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# Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο: όρος 100 ετών

NOV. 29, 1913.]

PAROXYSMAL DYSPNOEA IN CARDIO-RENAL PATIENTS.

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## A Clinical Lecture ON PAROXYSMAL DYSPNOEA IN CARDIO- RENAL PATIENTS:

WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO "CARDIAC" AND  
"URAEMIC" ASTHMA.

DELIVERED AT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, LONDON,  
NOVEMBER 12TH, 1913.

BY THOMAS LEWIS, M.D., D.Sc., F.R.C.P.,  
ASSISTANT PHYSICIAN AND LECTURER IN CARDIAC PATHOLOGY,  
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL; PHYSICIAN TO OUT-  
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those of a child; neither in the lips, tongue, ears, cheeks, fingers, was there the faintest trace of cyanosis. Upon further examination the heart was found to be a little enlarged; the pulse was at the rate of 92 per minute, occasional extrasystoles interrupted its rhythm, and alternation in the force of the pulse beats was seen. There were no murmurs. The veins pulsated freely and seemed a little engorged, but the liver was not enlarged and there was no dropsy. The blood pressure was 200 mm. Hg. He was passing from 600 to 2,000 c.cm. of urine a day; sometimes a trace of albumin was present, and a few granular casts were found. Over the lungs a few rhonchi were audible.

I take this as a type case and emphasize the following features. The man presented some signs of a degeneration of the heart muscle, enlargement, and especially pulsus alternans. He presented signs of renal involvement, the urine frequently was, as a rule, increased, casts were present, the blood pressure was very high. He had urgent dyspnoea, yet he

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STATE-OF-THE-ART PAPER

## Cardiorenal Syndrome

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CLINICAL RESEARCH  
Heart failure/cardiomyopathy

## Cardio-renal syndromes: report from the consensus conference of the Acute Dialysis Quality Initiative

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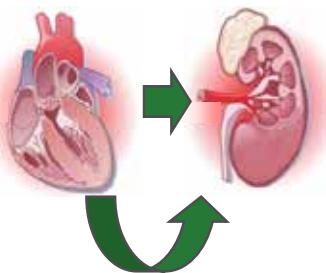
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# Cardiorenal Syndrome Types I-IV

## Type 1

- AHF or ADHF leading to AKI
- Cardiac surgery/ cardiac procedures associated AKI
  - CIN
  - CPB
  - Valve replacement

Cardiac dysfunction leading to renal disorder



## Type 2

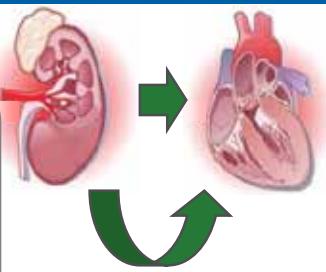
- Chronic HF (Systolic or diastolic) leading to:
- CKD
  - CKD progression
  - Diuretic resistant oliguria

Acute

Chronic

## Type 3

- AKI leading to AHF
- Volume/uremia-induced AHF or ADHF
  - Renal ischemia-induced AHF or ADHF
  - Sepsis/cytokine-induced AKI and HF



Renal dysfunction leading to CV disease

## Type 4

- CKD increasing CV mortality.  
CKD increasing CV morbidity.  
Chronic HF progression due to CKD
- Uremia-related HF
  - Volume-related HF

**AKI (KDIGO)****Stage 1**

- Serum creatinine: 1.5–1.9 fold increase from baseline within 1–7 days or  $\geq 26.5 \mu\text{mol/l}$  increase within 48 h
- Urine output:  $<0.5 \text{ ml}\cdot\text{kg}^{-1}/\text{h}$  for 6–12 h

**Stage 2**

- Serum creatinine: 2.0–2.9 fold increase from baseline
- Urine output:  $<0.5 \text{ ml}\cdot\text{kg}^{-1}/\text{h}$  for  $\geq 12 \text{ h}$

**Stage 3**

- Serum creatinine:  $\geq 3.0$  fold increase from baseline or increase  $>354 \mu\text{mol/l}$  or initiation of renal replacement therapy
- Urine output:  $<0.3 \text{ ml}\cdot\text{kg}^{-1}/\text{h}$  for  $\geq 24 \text{ h}$  or anuria  $\geq 12 \text{ h}$

**Worsening renal function (HF literature)****Definitions based on creatinine level**

- $\geq 26.5 \mu\text{mol/l}$  increase;  $\geq 26.5 \mu\text{mol/l}$  and  $\geq 25\%$  increase;  $\geq 44 \mu\text{mol/l}$  increase  $\geq 1.5$  times baseline;  $\geq 25\%$  increase and above  $176 \mu\text{mol/l}$

**Definitions based on cystatin C**

- $>0.3 \text{ mg/l}$  increase

**Definitions based on eGFR**

- $\geq 20\%$  decrease;  $\geq 25\%$  decrease;  $>5 \text{ ml}\cdot\text{min}^{-1}$  per year decrease

**Worsening renal function in chronic HF or AKI in acute HF (suggested definitions)****Worsening renal function in chronic HF\***

- $\geq 26.5 \mu\text{mol/l}$  and  $\geq 25\%$  increase in serum creatinine<sup>†</sup> or  $\geq 20\%$  decrease in eGFR over 1–26 weeks
- Additional criteria: deterioration in HF status but not leading to hospitalization

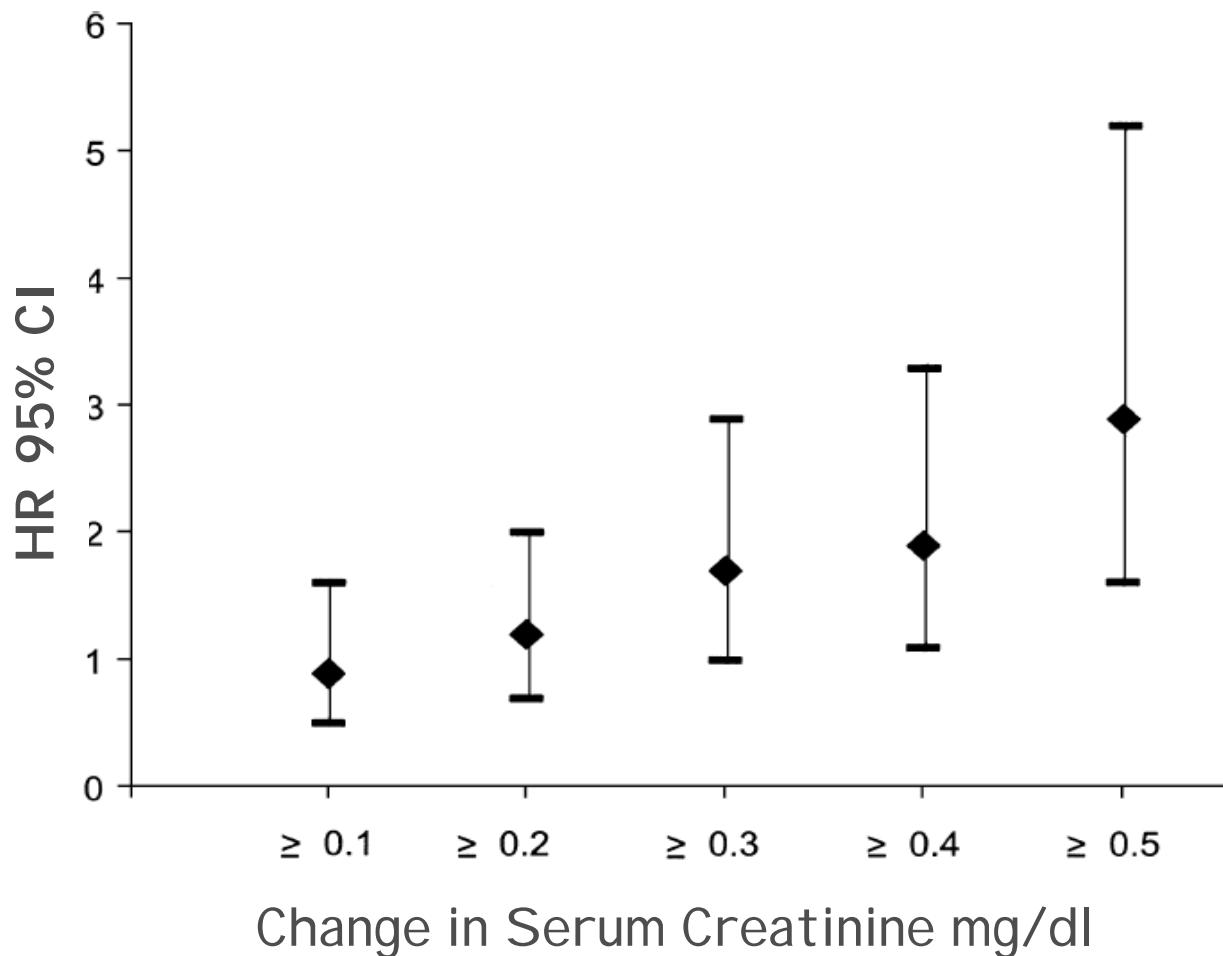
**AKI in acute HF\***

- Increase 1.5–1.9 times baseline serum creatinine level within 1–7 days before or during hospitalization or  $\geq 26.5 \mu\text{mol/l}$  increase in serum creatinine<sup>†</sup> within 48 h or urine output  $<0.5 \text{ ml}\cdot\text{kg}^{-1}/\text{h}$  for 6–12 h
- Additional criteria: deterioration in HF status or failure to improve or need for inotropes, ultrafiltration or renal replacement therapy

# Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια και Νεφρική Βλάβη Ορισμοί

*Schefold et al.  
Nature Rev Cardiol 2016*

# Change in Scratinine During Hospitalization of Patients with HF and Prognosis



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# Τύποι Καρδιακής Ανεπάρκειας

- Chronic Heart Failure (CHF)
- Acute Heart Failure (Cardiogenic Shock)
- Systolic Failure (LVSD) – Reduced EFHF
- Diastolic Heart Failure (LVDD) – NEHF
- Left Heart Failure (LVF)
- Right Heart Failure (Congestive CCF)
- Forward Failure and Backward Failure
- High output failure -Thyrotoxic, Paget's, Anemia, Pregnancy, A-V fistula
- Low output failure – 95% of HF is this

# 2016 ESC Guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic heart failure

**Table 3.1** Definition of heart failure with preserved (HFpEF), mid-range (HFmrEF) and reduced ejection fraction (HFrEF)

Type of HF		HFrEF	HFmrEF	HFpEF
CRITERIA	1	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>	Symptoms ± Signs <sup>a</sup>
	2	LVEF <40%	LVEF 40–49%	LVEF ≥50%
	3	–	1. Elevated levels of natriuretic peptides <sup>b</sup> ; 2. At least one additional criterion: a. relevant structural heart disease (LVH and/or LAE), b. diastolic dysfunction (for details see Section 4.3.2).	1. Elevated levels of natriuretic peptides <sup>b</sup> ; 2. At least one additional criterion: a. relevant structural heart disease (LVH and/or LAE), b. diastolic dysfunction (for details see Section 4.3.2).

BNP = B-type natriuretic peptide; HF = heart failure; HFmrEF = heart failure with mid-range ejection fraction; HFpEF = heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; HFrEF = heart failure with reduced ejection fraction; LAE = left atrial enlargement; LVEF = left ventricular ejection fraction; LVH = left ventricular hypertrophy; NT-proBNP = N-terminal pro-B type natriuretic peptide.

<sup>a</sup>Signs may not be present in the early stages of HF (especially in HFpEF) and in patients treated with diuretics.

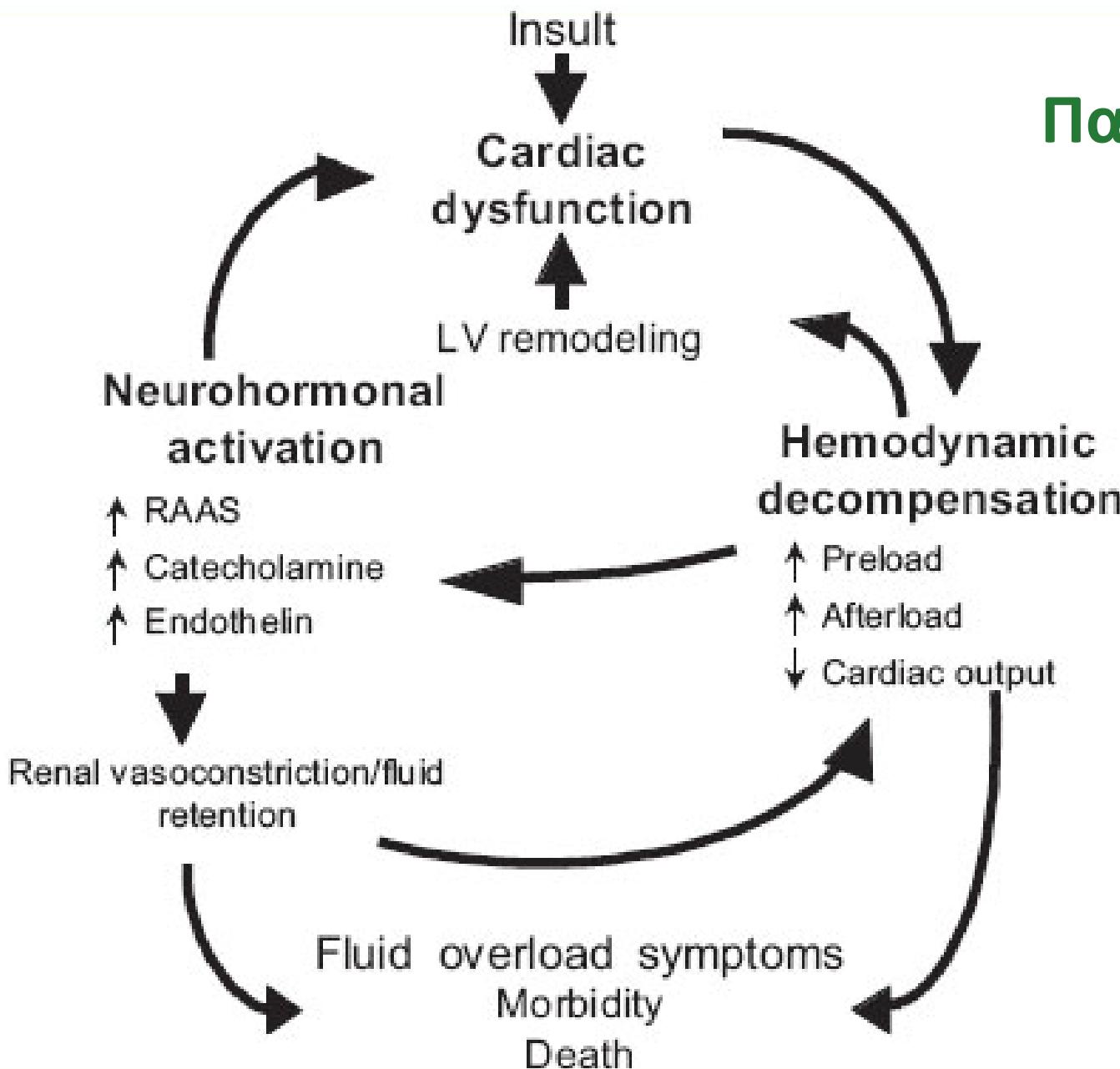
<sup>b</sup>BNP>35 pg/ml and/or NT-proBNP>125 pg/mL

# Οξεία Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια

## Κλινικοί «τύποι»

Clinical Presentation	Incidence*	Characteristics	Targets† and Therapies‡
Elevated BP (above 160 mm Hg)	~25%	Predominantly pulmonary (radiographic/clinical) with or without systemic congestion. Many patients have preserved EF.	Target: BP and volume management Therapy: vasodilators (e.g., nitrates§, nesiritide, nitroprusside) and loop diuretics
Normal or moderately elevated BP	~50%	Develop gradually (days or weeks) and are associated with systemic congestion. Radiographic pulmonary congestion may be minimal in patients with advanced HF.	Target: volume management Therapy: loop diuretics ± vasodilators
Low BP (<90 mm Hg)	<8%	Mostly related to low cardiac output and often associated with decreased renal function.	Target: cardiac output Therapy: Inotropes with vasodilatory properties (e.g., milrinone, dobutamine, levosimendan); consider digoxin (intravenous and/or orally) ± vasopressor medications ± mechanical assist devices (e.g., IABP)
Cardiogenic shock	<1%	Rapid onset. Primarily complicating acute MI, fulminant myocarditis, acute valvular disease.	Target: Improve cardiac pump function Therapy: Inotropes ± vasoactive medications ± mechanical assist devices, corrective surgery
Flash pulmonary edema	3%	Abrupt onset. Often precipitated by severe systemic hypertension. Patients respond readily to vasodilators and diuretics.	Target: BP, volume management Therapy: vasodilators, diuretics, invasive or NIV, morphine¶
ACS and AHFS	~25% of ACS have HF signs/symptoms	Rapid or gradual onset. Many such patients may have signs and symptoms of HF that resolve after resolution of ischemia.	Target: coronary thrombosis, plaque stabilization, correction of ischemia Therapy: reperfusion (e.g., PCI, lytics, nitrates, antiplatelet agents)
Isolated right HF from pulmonary HTN or intrinsic RV failure (e.g., Infarct) or valvular abnormalities (e.g., tricuspid valve endocarditis)	?	Rapid or gradual onset due to primary or secondary PA hypertension or RV pathology (e.g., RV Infarct). Not well characterized with little epidemiological data.	Target: PA pressure Therapy: nitrates, epoprostenol, phosphodiesterase inhibitors, endothelin-blocking agents, coronary reperfusion for RV Infarcts, valve surgery
Post-cardiac surgery HF	?	Occurring in patients with or without previous ventricular dysfunction, often related to worsening diastolic function and volume overload immediately after surgery and the subsequent early post-operative interval. Can also be caused by inadequate intra-operative myocardial protection resulting in cardiac injury.	Target: volume management, improve cardiac performance (output) Therapy: diuretic or fluid administration (directed by filling pressures and cardiac Index), Inotropic support, mechanical assistance (IABP, VAD)

