

# **ACUTE KIDNEY INJURY**

**GOLRIZ JAFARI, M.D.**

*ASSOCIATE CLINICAL PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE  
DAVID GEFFEN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT UCLA  
OLIVE VIEW - UCLA MEDICAL CENTER*

1

## **DISCLOSURES**

**NONE**

2

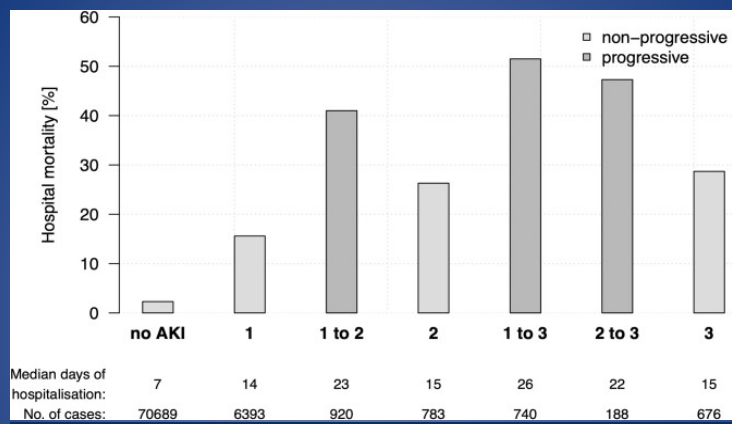
## OBJECTIVES



- Epidemiology of Acute Kidney Injury (AKI)
- Definition and Diagnosis of AKI
- Evaluation of AKI
- Etiologies of AKI
- Management of AKI

3

## EPIDEMIOLOGY

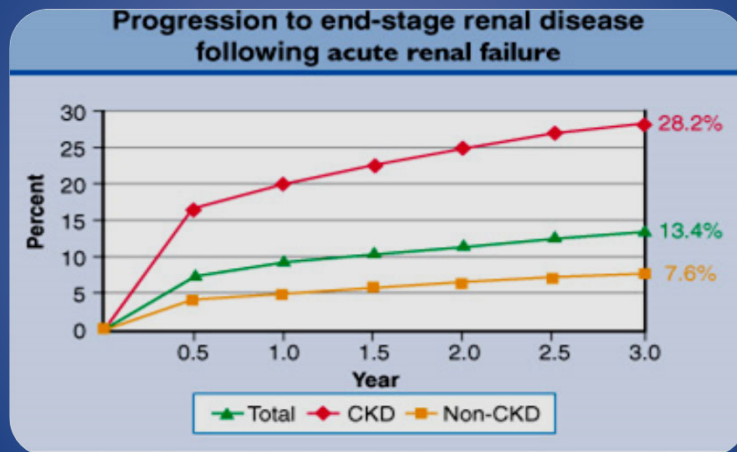


**AKI incidence = 12.1%**  
**Stage 1: 8%, Stage 2: 2%, Stage 3: 2.1%**  
**AKI associate with higher mortality and LOS**  
**19.1% of AKI cases showed progression of AKI**  
**Over 50% lacked coding for AKI**

*Kister TS et al. (2021) Acute kidney injury and its progression in hospitalized patients. PLoS ONE 16(7)*

4

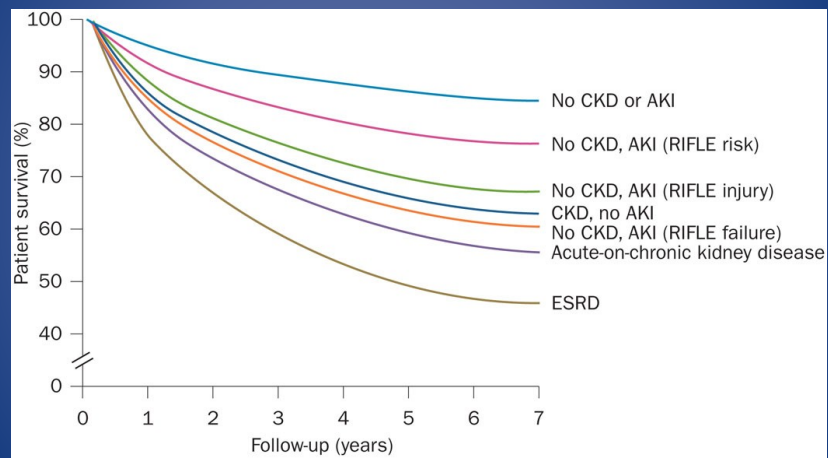
## LONG TERM IMPACT OF AKI



*Comprehensive Clin Nephrol Fig 64.4 (Courtesy of P. Eggers, presented at the 2004 ASN Congress)*

