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- ΓΝ ΠΑΠΑΓΕΩΡΓΙΟΥ ΘΕΣΣΑΛΟΝΙΚΗ

ΓΕΝΙΚΑ ΣΤΑΤΙΣΤΙΚΑ ΣΤΟΙΧΕΙΑ

- ARIC Study :
 - 2-minute ECG detected PVCs in **5.5%** of the population
- Framingham Heart Study:
 - PVCs or other more complex ventricular arrhythmias in **12%** of individuals without coronary disease monitored for 1 hour

Bikkina M, Larson MG, Levy D. Prognostic implications of asymptomatic ventricular arrhythmias: the Framingham Heart Study.
Ann Intern Med. 1992;117:990–996. doi: 10.7326/0003-4819-117-12-990

- Population based study Lichtenstein :
 - At least one PVC in **69%** of participants Holter-ECG 24h
 - the median PVC count : 2
 - 95th percentile : 193 PVCs

Circulation. 2020;141:1404–1418. DOI:
10.1161/CIRCULATIONAHA.119.042434

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Risk Stratification of Patients With Apparently Idiopathic Premature Ventricular Contractions



→ 13%

A Multicenter International CMR Registry

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- ΠΡΟΑΘΛΗΤΙΚΟΣ ΕΛΕΓΧΟΣ 74%
- ΠΡΟΕΓΧΕΙΡΗΤΙΚΟΣ ΕΛΕΓΧΟΣ 19%
- ΤΥΧΑΙΑ ΚΑΤΑΓΡΑΦΗ ΚΑΤΑ ΤΗΝ ΔΙΑΡΚΕΙΑ ΚΑΠΟΙΑΣ ΕΠΕΜΒΑΣΗΣ 8%

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Prognosis of asymptomatic patients with frequent PVCs:

Kennedy, H.L.; Whitlock, J.A.; Sprague, M.K.; Kennedy, L.J.; Buckingham, T.A.; Goldberg, R.J.

Long-Term Follow-up of Asymptomatic Healthy Subjects with Frequent and Complex Ventricular Ectopy. N. Engl. J. Med. 1985, 312, 193–197



ΚΑΜΜΙΑ ΔΙΑΦΟΡΑ ΜΕ ΤΟΝ ΥΓΗ ΠΛΗΘΥΣΜΟ, N=76, 10y

Lee AKY, Andrade J, Hawkins NM, Alexander G, Bennett MT, Chakrabarti Set al.

Outcomes of untreated frequent premature ventricular complexes with Normal left ventricular function. Heart 2019;105:1408–13.



ΜΕΙΩΣΗ ΦΟΡΤΙΟΥ ΑΠΟ 18% → 1% ΣΕ ΕΝΑ ΕΤΟΣ , N= 100

Nomura Y, Seki S, Hazeki D, Ueno K, Tanaka Y, Masuda Ket al.

Risk factors for development of ventricular tachycardia in patients with ventricular premature contraction with a structurally normal heart. J Arrhythm 2020;36:127–33.



94% ΠΑΡΟΥΣΙΑΣΑΝ ΒΕΛΤΙΩΣΗ Ή ΣΤΑΘΕΡΗ ΕΙΚΟΝΑ ΣΕ 1.3-3 ΕΤΗ

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2 ΜΕΤΑΝΑΛΥΣΕΙΣ (11 and 8 large population-based studies) ~150,000 healthy subjects

ΚΟΙΛΙΑΚΗ ΕΚΤΑΚΤΟΣΥΣΤΟΛΙΑ ($\geq 1x$ /standard ECG ή $\geq 30x/\Omega\text{PA}$)

- **1.72-x increase in the risk of MACE**

(all-cause mortality, cardiovascular mortality, sudden cardiac death or development of ischaemic heart disease)

- **2.64-x increase in the risk of SCD**

Lee, V.; Hemingway, H.; Harb, R.; Crake, T.; Lambiase, P. The prognostic significance of premature ventricular complexes in adults without clinically apparent heart disease: A meta-analysis and systematic review. Heart 2012, 98, 1290–1298

Ataklte, F.; Erqou, S.; Laukkanen, J.; Kaptoge, S. Meta-Analysis of Ventricular Premature Complexes and Their Relation to Cardiac Mortality in General Populations. Am. J. Cardiol. 2013, 112, 1263–1270

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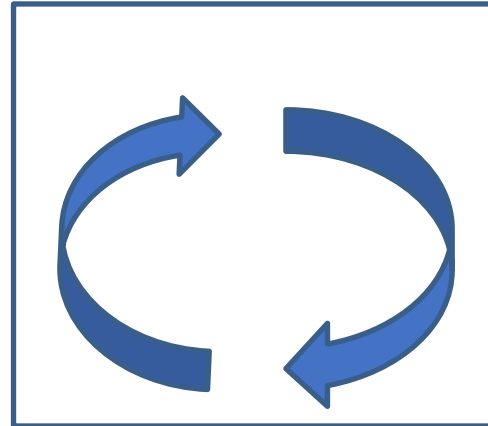
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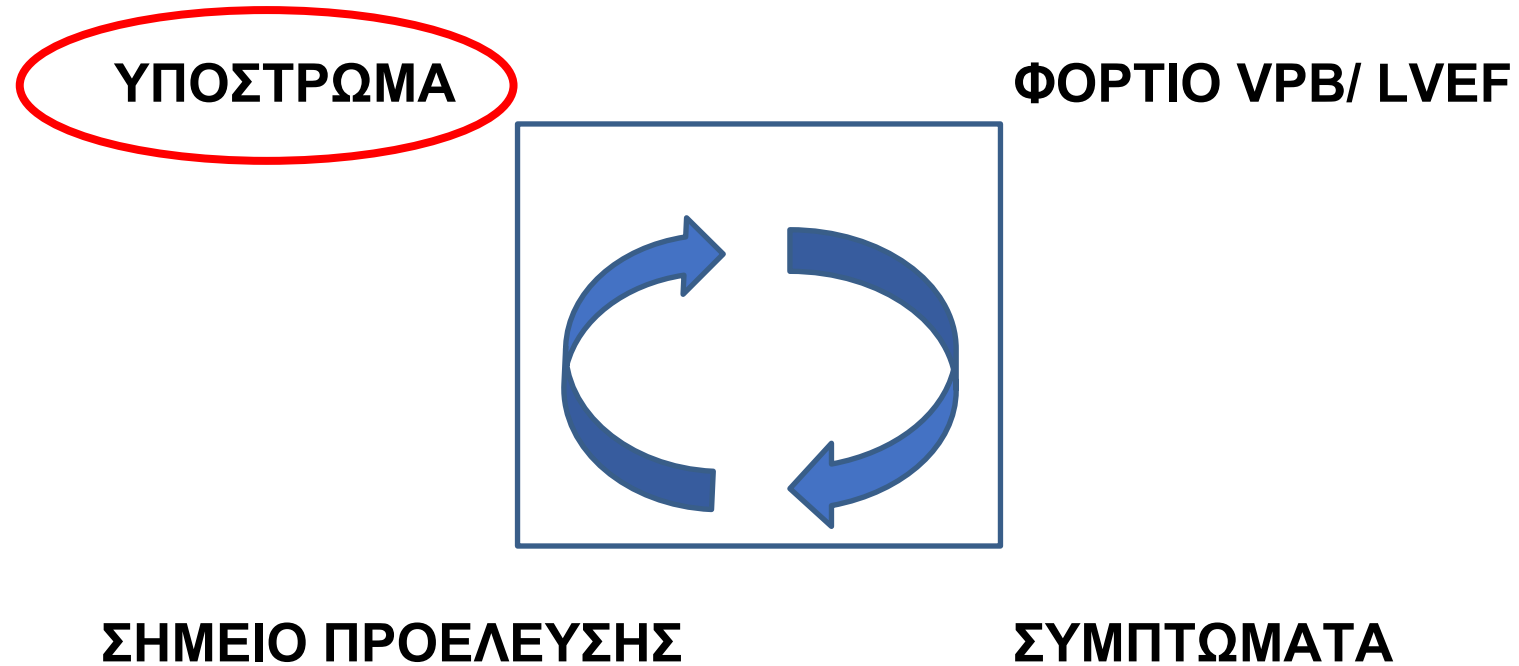
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Total population (n=1424)		Percent increase*	(95% CI)	p	
Characteristic, unit (SD)	←fewer PVCs	more PVCs →			
Age, years (4.9)			11	(3 to 19)	0.003
Male			11	(-9 to 36)	0.32
Height, cm (9.4)			23	(12 to 36)	<0.0001
Systolic blood pressure, mmHg (21.5)			9	(2 to 17)	0.01
Congestive heart failure			45	(0 to 111)	0.051
Myocardial infarction			22	(-2 to 53)	0.07
Exercise Intensity†			-15	(-25 to -3)	0.02
Smoking status‡			18	(3 to 36)	0.02
Ejection fraction§			59	(-5 to 85)	<0.0001