# Παθοφυσιολογία KA

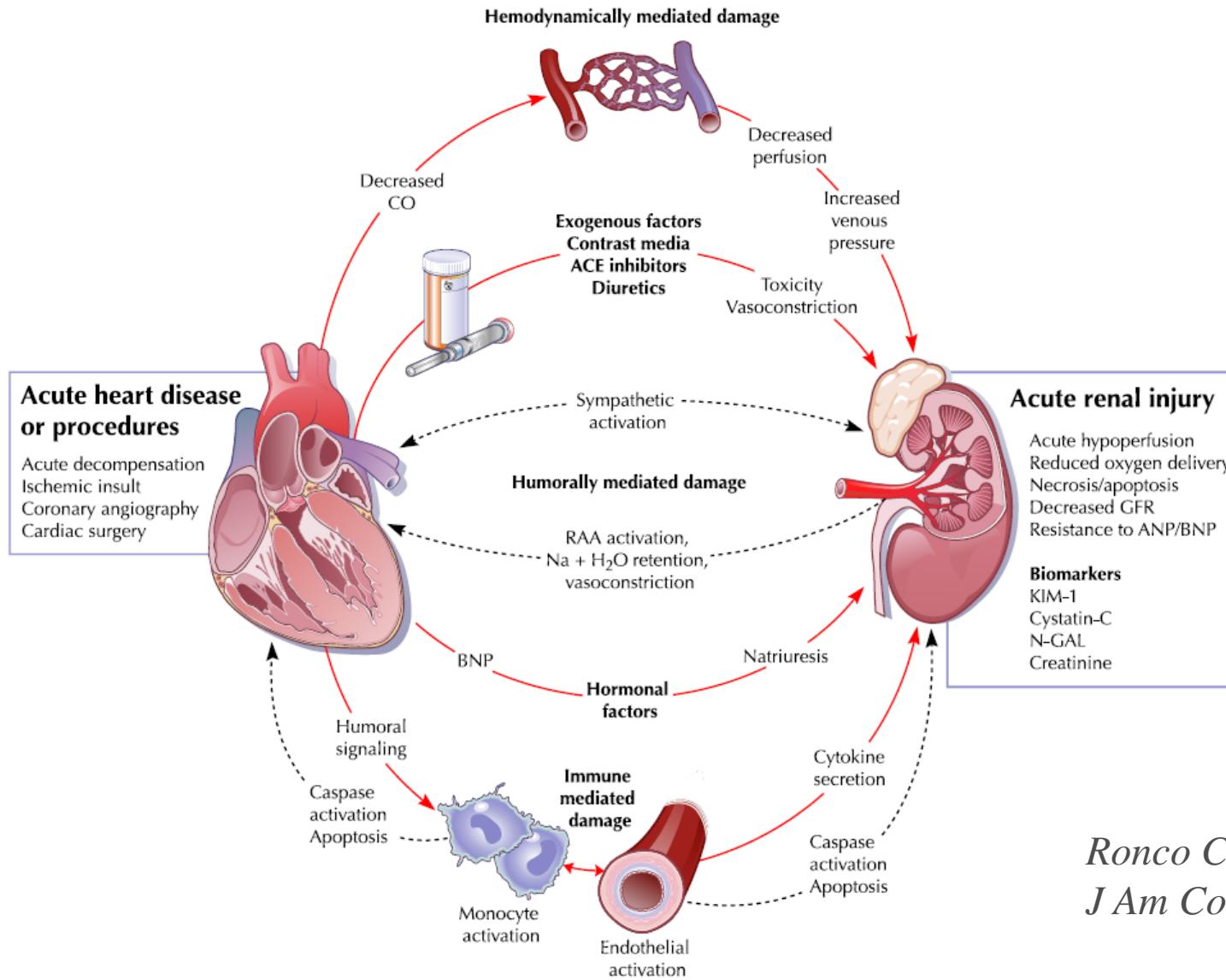


# Ομάδες ασθενών με υψηλή συχνότητα νατριοευαισθησίας

- Fixed factors
  - Middle and older-aged persons
  - African-Americans
  - Individuals with:
    - Hypertension
    - Diabetes
    - Chronic Kidney Disease
- Modifiable
  - Low potassium intake
  - Poor quality diet

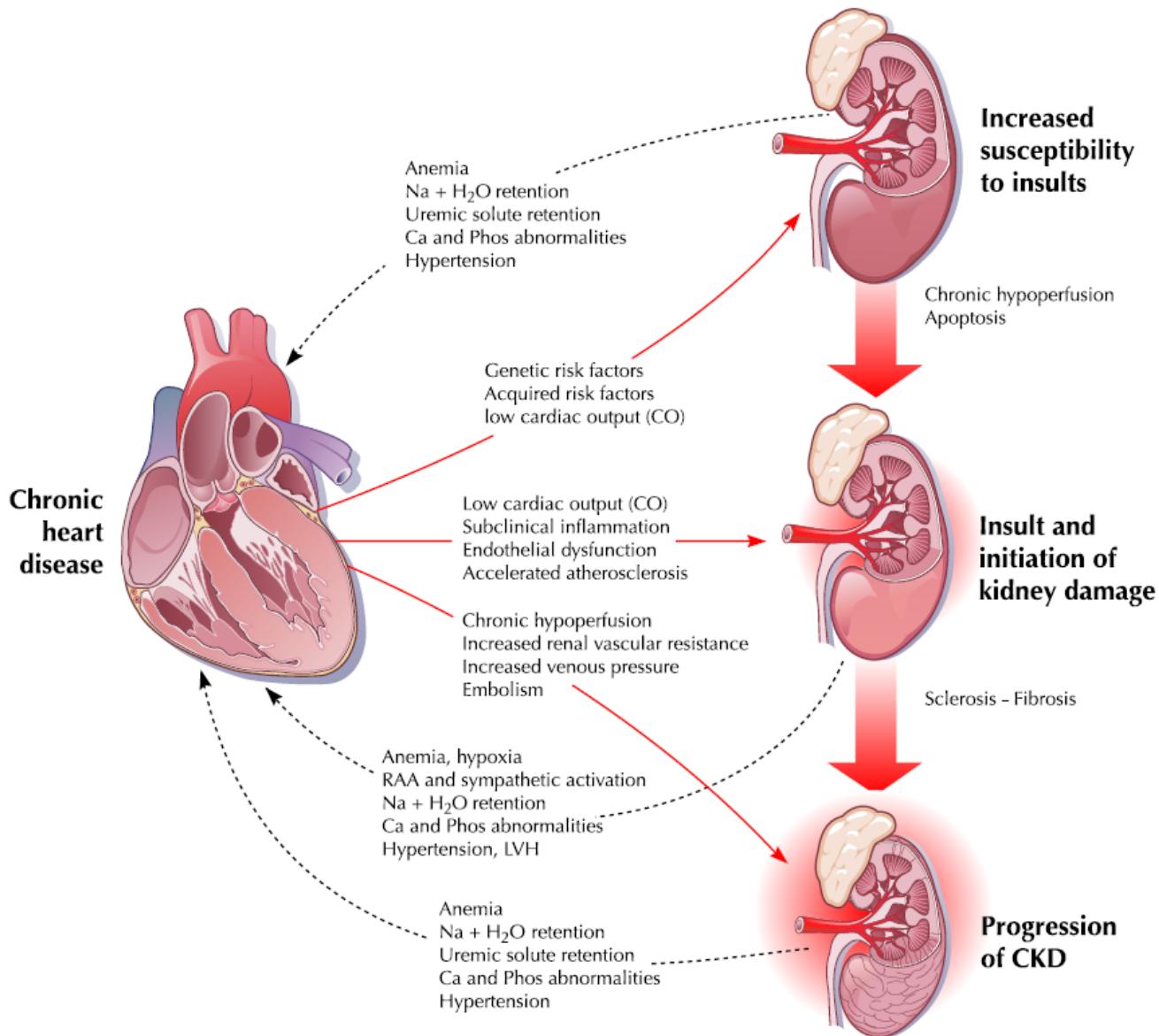
*Oξύ και Χρόνιο Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο:  
Νεφρική Βλάβη*

# Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο Τύπου I: Οξύ Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο



Ronco C et al,  
J Am Coll Cardiol 2008

# Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο Τύπου II: Χρόνιο Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο



# Οξεία Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια και Νεφρική Βλάβη Μηχανισμοί

## Intrinsic Renal Disease

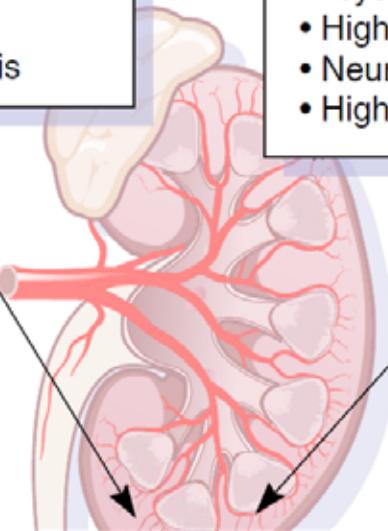
- Diabetes
- Hypertension
- Arteriosclerosis

## “Vasomotor” Nephropathy

- Decreased cardiac output and/or systemic vasodilation
- High renal venous pressures
- Neurohormonal activation
- High dose loop diuretic therapy

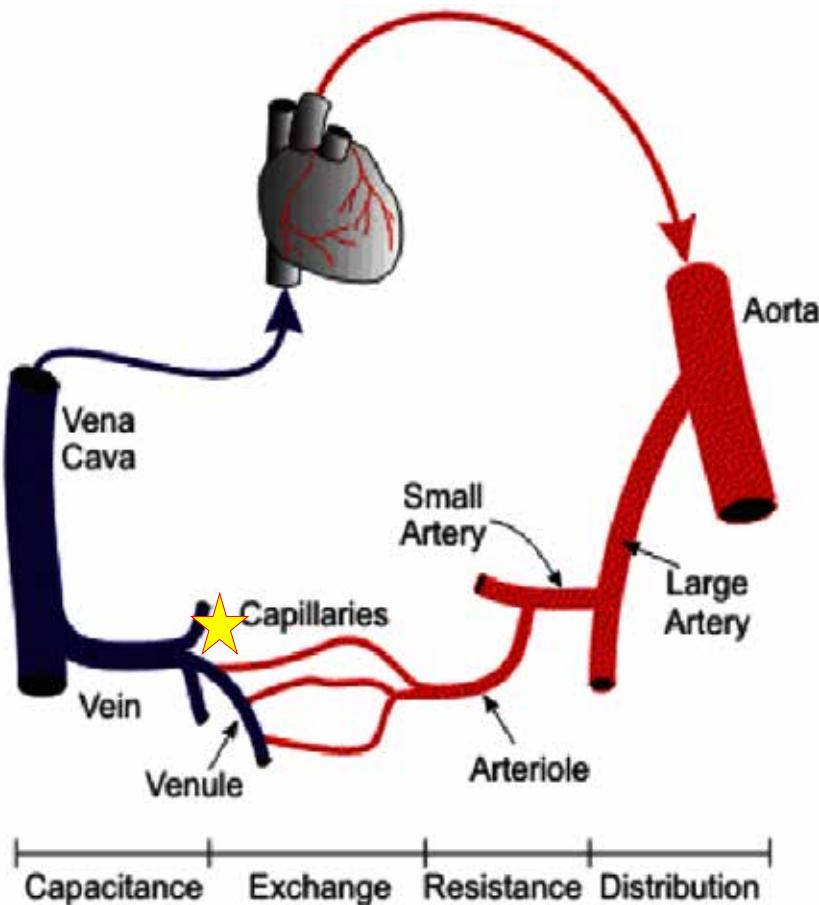
## Cardio-renal Syndrome

Worsening renal function during hospitalization, in spite of clinical improvement in response to therapy for HF and adequate intravascular volume

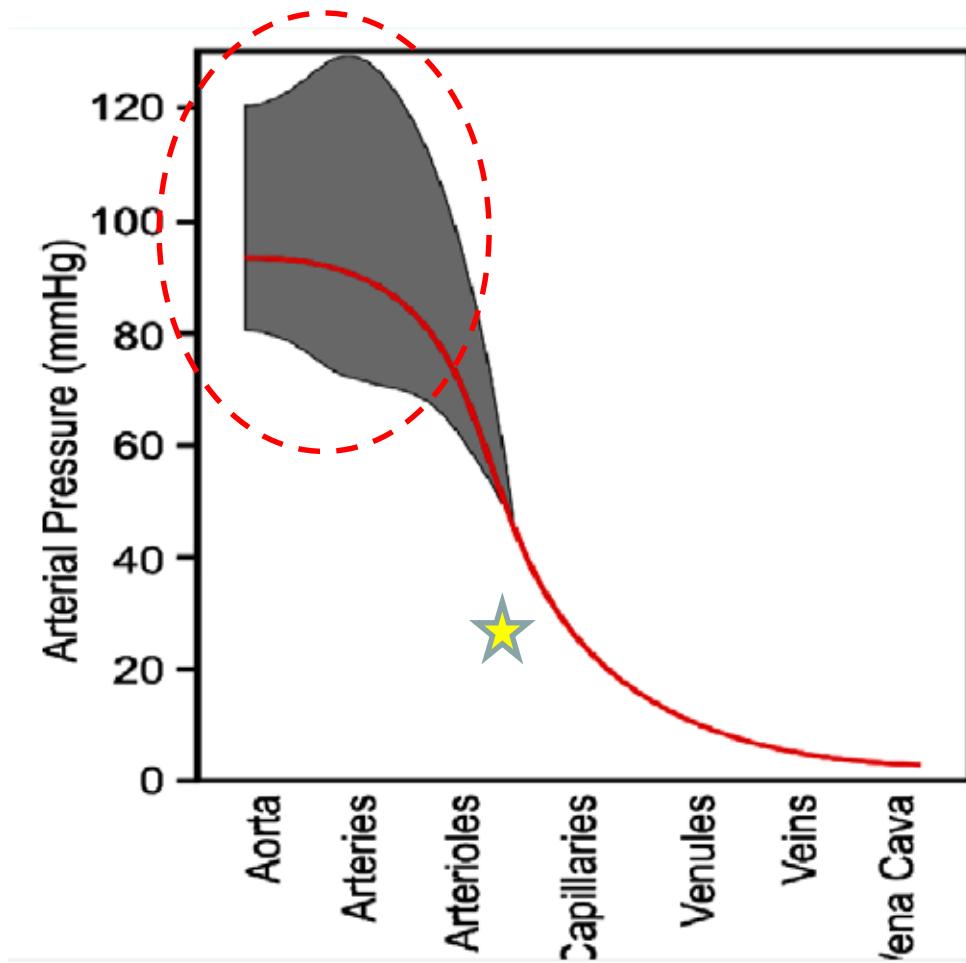


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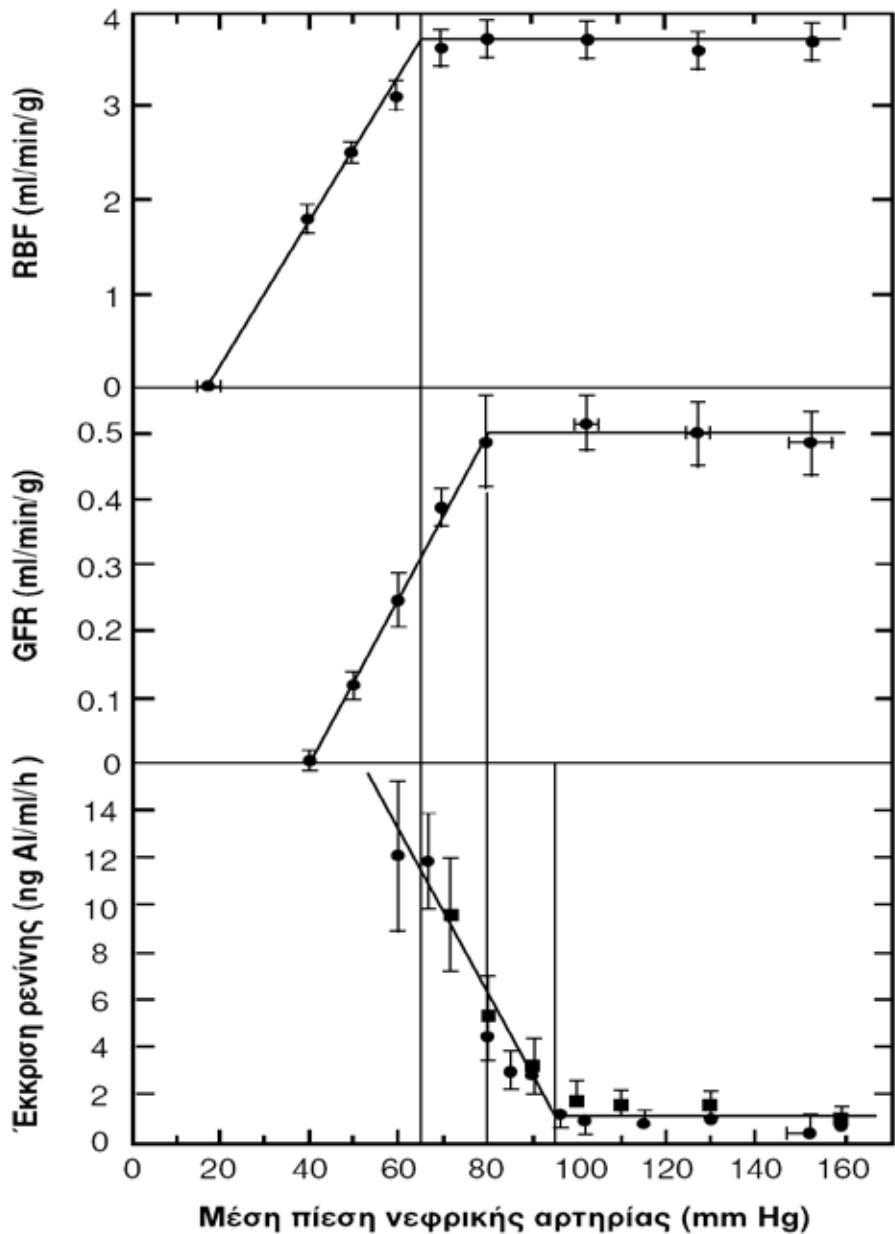
# Global versus regional haemodynamics



