

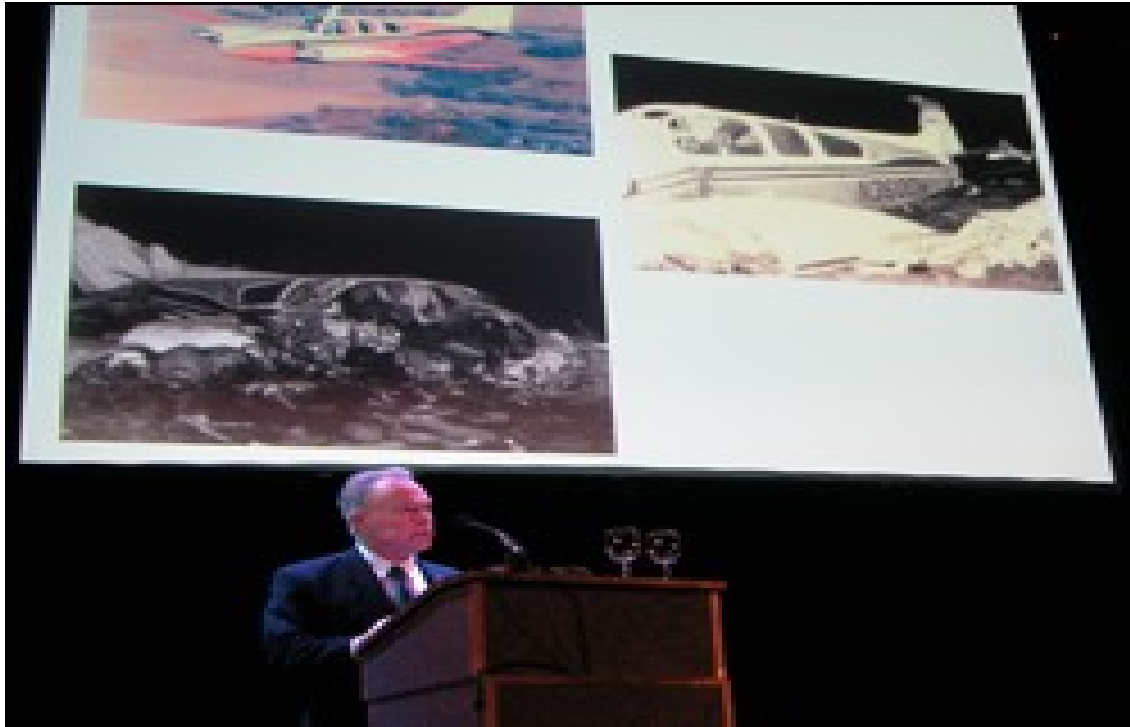
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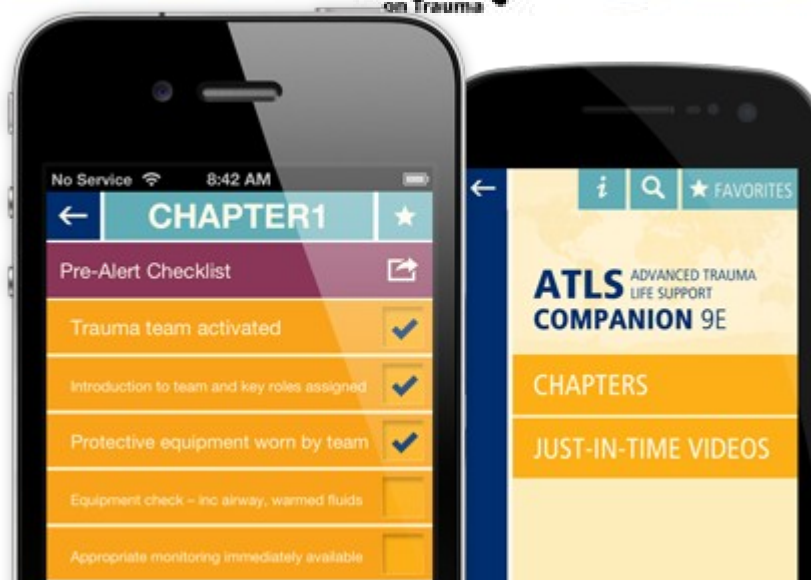




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# Effects of tranexamic acid on death, vascular occlusive events, and blood transfusion in trauma patients with significant haemorrhage (CRASH-2): a randomised, placebo-controlled trial



CRASH-2 trial collaborators\*

## Summary

**Background** Tranexamic acid can reduce bleeding in patients undergoing elective surgery. We assessed the effects of early administration of a short course of tranexamic acid on death, vascular occlusive events, and the receipt of blood transfusion in trauma patients.

**Methods** This randomised controlled trial was undertaken in 274 hospitals in 40 countries. 20211 adult trauma patients with, or at risk of, significant bleeding were randomly assigned within 8 h of injury to either tranexamic acid (loading dose 1 g over 10 min then infusion of 1 g over 8 h) or matching placebo. Randomisation was balanced by centre, with an allocation sequence based on a block size of eight, generated with a computer random number generator. Both participants and study staff (site investigators and trial coordinating centre staff) were masked to treatment allocation. The primary outcome was death in hospital within 4 weeks of injury, and was described with the following categories: bleeding, vascular occlusion (myocardial infarction, stroke and pulmonary embolism), multiorgan failure, head injury, and other. All analyses were by intention to treat. This study is registered as ISRCTN86750102, Clinicaltrials.gov NCT00375258, and South African Clinical Trial Register DOH-27-0607-1919.

**Findings** 10096 patients were allocated to tranexamic acid and 10115 to placebo, of whom 10060 and 10067, respectively, were analysed. All-cause mortality was significantly reduced with tranexamic acid (1463 [14.5%] tranexamic acid group vs 1613 [16.0%] placebo group; relative risk 0.91, 95% CI 0.85–0.97;  $p=0.0035$ ). The risk of death due to bleeding was significantly reduced (489 [4.9%] vs 574 [5.7%]; relative risk 0.85, 95% CI 0.76–0.96;  $p=0.0077$ ).

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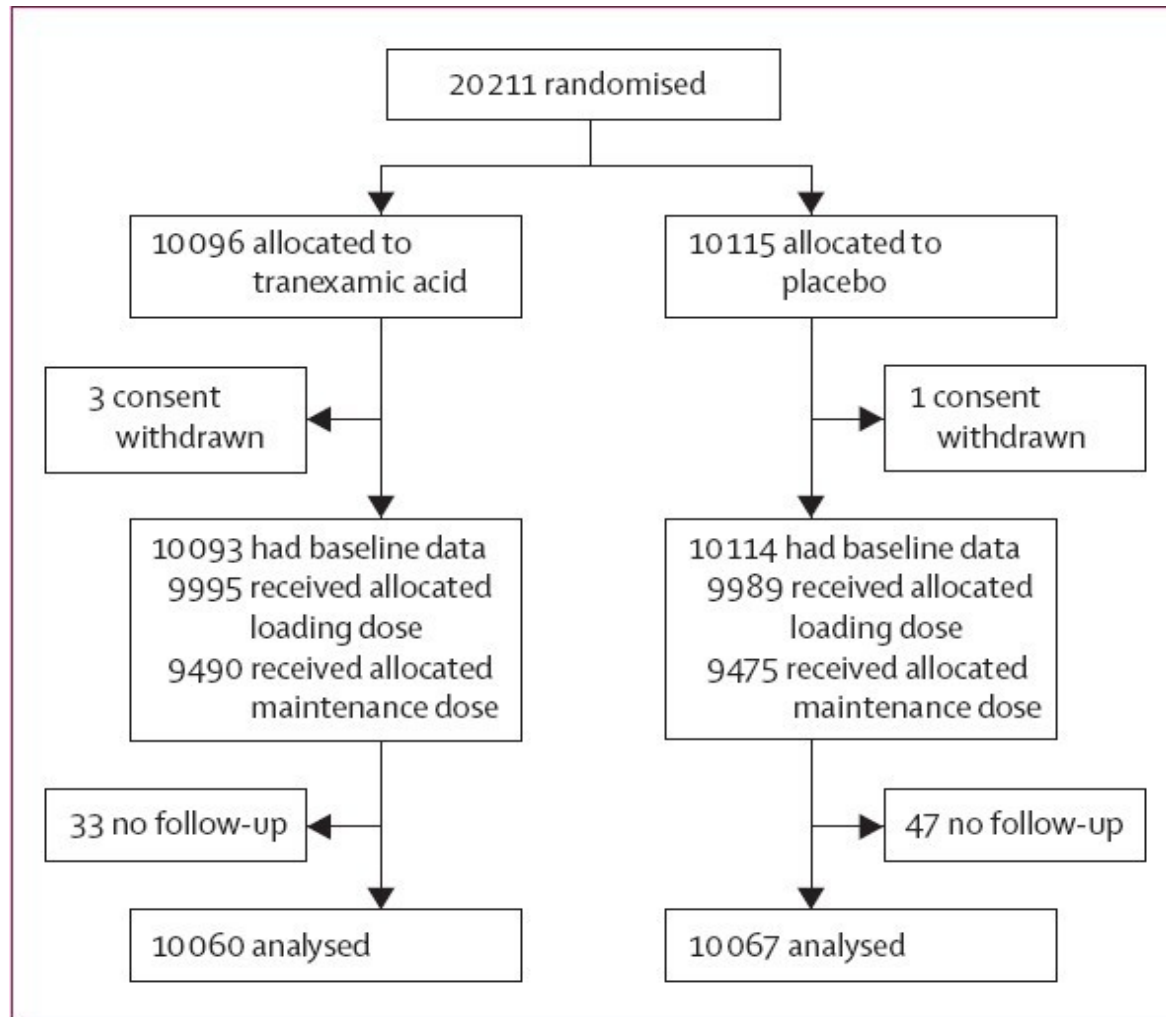
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- Hasta: Sistolik kan basıncı <90 mmHg veya kalp hızı >110 atım/dk'nın üstünde olan yetişkin travma hastaları (İlk sekiz saatte)
- Uygulama: 1 gr tranexamik asit 10 dakikada, 1 gr sekiz saatlik infüzyon
- Karşılaştırma: Plasebo
- Sonuç: İlk bir ayda hastane içi ölüm