Ventricular Arrhythmias

Risk Stratification of Patients With Apparently Idiopathic Premature Ventricular Contractions: A Multicenter International CMR Registry

- **Group with myocardial abnormalities →**

29% sudden cardiac death, resuscitated cardiac arrest, nonfatal episodes of VF or sVT

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- **0.2% of the group without myocardial abnormalities.**

Over a follow-up of 67 months

ΒΑΣΙΚΗ ΚΑΡΔΙΟΛΟΓΙΚΗ ΔΙΑΓΝΩΣΤΙΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΓΓΙΣΗ:

- ΑΤΟΜΙΚΟ ΑΝΑΜΝΗΣΤΙΚΟ → ΣΥΓΚΟΠΗ, ΑΙΣΘΗΜΑ ΠΑΛΜΩΝ
- 12-L- ECG → ΚΑΤΑΓΡΑΦΗ ΜΟΡΦΟΛΟΓΙΑΣ → ΑΔΡΟΣ ΕΝΤΟΠΙΣΜΟΣ ΕΣΤΙΑΣ ΠΡΟΕΛΕΥΣΗΣ, BRUGADA?
- HOLTER - ECG → ΠΡΟΣΔΙΟΡΙΣΜΟΣ ΑΝΑΛΟΓΙΚΟΥ ΦΟΡΤΙΟΥ
- ECHO → LVEF; , ΕΝΔΕΙΞΕΙΣ ΔΟΜΙΚΗΣ ΝΟΣΟΥ;
- ΔΟΚΙΜΑΣΙΑ ΚΟΠΩΣΕΩΣ, CARD-CT → ΕΝΔΕΙΞΕΙΣ ΣΤΕΦ. ΝΟΣΟΥ → CORO/PCI

ΕΠΙΠΡΟΣΘΕΤΟΣ ΕΛΕΓΧΟΣ:

- CARD-MRI → ARVC, ΙΝΩΣΗ ΚΑΙ ΤΙ ΤΥΠΟΣ;

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- HOLTER -
- ECHO
- ΔΟΚΙΜΑΣ

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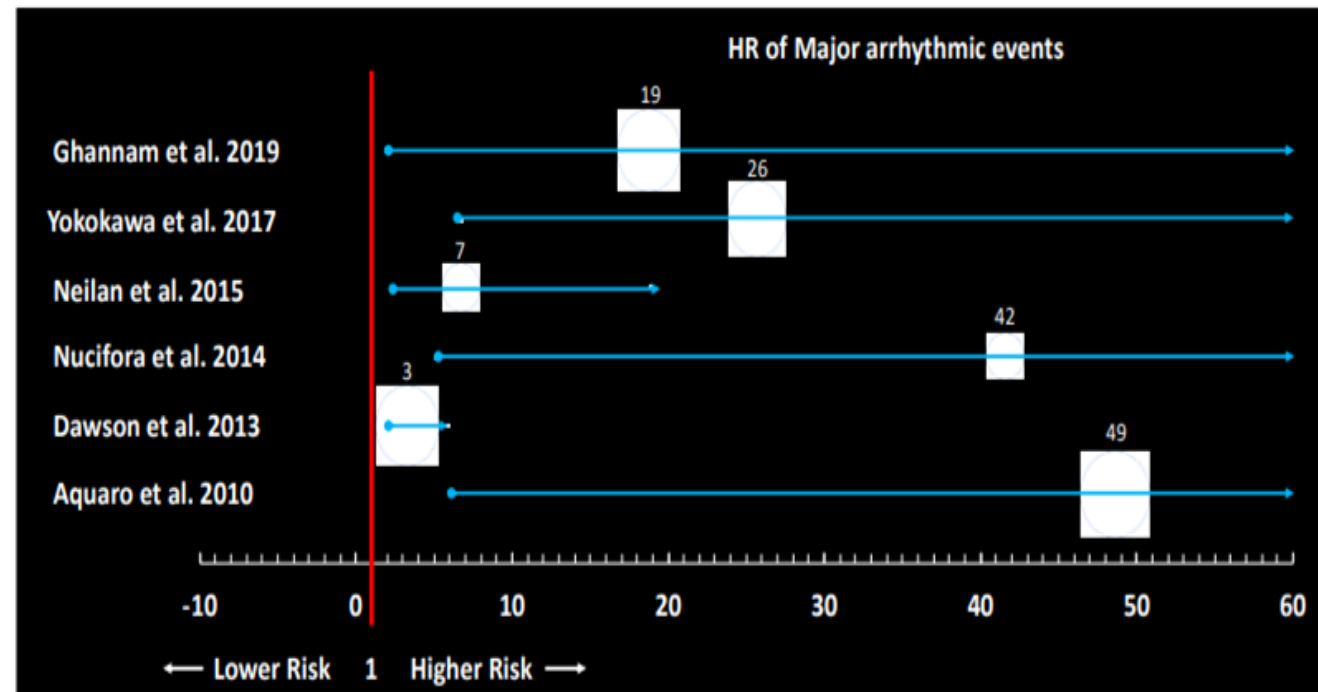
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ΕΠΙΠΡΟΣΘΕΤΟ

- CARD-MR



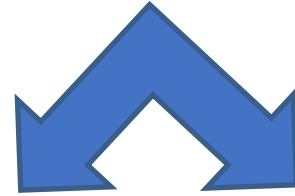
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/PCI

Figure 3. Forest plot showing the results of the principal studies investigating the prognostic role of cardiac magnetic resonance abnormalities in patients with frequent premature ventricular contractions.