5

## LONG-TERM SURVIVAL STRATIFIED BY CKD AND AKI



*Wu, V. C. et al. Kidney Int. 80, 1222–1230 (2011)*

6



## AKI: DIAGNOSIS

7

### CASE PRESENTATION

- 65-year-old male admitted with 3 weeks of increasing shortness of breath, for consideration of MVR and CABG
- History of DM type 2 x 20 years, HTN, and CAD (first MI 15 years ago)
- CKD stage 3bA3
- Known HFrEF with EF 35-30%
- 3 weeks prior to admission he developed increasing shortness of breath and was unable to walk any distance or climbs stairs. He presents to ED with SOB.
- Medications: Carvedilolol 25 mg BID, Losartan 50 mg daily, Asa 325 daily, Bumetanide 1 mg daily, Linagliptin 5 mg daily, Insulin - NPH 20qPM, Lipitor 40 mg daily

8

## CASE PRESENTATION - EXAM

- Afebrile, BP 120/60, HR reg @60
- Alert and oriented x3 in no significant distress
- JVP to 15 cm
- Heart: RRR, + apical S3, III/VI holosystolic murmur at the apex
- Pulm: Decreased breath sounds at the bases with adjacent rales, speaking in full sentences, no tachypnea, no accessory muscle use
- Abdomen soft, nt, nondistended , + liver edge
- LE: femoral pulses 2+, trace edema at the ankles

9

## CASE PRESENTATION: DATA

141 | 115 | 40

-----< 230 Ca: 8.6 P: 4.0 Mg: 1.6 0

4.8 | 21 | 2.5

*Baseline Cr 1.6 mg/dl 1 month ago*

WBC: 5.6 / Hb: 10.6 / Hct: 31.2 / Plt: 125

BNP: 850 pg/ml

Troponin: 1.06

EKG: NSR @ 84, left bundle branch block, new from '08 but unchanged from previous

Echo from < 1 month ago: LV dilated distal anteroseptal wall and apex akinetic, inferior wall contracts normally, and all other wall hypokinetic, EF 35 -40%, left atrium dilated 4.9 cm, 3+ MR (TEE suggested 4+ MR)

10

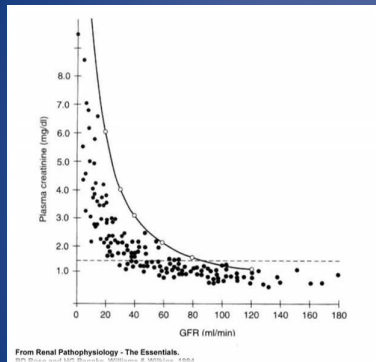
## DEFINITION OF AKI



RIFLE Acute Dialysis Quality Initiative		AKIN Acute Kidney Injury Network	
Risk	↓GFR >25%	Stage 1	Same as Risk
	↑SCr 1.5 x baseline		Scr 1.5-1.9x Baseline
	↓UO <0.5 ml/kg/hr x 6 hours		Acute ↑Scr ≥0.3 mg/dl
Injury	↓GFR >50%	Stage 2	Same as Injury
	↑SCr 2 x baseline		Scr 2.0-2.9 x Baseline
	↓UO <0.5 ml/kg/hr x 12 hours		
Failure	↓GFR >75%	Stage 3	Same as Failure
	↑SCr 3 x baseline		Scr >3x Baseline
	↓UO <0.3 ml/kg/hr x 24 hours		Scr >4 mg/dl
Loss	RRT > 4 weeks		Acute ↑Scr >0.5 mg/dl
ESRD	RRT > 3 months		

11

## CREATININE AS A BIOMARKER FOR AKI



- **Not sensitive**
  - Cellular injury without increase in creatinine
- **Not specific**
  - Increased in prerenal state
- **Delayed**
  - May lag 2-3 days
- **Unreliable**
  - Fluids can dilute
  - Muscle mass based
  - Logarithmic relationship to GFR

12

## CHARACTERISTICS OF AN IDEAL BIOMARKER

- Increases in the urine or blood within minutes to hours after a renal insult
- Persistent elevation as long as the injury is present
- Correlates quantitatively with the extent of injury
- Decreases as renal recovery takes place

### A Possible Option...

*LMW proteins that are freely filtered at glomerulus and reabsorbed in proximal tubule therefore presence indicates PT impairment*

