




# Le sujet âgé en Réanimation - Pneumologie

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# Attitudes of physicians towards the care of critically ill elderly patients – a European survey

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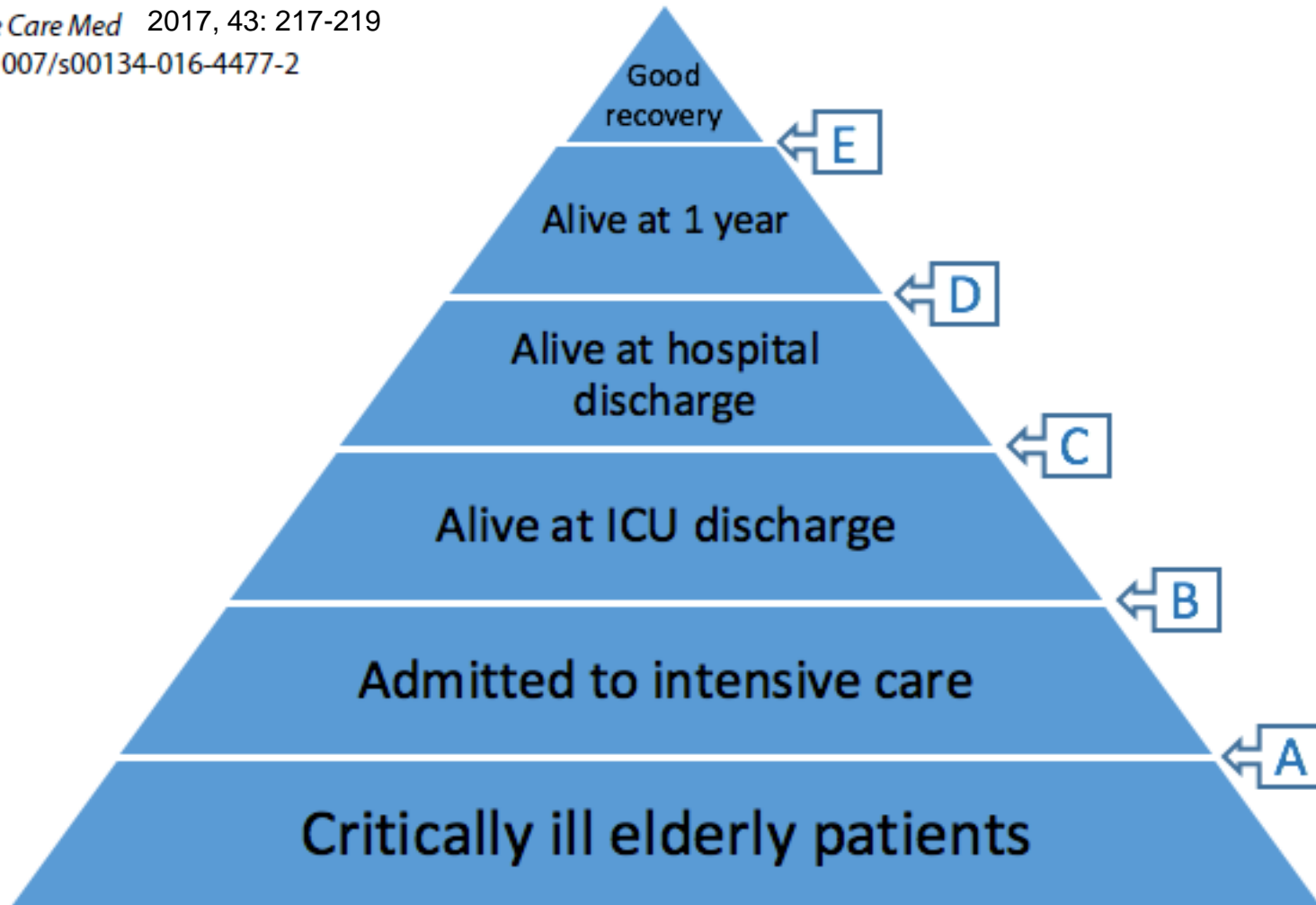
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- 162 ICUs – 20 European countries
- No clear evidence for ICU benefit: 37%
- Patients advance directive should be promoted: 97%
- Seeking relatives' opinion is mandatory: 83%
- Written guidelines should be available: 79%
- Assessment of frailty should be mandatory: 92%
- Level of care should be systematically reassess at day2-3: 91%
- Consultation of a geriatrician: 66%

# Ten things to know about critically ill elderly patients

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# Questions

- Souhait du patient et son entourage?
- Comment caractériser un patient âgé?
- Quelle prise en charge en réanimation?
- Quel parcours hospitalier?
- Et pour quel résultat à distance?



1 - Souhait  
du patient et de son entourage?

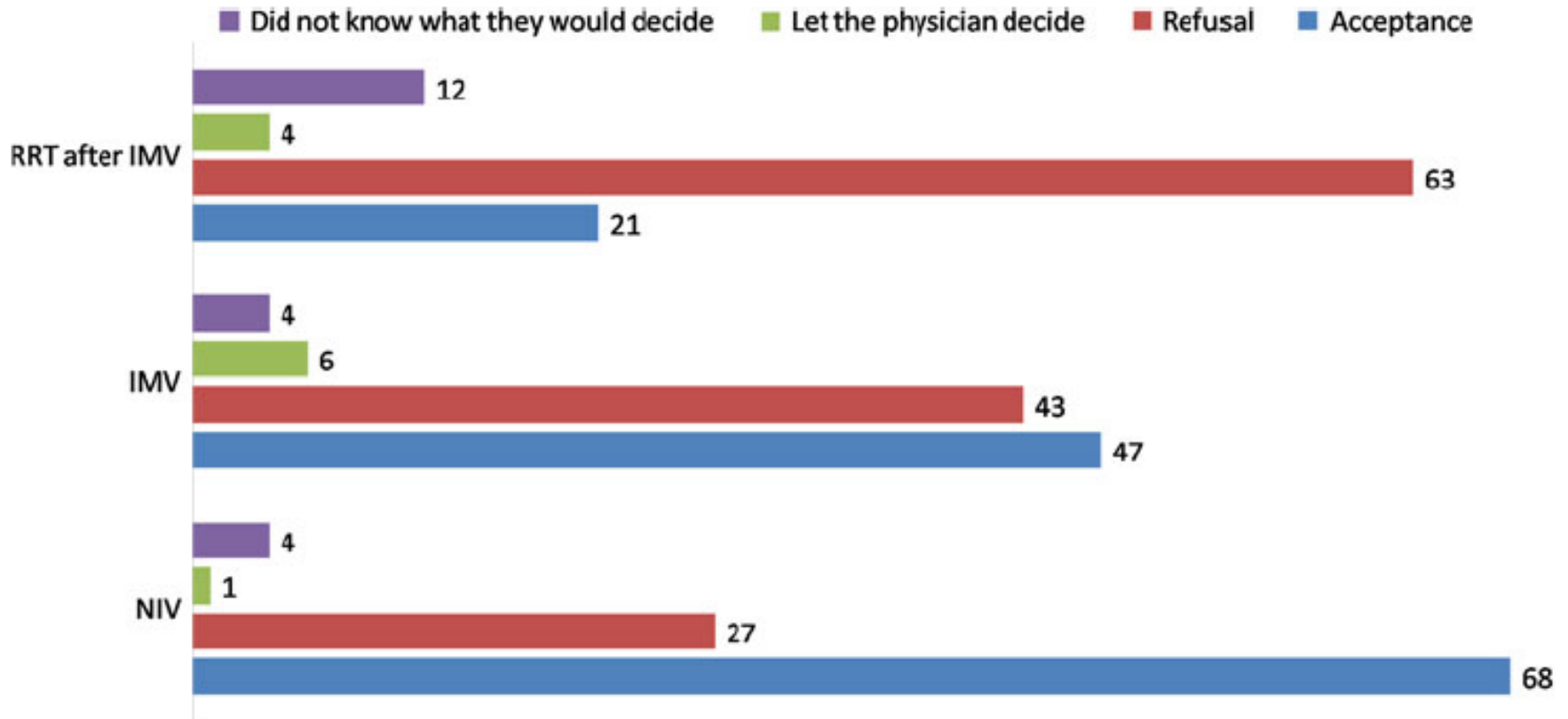
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## The ETHICA study (part I): elderly's thoughts about intensive care unit admission for life-sustaining treatments

100 participants

Variables	Data
Age (years)	
Mean $\pm$ SD	84.8 $\pm$ 3.5
Females ( <i>n</i> )	68
Site of residence ( <i>n</i> )	
At home	65
Nursing facility	10
Assisted-living facility	25

# Preferences of the 100 elderly



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## The ETHICA study (part II): simulation study of determinants and variability of ICU physician decisions in patients aged 80 or over

**Table 1** Factors associated with decisions to use life-sustaining treatments (multivariate analysis)

Variables	OR for performing LST	95 % CI	<i>p</i> value
<b>Invasive mechanical ventilation</b>			
<b>Patient factors</b>			
Age ≥85 years	0.30	0.14–0.64	0.002
IADL score (1–4) vs. 0	0.23	0.10–0.52	0.0006
Previous ICU admission	0.29	0.13–0.65	0.01
Cancer	0.23	0.10–0.52	0.003
<b>Centre factors</b>			
1 available bed vs. 0	4.89	1.99–12	<0.0001
2 available beds vs. 0	7.92	3.09–20.30	
>2 available beds vs. 0	12.41	4.49–34.26	

**Table 2** Factors associated with decisions to use life-sustaining treatments after information about patient preferences and quality of life (multivariate analysis)

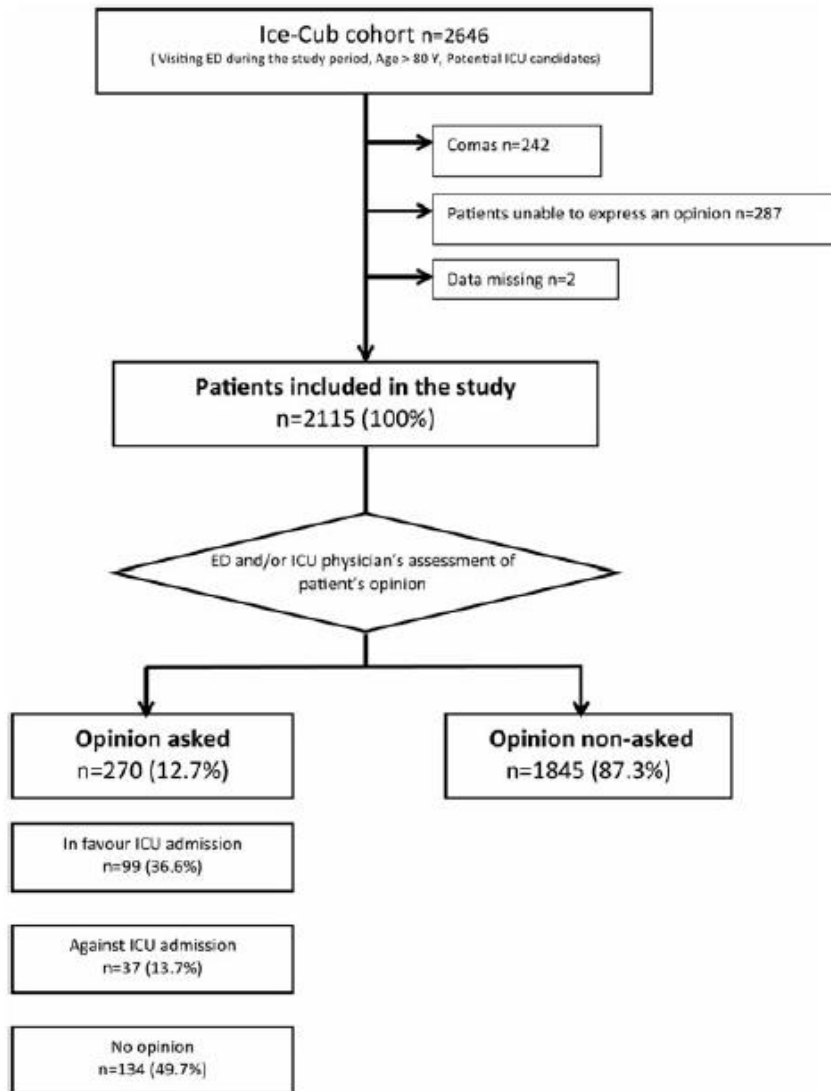
Variables	OR for performing LST	95 % CI	<i>p</i> value
<b>Invasive mechanical ventilation</b>			
<b>Patient factors</b>			
Age ≥85 years	0.45	0.26–0.78	0.004
Previous hospitalisation in the last year	0.51	0.30–0.85	0.01
WHO QOL-BREF environment >75	2.14	1.25–3.67	0.006
<b>Patient preferences</b>			
“I don’t know”, I let the physician decide vs. I refuse”	0.70	0.14–3.44	<0.0001
“I accept vs. I refuse”	10.6	6.17–18.4	



Changes in physician decisions ( $n = 400$ ) induced by receiving information on patient

NIV	Physician decisions before and after information on patient preferences	<i>N</i> (%)
	Yes/yes	311 (77.8)
	No/no	36 (9.0)
	Yes/no	32 (8.0)
	No/yes	21 (5.3)
IMV		
	Yes/yes	228 (57.0)
	No/no	72 (18.0)
	Yes/no	84 (21.0)
	No/yes	16 (4.0)
RRT after IMV		
	Yes/yes	144 (36.0)
	No/no	138 (34.5)
	Yes/no	105 (26.3)
	No/yes	13 (3.3)