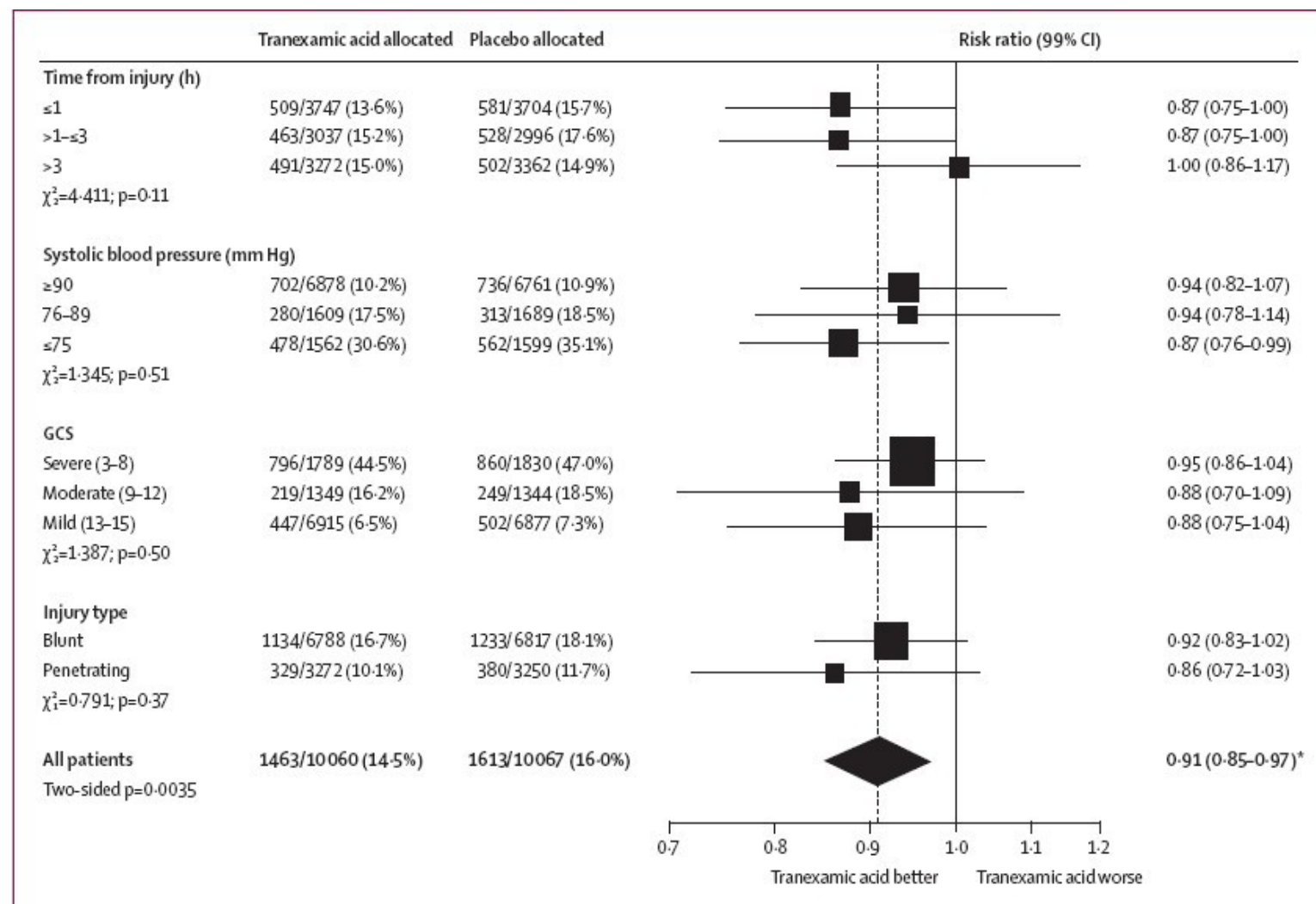
	Tranexamic acid (n=10 093)	Placebo (n=10 114)
Sex		
Men	8439 (83.6%)	8496 (84.0%)
Women	1654 (16.4%)	1617 (16.0%)
Not known	0	1 (0.01%)
Age (years)		
Mean (SD)	34.6 (14.1)	34.5 (14.4)
<25*	2783 (27.6%)	2855 (28.2%)
25-34	3012 (29.8%)	3081 (30.5%)
35-44	1975 (19.6%)	1841 (18.2%)
>44	2321 (23.0%)	2335 (23.1%)
Not known	2 (0.02%)	2 (0.02%)
Time since injury (h)		
Mean (SD)	2.8 (2.2)	2.9 (2.6)
≤1	3756 (37.2%)	3722 (36.8%)
>1-≤3	3045 (30.2%)	3006 (29.7%)
>3†	3287 (32.6%)	3380 (33.4%)
Not known	5 (0.05%)	6 (0.06%)
Type of injury		
Blunt‡	6812 (67.5%)	6843 (67.7%)
Penetrating	3281 (32.5%)	3271 (32.3%)
Systolic blood pressure (mm Hg)		
≤75	1566 (15.5%)	1608 (15.9%)
76-89	1615 (16.0%)	1697 (16.8%)
≥90	6901 (68.4%)	6791 (67.1%)
Not known	11 (0.11%)	18 (0.18%)
Respiratory rate (per min)		
<10	160 (1.6%)	149 (1.5%)
10-29	8355 (82.8%)	8436 (83.4%)
>29	1491 (14.8%)	1429 (14.1%)
Not known	87 (0.86%)	100 (0.99%)
Central capillary refill time (s)		
≤2	3432 (34.0%)	3406 (33.7%)
3-4	4665 (46.2%)	4722 (46.7%)
>4	1699 (16.8%)	1672 (16.5%)
Not known	297 (2.9%)	314 (3.1%)
Heart rate (beats per min)		
<77	875 (8.7%)	871 (8.6%)
77-91	1727 (17.1%)	1770 (17.5%)
92-107	2556 (25.3%)	2546 (25.2%)
>107	4872 (48.3%)	4853 (48.0%)

	Tranexamic acid (n=10 060)	Placebo (n=10 067)	RR (95% CI)	p value (two-sided)
Any cause of death	1463 (14.5%)	1613 (16.0%)	0.91 (0.85-0.97)	0.0035
Bleeding	489 (4.9%)	574 (5.7%)	0.85 (0.76-0.96)	0.0077
Vascular occlusion*	33 (0.3%)	48 (0.5%)	0.69 (0.44-1.07)	0.096
Multiorgan failure	209 (2.1%)	233 (2.3%)	0.90 (0.75-1.08)	0.25
Head injury	603 (6.0%)	621 (6.2%)	0.97 (0.87-1.08)	0.60
Other causes	129 (1.3%)	137 (1.4%)	0.94 (0.74-1.20)	0.63

Data are number (%), unless otherwise indicated. RR=relative risk. \*Includes myocardial infarction, stroke, and pulmonary embolism.

**Table 2: Death by cause**

	Tranexamic acid (n=10 060)	Placebo (n=10 067)	RR (95% CI)	p value
<b>Vascular occlusive events*</b>				
Any vascular occlusive event	168 (1.7%)	201 (2.0%)	0.84 (0.68–1.02)	0.084
Myocardial infarction	35 (0.3%)	55 (0.5%)	0.64 (0.42–0.97)	0.035
Stroke	57 (0.6%)	66 (0.7%)	0.86 (0.61–1.23)	0.42
Pulmonary embolism	72 (0.7%)	71 (0.7%)	1.01 (0.73–1.41)	0.93
Deep vein thrombosis	40 (0.4%)	41 (0.4%)	0.98 (0.63–1.51)	0.91
<b>Need for transfusion and surgery</b>				
Blood product transfused	5067 (50.4%)	5160 (51.3%)	0.98 (0.96–1.01)	0.21
Any surgery	4814 (47.9%)	4836 (48.0%)	1.00 (0.97–1.03)	0.79
Neurosurgery	1040 (10.3%)	1059 (10.5%)	0.98 (0.91–1.07)	0.67
Chest surgery	1518 (15.1%)	1525 (15.1%)	1.00 (0.93–1.06)	0.91
Abdominal surgery	2487 (24.7%)	2555 (25.4%)	0.97 (0.93–1.02)	0.28
Pelvic surgery	683 (6.8%)	648 (6.4%)	1.05 (0.95–1.17)	0.31
Median (IQR) units of blood product transfused†	3 (2–6)	3 (2–6)	..	0.59‡
<b>Dependency</b>				
No symptoms	1483 (14.7%)	1334 (13.3%)	1.11 (1.04–1.19)	0.0023
Minor symptoms	3054 (30.4%)	3061 (30.4%)	1.00 (0.96–1.04)	0.94
Some restriction	2016 (20.0%)	2069 (20.6%)	0.97 (0.92–1.03)	0.36
Dependent (not requiring constant attention)	1294 (12.9%)	1273 (12.6%)	1.02 (0.95–1.09)	0.63
Fully dependent	696 (6.9%)	676 (6.7%)	1.03 (0.93–1.14)	0.57
Alive (disability status not known)	54 (0.5%)	41 (0.4%)	..	..
Dead	1463 (14.5%)	1613 (16.0%)	0.91 (0.85–0.97)	0.0035
Data are number (%), unless otherwise indicated. Counts are for numbers of patients with at least one such event. RR=relative risk. *Includes both fatal and non-fatal events. †Transfused patients only. ‡Analysis used logarithmic transformation of mean units of blood products transfused.				
<b>Table 3: Vascular occlusive events, need for transfusion and surgery, and level of dependency</b>				







