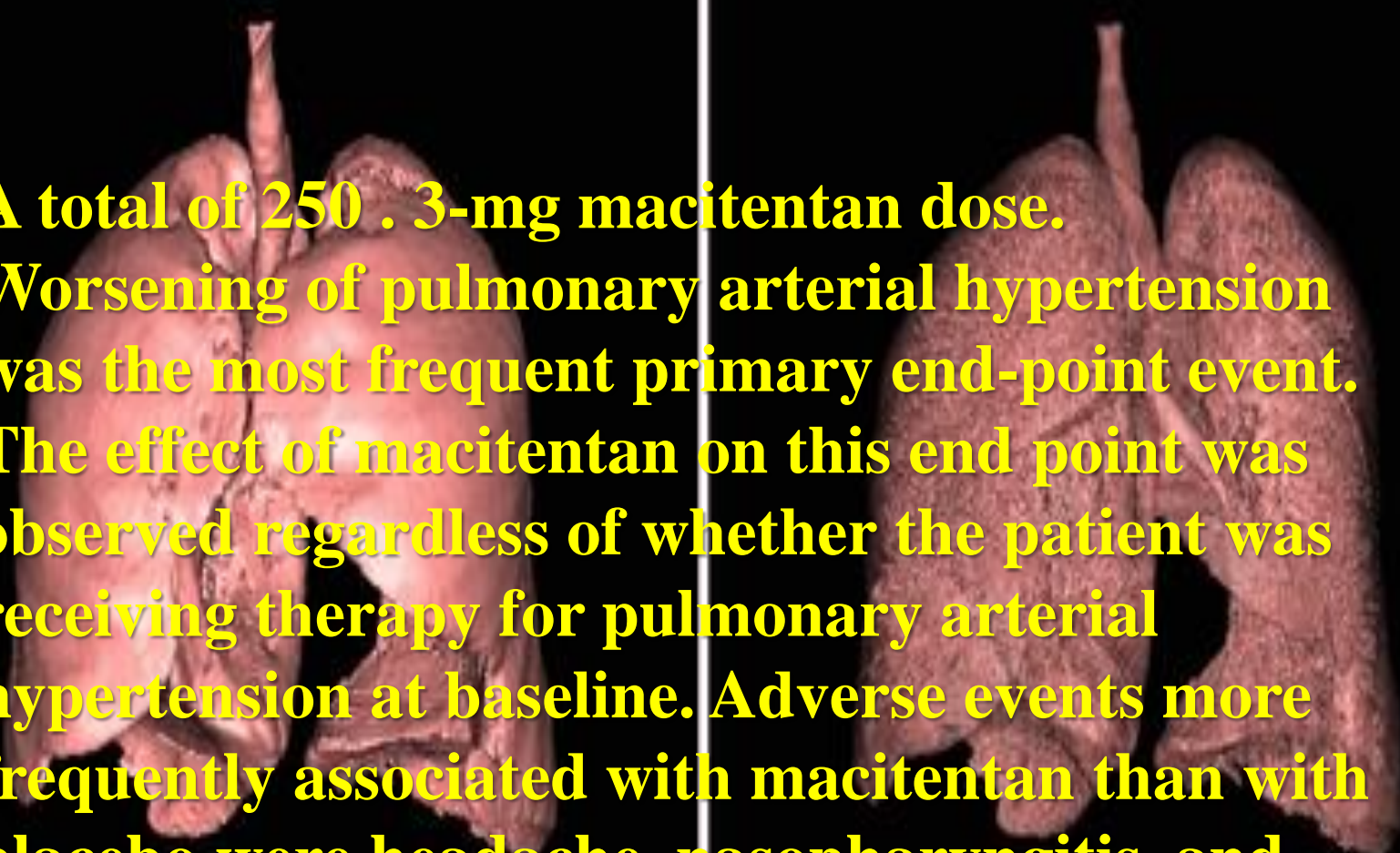


AMBITION

**Statistically significant improvements
6 minute walk distance test,
change from baseline in N-terminal
pro-B-type natriuretic peptide**

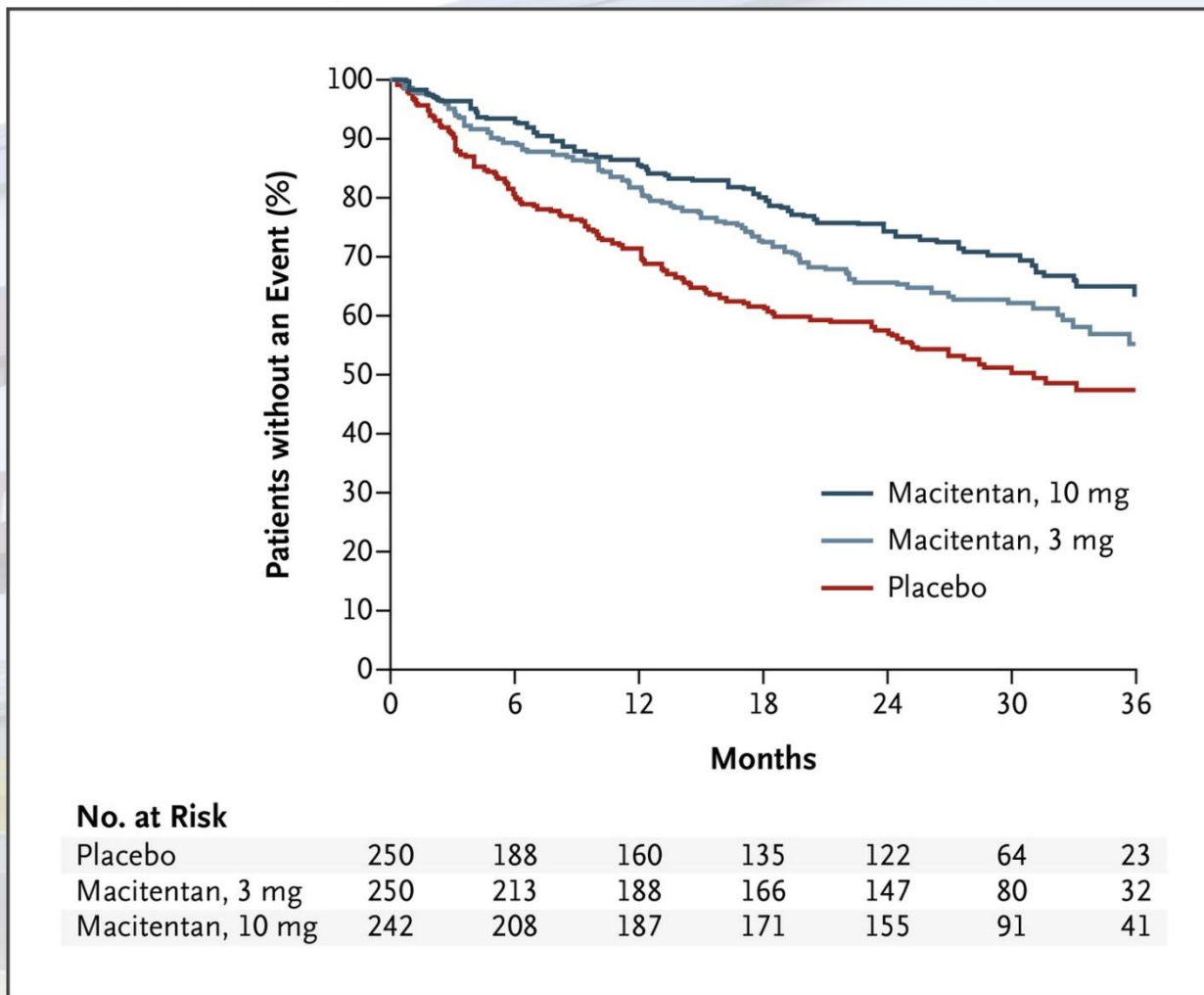
Macitentan and Morbidity and Mortality in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension

n engl j med 369;9 nejm.org
august 29, 2013



A total of 250 . 3-mg macitentan dose. Worsening of pulmonary arterial hypertension was the most frequent primary end-point event. The effect of macitentan on this end point was observed regardless of whether the patient was receiving therapy for pulmonary arterial hypertension at baseline. Adverse events more frequently associated with macitentan than with placebo were headache, nasopharyngitis, and anemia.

Effect of Macitentan on the Composite Primary End Point of a First Event Related to Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension or Death from Any Cause



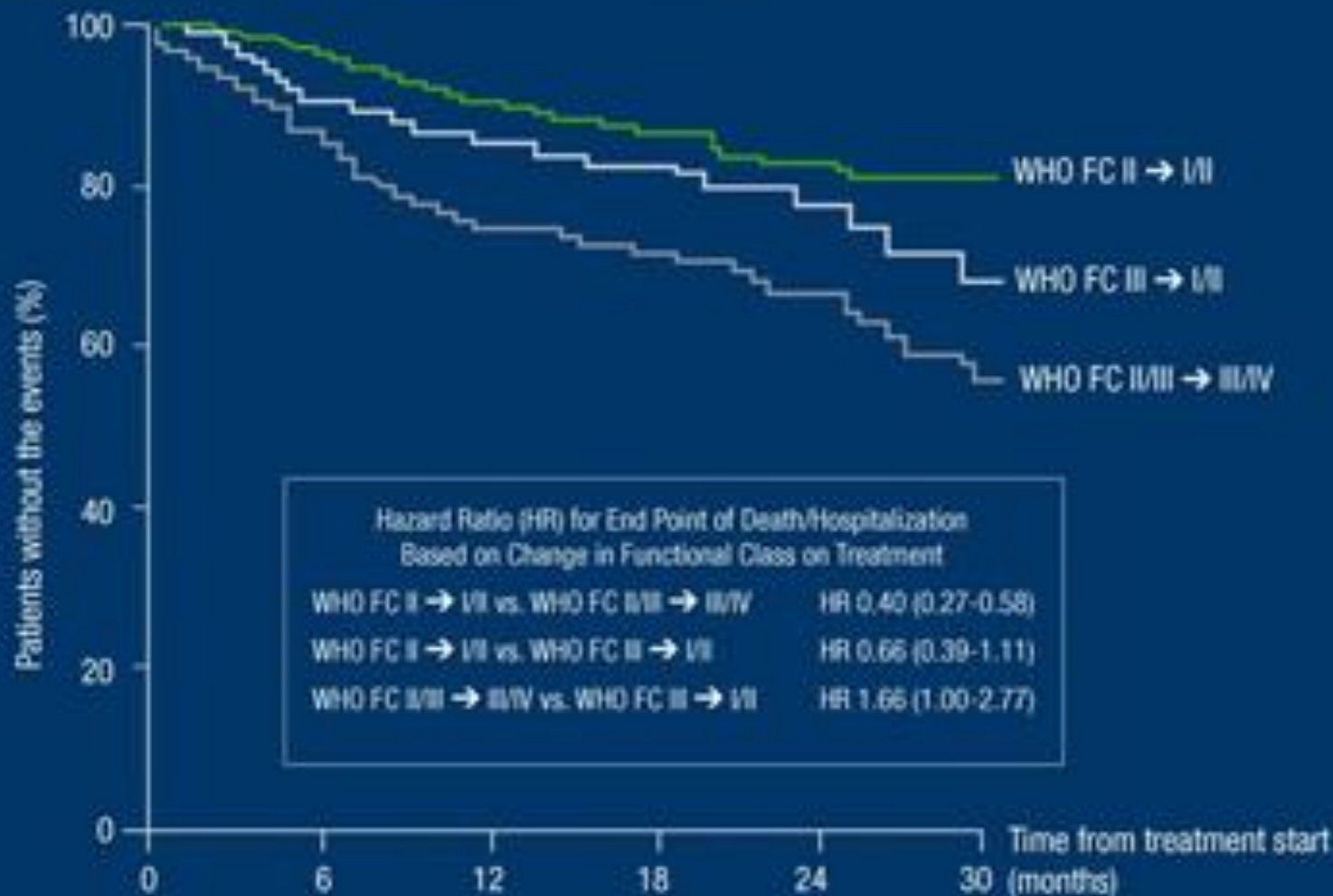
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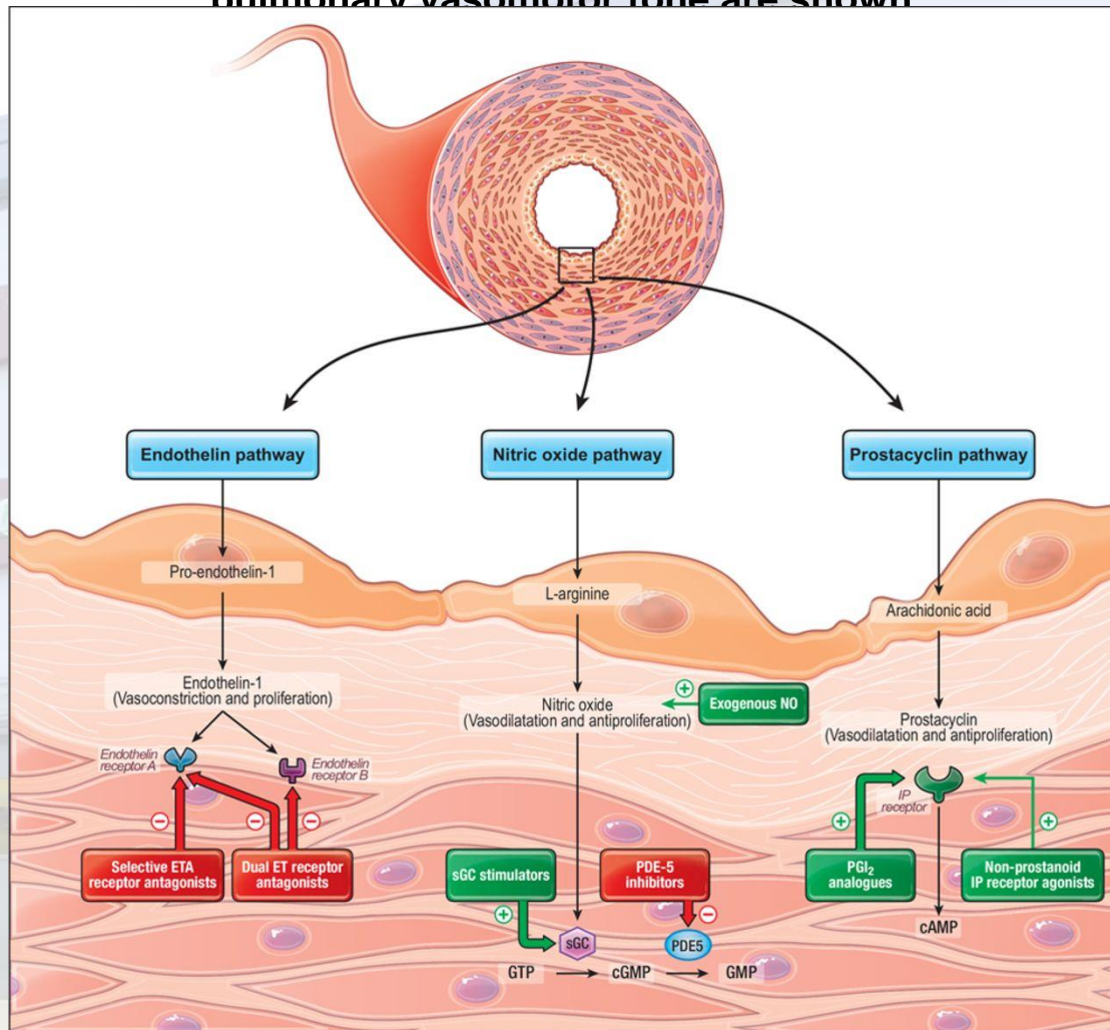
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Death Due to PAH or Hospitalization for PAH



Established vasomotor pathways targeted by current and emerging therapies in PAH. The 3 major pathways (endothelin-1, nitric oxide, and prostacyclin) involved in the regulation of pulmonary vasomotor tone are shown