# Are elderly patients' opinions sought before admission to an intensive care unit? Results of the ICE-CUB study



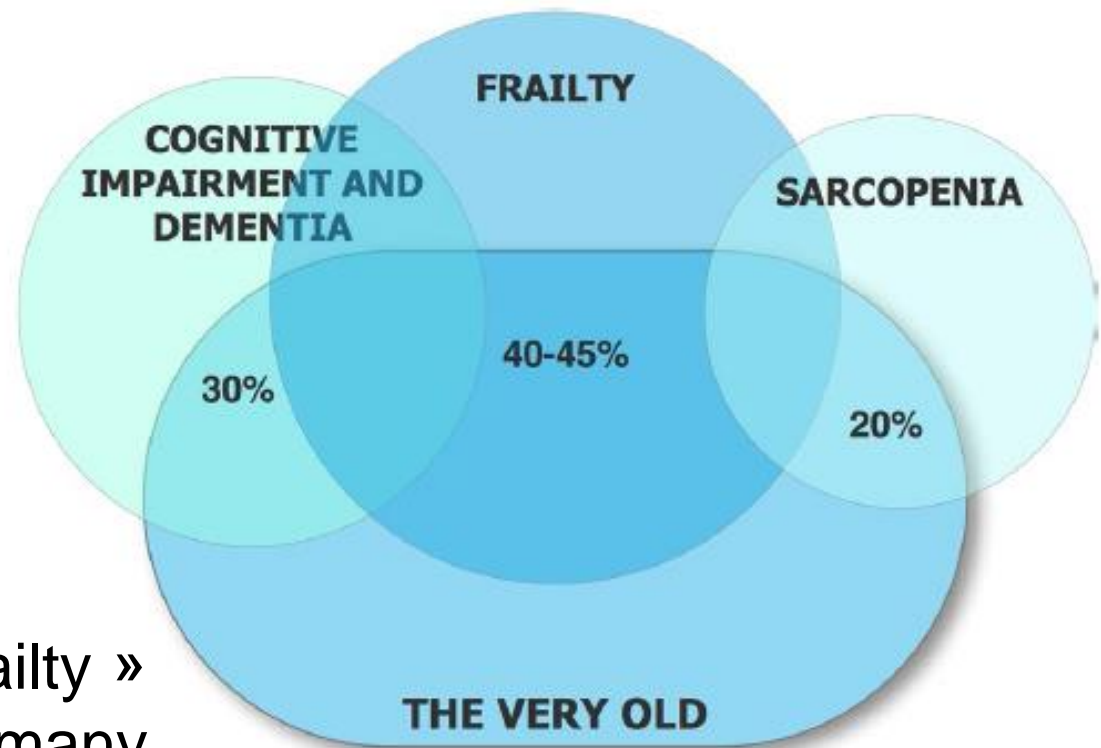
	Odds ratio	CI 95%	P
Age (per 1 year increase)	0.97	0.94–1.00	0.07
Living place			
Home versus nursing home/hospital	0.65	0.39–1.04	0.08
Chronic conditions			
Dementia	0.47	0.25–0.83	0.01
Chronic neurological disease	0.65	0.35–1.11	0.13
Autonomy			
Full autonomy versus severe FI	2.10	1.39–3.21	<0.01
Moderate FI versus severe FI	1.53	0.95–2.46	0.08
ED physician			
Senior versus junior	0.48	0.35–0.66	<0.01
Relative			
Asked versus not asked	5.46	3.80–7.88	<0.01



## 2 - Caractériser un patient âgé

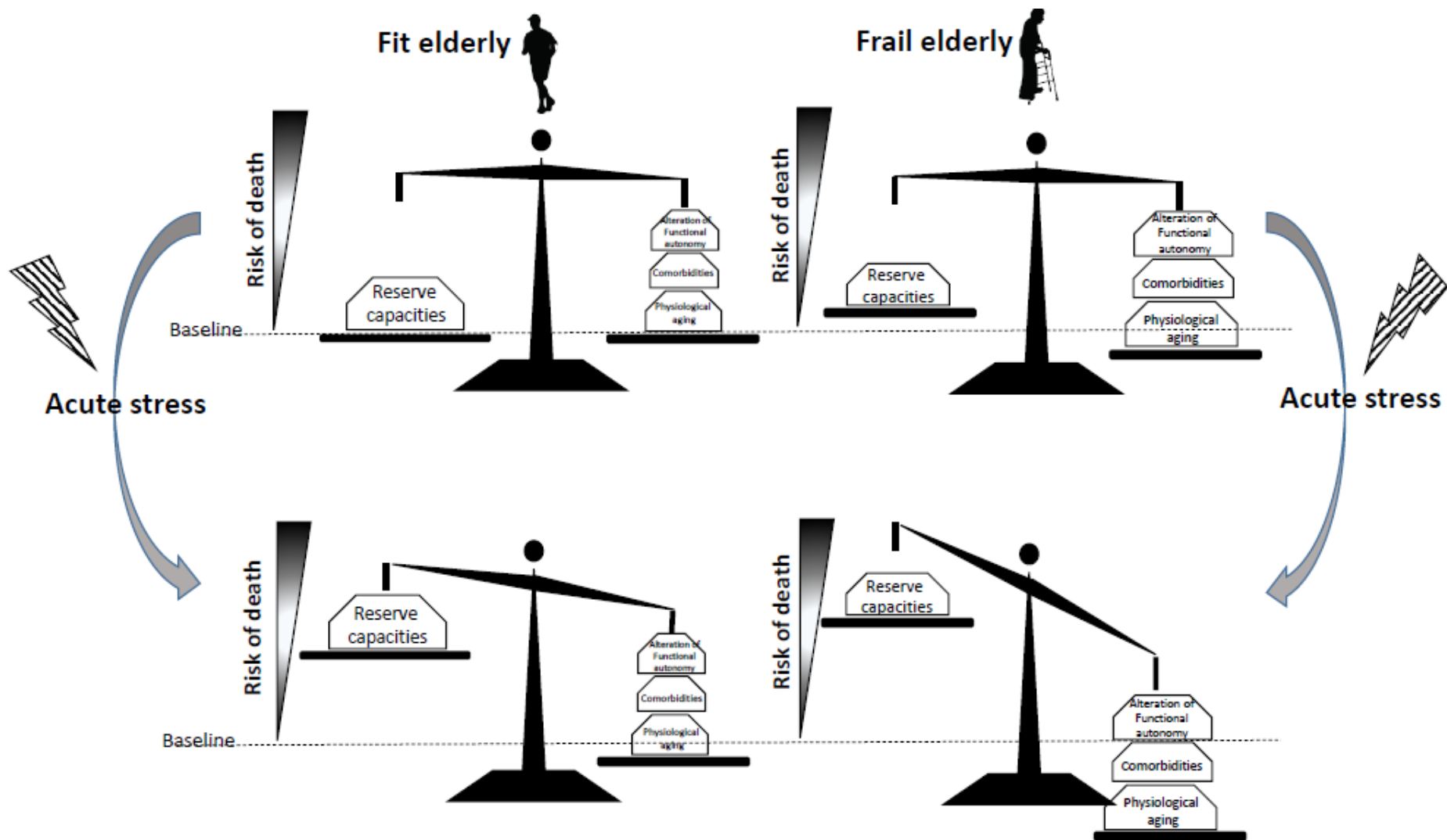
# Predicting outcomes in very old ICU patients: time to focus on the past?

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The state of increased vulnerability is called « frailty »  
Frailty is associated with many geriatric symptoms

# Fit vs Frail patient: Impact of acute stress



# Frailty phenotype

## ■ Items

- unintentional weight loss (10 lbs in past year),
- self-reported exhaustion,
- weakness (grip strength),
- slow walking speed,
- low physical activity.

## ■ Prevalence of frailty ( $\geq 3$ criteria) age > 65y : 6.9%

## ■ Predictive (over 3 years) of :










- incident falls,
- worsening mobility or ADL disability,
- hospitalization, and death,

**Fried LP, et al. Frailty in older adults: evidence for a phenotype. J Gerontol A Biol Sci Med Sci 2001 Mar;56(3):M146-56.**

# Clinical Frailty Scale (CFS)

- 9 classes
- Canadian Study on Health & Aging, Revised 2008
  - K. Rockwood et al. A global clinical measure of fitness and frailty in elderly people. CMAJ 2005;

Clinical Frailty Scale

	<b>1 Very Fit</b> – People who are robust, active, energetic and motivated. These people commonly exercise regularly. They are among the fittest for their age.		<b>7 Severely Frail</b> – Completely dependent for personal care, from whatever cause (physical or cognitive). Even so, they seem stable and not at high risk of dying (within ~ 6 months).
	<b>2 Well</b> – People who have no active disease symptoms but are less fit than category 1. Often, they exercise or are very active occasionally, e.g. seasonally.		<b>8 Very Severely Frail</b> – Completely dependent, approaching the end of life. Typically, they could not recover even from a minor illness.
	<b>3 Managing Well</b> – People whose medical problems are well controlled, but are not regularly active beyond routine walking.		<b>9 Terminally Ill</b> – Approaching the end of life. This category applies to people with a life expectancy <6 months, who are not otherwise evidently frail.
	<b>4 Vulnerable</b> – While not dependent on others for daily help, often symptoms limit activities. A common complaint is being "slowed up", and/or being tired during the day.		
	<b>5 Mildly Frail</b> – These people often have more evident slowing, and need help in high order IADLs (finances, transportation, heavy housework, medications). Typically, mild frailty progressively impairs shopping and walking outside alone, meal preparation and housework.		
	<b>6 Moderately Frail</b> – People need help with all outside activities and with keeping house. Inside, they often have problems with stairs and need help with bathing and might need minimal assistance (cuing, standby) with dressing.		

**Scoring frailty in people with dementia**

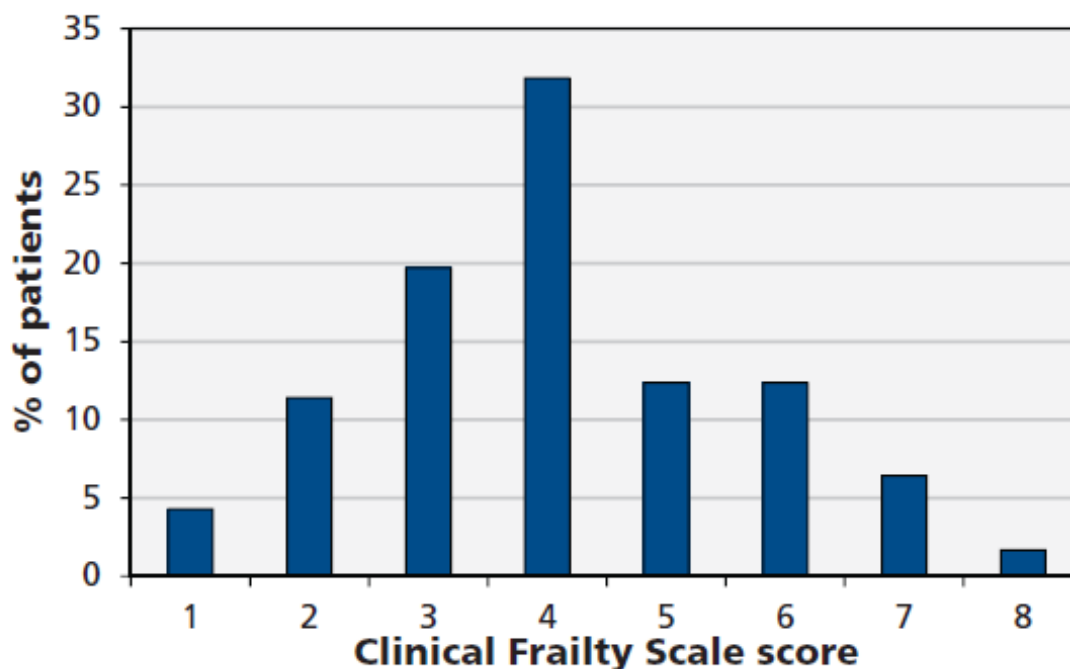
The degree of frailty corresponds to the degree of dementia. Common **symptoms in mild dementia** include forgetting the details of a recent event, though still remembering the event itself, repeating the same question/story and social withdrawal.

In **moderate dementia**, recent memory is very impaired, even though they seemingly can remember their past life events well. They can do personal care with prompting.

In **severe dementia**, they cannot do personal care without help.

# Association between frailty and short- and long-term outcomes among critically ill patients: a multicentre prospective cohort study

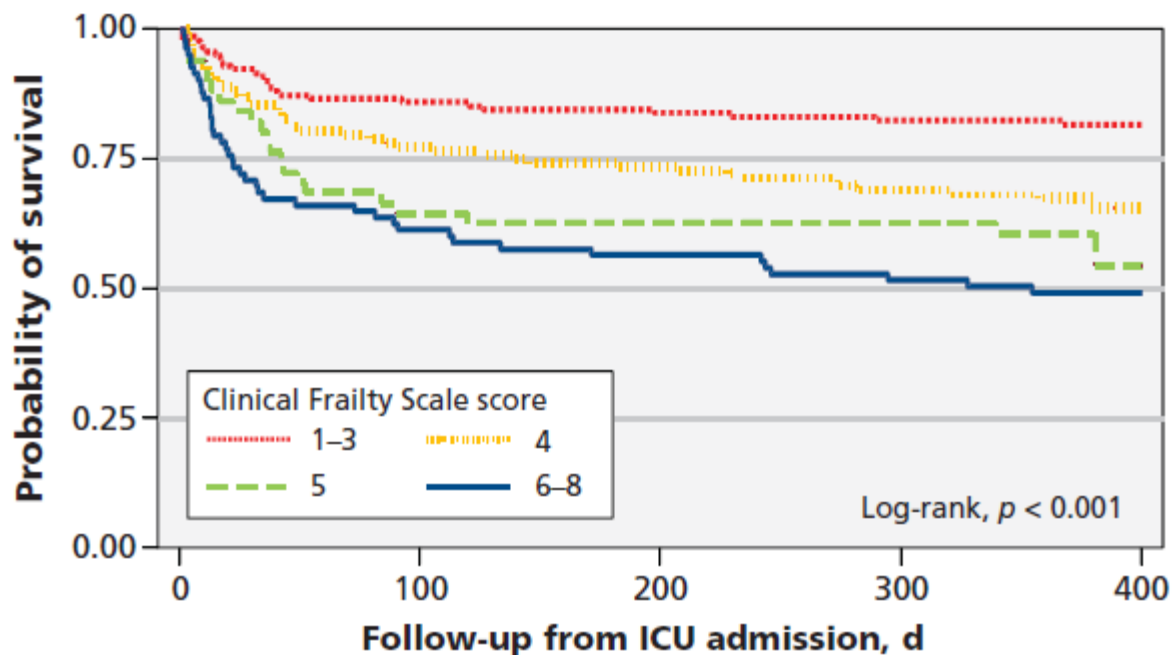
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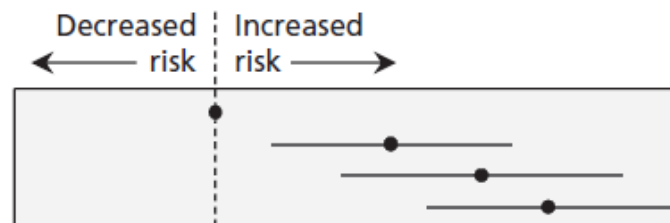


