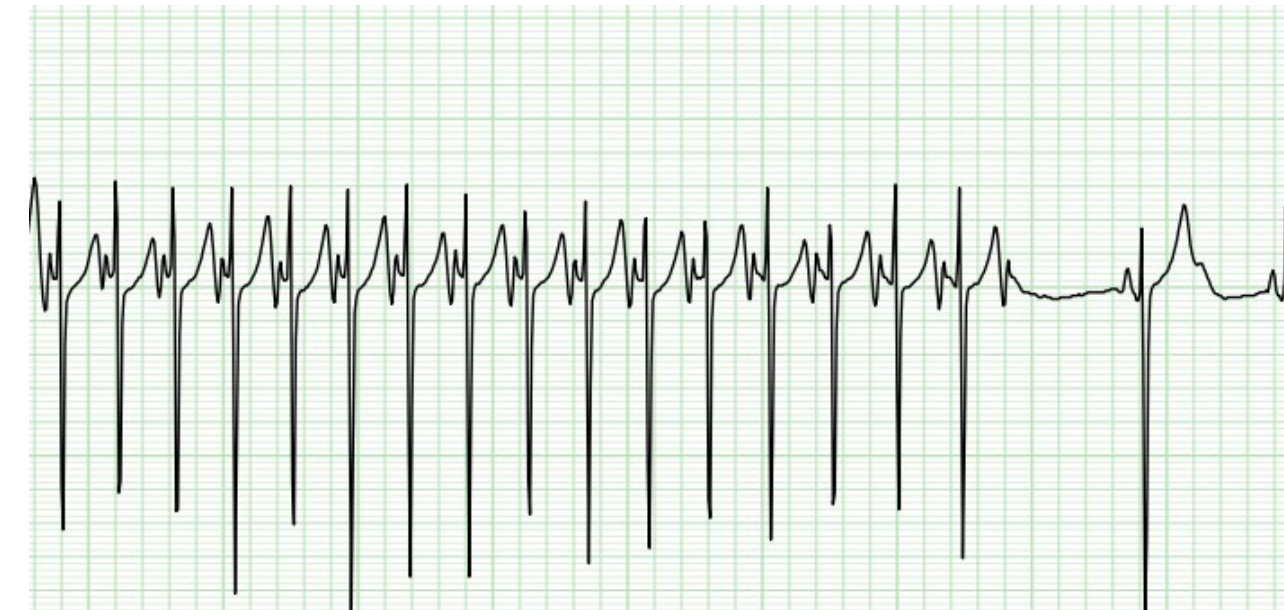
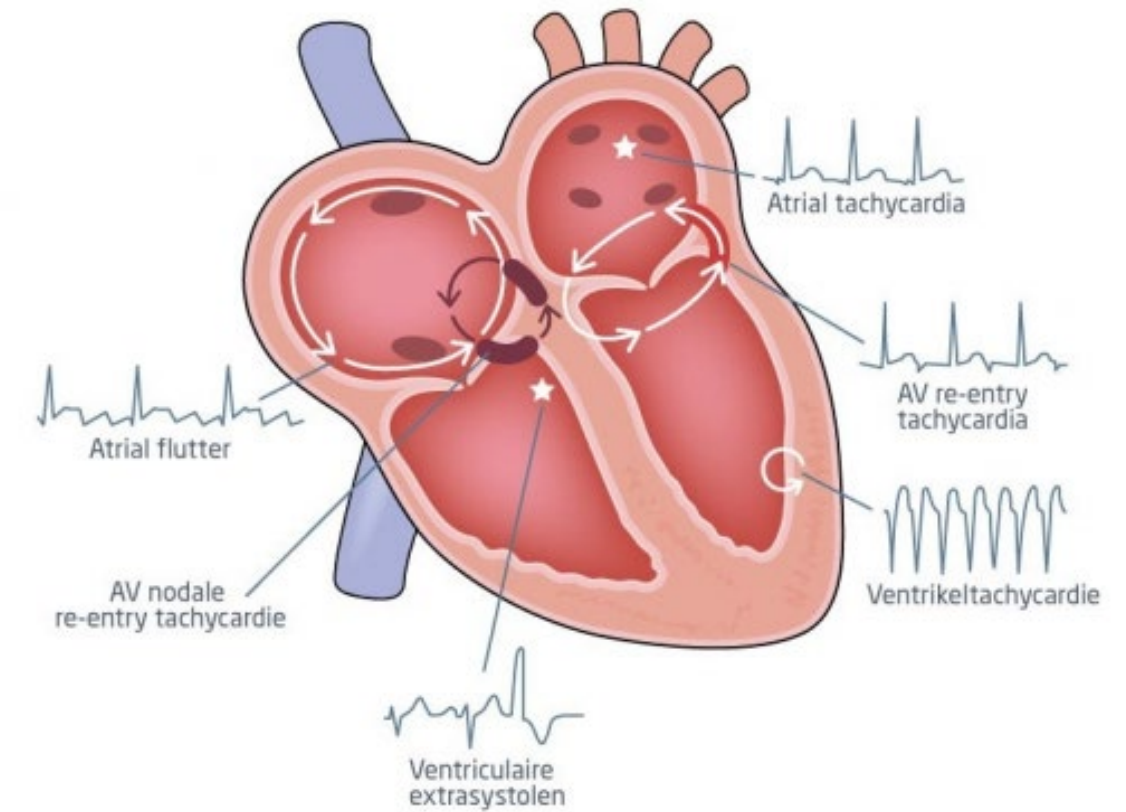


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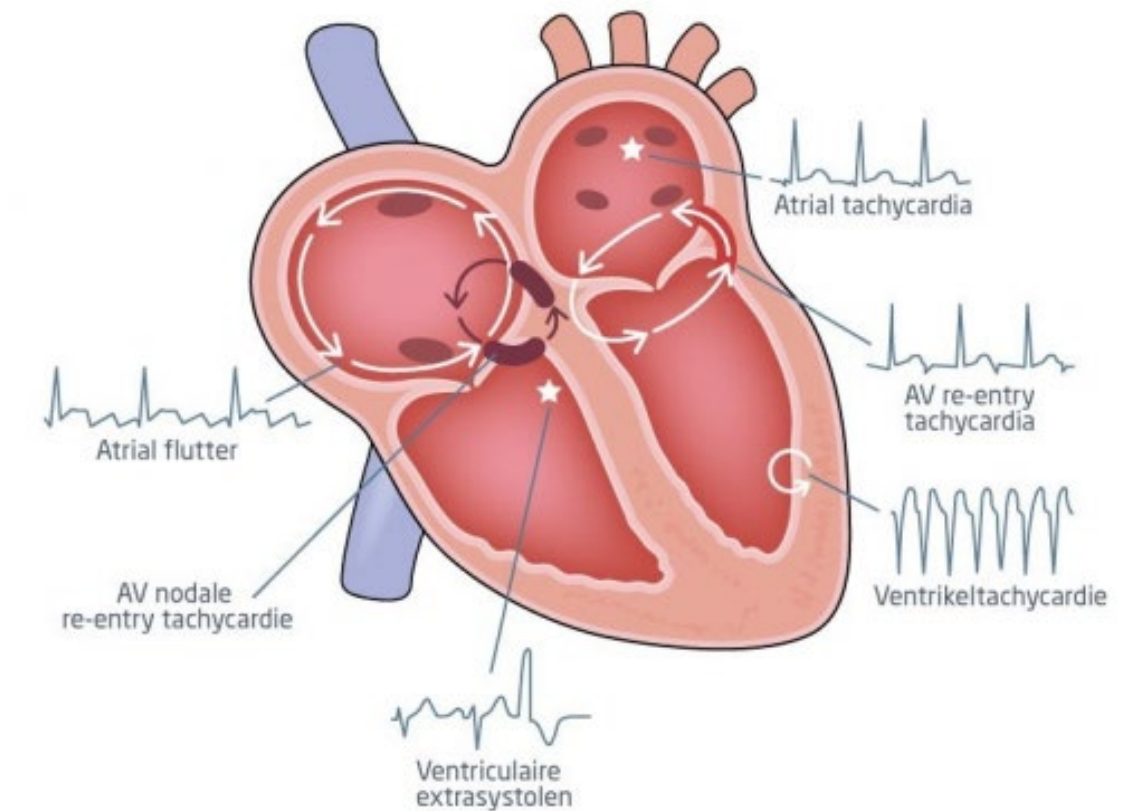
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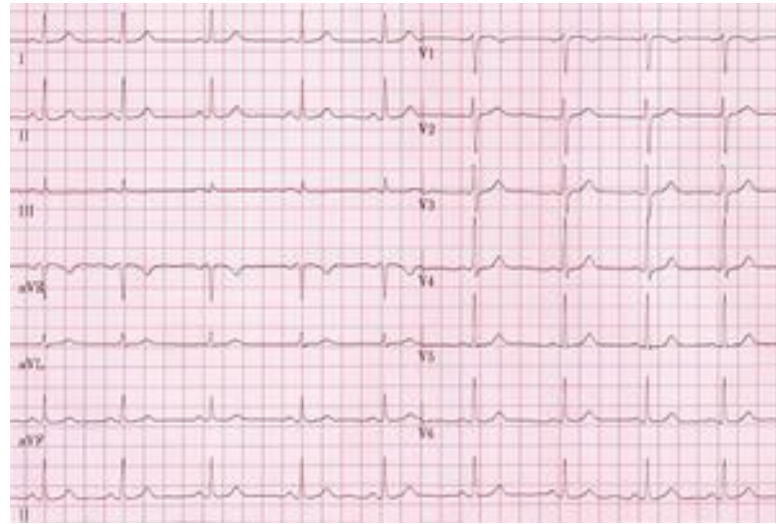
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 - Supraventriculaire aritmie
 - Ventriculaire aritmie
 - Kliniek – diagnose
 - Behandeling
 - Invasief
 - Medicamenteus
 - Invloed op arbeid
- Brady-aritmieën (Pacemaker – ICD)



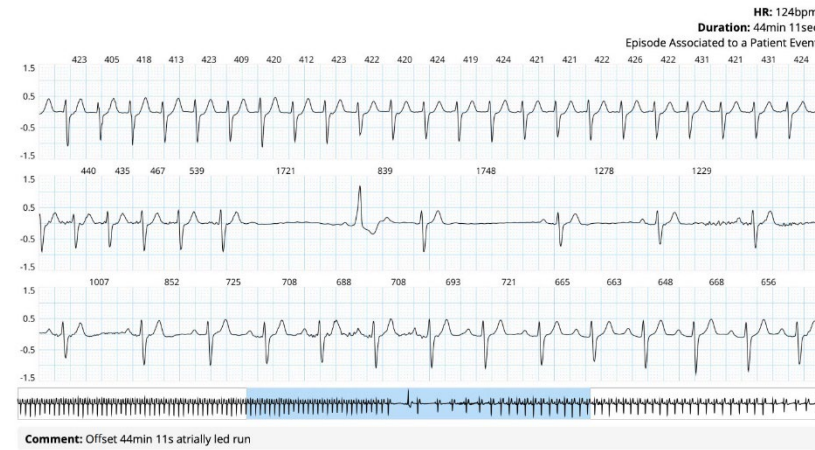
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Diagnostisch armamentarium

ECG



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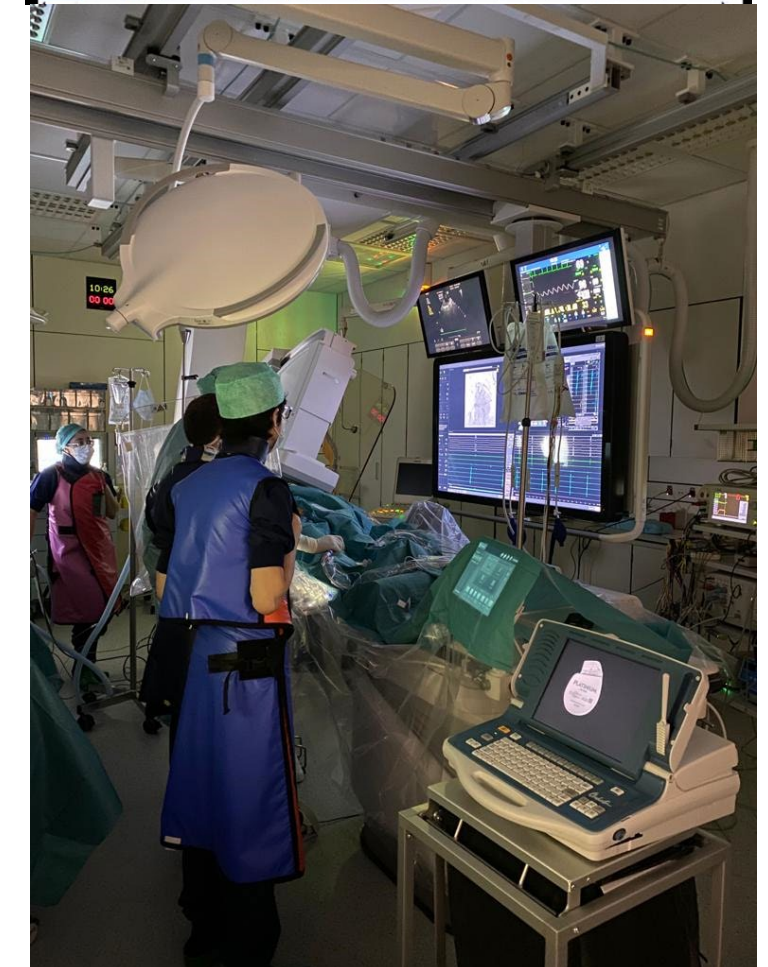
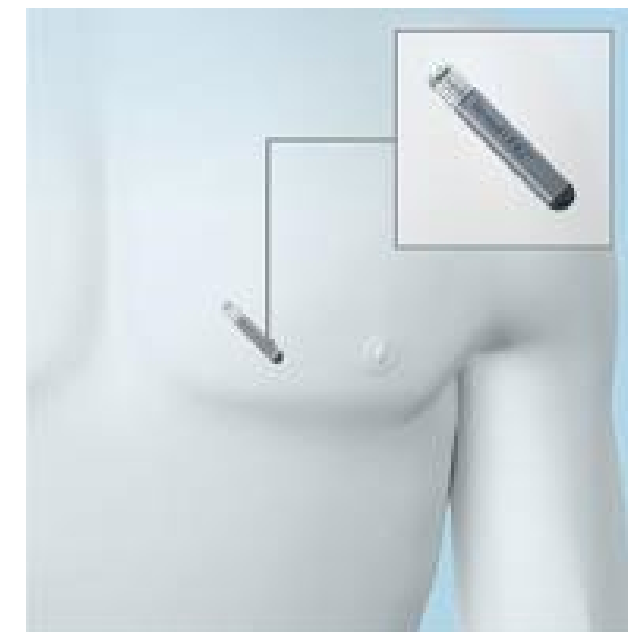
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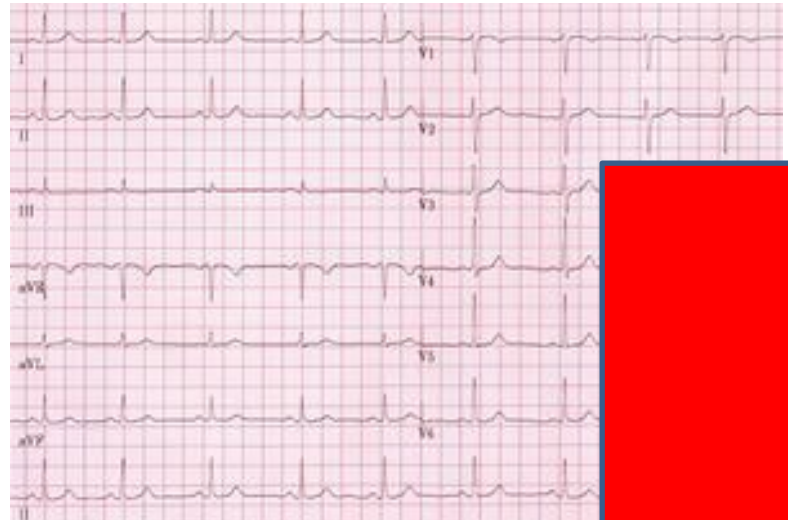
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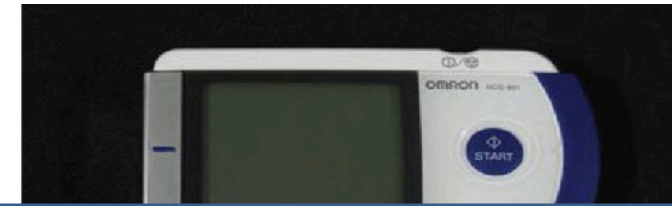
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Diagnostisch armamentarium