Humbert M et al. *Circulation*. 2014;130:2189-2208



NITRIC OXIDE: **EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW...**

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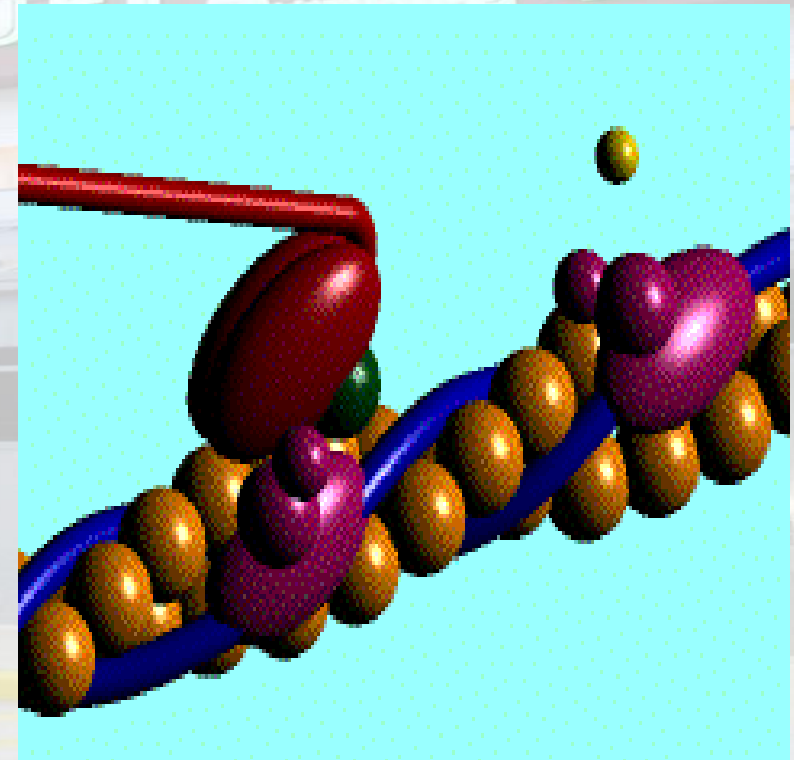
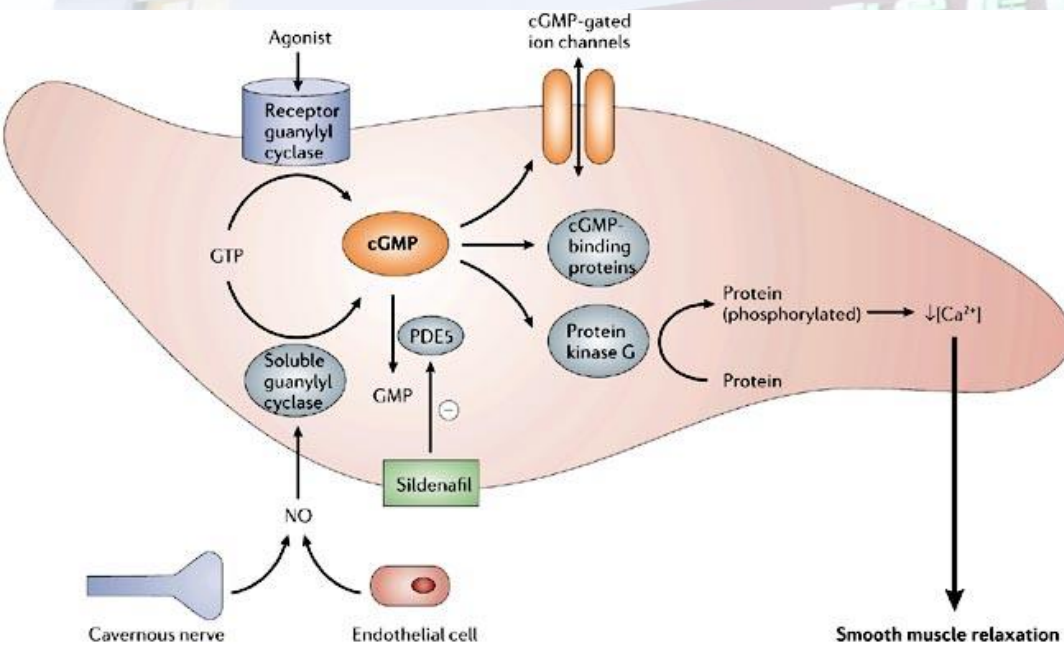
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Sildenafil

WHO Clase II/III
100-300 mg día



Sildenafil in PAH: SUPER-1

Incidence of Clinical Worsening

	Placebo (n=70)	Sildenafil 20mg (n=69)	Sildenafil 40mg (n=67)	Sildenafil 80mg (n=71)
Proportion Worsened (%) (95% CI)	10 (3,17)	4 (0,9)	3 (0,7)	7 (1,13)
Incidence of Clinical Worsening Events				
Death	1 (1)	1 (1)	0 (0)	2† (3)
Transplantation	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Hospitalization due to PAH	7 (10)	2 (3)	2 (3)	2 (3)
Initiation of Prostanoid	1 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Initiation of Bosentan	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (2)	2 (3)

N=277.

†One patient died during the 1st week while receiving sildenafil 40 mg

Galie N et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2005;353:2148-2157.

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Long-Term Treatment with Sildenafil Citrate in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension: SUPER-2.

CHEST 2011 May 5.

Long-term treatment of PAH initiated as sildenafil monotherapy was generally well tolerated.

After 3 years, the majority of patients who entered the SUPER-1 trial improved or maintained their functional status

Tadalafil for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension

Expert Rev Respir Med. 2011 Jun;5(3):315-28.

The longer half-life of tadalafil allows for once-daily dosing 5-40mg as compared with three-times daily dosing for sildenafil

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Tadalafil for the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension.

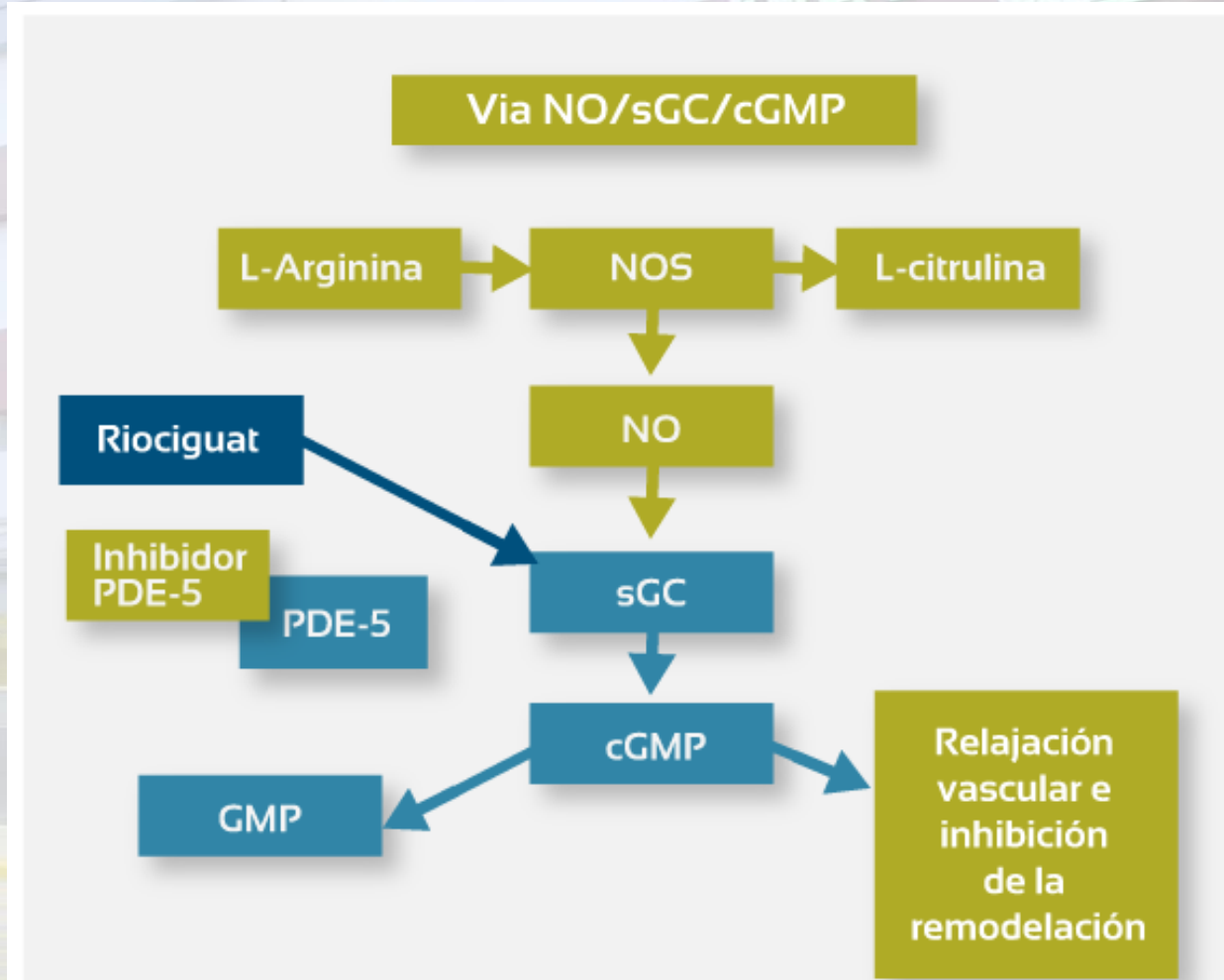
- EXPERT OPINION: Tadalafil is an **efficacious drug with a favorable side-effect profile** and convenient mode of administration. **More studies are needed** to analyze its impact on **survival** and to substantiate its role in an upfront combination treatment strategy.

Vardenafil in pulmonary arterial hypertension: a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study.

Vardenafil is effective and well tolerated in patients with PAH at a dose of 5 mg twice daily

Am J Respir Crit Care Med. 2011 Jun 15;183(12):1723-9

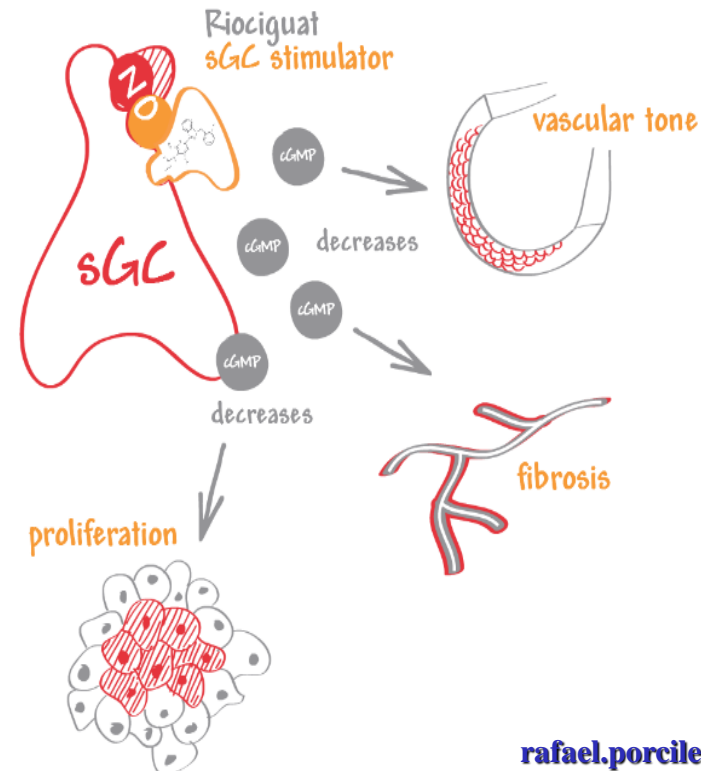
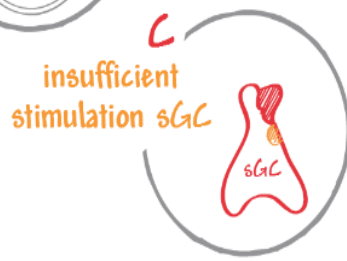
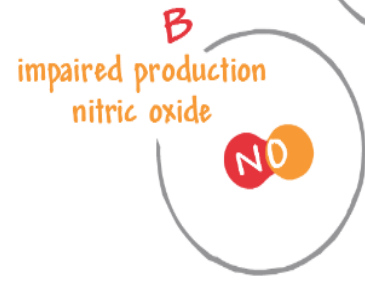
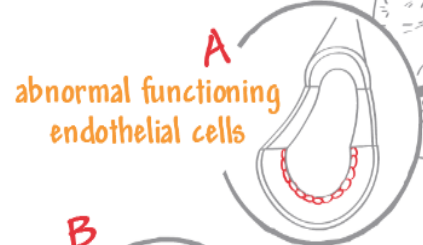
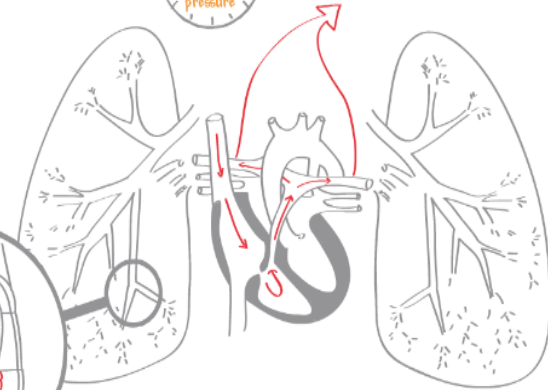
RIOCIQUAT



Máximo 2.5 mg tres veces al día

The Mode of Action of Riociguat

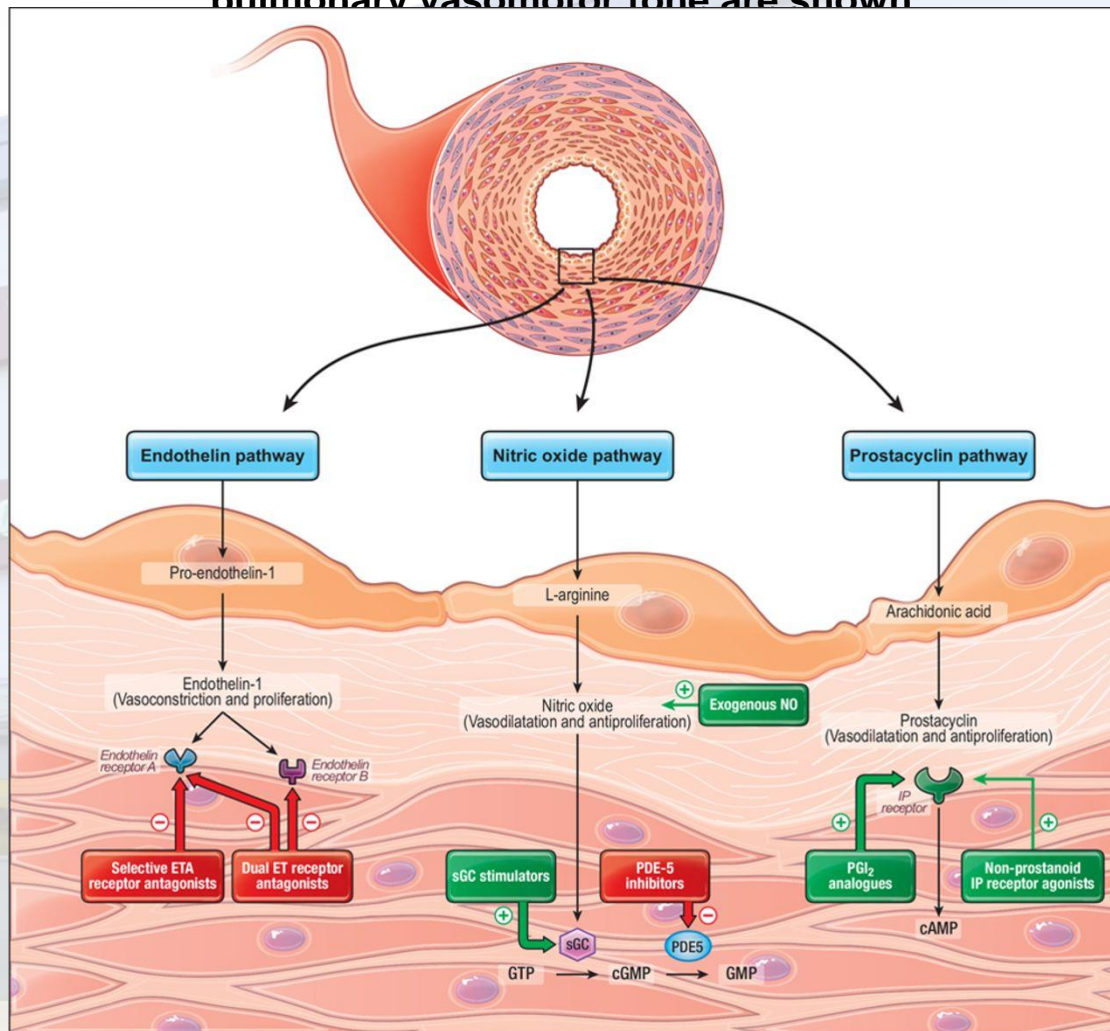
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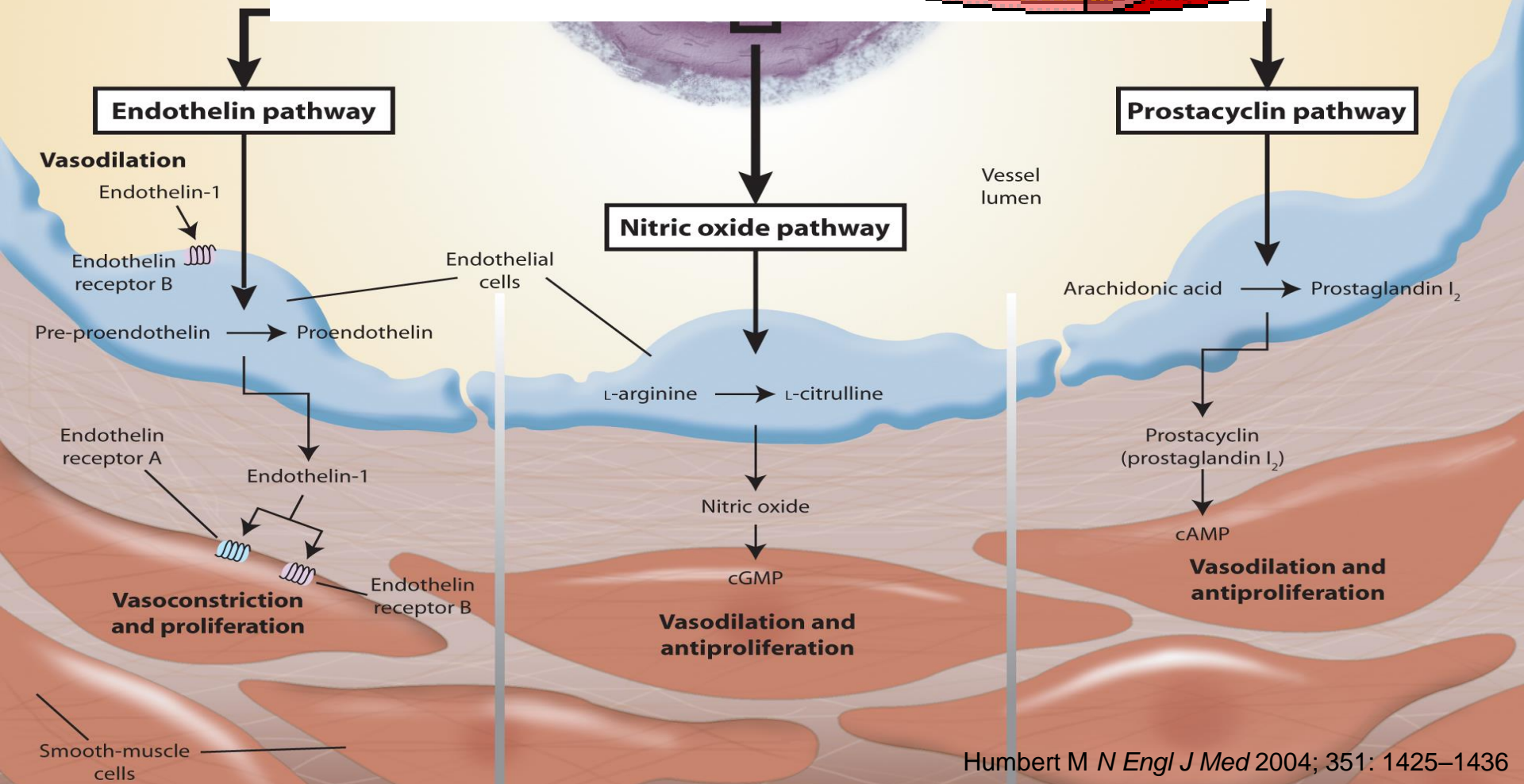
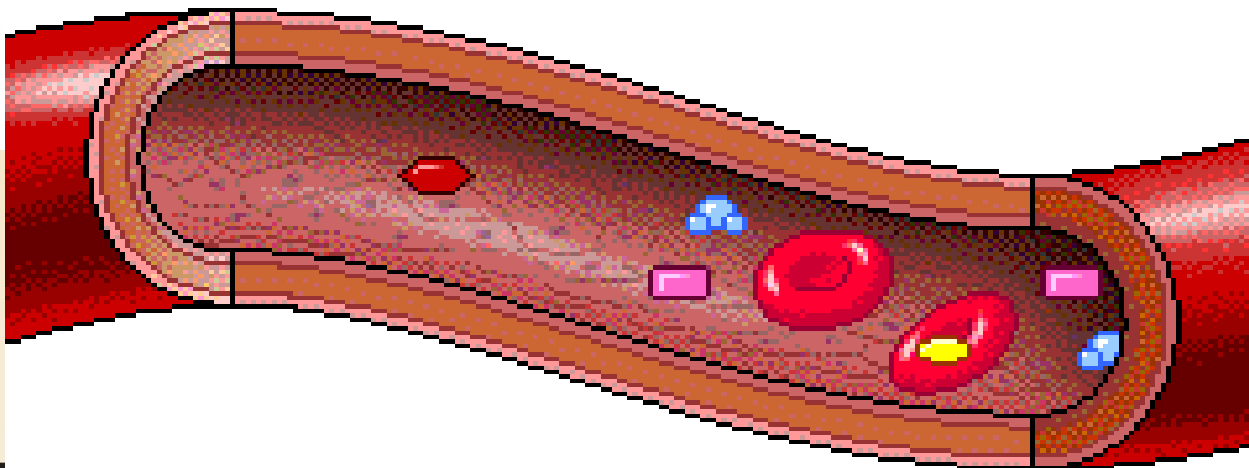
Riociguat sGC stimulator