13

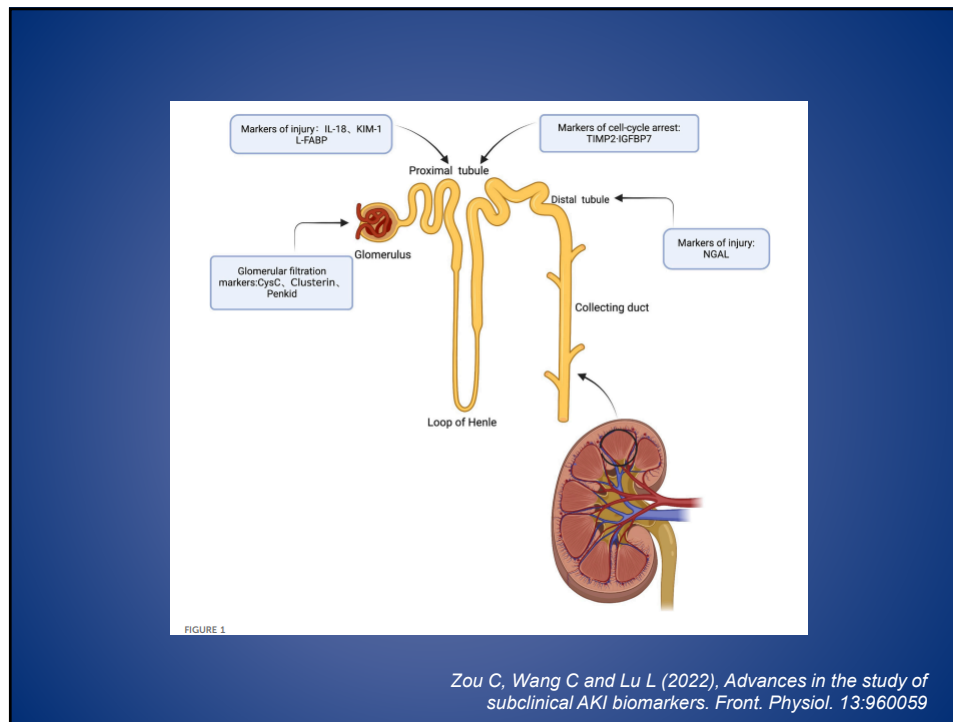
## BIOMARKERS TO RECOGNIZE AKI EARLIER

Proximal tubule	Glomerulus	Preinjury biomarkers
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Albumin</li> <li>• IL-18</li> <li>• GST-<math>\alpha</math> (urinary)</li> <li>• Clusterin</li> <li>• Cystatin C (urinary)</li> <li>• KIM-1</li> <li>• <math>\alpha</math>-1 Microglobulin</li> <li>• <math>\beta</math>-2 Microglobulin</li> <li>• NGAL</li> <li>• HGF</li> <li>• Netrin-1</li> <li>• Osteopontin</li> <li>• NHE-3</li> <li>• Cyr61</li> <li>• L-FABP</li> <li>• Exosomal fetuin-A</li> <li>• NAG</li> <li>• RBP</li> <li>• NHE-3</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Albumin</li> <li>• Total protein</li> <li>• <math>\alpha</math>-1 Microglobulin</li> <li>• <math>\beta</math>-2 Microglobulin</li> <li>• Cystatin C (urinary)</li> </ul> <p><b>Loop of Henle</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Osteopontin</li> <li>• NHE-3</li> </ul> <p><b>Distal tubules</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GST-<math>\mu/\pi</math></li> <li>• NGAL</li> <li>• Osteopontin</li> <li>• Clusterin</li> <li>• H-FABP</li> <li>• Calbindin D-28</li> </ul> <p><b>Collecting duct</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Calbindin D-28</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IGFBP-7 @</li> <li>• TIMP-2 @</li> <li>• DKK1-4 (DKK-3)* (serum, urinary)</li> <li>• Hemojuvelin (HJV) (urinary)</li> <li>• Micro-RNAs (U) (urinary)</li> <li>• Wnt (serum, urinary)</li> </ul> <p><b>Others</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cytochrome-C (urinary)</li> <li>• Epidermal growth factor (urinary)</li> <li>• Malondialdehyde (urinary)</li> </ul>

Bhosale SJ, Kulkarni AP. Biomarkers in Acute Kidney Injury. Indian J Crit Care Med. 2020 Apr;24