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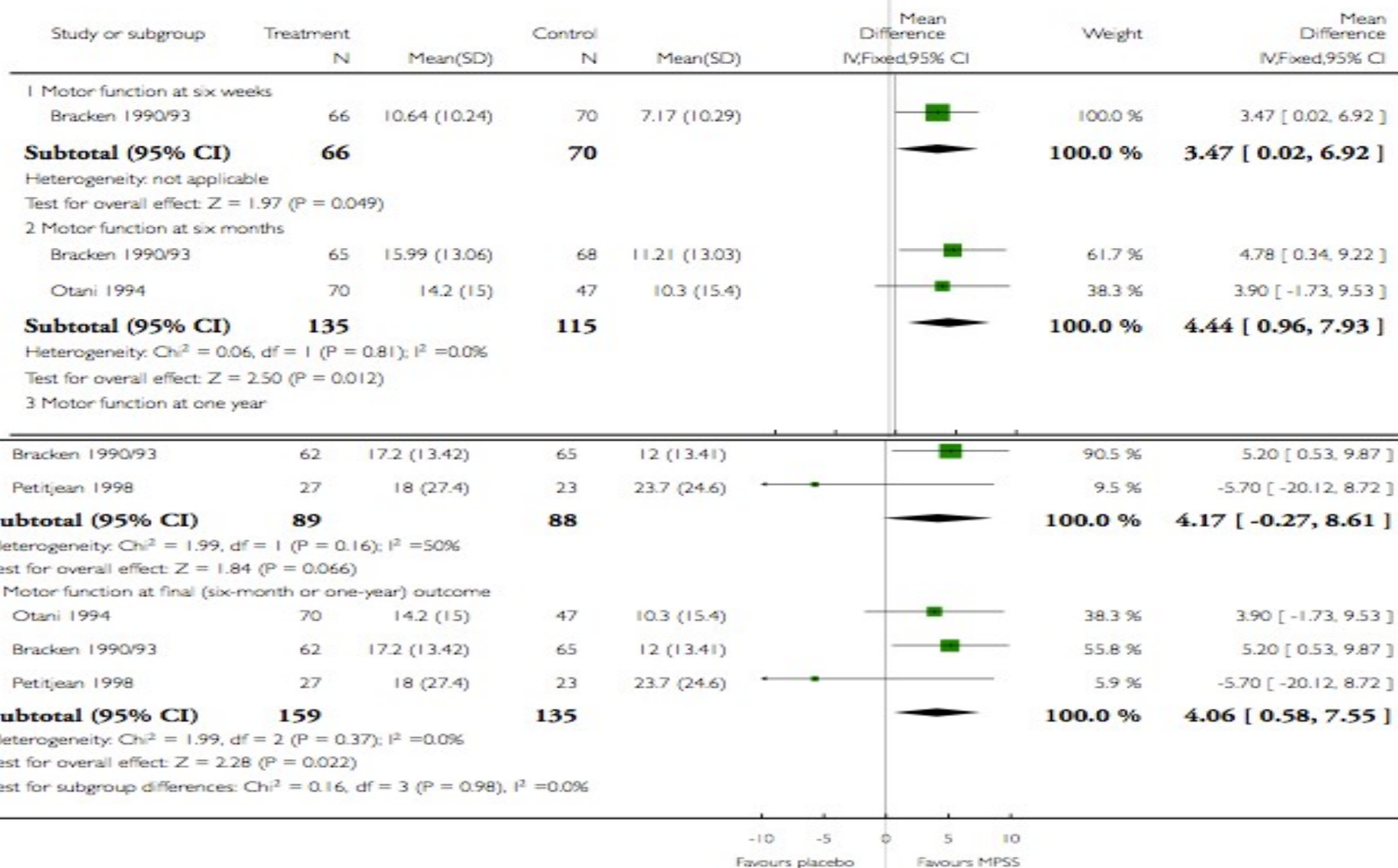


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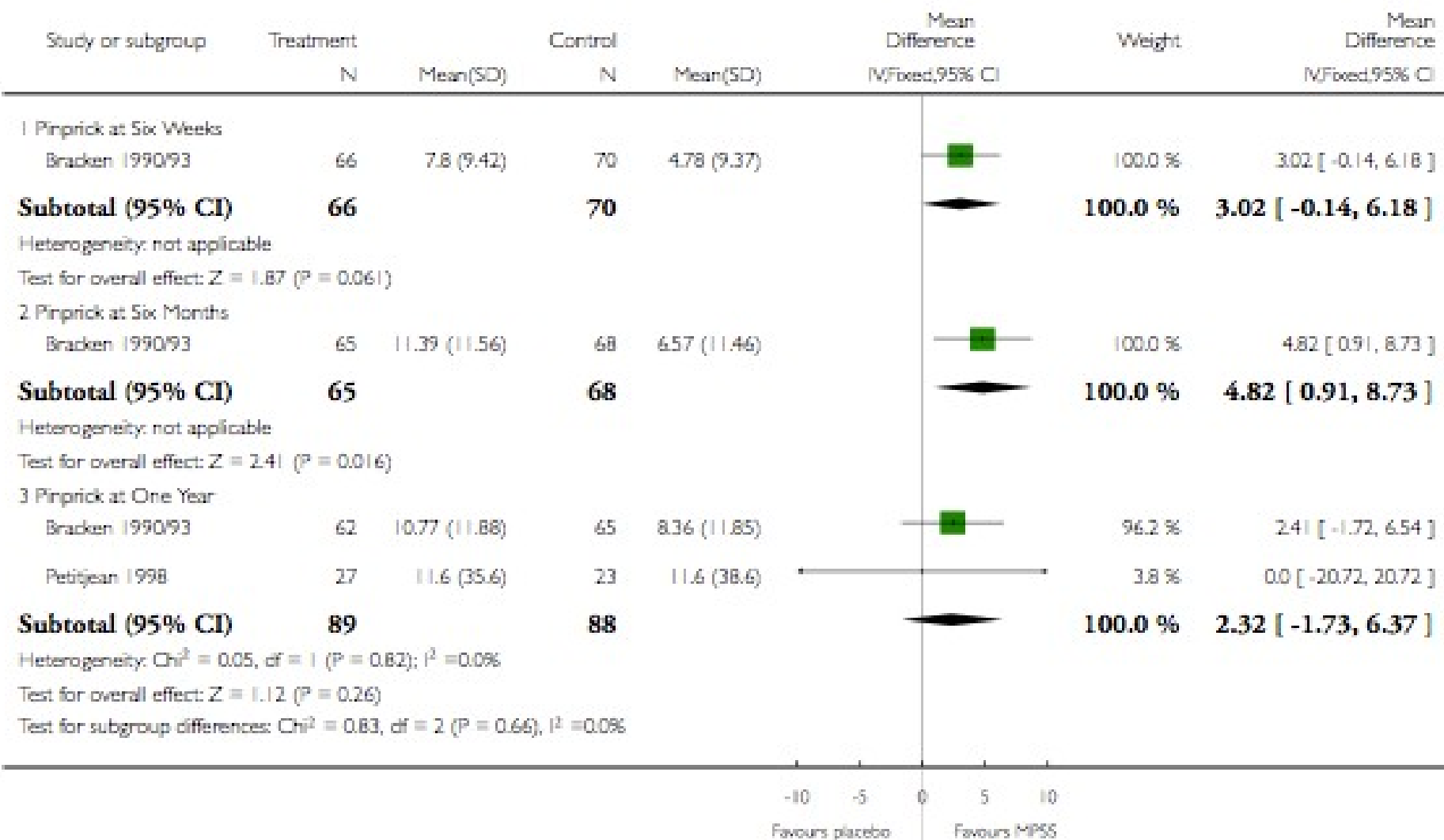


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Review: Steroids for acute spinal cord injury

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Outcome: 4 Pinprick sensation at six weeks, six months and one year: <8 hours to treatment



# Methylprednisolone or naloxone treatment after acute spinal cord injury: 1-year follow-up data

## Results of the second National Acute Spinal Cord Injury Study

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TABLE 4

*Neurological scores in the emergency room for patients who received the study drug within 8 hours of injury\**

Neurological Score	Treatment Group			p Value
	Methylpred-nisolone	Naloxone	Placebo	
expanded motor cases studied	71	64	73	
mean score	21.1 ± 15.7	23.4 ± 17.9	23.8 ± 20.9	0.64
expanded pinprick cases studied	71	64	73	
mean score	51.3 ± 16.8	52.8 ± 17.6	52.6 ± 17.6	0.86
expanded touch cases studied	70	62	72	
mean score	53.3 ± 18.4	54.7 ± 18.1	55.0 ± 19.0	0.84

\* Expanded motor score ranges from 0 (no contraction in any muscle) to 70 (all normal responses); expanded sensory scores range from 29 (absent sensation at all levels) to 87 (all levels normal). Mean values are expressed ± standard deviation.