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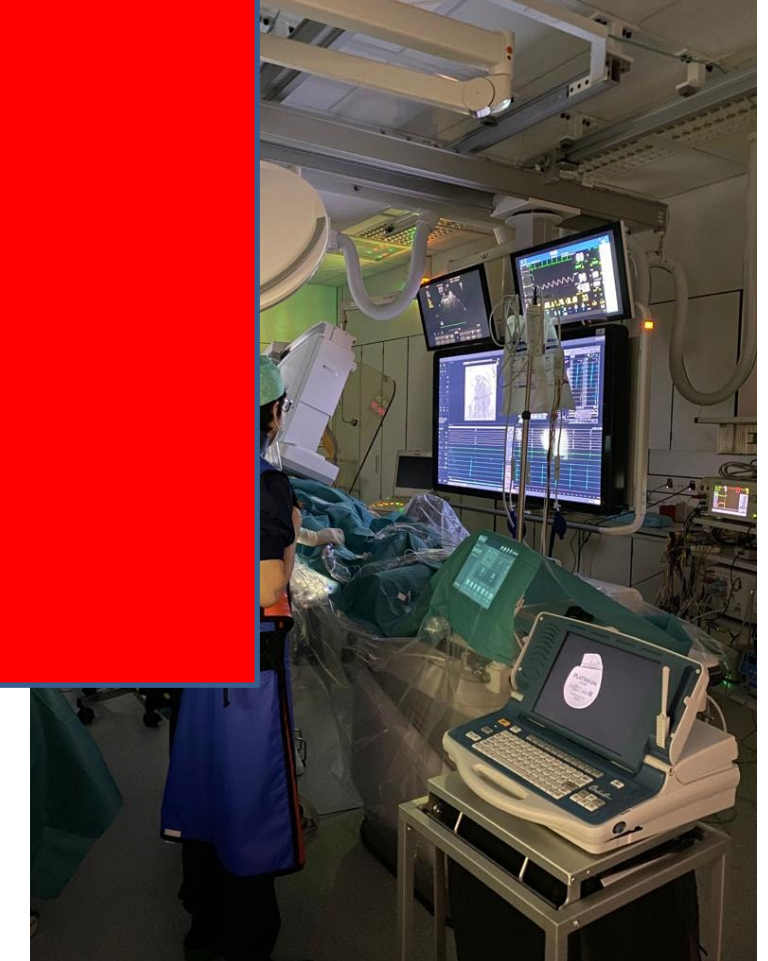
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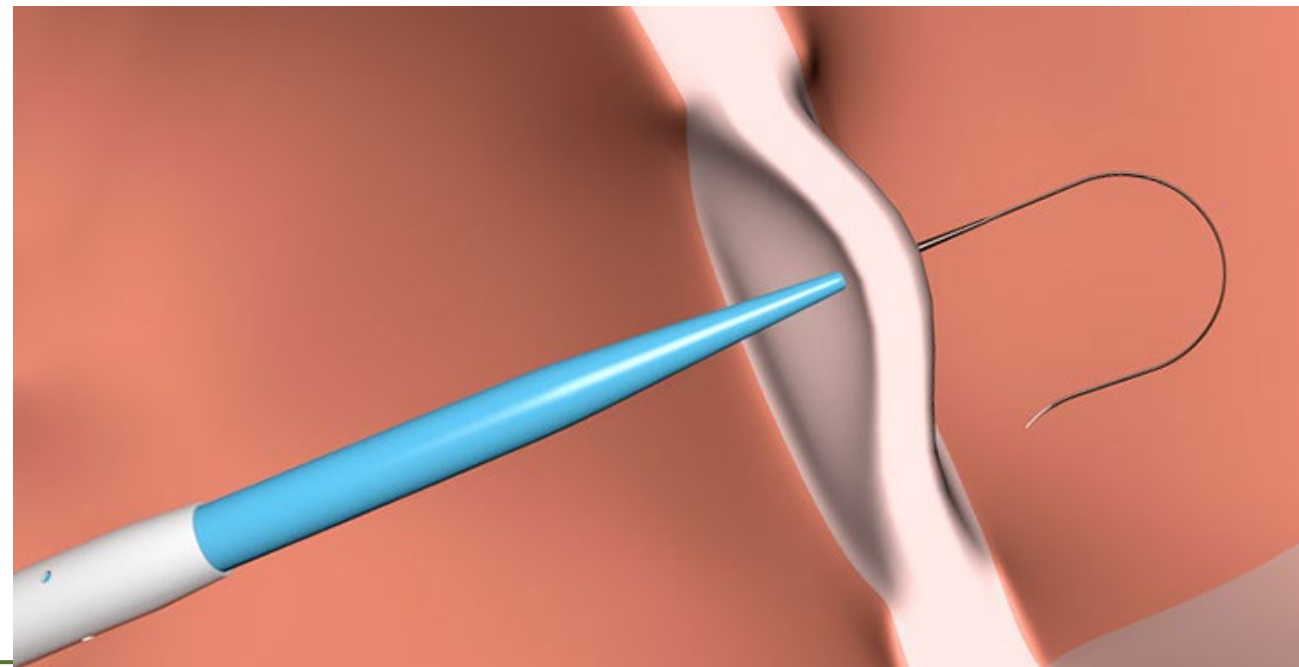
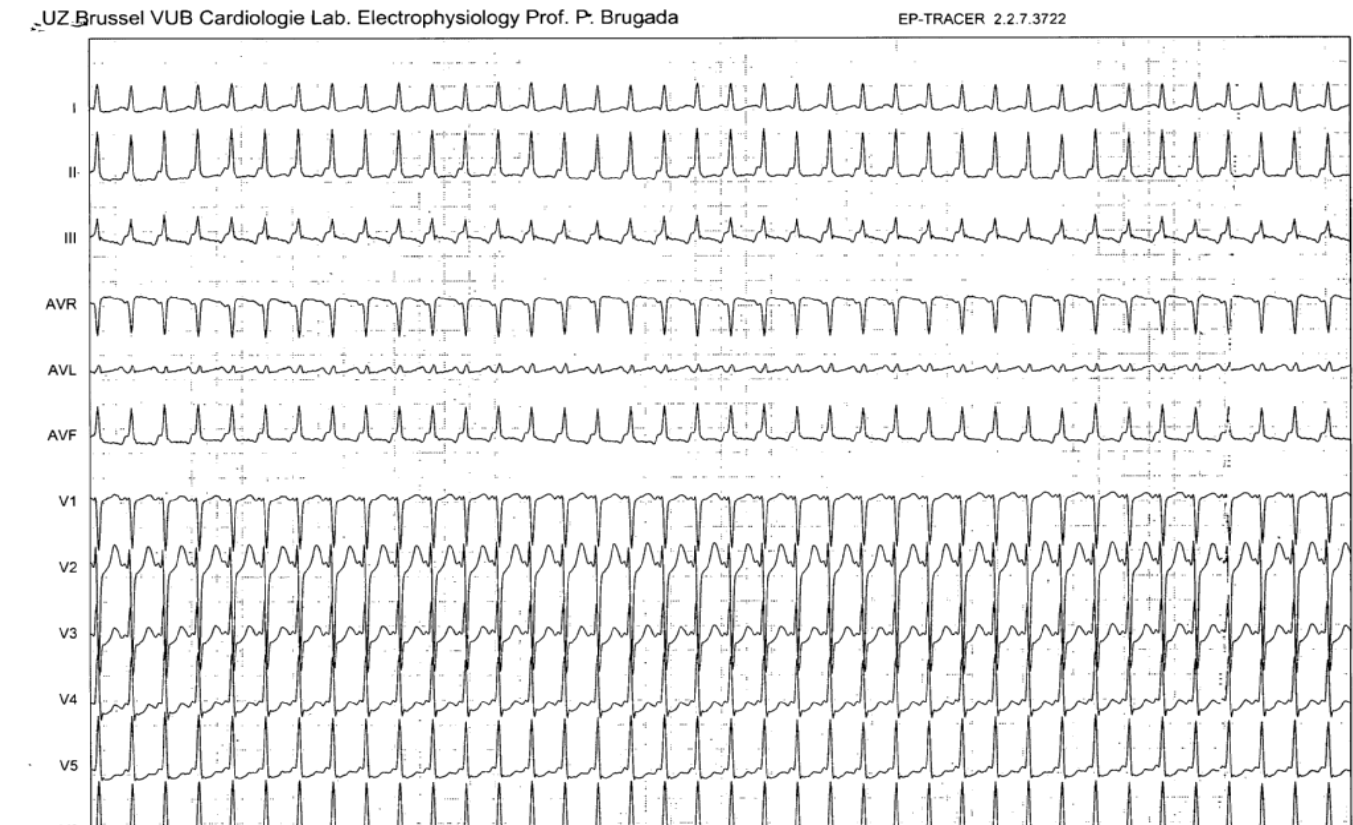
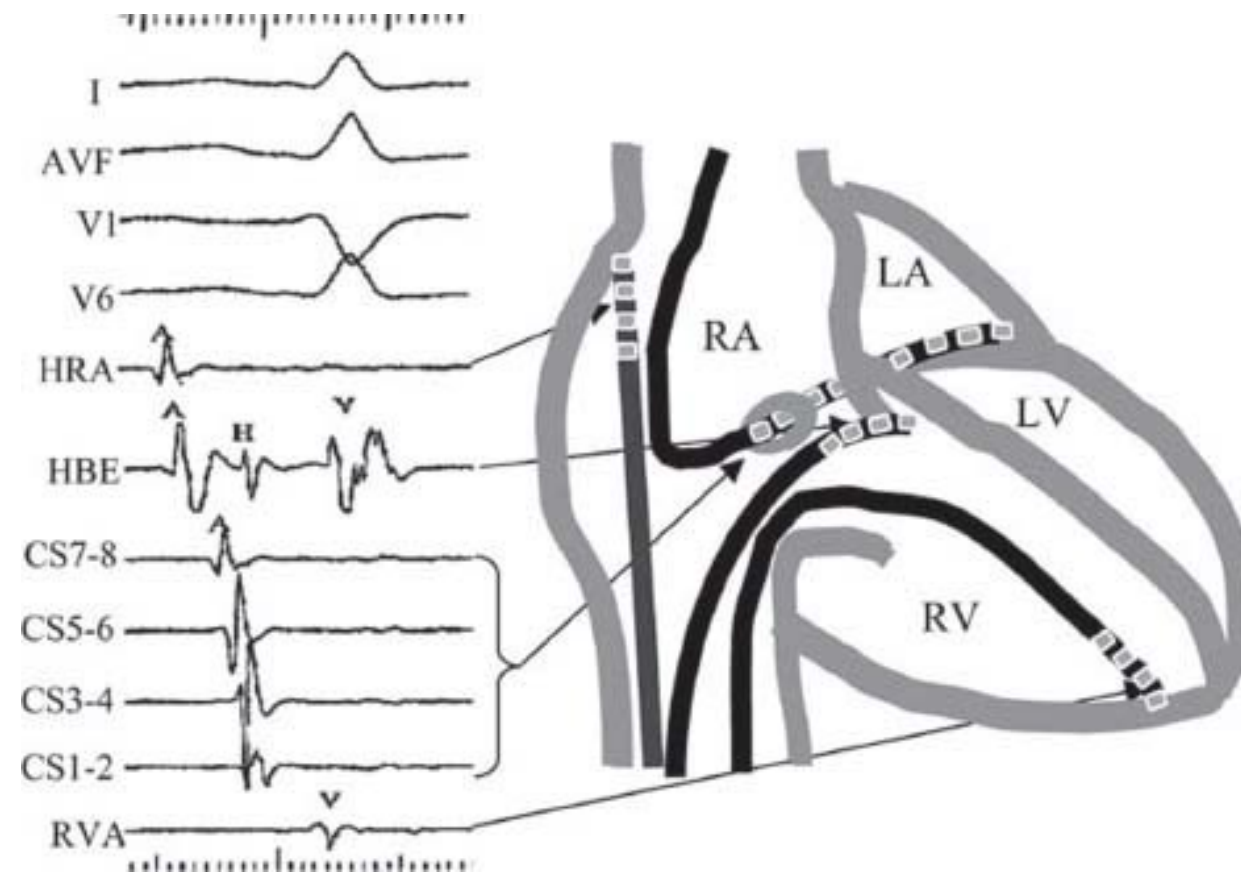
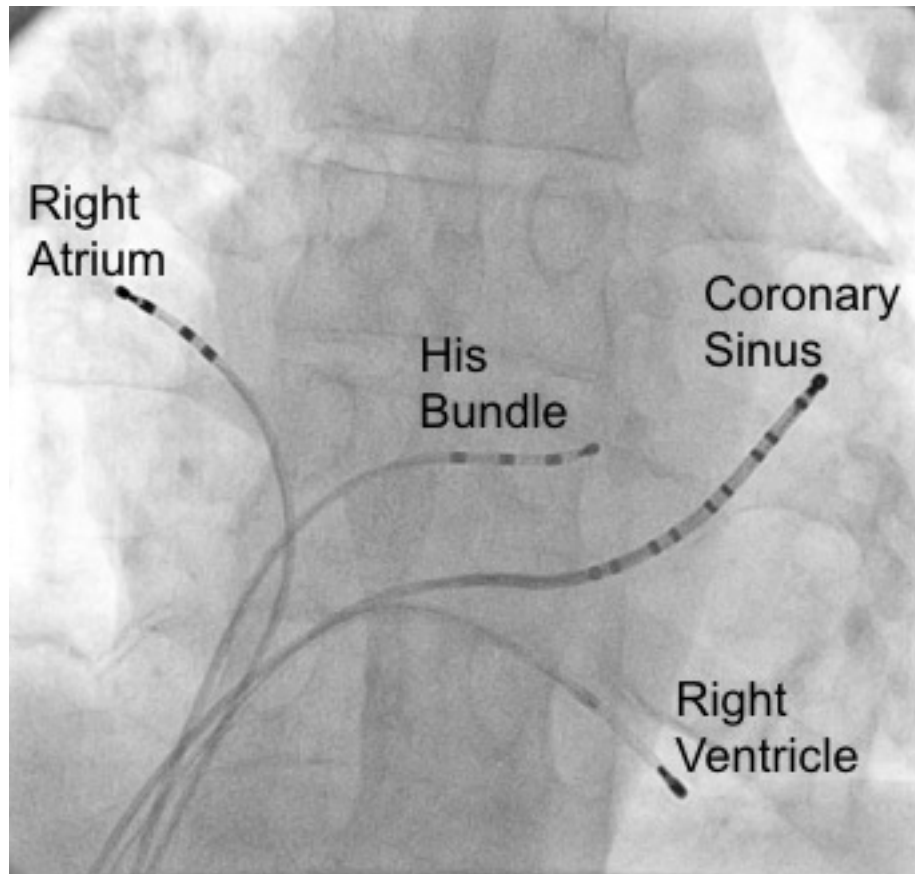
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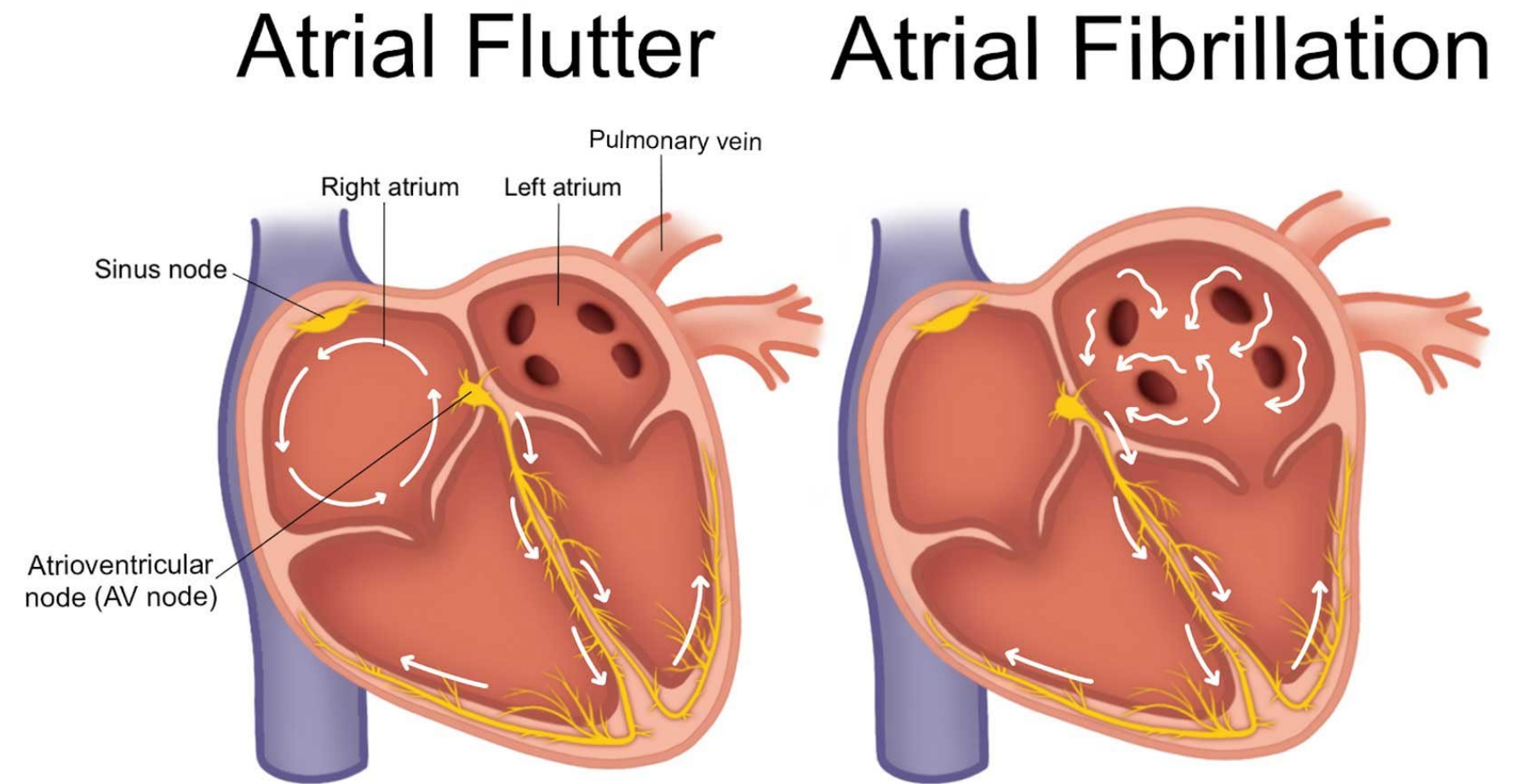
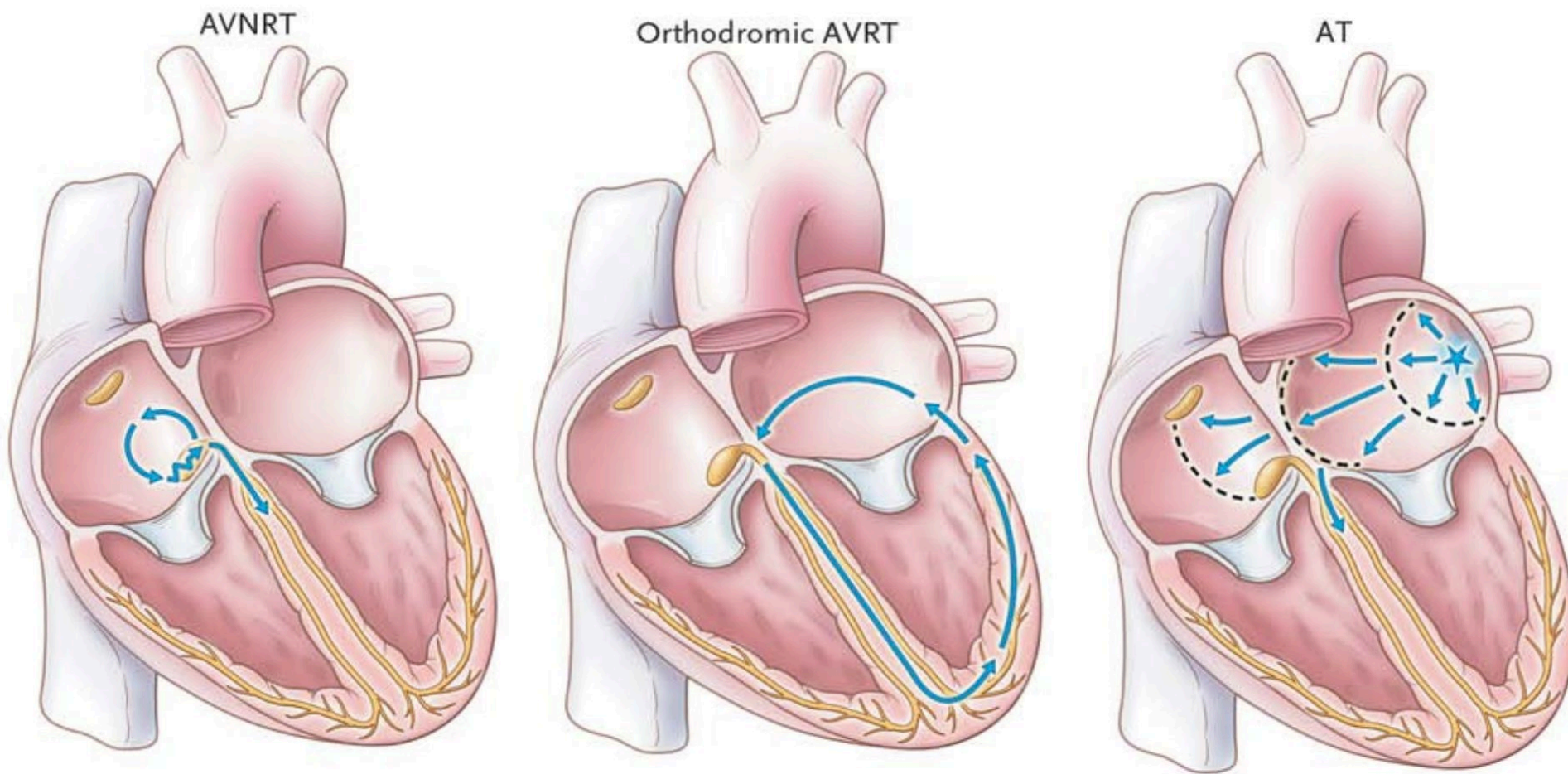
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Elektrofysiologisch onderzoek (EFO)