14





15

## PROPOSED NEW DEFINITIONS OF AKI

Functional criteria	Stage	Damage criteria
No change or sCr level increase <0.3 mg/dL and no UO criteria	1S	Biomarker positive
Increase of sCr level by $\geq 0.3$ mg/dL for $\leq 48$ h or $\geq 150\%$ for $\leq 7$ days and/or UO <0.5 mL/kg/h for >6 h	1A	Biomarker negative
	1B	Biomarker positive
Increase of sCr level by >200% and/or UO <0.5 mL/kg/h for >12 h	2A	Biomarker negative
	2B	Biomarker positive
Increase of sCr level by >300% ( $\geq 4.0$ mg/dL with an acute increase of $\geq 0.5$ mg/dL) and/or UO <0.3 mL/kg/h for >24 h or anuria for >12 h and/or acute KRT	3A	Biomarker negative
	3B	Biomarker positive

Recommendations on AKI Biomarkers From the Acute Disease Quality Initiative Consensus Conference. *JAMA Network Open.* 2020

16





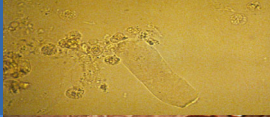
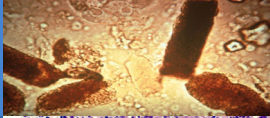
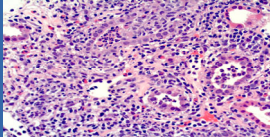
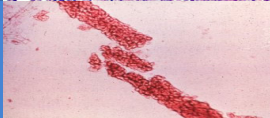
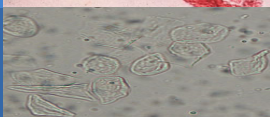
# AKI: EVALUATON

17

## EVALUATION OF AKI

- **History**
  - Baseline Renal Function
  - Preexisting Medical Conditions
  - Acute events
- **Chart review**
  - Recent medications
  - Recent contrast dye studies
  - Recent hemodynamic changes, BP drops
  - Review of fluid input and output
- **Physical**
  - Volume status
  - Cardiac exam
  - Abdominal distention, bruits, mass
  - Skin: turgor, rashes
  - Foley patency

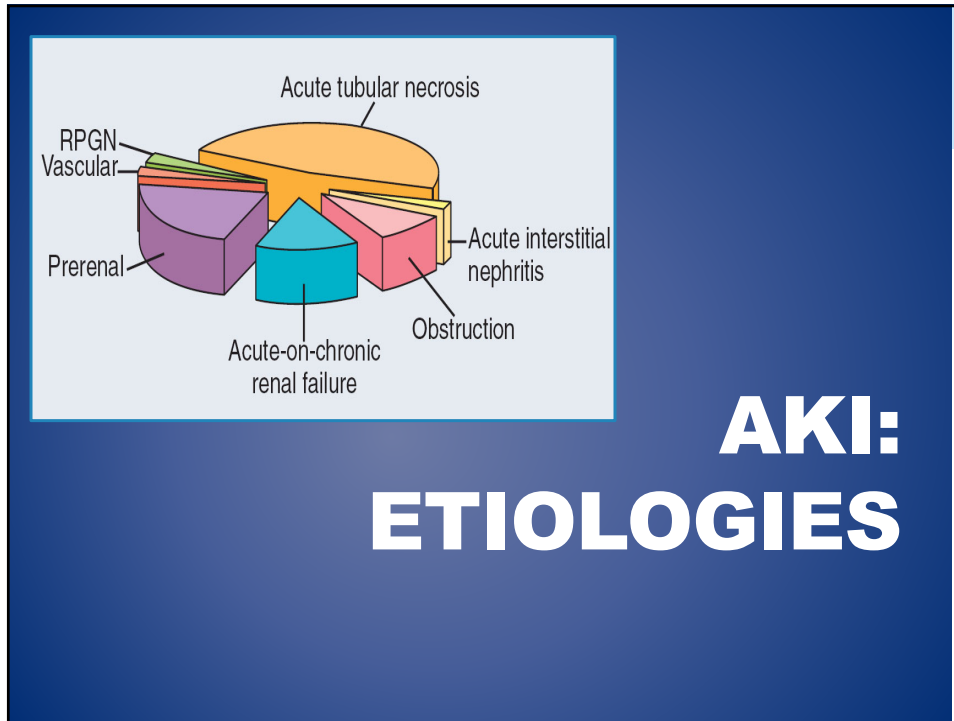
18

DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS: URINALYSIS		
<b>Prerenal</b>	Bland Urine High Specific Gravity >1.015 Hyaline Casts	
<b>ATN</b>	Nonalbumin Proteinuria No Cells Muddy Brown Casts (Granular Casts)	
<b>Interstitial Nephritis</b>	Nonalbumin Proteinuria Possible WBC's & RBC's Eosinophils	
<b>GN</b>	Albuminuria +RBC's & WBC's RBC & WBC Casts	
<b>Post-Renal</b>	Bland Epithelial or Transitional Cells +/- WBC's & RBC's	