- increases sensitivity of sGC to NO
- stimulates sGC directly independently of NO
- leading to increased generation of cGMP

Established vasomotor pathways targeted by current and emerging therapies in PAH. The 3 major pathways (endothelin-1, nitric oxide, and prostacyclin) involved in the regulation of pulmonary vasomotor tone are shown



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Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension Soluble Guanylate Cyclase– Stimulator Trial 1 CHEST 1

Los pacientes que recibieron riociguat mostraron una **mejoría de la 6MWD estadísticamente significativa respecto del valor basal +39 metros riociguat vs. -6 metros placebo**

Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension Soluble Guanylate Cyclase– Stimulator Trial 2



dosis diarias de 2.5mg. Este estudio demuestra la seguridad y eficacia clínica a largo plazo de riociguat. Un análisis preliminar de los datos de 194 individuos, en la semana 12^o, mostró la continuidad de la ganancia de metros en la prueba de 6MWD en los tratados con riociguat versus placebo.

PATENT-1 *Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Soluble Guanylate Cyclase–Stimulator Trial 1*

Mejoría estadísticamente significativa de la 6MWD respecto del valor inicial en comparación con placebo (promedio +30 metros riociguat 2.5 mg vs. -6 metros placebo; diferencia 36 metros; $p < 0.001$).

Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Associated With Pulmonary Hypertension

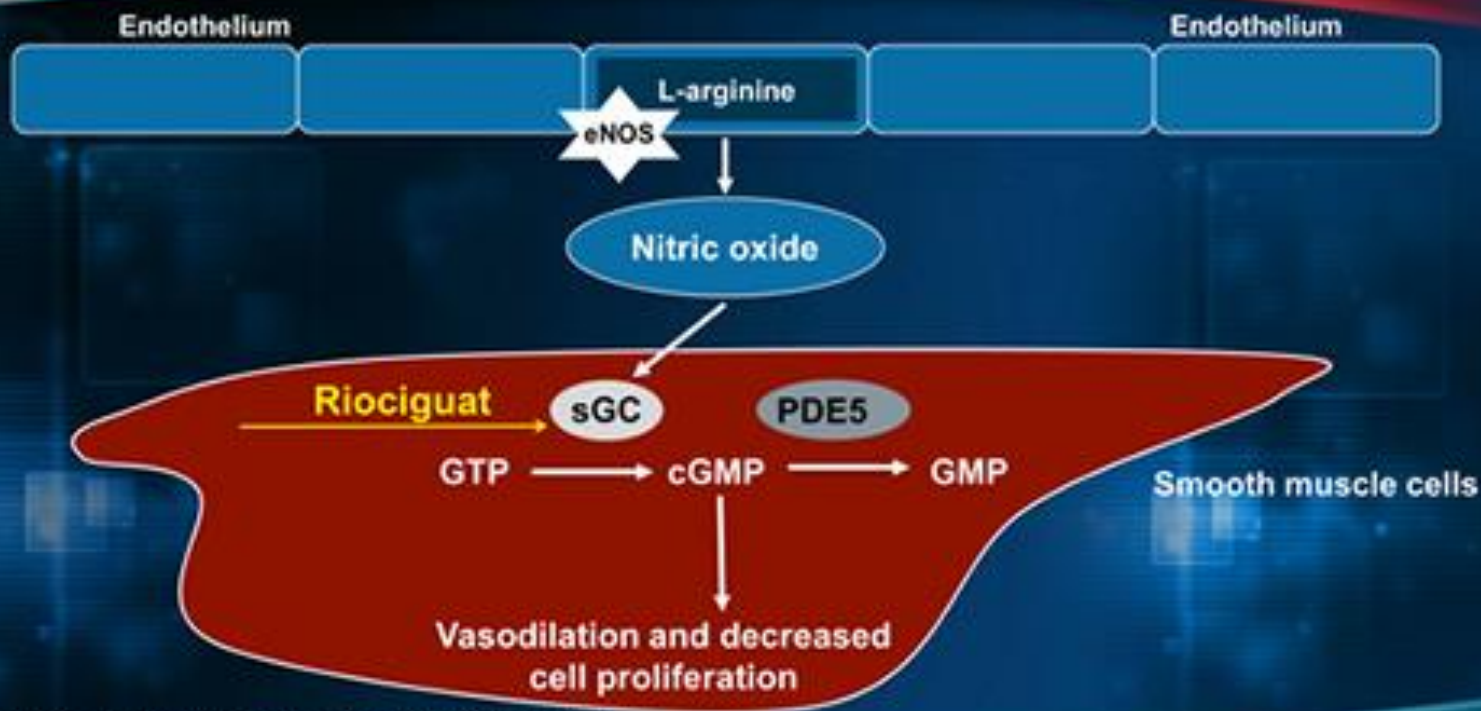
Riociguat Trial

**A Phase IIb Double-Blind, Randomized, Placebo-
Controlled, Dose-Ranging Hemodynamic Study**

201 pacientes con insuficiencia cardiaca
causada por HAP secundaria a disfunción
sistólica ventricular izquierda.

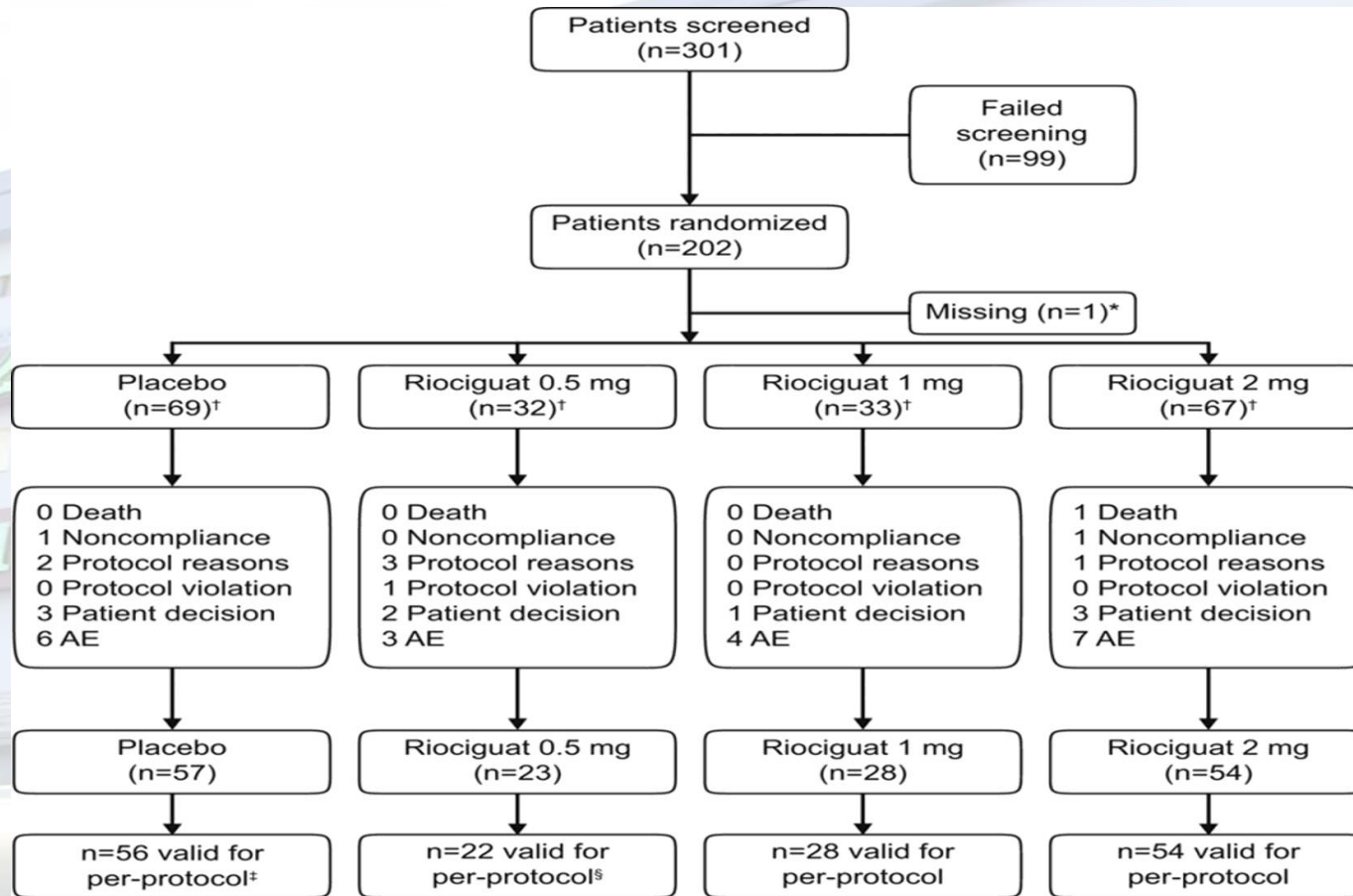
Bonderman D et al. *Circulation*. 2013;128:502-511

Nitric Oxide Pathway: Investigational Agents



O'Callaghan DS, et al. *Nat Rev Cardiol.* 2011;8:526-538.

Patient flow.



*This patient was mistakenly randomized and was ineligible for the study; no treatment was allocated.

[†]Valid for intention-to-treat/safety population.

[‡]n=1 invalid due to prohibited medication (nitrate).

[§]n=1 invalid due to a second right heart catheterization not being performed.

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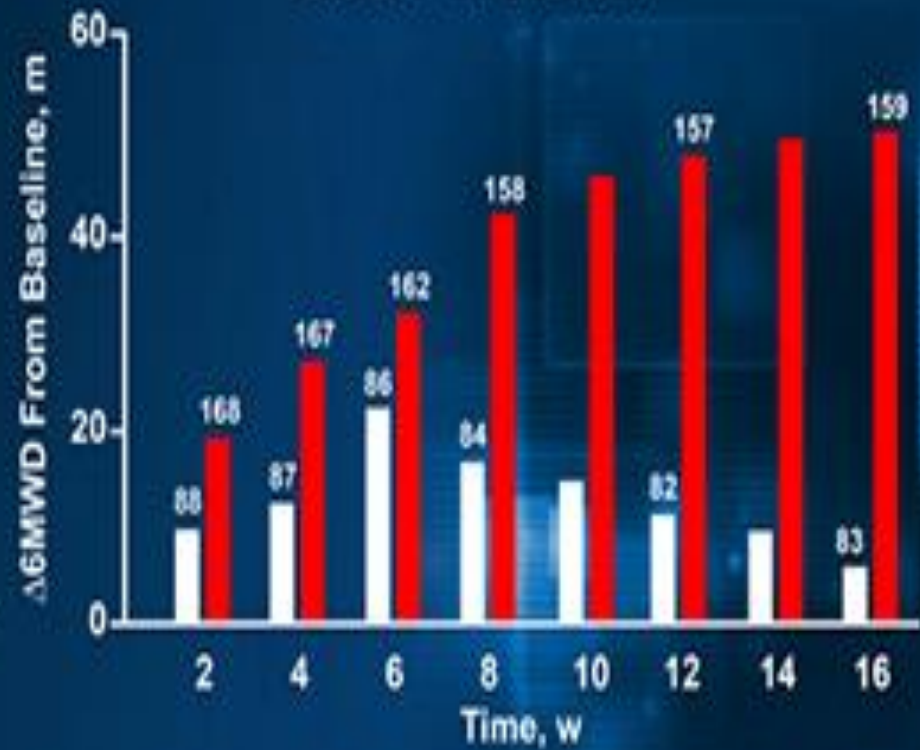
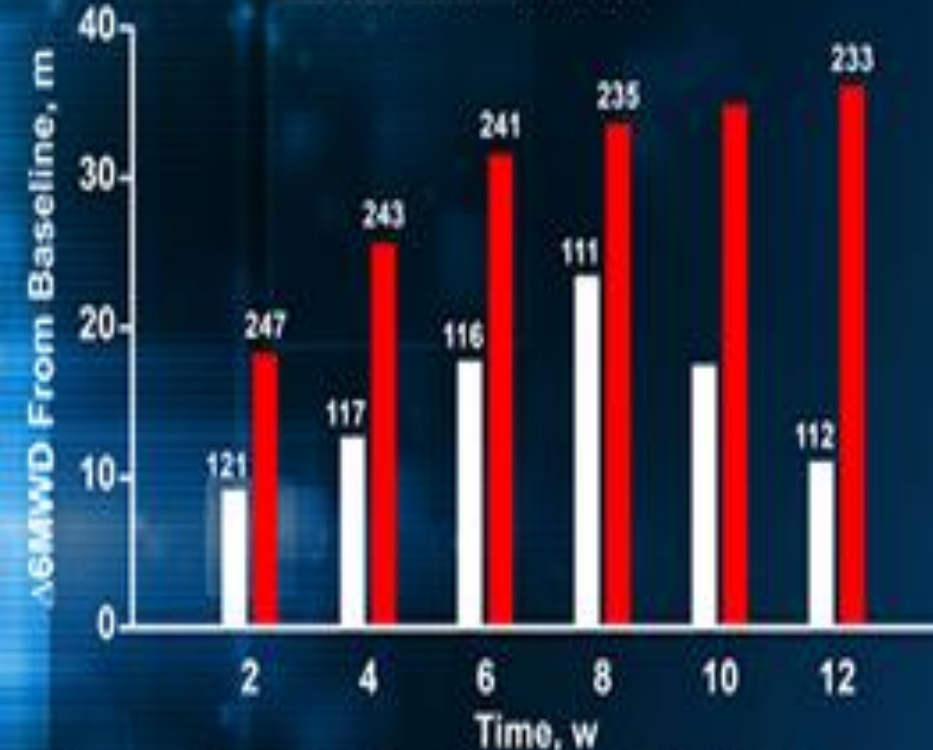
Efficacy in 2 Types of PH

■ Placebo

■ Riociguat

PATENT-1: PAH^a

CHEST-1: CTEPH^b



a. Ghofrani HA, et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2013;369:330-340.

b. Ghofrani HA, et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2013;369:319-329.

*Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Associated With Pulmonary Hypertension **Riociguat** Trial*

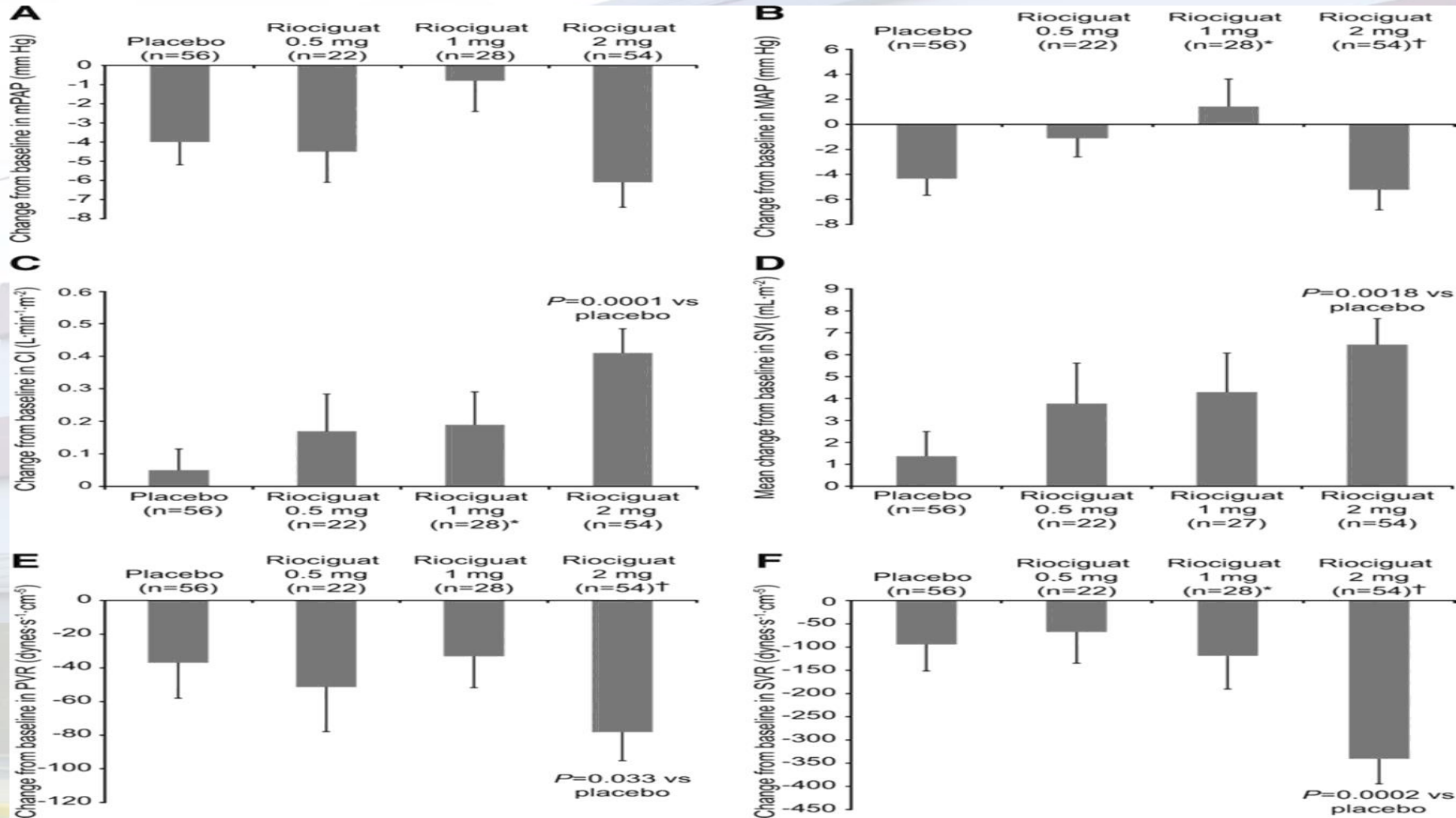
En el grupo tratado con tres dosis diarias de 2 mg de riociguat la mPAP disminuyó 6.1 mmHg versus la inicial ($p < 0.0001$), no obstante esta diferencia no resultó significativa respecto del placebo.

Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Associated With Pulmonary Hypertension

Riociguat Trial

Aumentaron el índice cardiaco ($0.4 \text{ L} \cdot \text{min}^{-1} \cdot \text{m}^{-2}$; $p= 0.0001$) y el índice de volumen de eyección ($5.2 \text{ ml} \cdot \text{m}^{-2}$; $p= 0.0018$) sin que se observaran cambios en la frecuencia cardiaca ni la presión sistólica sistémica.

Mean±SEM changes from baseline at 16 weeks in hemodynamic parameters (per-protocol population).



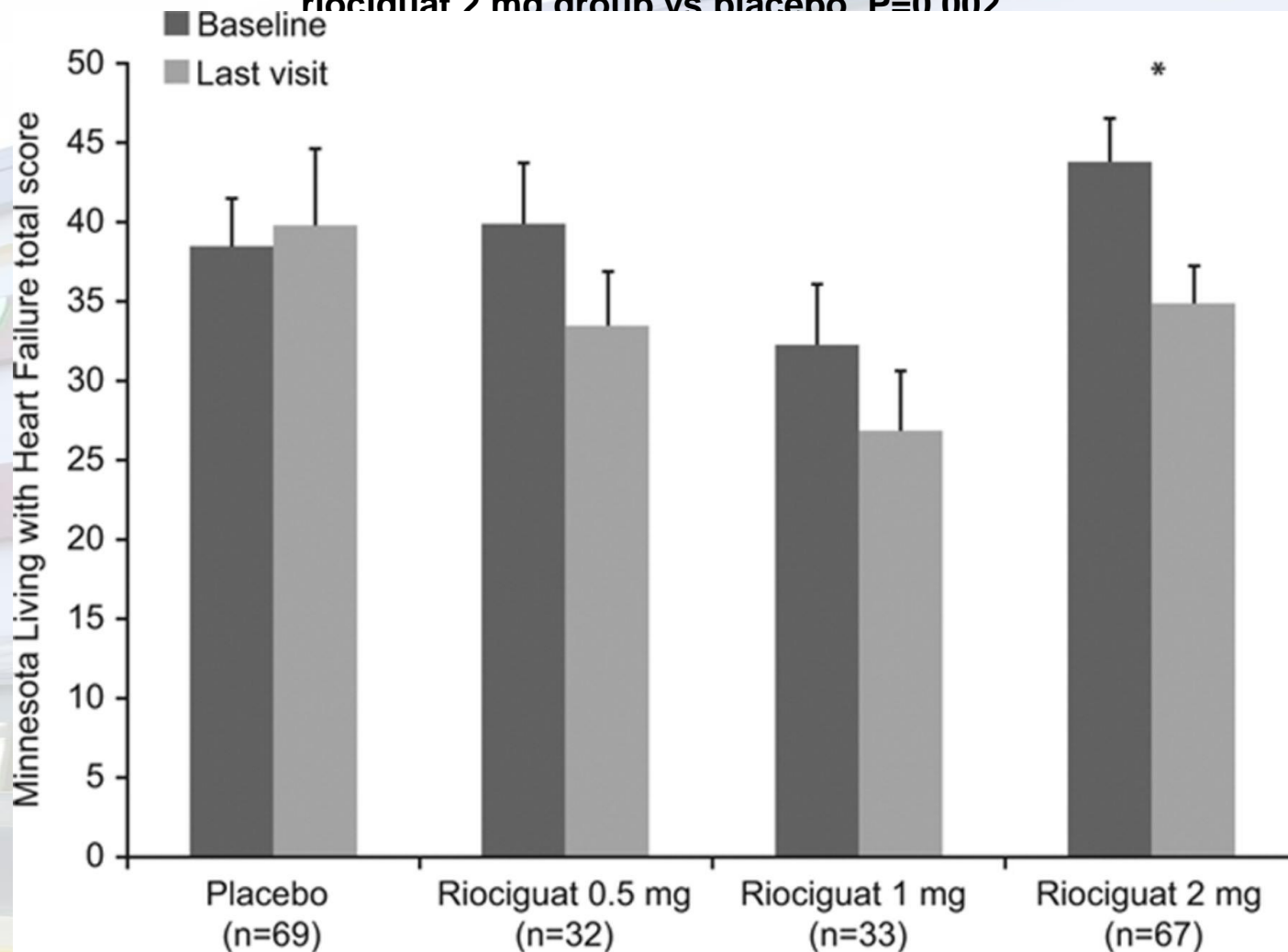
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Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Associated With Pulmonary Hypertension

Riociguat Trial

Asimismo se registró una mejoría de la calidad de vida asociada al tratamiento con riociguat reflejada en una disminución de la puntuación del *Minnesota Living With Heart Failure Score* ($p= 0.0002$)

Minnesota Living With Heart Failure questionnaire total scores at baseline and last visit (intention-to-treat population). *Pairwise comparison of change from baseline (ANCOVA) for riociguat 2 mg group vs placebo. P=0.002

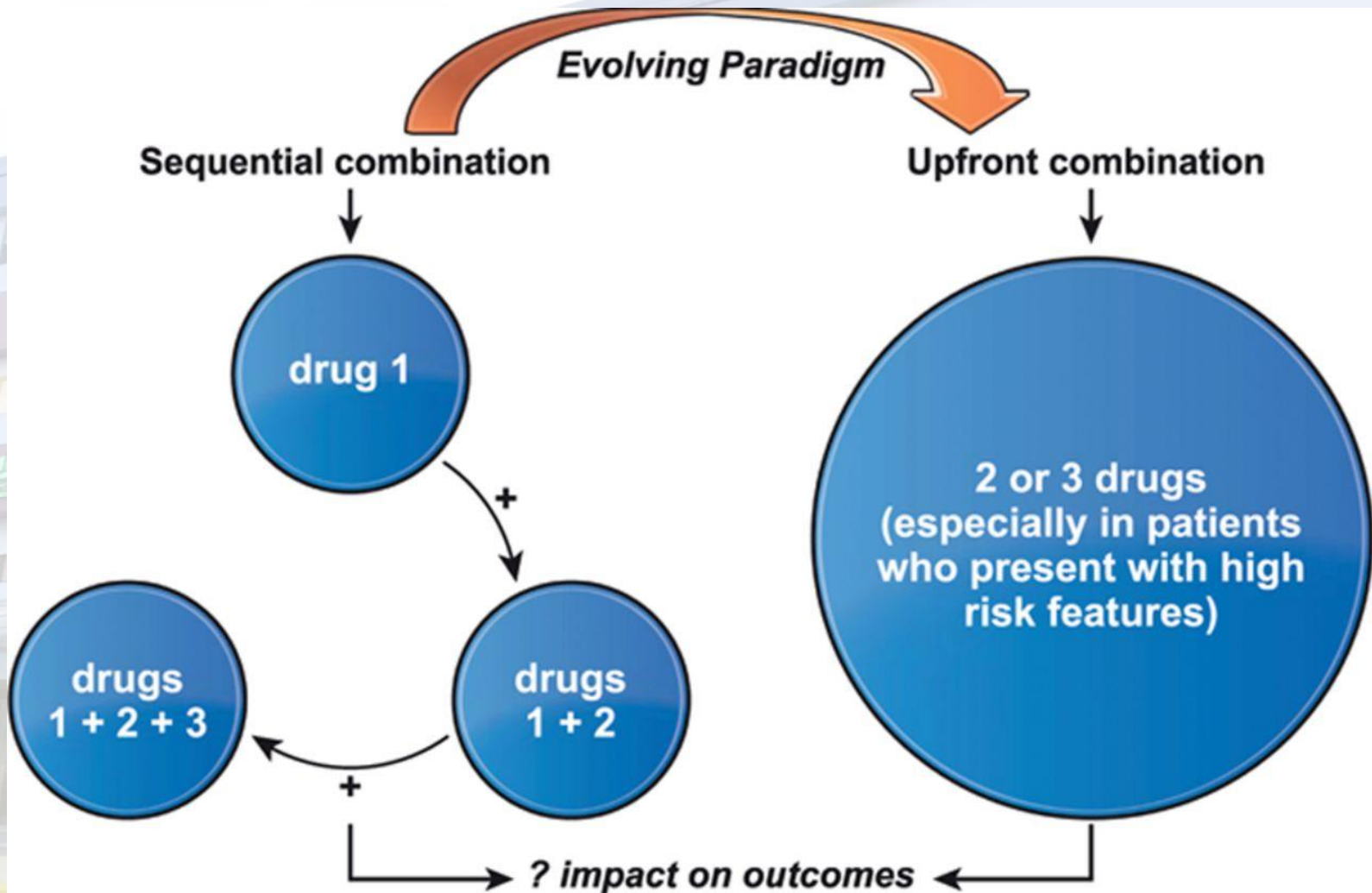


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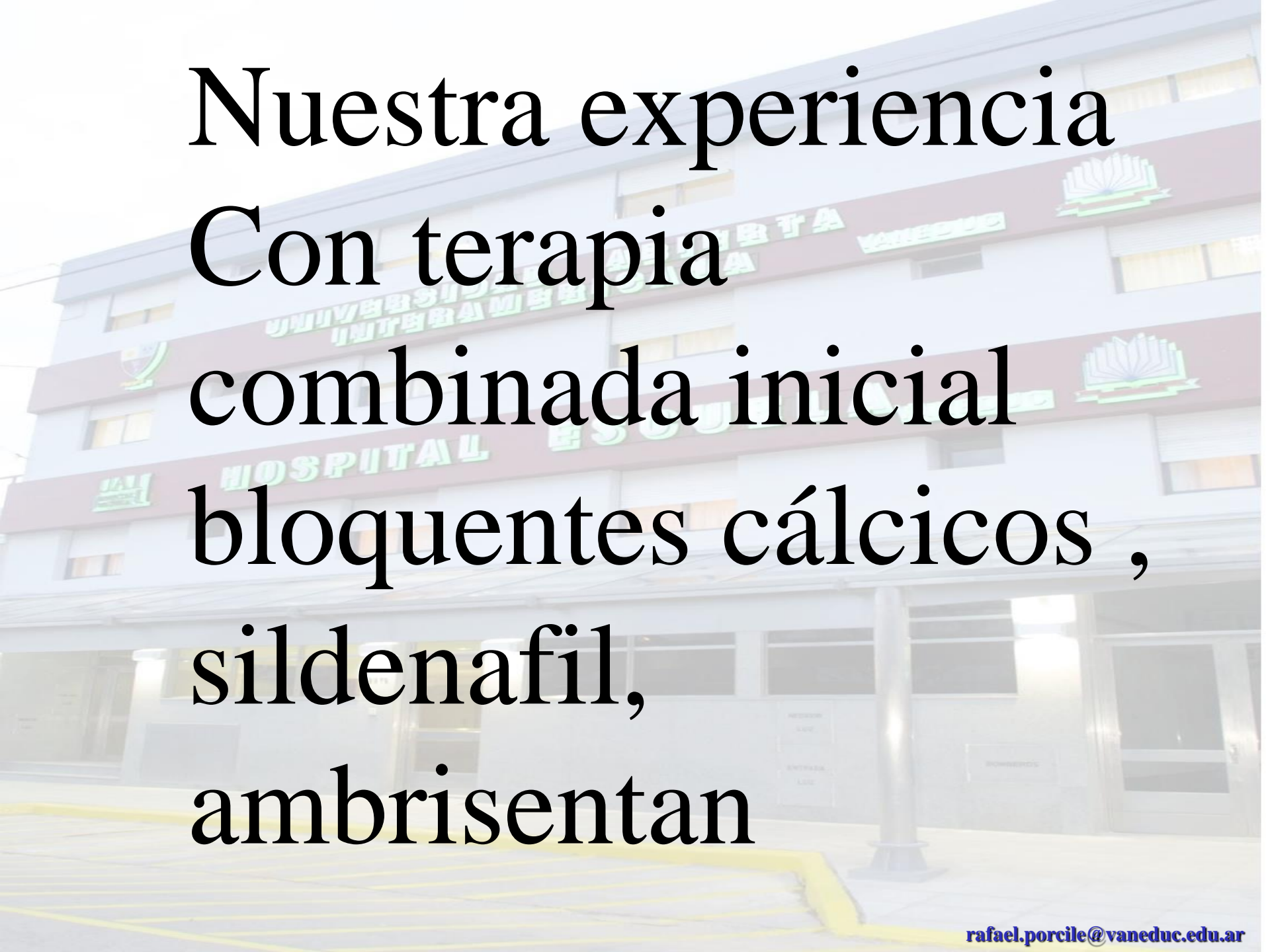