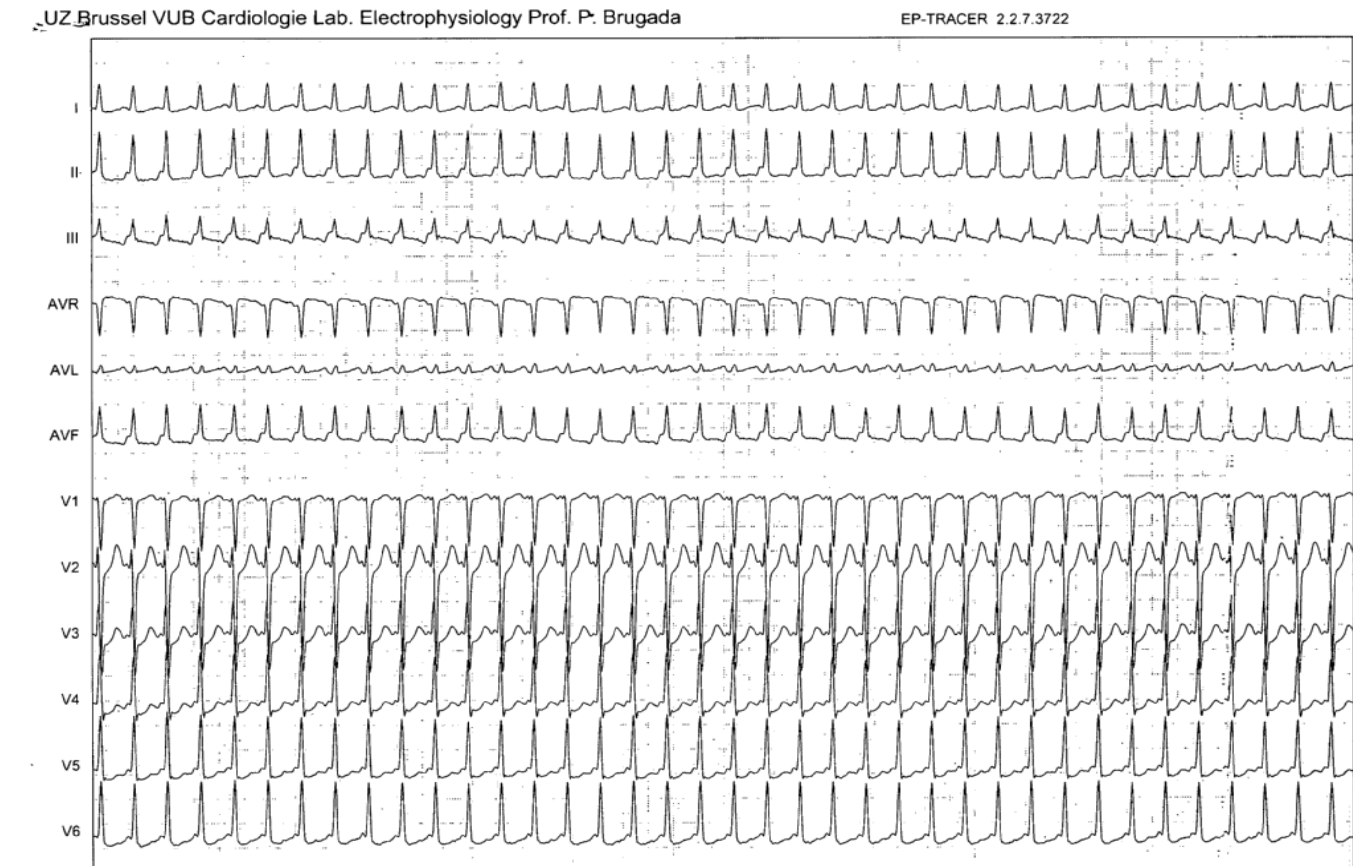
Atriale tachy-arritmieën



N Engl J Med 2012; 367:1438-1448

Atriale tachy-aritmieën

- Kliniek
 - Plotse hartkloppingen
 - Plotse dyspneu
 - Plotse thoracale pijn
 - Pre-syncope
- Diagnose
- Behandeling – specifiek aan tachy-aritmie



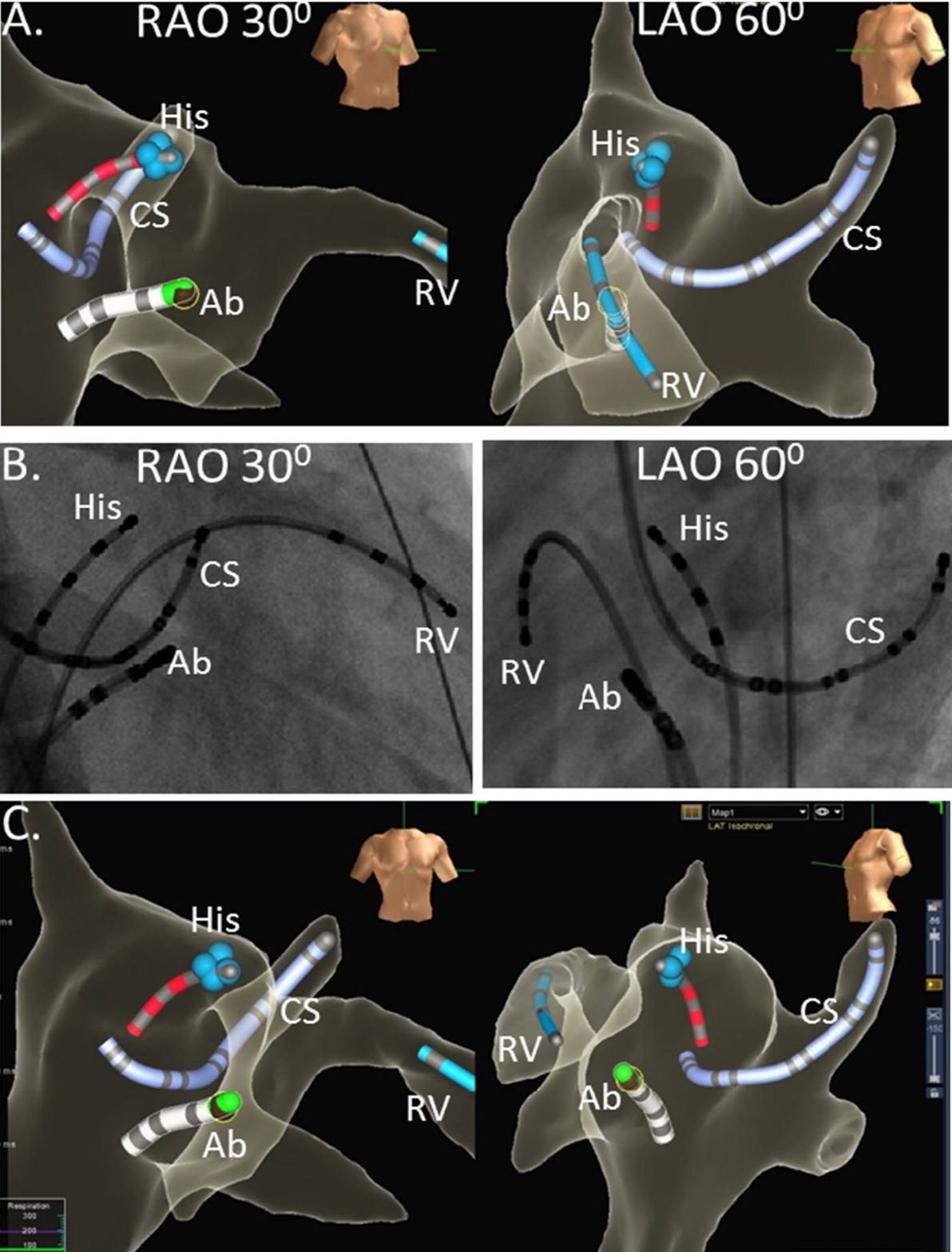
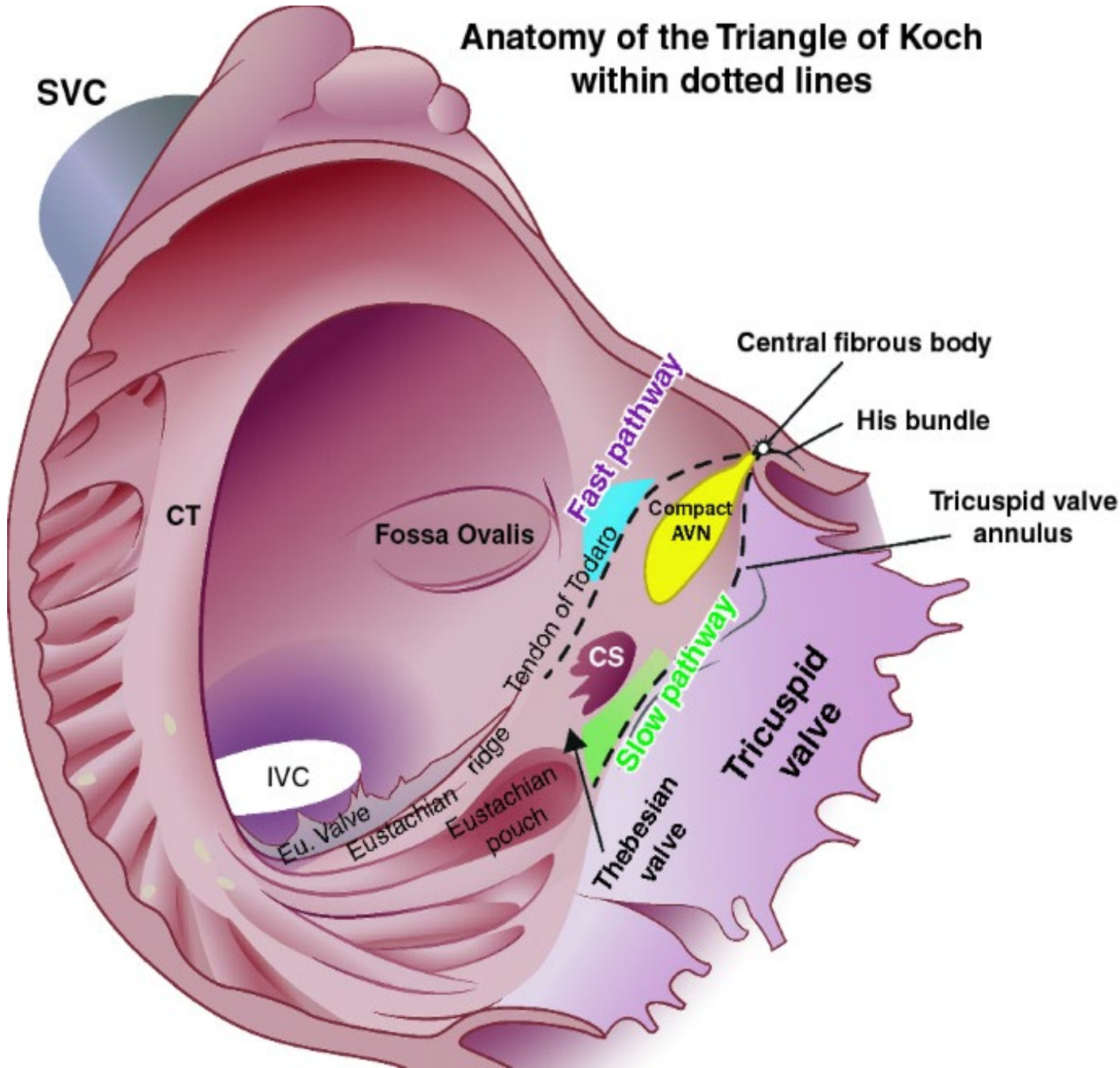
AVNRT

Beleid

2019 ESC Guidelines for the management of patients with supraventricular tachycardia

Chronic therapy		
Catheter ablation is recommended for symptomatic, recurrent AVNRT. ^{208,336–339}	I	B
Diltiazem or verapamil, in patients without HFrEF, or beta-blockers should be considered if ablation is not desirable or feasible. ^{340–342}	IIa	B
Abstinence from therapy should be considered for minimally symptomatic patients with very infrequent, short-lived episodes of tachycardia. ³¹⁹	IIa	C

Ablatie AVNRT



Succes ratio: 97%

Complicatie: AV-blok <1%

AVRT - Beleid

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Chronic therapy

Catheter ablation of AP(s) is recommended in patients with symptomatic, recurrent AVRT. ^{391–393,438–441}

I

B

Beta-blockers or non-dihydropyridine calcium-channel blockers (verapamil or diltiazem in the absence of HFrEF) should be considered if no signs of pre-excitation are present on resting ECG, if ablation is not desirable or feasible. ^{340,341,442,443}