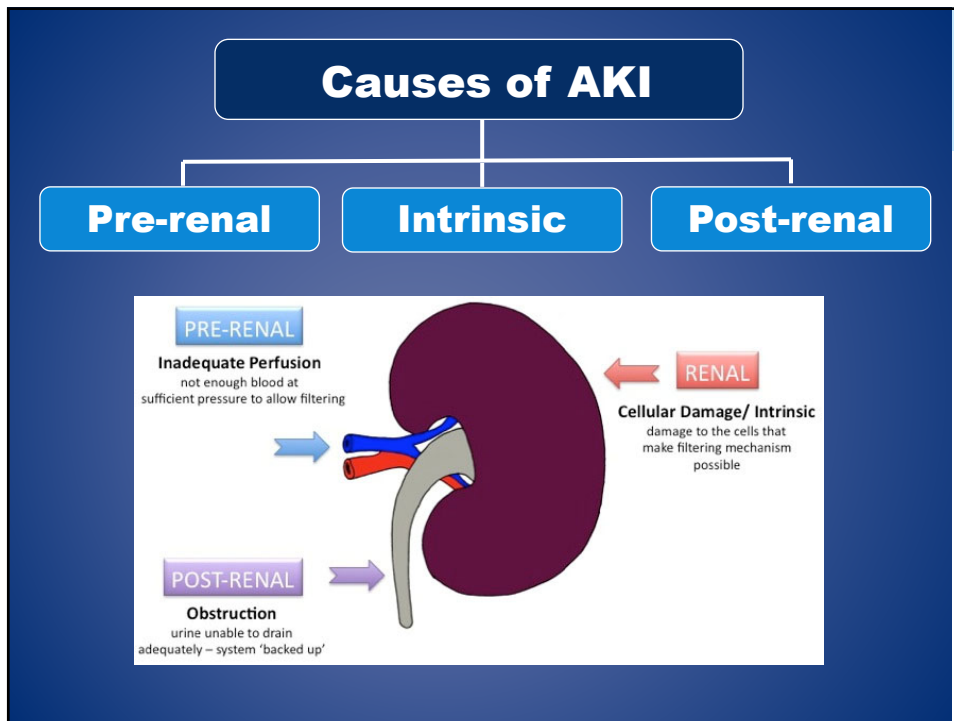
19

DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS: OTHER CLUES			
LABS	PRERENAL	INTRINSIC	POST RENAL
<b>FeNa</b>	<1%	>1%	>1% May be <1
<b>FeUrea</b>	<35%	>35%	>35%
<b>BUN/Cr Ratio</b>	>20	<20	>20
<b>Others</b>	↑Uric Acid Metabolic Alkalosis		↑K+ Metabolic Acidosis