TABLE 5

*Change in neurological function scores 1 year after injury in patients who received the study drug within 8 hours of injury\**

Neurological Function	Treatment Group		
	Methylpred-nisolone	Naloxone	Placebo
plegic with total sensory loss			
cases studied	45	34	43
motor	11.1 (0.019)	8.1 (0.235)	4.6
pinprick	8.0 (0.268)	5.4 (0.917)	5.1
touch	8.9 (0.203)	7.4 (0.498)	5.5
plegic with partial sensory loss			
cases studied	5	11	6
motor	25.8 (0.481)	31.1 (0.971)	31.3
pinprick	13.6 (0.764)	15.0 (0.894)	15.8
touch	6.4 (0.556)	14.1 (0.610)	10.8
paretic with variable sensory loss			
cases studied	12	11	16
motor	24.2 (0.024)	14.6 (0.738)	12.9
pinprick	14.5 (0.264)	9.3 (0.996)	9.2
touch	9.2 (0.204)	5.8 (0.576)	3.0

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## Decompressive Craniectomy in Diffuse Traumatic Brain Injury

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### ABSTRACT

#### BACKGROUND

It is unclear whether decompressive craniectomy improves the functional outcome in patients with severe traumatic brain injury and refractory raised intracranial pressure.

#### METHODS

From December 2002 through April 2010, we randomly assigned 155 adults with severe diffuse traumatic brain injury and intracranial hypertension that was refractory to first-tier therapies to undergo either bifrontotemporoparietal decompressive craniectomy or standard care. The original primary outcome was an unfavorable

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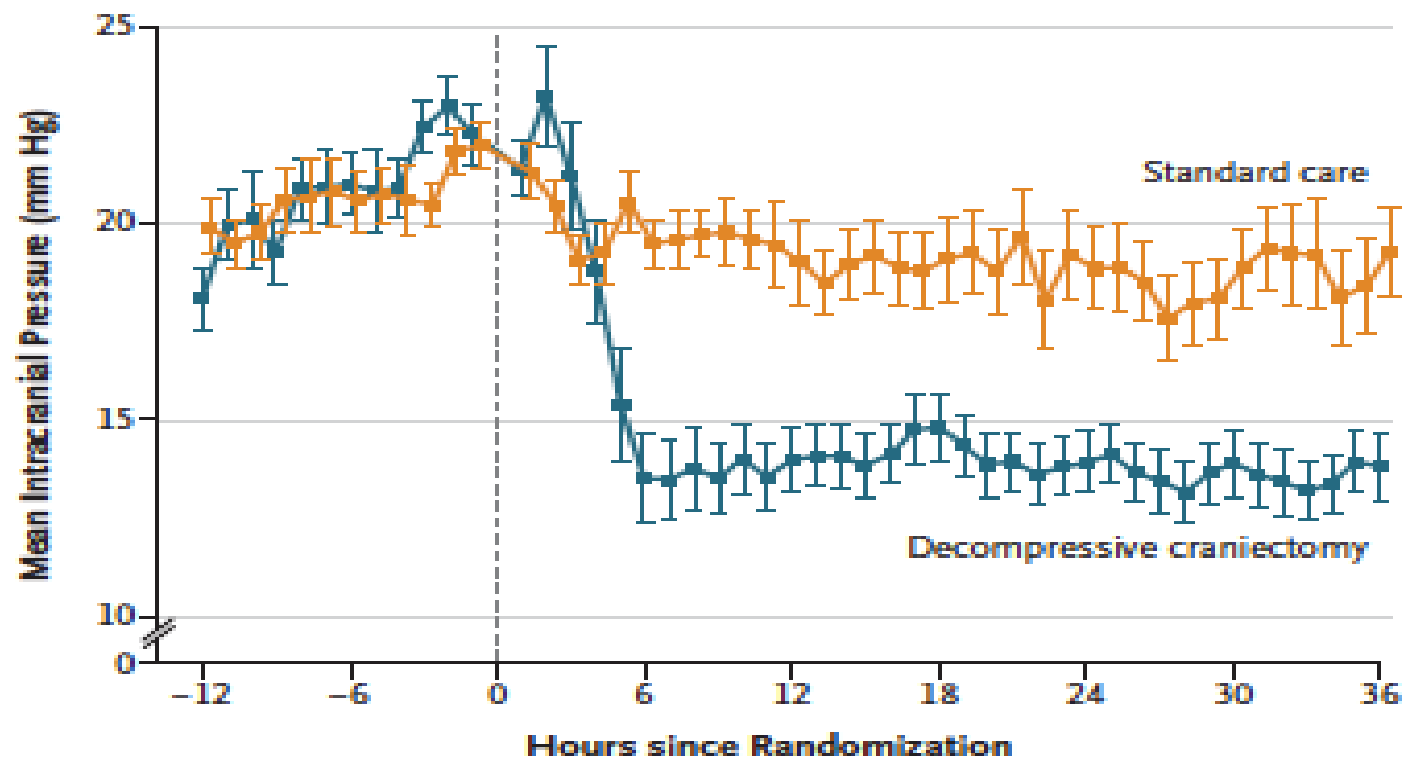
- Hasta: 15-59 yaş arası ciddi non-penetrant kafa travması olan hastalar, GKS: 3-8
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- Uygulama: Dekompresyon cerrahisi + standart bakım
- Karşılaştırma: Standart bakım
- Sonuç: Altı ay sonra ölüm, vejetatif durum, ciddi nörolojik sekel (Extended Glasgow Outcome Scale: 1-4).

**Table 1. Baseline Characteristics of the Patients.\***

Characteristic	Decompressive Craniectomy (N=73)	Standard Care (N=82)	P Value†
Age — yr			0.89
Median	23.7	24.6	
Interquartile range	19.4–29.6	18.5–34.9	
Male sex — no. (%)	59 (81)	61 (74)	0.44
Systolic blood pressure — mm Hg	135.4±32.0	135.7±27.6	0.95
Glasgow Coma Scale			
Overall score‡			0.31
Median	5	6	
Interquartile range	3–7	4–7	
Motor score§			0.49
Median	3	3	
Interquartile range	1–4	1–5	
Maximum score for head injury on Abbreviated Injury Scale — no. (%)¶			0.52
3 or 4	35 (48)	44 (54)	
5	38 (52)	38 (46)	
Injury Severity Score			0.88
Median	33	32	
Interquartile range	25–38	24–41	
Trauma Score–Injury Severity Score **			0.46
Median	0.74	0.72	
Interquartile range	0.42–0.88	0.51–0.90	
Reactivity of pupils — no./total no. (%)			0.04
Neither pupil	19/71 (27)	10/80 (12)	
One or both pupils	52/71 (73)	70/80 (88)	
Hypotension — no. (%)	24 (33)	25 (30)	0.93
Hypoxemia — no. (%)	18 (25)	24 (29)	0.55
Traumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage — no. (%)	42 (58)	48 (59)	0.90
Cause of injury — no./total no. (%)			0.72
Motor-vehicle or motorcycle accident	45/70 (64)	55/81 (68)	
Bicycle accident	4/70 (6)	2/81 (2)	
Pedestrian accident	5/70 (7)	4/81 (5)	

**Table 1. (Continued.)**

<b>Characteristic</b>	<b>Decompressive Craniectomy (N=73)</b>	<b>Standard Care (N=82)</b>	<b>P Value<sup>†</sup></b>
Time from injury to hospital — hr			0.90
Median	1.0	1.2	
Interquartile range	0.8–1.8	0.7–1.9	
Time from injury to randomization — hr			0.60
Median	35.2	34.8	
Interquartile range	23.3–52.8	25.8–45.4	
Marshall class — no. (%) <sup>‡‡</sup>			0.39
Diffuse injury II	17 (23)	27 (33)	
Diffuse injury III or IV	53 (73)	53 (65)	
Nonevacuated mass lesion (VI)	3 (4)	2 (2)	



**Figure 1.** Intracranial Pressure before and after Randomization.

Shown are the mean measurements of intracranial pressure in the two study groups during the 12 hours before and the 36 hours after randomization. The I bars indicate standard errors.

**Table 2. Primary and Secondary Outcomes.\***

Outcome	Decompressive Craniectomy (N=73)	Standard Care (N=82)	P Value†
Intracranial pressure and cerebral perfusion pressure			
Intracranial pressure after randomization — mm Hg	14.4±6.8	19.1±8.9	<0.001
No. of hr of intracranial pressure >20 mm Hg — median (IQR)	9.2 (4.4–27.0)	30.0 (14.9–60.0)	<0.001
Intracranial hypertension index — median (IQR)‡	11.5 (5.9–20.3)	19.9 (12.5–37.8)	<0.001
Cerebral hypoperfusion index — median (IQR)§	5.7 (2.5–10.2)	8.6 (4.0–13.8)	0.03
Duration of hospital intervention			
Days of mechanical ventilation — median (IQR)	11 (8–15)	15 (12–20)	<0.001
Days of ICU stay — median (IQR)	13 (10–18)	18 (13–24)	<0.001
Days of hospitalization — median (IQR)	28 (21–62)	37 (24–44)	0.82
Extended Glasgow Outcome Scale			
Score — no. (%)			
1 (dead)	14 (19)	15 (18)	
2 (vegetative state)	9 (12)	2 (2)	
3 (lower severe disability)	18 (25)	17 (21)	
4 (upper severe disability)	10 (14)	8 (10)	
5 (lower moderate disability)	13 (18)	20 (24)	
6 (upper moderate disability)	6 (8)	13 (16)	
7 (lower good recovery)	2 (3)	4 (5)	
8 (upper good recovery)	1 (1)	3 (4)	
Median score (IQR)	3 (2–5)	4 (3–5)	0.03
Unfavorable score of 1 to 4 — no. (%)	51 (70)	42 (51)	0.02



# Utility of routine follow-up head CT scanning after mild traumatic brain injury: a systematic review of the literature

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## ABSTRACT

**Objective** To evaluate the efficacy of routine follow-up CT scans of the head after complicated mild traumatic brain injury (TBI).