IIa

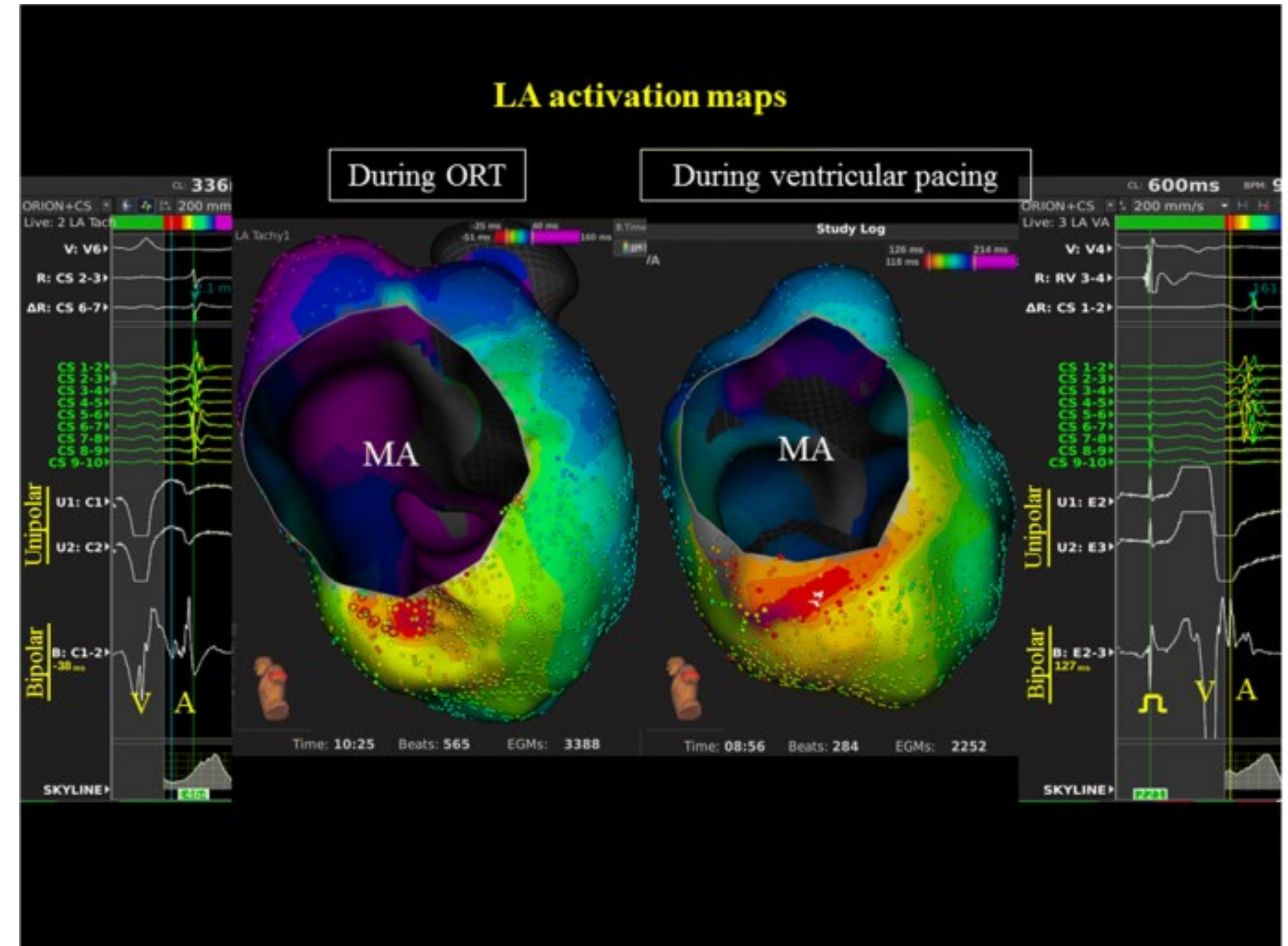
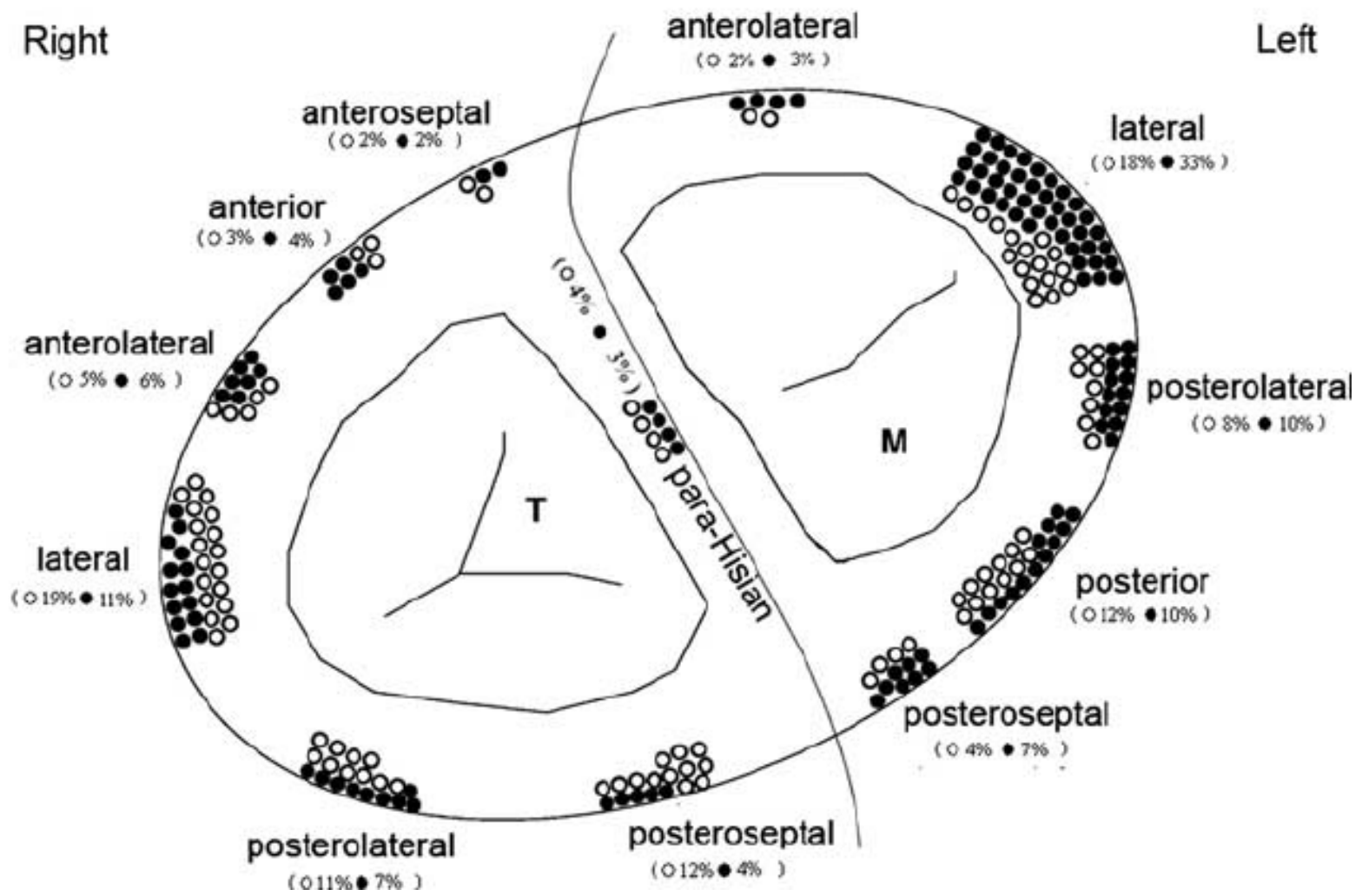
B

Propafenone or flecainide may be considered in patients with AVRT and without ischaemic or structural heart disease, if ablation is not desirable or feasible. ^{429,444,445}

IIb

B

Ablatie AVRT



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Focale atriale tachycardie



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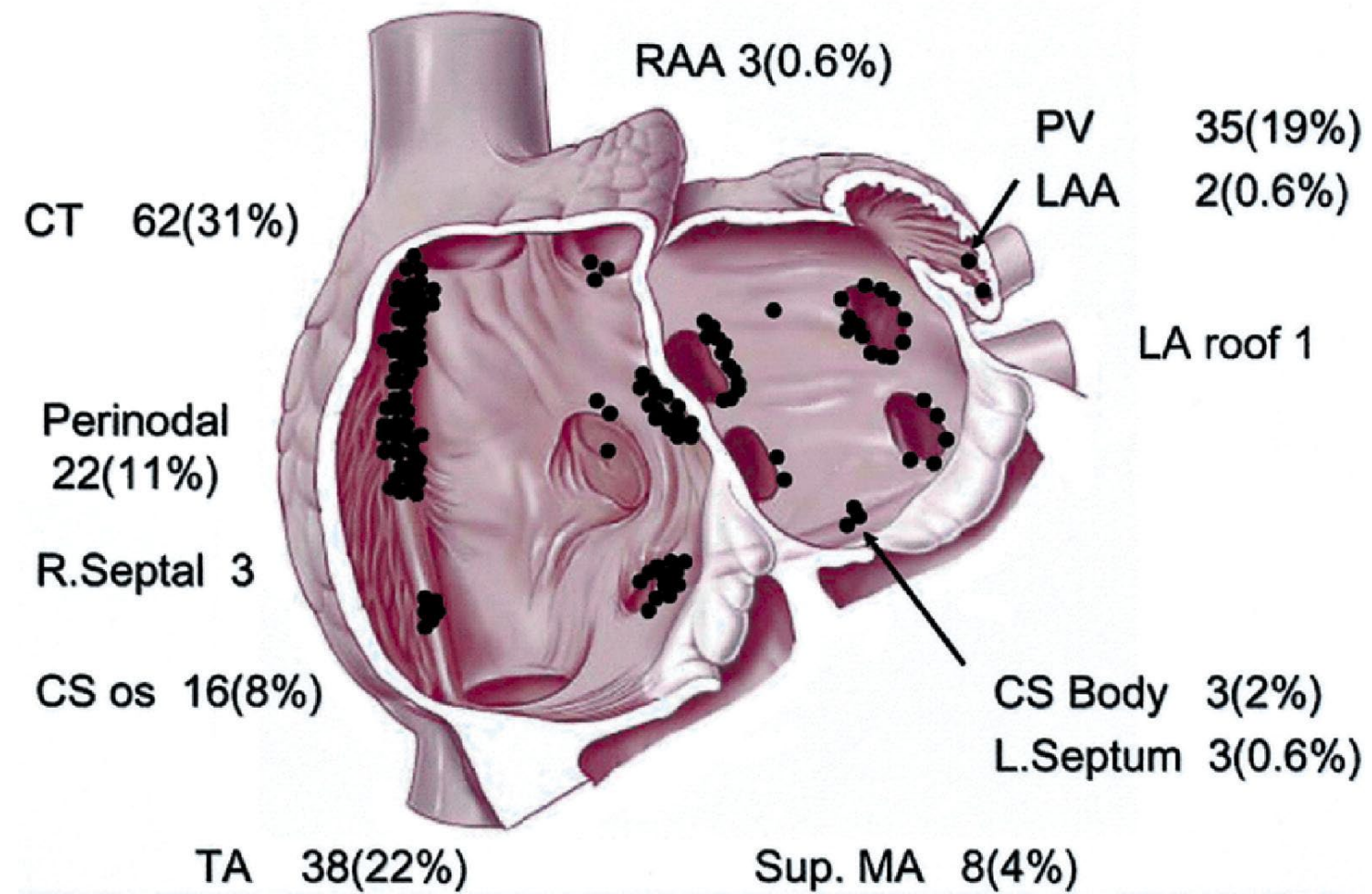
Chronic therapy

Catheter ablation is recommended for recurrent focal AT, especially if incessant or causing TCM. ^{184,187,194–197}	I	B
Beta-blockers or non-dihydropyridine calcium channel blockers (verapamil or diltiazem in the absence of HFrEF), or propafenone or flecainide in the absence of structural or ischaemic heart disease, should be considered if ablation is not desirable or feasible. ^{188–190,198}	IIa	C
Ivabradine with a beta-blocker may be considered if the above measures fail. ^{199,200}	IIb	C
Amiodarone may be considered if the above measures fail. ^{201,202}	IIb	C

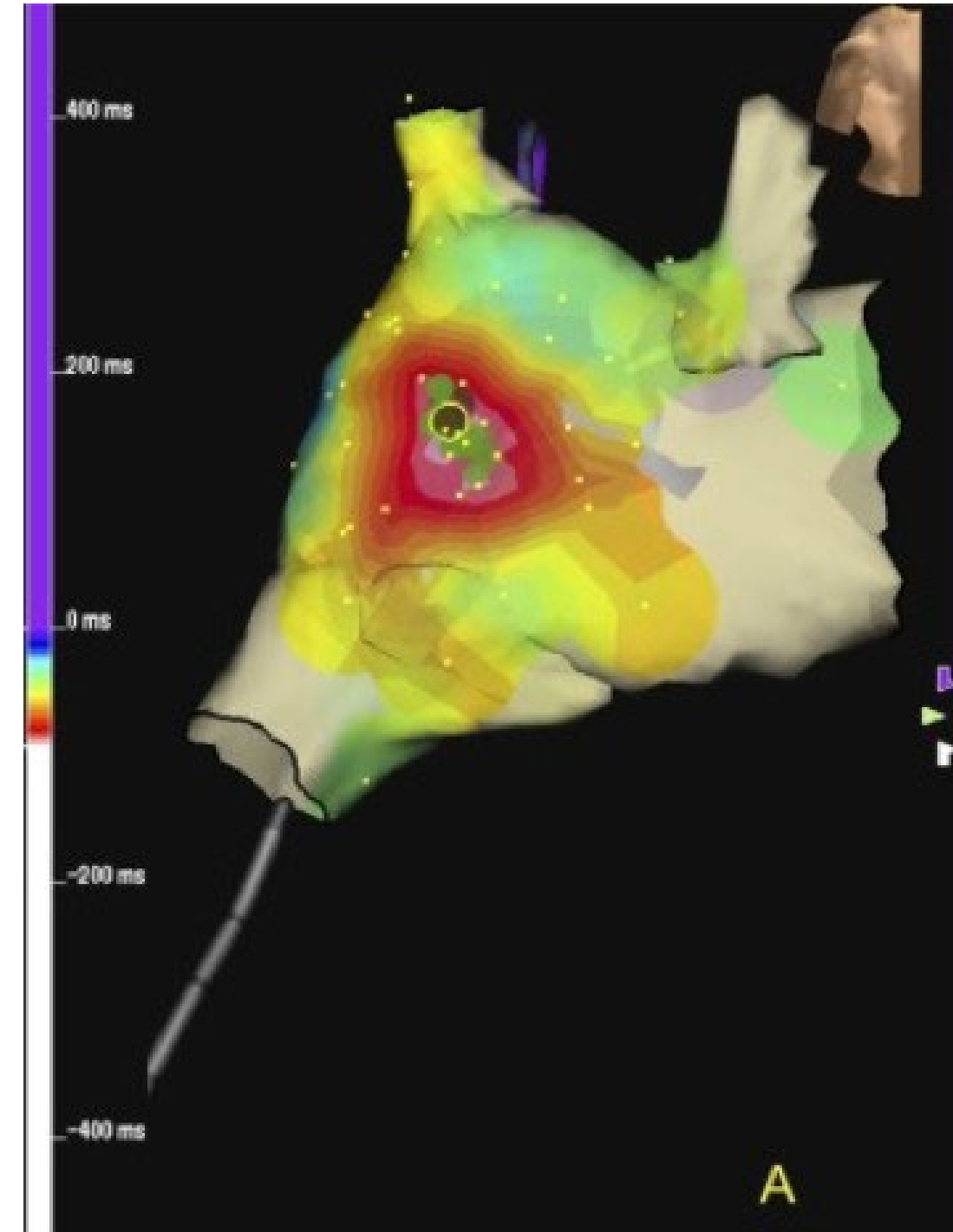
Ablatie focale AT

Total RA 144 (73%)

Total LA 52 (27%)