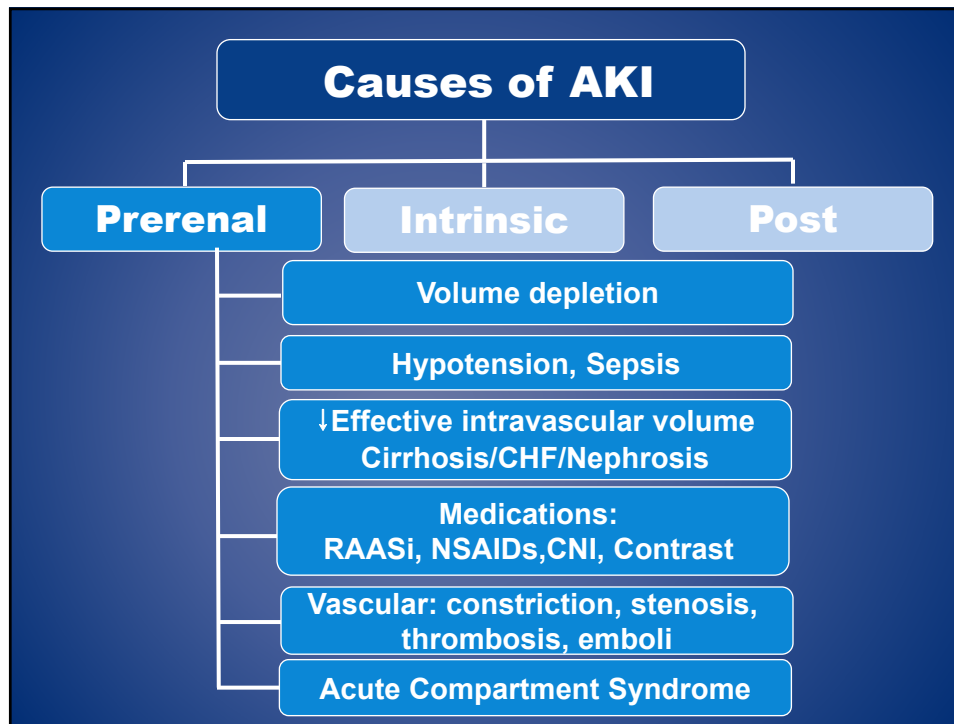
20



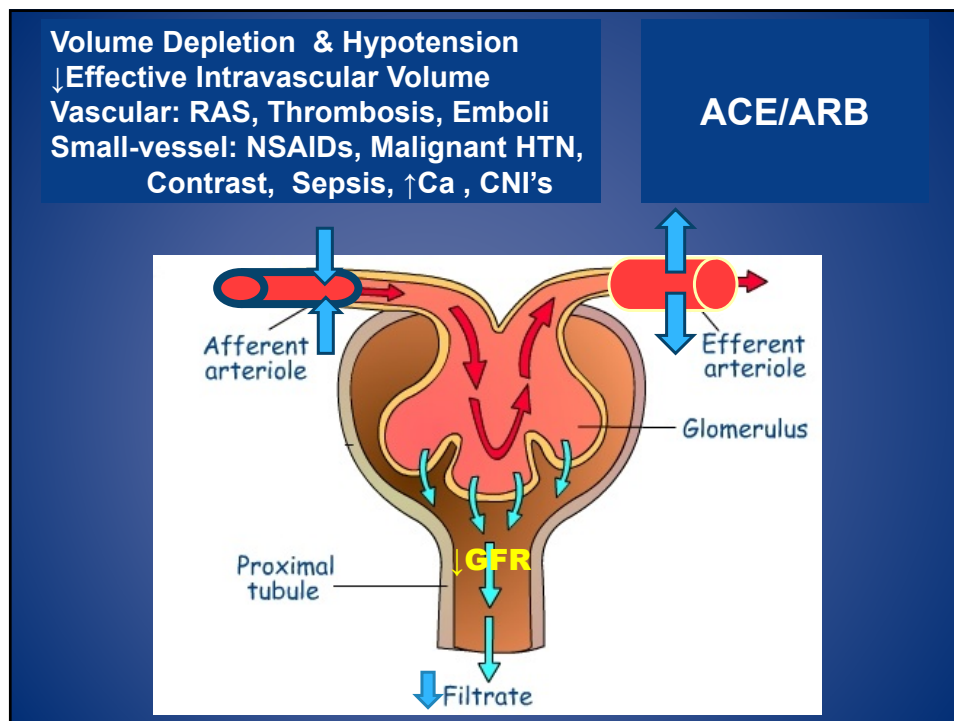
21



22

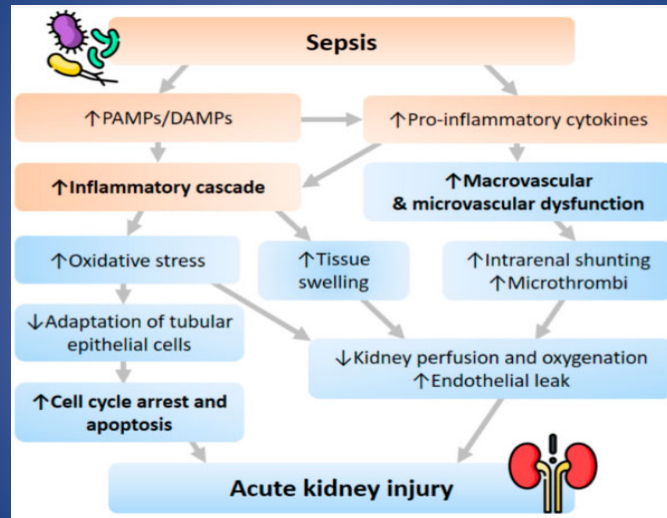


23



24

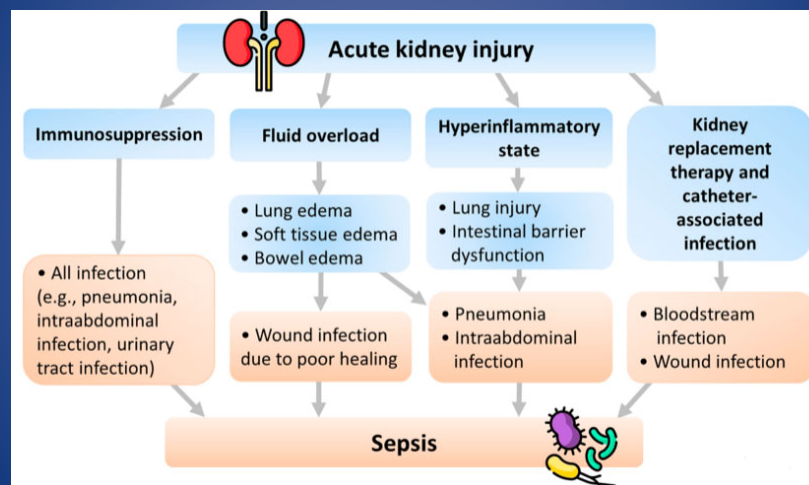
## SEPSIS ASSOCIATED AKI



Chang Y et al. Sepsis and Acute Kidney Injury: A Review Focusing on the Bidirectional Interplay Int. J. Mol. Sci. 2022, 23(16), 9159

25

## SEPSIS AKI SEQUELAE



26

## PREVENTIVE MEASURES: PROVEN EFFICACY

### Hemodynamic:

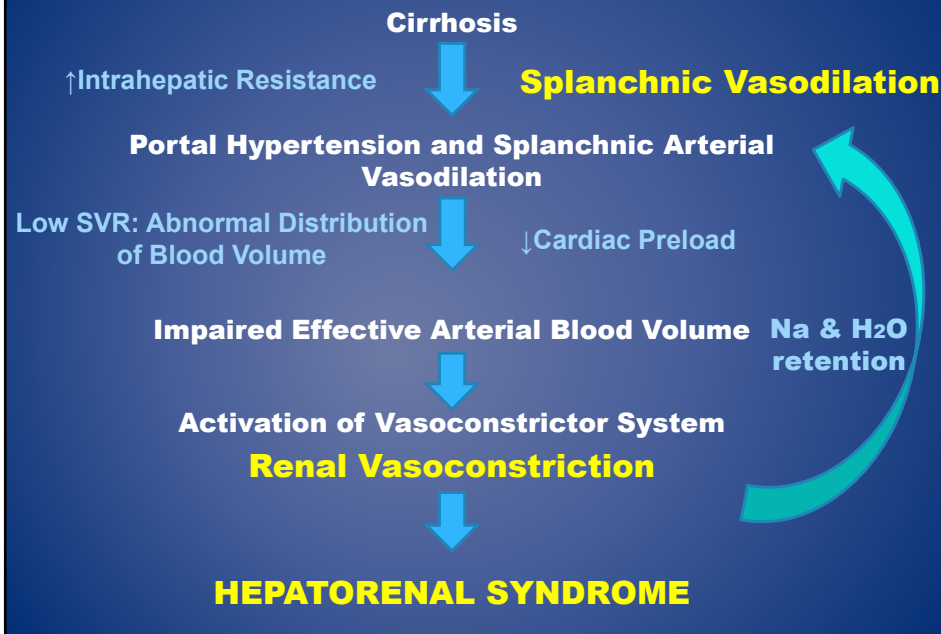
- Volume resuscitation with **Isotonic Fluids**
- Hydration: contrast, cisplatin, rhabdomyolysis and tumor lysis
- Hemodynamic Support with Pressors
- Avoid relative hypotension
- Timely Sepsis Treatment

### Clinical modifications

- Avoidance of **Nephrotoxins**
- Single daily dosing of aminoglycosides
- Liposomal Amphotericin
- **Low osmolar Contrast** agents at lowest possible dose

27

## HEPATORENAL SYNDROME



28

## INTERNATIONAL CLUB OF ASCITES CRITERIA FOR HRS:

- Diagnosis of cirrhosis and ascites
- No response after 48 hours of diuretic withdrawal and albumin 1gm/kg volume expansion
- Absence of Shock
- No current or recent Nephrotoxins
- Absence of macroscopic kidney injury:
  - Proteinuria > 500 mg/day
  - Hematuria >50 RBC/hpf
  - No structural disease on renal US