ΠΙΘΑΝΟ ΑΡΡΥΘΜΙΟΓΟΝΟ ΥΠΟΣΤΡΩΜΑ

- **ΣΤΕΦΑΝΙΑΙΑ ΝΟΣΟΣ**
- **NICMP**
- **ΠΑΡΕΛΘΟΥΣΑ ΜΥΟΚΑΡΔΙΤΙΔΑ**
- **ΣΑΡΚΟΕΙΔΩΣΗ**
- **ARVC**
- **CHANNELOPATHIES**

ΠΡΟΓΝΩΣΗ VFB



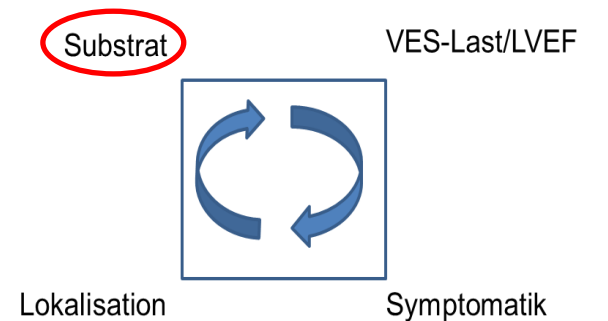
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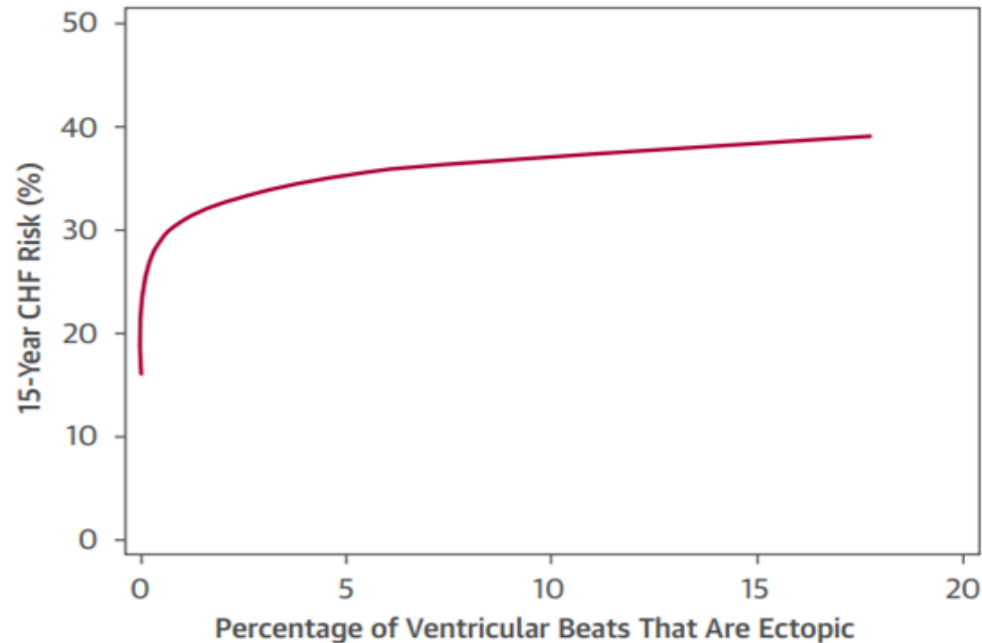
ΕΠΙ ΥΠΟΣΤΡΩΜΑΤΟΣ

- ICMP
- DCM
- ARVC
- ΣΑΡΚΟΕΙΔΩΣΗ



ΚΙΝΔΥΝΟΣ ΜΥΟΚΑΡΔΙΟΠΑΘΕΙΑΣ

FIGURE 2 Test Characteristics of PVCs for 15-Year CHF Risk



Percent PVC count	15-Year CHF Risk	PPV	NPV	Sensitivity	Specificity
0%	16.2%	27.5%	100%	100%	0.2%
0.01%	19.3%	29.6%	78.5%	78.9%	29.1%
0.1%	25.2%	33.9%	75.7%	41.0%	69.7%
0.5%	29.0%	41.1%	75.0%	23.1%	87.5%
1.0%	30.8%	45.1%	74.5%	16.3%	92.5%
1.5%	31.9%	50.8%	74.3%	13.1%	95.2%
3.0%	33.8%	52.5%	73.7%	8.4%	97.1%
6.0%	35.7%	44.4%	72.9%	3.2%	98.5%
10.0%	37.2%	40.0%	72.6%	0.8%	99.5%
17.7%	36.4%	0%	72.5%	0.0%	100%

The predicted 15-year risk for CHF (using the log base 2-transformed PVC model) is plotted against the percentage of PVCs. The positive predictive value (PPV), negative predictive value (NPV), sensitivity, and specificity for the diagnosis of CHF at 15 years for an individual participant are listed for various unadjusted PVC cutoff values. Abbreviations as in [Figure 1](#).

Dukes, J.W.; Dewland, T.A.; Vittinghoff, E.; Mandyam, M.C.; Heckbert, S.R.; Siscovick, D.S.; Stein, P.K.; Psaty, B.M.; Sotoodehnia, N.; Gottdiener, J.S.; et al. Ventricular Ectopy as a Predictor of Heart Failure and Death. *J. Am. Coll. Cardiol.* **2015**, 66, 101–109, N=1139

PVC - Induced Cardiomyopathy (TICMP):

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ΣΥΧΝΕΣ ΕΚΤΑΚΤΕΣ ΚΟΙΛΙΑΚΕΣ ΣΥΣΤΟΛΕΣ

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Heart Rhythm
Volume 7, Issue 7, July 2010, Pages 865-869



Clinical
Ventricular tachycardia

Relationship between burden of premature ventricular complexes and left ventricular function

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**VC burden of >24% best separated the patient population with impaired left ventricular function (sensitivity 79%, specificity 78%)
Lowest PVC burden resulting in a reversible cardiomyopathy was 10%.**

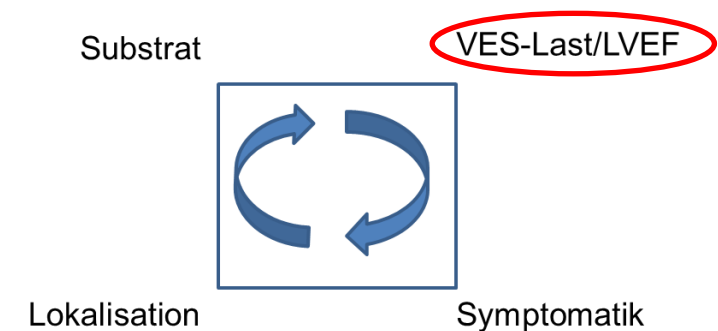
PVC burden (hazard ratio 1.12, 95% confidence interval 1.08 to 1.16; $P < .01$) was independently associated with PVC-induced cardiomyopathy.

ΦΟΡΤΙΟ VPB ΚΑΙ ΠΡΟΓΝΩΣΗ

ΥΨΗΛΟ ΦΟΡΤΙΟ ΕΚΤΑΚΤΩΝ ΣΥΣΤΟΛΩΝ → ΑΥΞΗΜΕΝΗ ΘΝΗΤΟΤΗΤΑ

- 31% increased risk of death (HR: 1.31; 95% CI: 1.06 to 1.63; p = 0.01) during a median follow-up of >13 years

Ventricular ectopy as a predictor of heart failure and death
Dukes JW, Dewland TA, Vittinghoff E, et al *J Am Coll Cardiol.* 2015;66:101–109.
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- ΑΠΟΥΣΙΑ ΣΥΜΠΤΩΜΑΤΩΝ
- PVC burden of $\geq 16\%$
- ΣΤΑΘΕΡΗ ΚΑΤΑΝΟΜΗ ΕΚΤΑΚΤΟΣΥΣΤΟΛΙΑΣ ΣΤΟ 24ω
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(J Cardiovasc Electrophysiol, Vol. 22, pp. 663-668, June 2011),N: 249