13% blood volume



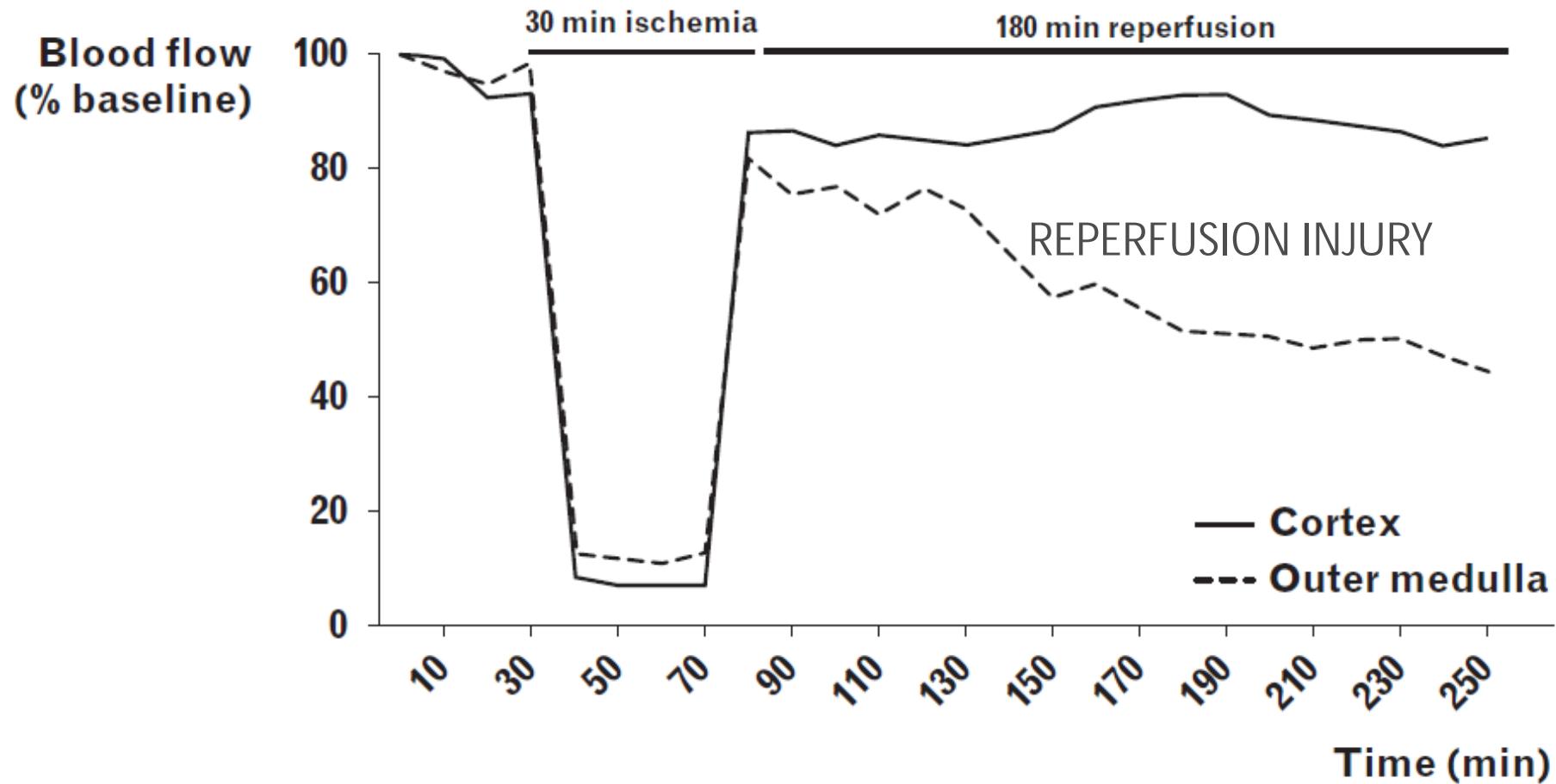
# Αρτηριακή Πίεση και Προνεφρική ΟΝΑ



Η σχέση της πίεσης διήθησης του νεφρού με την νεφρική αιματική ροή (RBF), το ρυθμό σπειραματικής διήθησης (GFR) και την έκκριση ρενίνης σε κύνες. Η πίεση διήθησης ελεγχόταν με αεροθάλαμο που είχε τοποθετηθεί στη νεφρική αρτηρία. Οι μεταβολές της απεικονίζονται στο σχήμα με τις αντίστοιχες μεταβολές στη μέση πίεση της νεφρικής αρτηρίας. Πτώση στη μέση πίεση της νεφρικής αρτηρίας κάτω απ' το επίπεδο των 95 mmHg περίπου (threshold pressure) οδηγεί σε απότομη αύξηση της έκκρισης ρενίνης. Αν η πίεση συνεχίσει να υποχωρεί σε ακόμη χαμηλότερα επίπεδα, θα πέσει πρώτα ο GFR και στη συνέχεια η RBF. Τα δύο αυτά μεγέθη εμφανίζουν επίσης οξεία μεταβολή μετά από ένα ορισμένο επίπεδο πίεσης και τα τρία αυτά επίπεδα απέχουν περίπου 15 mmHg το ένα από το άλλο

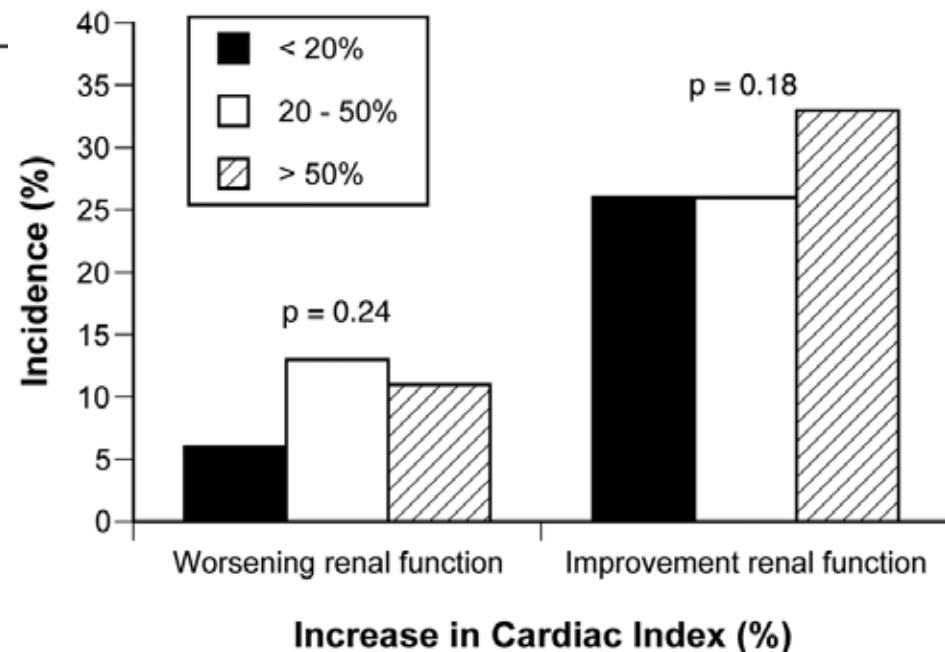
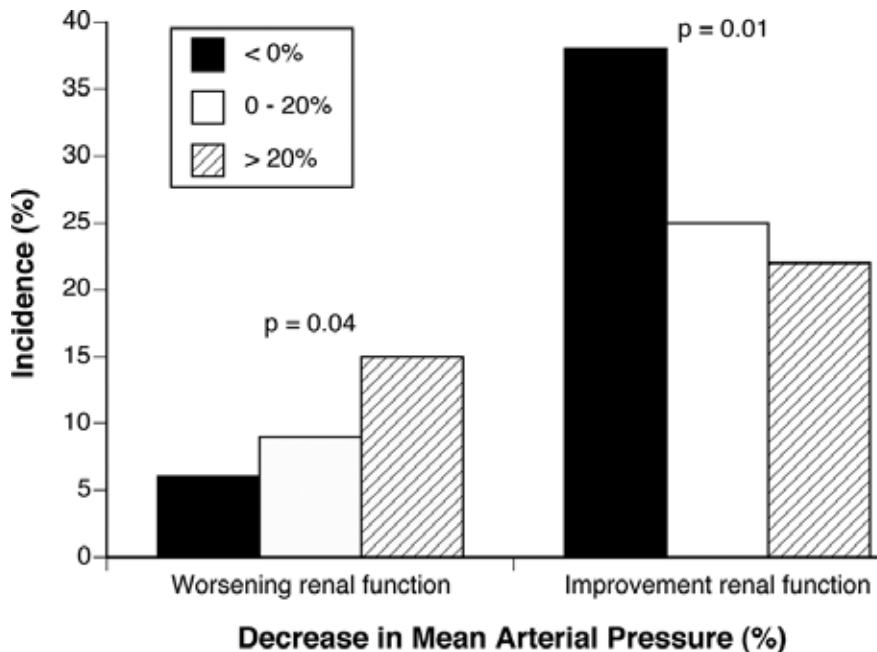
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# Renal medullary ischaemia



# ΑΥ και ΟΝΒ στην Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια

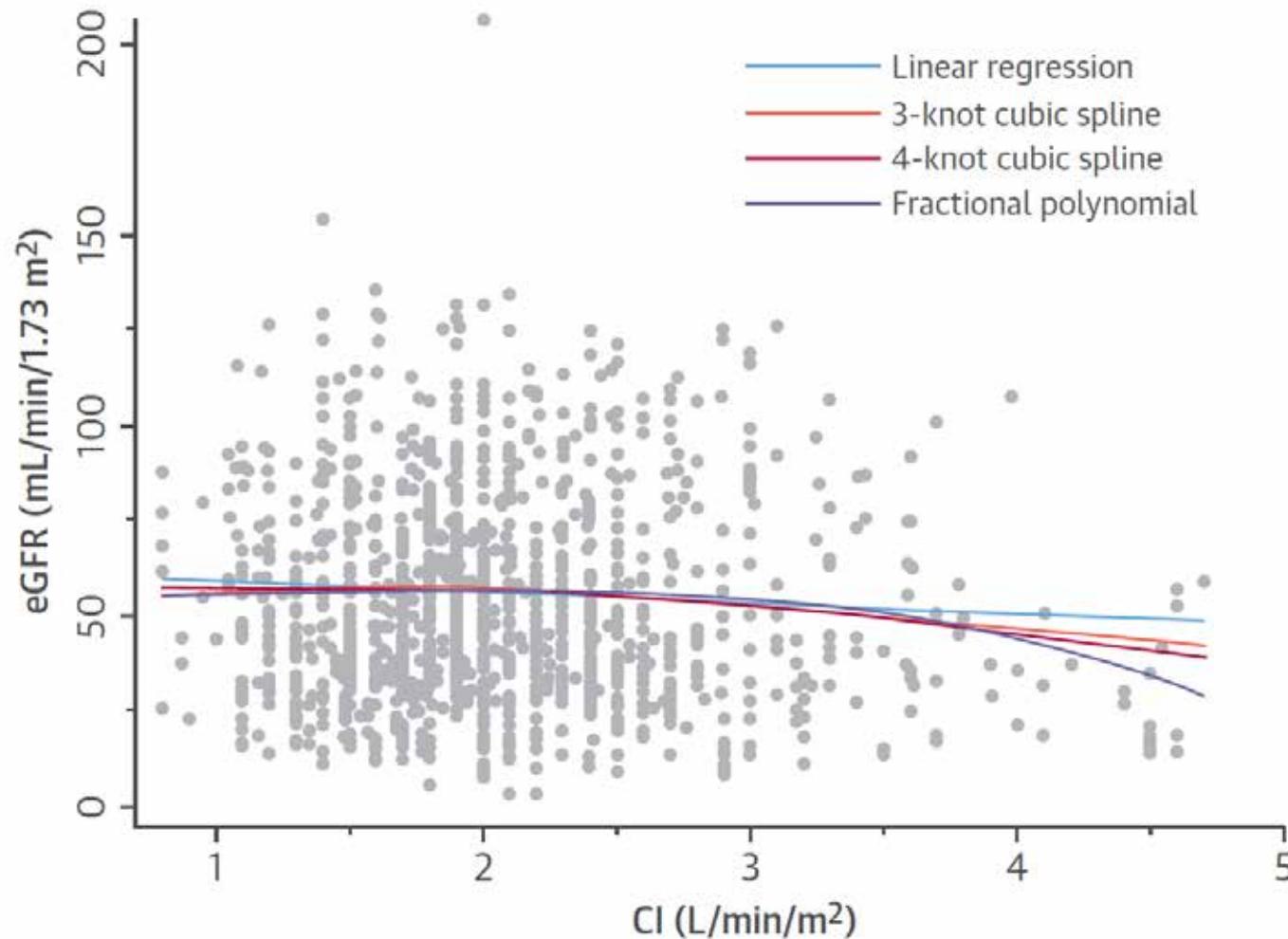
443 patients treated for ADHF



Dupont, et al.  
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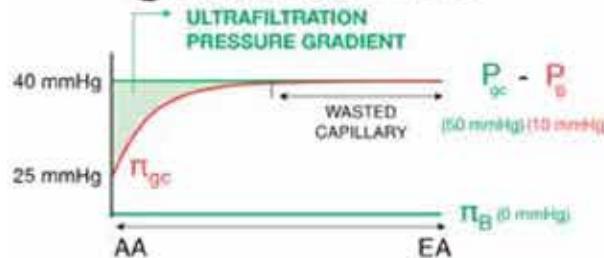
## Καρδιακή παροχή και eGFR

575 patients who underwent right PAC of the ESCAPE trial (mean EF  $23\pm12\%$ , CI  $2.3\pm2.1$  L/min/m $^2$  and a right atrial pressure of  $14\pm9$  mm Hg)

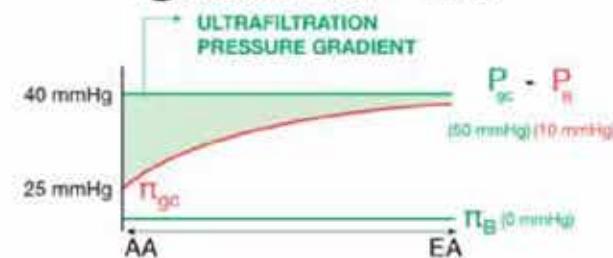


# eGFR, RBF & Filtration Fraction

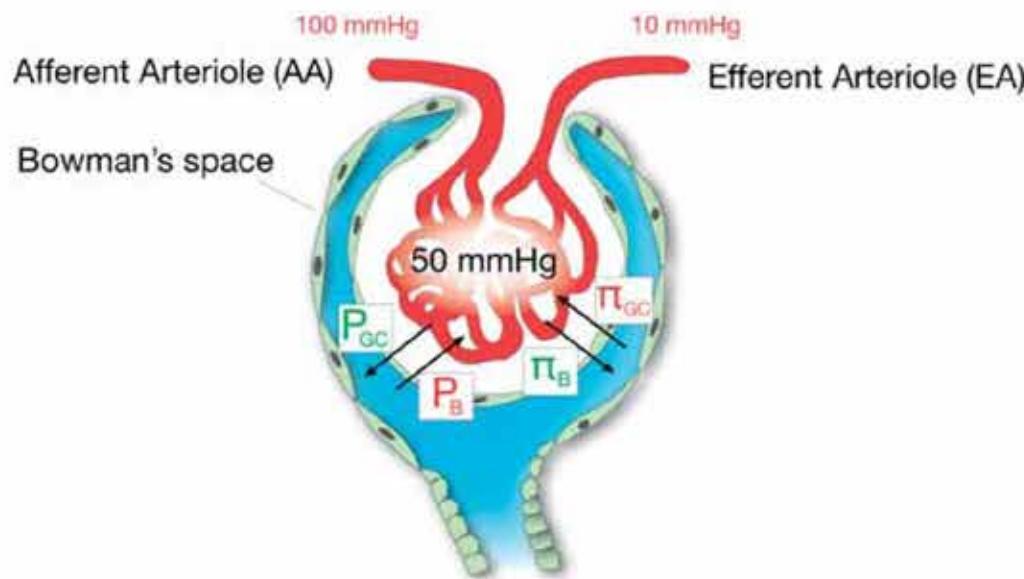
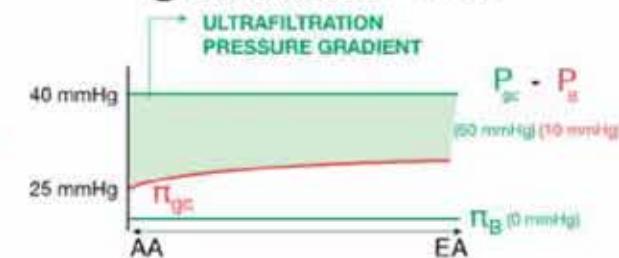
① Low RBF, FF = 60%



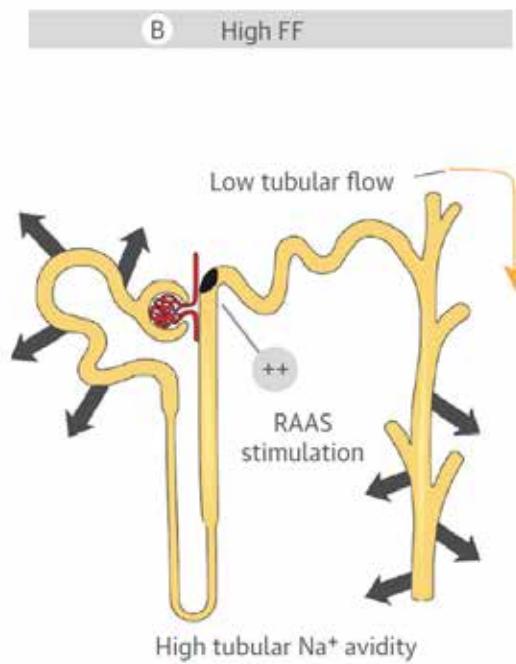
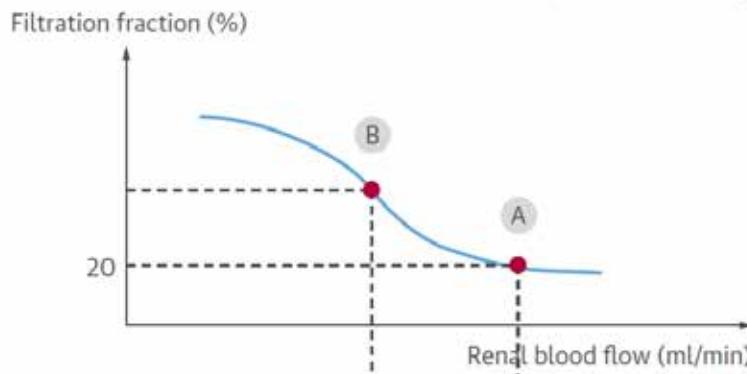
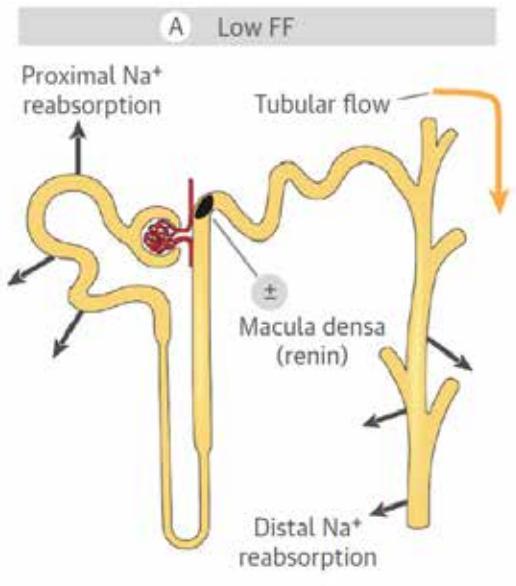
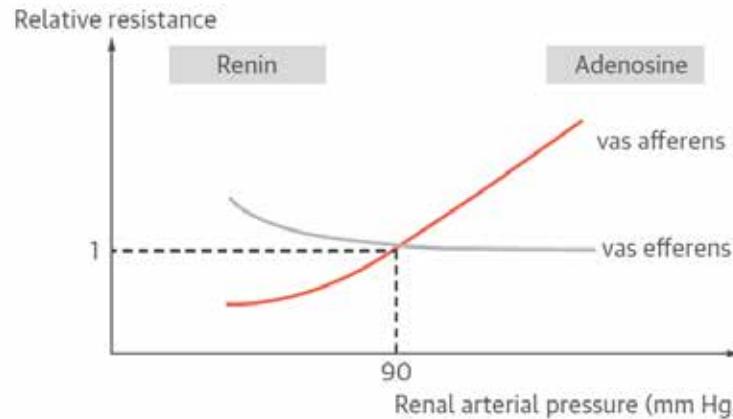
② High RBF, FF = 25%