Outcome	Group; no. (%) of patients*		Association, OR (95% CI) or difference in medians (p value)†
	Frail n = 138	Not frail n = 283	
Adverse event‡	54 (39.1)	83 (29.3)	1.54 (1.01–2.37)
Death			
In ICU	16 (11.6)	27 (9.5)	1.37 (0.72–2.62)
In hospital	44 (31.9)	45 (15.9)	1.81 (1.09–3.01)
Duration of stay, d, median (IQR)			
In ICU	7 (4–13)	6 (3–10)	1 d (0.02)
In hospital	30 (10–64)	18 (10–40)	12 d (0.02)
Discharge disposition§	n = 91	n = 235	
Home, living independently	20 (22.0)	104 (44.3)	0.35 (0.20–0.61)
Home, living with help	33 (36.3)	58 (24.7)	1.67 (1.00–2.81)
Other¶	38 (41.8)	73 (31.1)	1.51 (0.92–2.48)
Discharged newly dependent**	24 (70.6)	96 (51.6)	2.25 (1.03–4.89)
Hospital readmission§	51 (56.0)	92 (39.1)	1.98 (1.22–3.23)

# Association between frailty and short- and long-term outcomes among critically ill patients: a multicentre prospective cohort study



Model	Frailty score	HR (95% CI)
Unadjusted	1-3	1.00 (ref)
	4	2.01 (1.25-3.24)
	5	2.88 (1.65-5.02)
	6-8	3.76 (2.33-6.07)




One year mortality

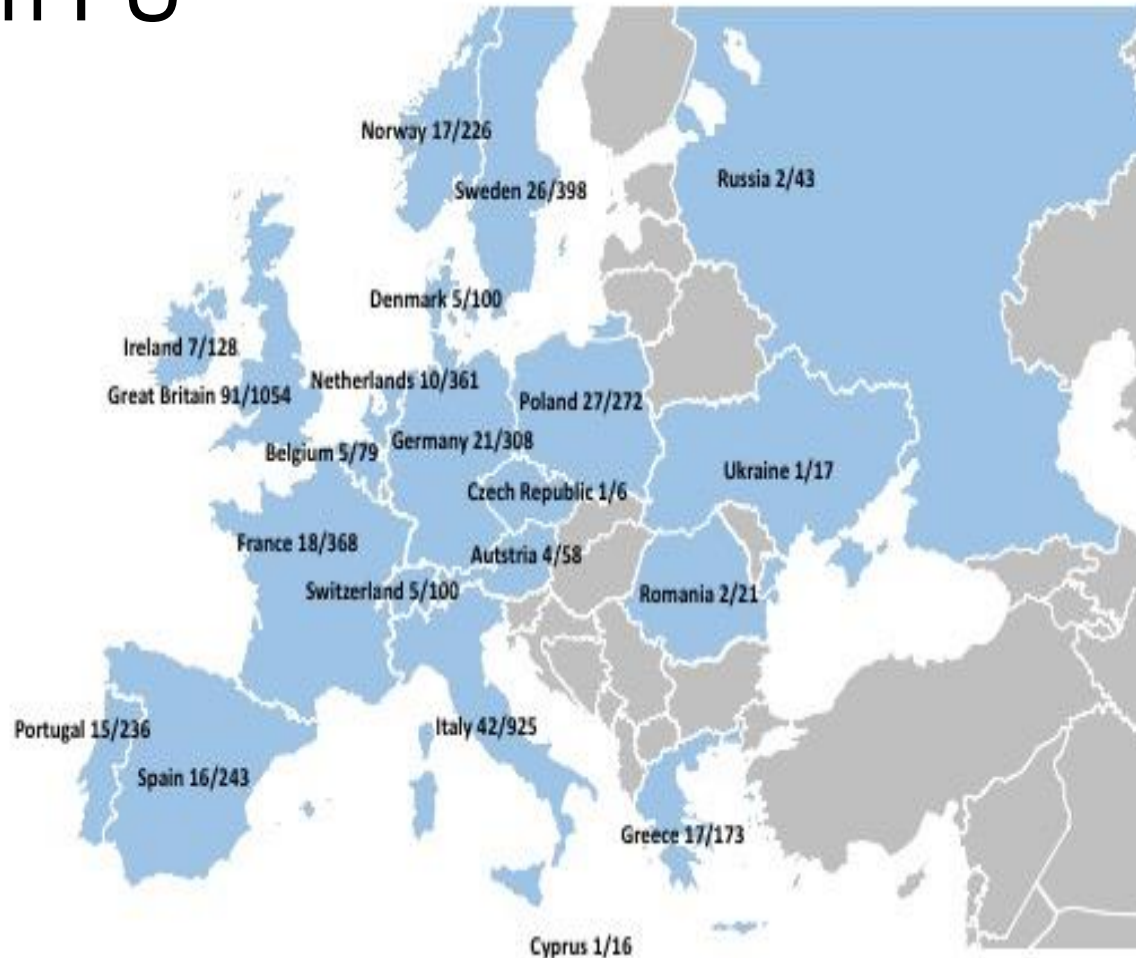
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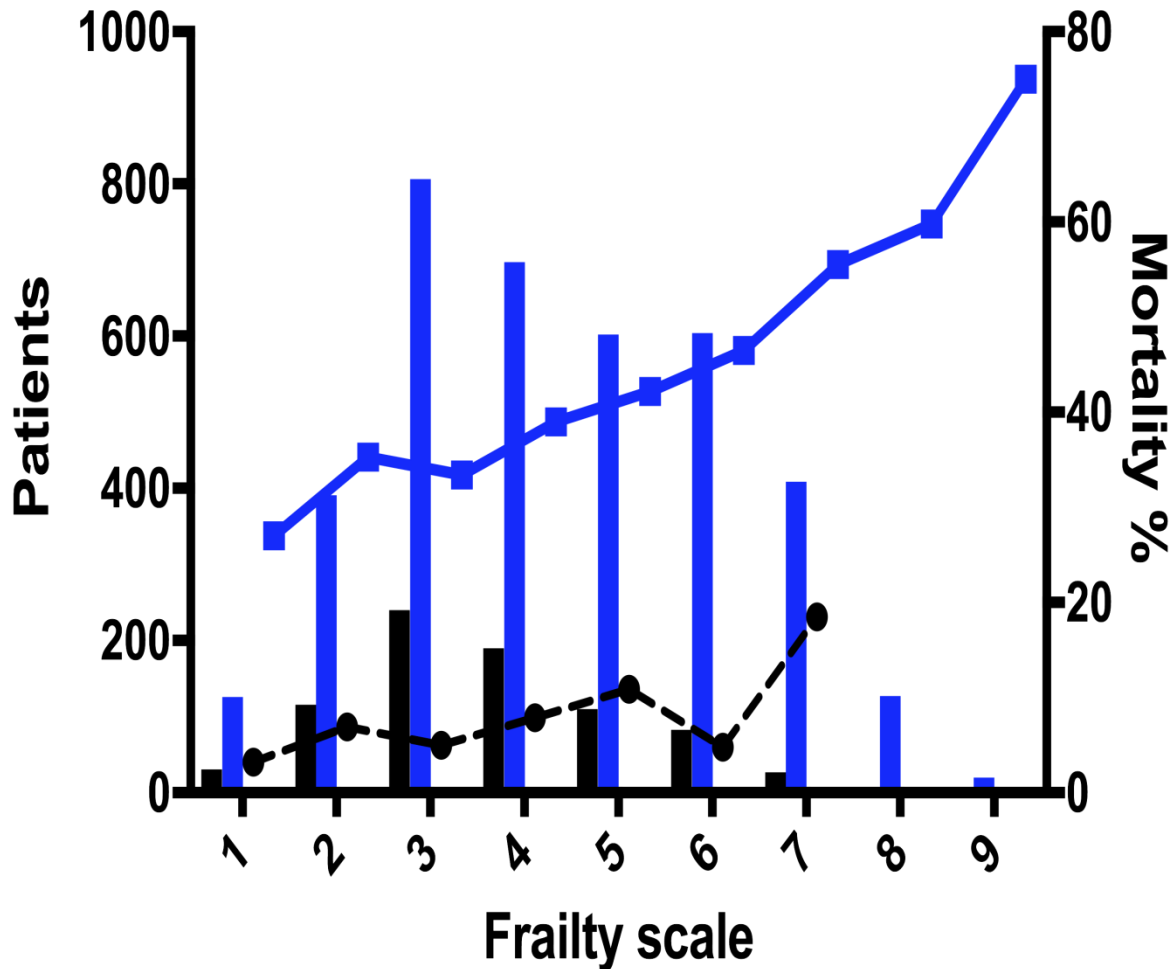
# The impact of frailty on ICU and 30-day mortality and the level of care in very elderly patients ( $\geq 80$ years)

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21 countries; 311 ICUs  
5132 patients  $\geq$  80y  
1 month FU



# Frailty and one-month mortality



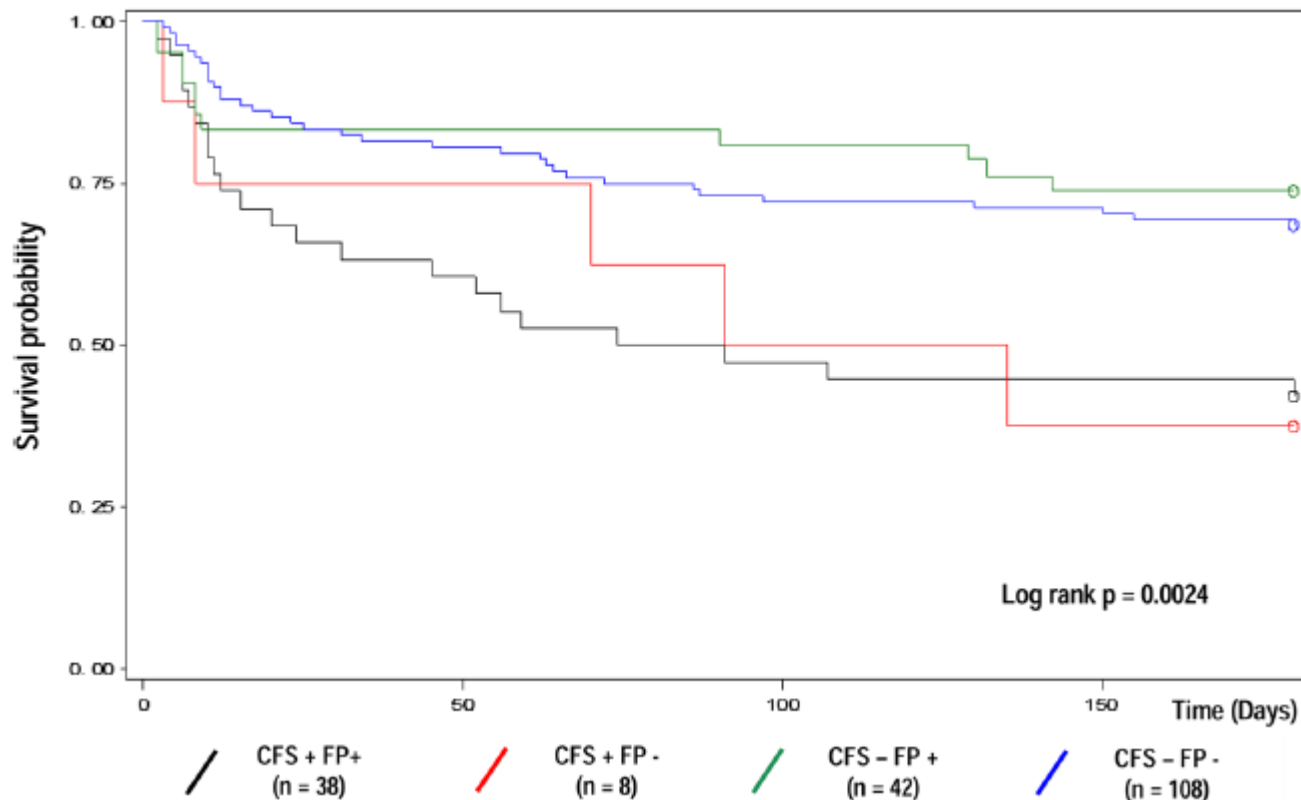
# Multivariate analysis

		HR (95%CI)	p
CFS	Pre vs fit	1.19 (1.03-1.38)	0.021
	Frail vs fit	1.54 (1.38-1.73)	<0.001
Age	Per 5 years	1.2 (1.12-1.28)	<0.001
Gender	male vs female	1.17 (1.06-1.29)	<0.001
SOFA	Per point	1.13 (1.12-1.14)	<0.001
Admission	Urgent vs planned	4.72 (3.65-6.10)	<0.001