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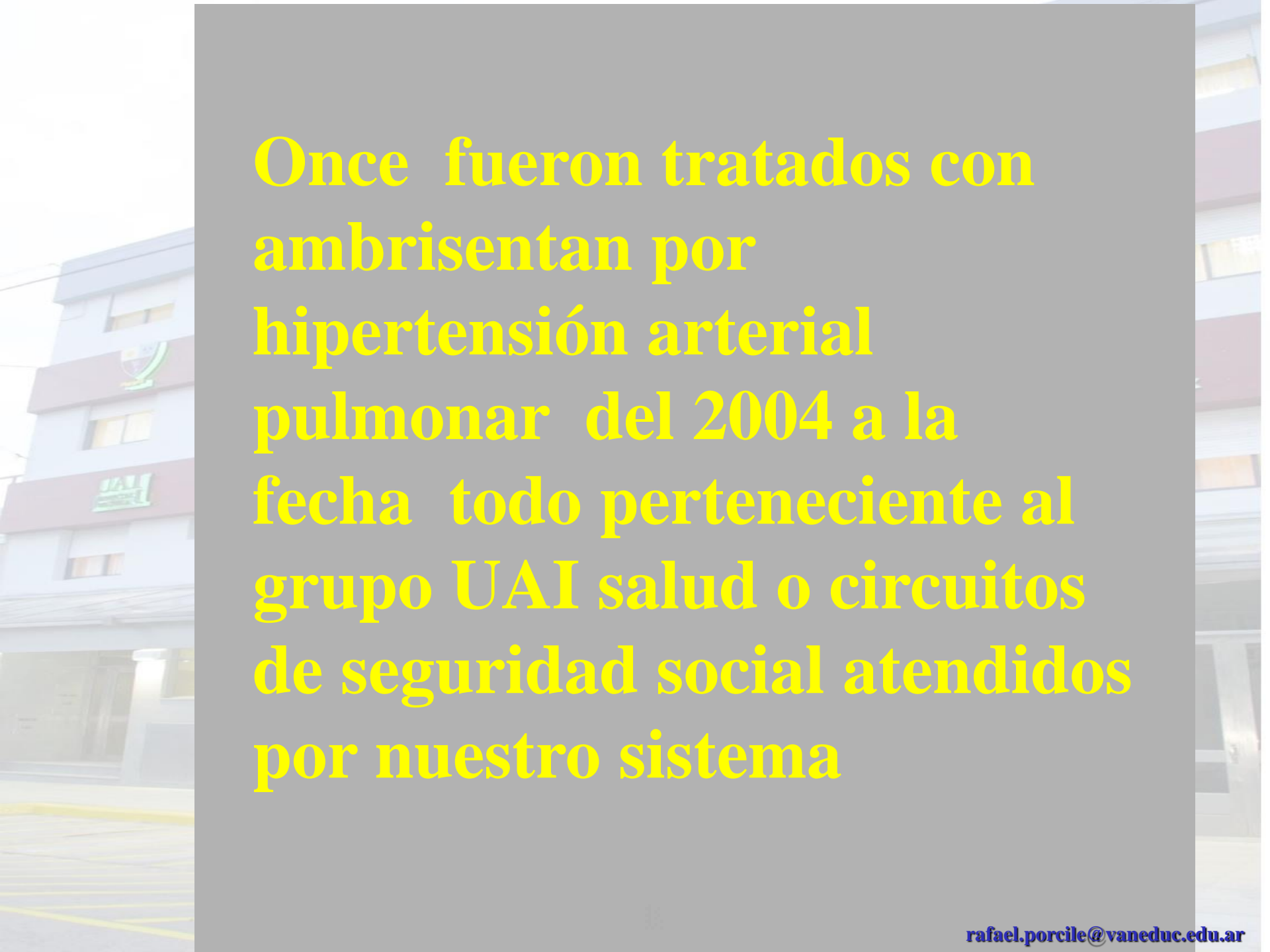
Paradigm of combination therapy in PAH. Combination therapy can be given by either sequentially adding agents if treatment response is unsatisfactory or by upfront combination.



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Nuestra experiencia
Con terapia
combinada inicial
bloqueantes cálcicos ,
sildenafil,
ambrisentan



**Once fueron tratados con
ambrisentan por
hipertensión arterial
pulmonar del 2004 a la
fecha todo perteneciente al
grupo UAI salud o circuitos
de seguridad social atendidos
por nuestro sistema**

6,7 años de seguimiento
promedio

Los resultados
globales de los 11
pacientes son muy
similares.

¿Que
herramientas
utilizar
Para una
evaluación
ESTIMATIVA
De la evolución
de esta pequeña
población ?



5 herramientas de estimación

- Calculador de riesgo del REVEAL
- Evaluación de corte de la evolución clínica a los 36 meses
- Curva Kaplan Meier del REVEAL
- Mortalidad prevista según test de caminata inicial
- Mortalidad prevista según clase funcional OMS.

Reflexiones...

A los **12 meses** de
seguimiento

AÑOS
2005/2006

2004-2005

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STEVEN SPIELBERG PRESENTA
CUCULA
BACK
TO THE FUTURE
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The REVEAL Registry risk score calculator in patients newly diagnosed with pulmonary arterial hypertension.

**Chest. 2012 Feb;141(2):354-62. doi:
10.1378/chest.11-0676. Epub 2011 Jun 16.**

PAH Risk Score Calculator^{1,2}

Total Risk Score: 11

(Including Starting Score +6)

Predicted
1-year survival

Low Risk 1-7 95% – 100%

Average Risk 8 90% – <95%

Moderately
High Risk 9 85% – <90%

High Risk 10-11 70% – <85%

Very High Risk ≥12 <70%

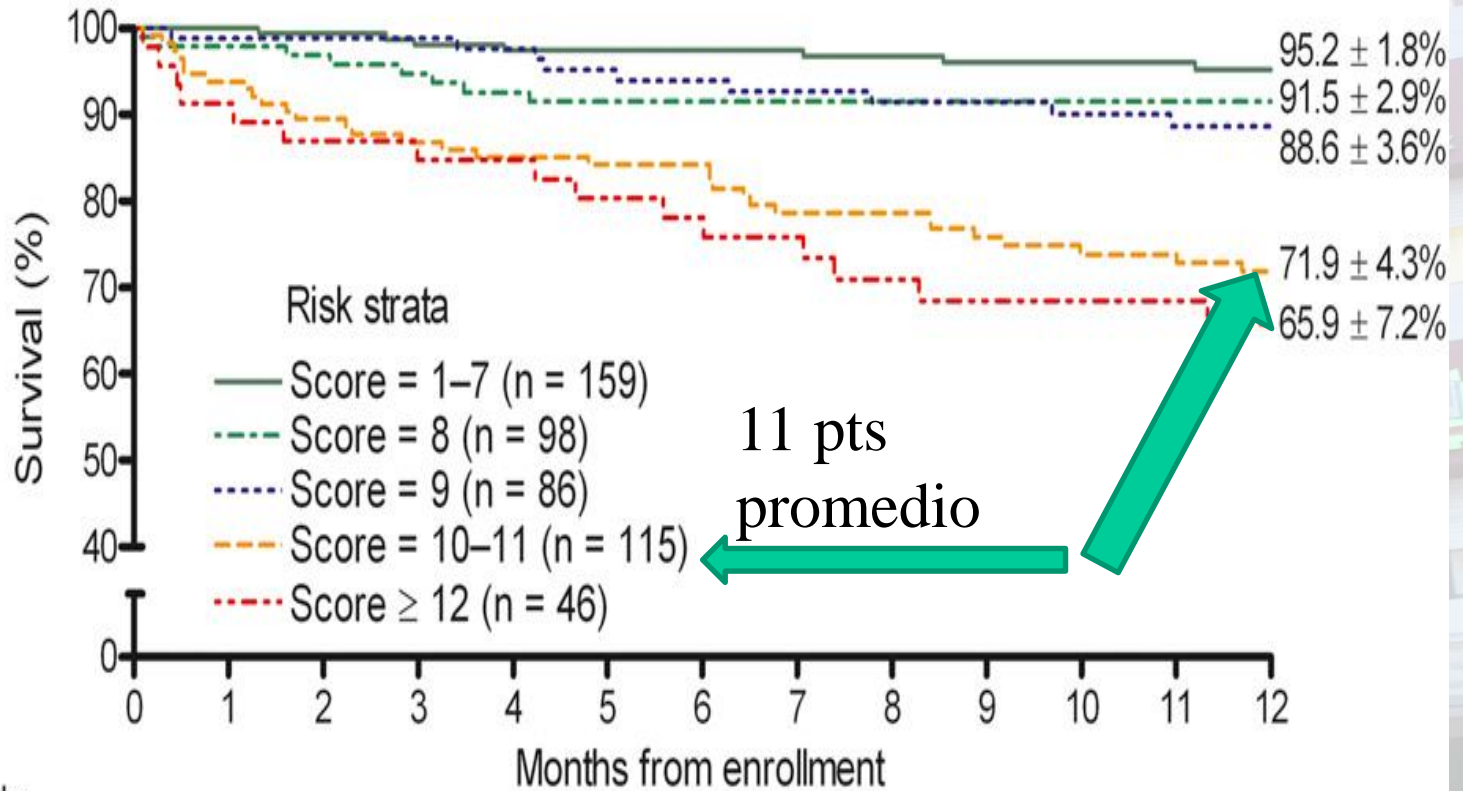
E-mail or print for record keeping.



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Risk calculator

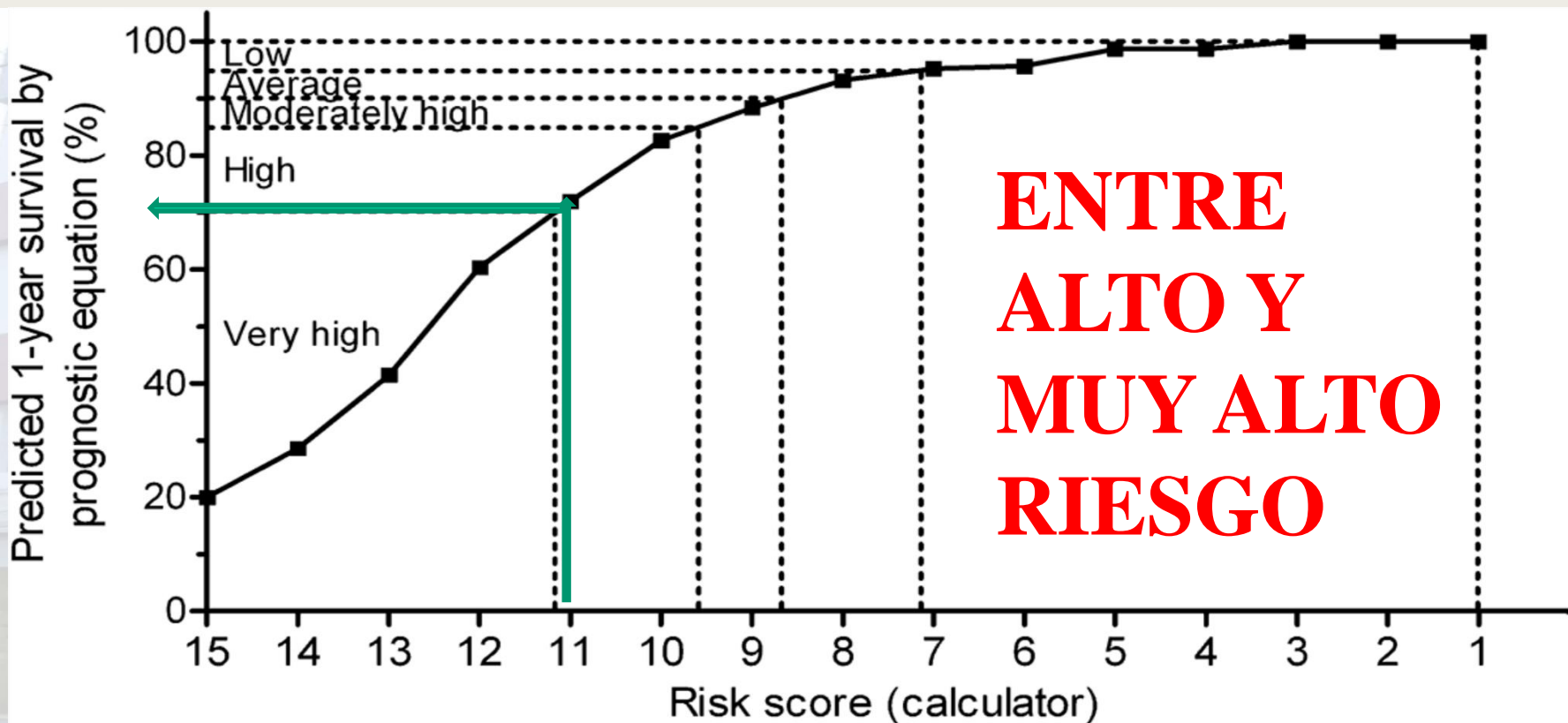


No. at risk:

Score = 1-7	159	156	155	151	150	150	150	141	140	139	120	120	119
Score = 8	98	93	91	89	87	86	86	84	81	81	71	71	71
Score = 9	86	84	84	81	80	78	77	73	72	72	65	64	64
Score = 10-11	115	107	102	99	96	95	95	85	85	82	74	74	72
Score ≥ 12	46	42	40	38	38	36	35	31	29	28	26	26	25

From: The REVEAL Registry Risk Score Calculator in Patients Newly Diagnosed With Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Validation of the REVEAL Registry Risk Calculator

Chest. 2012;141(2):354-362. doi:10.1378/chest.11-0676



Twelve-month Kaplan-Meier survival estimate for the REVEAL Registry development cohort with predicted risk score. Risk strata are indicated by the lines: predicted 1-year survival is 95% to 100% in the low-risk group, 90% to < 95% in the average-risk group, 85% to < 90% in the moderately high-risk group, 70% to < 85% in the high-risk group, and < 70% in the very high-risk group. See Figure 1 legend for expansion of abbreviation.

Reflexiones... **No Conclusiones**

- Sobrevida esperada promedio de los 5 pacientes al año subestimada por no ponderar BNP según REVEAL **71.9%**

- **Sobrevida UAI observada al
– 1 año 100 %**



Reflexiones...