**Methods** 74 English language studies published from 1999 to February 2011 were reviewed. The papers were found by searching the PubMed database using a combination of keywords according to Cochrane guidelines. Excluding studies with missing or inappropriate data, 1630 patients in 19 studies met the inclusion criteria: complicated mild TBI, defined as a GCS score 13–15 with abnormal initial CT findings and the presence of follow-up CT scans. For these studies, the progression and type of intracranial haemorrhage, time

CT scan of the head in patients with risk factors<sup>4 5</sup> and follow-up CT scans for patients with complicated mild TBI are the standard of care in many US hospitals. However, studies of one million emergency department visits for mild TBI found that neurosurgical intervention was required in only 0.13–0.3% of these patients.<sup>4 6–9</sup> The National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence (NICE) guidelines on head injury estimate the number of neurosurgical interventions in the UK at between 0.5% and 0.7%. The guidelines also state that only 1–3% of patients admitted in the UK for head injury will go on to require neurosurgery.<sup>10</sup> Over the past several years, evidence has suggested that the

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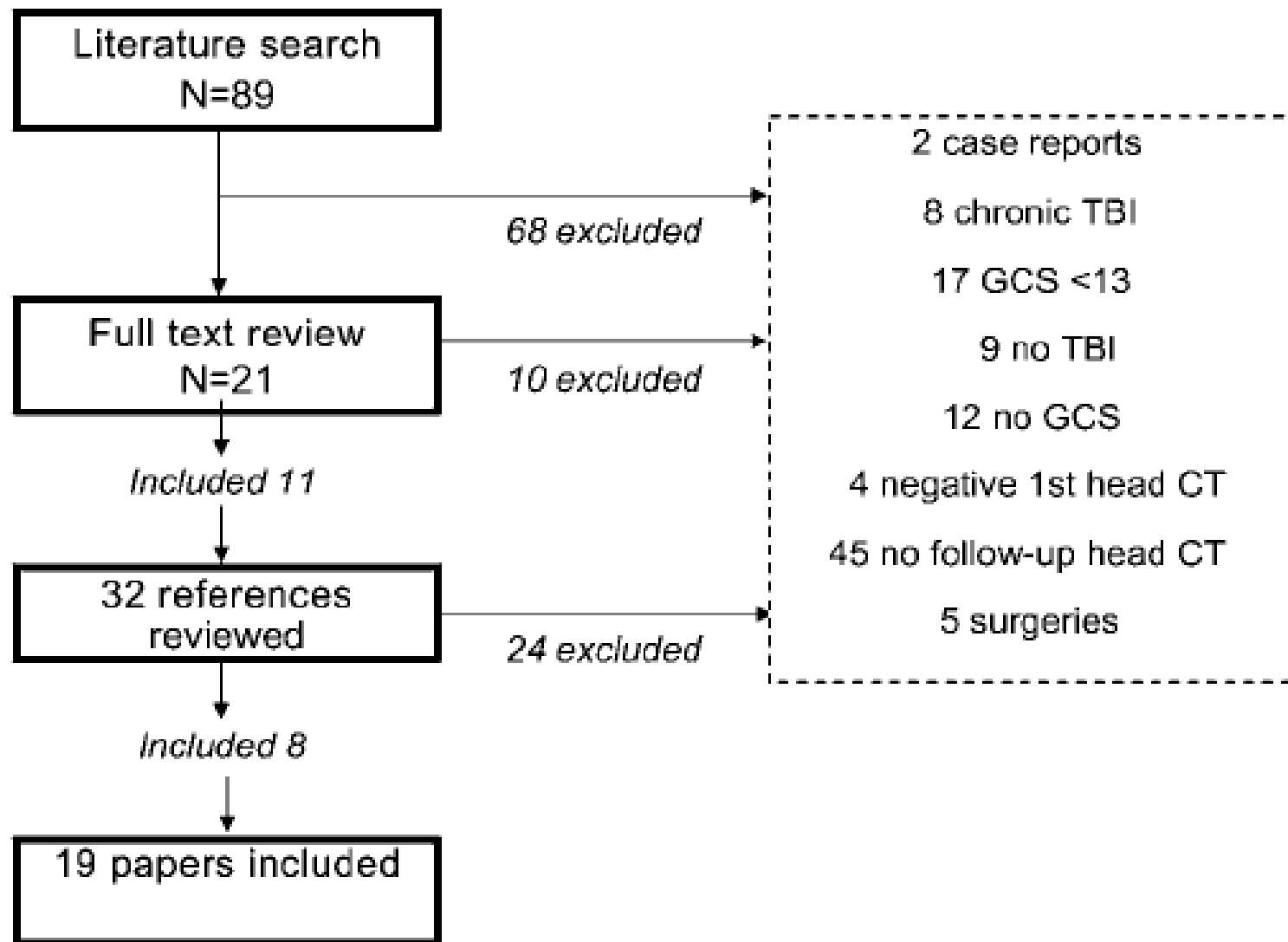
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**Figure 1** Study design. GCS, Glasgow Coma Scale; TBI, traumatic brain injury.

**Table 1** Overview of included papers

Author	Year	N	Follow-up head CT scan worse	Operating room	Level of evidence
Borovich <sup>18</sup>	1985	2	2	2	C4
Knuckey <sup>19</sup>	1989	18	4	4	C4
Mertol <sup>20</sup>	1991	1	1	0	C4
Chen <sup>21</sup>	1993	12	4	0	C4
Nagy <sup>6</sup>	1999	39	0	0	C4
Brown <sup>22</sup>	2004	26	1	1	C4
Sifri <sup>23</sup>	2004	202	31	2	C4
Chieregato <sup>24</sup>	2004	84	41	0	C4
Fainardi <sup>25</sup>	2004	141	30	0	C4
Huynh <sup>13</sup>	2006	56	4	0	C4
Sifri <sup>12</sup>	2006	130	26	2	C4
Velmahos <sup>11</sup>	2006	179	37	2	C4
Brown <sup>26</sup>	2007	142	27	5	C4
Hollingworth <sup>27</sup>	2007	257	53	3	C4
Karasu <sup>28</sup>	2008	16	4	4	C4
Roka <sup>16</sup>	2008	32	3	2	C4
Turedi <sup>29</sup>	2008	41	0	0	C4
Bee <sup>30</sup>	2009	207	54	12	C4
Alahmadi <sup>31</sup>	2010	45	2	2	C4
		1630 (100%)	324 (19.9%)	39 (2.4%)	

- %2.4 (n=39) hastanın %61.5'uğu (n=24) kontrol BT'den önce nörolojik olarak kötüleşmişler.
- %28'inde (n=11) ise nörolojik olarak değişiklik olmamış.
- 11/1574 (%0.7).

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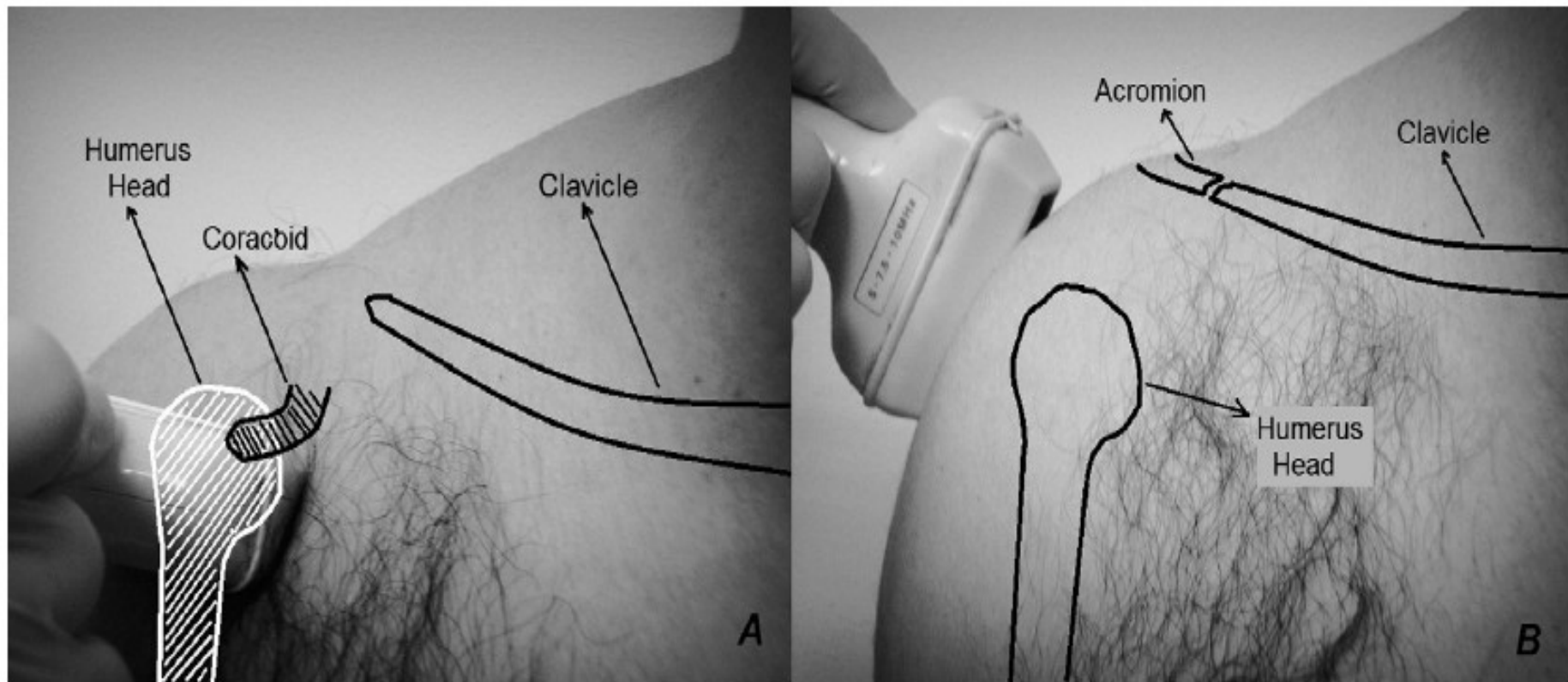
# Diagnostic Accuracy of Ultrasonographic Examination in the Management of Shoulder Dislocation in the Emergency Department