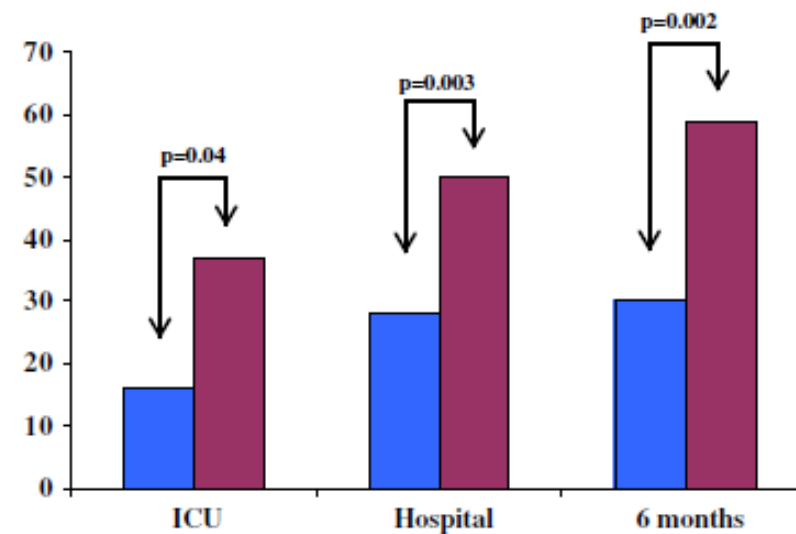
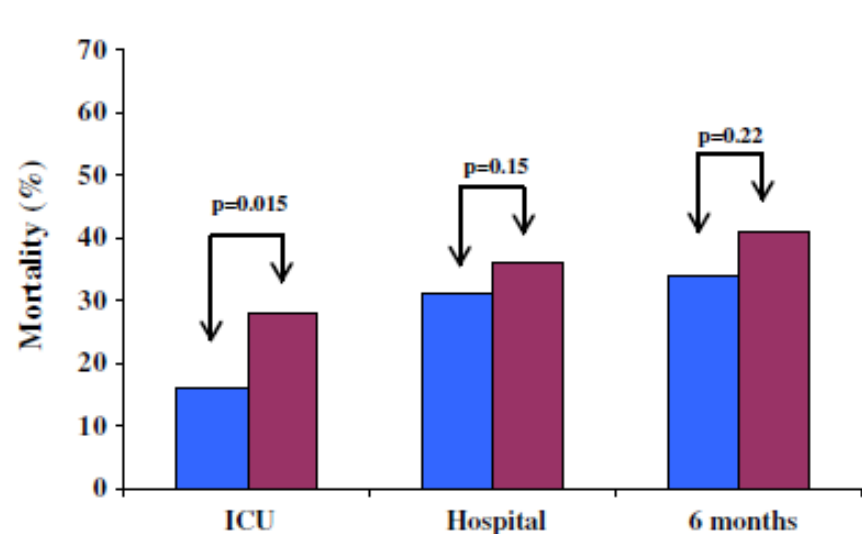
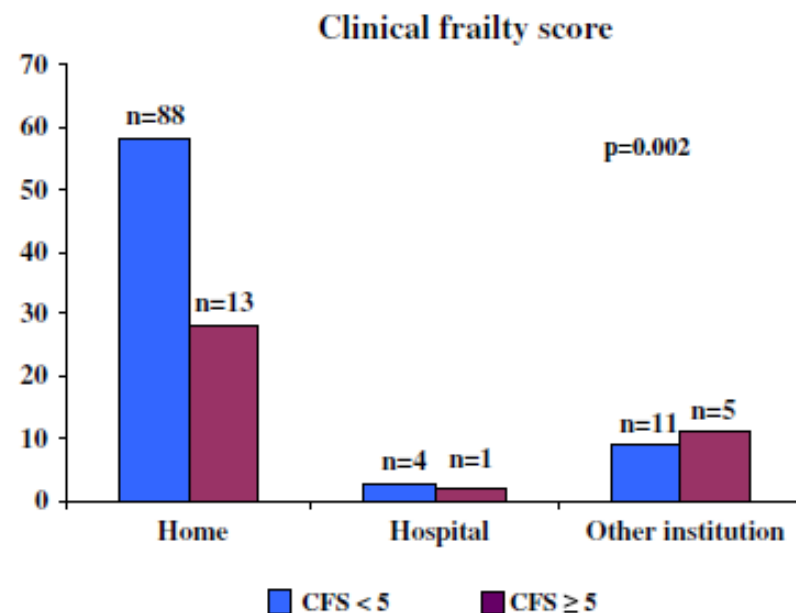
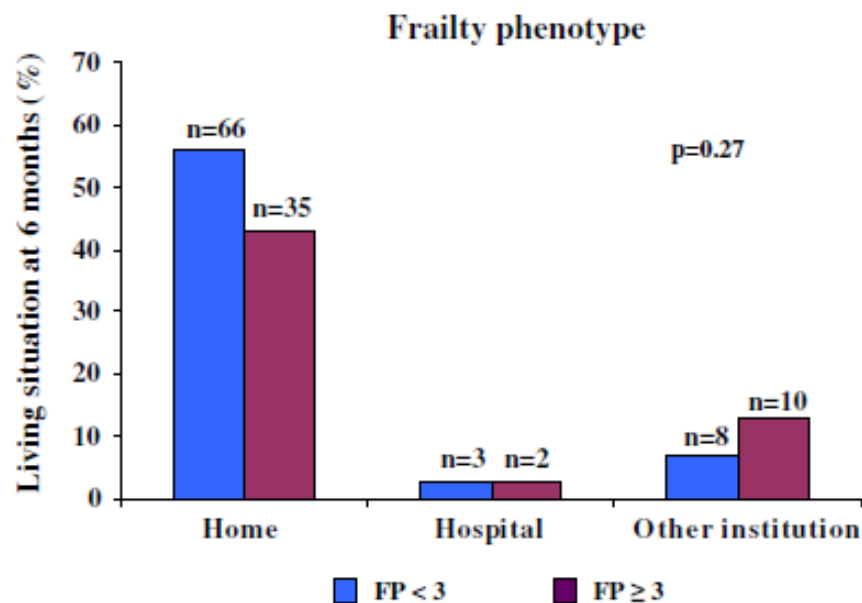
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## Prevalence and impact of frailty on mortality in elderly ICU patients: a prospective, multicenter, observational study

- 4 ICUs
- Age > 65
- Frailty:
  - FP: 41%
  - CFS: 23%



# Living situation and mortality at 6 months





# Multidimensional Frailty Score for the Prediction of Postoperative Mortality Risk

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Component	Mortality Outcome		P Value
	Survival (n = 250)	Death (n = 25)	
Demographic			
Age, y	75.2 (5.15)	77.6 (7.16)	.10
Sex, male/female, No.	134/116	17/8	.21
Weight, kg	59.6 (10.21)	51.9 (8.59)	<.001
Body mass index <sup>b</sup>	23.4 (3.24)	20.7 (3.01)	<.001
Cancer, No. (%)	129 (51.6)	19 (76.0)	.02
ASA class, 1/2/3/4, No.	29/194/27/0	1/15/8/1	<.001
Laparoscopic/open surgery, No.	186/64	6/19	<.001

# Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment

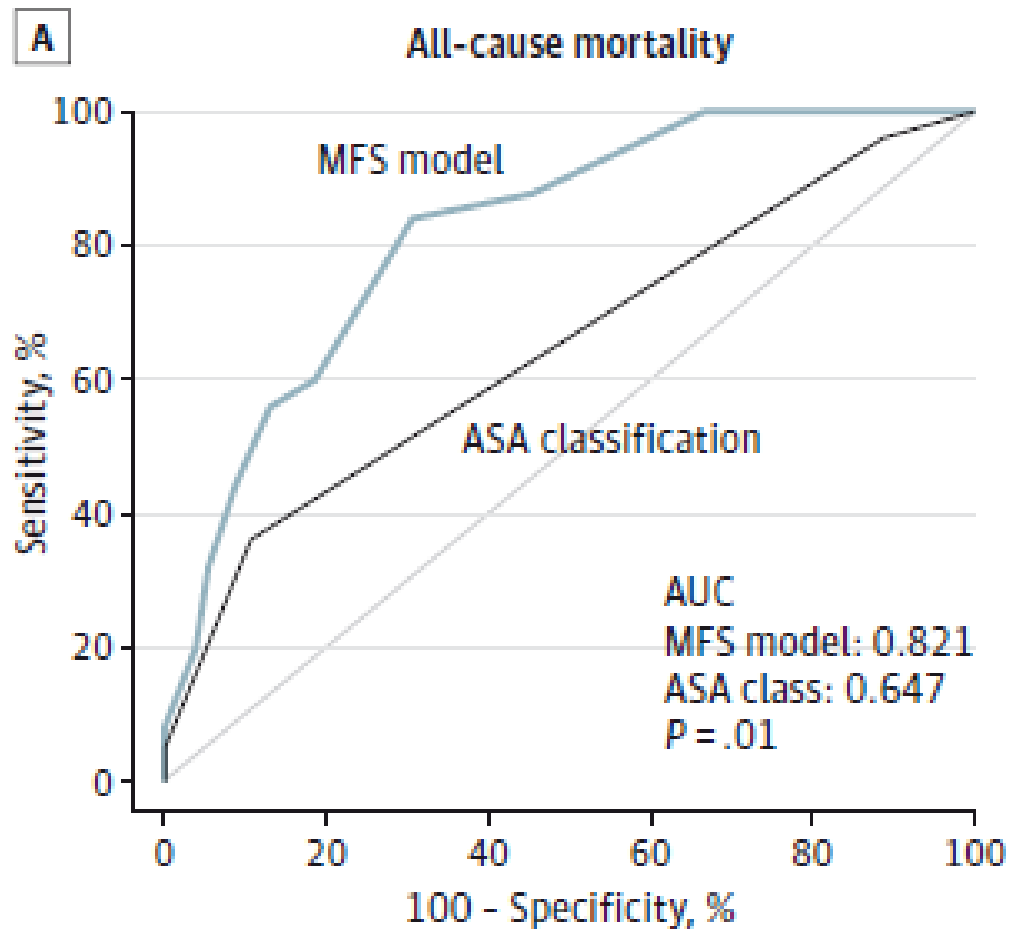
Component	Mortality Outcome		P Value
	Survival (n = 250)	Death (n = 25)	
Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment			
Charlson Comorbidity Index	2.2 (1.7)	3.5 (2.3)	<.001
Polypharmacy, No. (%)	122 (48.8)	11 (44.0)	.68
Inappropriate medication, No. (%)	47 (18.8)	5 (20.0)	.80
Dependence, No. (%)			
ADLs (partial and full)	28 (11.2)	8 (32.0)	.01
IADLs	21 (8.4)	7 (28.0)	.01
MMSE-KC score <sup>c</sup>	23.3 (6.3)	19.1 (8.2)	.003
SGDS-K score <sup>d</sup>	3.9 (3.9)	4.2 (4.3)	.69
Risk of delirium, No. (%) <sup>e</sup>	21 (8.4)	7 (28.0)	.008
MNA score <sup>f</sup>	24.1 (4.0)	20.3 (5.0)	<.001
Midarm circumference, cm <sup>g</sup>	26.0 (2.8)	24.3 (2.0)	.003

MMSE : mental score; SGDS : Depression score; MNA : Nutritional score

# Composition of Multidimensional frailty score (MFS)

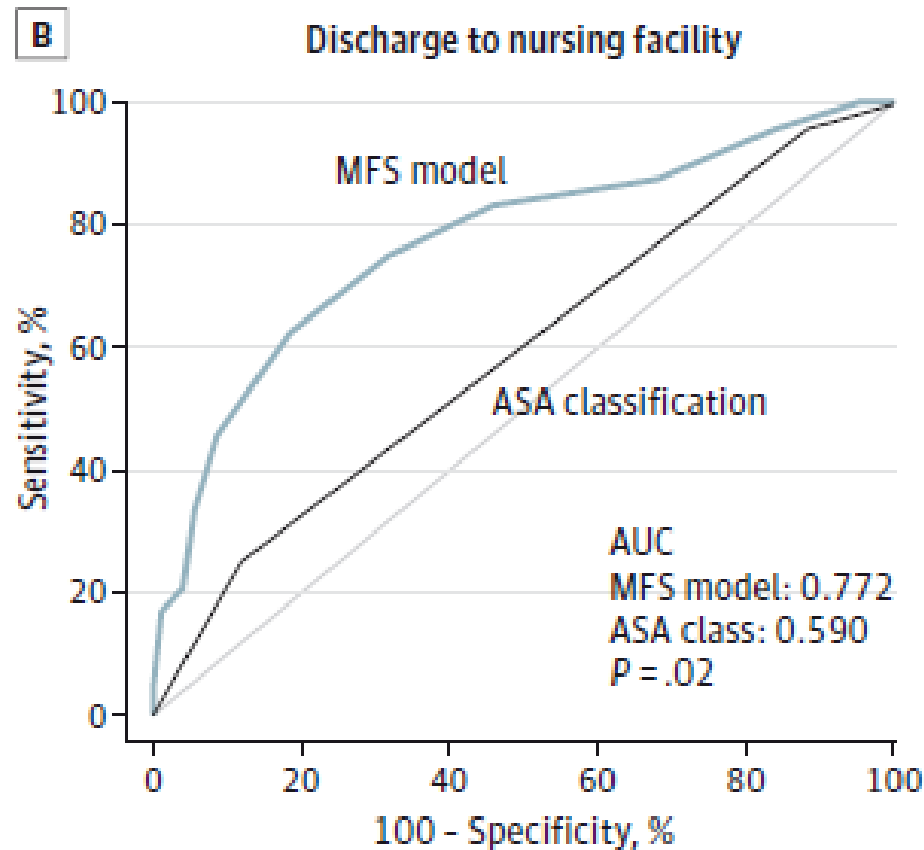
Item	Score		
	0	1	2
Malignant disease	Benign disease	Malignant disease	NA
Charlson Comorbidity Index	0	1-2	>2
Albumin, g/dL	>3.9	3.5-3.9	<3.5
ADLs (modified Barthel Index)	Independent	Partially dependent	Fully dependent
IADLs (Lawton and Brody Index)	Independent	Dependent	NA
Dementia (MMSE-KC)	Normal	Mild cognitive impairment	Dementia
Risk of delirium (Nu-DESC)	0-1	$\geq 2$	NA
MNA	Normal	Risk of malnutrition	Malnutrition
Midarm circumference, cm	>27.0	24.6-27.0	<24.6


# Multidimensional frailty score vs ASA : Prediction of mortality



# Multidimensional frailty score vs ASA

## Prediction discharge to nursing facility





# **Optimal Preoperative Assessment of the Geriatric Surgical Patient: A Best Practices Guideline from the American College of Surgeons National Surgical Quality Improvement Program and the American Geriatrics Society**

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## **Table 1.** Checklist for the Optimal Preoperative Assessment of the Geriatric Surgical Patient

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In addition to conducting a complete history and physical examination of the patient, the following assessments are strongly recommended:

- Assess the patient's cognitive ability and capacity to understand the anticipated surgery.
- Screen the patient for depression.
- Identify the patient's risk factors for developing postoperative delirium.
- Screen for alcohol and other substance abuse/dependence.
- Perform a preoperative cardiac evaluation according to the American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association algorithm for patients undergoing noncardiac surgery.
- Identify the patient's risk factors for postoperative pulmonary complications and implement appropriate strategies for prevention.
- Document functional status and history of falls.
- Determine baseline frailty score.
- Assess patient's nutritional status and consider preoperative interventions if the patient is at severe nutritional risk.
- Take an accurate and detailed medication history and consider appropriate perioperative adjustments. Monitor for polypharmacy.
- Determine the patient's treatment goals and expectations in the context of the possible treatment outcomes.
- Determine patient's family and social support system.