A los
Tres años de
seguimiento

AÑOS
2007/2008

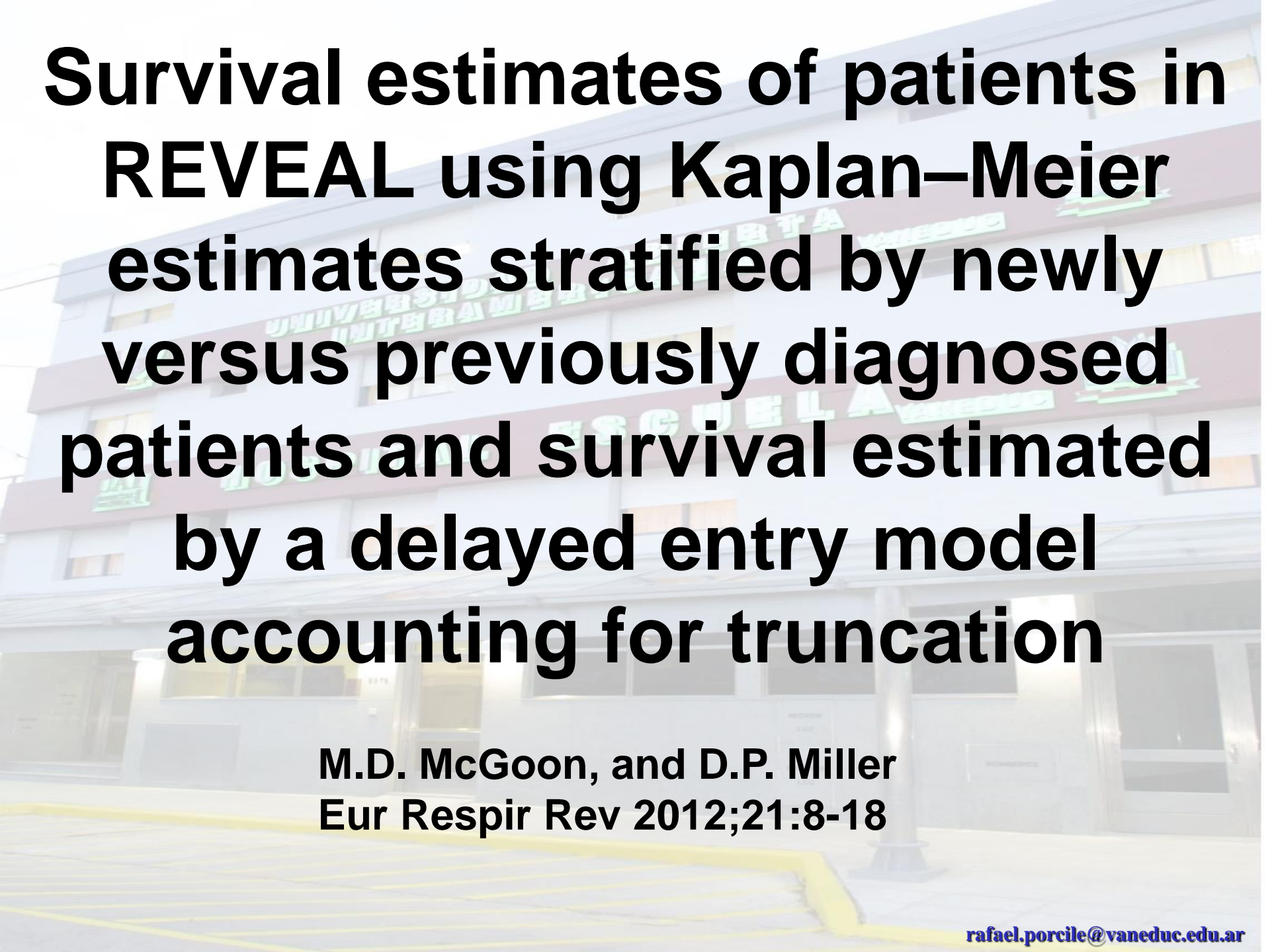
EVOLUCIÓN CLINICA

- Buena tolerancia al fármaco sin hepatotoxicidad
- Caída del test de caminata respecto del mejor histórico en todos los casos mayor al 6-11 % que mejora al agregarle sildenafil a partir del ingreso a Aries Ext.
- Reducción de la presión arterial pulmonar a expensas predominantemente de la presión sistólicas

Reflexiones...

A los **4 años** de
seguimiento

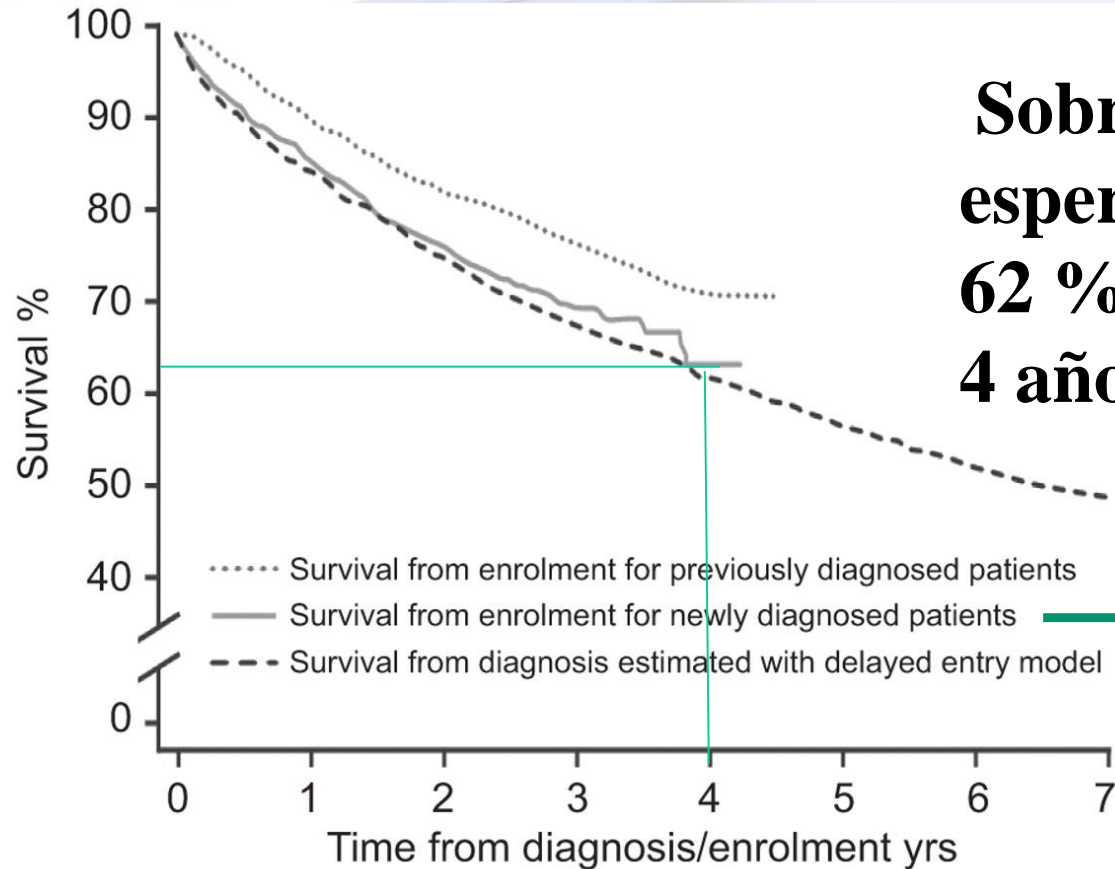
AÑOS
2008/2009



**Survival estimates of patients in
REVEAL using Kaplan–Meier
estimates stratified by newly
versus previously diagnosed
patients and survival estimated
by a delayed entry model
accounting for truncation**

**M.D. McGoon, and D.P. Miller
Eur Respir Rev 2012;21:8-18**

Survival estimates of patients in REVEAL using Kaplan–Meier estimates stratified by newly versus previously diagnosed patients and survival estimated by a delayed entry model accounting for truncation.



At risk n

Delayed entry (all)	965	1259	1356	1371	1168	902	684	536
KM#	965	751	475	250	34	0	0	0
KM [†]	2553	2289	2012	1725	365	0	0	0

M.D. McGoon, and D.P. Miller Eur Respir Rev 2012;21:8-18

Reflexiones... **No Conclusiones**

- Sobrevida esperada promedio a los 4 años

62%

- Sobrevida UAI observada al

- 1 año 100 %
- 2 años 80%
- 3 años 80 %
- **4 años 80%**
- 5 años 60 %
- 11 años 60%



Reflexiones...

A los **6 años** de
seguimiento

AÑOS
2010/2011

SOBREVIDA

O.M.S.: 199876

**Expectativa de vida según
clase funcional**

WHO-FC IV, 2.5 AÑOS

WHO-FC III, 6 AÑOS

WHO-FC I and II. 8 AÑOS

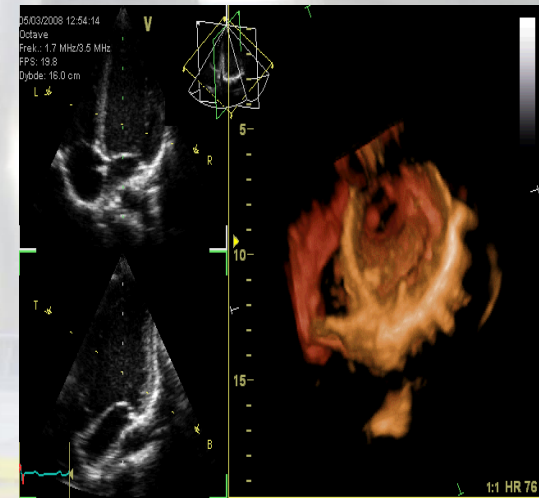
Clasificación funcional según New York Heart Association de acuerdo a O.M.S: 199876

WHO-FC IV, 2.5 AÑOS

WHO-FC III, 6 AÑOS

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**Se esperaría que todos los
pacientes hubiesen fallecido a los
seis años**



Reflexiones... **No Conclusiones**

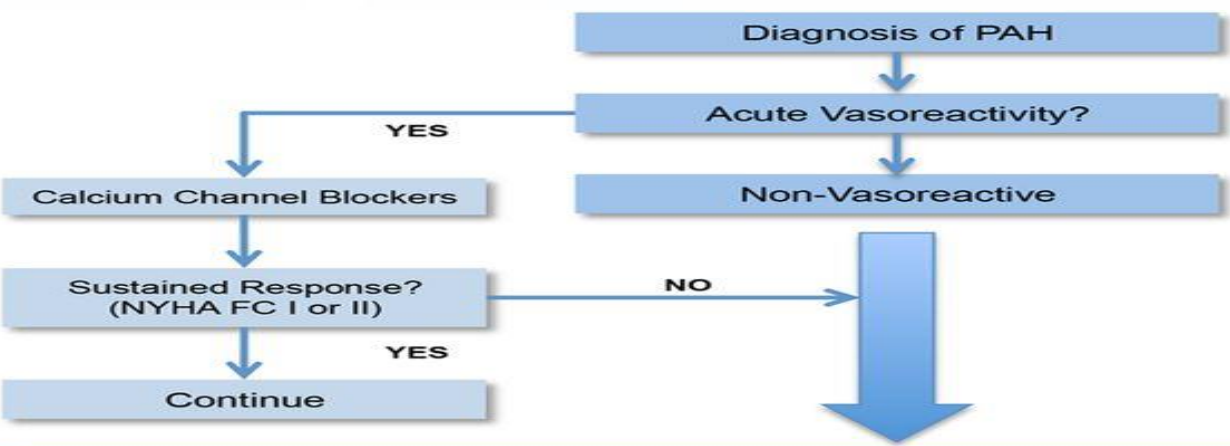
- Mortalidad esperada promedio a los 11 años

100%

- Sobrevida observada al

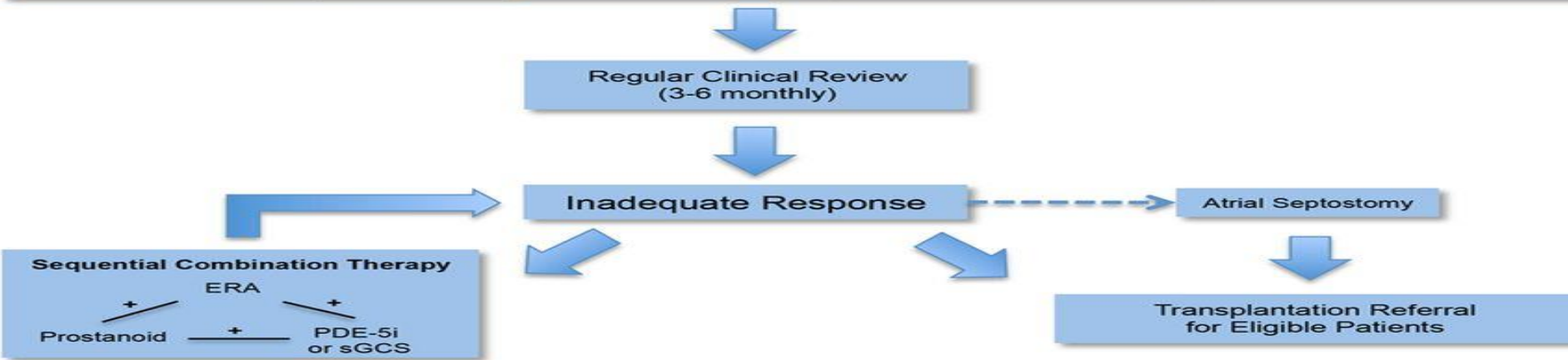
- 1 año 100 %
- 2 años 80%
- 3 años 80 %
- 4 años 80%
- 5 años 60 %
- **11 años 60%**





Therapy with Approved PAH Drugs

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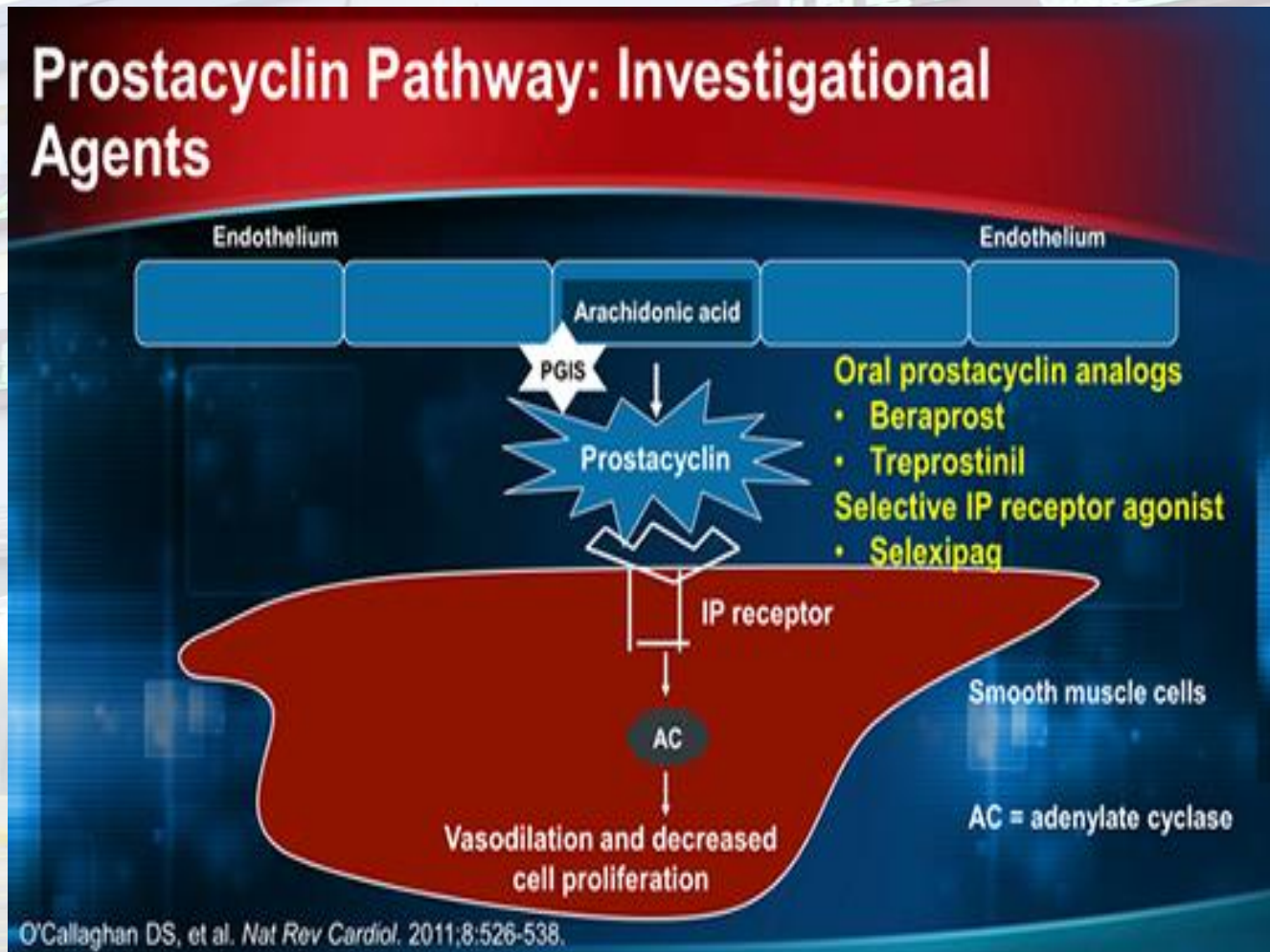