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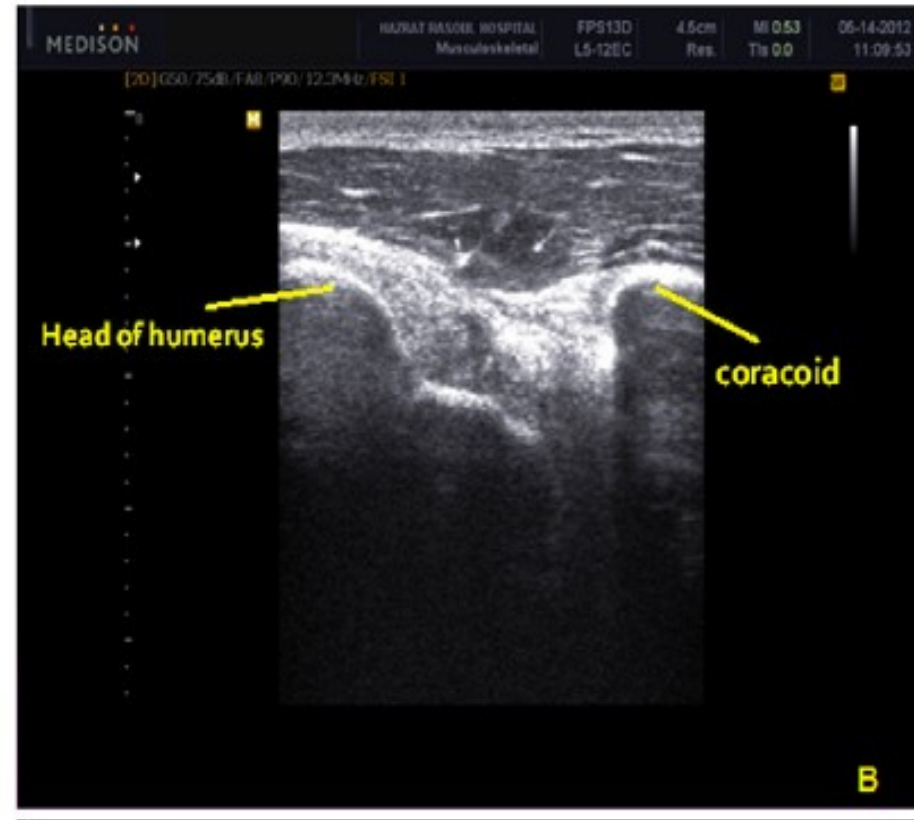
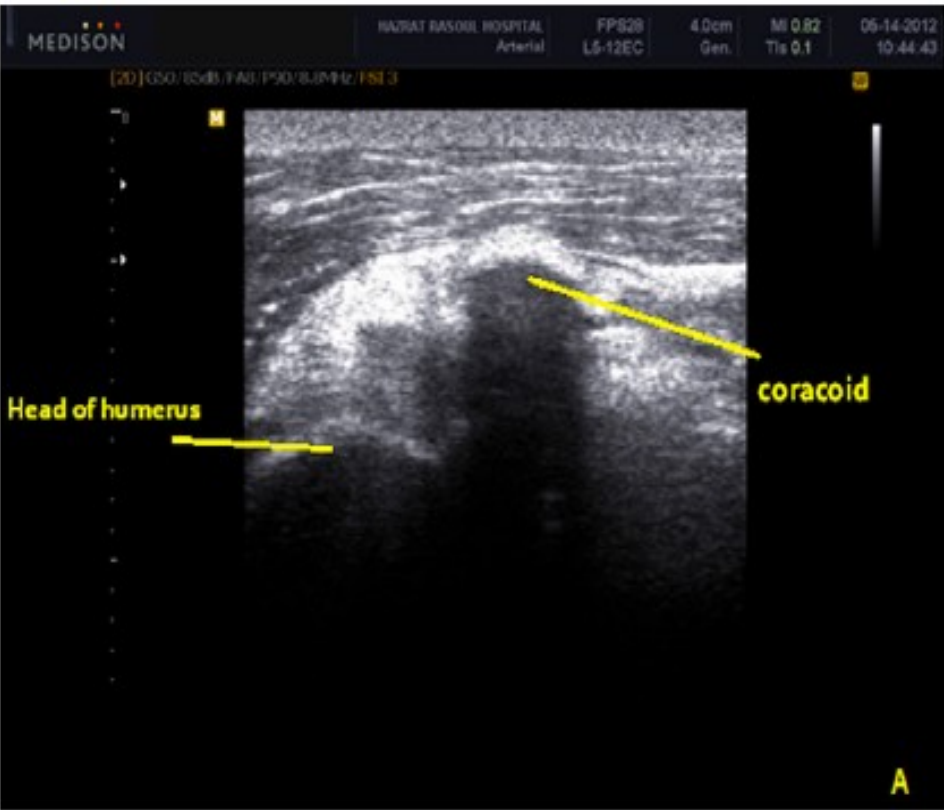
**Study objective:** Emergency physicians frequently encounter shoulder dislocation in their practice. The objective of this study is to assess the diagnostic accuracy of ultrasonography in detecting shoulder dislocation and confirming proper reduction in patients presenting to the emergency department (ED) with possible shoulder dislocation. We hypothesize that ultrasonography could be a reliable alternative for pre- and postradiographic evaluation of shoulder dislocation.

**Methods:** This was a prospective observational study. A convenience sample of patients suspected of having shoulder dislocation was enrolled in the study. Ultrasonography was performed before and after reduction procedure with a 7.5- to 10-MHz linear transducer. Shoulder dislocation was confirmed by taking radiographs in 3 routine views as a criterion standard. The operating characteristics of ultrasonography to detect dislocation in patients with possible shoulder dislocation and to confirm reduction in patients with definitive dislocation were calculated as the primary endpoints.

**Results:** Seventy-three patients were enrolled. The ultrasonography did not miss any dislocation. The results of ultrasonography and radiography were identical and the sensitivity of ultrasonography in detection of shoulder dislocation was 100% (95% confidence interval 93.4% to 100%). The sensitivity of ultrasonography for assessment of complete reduction of the shoulder joint reached 100% (95% confidence interval 93.2% to 100%) in our study as well.



**Figure 1.** Probe placement and orientation. *A*, Anterior approach; the probe was placed transversely directly over the coracoid process. *B*, Lateral approach; the probe was placed longitudinally just below the acromion.



A. Disloke omuz B. Postredüksüyon dönem

**Table 2.** Performance of ultrasonography (test) for identifying shoulder dislocation in 73 patients and confirmation of shoulder reduction in 69 patients.

Ultrasonographic Findings	Shoulder Dislocation Detection			Shoulder Reduction Confirmation		
	Radiographic Results			Radiographic Results		
	Positive	Negative	Total	Positive	Negative	Total
Positive	69	0	69	67	0	67
Negative	0	4	4	0	2	2
<b>Total</b>	69	4	73	67	2	69

- 11 hastada kırık varmış ve USG tüm kırıkları tanıdığı.



**Alrajhi K, Woo MY, Vaillancourt C. Test characteristics of ultrasonography for the detection of pneumothorax: a systematic review and analysis. *Chest*. 2012;141:703-708.**

Test	Studies/ Patients	Sensitivity (95% CI), %	Specificity (95% CI), %	Positive Likelihood Ratio	Negative Likelihood Ratio
Ultrasonography	8/1,048	90.9 (86.5–93.9)	98.2 (97.0–99.0)	50.5	0.09
Supine/semierect radiography	7/864	50.2 (43.5–57.0)	99.4 (98.3–99.8)	83.7	0.50

# Management of Minor Head Injury in Patients Receiving Oral Anticoagulant Therapy: A Prospective Study of a 24-Hour Observation Protocol

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**Study objective:** Patients receiving warfarin who experience minor head injury are at risk of intracranial hemorrhage, and optimal management after a single head computed tomography (CT) scan is unclear. We evaluate a protocol of 24-hour observation followed by a second head CT scan.

**Methods:** In this prospective case series, we enrolled consecutive patients receiving warfarin and showing no intracranial lesions on a first CT scan after minor head injury treated at a Level II trauma center. We implemented a structured clinical pathway, including 24-hour observation and a CT scan performed before discharge. We then evaluated the frequency of death, admission, neurosurgery, and delayed intracranial hemorrhage.

**Results:** We enrolled and observed 97 consecutive patients. Ten refused the second CT scan and were well during 30-day follow-up. Repeated CT scanning in the remaining 87 patients revealed a new hemorrhage lesion in 5 (6%), with 3 subsequently hospitalized and 1 receiving craniotomy. Two patients discharged after completing the study protocol with 2 negative CT scan results were admitted 2 and 8 days later with symptomatic subdural hematomas; neither received surgery. Two of the 5 patients with delayed bleeding at 24 hours had an initial international normalized ratio greater than 3.0, as did both patients with delayed bleeding beyond 24 hours. The relative risk of delayed hemorrhage with an initial international normalized ratio greater than 3.0 was 14 (95% confidence interval 4 to 49).