# ICE-CUB1 - Multivariate analysis

	In-hospital death	Death at 6 months
Age (grand mean centered) per year		1.04 (1.02-1.06)
ADL per point	0.79 (0.75-0.84)	0.85 (0.8-0.91)
Demented (yes vs. no)	0.61 (0.44-0.85)	
Cancer (yes vs. no)		2.59 (1.74-3.9)
Normal appearance vs. emaciated		0.82 (0.54-1.24)
Somewhat malnourished appearance vs. emaciated		0.48 (0.33-0.7)
Decubitus ulcer (yes vs. no)	1.53 (0.97-2.26)	







# 3 – Prise en charge en réanimation?



# Intensité et limitation des soins

# Treatment Intensity and Outcome of Patients Aged 80 and Older in Intensive Care Units: A Multicenter Matched-Cohort Study

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- ✓ Plus de  $\geq 72\ 000$  séjours enregistrés dans CUB-Réa entre 1997 et 2000
- ✓ 9,6% patients de plus de 80 ans
- ✓ 28,5 % patients âgés entre 65 et 79 ans

# Existe-t-il un biais de sélection ?

Plus graves  
Moins autonomes  
Moins de maladies fatales  
Moins de comorbidités

	Plus de 80 ans	65-79 ans	<i>P</i>
IGS II « dépouillé »	31,8	29,8	< 0,001
Pas de limitation fonctionnelle	15,5%	18,7%	< 0,001
Maladie sous-jacente fatale	3,2%	8,5%	< 0,001
Nombre de diagnostics associés	4,8	5,2	< 0,001

# Actes marqueurs et mortalité


Table 3. Age-Related Differences in Hospital Care with and Without Adjustment for Matching Criteria

Support and Outcome	Risk Ratio (Miettinen 95% CI)	<i>P</i> -value*	Adjusted Odds Ratio (95% CI)	<i>P</i> -value†
Circulatory support	1.04 (0.98–1.1)	.19	1.08 (0.96–1.21)	.19
Mechanical ventilation	0.85 (0.81–0.90)	<.001	0.69 (0.61–0.78)	<.001
Renal support	0.57 (0.47–0.7)	<.001	0.52 (0.41–0.66)	<.001
Tracheostomy	0.41 (0.31–0.53)	<.001	0.37 (0.28–0.50)	<.001
ICU mortality	1.19 (1.08–1.31)	<.001	1.32 (1.13–1.54)	<.001
Hospital mortality	1.27 (1.17–1.38)	<.001	1.52 (1.31–1.76)	<.001



# Limitation des soins

# Withholding or withdrawing of life-sustaining therapy in older adults ( $\geq 80$ years) admitted to the intensive care unit

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## VIP1 study

- 21 countries
- 309 ICUs
- 5021 patients over 80y

# Caracteristiques des patients

LAT chez 27.2% des patients:  
 15% non escalade  
 12.2% déescalade

		All	No treatment limitation	Withholding alone	Withdrawing +/- withholding	p-value
	N	5021	3656	753	612	
	%	100	72,8	15,0	12,2	
<b>Age</b>	median	84	83	85	84	<0.0001
<b>Frailty</b>	median	4	4	5	5	<0.0001
<b>SOFA score</b>	median	7	6	7	10	<0.0001
<b>ICU length of stay (days)</b>	median	2.33	2.29	2.12	2.92	0.0406
<b>Patient's sex</b>	Female	2404 (47.9%)	1737 (47.5%)	395 (52.5%)	272 (44.4%)	0.009
	Male	2617 (52.1%)	1919 (52.5%)	358 (47.5%)	340 (55.6%)	
<b>Type of ICU admission</b>	Elective	906 (18%)	853 (23.3%)	38 (5%)	15 (2.5%)	<0.0001
	Acute	4115 (82%)	2803 (76.7%)	715 (95%)	597 (97.5%)	



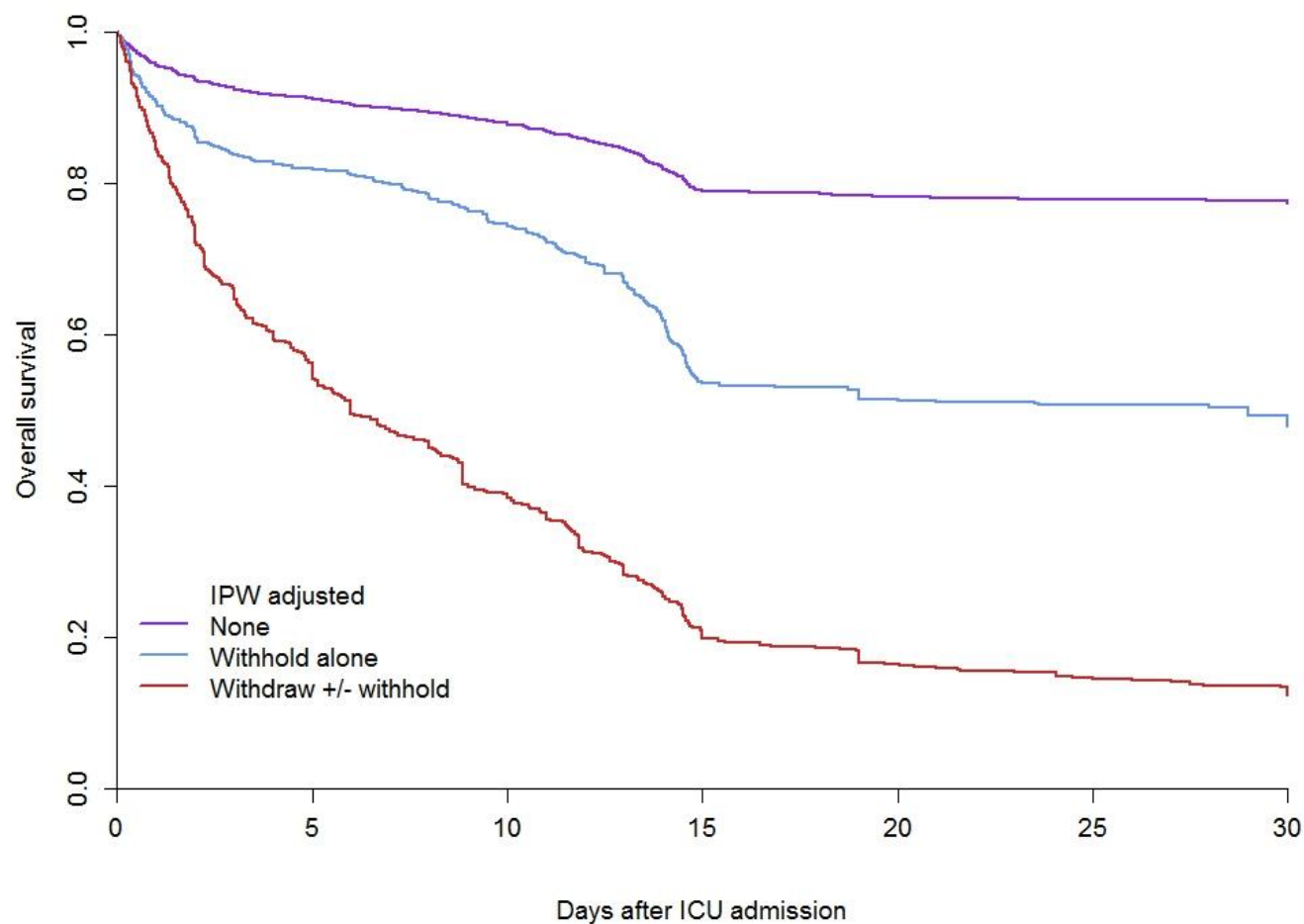
# Traitements, fragilité, mortalité

		All 5021	No treatment limitation 3656	Withholding alone 753	Withdrawing +/- withholding 612	p-value
<b>Non invasive mechanical ventilation</b>	Yes	1148 (22.9%)	745 (20.4%)	243 (32.4%)	158 (26%)	<0.0001
<b>Invasive mechanical ventilation</b>	Yes	2519 (50.2%)	1763 (48.2%)	292 (38.9%)	462 (75.7%)	<0.0001
<b>Vasoactive drugs</b>	Yes	2612 (52%)	1761 (48.2%)	392 (52.2%)	457 (74.8%)	<0.0001
<b>Renal replacement therapy</b>	Yes	461 (9.2%)	300 (8.2%)	70 (9.4%)	89 (14.7%)	<0.0001
<b>Frailty level</b>	Fit	1893 (37.7%)	1545 (42.3%)	161 (21.4%)	187 (30.6%)	<0.0001
	Vulnerable	972 (19.4%)	726 (19.9%)	140 (18.6%)	106 (17.3%)	
	Frail	2156 (42.9%)	1385 (37.9%)	452 (60%)	319 (52.1%)	
<b>Death in ICU</b>	Yes	1109 (22.1%)	387 (10.6%)	218 (29.1%)	502 (82.2%)	<0.0001
<b>Death at day 30</b>	Yes	1647 (32.8%)	677 (18.5%)	399 (53.1%)	569 (93.1%)	<0.0001

# LAT et devenir

		<b>Alive at day 30</b>	<b>Dead at day 30</b>	<b>Test p-value</b>
	<b>N</b>	3373	1648	<0.0001
Age	median	83	84	
Treatment limitation	None	2978 (88.3%)	678 (41.1%)	<0.0001
	withholding or withdrawing	395 (11.7%)	970 (58.9%)	
Treatment limitation	None	2978 (88.3%)	678 (41.1%)	<0.0001
	Withholding alone	353 (10.5%)	400 (24.3%)	
	Withdrawing +/- withholding	42 (1.2%)	570 (34.6%)	

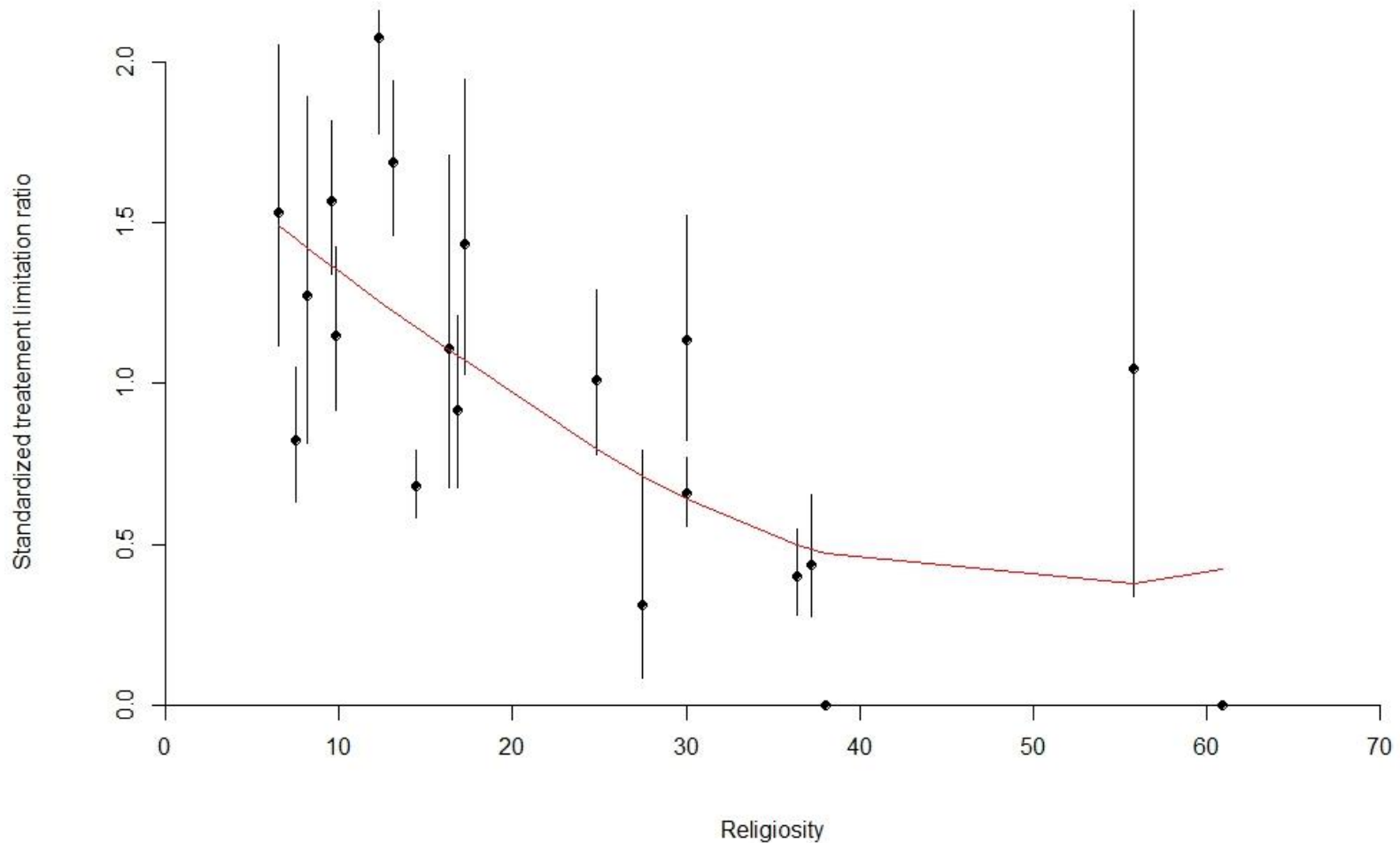
# Courbes de survie ajustées



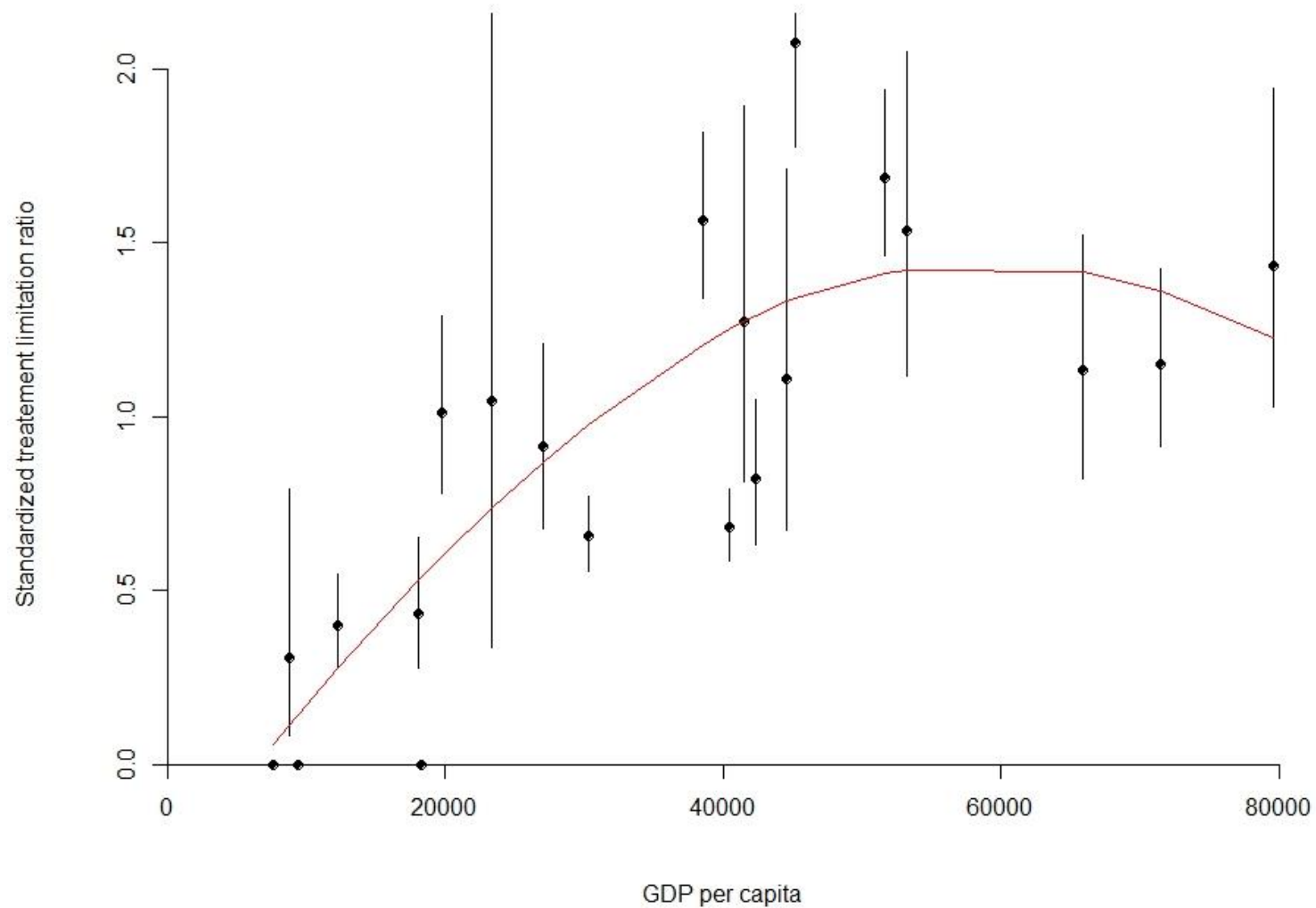
# Analyse multivariée des facteurs impliqués dans la décision de LAT