③ High RBF, FF = 10%



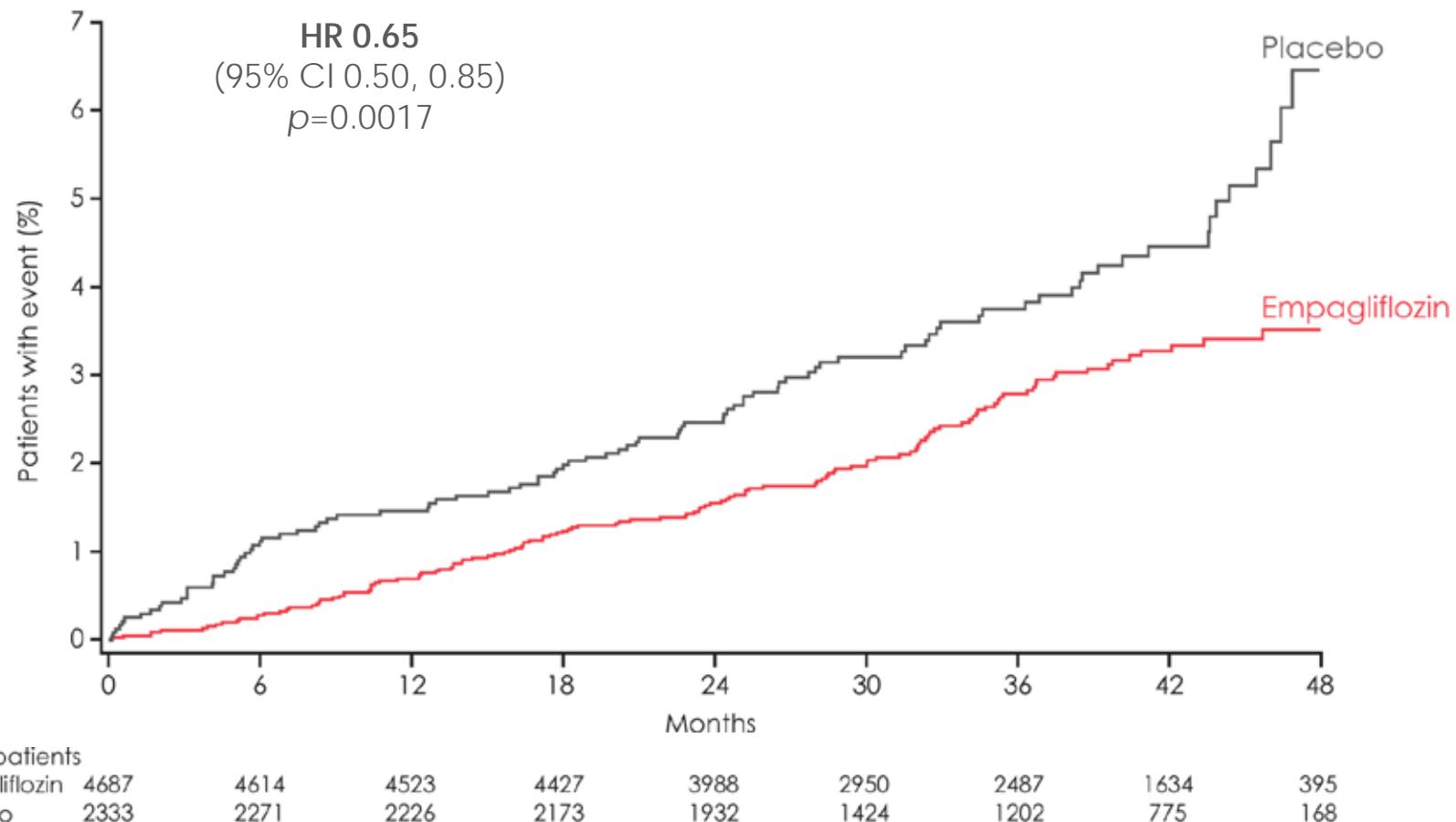
# eGFR, RBF & Filtration Fraction



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# EMPAREG-OUTCOME

## Νοσηλεία για Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια

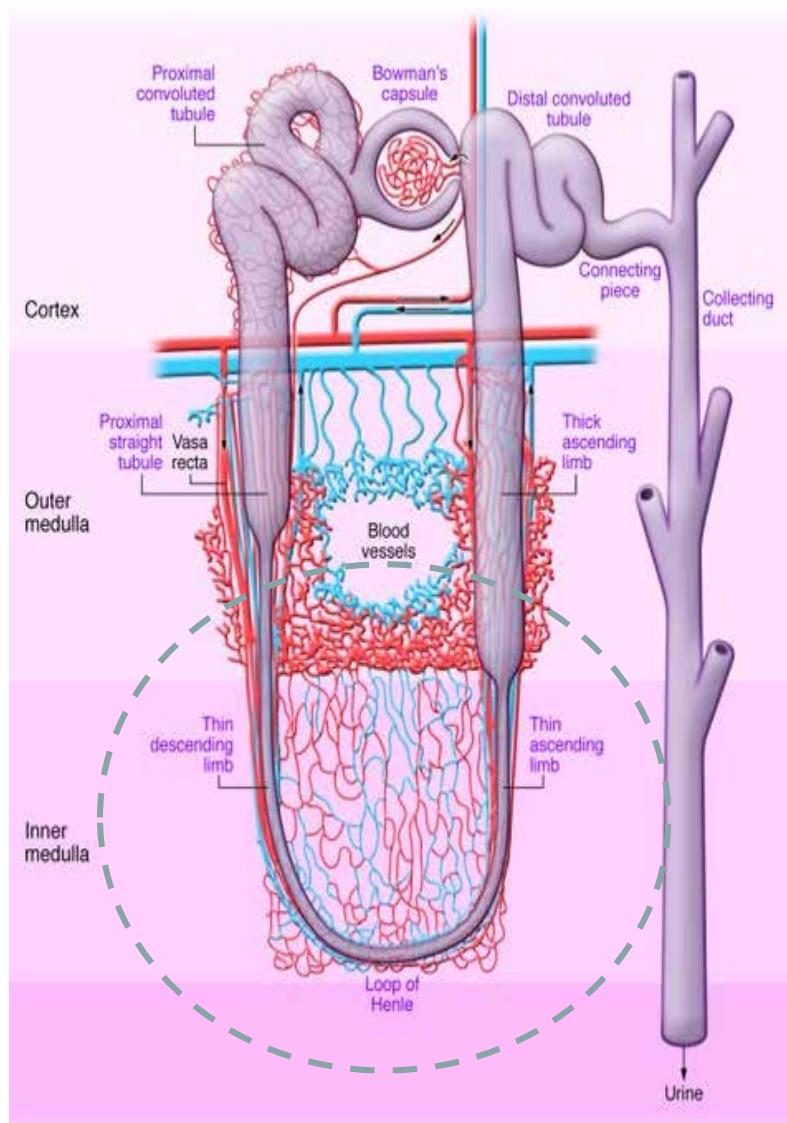


Cumulative incidence function. HR, hazard ratio

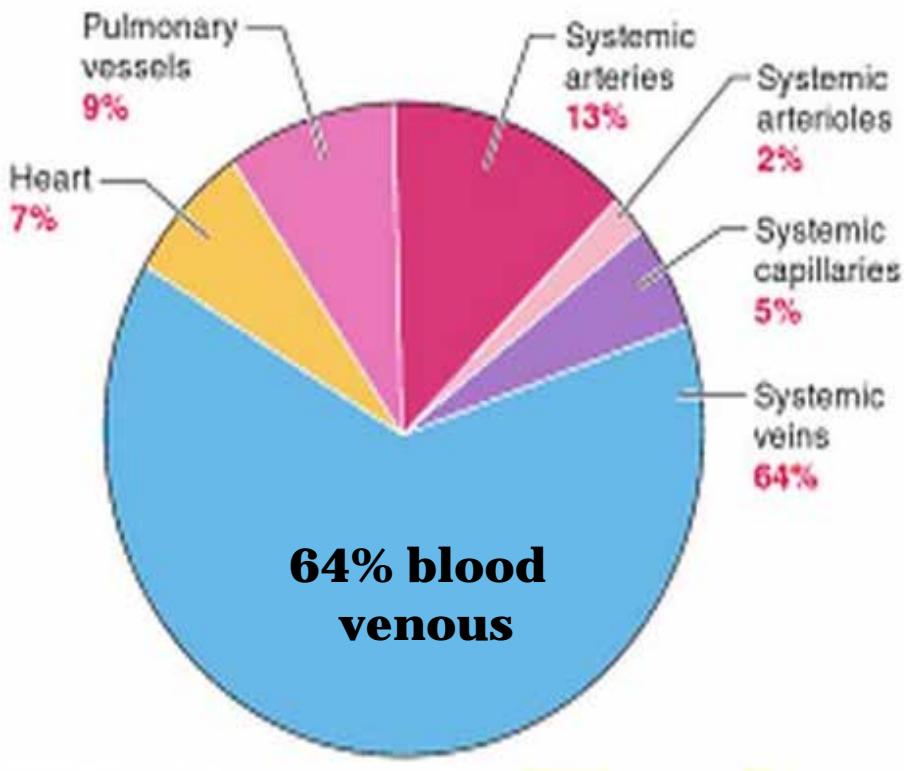


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Φλεβική Συμφόρηση*

# Role of high CVP in AKI



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# Importance of Venous Congestion for Worsening of Renal Function in Advanced Decompensated Heart Failure

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**Objectives** To determine whether venous congestion, rather than impairment of cardiac output, is primarily associated with the development of worsening renal function (WRF) in patients with advanced decompensated heart failure (ADHF).

**Background** Reduced cardiac output is traditionally believed to be the main determinant of WRF in patients with ADHF.

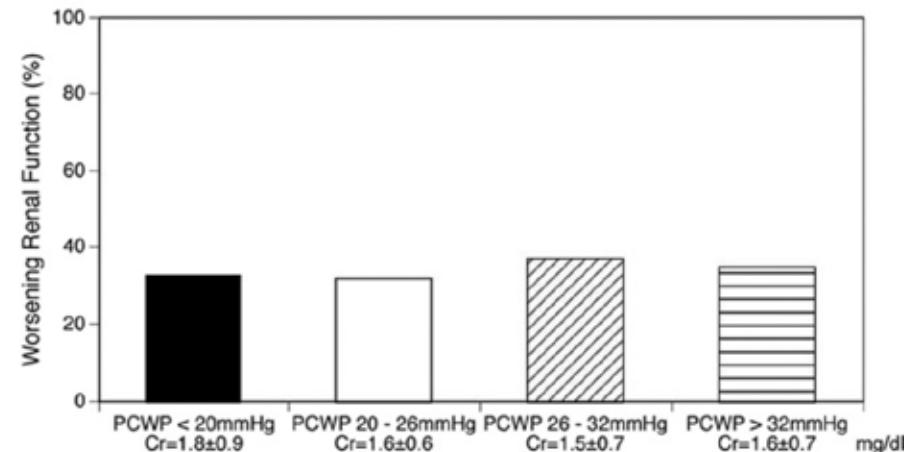
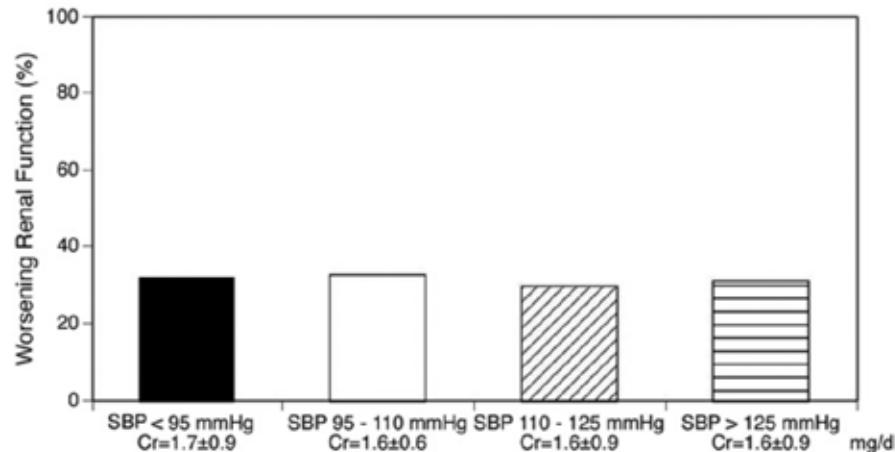
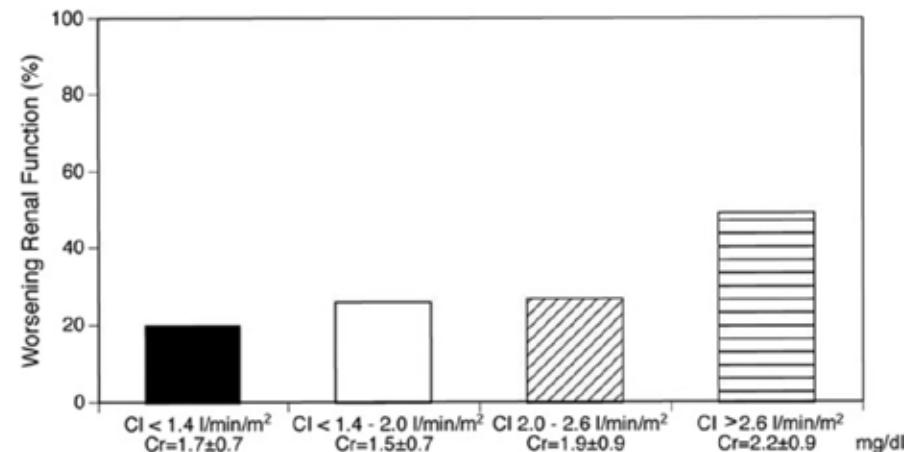
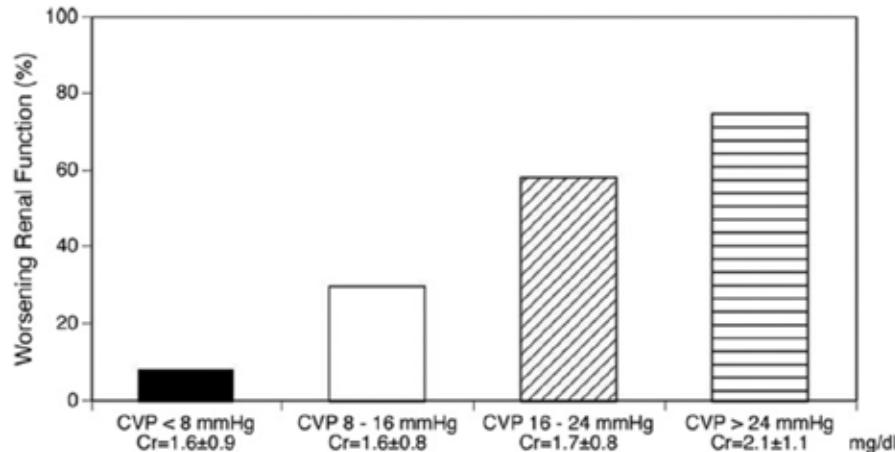
**Methods** A total of 145 consecutive patients admitted with ADHF treated with intensive medical therapy guided by pulmonary artery catheter were studied. We defined WRF as an increase of serum creatinine  $\geq 0.3$  mg/dl during hospitalization.

**Results** In the study cohort (age  $57 \pm 14$  years, cardiac index  $1.9 \pm 0.6$  l/min/m $^2$ , left ventricular ejection fraction  $20 \pm 8\%$ , serum creatinine  $1.7 \pm 0.9$  mg/dl), 58 patients (40%) developed WRF. Patients who developed WRF had a greater central venous pressure (CVP) on admission ( $18 \pm 7$  mm Hg vs.  $12 \pm 6$  mm Hg,  $p < 0.001$ ) and after intensive medical therapy ( $11 \pm 8$  mm Hg vs.  $8 \pm 5$  mm Hg,  $p = 0.04$ ). The development of WRF occurred less frequently in patients who achieved a CVP  $< 8$  mm Hg ( $p = 0.01$ ). Furthermore, the ability of CVP to stratify risk for development of WRF was apparent across the spectrum of systemic blood pressure, pulmonary capillary wedge pressure, cardiac index, and estimated glomerular filtration rates.