**Conclusion:** For patients receiving warfarin who experience minor head injury and have a negative initial head CT scan result, a protocol of 24-hour observation followed by a second CT scan will identify most occurrences of delayed bleeding. An initial international normalized ratio greater than 3 suggests higher risk. [Ann Emerg Med. 2012;59:451-455.]

- Soru: Warfarin kullanan hastalarda 24 saat sonra çekilen kontrol BT gecikmiş kanamaları açığa çıkarır mı?
- Çalışmaya dahil etme kriterleri: 14 yaş ve üstü olmak, GKS 14-15, travma süresi son 48 saat, en az bir haftadır warfarin kullanıyor olmak, Injury Severity Score'ın 15'in altında olması
- Dışlama kriterleri: ilk BT'de intrakranyal lezyon olması,

January 2007-March 2010:  
4992 patients suffering from head injury

156 (3%) moderate head injury

234 (5%) severe head injury

4602(92%) MHI patients

116 MHI patients on anticoagulation

97 first CT-scan  
negative

19 (16%) first CT-scan  
positive

Hospital admission

EDOU observation  
(24h)

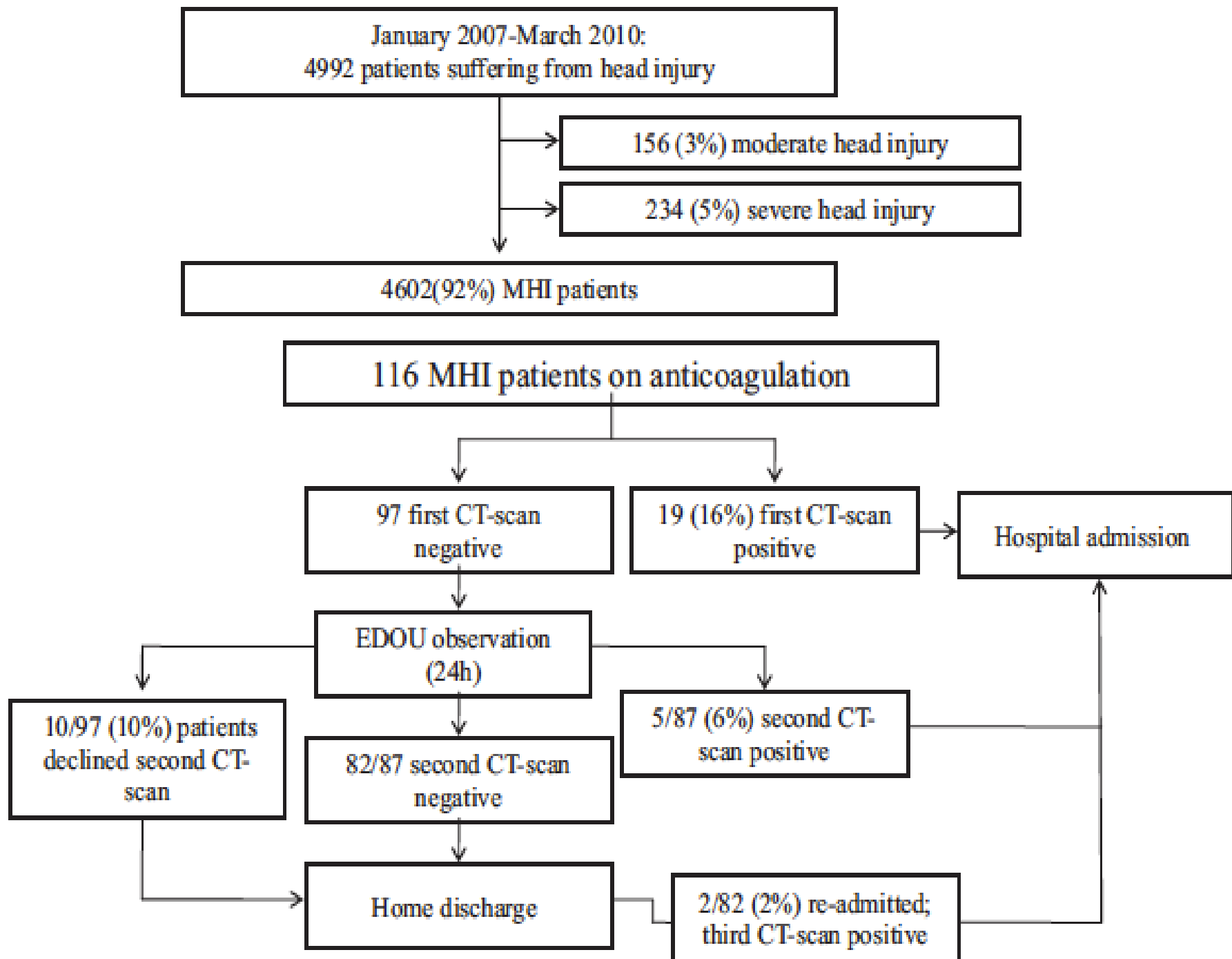
10/97 (10%) patients  
declined second CT-  
scan

5/87 (6%) second CT-  
scan positive

82/87 second CT-scan  
negative

Home discharge

2/82 (2%) re-admitted;  
third CT-scan positive



**Table 2.** Characteristics of patients with minor head injury and clinically important CT scan abnormality on second or third CT scan.

Patient	Age, Years	Sex	Mechanism of Injury	Indication for Warfarin	INR	CT Scan	Admission Because of Head Trauma	Neurosurgery
1	68	Female	Accidental trauma	AF	3.8	IC	No*	No
2	78	Male	Accidental trauma	VRS	2.4	IC	Yes	Yes
3	87	Male	Accidental trauma	AF	3.1	SH	Yes <sup>†</sup>	No
4	77	Female	Syncope	AF	3.2	SH	Yes <sup>†</sup>	No
5	88	Male	Syncope	AF	1.4	IC	Yes	No
6	78	Male	Syncope	AF	2.1	IC	No*	No
7	87	Female	Accidental trauma	AF	3.3	IC	Yes	No

AF, Atrial fibrillation; IC, intracranial bleeding; VRS, valve replacement surgery; SH, subdural hematoma.

\*Minimal intracranial bleeding.

<sup>†</sup>These patients, discharged after 24 hours of observation with no evidence of intracranial lesions, were readmitted to the ED because of symptoms related to the head injury (see text).

**Table 3.** Characteristics of patients with minor head injury with or without clinically important CT scan abnormality on second or third CT scan.

Characteristics	Value (%)	
	Repeated CT Scan Result Negative (n=80)	Repeated CT Scan Result Positive (n=7)
Severe headache	3 (4)	1 (14)
Vomiting	3 (4)	1 (14)
Loss of consciousness	15 (19)	3 (43)
Posttraumatic amnesia	3 (4)	1 (14)
Physical evidence of trauma	68 (85)	6 (86)
Syncope	16 (20)	3 (43)
Subsequent neurologic deterioration	0	1 (14)
INR>3	4 (5)	4 (57)
Admission because of head trauma	0	5 (71)
Neurosurgery	0	1 (14)

# S100-B Protein as a Screening Tool for the Early Assessment of Minor Head Injury

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**Study objective:** A computed tomography (CT) scan has high sensitivity in detecting intracranial injury in patients with minor head injury but is costly, exposes patients to high radiation doses, and reveals clinically relevant lesions in less than 10% of cases. We evaluate S100-B protein measurement as a screening tool in a large population of patients with minor head injury.

**Methods:** We conducted a prospective observational study in the emergency department of a teaching hospital (Bordeaux, France). Patients with minor head injury (2,128) were consecutively included from December 2007 to February 2009. CT scans and plasma S100-B levels were compared for 1,560 patients. The main outcome was to evaluate the diagnostic value of the S100-B test, focusing on the negative predictive value and the negative likelihood ratio.

- Çalışma sorusu: S100-B protetini nörolojik yaralanmayı etkin biçimde gösterebilir mi?
- Çalışmaya alınma kriterleri: 15 yaş ve üstü olmak, son altı saatte kafa travması, GKS 13-15 arası olması ve aşağıdaki risk faktörlerinden birisinin olması:
  - Bilinç kaybı, post-travmatik amnezi, tekrarlayan kusma, ciddi baş ağrısı, dizines, vertigo, alkol overdozu, antikoagülan kullanımı, 65 yaş üstü olmak.
- Ciddi yaralanması ve non-travmatik nörolojik hasarı olanlar çalışmadan dışlanmış.



**Table 1.** Demographic and clinical characteristics of patients with minor head injury by CT scan findings and participant status.