	Empty model		Patients characteristics		Patients and countries characteristics	
			OR (95% CI)	p value	OR (95% CI)	p value
Frailty 4 vs 1-3			1.59 (1.3-1.95)	< 0.0001	1.59 (1.3-1.95)	< 0.0001
Frailty 5-9 vs 1-3			2.33 (1.98-2.75)	< 0.0001	2.33 (1.98-2.74)	< 0.0001
Age (5 years increase)			1.23 (1.11-1.35)	< 0.0001	1.22 (1.11-1.35)	< 0.0001
Male vs female patient			1.02 (0.89-1.18)	0.754	1.03 (0.89-1.18)	0.7305
Acute vs elective admission			5.61 (4.13-7.62)	< 0.0001	5.59 (4.12-7.59)	< 0.0001
Sofa score (one point increase)			1.12 (1.1-1.14)	< 0.0001	1.12 (1.1-1.14)	< 0.0001
GDP per capita (one point increase)					1 (1-1)	0.01976
Religiosity (one point increase)					0.96 (0.94-0.99)	0.00498

# Impact de la religiosité du pays



# Impact du PNB du pays

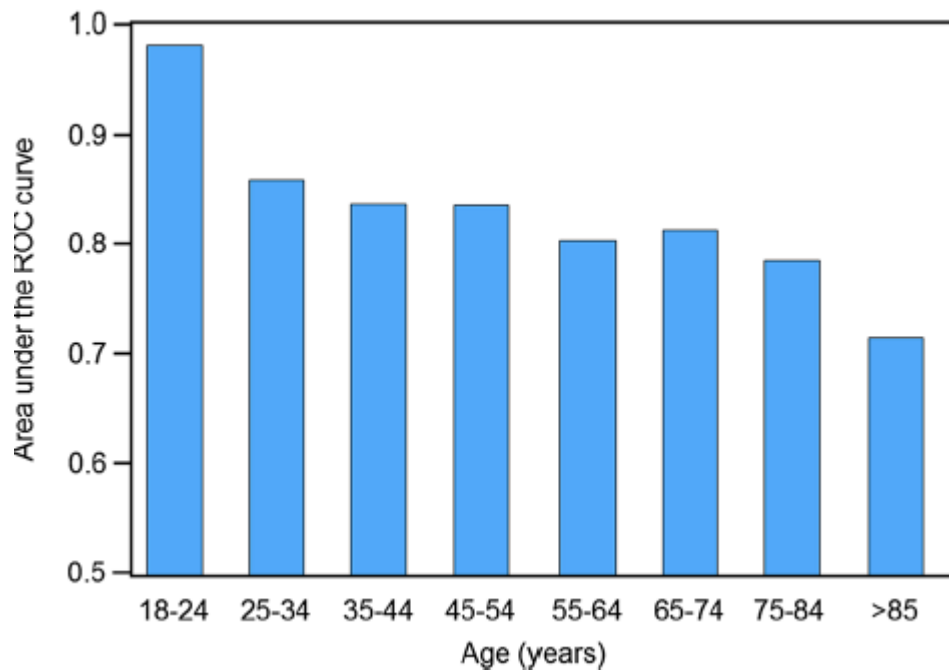




# Applicabilité des recommandations

# Scores de sévérité

Discrimination of SAPS2  
according to age (Euricus data)



Age of patients included in severity scores

Severity score	Mean age	Year of publication
Apache II	Patients >65 years: 24–54%	1985
SAPS II	57.2	1993
APACHE II in UK	56.3	1993
MPM II	Survivors 55.4; non survivors 62.9	1993
APACHE III	59.6	1991
SAPS II revisited	57.3	2005
SAPS III	60.7	2005
APACHE IV	61.5	2006



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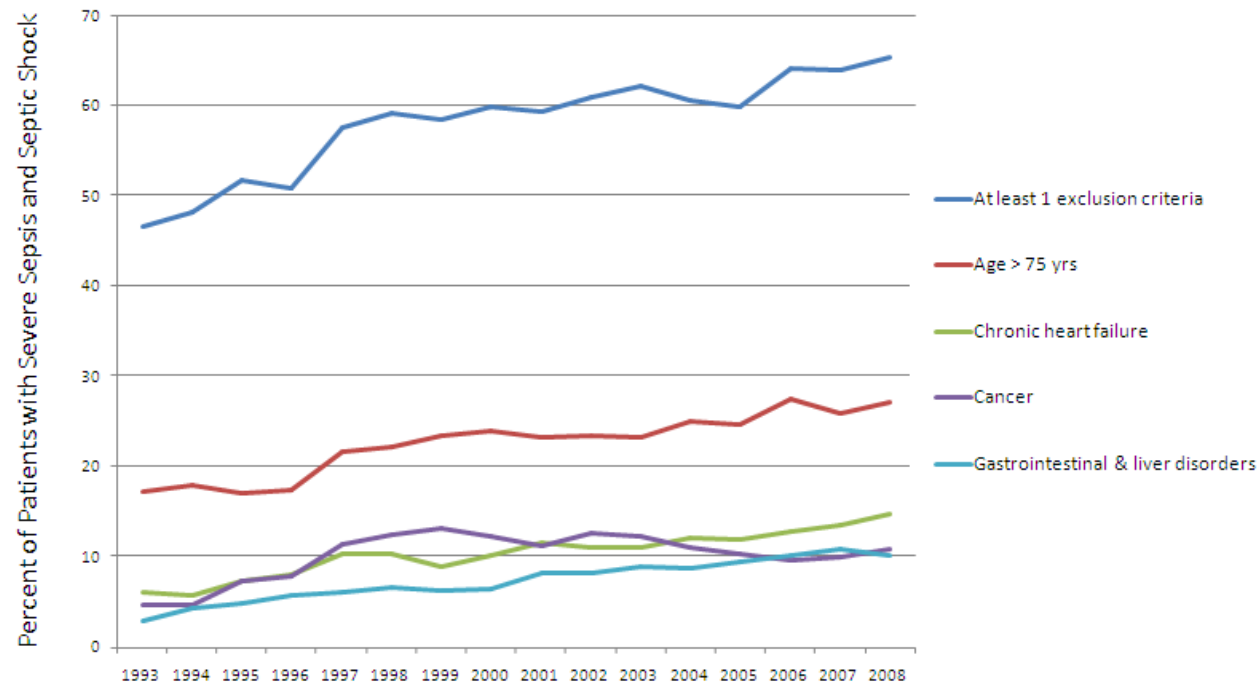
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# Are clinical trials dealing with severe infection fitting routine practices? Insights from a large registry

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- Exclusion des patients > 75ans des études
  - Vasopressors : 1/37
  - Fluid loading: 1/8
  - Steroids : 1/8
  - Modulation immunity : 1/28
  - Modulation coagulation : 0/11

# Time Trends of Main Non Inclusion Criteria in Septic Patients from the CubRea Database (1993-2008).





# Insuffisance respiratoire aiguë

# Insuffisance respiratoire aigue

- The most important physiological changes in respiratory physiology are:
  - loss of elastic lung tissue,
  - increased anteroposterior diameter of the chest,
  - decreased muscle strength,
  - decrease sensitivity of respiratory centers to hypoxemia and hypercapnia
- Presenting signs and symptoms may not be primarily respiratory. Delirium and dementia may be often presenting signs of ARF
- The risk of aspiration is increased in the elderly population due to cerebrovascular disease, Parkinson's disease or recent intubation

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# Ventilation artificielle

- Experimental studies suggest that aging is associated with an increased susceptibility to injurious ventilation
- The ability to sustain spontaneous respiration after extubation is lower in patients older than 70 years, mainly due to the inability to clear tracheobronchial secretions and a higher incidence of nosocomial pneumonia
- Age was also associated with longer duration of mechanical ventilation, ICU length of stay and mortality in ARDSNet database

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# Chez les sujets âgés

- Présentation atypique source de retard diagnostique
- Recommandations non validées
- Diminution des réserves physiologiques
- Augmentation de l'incidence
  - Insuffisance respiratoire aiguë
- Prudence dans l'utilisation des médicaments
  - Surdosage et interactions
  - Attention aux sédatifs et antipsychotiques



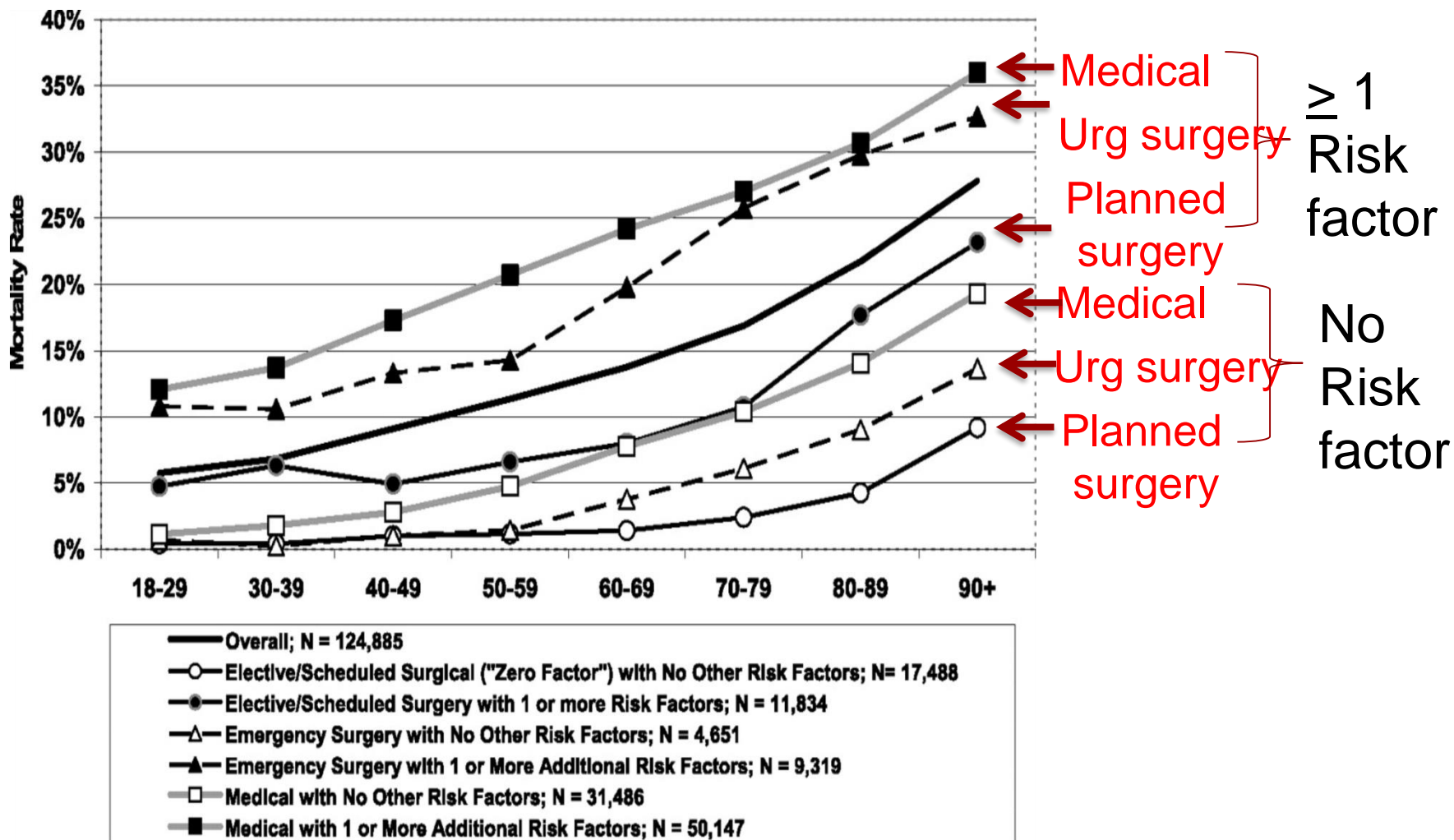
# 4 – Trajectoire hospitalière et mortalité



## From: Do Elderly Patients Fare Well in the ICU?

Mortality rate by age, stratified by patient type.