**Conclusions** Venous congestion is the most important hemodynamic factor driving WRF in decompensated patients with advanced heart failure. (J Am Coll Cardiol 2009;53:589–96) © 2009 by the American College of Cardiology Foundation

# Φλεβική Συμφόρηση στην Καρδιακή Ανεπάρκεια

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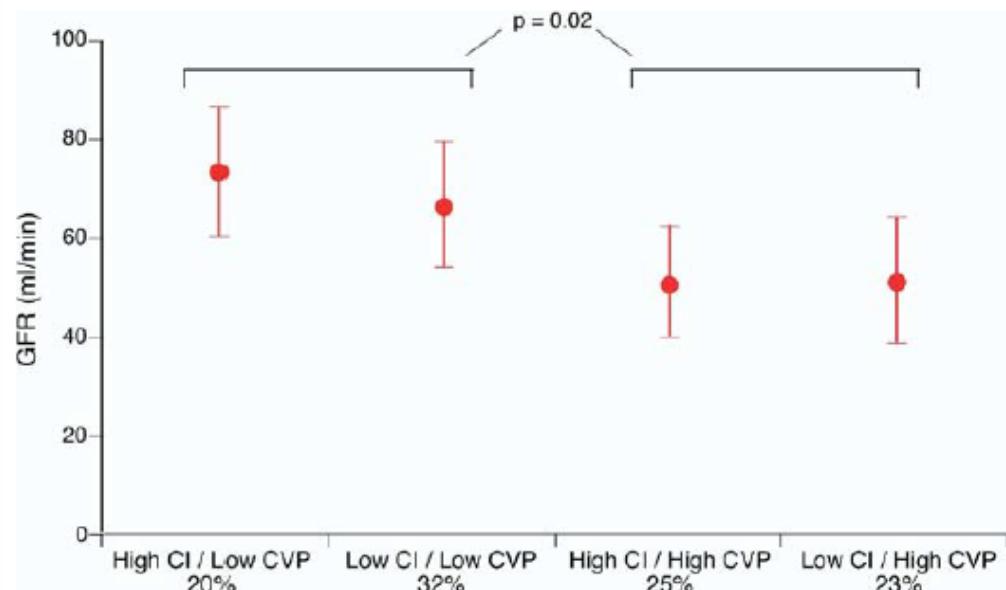
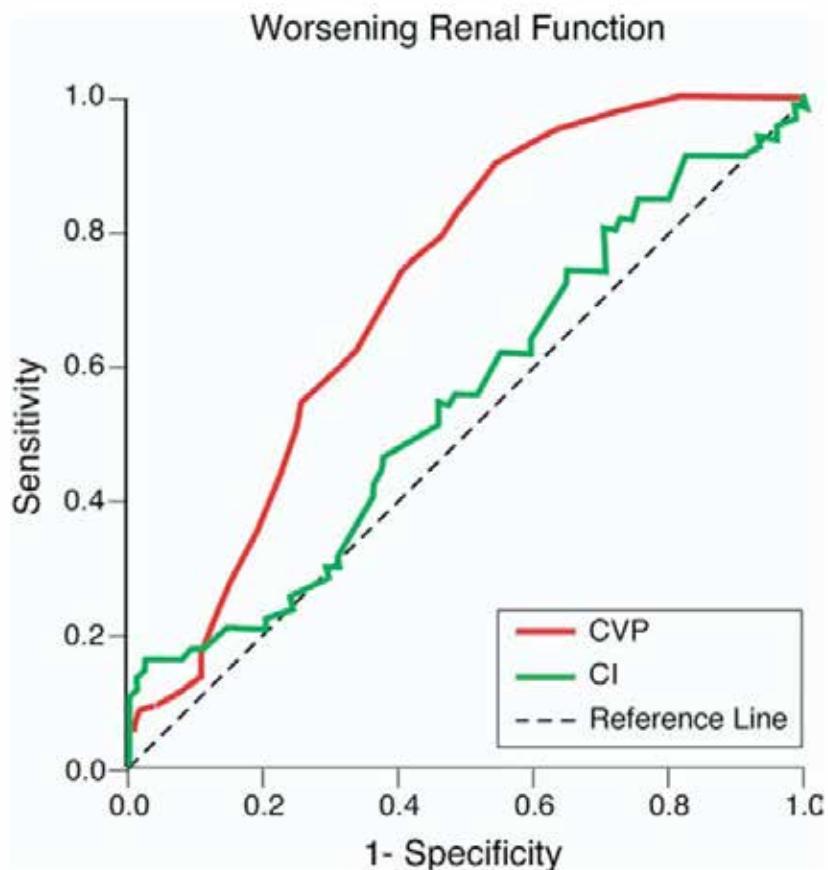


Figure 3

Relative Contributions of CVP and CI to GFR at Time of PAC Removal

Figure 2

ROC Curves for CVP and CI on Admission for the Development of WRF

# Φλεβική Συμφόρηση και eGFR

2,557 patients who underwent right heart catheterization (eGFR was  $65 \pm 24$  ml/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>, cardiac index of  $2.9 \pm 0.8$  l/min/m<sup>2</sup> and CVP of  $5.9 \pm 4.3$  mmHg)

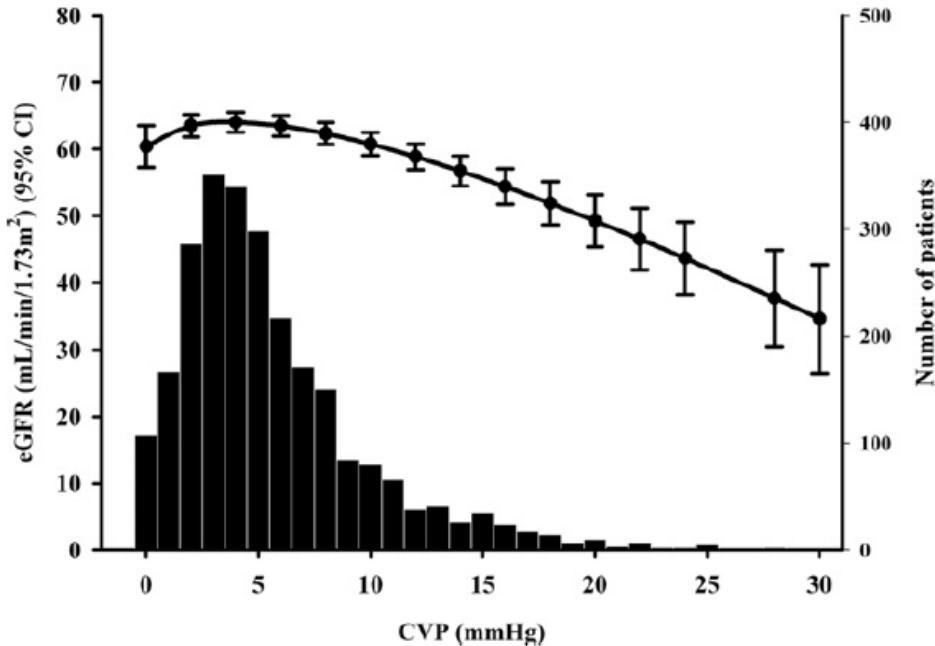


Figure 1

Distribution of CVP and Curvilinear Relationship Between CVP and eGFR in the Study Population

Adjusted for age, sex, and cardiac index. The curvilinear model had the following individual polynomial components for the relationship between CVP and eGFR: First order:  $Y = -25.8 \cdot (CVP + 1)/10$  (Wald 28.2,  $p < 0.0001$ ) and second order:  $Y = 35.7 \cdot [(CVP + 1)/10]^{0.5}$  (Wald 17.4,  $p < 0.0001$ ). CVP = central venous pressure, eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate.

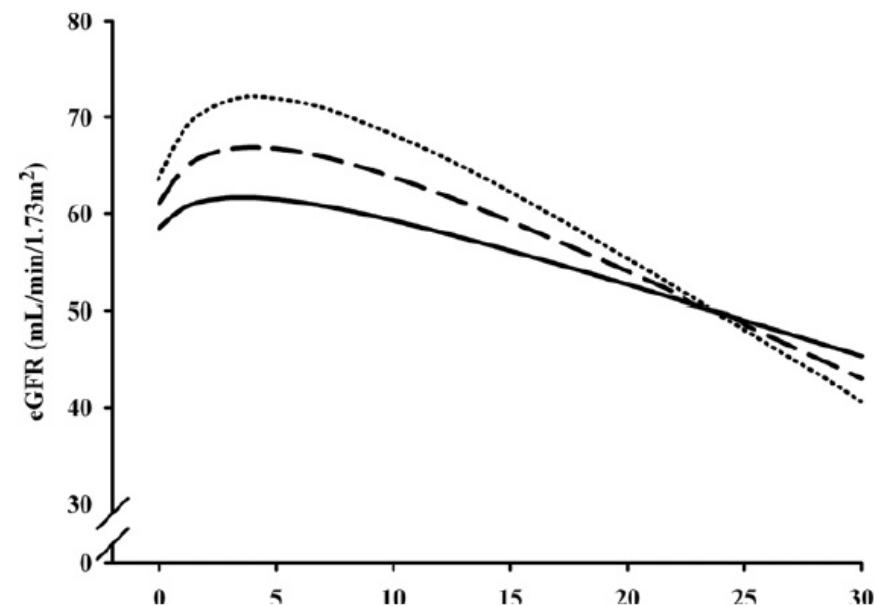


Figure 2

Curvilinear Relationship Between CVP and eGFR According to Different Cardiac Index Values

$p = 0.0217$  for interaction between cardiac index and CVP on the relationship with eGFR. Solid line = cardiac index  $<2.5$  l/min/m<sup>2</sup>; dashed line = cardiac index 2.5 to 3.2 l/min/m<sup>2</sup>; dotted line = cardiac index  $>3.2$  l/min/m<sup>2</sup>. Abbreviations as in Figure 1.

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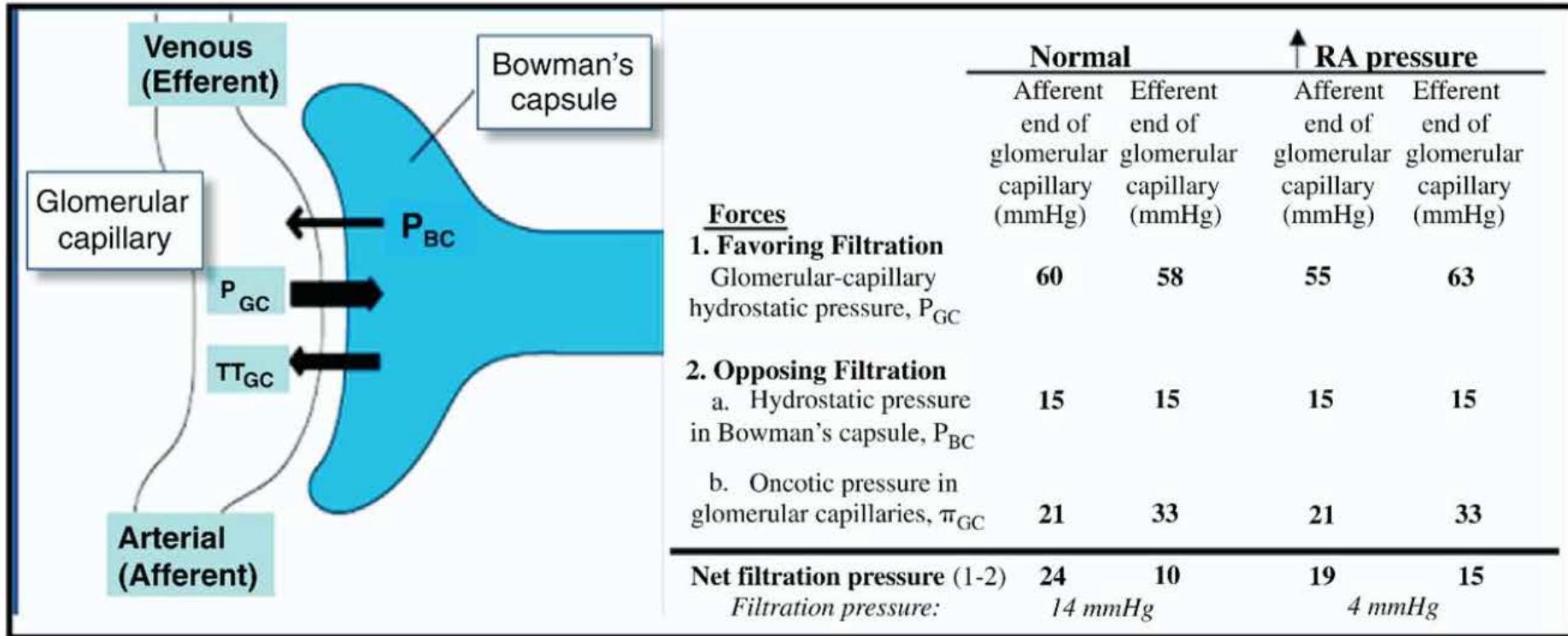
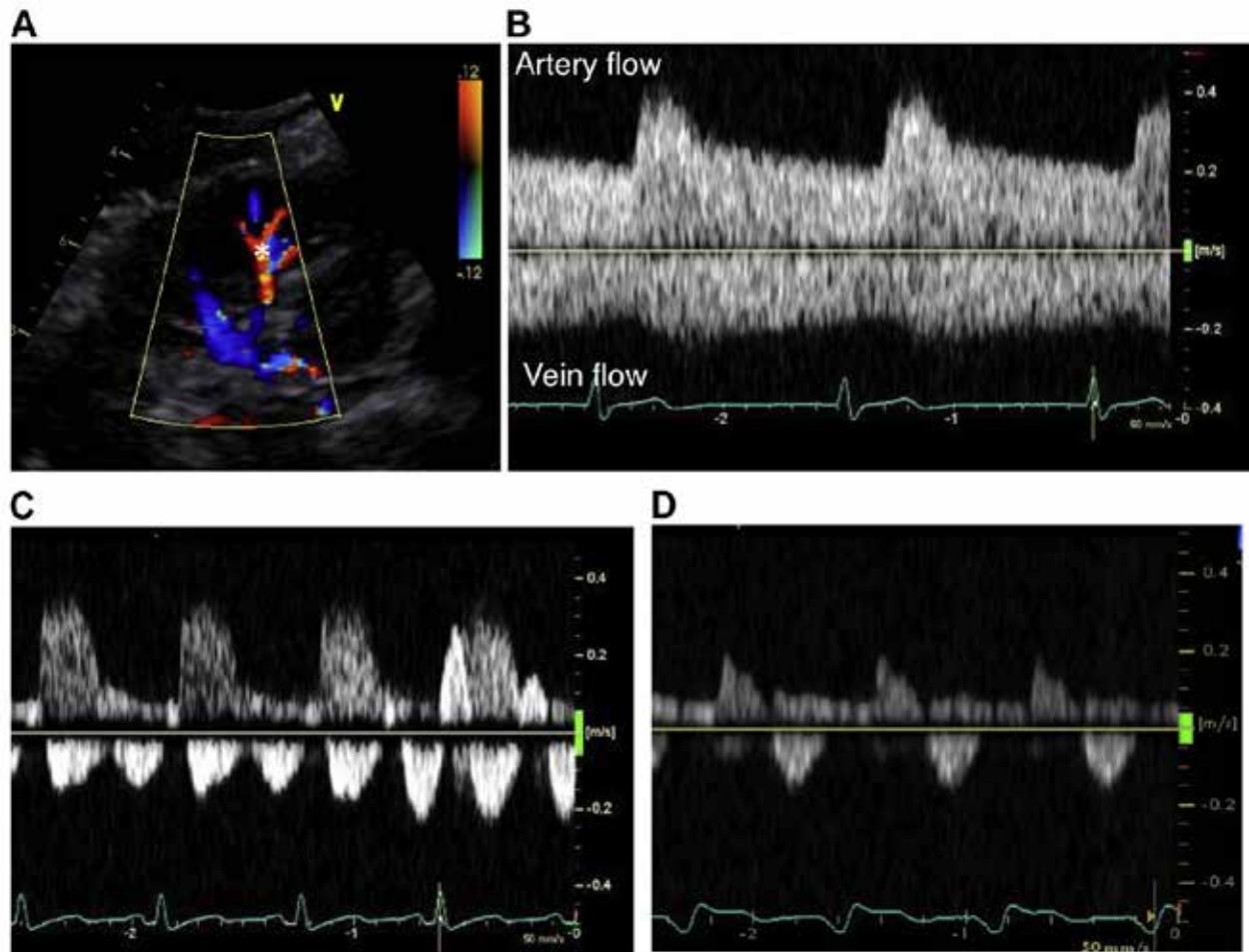


Figure 1 Impact of Venous Congestion on Glomerular Net Filtration Pressure

Jessup & Costanzo. J Am Coll Cardiol 2009

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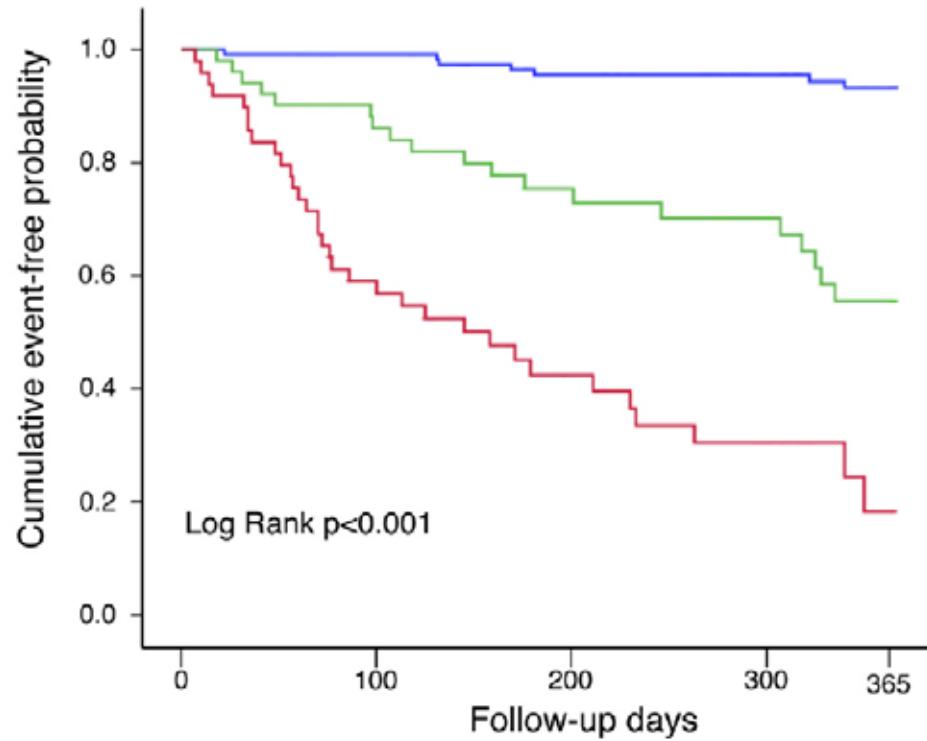


Color Doppler flow images from a right kidney. (A) \*Doppler sample volume position in the interlobar vessels. Intrarenal artery flow (upward Doppler signals) and vein flow (downward Doppler signals) in (B) a continuous venous flow pattern, (C) a biphasic pattern, and (D) a monophasic pattern.