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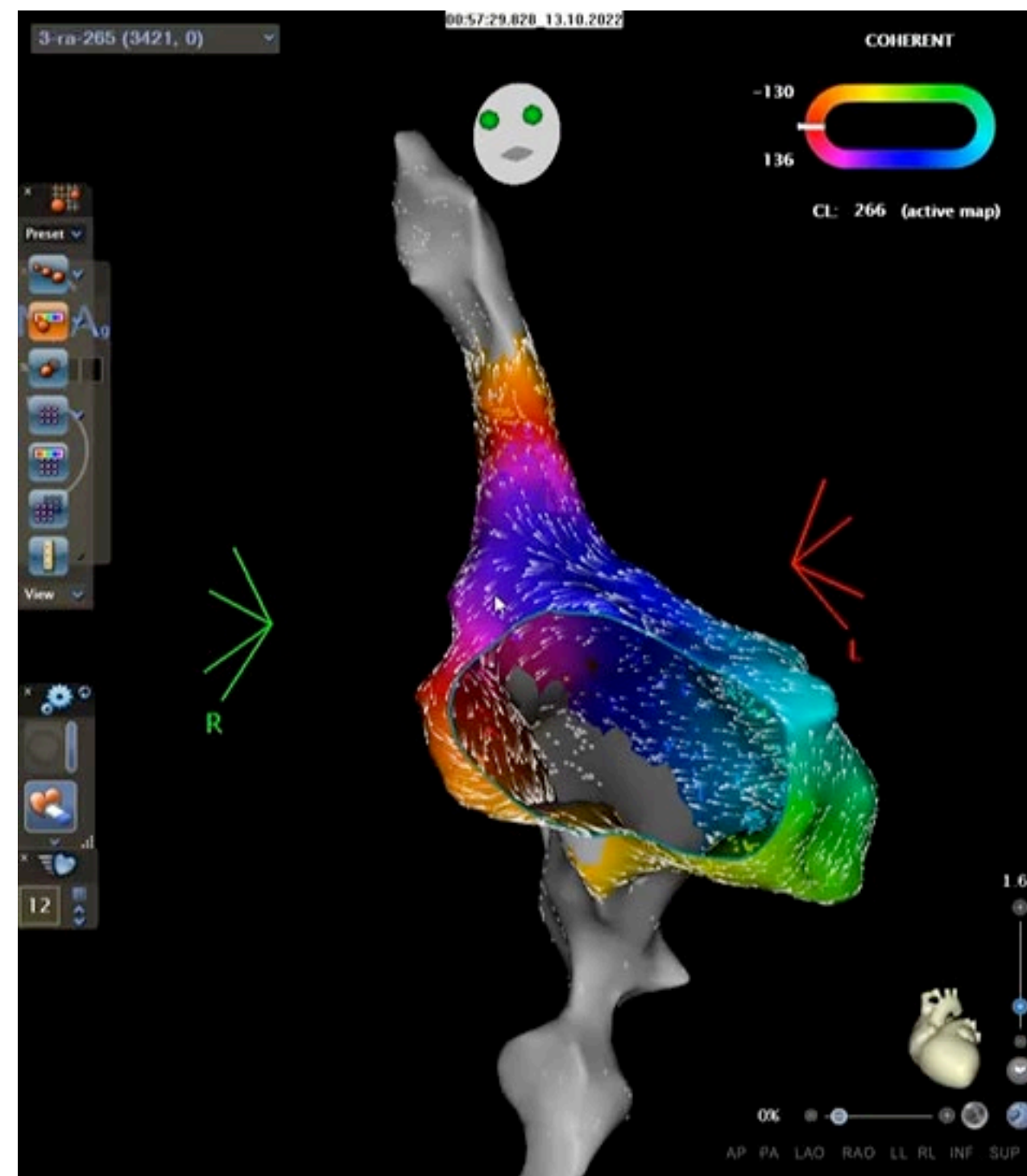
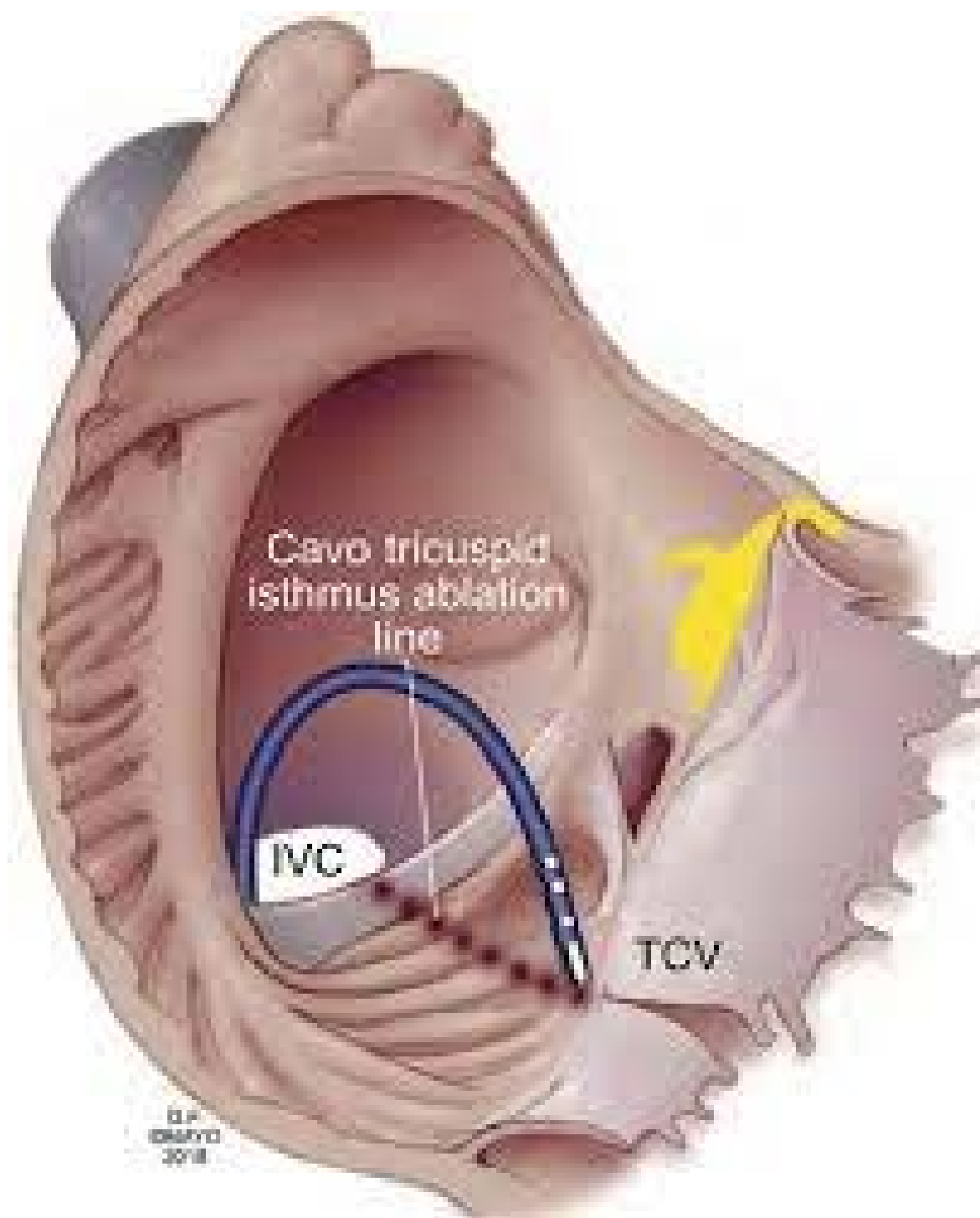
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Voorkamerflutter

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Catheter ablation should be considered after the first episode of symptomatic typical atrial flutter. ^{262,263}	IIa	B
Catheter ablation is recommended for symptomatic, recurrent episodes of CTI-dependent flutter. ^{262–264}	I	A
Catheter ablation in experienced centres is recommended for symptomatic, recurrent episodes of non-CTI-dependent flutter. ^{224,265–269}	I	B
Catheter ablation is recommended in patients with persistent atrial flutter or in the presence of depressed LV systolic function due to TCM. ^{233,234}	I	B
Beta-blockers or non-dihydropyridine calcium channel blockers (verapamil or diltiazem, in the absence HFrEF) should be considered if ablation is not desirable or feasible. ^{237,270}	IIa	C
Amiodarone may be considered to maintain sinus rhythm if the above measures fail. ²⁶³	IIb	C
AV nodal ablation with subsequent pacing ('ablate and pace'), either biventricular or His-bundle pacing, should be considered if all the above fail and the patient has symptomatic persistent macro-re-entrant atrial arrhythmias with fast ventricular rates.	IIa	C

CTI dependent AFL - Ablatie



Voorkamerfibrillatie - Beleid

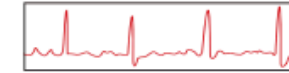
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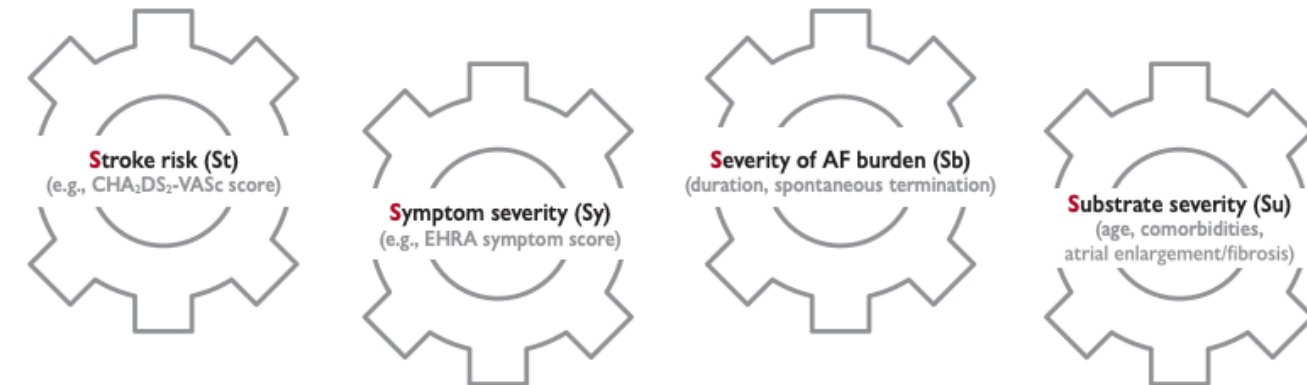
CC To ABC

Confirm AF

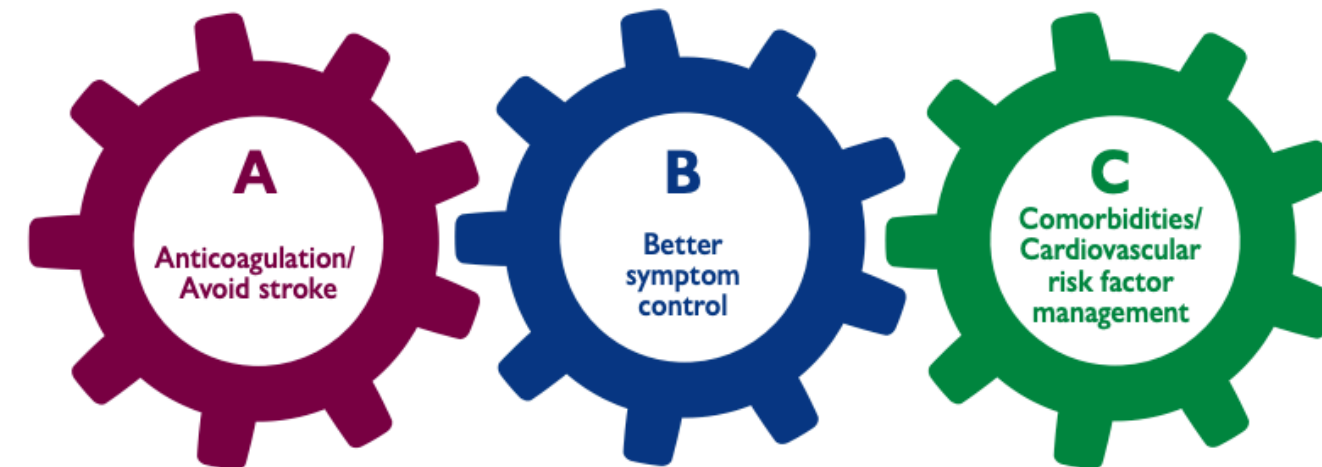


A 12-lead ECG or a rhythm strip showing AF pattern for ≥ 30 s

Characterise AF (the 4S-AF scheme)



Treat AF: The ABC pathway



1. Identify low-risk patients
CHA₂DS₂-VASc 0(m), 1(f)
2. Offer stroke prevention if
CHA₂DS₂-VASc ≥ 1 (m), 2(f)
Assess bleeding risk, address
modifiable bleeding risk factors
3. Choose OAC (NOAC or VKA
with well-managed TTR)

Assess symptoms,
QoL and patient's
preferences

Optimize rate
control

Consider a rhythm
control strategy
(CV, AADs, ablation)

Comorbidities and
cardiovascular risk
factors

Lifestyle changes
(obesity reduction,
regular exercise,
reduction of alcohol use,
etc.)

Voorkamerfibrillatie - Ablatie

Changes in the recommendations

Recommendations about integrated AF management

2020	Class ^a	2016	Class ^a
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Recommendations for rhythm control/catheter ablation of AF

AF catheter ablation after drug therapy failure

AF catheter ablation for PVI is recommended for rhythm control after one failed or intolerant class I or III AAD, to improve symptoms of AF recurrences in patients with:

- Paroxysmal AF, or
- Persistent AF without major risk factors for AF recurrence, or
- Persistent AF with major risk factors for AF recurrence.

I

Catheter or surgical ablation should be considered in patients with symptomatic persistent or long-standing persistent AF refractory to AAD therapy to improve symptoms, considering patient choice, benefit and risk, supported by an AF Heart Team.

IIa

First-line therapy

AF catheter ablation:

- Is recommended to reverse LV dysfunction in AF patients when tachycardia-induced cardiomyopathy is highly probable, independent of their symptom status.
- Should be considered in selected AF patients with HFrEF to improve survival and reduce HF hospitalization.

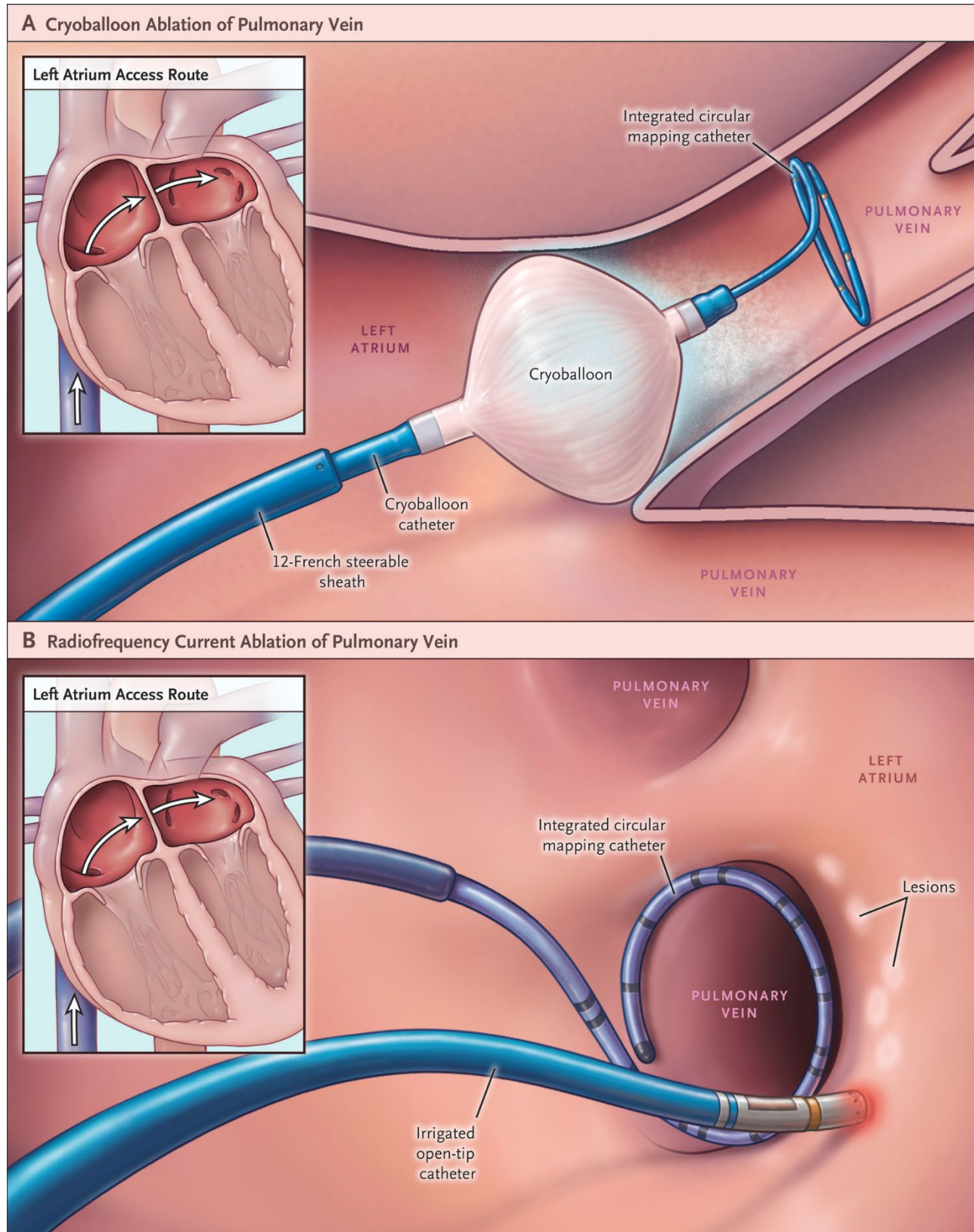
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IIa

AF ablation should be considered in symptomatic patients with AF and HFrEF to improve symptoms and cardiac function when tachycardiomyopathy is suspected.

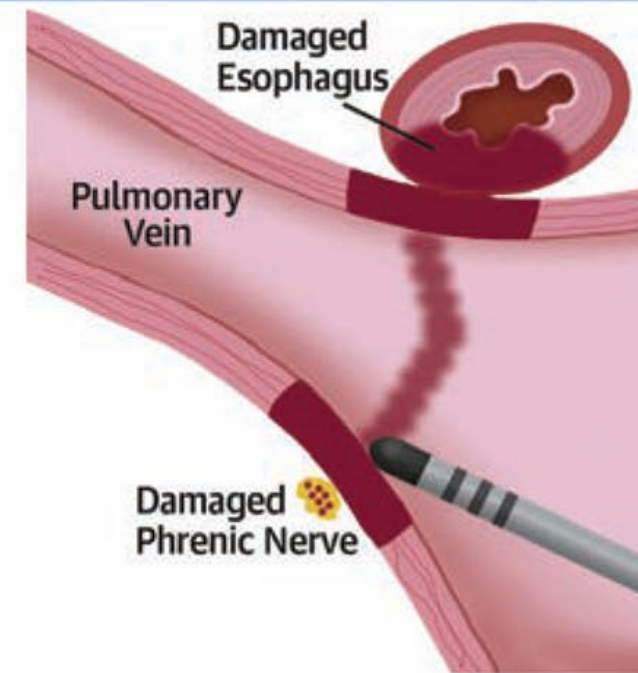
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VKF ablatie - PVI

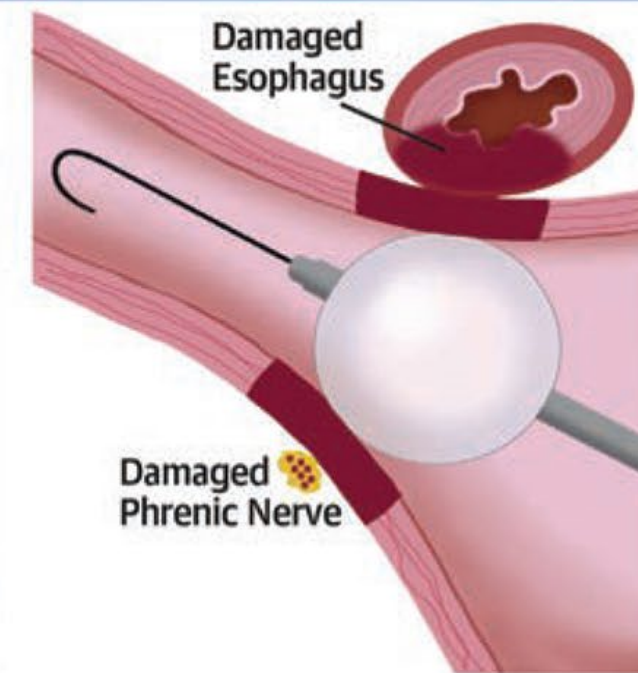


CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION Pulmonary Vein Isolation For Atrial Fibrillation By Pulsed Field Ablation