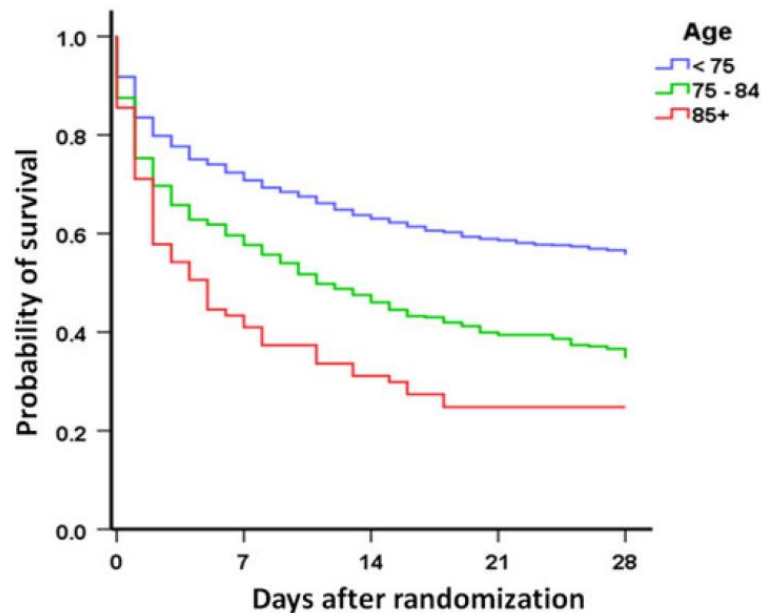
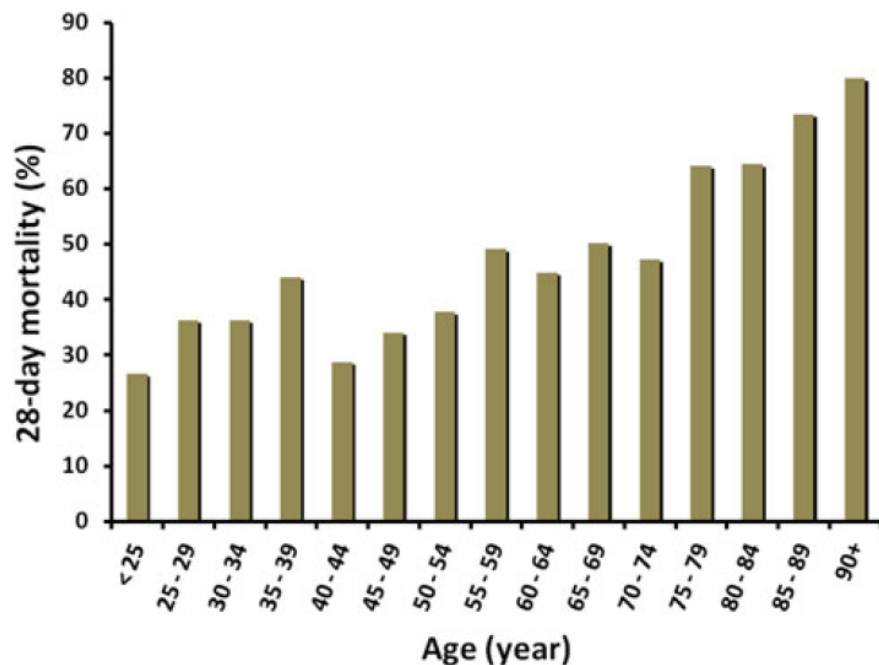
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## Outcome of elderly patients with circulatory failure



	Not old (<75 years) <i>n</i> = 1,157	Old (75–84 years) <i>n</i> = 410	Very old (≥85 years) <i>n</i> = 84	<i>p</i> value
ICU discharge	667 (58)	164 (40)	28 (33)	<0.001
28 days	649 (56)	146 (36)	21 (25)	<0.001
Hospital discharge	546 (48)	121 (30)	19 (23)	<0.001
6-month survival	439 (41)	80 (21)	6 (8)	<0.001
12-month survival	311 (34)	57 (16)	2 (3)	<0.001

# Mortality in hospital for ICU survivors

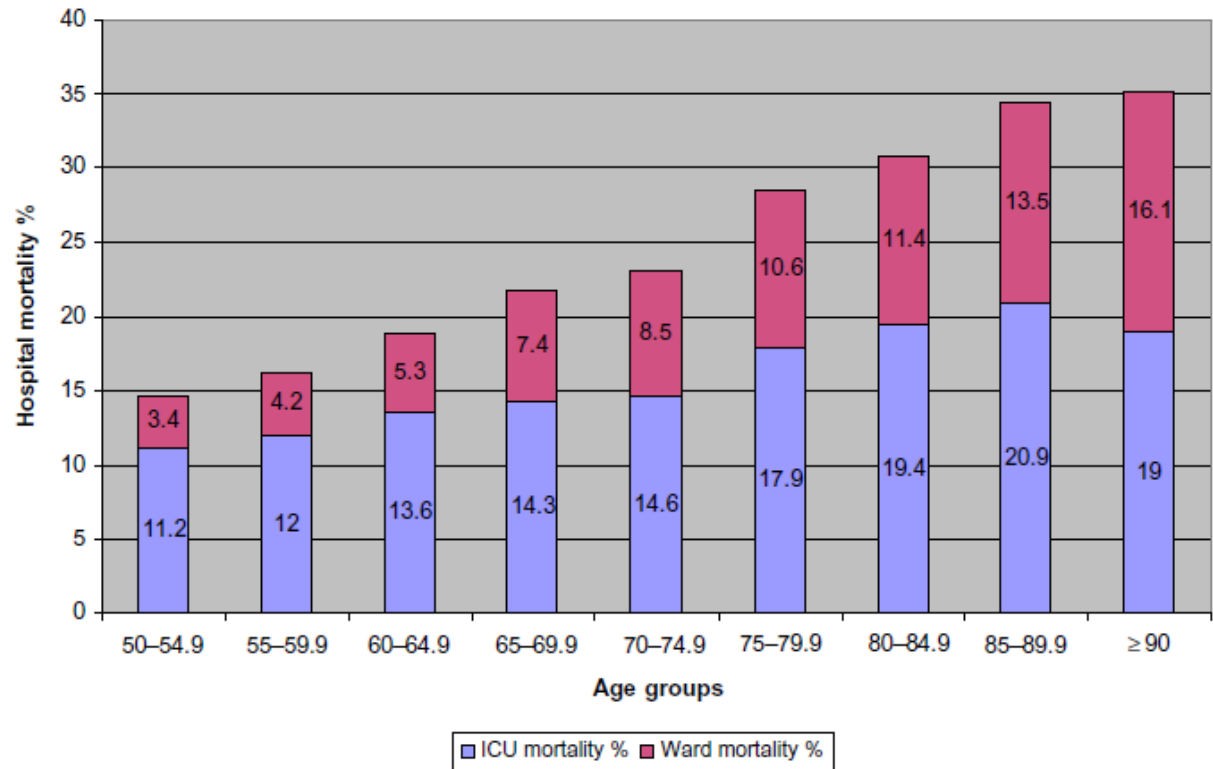
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	Countries	n ICUs	<80 y	>80 y
$\Delta$ between in-hospital and in-ICU mortality (%)				
Euricus I (1994-1996)	12 European countries	89	5	11
Euricus II (1997-1999)	9 European countries	39	5.9	12
Bashaw (2000-2005) * vs (65 to 80 y)	Australia and New Zealand	57	6.8*	12
Ihra (1998-2008)	Austria	41	4.5	10.8
CUB-REA (2011)	Ile-de-France	32	4.3	8.3
Reinikainen (1998-2004)	Finland	26	6.9	15.9

# Do elderly intensive care unit patients receive less intensive care treatment and have higher mortality?

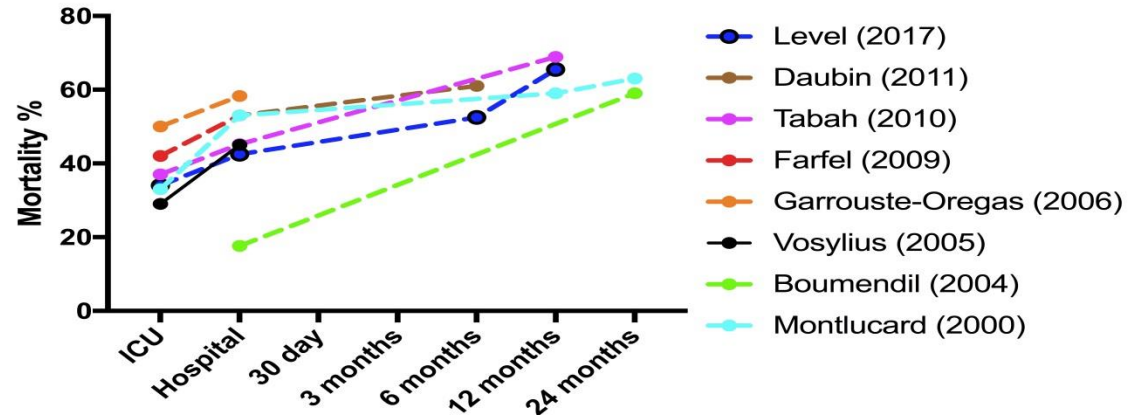
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- ✓ Norway
- ✓ 31 ICUs
- ✓ 2006-2009
- ✓ N admissions:
  - ✓ 50-79: 20,320
  - ✓  $\geq 80y$  : 6643

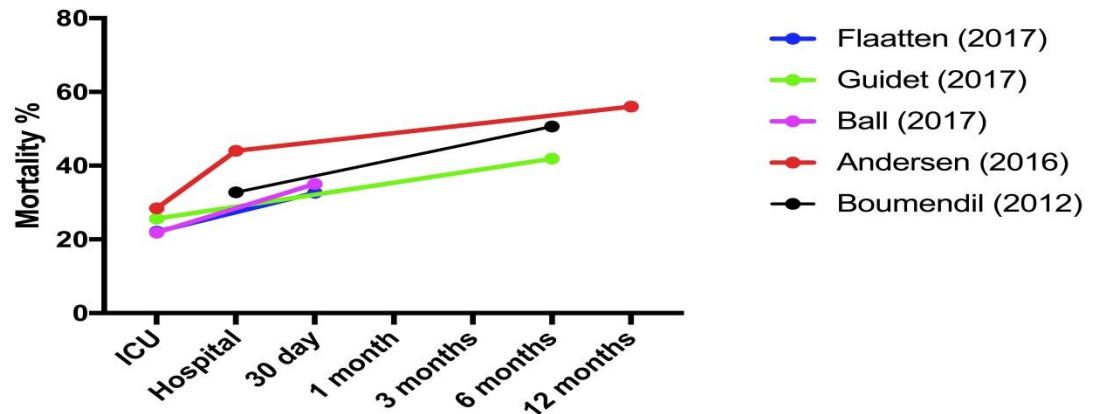


# Long-term mortality

Prospective singlecenter studies (n=1466 patients)



Prospective multicenter studies (n=7376 patients)





# 5 – Pronostic à distance « Bénéfice de la réanimation »



# Designing and conducting a cluster-randomized trial of ICU admission for the elderly patients: the ICE-CUB 2 study

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- Interventional open-label cluster-RCT
- Inclusion criteria
  - Elderly patients ( $\geq 75$  years of age)
  - Presenting in Emergency Department
  - With at least one of the pre-established critical conditions
  - Preserved functional status : ADL scale  $\geq 4$
  - Preserved nutritional status
  - Without active cancer.
- Exclusion criteria
  - ED stay  $> 24$ h,
  - Secondary referral to the ED
  - Refusal to participate.

- 2 arms :
  - Control : no specific recommendation regarding ICU admission (standard care)
  - Intervention: recommendation for a systematic ICU admission
- Clusters were hospitals with at least one ED and one ICU.
- Clusters were randomized according to
  - Number of ED annual visits,
  - Presence or absence of a geriatric ward
  - Geographical area: Paris vs other French regions



### ❑ **Primary end-point:**

- ❑ **6 month mortality**

### ❑ **Secondary end-points :**

- Hospital mortality
- Percentage of ICU admission
- Outcome at 6 months
  - Place of living
  - Functional status assessed by ADL score
  - Quality of life assessed by SF12