Iida, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol Heart Fail 2016

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## Number at risk

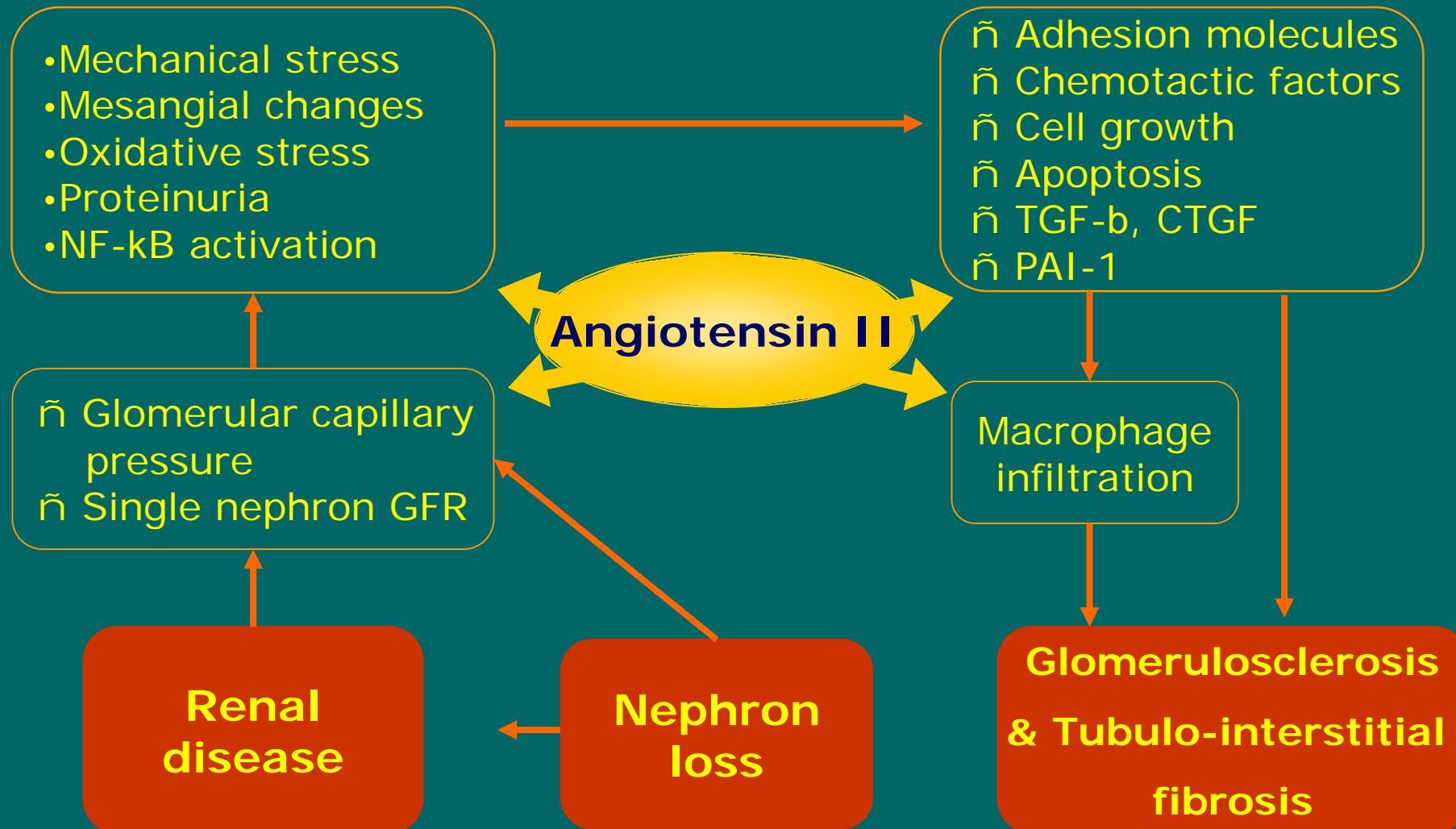
	0	100	200	300	365
Continuous flow	117	115	109	104	93
Biphasic flow	51	42	28	23	16
Monophasic flow	49	28	18	11	5

Kaplan-Meier curves at 1-year follow-up for the probability of freedom from death from cardiac causes and unplanned hospitalizations for heart failure of 3 classifications of intrarenal venous flow. IRVF = intrarenal venous flow.

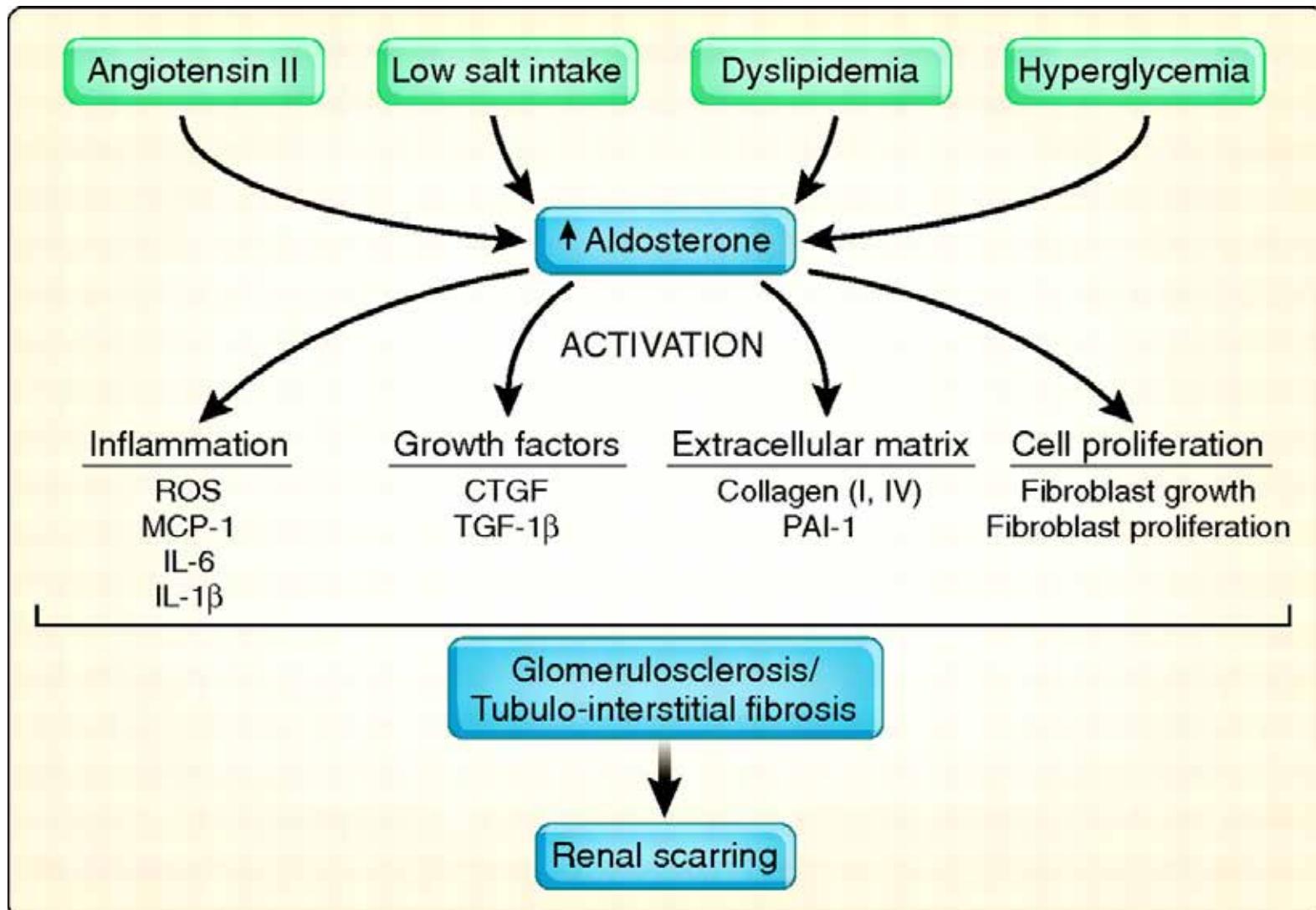
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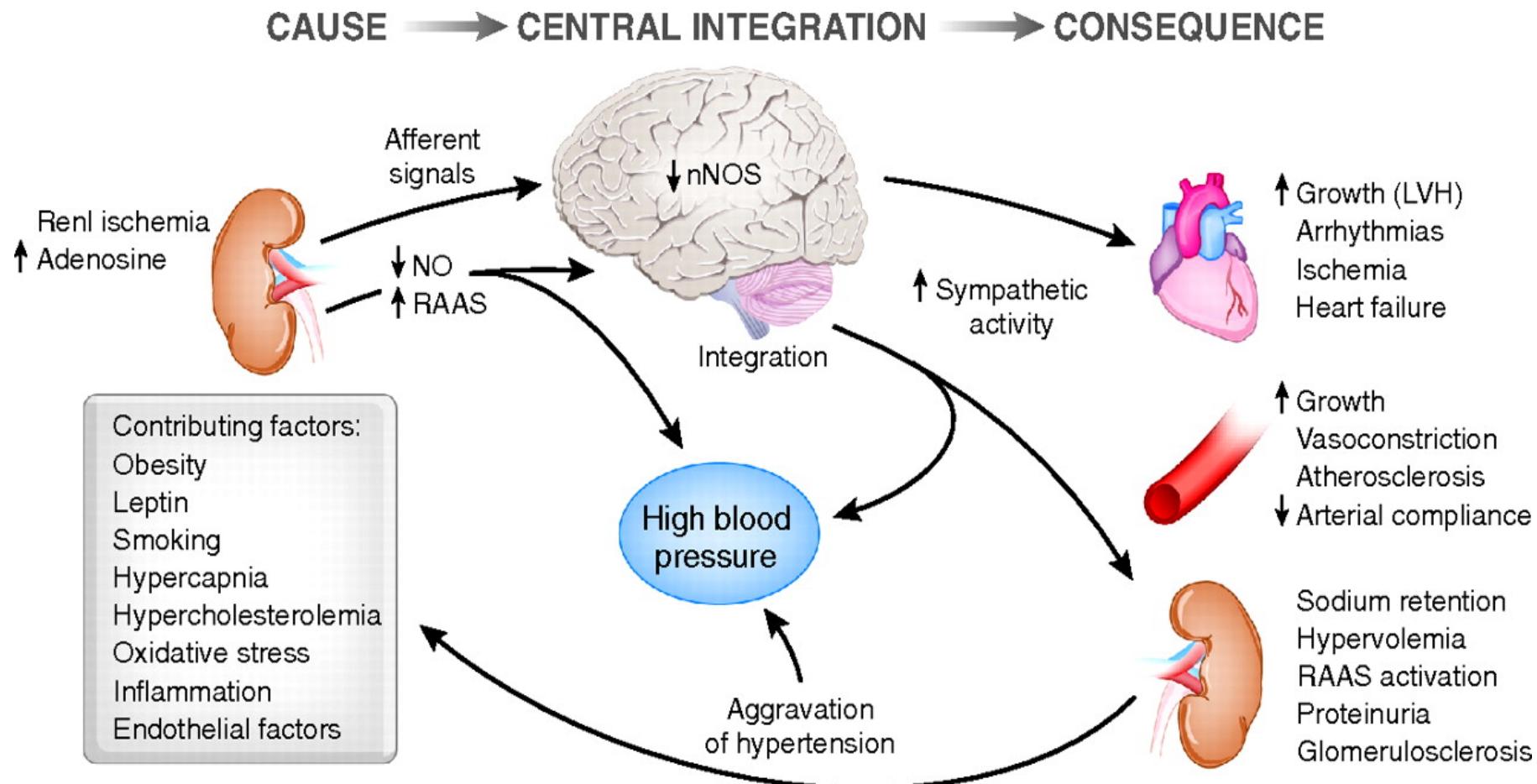
# Ο ρόλος της ΑγγII στην εξέλιξη της XNN



# Αλδοστερόνη και Νεφρική Βλάβη



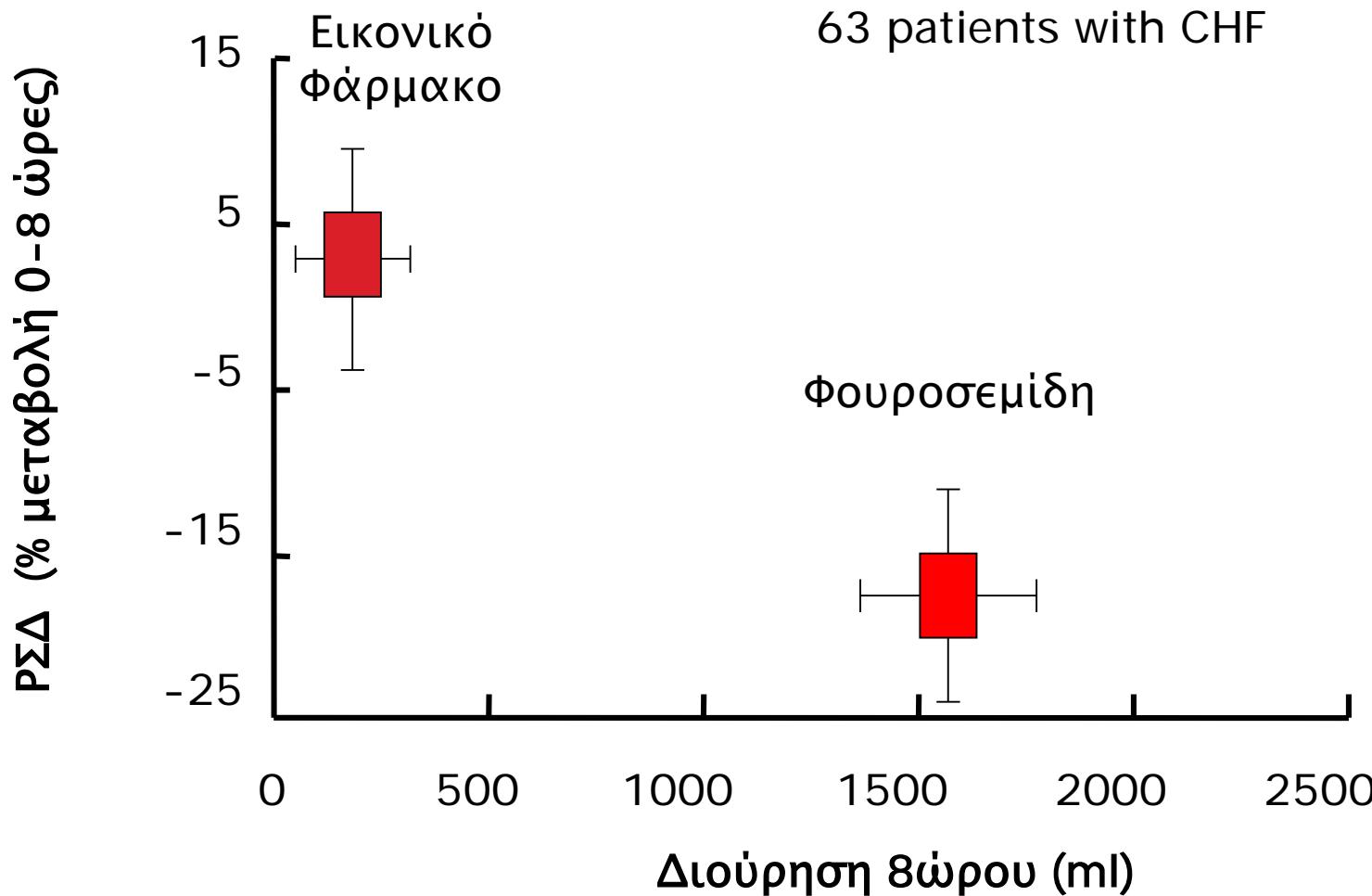
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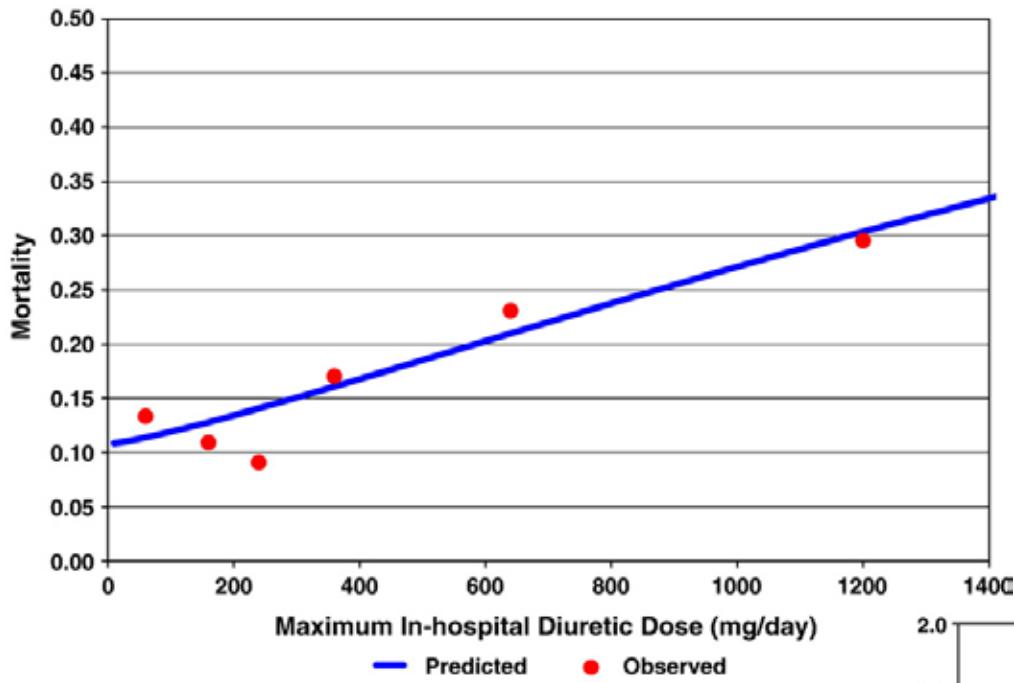
*Schlaich et al. J Am Soc Nephrol 2009*

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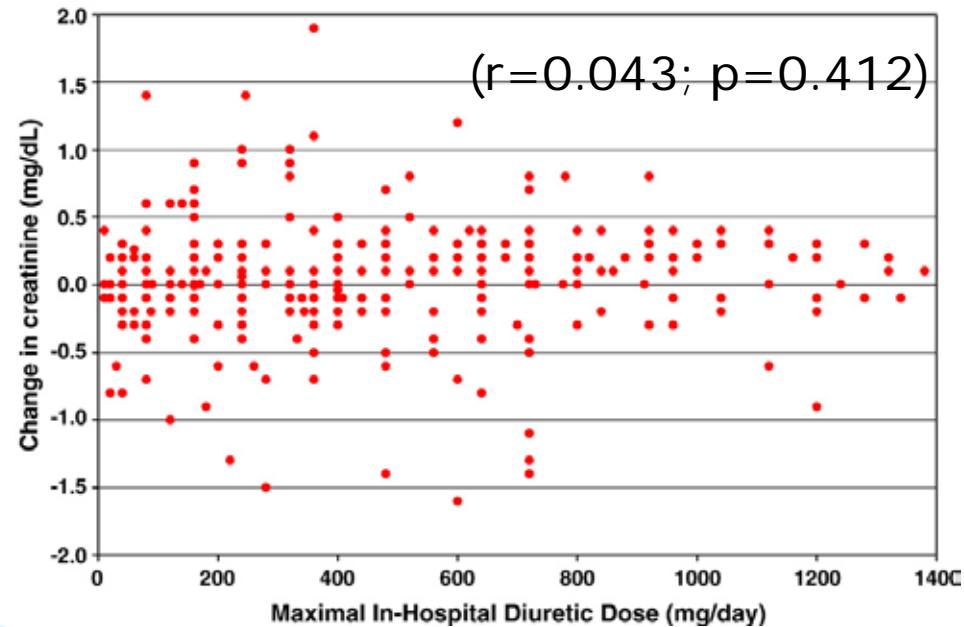
## Η φουροσεμίδη ελαττώνει το ρυθμό σπειραματικής διήθησης