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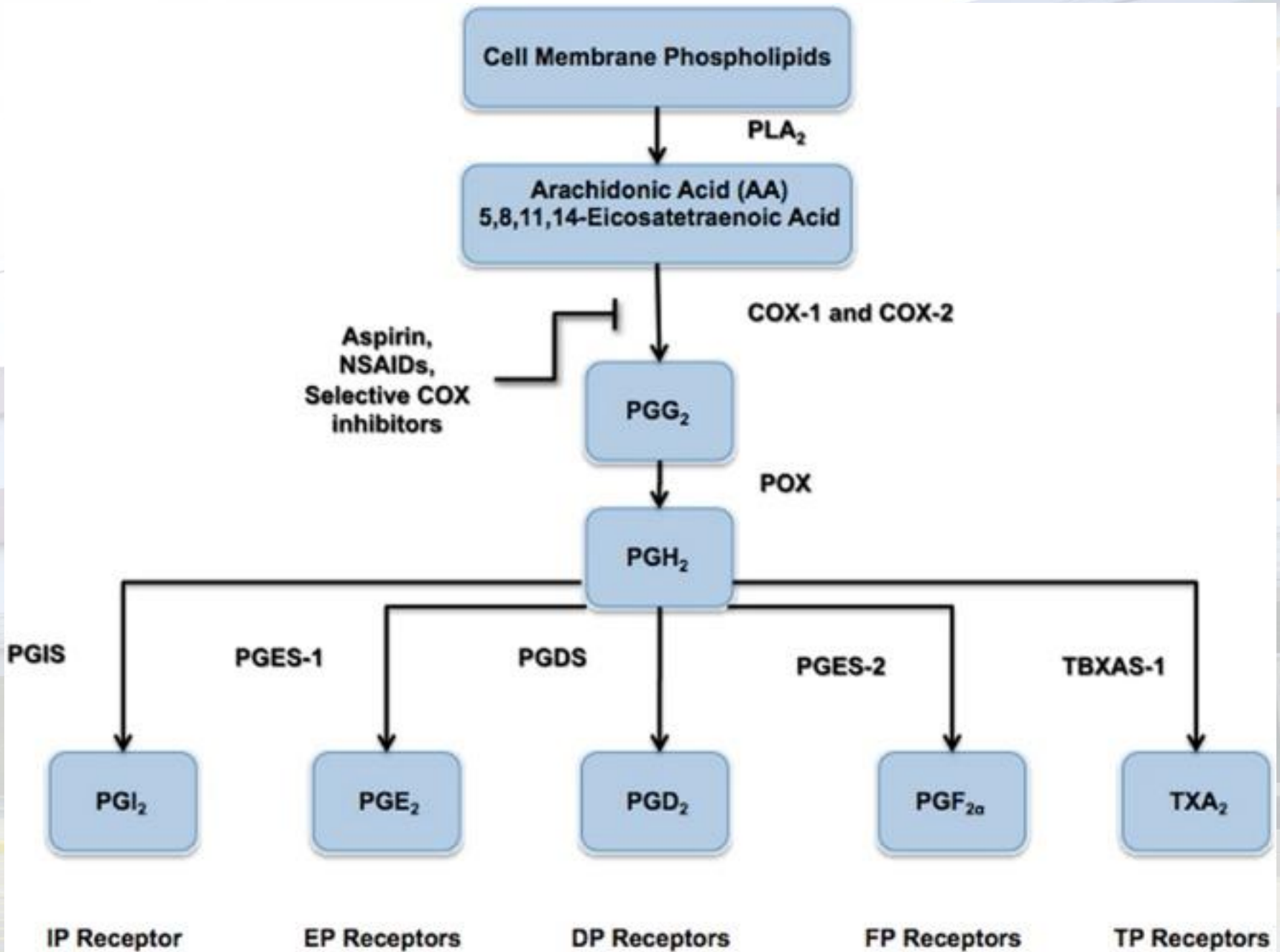
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C		Iloprost IV Treprostinil IV	
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C		Upfront Combination	

EVIDENCIA PARA TERAPEUTICA EN CFIII

Análogos de las prostaciclinas

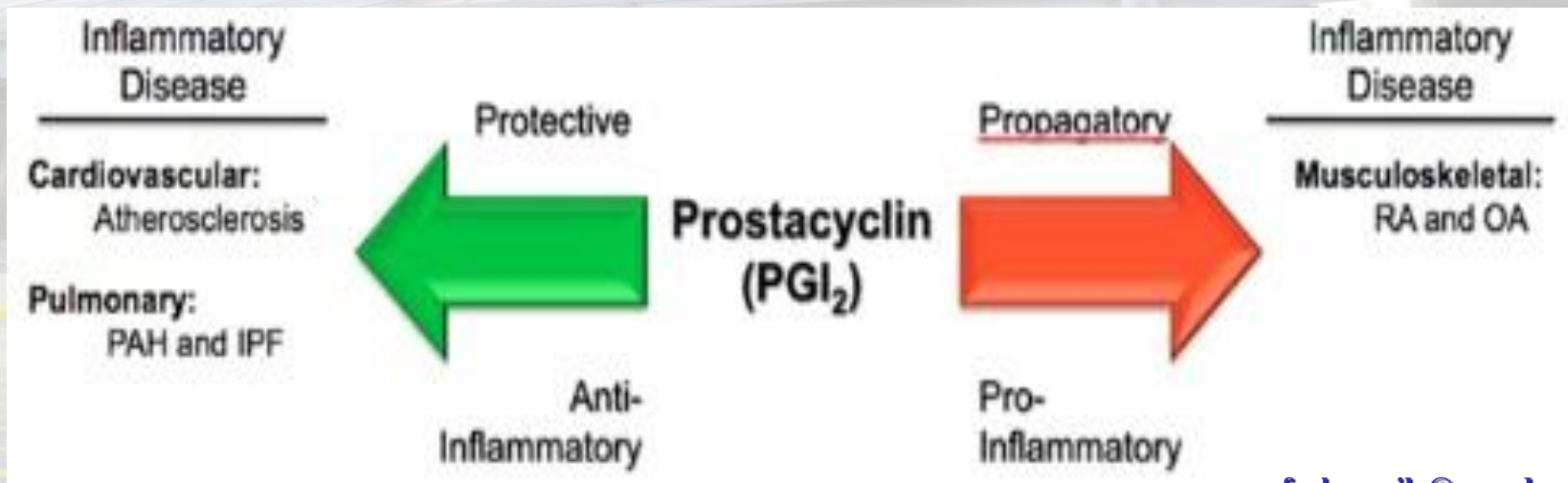


O'Callaghan DS, et al. *Nat Rev Cardiol.* 2011;8:526-538.

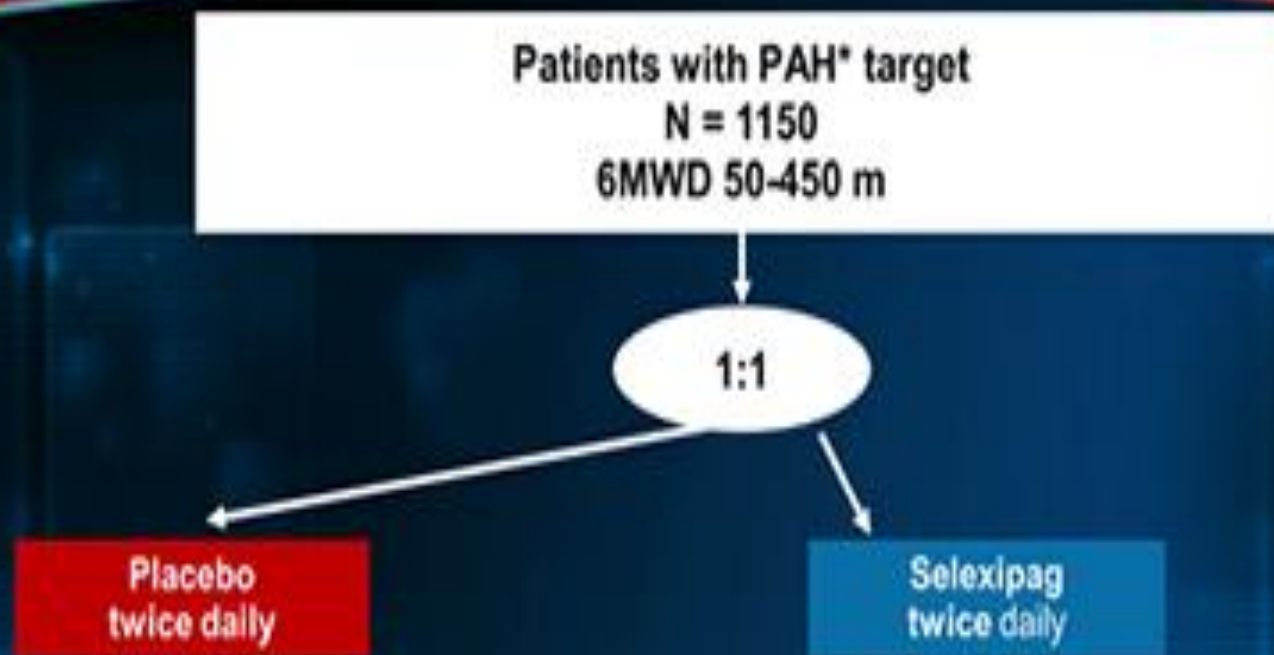


Selexipag

Selexipag is a prostacyclin IP receptor agonist. It is not prostacyclin or a prostacyclin analog. It is orally available and undergoes rapid hydrolysis to the active metabolite, ACT-333679



GRIPHON



Primary efficacy end point: time to first morbidity/mortality event

*IPAH; FPAH; APAH-CTD; simple, congenital systemic-to-pulmonary shunts ≥ 1 year postsurgical repair; HIV infection; or drugs and toxins.

Selexipag

Selective prostacyclin IP receptor agonist

The GRIPHON study was the largest outcome trial ever conducted in PAH, enrolling patients in 181 centers from 39 countries in North and Latin America, Europe, Asia-Pacific and Africa.

GRIPHON enrollment was completed in May 2013 with 1'156 patients. Patients received twice daily administration of selexipag or placebo and were also permitted to receive background therapy of endothelin receptor antagonist and/or a phosphodiesterase-5 inhibitor when on a stable dose for at least 3 months prior to enrollment. At baseline, 80% of patients were receiving oral medication specific for PAH: either an ERA, a PDE-5 inhibitor, or a combination of the two.

Selexipag

Selective prostacyclin IP receptor agonist

The GRIPHON study

Designed to demonstrate a prolongation of time to the first morbidity/mortality event for selexipag compared to placebo and to evaluate the safety of the selexipag in PAH patients.

Selexipag

Selective prostacyclin IP receptor agonist

The GRIPHON study

Selexipag decreased the risk of a morbidity/mortality event versus placebo by 39% ($p < 0.0001$). Efficacy observed was consistent across the key subgroups: age, gender, WHO Functional Class, PAH etiology and background PAH therapy. Patients were treated for up to 4.3 years. The overall tolerability profile of selexipag in GRIPHON was consistent with prostacyclin therapies

Iloprost nebulizado

WHO Class III

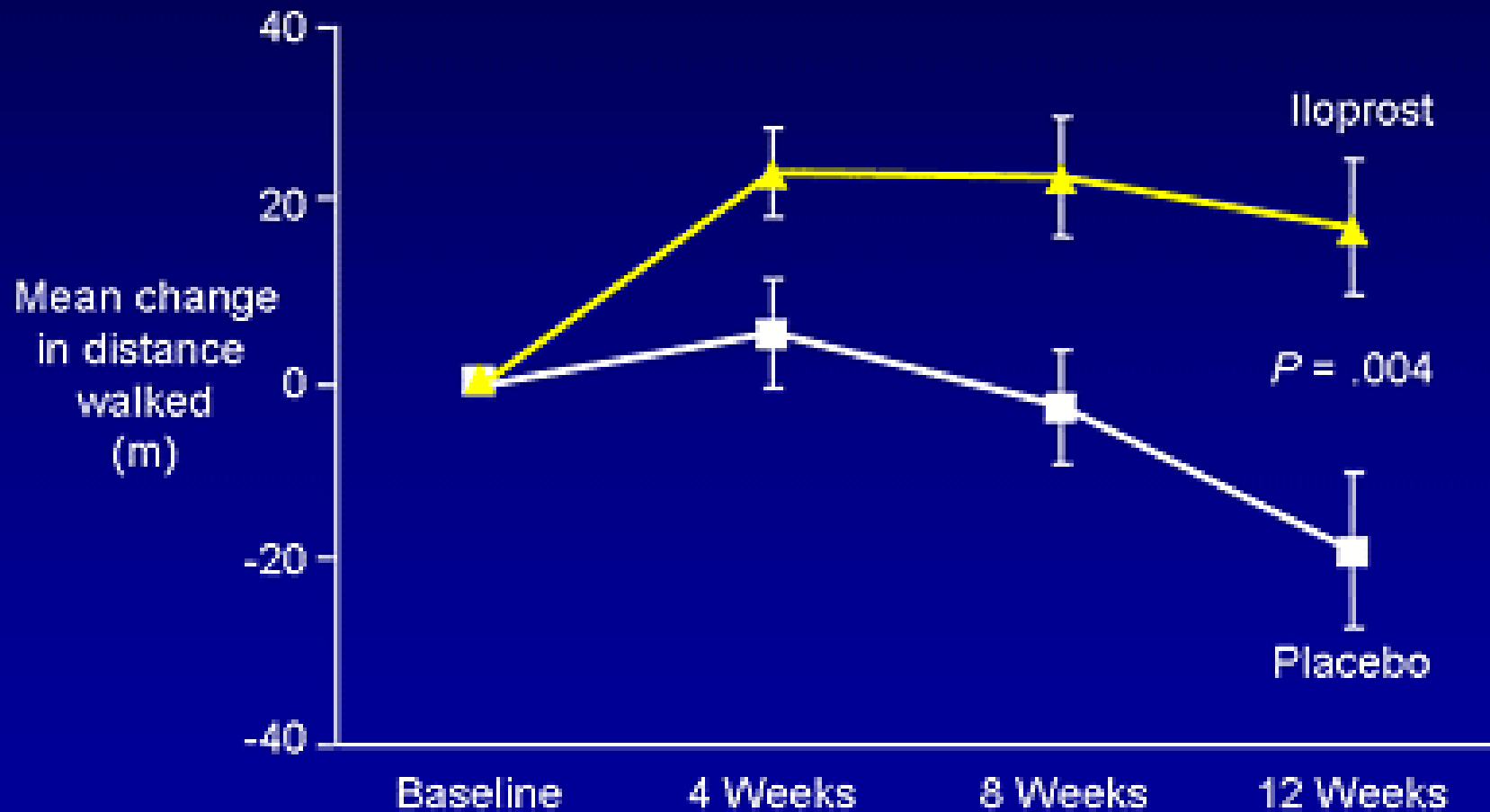
3-4hrly nebulisers

En argentina solo forma inhalatoria

Inhaled iloprost for severe pulmonary hypertension

There were increases in the distance walked in six minutes of 36.4 m in the iloprost group

Effect of Inhaled Iloprost and Placebo on Mean Change in 6-Minute Walk



Does the Outcome Justify an Oral-First Treatment Strategy for Management of Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension?

Guidelines for treatment of World Health Organization (WHO) functional class (FC) III pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) allow for oral therapy or parenteral prostacyclins at the discretion of expert clinicians.

Chest.2011 May 26

Cornwell WK McLaughlin VV Krishnan SM Rubenfire M

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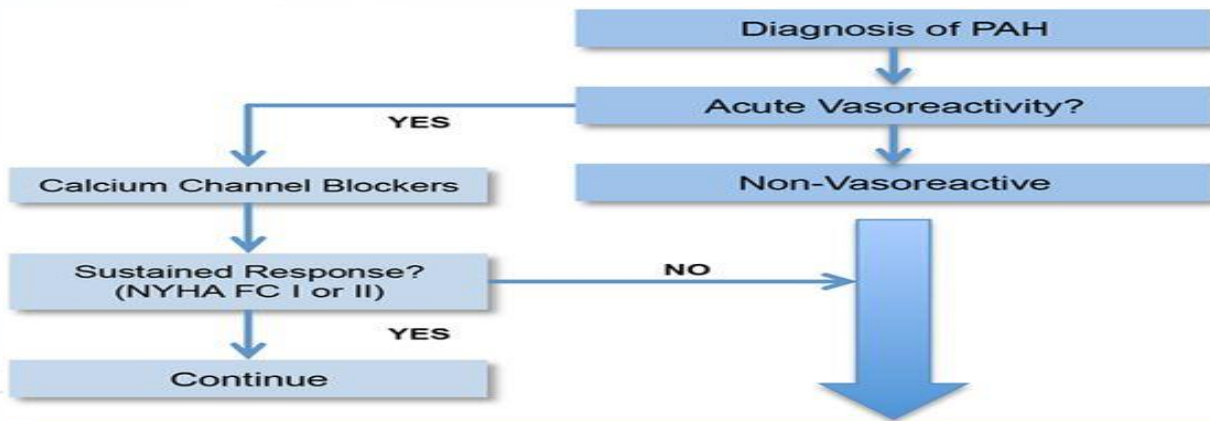
the clinical decision for treatment with an oral-first strategy is associated with a high survival rate when patients are appropriately risk-stratified prior to initiation of therapy. **The more potent prostacyclins can be reserved for high-risk patients or evidence of disease progression or treatment failure.**

Chest.2011 May 26

The potential for inhaled treprostinil in the treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension.

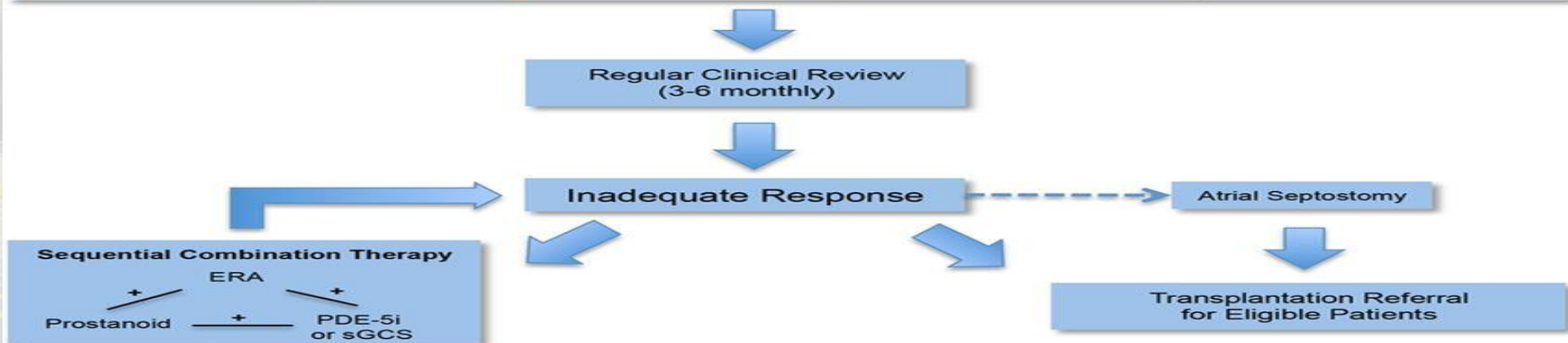
[Ther Adv Respir Dis.](#) 2011 Jun ;5(3):195-206. Epub 2011 Feb 7.