# Flow Chart

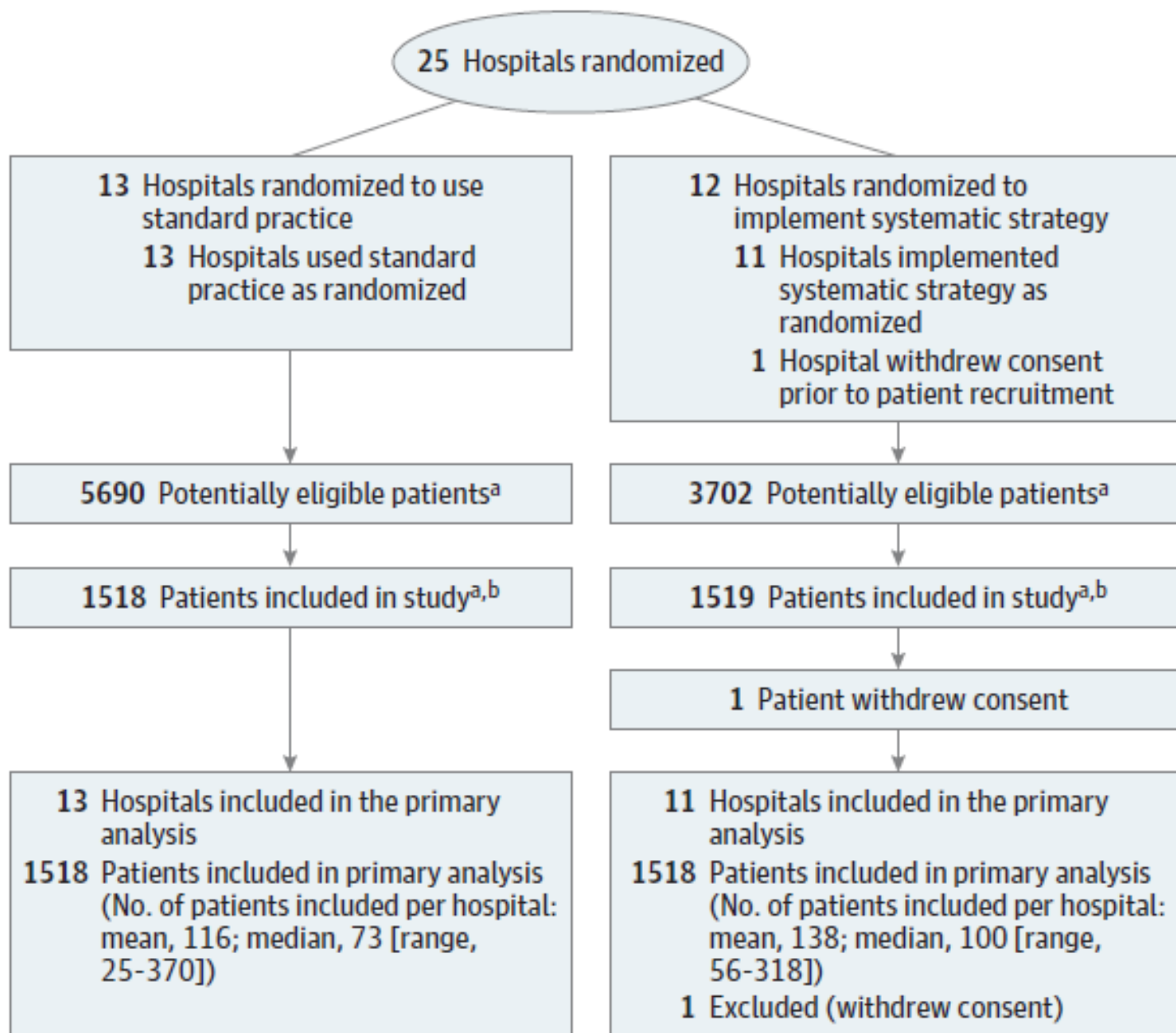


Table 1. Hospital and Participant Baseline Characteristics<sup>a</sup>

Characteristics	Systematic Strategy	Standard Practice	Difference in Medians (95% CI)	P Value
Hospital characteristics	n=11	n=13		
No. of emergency department visits among patients aged >75 y during the study period, mean (SD)	12 746 (4402)	16 580 (9468)		
Location (Paris region), No.	7	9		
Geriatric ward in the hospital, No.	10	11		
Academic hospital, No.	7	10		
Type of intensive care unit (medical), No.	5	7		
Patient characteristics	n=1518	n=1518		
Age, median (IQR), y	85 (81-89)	85 (81-89)	0 (-1 to 1)	.60
Male, No. (%)	713 (47)	648 (43)		
Coexisting conditions, No./total No. (%)				
Ischemic heart disease or hypertension	397/978 (41)	456/1075 (42)		.40
Respiratory disorder	296/978 (30)	336/1074 (31)		.64
Congestive heart failure	151/978 (15)	119/1074 (11)		.004
Neurologic disorder	112/979 (11)	110/1075 (10)		.38
Cognitive impairment	100/977 (10)	153/1075 (14)		.006
Cirrhosis	16/979 (2)	16/1075 (1)		.79
SAPS 3 score at enrollment, median (IQR) <sup>b</sup>	64 (57-71)	59 (54-65)	5 (4 to 6)	<.001
Index of Independence in ADLs score, median (IQR) <sup>c</sup>	6.0 (5.0-6.0)	6.0 (5.5-6.0)	0 (0 to 0)	.19

Characteristics	Systematic Strategy	Standard Practice	Difference in Medians (95% CI)	P Value
Initial clinical diagnosis, No. (%) <sup>d</sup>				
Respiratory failure	488 (32)	491 (32)		
Shock	320 (21)	238 (16)		
Cardiac disorder	177 (12)	231 (15)		
Coma	187 (12)	132 (9)		
Gastrointestinal tract disorder	57 (4)	117 (8)		<.001
Acute kidney failure	86 (6)	61 (4)		
Surgery	26 (2)	36 (2)		
Multiple trauma without surgery	10 (1)	9 (1)		
Other	165 (11)	202 (13)		
Living situation, No./total No. (%)				
Home without assistance	1070/1516 (71)	968/1488 (65)		
Home with assistance	255/1516 (17)	307/1488 (21)		
Nursing home	108/1516 (7)	98/1488 (7)		
Long-term care facility	72/1516 (5)	97/1488 (7)		.01
Hospital	10/1516 (1)	15/1488 (1)		
Homeless	1/1516 (0.1)	3/1488 (0.2)		
Home support, No./total No. (%)				
Living alone	704/1443 (49)	784/1415 (55)		
Spouse/partner	600/1443 (42)	437/1415 (31)		<.001
Family	139/1443 (10)	194/1415 (14)		

	<b>Systematic strategy (N=1,518)</b>	<b>Standard strategy (N=1,518)</b>	<b>P-Value</b>
<b>Full ICU - no./total no. (%)</b>	241/1,276 (19)	92/492 (19)	0.98
<b>Physicians sought patient's opinion about ICU admission - no./total no. (%)</b>			
<b>Yes</b>	470/1,518 (31)	220/1,518 (14)	<0.001
<b>No</b>	326/1,518 (21)	155/1,518 (10)	
<b>Patient unable to formulate opinion</b>	438/1,518 (29)	190/1,518 (13)	
<b>Not documented</b>	284/1,518 (19)	953/1,518 (63)	
<b>Patient's opinion about ICU admission - no./total no. (%)</b>			
<b>Favourable</b>	414/470 (88)	145/220 (66)	<0.001
<b>Unfavourable</b>	21/470 (5)	32/220 (15)	
<b>No opinion</b>	35/470 (7)	43/220 (20)	
<b>Decision for admission* - no./total no.</b>			
<b>ICU in the same hospital</b>	856/1,513 (57)	458/1,497 (31)	<0.001
<b>ICU in another hospital</b>	75/1,513 (5)	58/1,497 (4)	
<b>Intermediate care or specialized unit</b>	242/1,513 (16)	319/1,497 (21)	
<b>Other ward</b>	104/1,513 (7)	369/1,497 (25)	
<b>Post emergency department unit</b>	189/1,513 (12)	261/1,497 (17)	
<b>Geriatric unit</b>	17/1,513 (1)	24/1,497 (2)	
<b>Emergency department</b>	30/1,513 (2)	8/1,497 (1)	

# Patients Admitted to the ICU

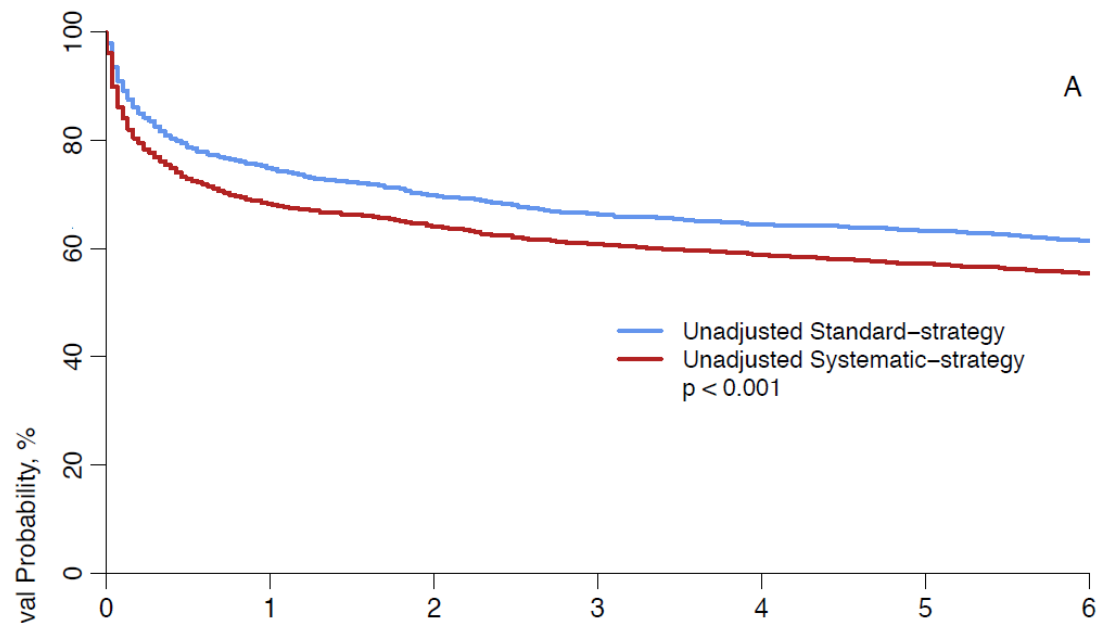
	<b>Systematic strategy (N=932)</b>	<b>Standard strategy (N=516)</b>	<b>Difference in mean (95%CI)</b>	<b>P Value</b>
<b>Age - median (IQR)</b>	84 (80-88)	84 (80-88)	0.30 (-0.2 – 0.9)	0.28
<b>SAPS 3* - median (IQR)</b>	65 (57-72)	62 (56-68)	3.4 (2.3-4.5)	<0.001
<b>ICU length of stay** - median (IQR)</b>	4 (2-7)	3 (1-6.3)	-1.1 (-3.2 - 1.1)	0.32
<b>Hospital length of stay*** - median (IQR)</b>	12 (4-22)	11 (5-19.8)	0.03 (-2.6 - 2.6)	0.98
<b>Male sex - no. (%)</b>	448 (48)	236 (46)		0.43
<b>Mechanical ventilation - no. (%)</b>	374/884 (42)	147/470 (31)		<0.001
<b>Non-invasive ventilation - no. (%)</b>	251/884 (28)	170/470 (36)		0.004
<b>Vasopressors - no. (%)</b>	346/884 (39)	166/469 (35)		0.20
<b>Renal replacement therapy - no. (%)</b>	117/884 (13)	49/469 (10)		0.16
<b>Fluid resuscitation - no. (%)</b>	177/835 (21)	151/469 (32)		<0.001
<b>Number of interventions - no. (%)</b>				
<b>At least one****</b>	711/873 (81)	402/470 (86)		0.07
<b>None*****</b>	162/873 (19)	68/470 (14)		

# Outcomes

	Systematic strategy (N=1,518)	Standard strategy (N=1,518)	RR (95%CI)	P-value*
Death at six months - no. (%)	685 (45)	588 (39)	1.16 (1.07-1.26)	<0.001
Adjusted analysis**			1.05 (0.96-1.14)	0.28
ICU admission rate - no. (%)	932 (61)	516 (34)	1.80 (1.66-1.95)	<0.001
Adjusted analysis**			1.68 (1.54-1.82)	<0.001
In-hospital mortality - no. (%)	451 (30)	326 (21)	1.39 (1.23-1.57)	<0.001
Adjusted analysis**			1.18 (1.03-1.33)	0.03
Decrease in at least one domain of the ADL*** - no./total no. (%)	463/680 (68)	394/657 (60)	1.06 (0.99-1.13)	0.08
Adjusted analysis**			1.02 (0.99-1.05)	0.10
Mean SF-12 Physical**** at 6 months (sd)	36.7 (10.4)	36.2 (8.9)	Average Increase***** 0.95 (-0.16-2.07)	0.09
Adjusted analysis*			Average Increase***** 0.56 (-0.39-1.53)	0.24
Mean SF-12 Mental**** at 6 months (sd)	44.6 (7.3)	43.7 (7.2)	Average Increase***** 1.05 (0.21-1.90)	0.02
Adjusted analysis**			Average Increase***** 0.98 (0.15-1.81)	0.02

# Survival

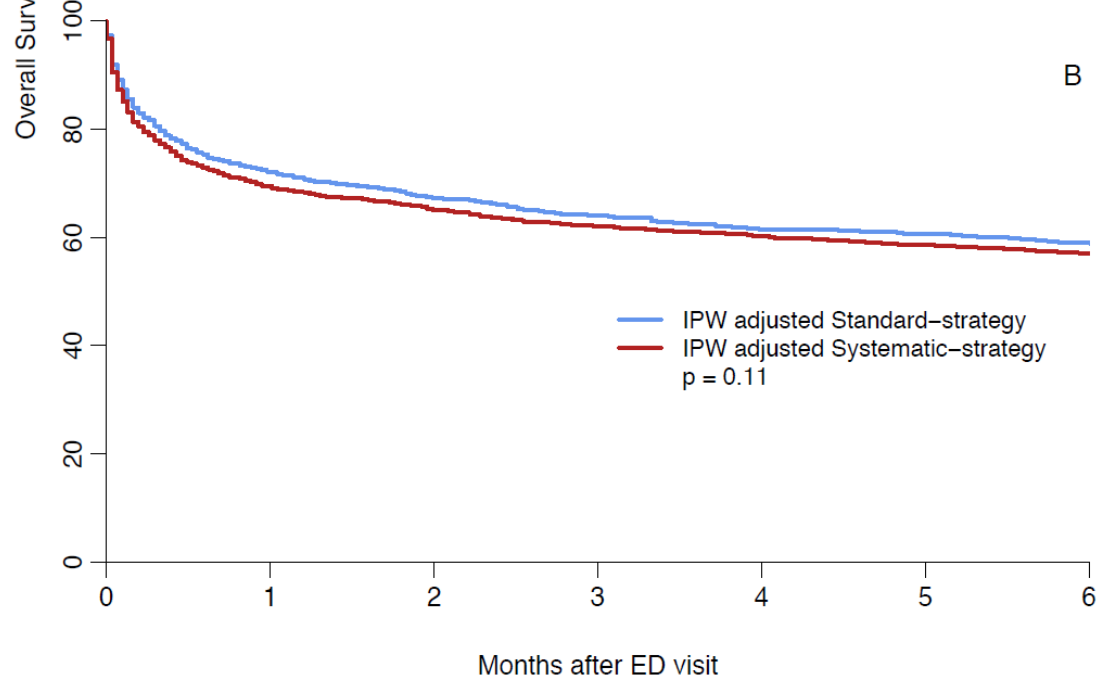
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No. at risk							
Standard	1518	1126	1042	992	961	941	912
Systematic	1518	1029	966	919	887	860	826





A recommendation for a systematic intensive care unit admission in critically ill elderly patients led to :

- a higher intensive care unit admission rate
- had no impact on adjusted survival at 6 months.

→ These findings suggest the absence of long-term benefit of systematic intensive care unit admission in critically ill elderly patients.

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## WHAT'S NEW IN INTENSIVE CARE

# Should this elderly patient be admitted to the ICU?



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What are the patient's and relatives' wishes?

Information to characterize a critically ill elderly patient

Comorbidities including cancer

Nutritional and functional status (ADL, IADL)

Frailty (CFS, performance status)

Cognitive and psychiatric disorders

Goal(s) of care

Probability of (long-term) survival

Probability of reaching (for the patient) an acceptable quality of life

Treatments during the ICU stay

Reassessment of the patient at days 2–3

Hospital trajectory

ICU discharge location

Hospital discharge location

Burden for the family

# Conclusion

- Avis des patients et proches?
- Etat de base: plus que l'âge chronologique
  - Score de fragilité, autonomie
  - Etat nutritionnel
- Admission en réanimation pour quel type de prise en charge?
  - Support d'organe
  - ICU trial?
  - Prévention du délirium....
- Orientation à la sortie de réanimation