# Dose of loop diuretics and outcomes in HF

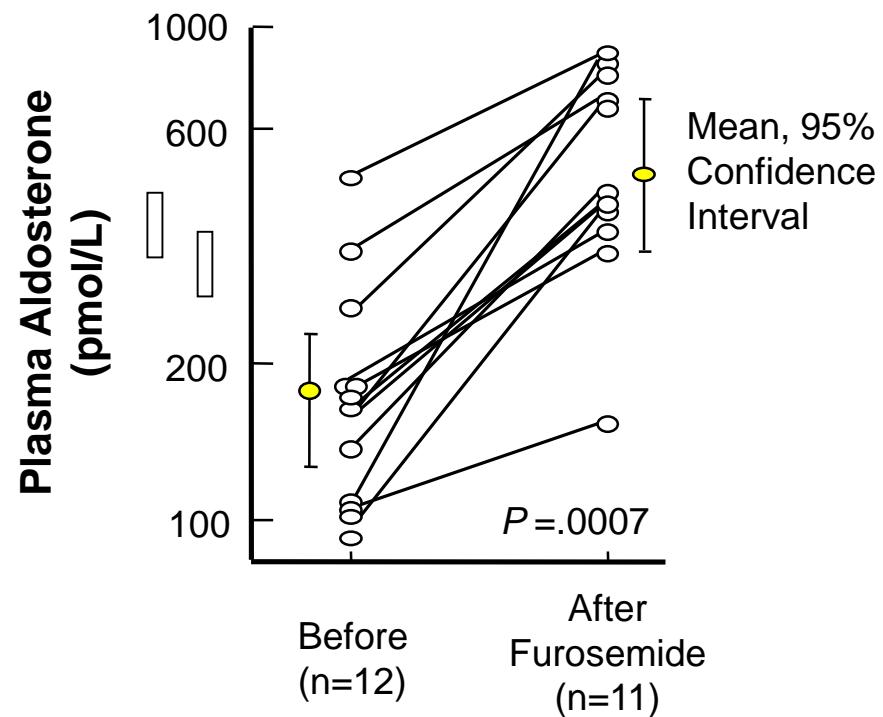
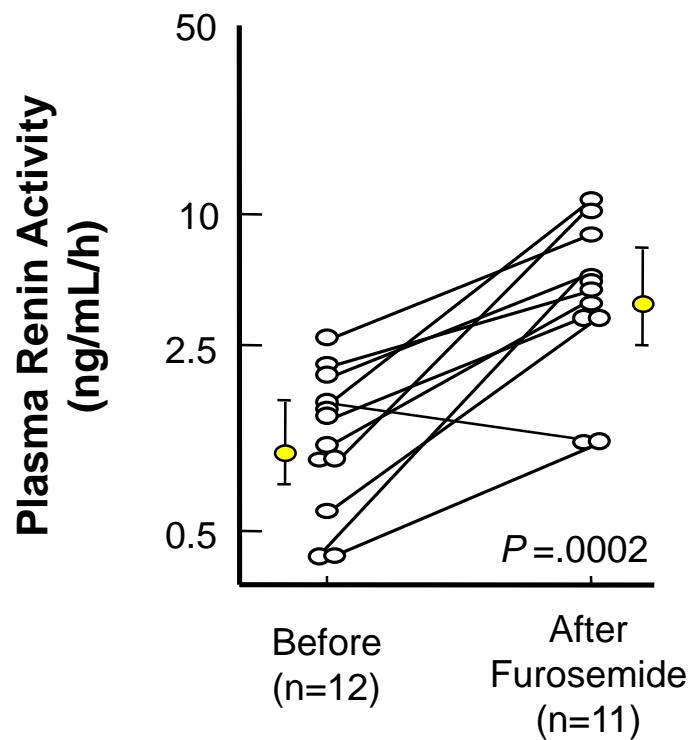


395 patients with HF that received diuretics



Hasselblad et al. Eur J Heart Fail 2007

# Furosemide Activates Neurohormonal Systems in HF

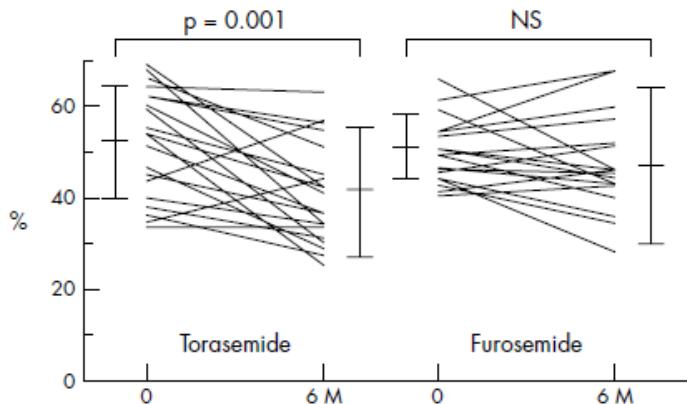


# Effects of Torasemide vs. Furosemide on Cardiac Sympathetic Nerve Activity in CHF: $^{123}\text{I}$ -MIBG imaging

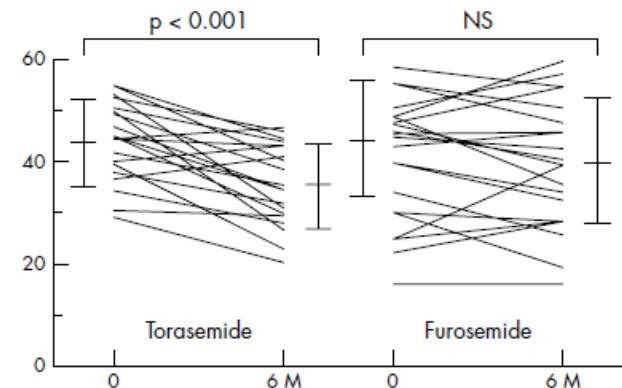
N=40 patients with non-ischaemic CHF, LVEF <45%, randomly assigned to:

A. Torasemide (4–8 mg/day; N=20) or B. Furosemide (20–40 mg/day; N=20)

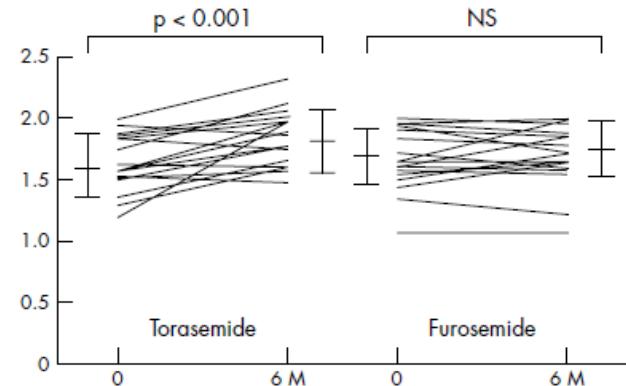
### Washout rate (WR)



### Total defect score (TDS)



### Heart to mediastinum count (H/M)



# Nesiritide and Worsening Renal Function in ADHF

	Events, n/N (%)			
	Nesiritide	Control	RR <sub>MH</sub> (95% CI)	P
Nesiritide $\leq 0.03$ vs non-inotrope based controls	134/610 (22)	60/389 (15)	1.52 (1.16–2.00)	0.003
Nesiritide $\leq 0.03$ vs all control therapies, including inotropes	163/772 (21)	69/472 (15)	1.54 (1.19–1.98)	0.001
Nesiritide $\leq 0.015$ vs non-inotrope based controls	100/442 (23)	60/389 (15)	1.46 (1.09–1.95)	0.012
Nesiritide $\leq 0.015$ vs all control therapies, including inotropes	99/464 (21)	69/472 (15)	1.47 (1.12–1.93)	0.006
Nesiritide $\leq 0.06$ vs non-inotrope based controls	140/635 (22)	60/389 (15)	1.53 (1.16–2.00)	0.002
Nesiritide $\leq 0.06$ vs all control therapies, including inotropes	169/797 (21)	69/472 (15)	1.54 (1.20–1.99)	0.001

Nesiritide doses refer to infusion rates ( $\mu\text{g} \cdot \text{kg}^{-1} \cdot \text{min}^{-1}$ ) that followed bolus administration.

## Φάρμακα για «άλλες» ενδείξεις

- Metformin (lactic acidosis and worsening heart function due to a negative inotropic effect ).
- Iodinated contrast (transient vasoconstriction & direct tubular toxicity)
- Antibiotics (acute tubular necrosis, acute interstitial nephritis)
- Chemotherapeutic agents (acute tubular necrosis, acute interstitial nephritis, tumor lysis syndrome)

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## ΚΑ, Φλεγμονή και Νεφρική Βλάβη

- Patients with ADHF have excessive increase of proinflammatory cytokines and proapoptotic factors show and defective regulation of monocyte apoptosis
- Renal tubular epithelium is particularly vulnerable to ischemic injury resulting in cell death by apoptosis and necrosis
- During AKI with strong association between intra-renal inflammatory activity and renal cell apoptosis.
- Inflammation increases capillary permeability (pulmonary fluid overload, inadequate renal perfusion pressures, peritubular edema etc.)

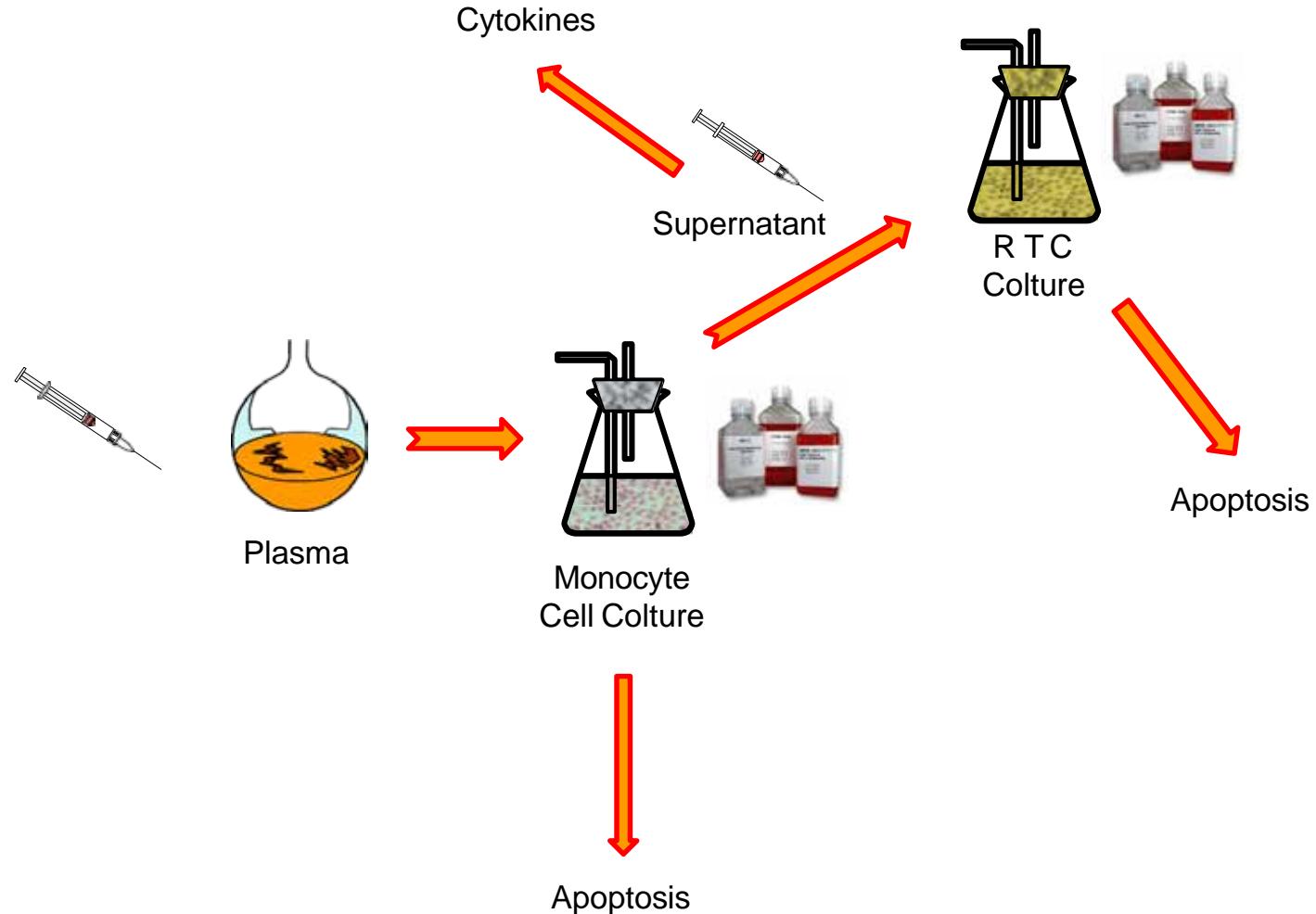
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# Cardio-Renal Syndrome Type 1

## Inflammation/humoral theory

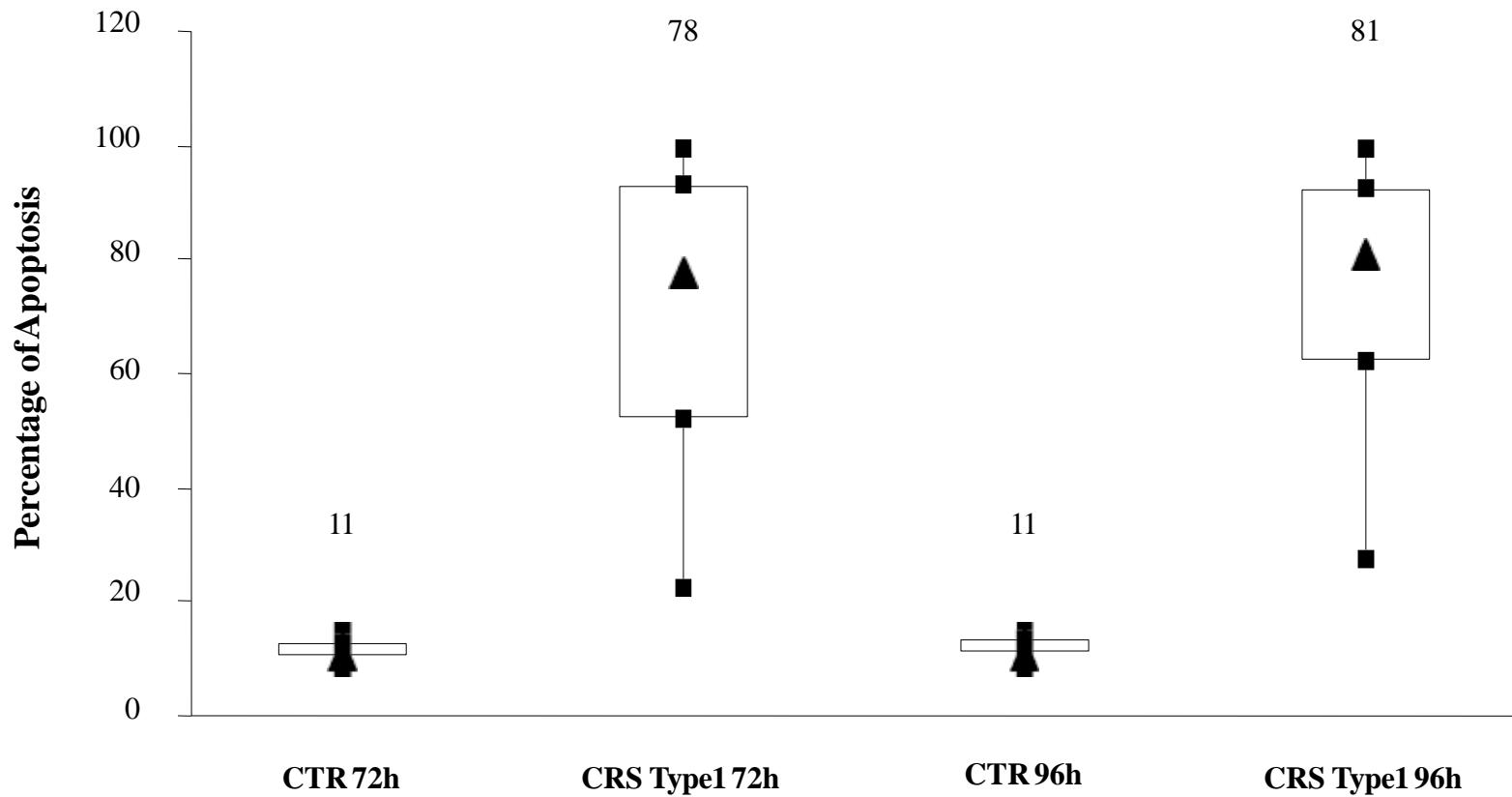


Heart Failure Patient



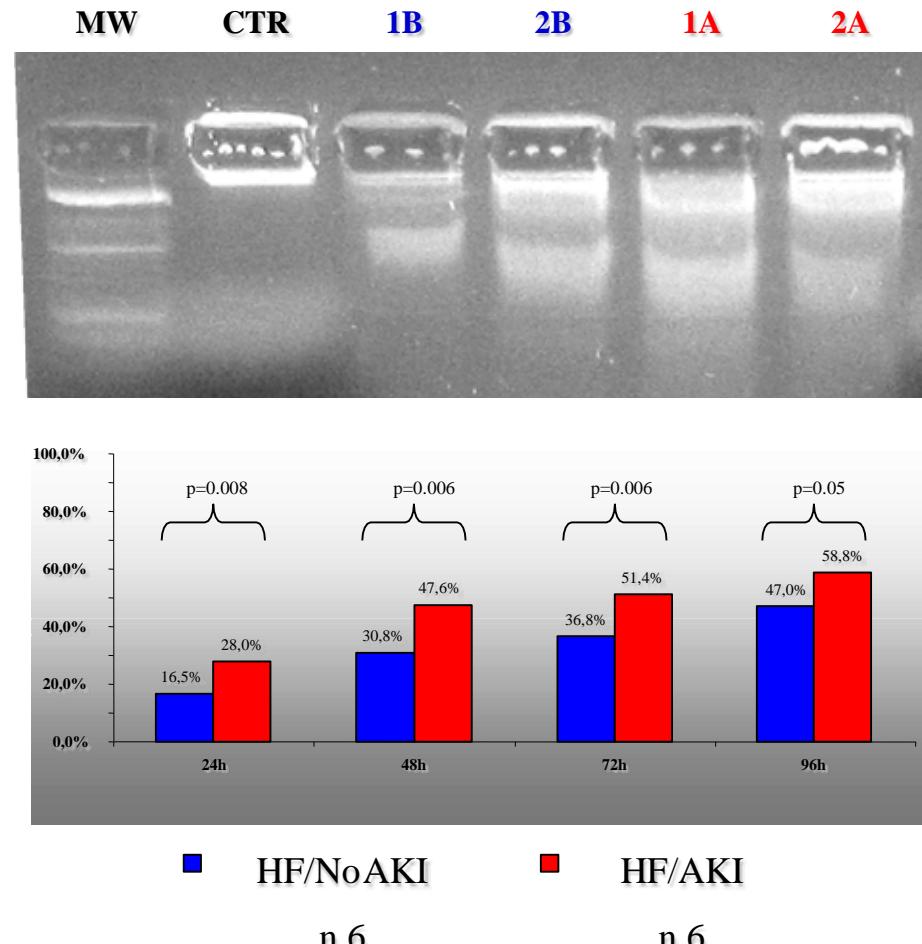
# APOPTOSIS STUDY IN CRS T.1 and CONTROLS