Demographic and Clinical Characteristics	No. (%)			
	All, n=1,560	CT Scan Result Positive, n=111	CT Scan Result Negative, n=1,449	Excluded Patients, n= 568
Age, y, median (IQR)	57 (32–82)	59 (31–82)	57 (32–82)	56 (31–81)
<b>Sex</b>				
Male	870 (55.8)	72 (64.9)	798 (55.1)	317 (55.8)
<b>Trauma history</b>				
Traffic accident	221 (14.2)	15 (13.5)	206 (14.2)	71 (12.5)
Fall	594 (38.1)	41 (36.9)	553 (38.2)	206 (36.3)
Fall from height	75 (4.8)	11 (9.9)	64 (4.4)	20 (3.5)
Assault	161 (10.3)	5 (4.5)	156 (10.8)	75 (13.2)
Other or unknown	509 (32.6)	39 (35.1)	470 (32.4)	196 (34.5)
<b>Symptom</b>				
Loss of consciousness	627 (40.2)	62 (55.9)	565 (39.0)	204 (35.9)
Amnesia	552 (35.4)	61 (55.0)	491 (33.9)	158 (27.8)
Convulsion	26 (1.7)	2 (1.8)	24 (1.7)	10 (1.8)
Confusion	230 (14.7)	23 (20.7)	207 (14.3)	74 (13.0)
Headache	273 (17.5)	24 (21.6)	249 (17.2)	99 (17.4)
Vomiting	83 (5.3)	10 (9.0)	73 (5.0)	24 (4.2)
<b>Risk factors</b>				
Anticoagulation	390 (25.0)	78 (29.7)	357 (24.6)	105 (18.5)
Alcohol poisoning	374 (24.0)	28 (25.2)	346 (23.9)	104 (18.4)
Age >65 y	690 (44.2)	48 (43.2)	642 (44.3)	238 (41.9)
<b>GCS score</b>				
13	39 (2.5)	7 (6.3)	32 (2.2)	25 (4.4)
14	335 (21.5)	30 (27.0)	305 (21.0)	94 (16.5)
15	1186 (76.0)	74 (66.7)	1112 (76.7)	449 (79.0)
<b>S100-B protein (<math>\mu\text{g/l}</math>)</b>				
$\leq 0.12$	292 (18.7)	1 (0.9)	291 (20.1)	39 (21.7)
0.12–0.16	193 (12.4)	5 (4.5)	188 (13.0)	29 (16.1)
0.16–0.20	192 (12.3)	4 (3.6)	188 (13.0)	28 (15.6)
>0.20	883 (56.6)	101 (91.0)	782 (54.0)	84 (46.7)

**Table 4.** Basic demographic data of patients with a clinically important traumatic brain injury.

<b>Patients Whose MHI Became Complicated</b>	<b>Age, Years</b>	<b>Sex</b>	<b>Trauma History</b>	<b>S100-B, <math>\mu\text{g/L}</math></b>	<b>Traumatic Brain Injuries on CT</b>	<b>Type of Complication</b>
1	79	Male	Fall from own height	2.22	Subarachnoid hematoma Subdural hematoma	Death caused by MHI
2	60	Male	Fall from height	0.68	Cerebral contusion	Loss of 2 points in GCS score Sedation
3	63	Male	Fall from own height	1.15	Subarachnoid hematoma Subdural hematoma Epidural hematoma	Prolonged confusion Sudden death 3 weeks after discharge (patient also with cardiac problems)
4	70	Female	Fall from own height	1.24	Cerebral contusion Subarachnoid hematoma Subdural hematoma Skull cap fracture	Loss of 2 points in GCS score Sedation
5	69	Female	Traffic accident (pedestrian)	0.63	Cerebral contusion Subarachnoid hematoma Subdural hematoma	Loss of 2 points in GCS score Sedation Neurosurgery
6	46	Female	Fall from own height	0.93	Cerebral contusion Subarachnoid hematoma	Death caused by MHI
7	80	Male	Fall from own height	0.70	Subdural hematoma	Loss of 2 points in GCS score Neurosurgery
8	22	Male	Sport accident (rollerblades)	0.72	Skull base fracture Cerebral contusion Epidural hematoma	Loss of 2 points in GCS score
9	40	Male	Traffic accident (pedestrian)	0.46	Subdural hematoma	Death caused by MHI
10	22	Male	Assault	0.53	Subarachnoid hematoma Skull cap fracture Pneumocephalus	Sedation Neurosurgery
11	33	Male	Fall from height (roof)	0.77	Cerebral contusion Subarachnoid hematoma Subdural hematoma	Prolonged confusion
12	19	Male	Assault	0.14	Skull base fracture Cerebral contusion	Loss of 2 points in GCS score

**Table 5.** Accuracy and performance parameters of S100-B measurement.

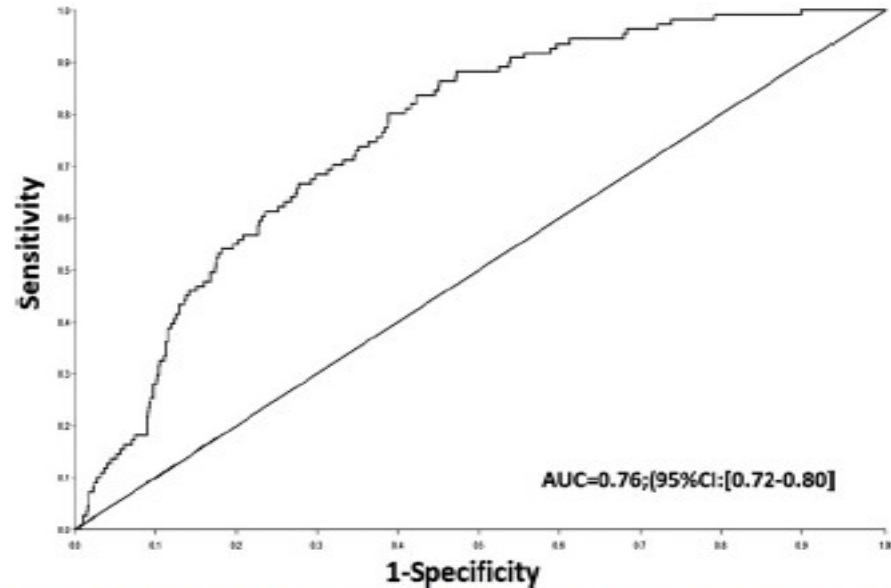
	Cutoff Value, $\mu\text{g/L}$		
	0.10	0.12	0.14
Sensitivity	99.1 (95.0–100)*	99.1 (95.0–100)	97.3 (92.3–99.4)
Specificity	12.2 (10.6–14.0)	19.7 (17.7–21.9)	26.8 (24.5–29.1)
Negative predictive value	99.4 (96.9–100)	99.7 (98.1–100)	99.2 (97.8–99.8)
Positive predictive value	8 (6.6–9.5)	8.6 (7.1–10.3)	9.2 (7.6–11.0)
LR+	1.13 (1.10–1.16)	1.24 (1.20–1.28)	1.33 (1.27–1.39)
LR–	0.07 (0.01–0.50)	0.04 (0.006–0.32)	0.06 (0.03–0.31)
No. of false-negative results	1	1	3
No. with clinically important traumatic brain injury among false negative results	0	0	0
CT scan potentially avoided, % <sup>†</sup>	12	19	25

LR+, Positive likelihood ratio; LR–, negative likelihood ratio.

\*Numbers in parentheses are 95% CI.

<sup>†</sup>CT scan potentially avoided—number of patients with an S100-B measurement below the cutoff divided by the total number of samples.

**Figure 2.** Negative predictive value versus proportion of positive CT scan results (prevalence).



**Figure 3.** Receiver operating characteristic curve of S100-B measurement for discrimination between positive and negative CT scan results.



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## ORIGINAL RESEARCH CONTRIBUTION

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# The Effect of Ketamine on Intraocular Pressure in Pediatric Patients During Procedural Sedation

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### Abstract

**Objectives:** Ketamine is one of the most commonly used procedural sedation and analgesia (PSA) agents in pediatric emergency departments (PEDs). It is considered a very safe and reliable agent, with limited respiratory suppression, hemodynamic effects, and adverse outcomes. However, physicians are often reluctant to use ketamine for patients with eye injuries due to a concern that ketamine might increase intraocular pressure (IOP). The objective was to measure IOP in previously healthy children receiving ketamine for PSA for a reason other than eye injury.

**Methods:** This was a prospective noninferiority study of patients seen in an academic tertiary care children's hospital emergency department (ED) who required ketamine for PSA. The authors measured IOP in the right eye as soon as possible after ketamine had been administered and then at 2.5, 5, and 10 minutes after ketamine had been administered.



Table 1  
Demographic Characteristics, Procedures Performed, and Medication Administration

Variable	Overall ( <i>n</i> = 80)	1–5 yr ( <i>n</i> = 28)	6–10 yr ( <i>n</i> = 26)	11–15 yr ( <i>n</i> = 26)
Male, <i>n</i> (%)	49 (61)	16 (57)	15 (58)	18 (69)
Procedures, <i>n</i> (%)				
Fracture/dislocation reduction	50 (63)	5 (18)	21 (80)	24 (92)
Abscess incision and drainage	13 (16)	10 (36)	2 (8)	1 (4)
Laceration repair	9 (11)	7 (25)	2 (8)	0
Dental abscess incision and drainage/tooth extraction	5 (6)	5 (18)	0	0
Other	3 (4)	1 (3)	1 (4)	1 (4)
Mean total dosage of ketamine, mg/kg (95% CI)	1.6 (1.4–1.7)	1.6 (1.4–1.8)	1.7 (1.3–2.0)	1.4 (1.2–1.6)
Other medications, <i>n</i> (%)				
Glycopyrolate	9 (11)	8 (29)	0	1 (4)
Midazolam	1 (1)	0	1 (4)	0
Ondansetron	1 (1)	0	1 (4)	0
Other	2 (3)	0	2 (8)	0

Table 2  
Mean IOP Measurements (mm Hg)

Age Group (yr)	Initial IOP (95% CI)	2.5-minute IOP (95% CI)	5-minute IOP (95% CI)	10-minute IOP (95% CI)
1–5	19.1 (16.9–21.4)	20.5 (18.4–22.7)	20.6 (18.2–22.9)	18.6 (16.5–20.7)
6–10	16.5 (14.7–18.3)	18.5 (16.9–20.1)	18.7 (16.5–20.9)	17.6 (15.9–19.3)
11–15	16.8 (14.9–18.6)	17.5 (16.2–18.8)	18.2 (16.7–19.6)	17.5 (16.3–18.8)

Teşekkürler.