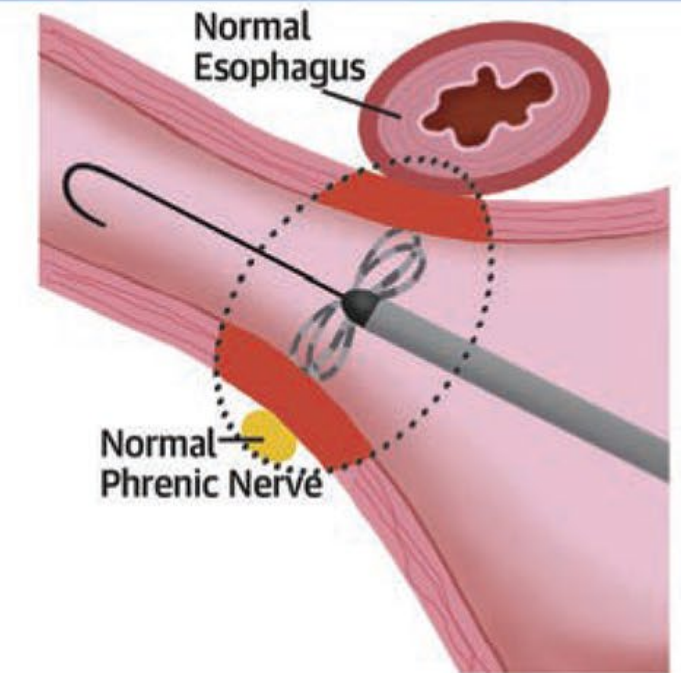
Radiofrequency Ablation



Cryoballoon Ablation



Pulsed Field Ablation

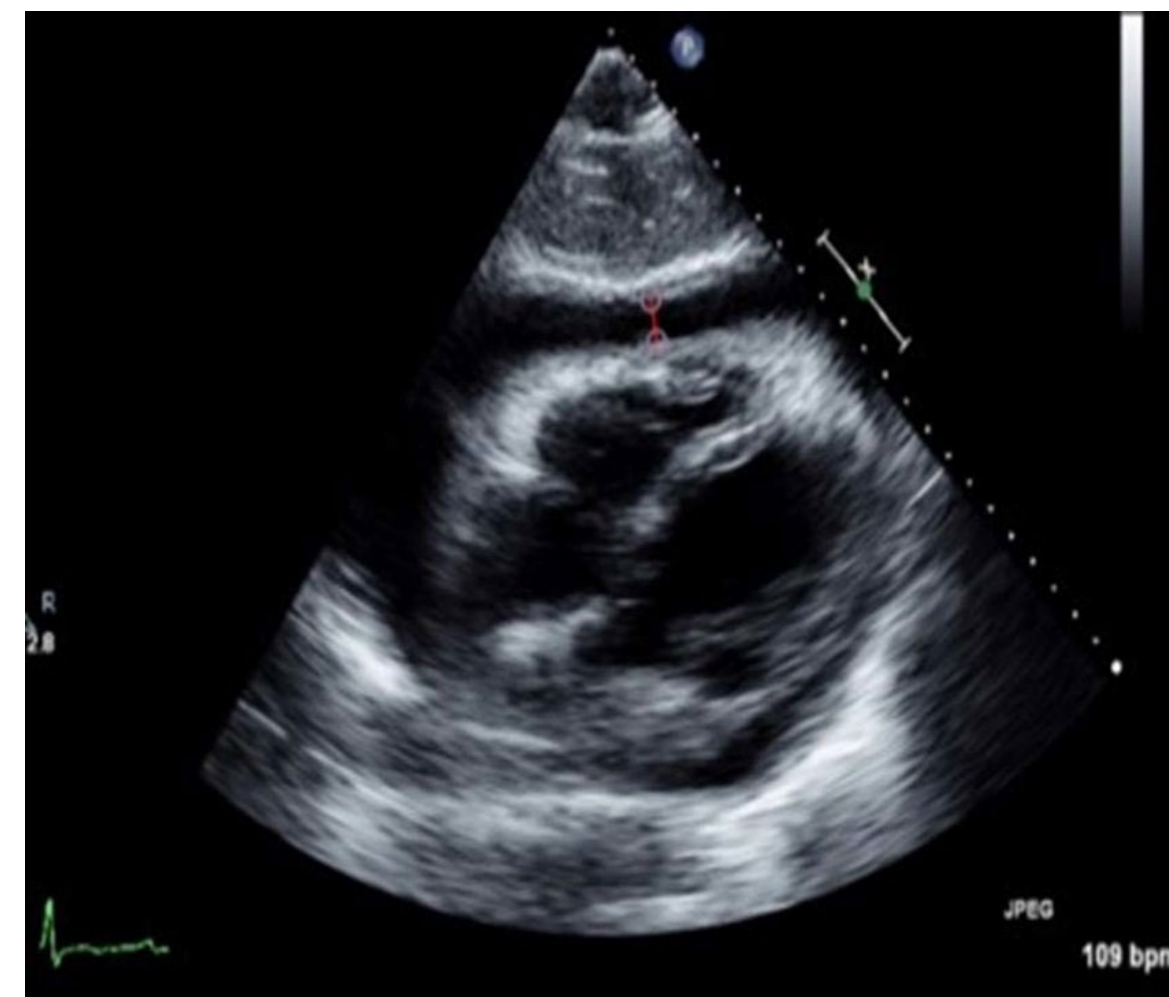


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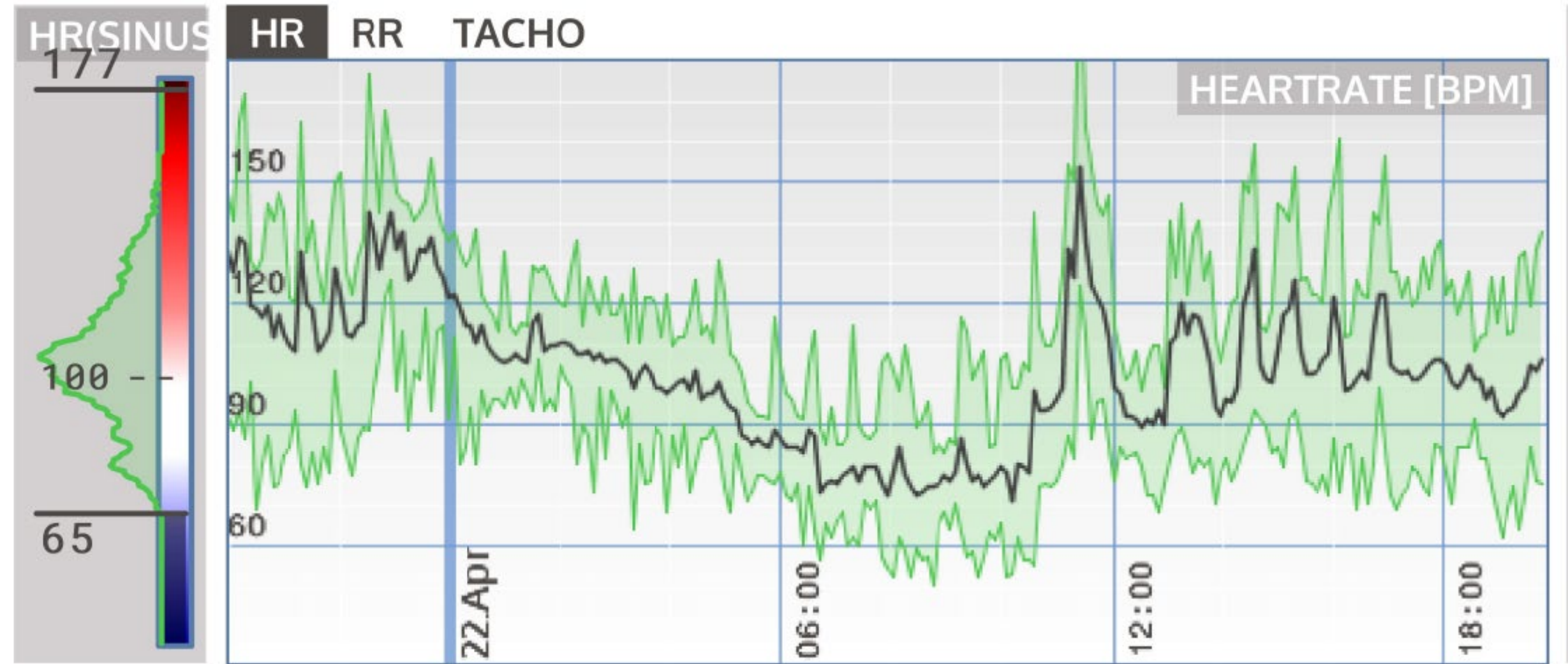
Complicaties ablatie

- Vasculair access
 - Hematoom
 - Pseudoaneurysma
 - Trombose
- Pericardiale prikkeling
 - Pericarditis – pericardvochtuitstorting
- Trombus embolisatie
- N. phrenicus parese/paralyse
- AV-blok



Sinus tachycardie - beleid

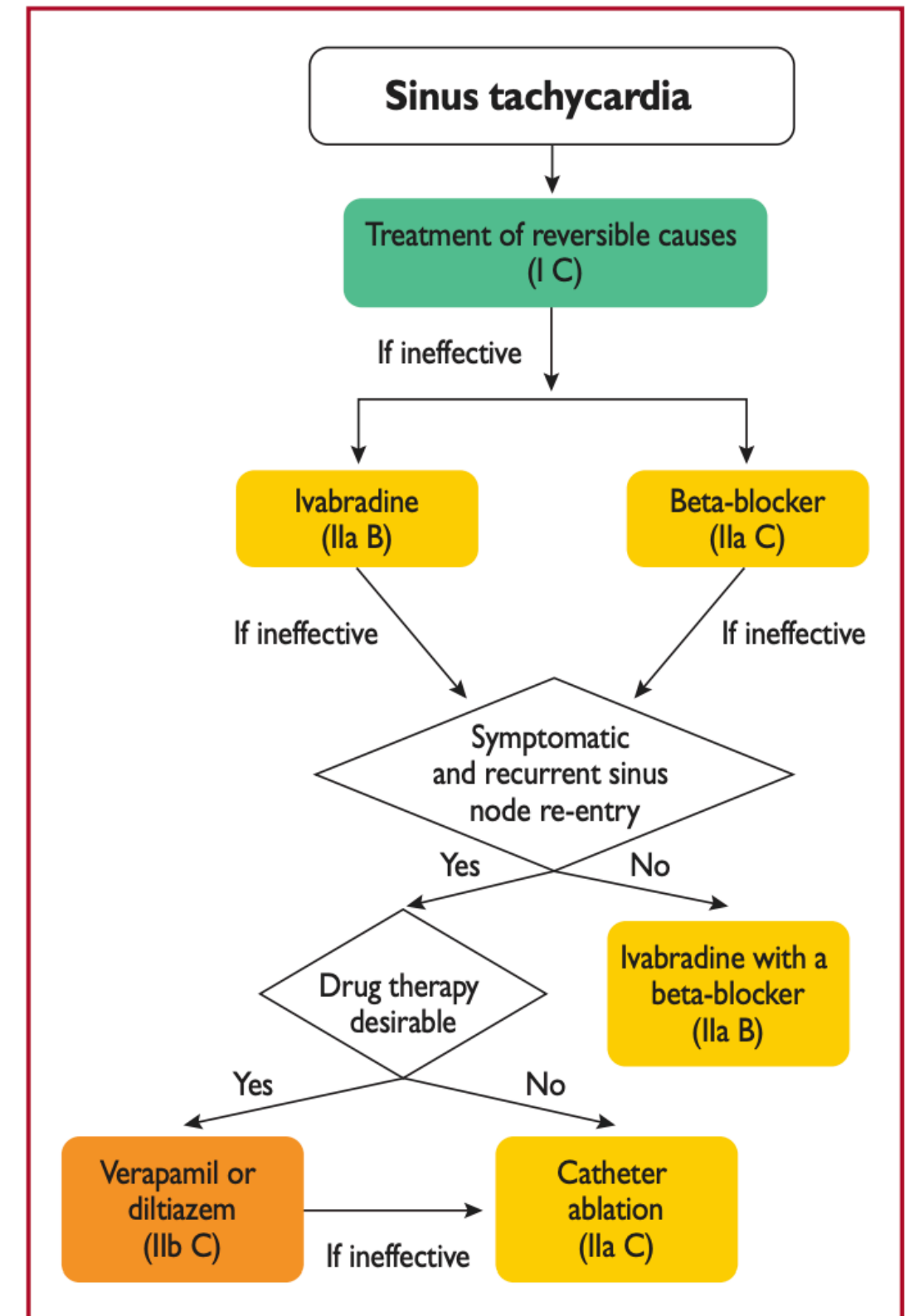
- 24-uurs Holter
- Geruststelling
- Intensief sporten



Inappropriate sinus tachycardie

- 24-uurs Holter
- HF: gemiddeld > 90–100/min
- Belangrijke stijging bij minste inspanning
- Specifiek psychologisch profiel
- Beleid – moeilijk

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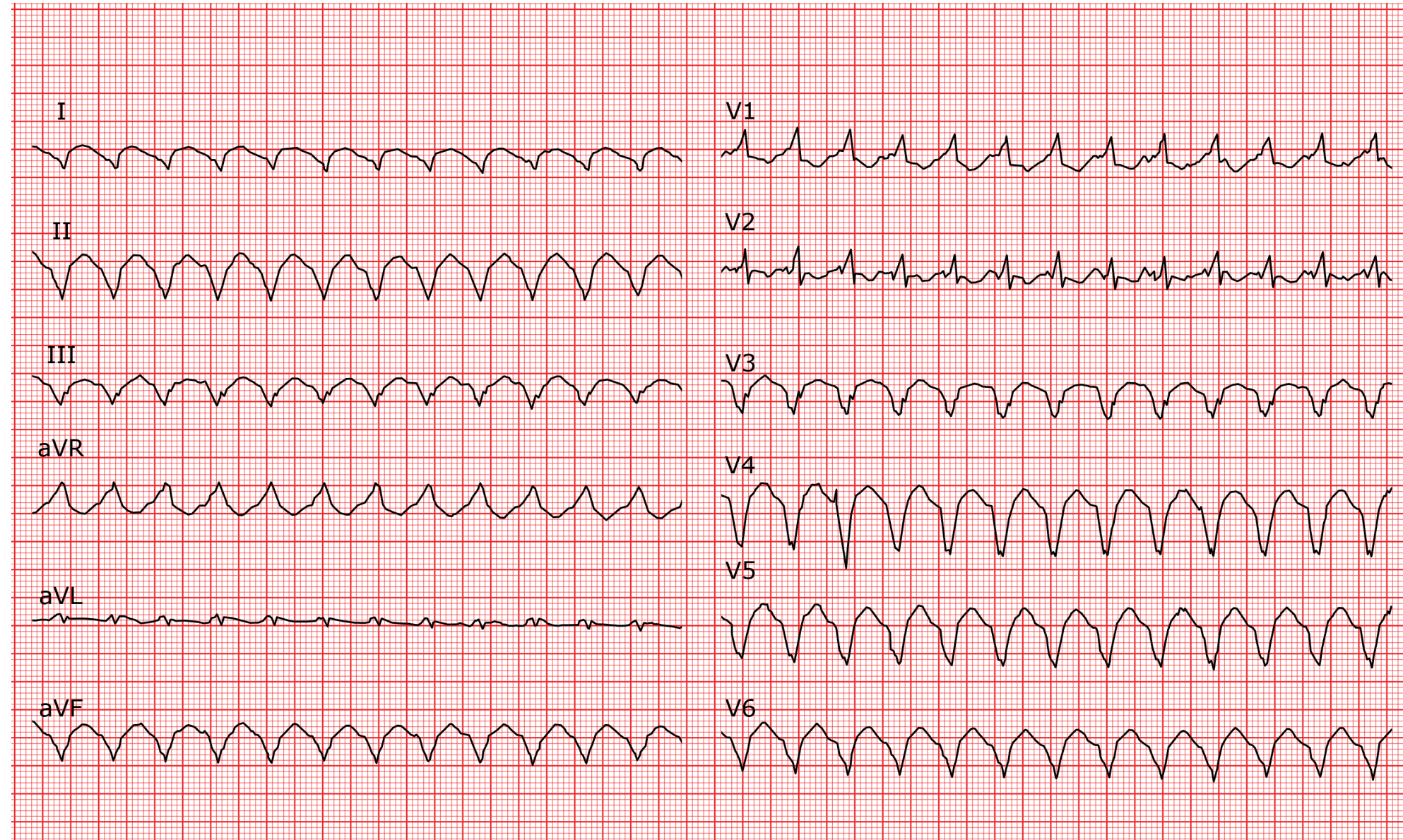


Ventriculaire aritmieën

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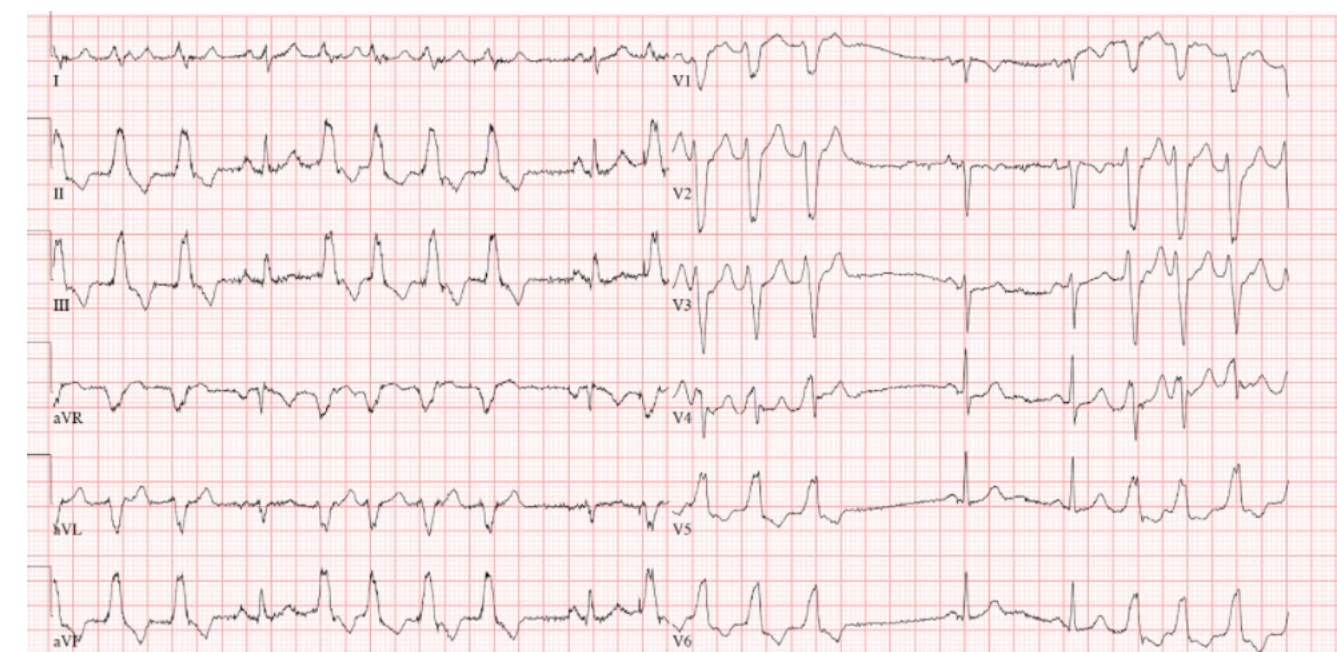