Evaluation of percentage of apoptosis in U937 cells after incubation with plasma from CRS Type 1 patients and healthy volunteers for 72h and 96h



# APOPTOSIS STUDY IN HEART FAILURE

Evaluation of percentage of apoptosis in U937 cells after incubation with plasma from Heart Failure Patients developing CRS Type 1 (HF/AKI) or not (HF/NoAKI)



## ΚΑ, Οξειδωτικό στρες και Νεφρική Βλάβη

- Oxidative stress is a final common pathway for cellular dysfunction, tissue injury, and organ failure.
- In type 1 CRS there is increase in circulating reactive oxygen species (ROS) and reactive nitrogen species (RNS), increased levels of NADPH oxidase and myeloperoxidase
- These enzymes promote hydrogen peroxide ( $H_2O_2$ ) conversion into nitrogen dioxide ( $NO_2$ ) and other species, leading to oxidative damage of several critical molecules implicated in the pathogenesis of AKI and CKD

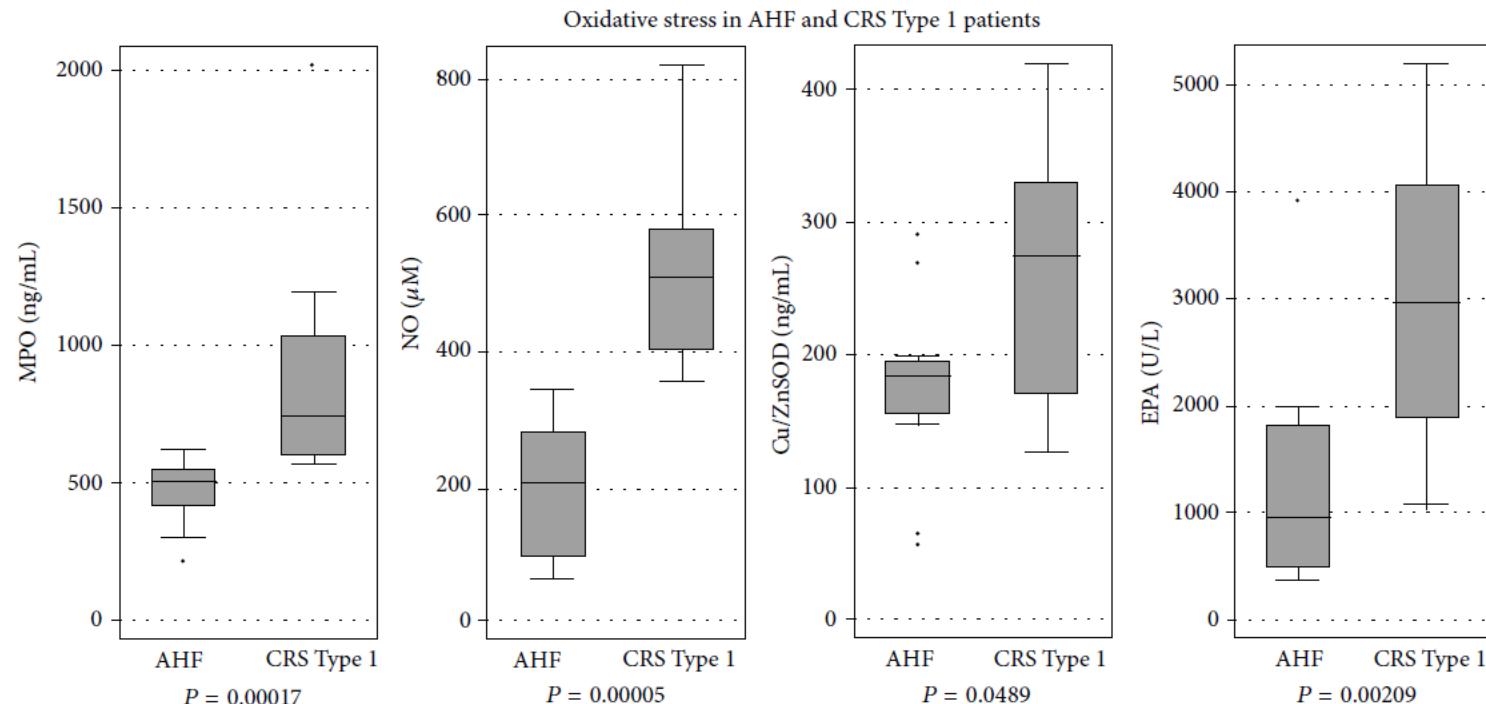
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TABLE 3: Oxidative stress and IL-6 levels in AHF, CRS Type 1 patients, and CTR.

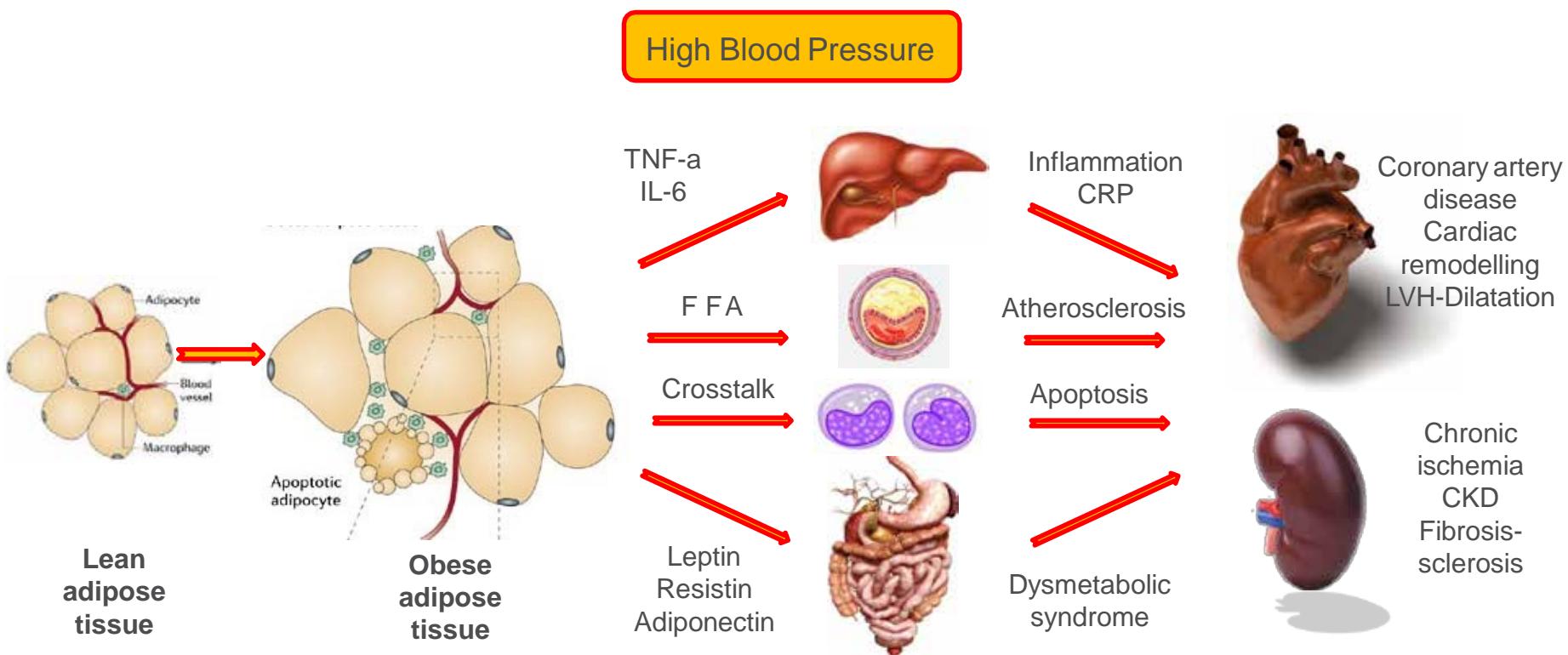
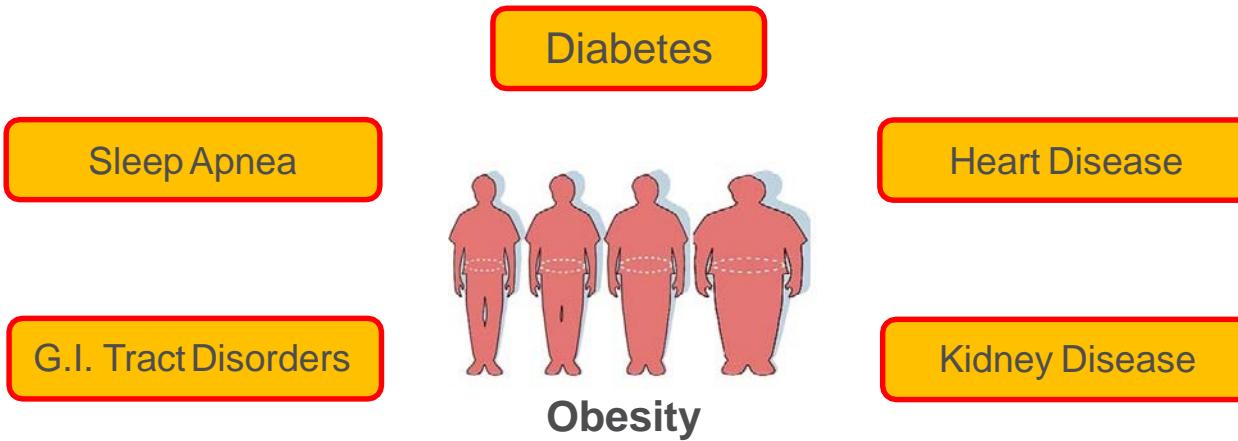
	AHF	CRS Type 1	CTR	P value
MPO, pg/mL	505.6 (421.7–547.8)	746.9 (665.2–940.0)	10.1 (6.0–19.3)	<0.01
NO, $\mu$ M	205.6 (95.0–277.5)	507.3 (404.7–557.3)	9.5 (6.1–12.2)	<0.01
Cu/ZnSOD, pg/mL	184.5 (160.5–192.0)	274.5 (191.8–326.8)	58.9 (51.7–70.9)	<0.01
EPA, U/L	274.5 (191.8–326.8)	2978.4 (2071.8–4069.9)	2.0 (0.9–3.9)	<0.01
IL-6, pg/mL	22.19 (16.6–24.6)	90.68 (59.9–105.3)	5.9 (3.4–7.6)	<0.01

Values denote medians (IQR).



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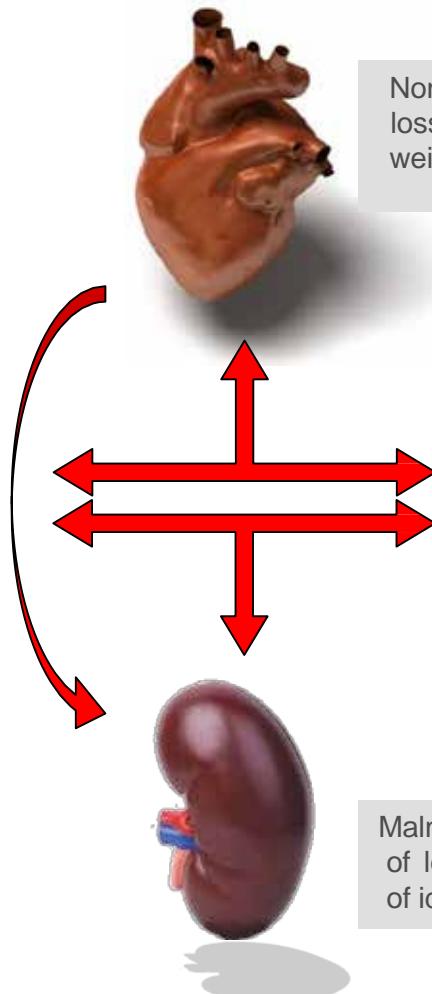
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# Καχεξία και Καρδιονεφρικό Σύνδρομο

## CRS TYPES 1-2

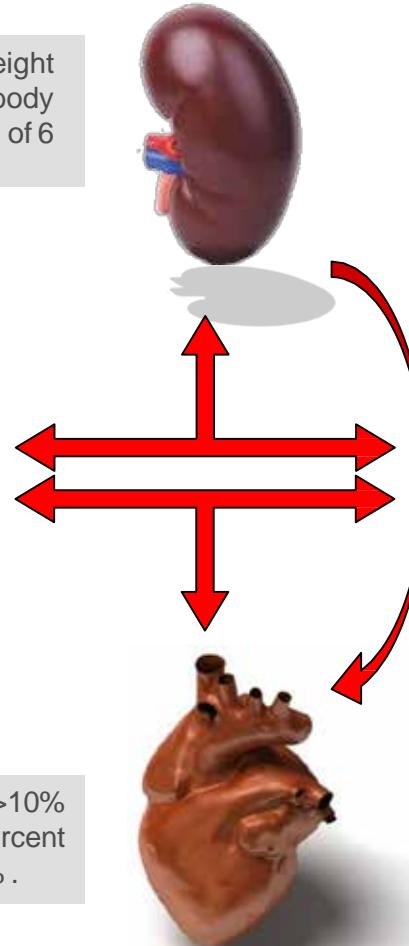
- Low Cardiac output
- Na and fluid overload
- Chronic hypoperfusion
- Embolism
- Venous Congestion
- Chronic inflammation
- Cardiac Remodeling
- Endothelial Dysfunction
- Acceler. Atherosclerosis



CKD Progression, Apoptosis  
Necrosis, Fibrosis, Sclerosis

Non-oedematous weight loss of >6% of total body weight over a period of 6 or more months

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Heart Failure, Systolic/diastolic dysfunction, Myoc. Remodelling

## CRS TYPES 3-4

- Na and fluid overload
- Chronic inflammation
- Uremic Toxins
- Malnutrition
- Anemia
- EPO resistance
- pH abnormalities
- Ca-P abnormalities
- Lack of VDR activation
- Soft Tissue calcifications

# Anemia and Iron deficiency

AKI



Reduced Blood Viscosity  
Decreased Oxygen Delivery  
Increased Sympathetic Activity  
Hyperdynamic circulation

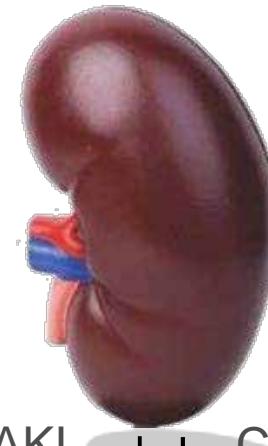
CKD



Ý Cardiac Work  
Ý Cardiac Output

Ý Arterial diameter and volume  
Ý Arterial wall tension

Eccentric  
remodelling of the  
arterial system



Ý Left ventricle hypertrophy  
Ý Left Ventricle wall tension

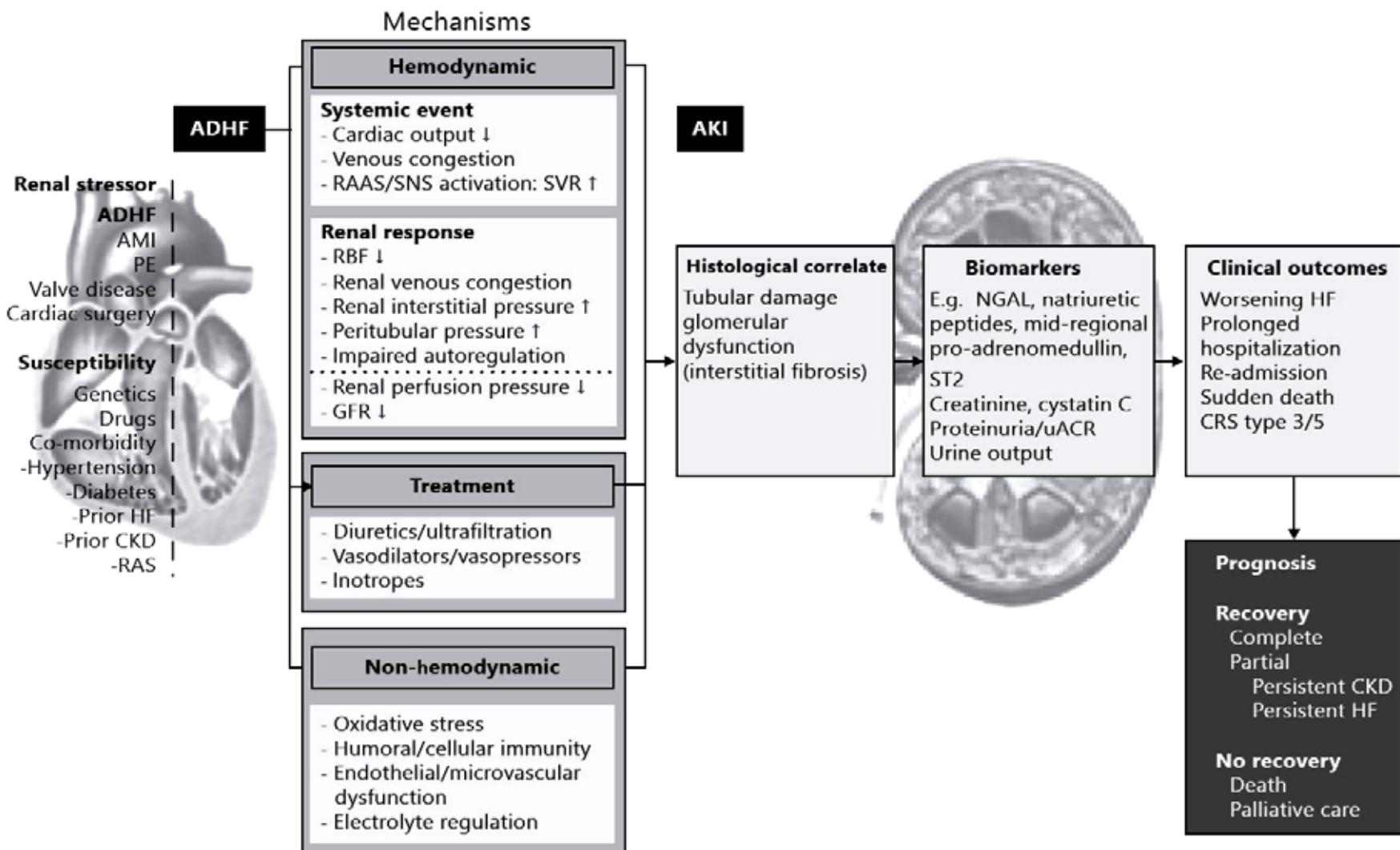
Left ventricle  
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remodelling

AKI

CKD

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