ΒΕΛΤΙΩΣΗ LVEF ΜΕΤΑ ΑΠΟ ΚΑΤΑΛΥΣΗ

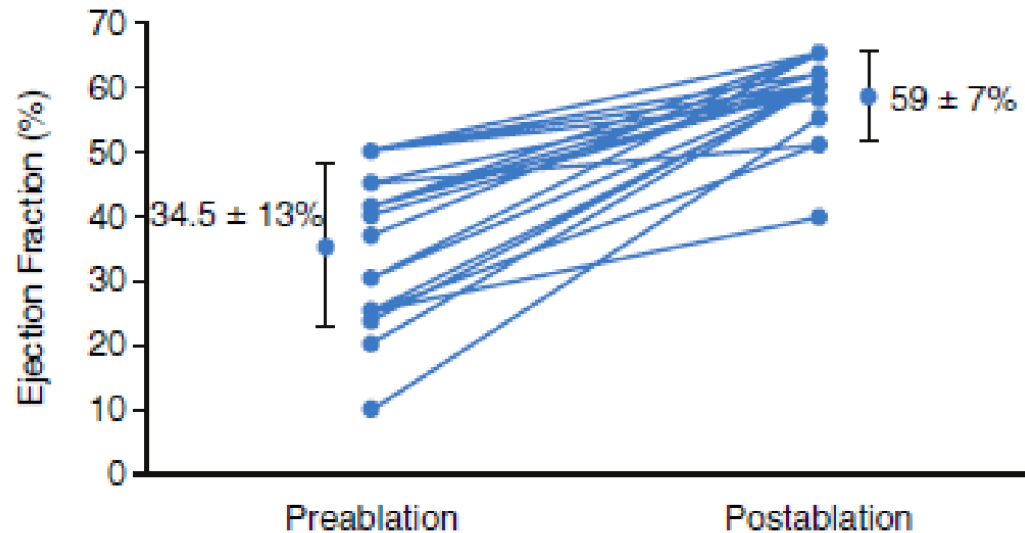
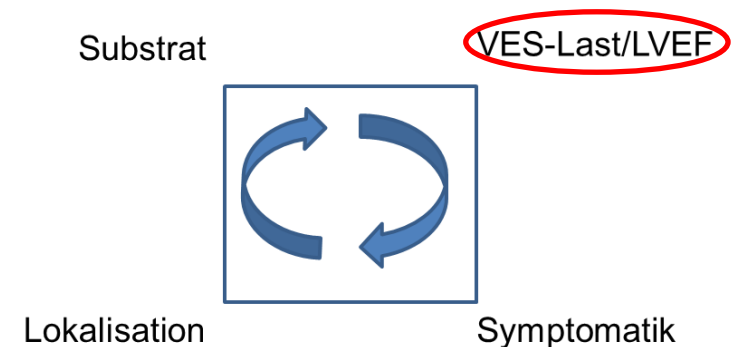


FIGURE 80.4 Ejection fractions before and after catheter ablation of frequent premature ventricular complexes in patients with a successful outcome. Mean ejection fractions and standard deviations are indicated. (From Bogun F, Crawford T, Reich S, et al. Radiofrequency ablation of frequent, idiopathic premature ventricular complexes: comparison with a control group without intervention. *Heart Rhythm*. 2007;4:863-867.)



CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION Catheter Ablation
Current Evidence

TABLE 5 A Summary of Registered Clinical Trials That Will Compare AAD vs CA for the Treatment of PVCs

Study (First Author)	Location	Year Registered	Description	Estimated Enrollment	Inclusion
ECTOPIA (Haanschoten et al) ³⁵	Isala hospital, Zwolle, the Netherlands	2019	Randomized trial comparing CA with 2 different AADs (sotalol vs flecainide + verapamil) in a 1:1:1 ratio with a crossover design in the AAD arm	180	PVC/NSVT burden $\geq 5\%$ on 24-h Holter monitor with no structural or coronary heart disease
PAPS pilot study (Huizar et al) ³⁶	McGuire VA Medical Center, Virginia, USA	2017	Randomized, open-label, prospective trial comparing CA vs AAD (amiodarone preferred)	140 (39 to be collected in pilot)	PVCs ($\geq 10\%$ burden) and cardiomyopathy (LVEF $\leq 45\%$)
CAT-PVC (Hindricks et al) ³⁷	Heart Center Leipzig, Leipzig, Germany	2017	Randomized, open-label, parallel assignment trial comparing CA and amiodarone	80	Structural heart disease with or without reduced LVEF PLUS PVC frequency $>10,000/24$ -h or symptoms or biventricular pacing $<92\%$
AVATAR (Bolognese et al) ³⁸	Ospedale S. Donato, Arezzo, Italy	2013	Randomized, parallel, open-label study comparing CA and AAD (flecainide or propafenone or sotalol)	NA	Outflow tract PVC with frequency $>2,000/24$ h or symptomatic VT or reduced LVEF

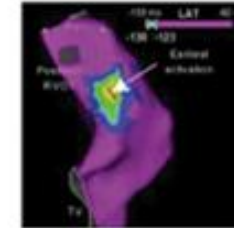
Current Evidence

**5 studies comparing AAD and CA
(1 RCT)**

N = 1,113, 57.9% female



VS



CA associated with:

- ↓ PVC recurrence**
- ↓ PVC burden**
- ↑ LVEF**

**CA complications 0.0%-5.6% vs
AAD adverse events 9.5%-21%**

Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction

Reduced

Guideline-directed beta blocker therapy

PVC Burden

<5%

5-10%

>10%

Symptoms[†]

No Symptoms[†]

Consider ablation or other anti-arrhythmic drugs

Continue follow-up with general cardiology and/or heart failure physicians

Consider ablation in shared decision making with the patient*

Offer ablation

Normal

PVC Burden

<5%

5-10%

>10%

Symptoms[†]

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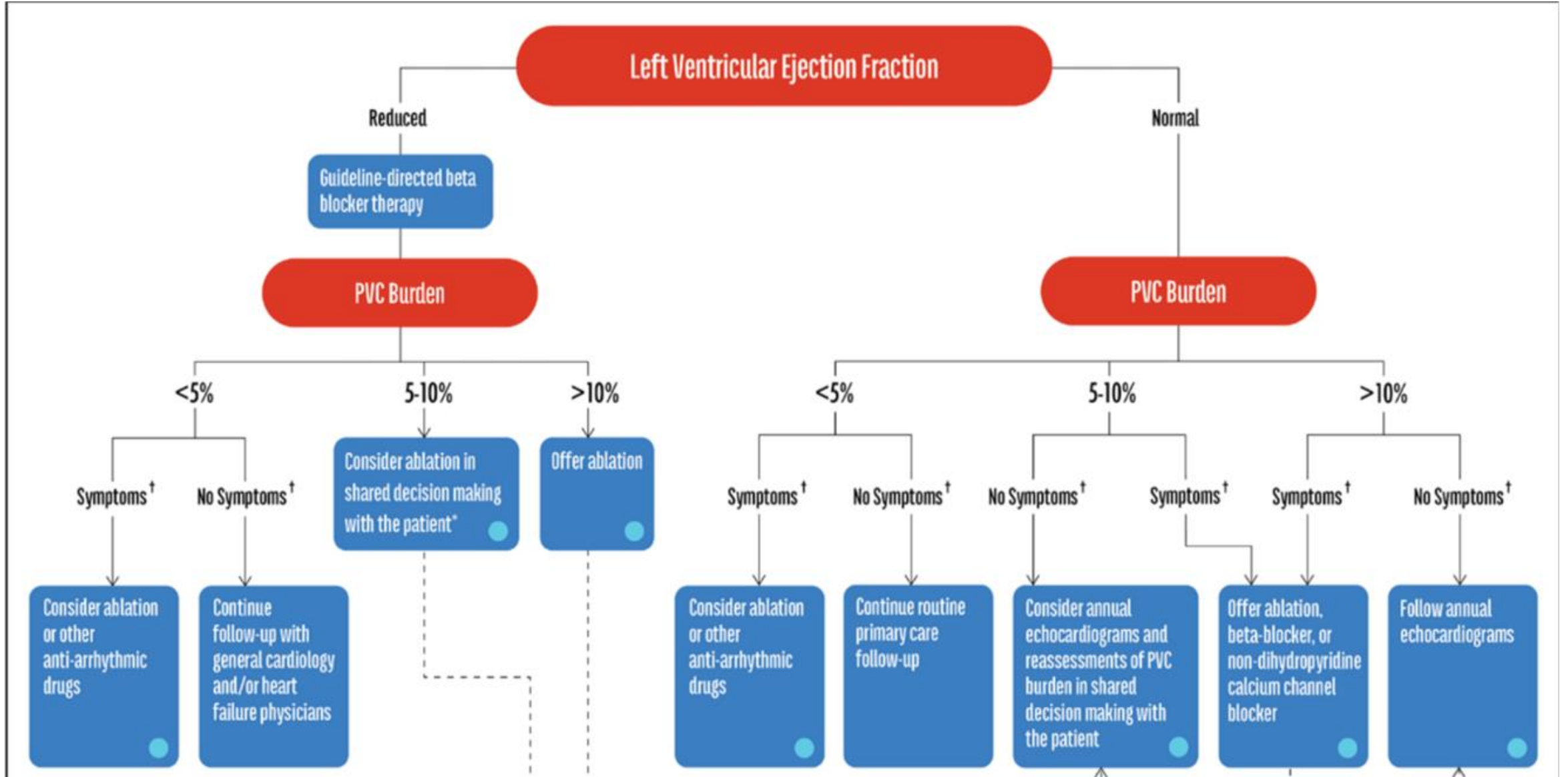
Consider ablation or other anti-arrhythmic drugs