VT



VENTRICULAIRE EXTRASYSTOLEN

- Asymptomatisch – tot invaliderende klachten
- Palpaties, drukkend gevoel hoofd, nek pulsaties, pre-syncope, inspanningsdyspneu
- Leeftijd, 30–50 j, vrouwen
- Inspanning, recuperatie, rust,
- Trigger (emoties, fysische inspanning, stimulantia)
- Transient. Toevallige vondst



Afwezigheid van structurele afwijkingen

Unadjusted Survival after VT ablation

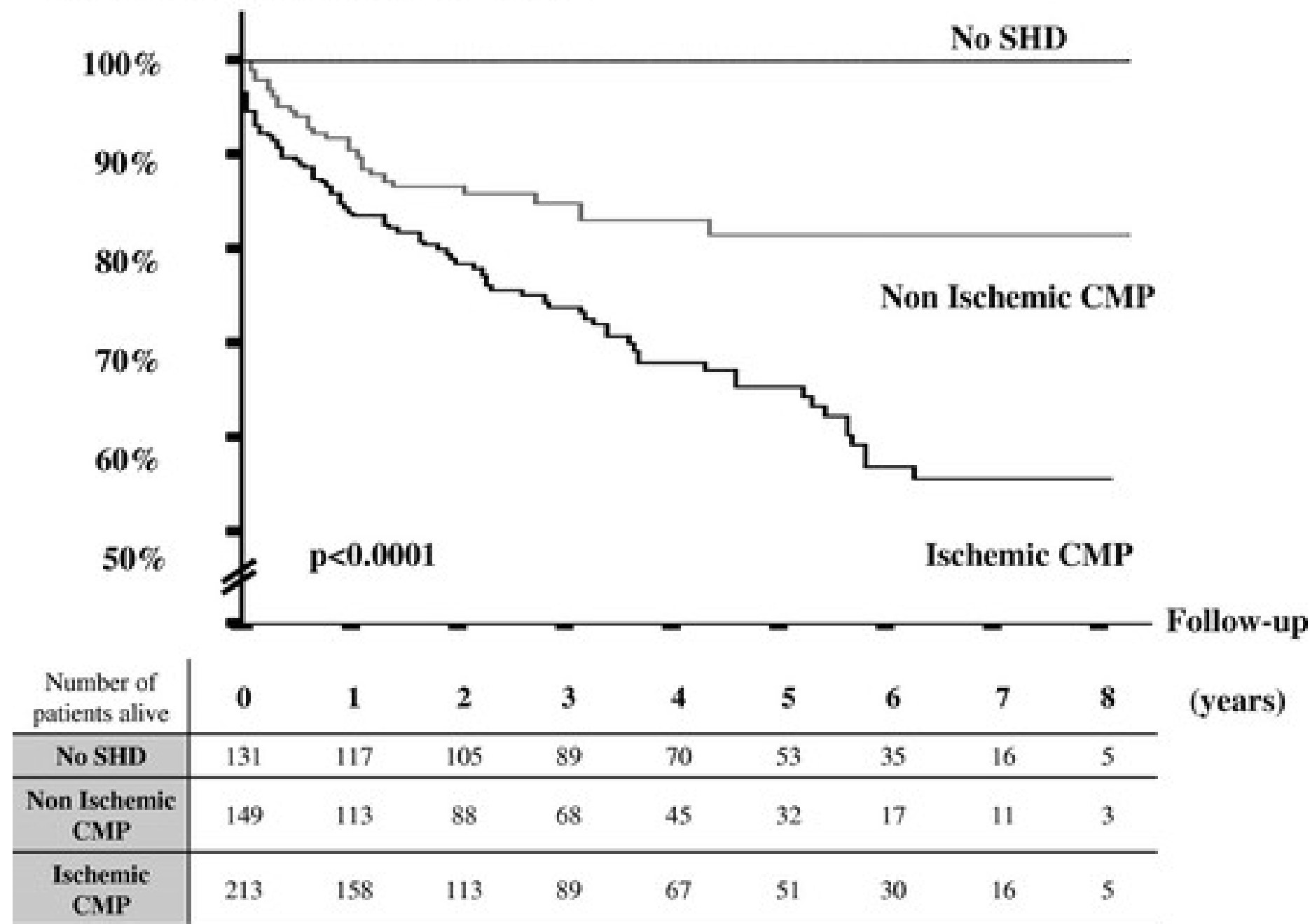


Figure 2. Kaplan-Meier curves of survival after ventricular tachycardia (VT) ablation depending on the substrate. SHD indicates structural heart disease; CMP, cardiomyopathy.

Frédéric Sacher. Circulation: Arrhythmia and Electrophysiology. Ventricular Tachycardia Ablation, Volume: 1, Issue: 3, Pages: 153-161,

Idiopathisch PVCs/VT

- Afwezigheid van structureel cardiaal lijden

- ECG

- TTE

- Geen coronairlijden

- Cardiac MRI

- Structural heart disease

- Ischemische CMP

- Gedilateerd CMP

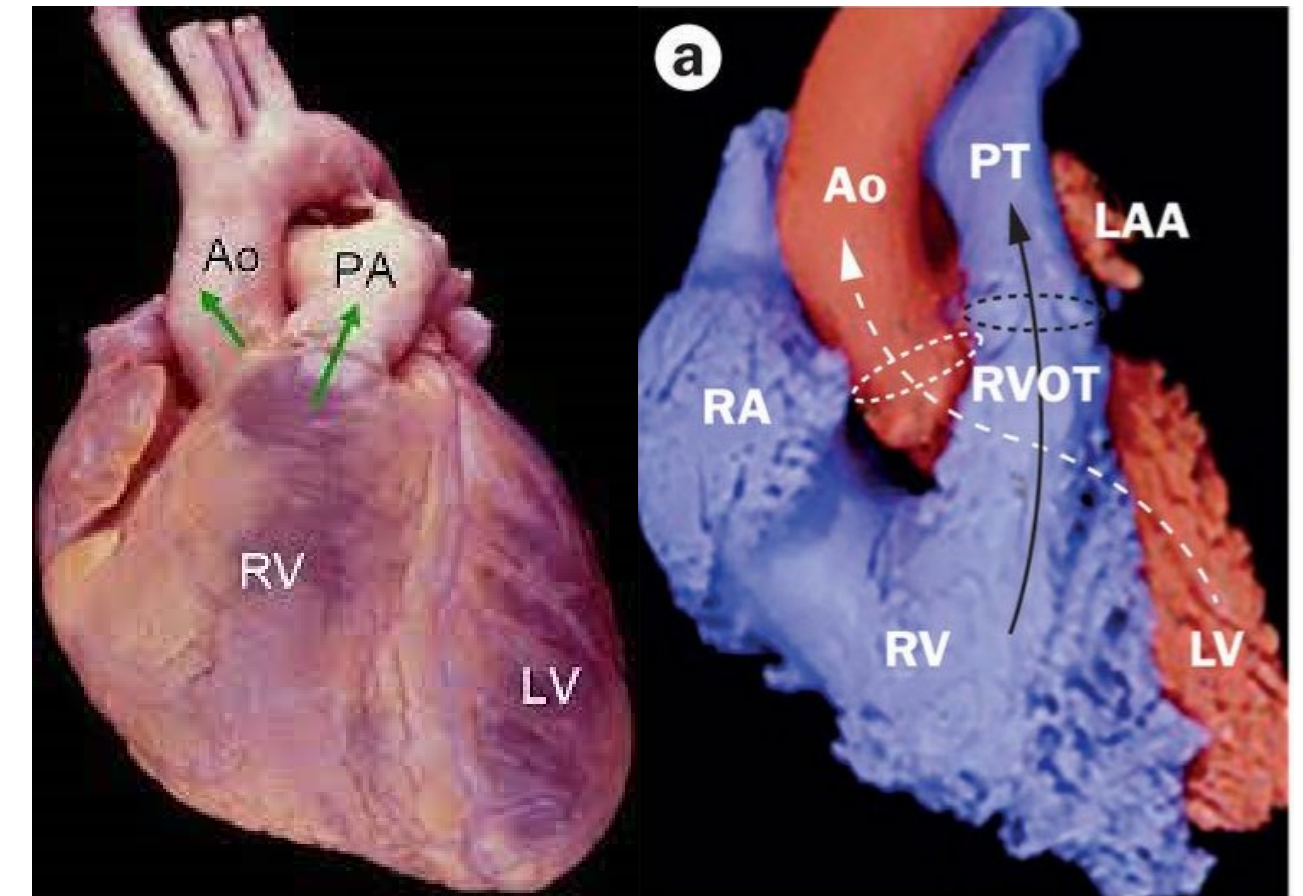
- HCMP

- ARVC

- Sarcoidose

- Brugada syndrome

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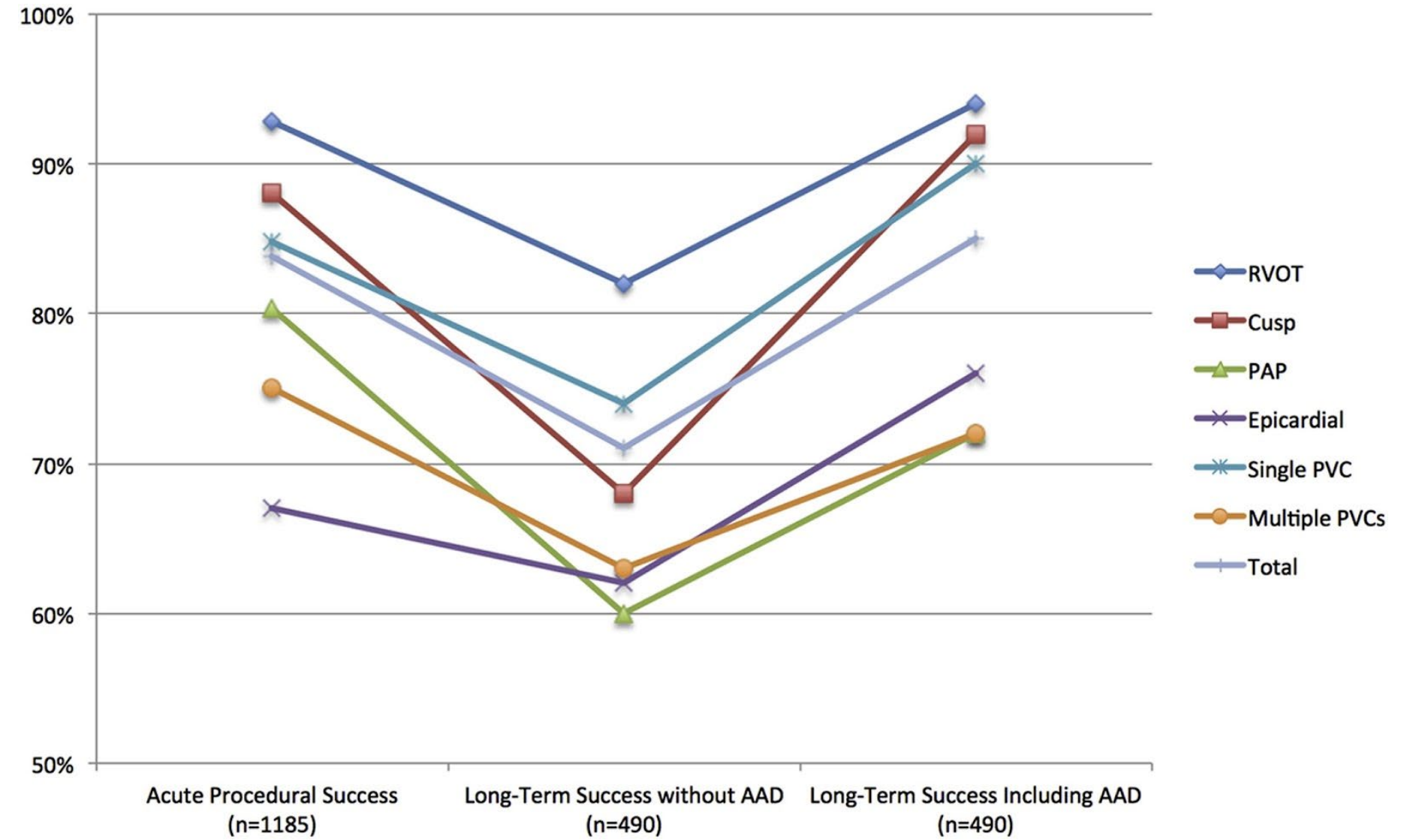
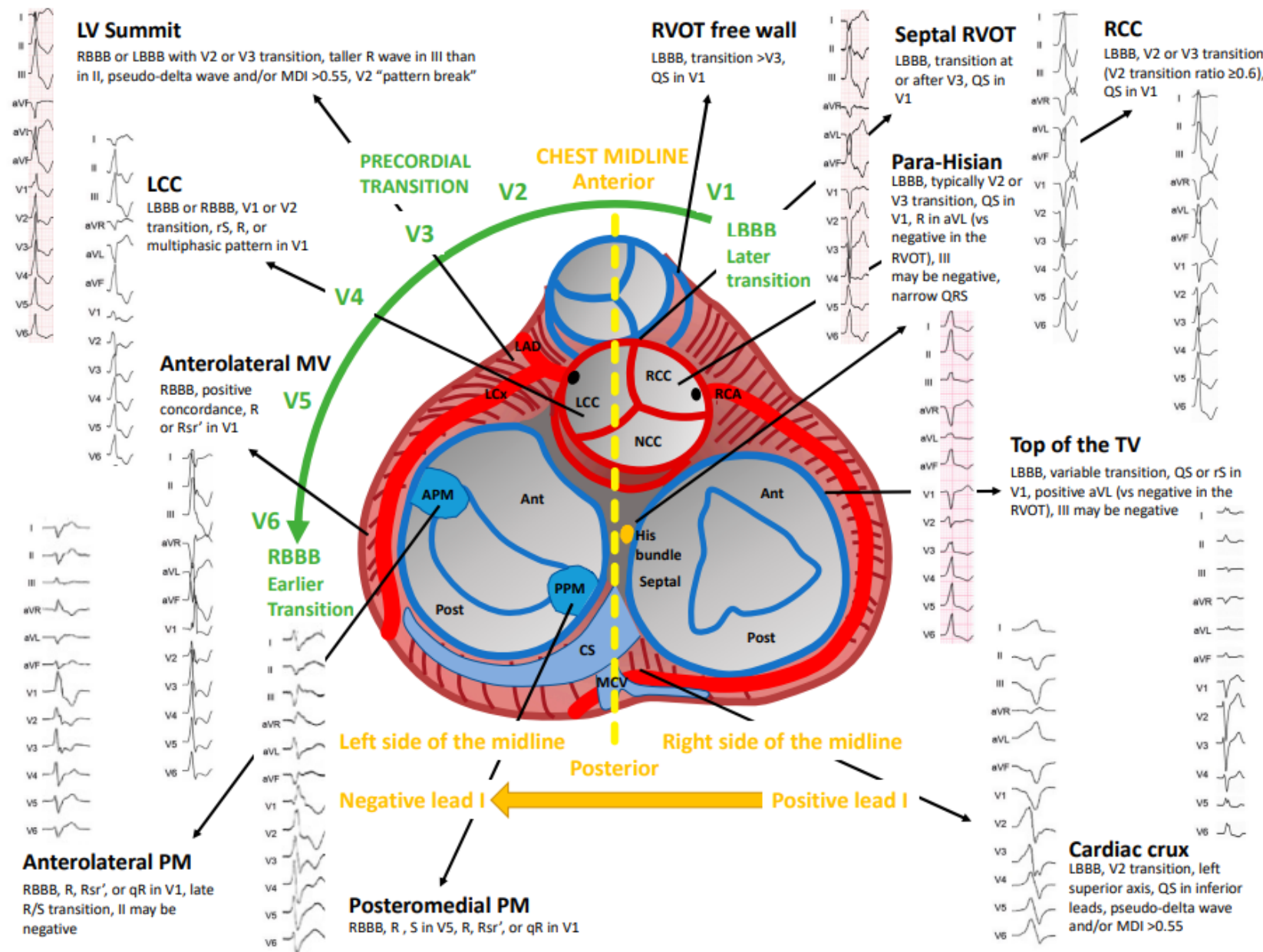


- Concealed cardiomyopathy

Behandeling

- Wanneer behandelen?
 - Symptomatisch
 - Asymptomatisch – PVC geïnduceerd CMP
 - Hoge burden van PVCs – Risico CMP
 - Structureel afwijkend hart
 - ICD
 - AAD–Ablatie
- Hoe behandelen
 - Conservatief
 - AAD
 - Ablatie