Demonstrated pronounced pulmonary selectivity of vasodilatory effects, improved physical capacity and excellent tolerability and safety following aerosol administration



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Therapy with Approved PAH Drugs

Evidence			FC IV
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C			<p>Ambrisentan Bosentan Iloprost inhaled, IV Macitentan[®] Riociguat Sildenafil Tadalafil Treprostinil SC, IV</p>
B			
C			<p>Upfront Combination</p>

EVIDENCIA PARA TERAPEUTICA EN CFIV

Epoprostenol (Flolan)

WHO Class III / IV

Intravenous via central venous catheter

Half life approx 4

Minutes

**DIFICIL
DISPONIBILIDAD
EN ARGENTINA**



mmHg

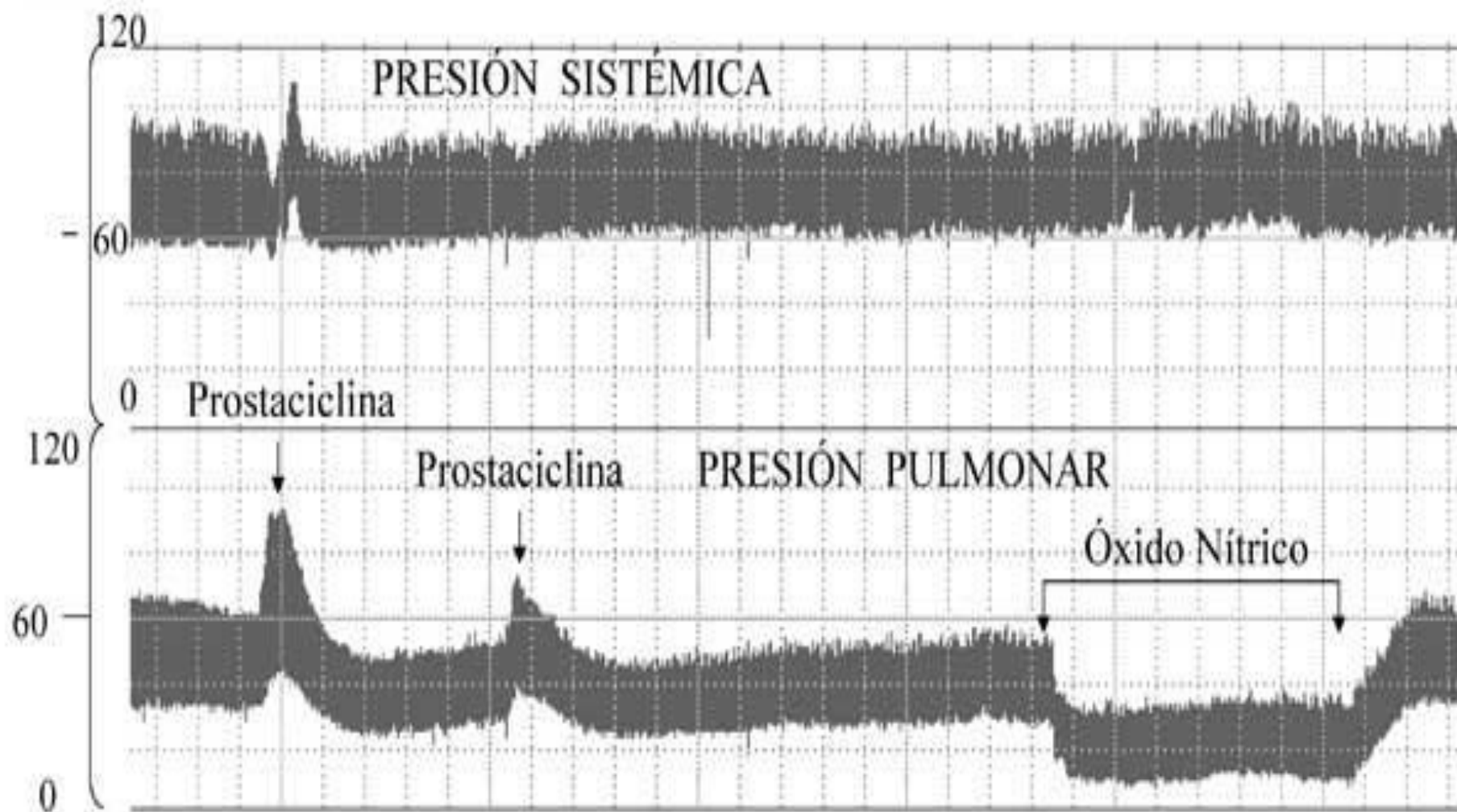
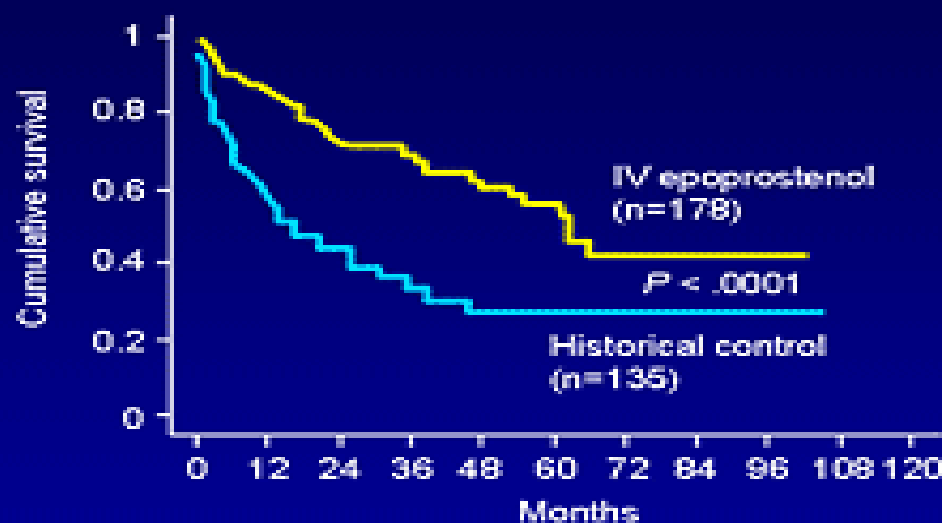


Figura 3. Evolución de la presión sistémica y pulmonar con la administración de prostaciclina y óxido nítrico. Se observó que la desconexión que se realiza para administrar el fármaco agrava la hipertensión pulmonar por hipoxia. Gentileza del Departamento básico de Neonatología. Hospital de Clínicas.

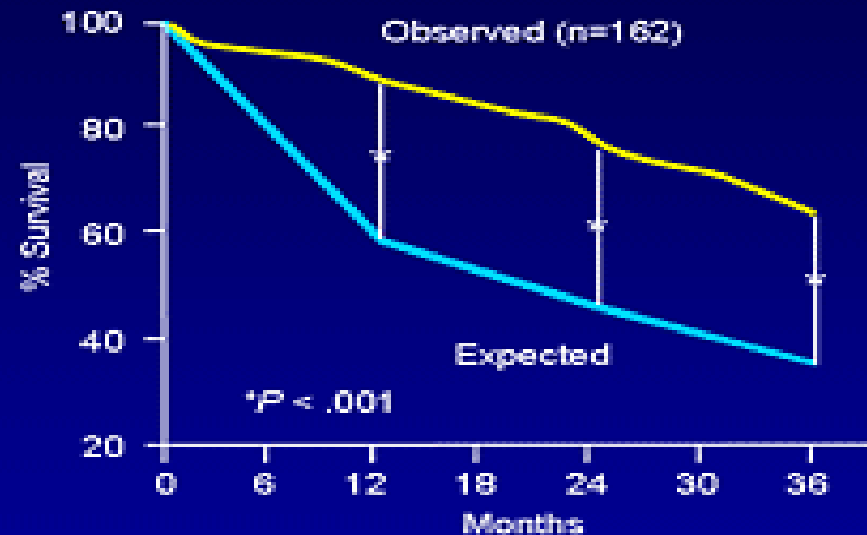
EPOPROSTENOL A LARGO PLAZO

Long-term Outcome in IPAH With Epoprostenol



No. at risk

178	129	85	57	36	21	7	3	1	IV epo
135	59	34	20	11	4	2	2	1	Hist. control



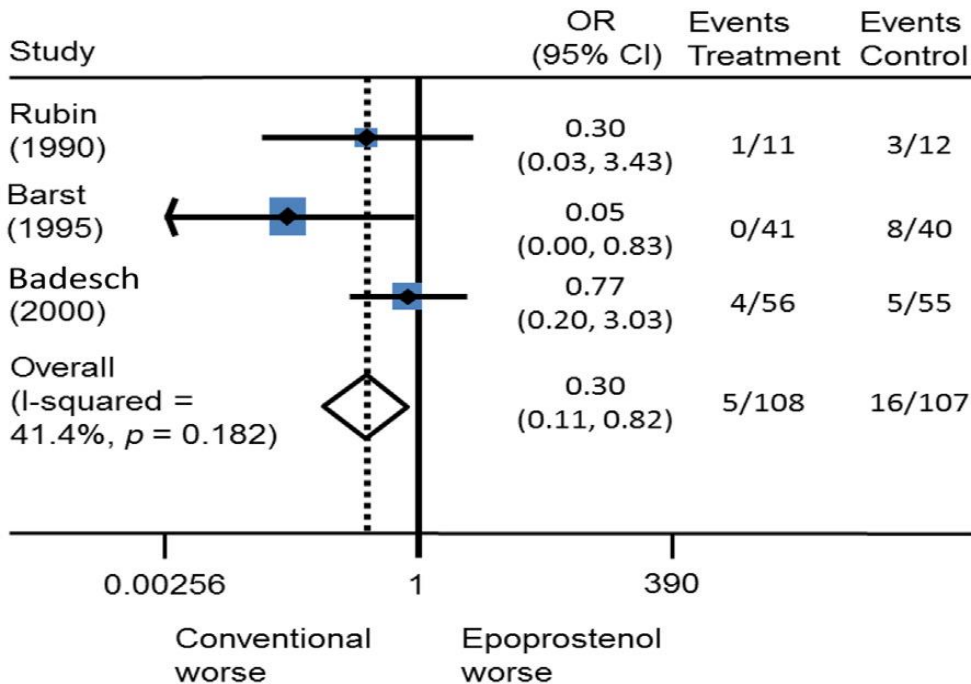
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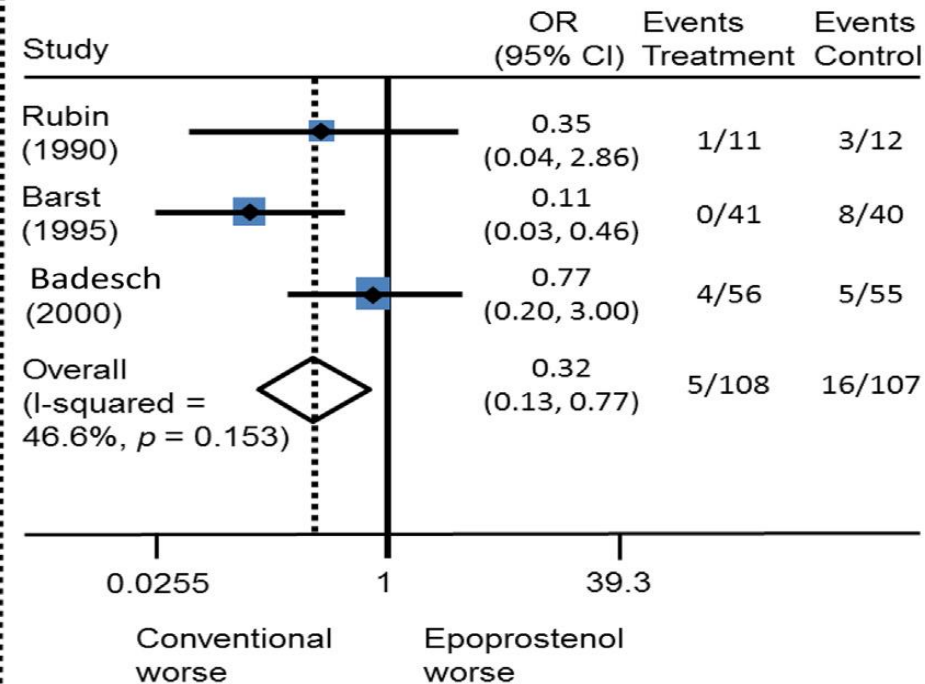
Meta-Analysis of Published Randomized Controlled Studies (Identified by First Author and Year of Publication)

With Epoprostenol in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension by Mantel-Haenszel and Peto Methods

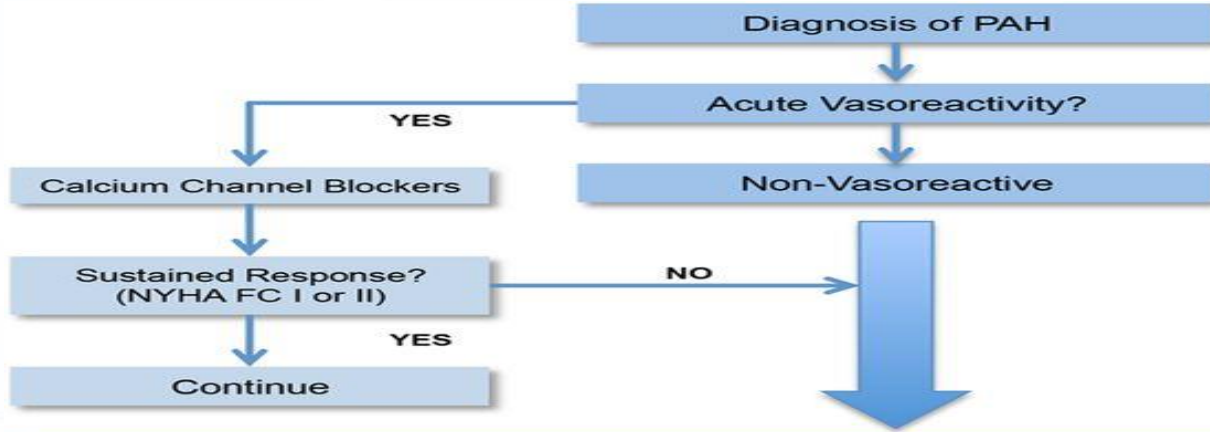
The analysis included 215 patients in 3 trials.



Mantel-Haenszel $z = 2.35$ $p = 0.019$
Heterogeneity $p = 0.182$
RR = 70%

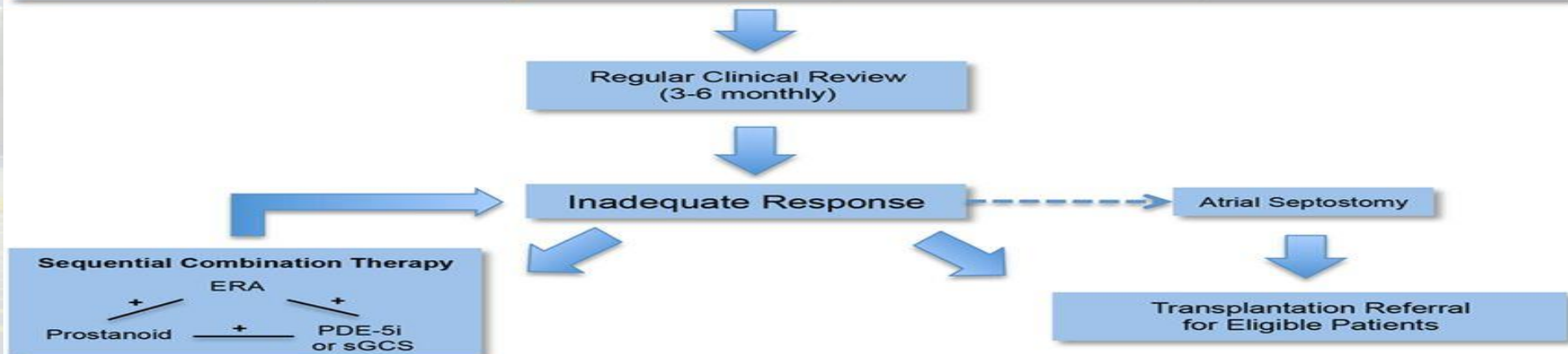


Peto $z = 2.52$ $p = 0.012$
Heterogeneity $p = 0.153$
RR = 68%



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