Continue routine primary care follow-up

Consider annual echocardiograms and reassessments of PVC burden in shared decision making with the patient

Offer ablation, beta-blocker, or non-dihydropyridine calcium channel blocker

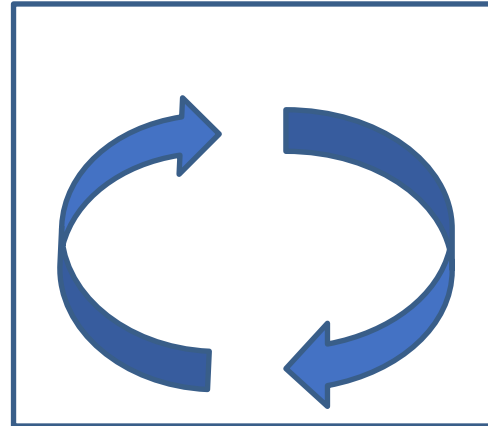
Follow annual echocardiograms



ΠΑΡΑΜΕΤΡΟΙ ΠΟΥ ΠΡΕΠΕΙ ΝΑ ΛΗΦΘΟΥΝ ΥΠΟΨΗΝ

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ΦΟΡΤΙΟ VPB/ LVEF



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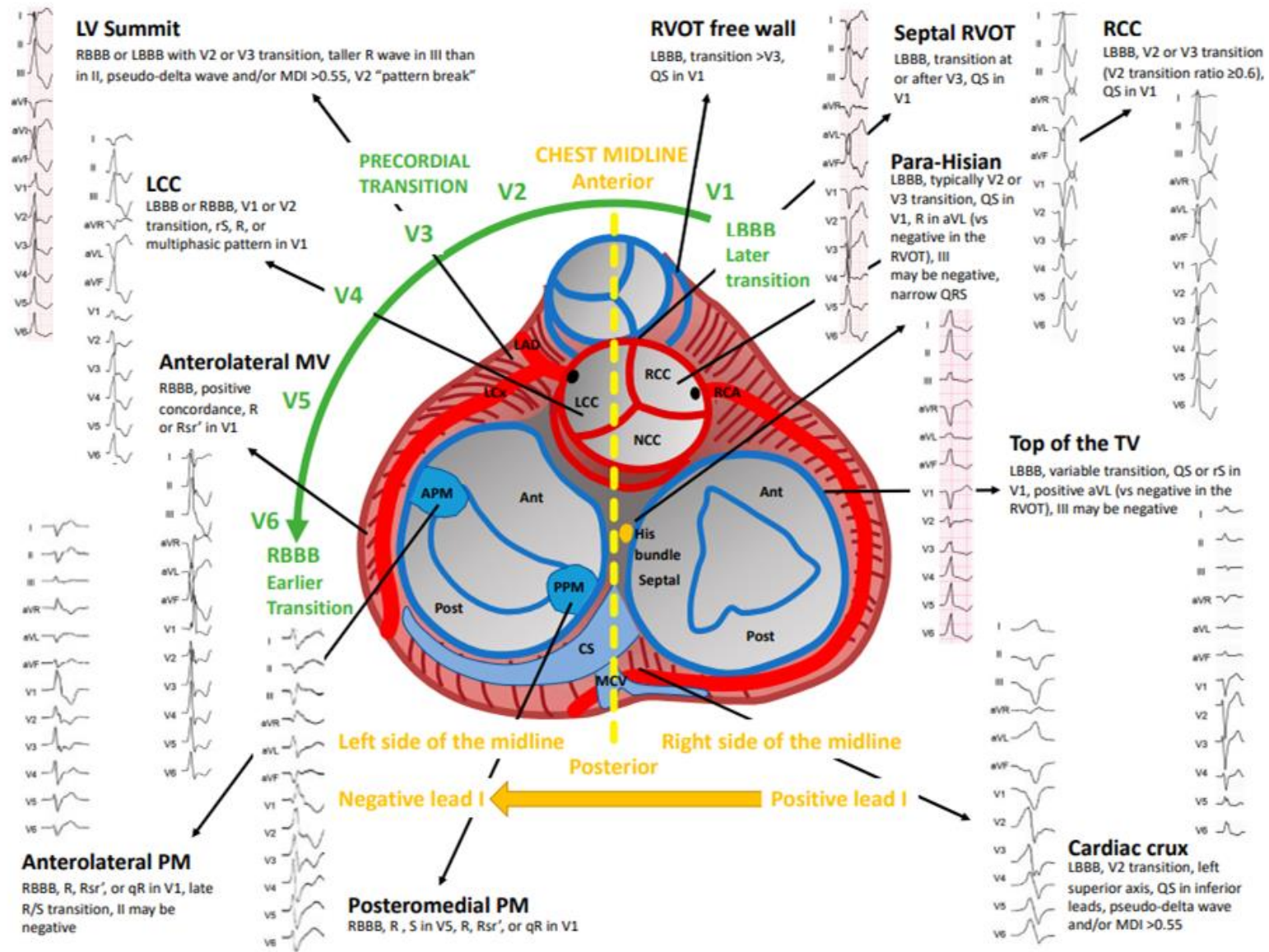
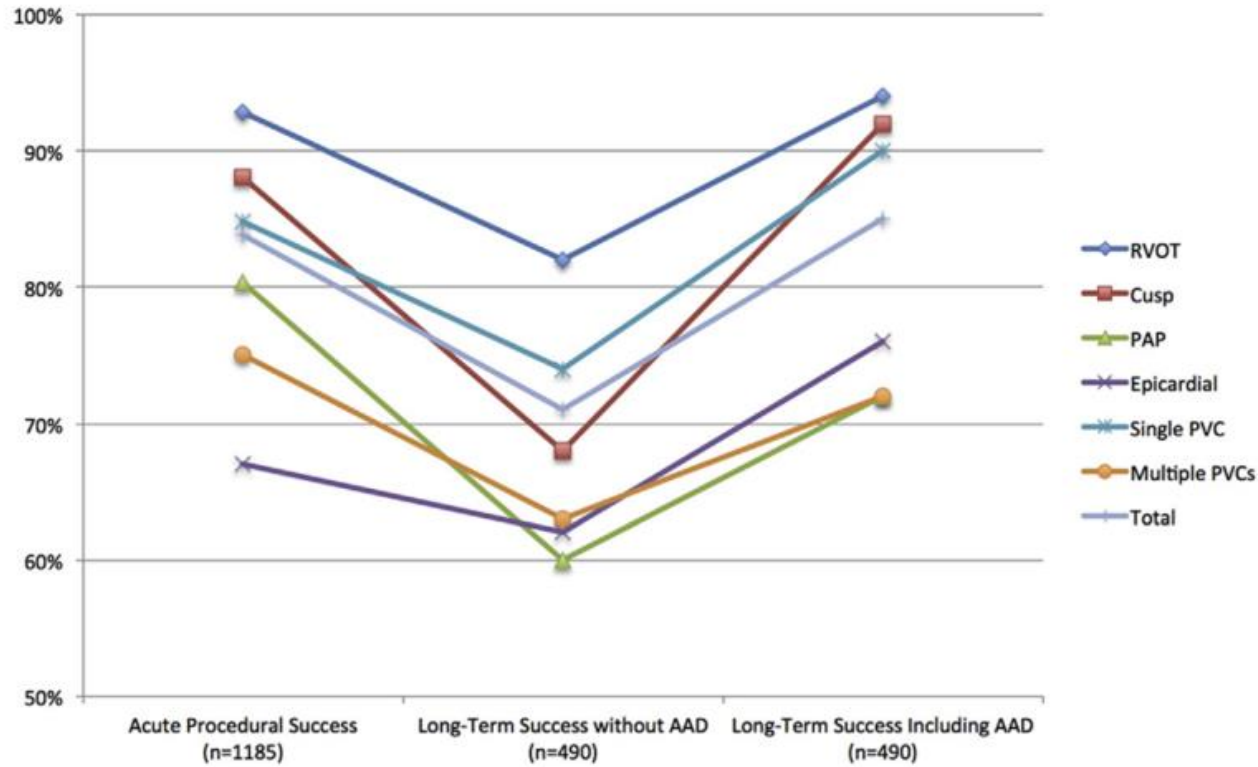