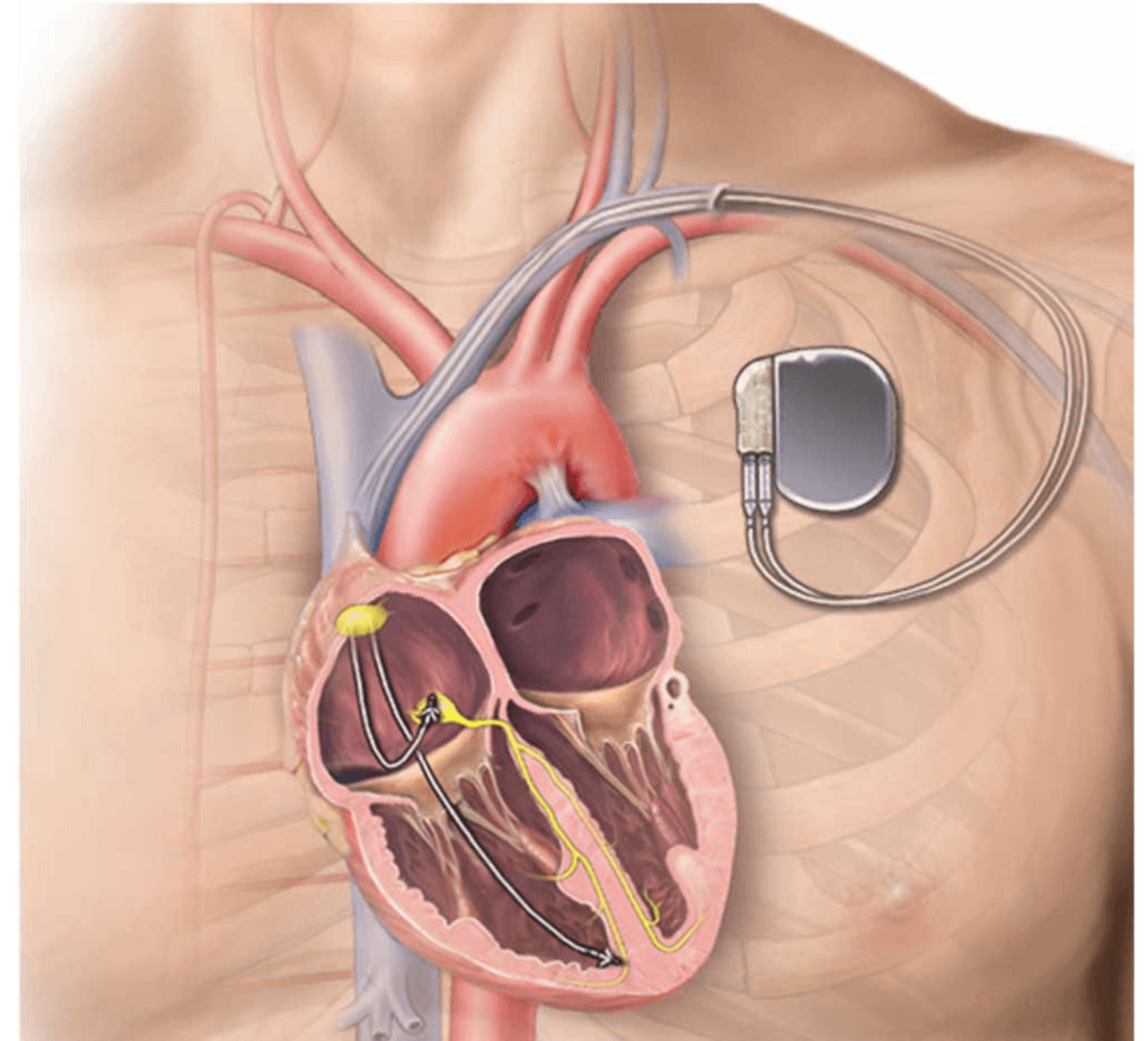
Katheter ablatie



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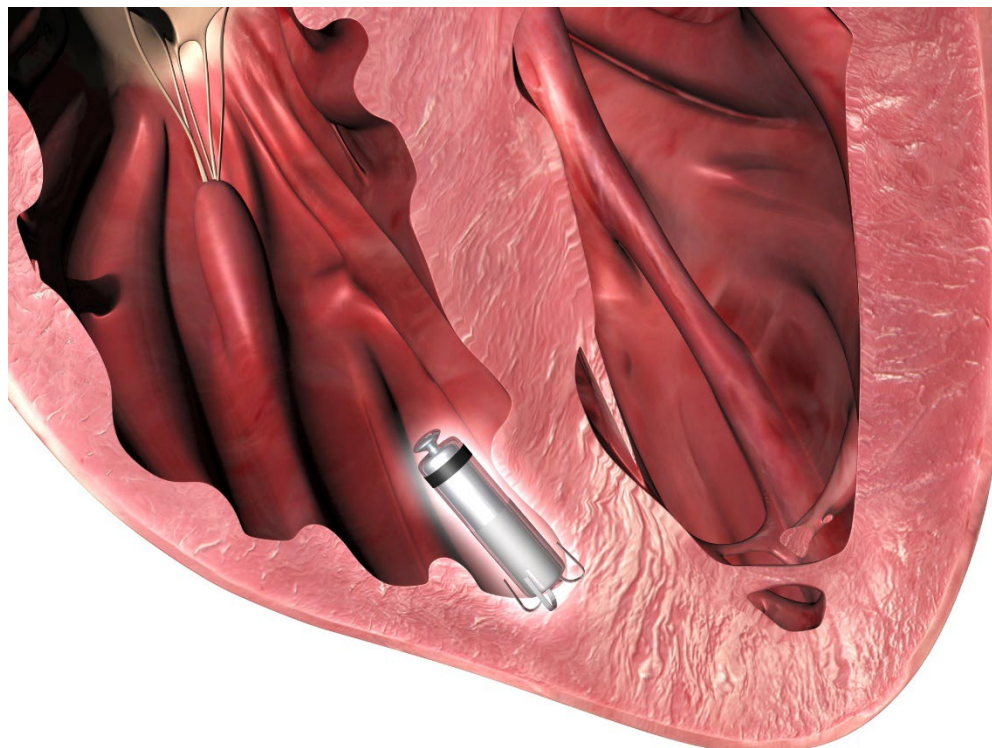
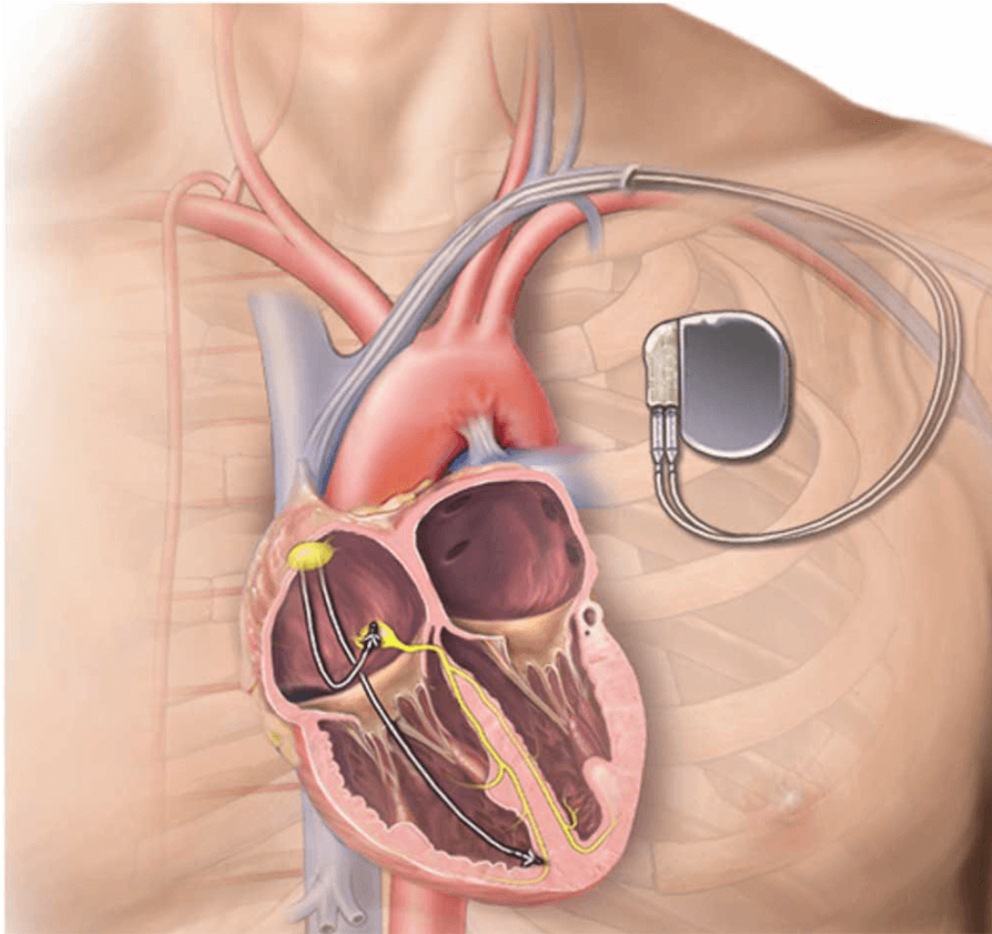
Brady -aritmieën

- Sinusknoopziekte
 - Bradycardie $<35/\text{min}$, sinus pauzes
- AV-geleidingsziekte
 - 2de graads AV-blok, totaal AV-blok
- Kliniek
 - Syncope, pre-syncope
 - Dyspneu bij minste inspanning
 - Trage hartslag

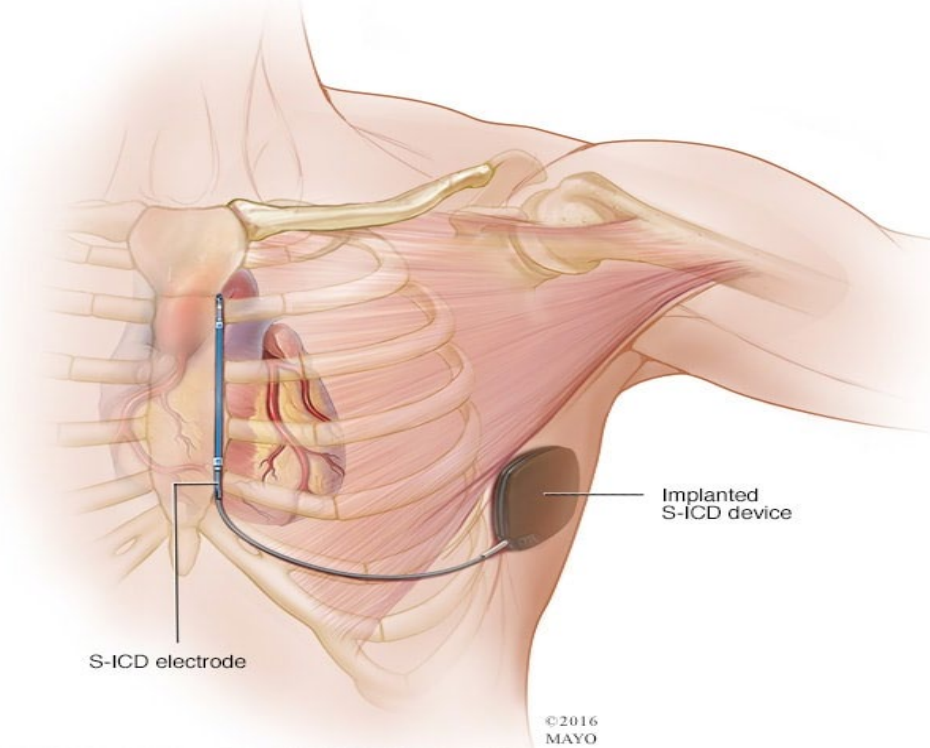
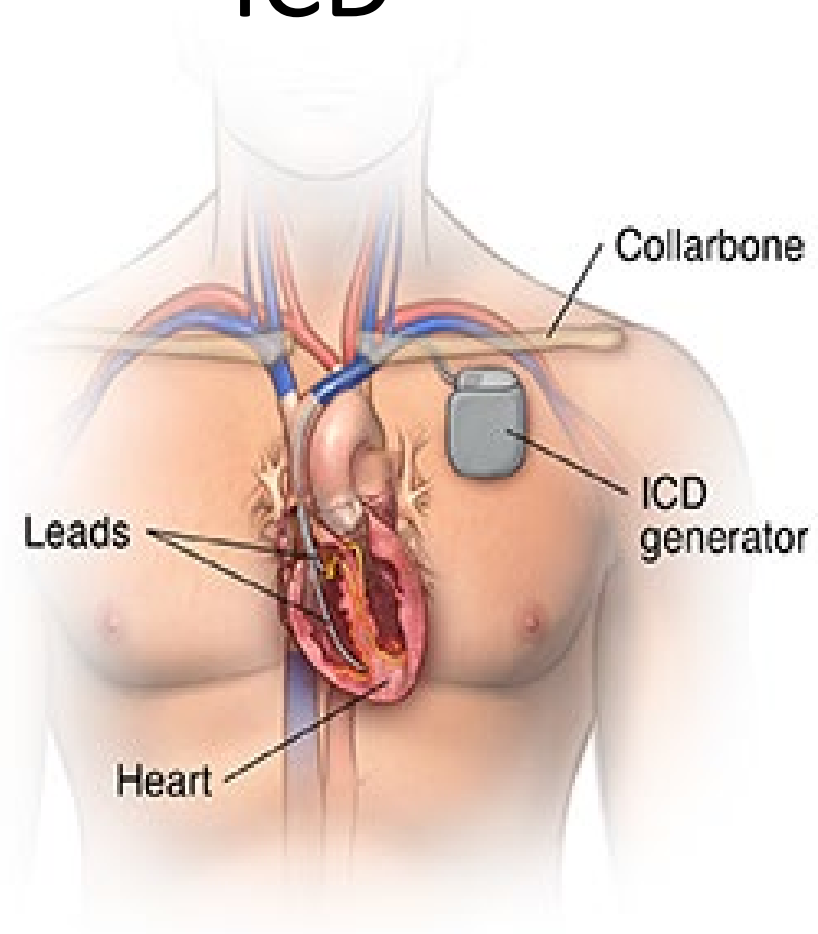


Cardiale devices

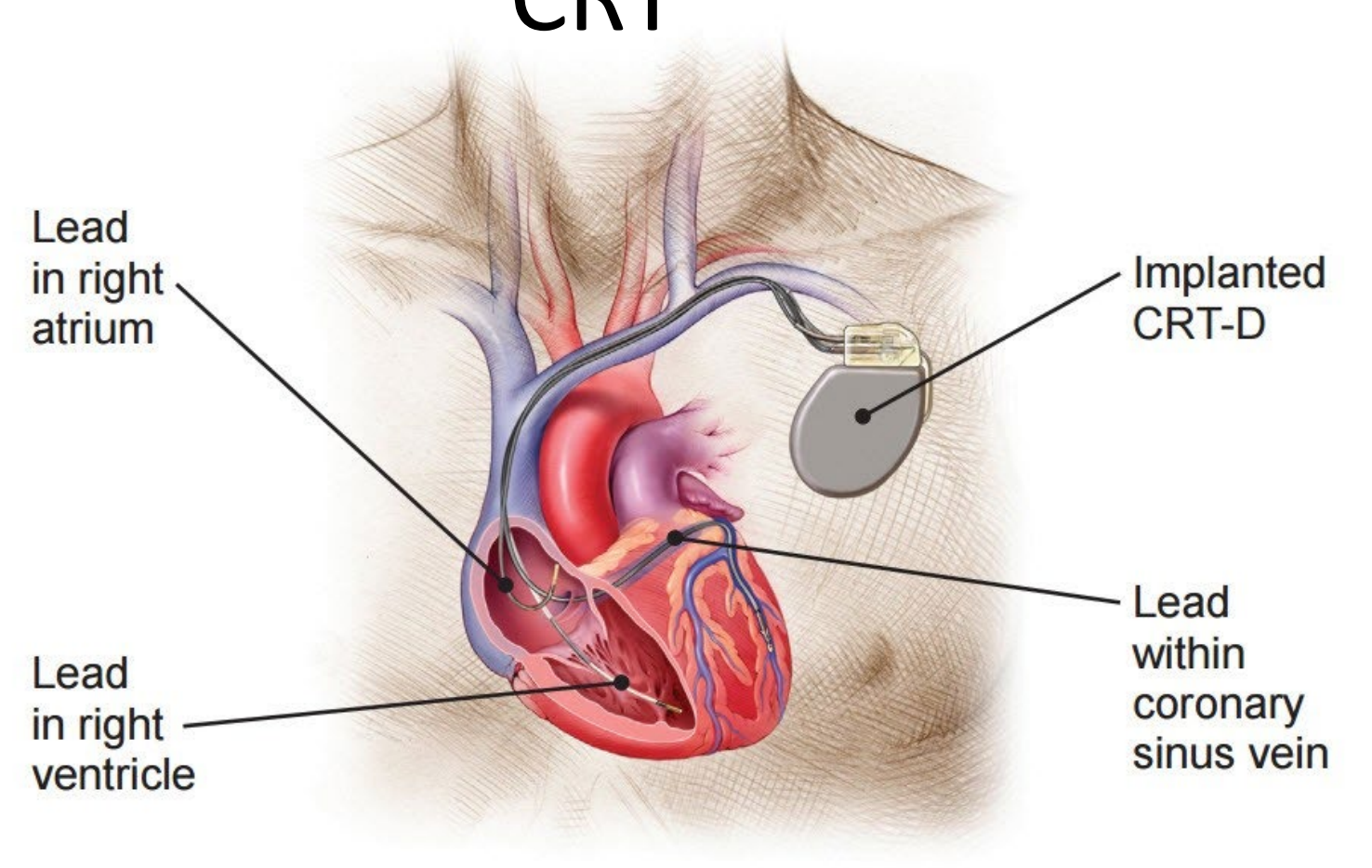
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ICD



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Take home messages

- Symptomatologie
 - Invloed op arbeid
- Invasieve behandeling
 - Invloed op arbeid
- Medicamenteuse behandeling
 - Invloed op arbeid