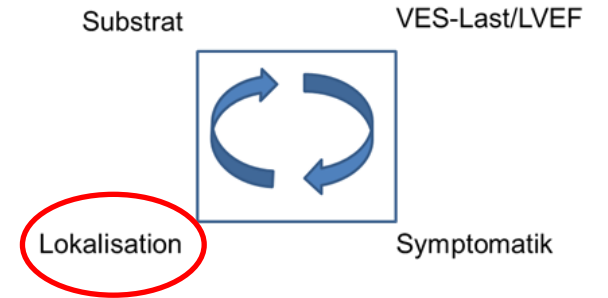
Figure 1. Schematic representation of the main sites of origin of idiopathic premature ventricular contractions and their ECG features.

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FIGURE 1 Acute and Long-Term Ablation Success

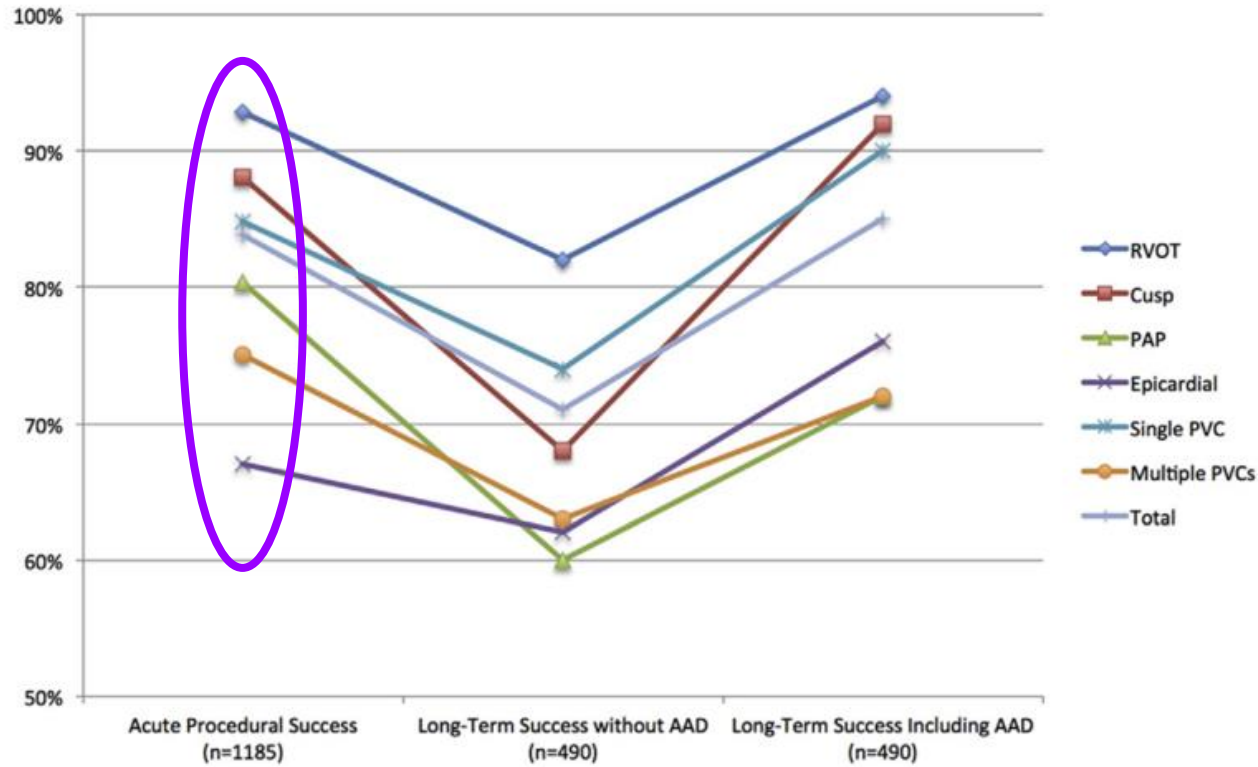


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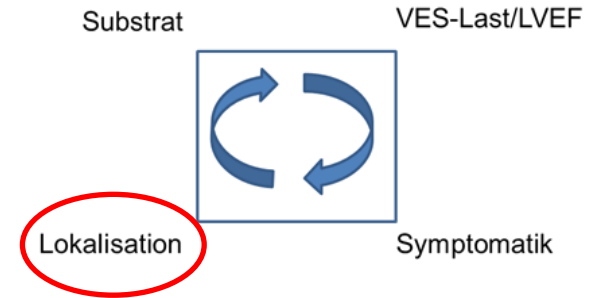


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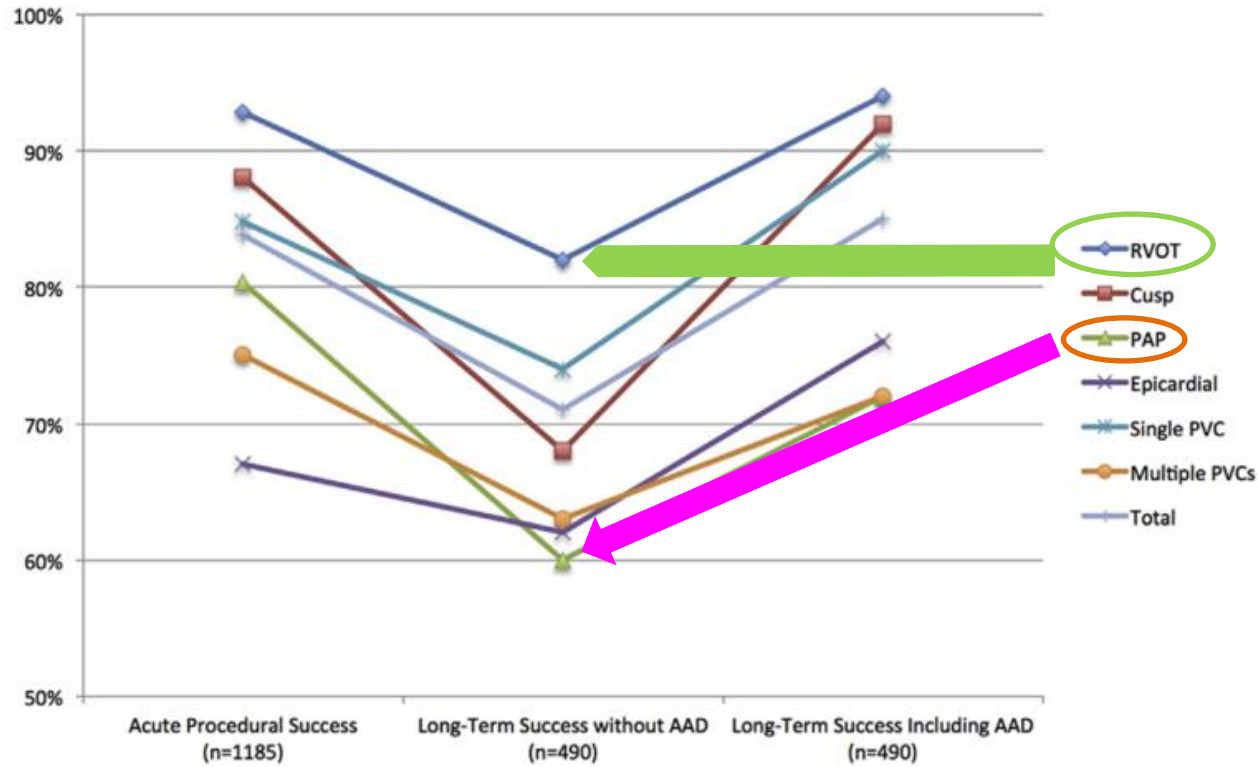


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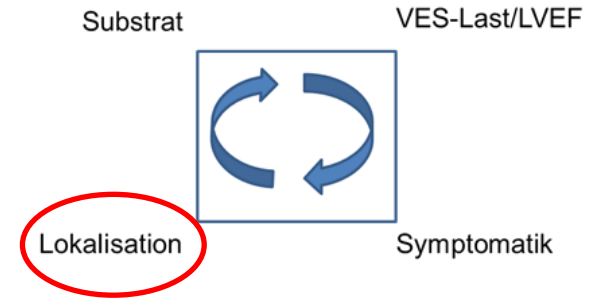


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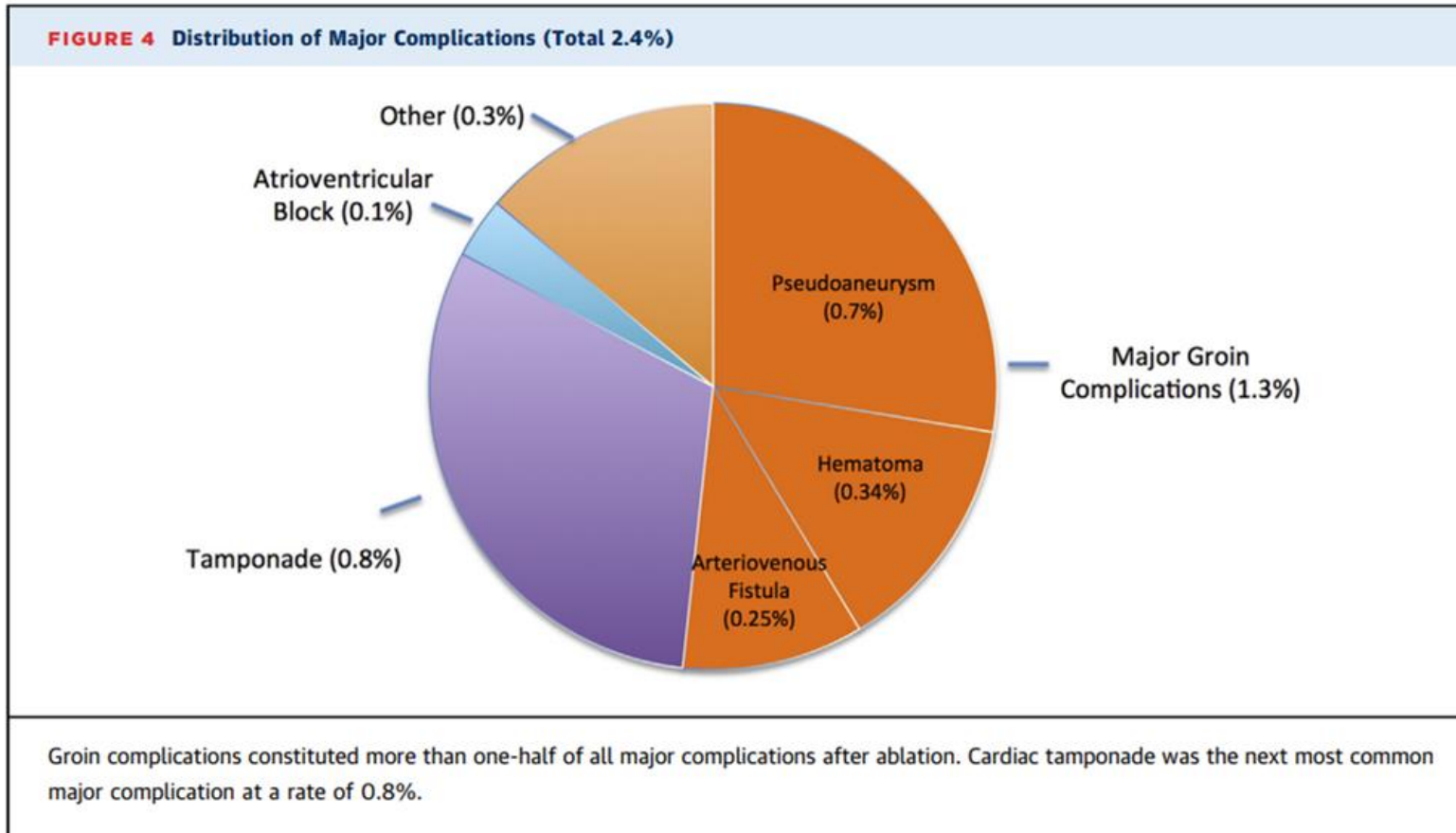
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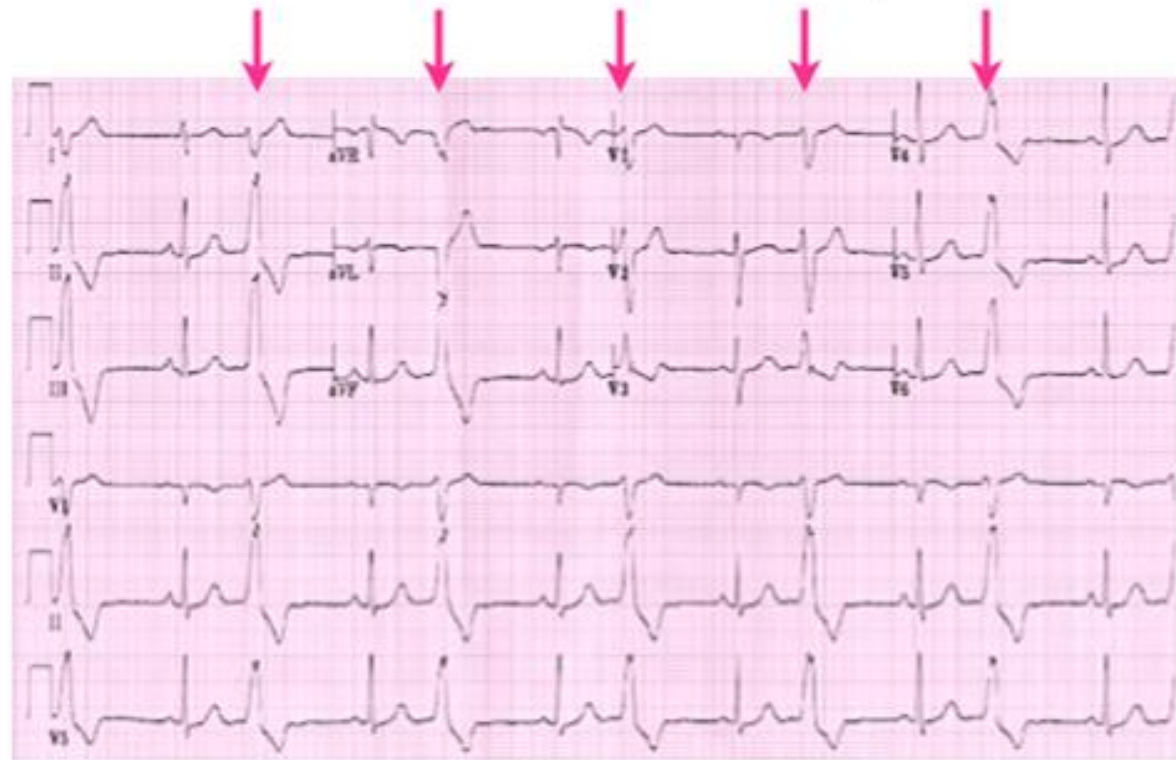
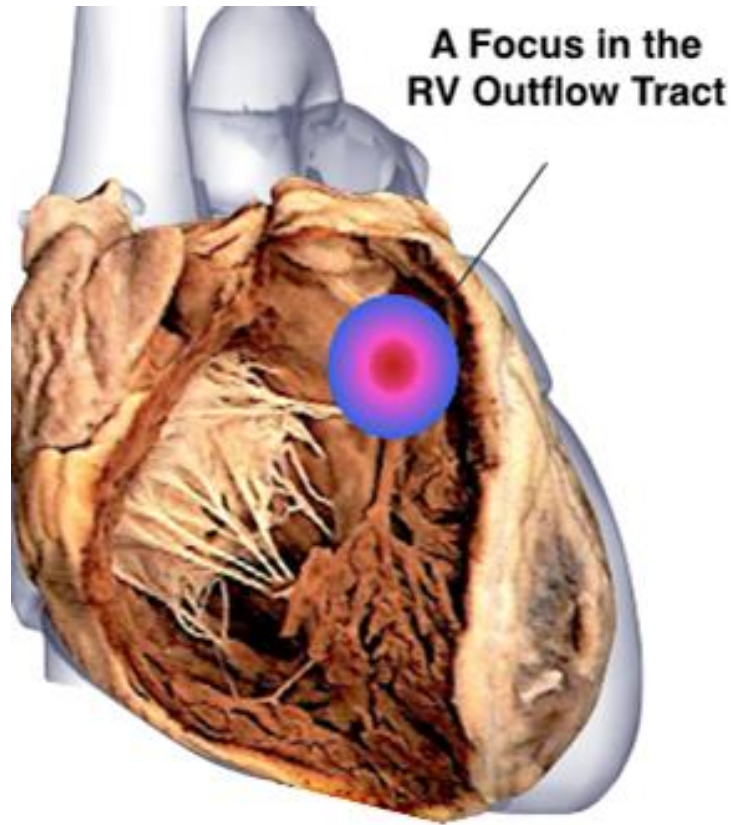


ΠΟΣΟΣΤΟ ΕΠΙΠΛΟΚΩΝ ABLATION

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Latchamsetty *et al.*
Ablation of Idiopathic Premature Ventricular Complexes





Isolated RV outflow tract ectopics (arrows)

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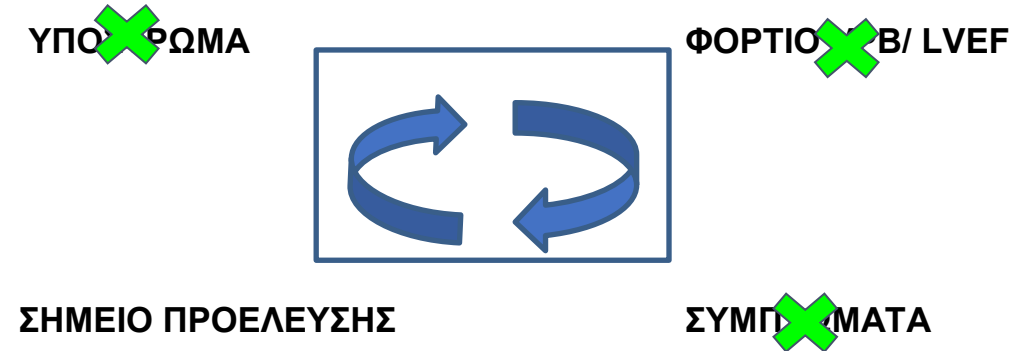
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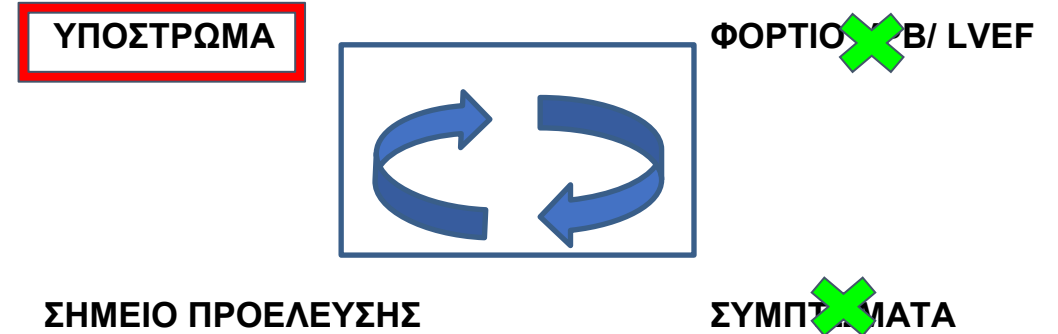
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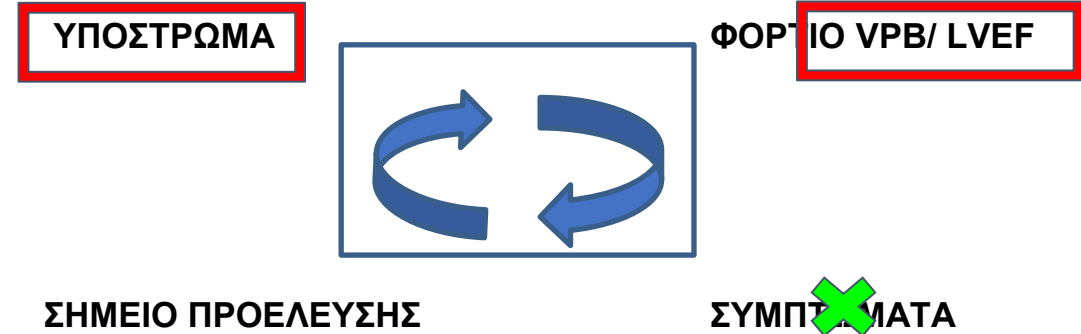
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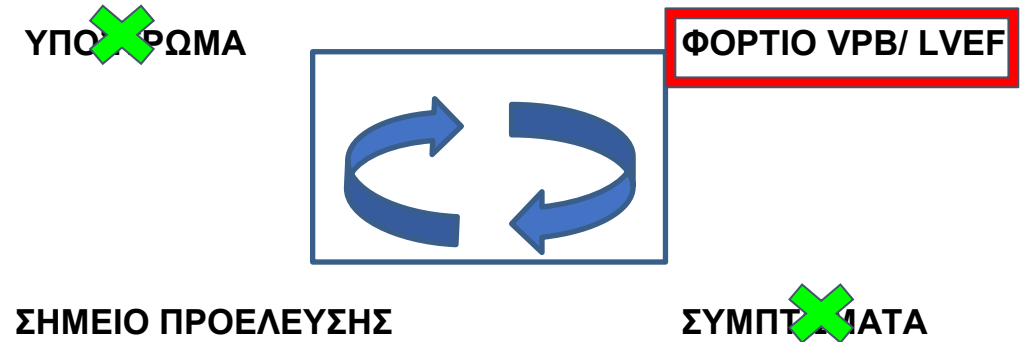
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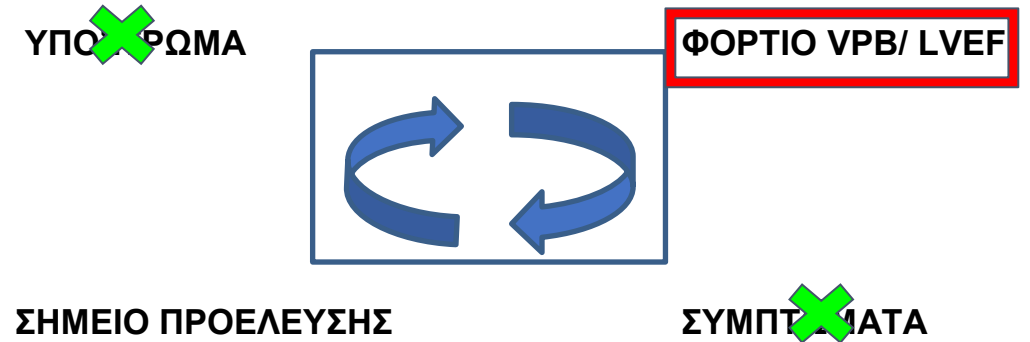
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