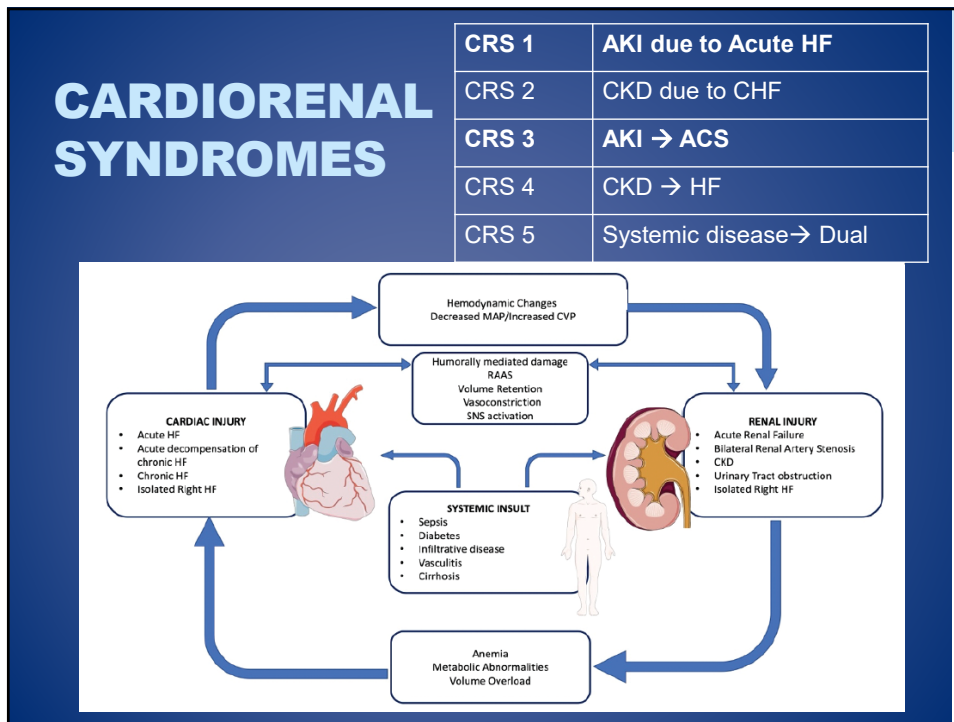
Boyer et al: REVERSE Gastroenterology 2016

29

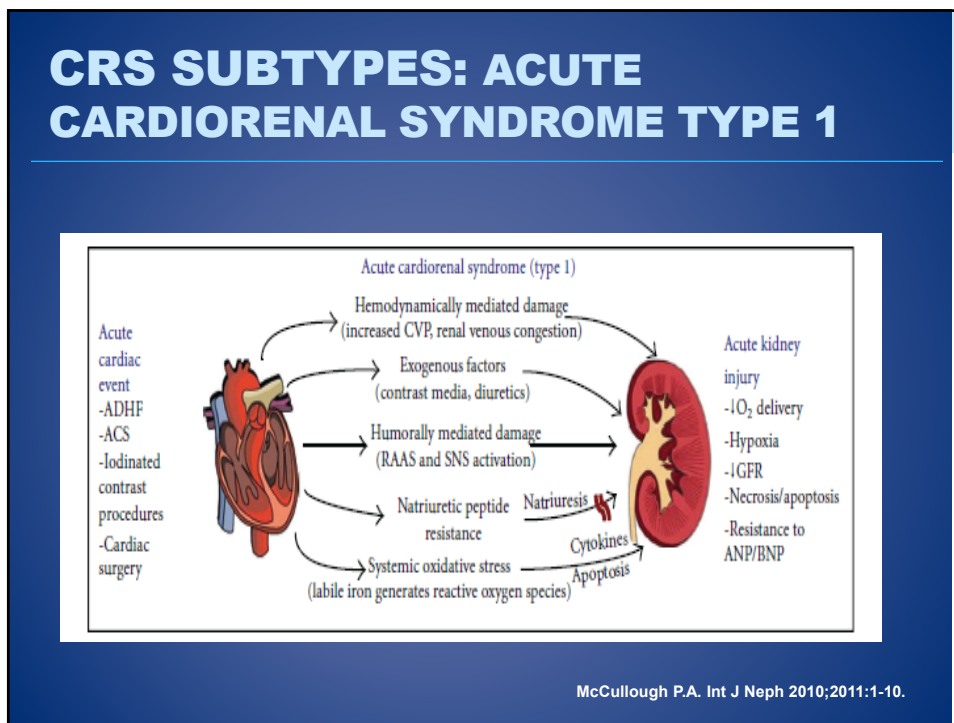
HRS	HRS-AKI Type 1 HRS	HRS-NAKI Type 2 AKI
Timeframe	<2 weeks	>2 weeks
Creatinine	Doubling of Scr Cr >2.5 mg/dl	Scr >1.5 mg/dl
Trigger	Acute decompensation	Diuretic resistance
Prognosis	High mortality ~2 weeks	4-6 months
Treatment	Albumin Increase MAP > 65 • Terlipressin • Midodrine Octreotide	Close monitoring Midodrine (Octreotide) Transplant

30





31



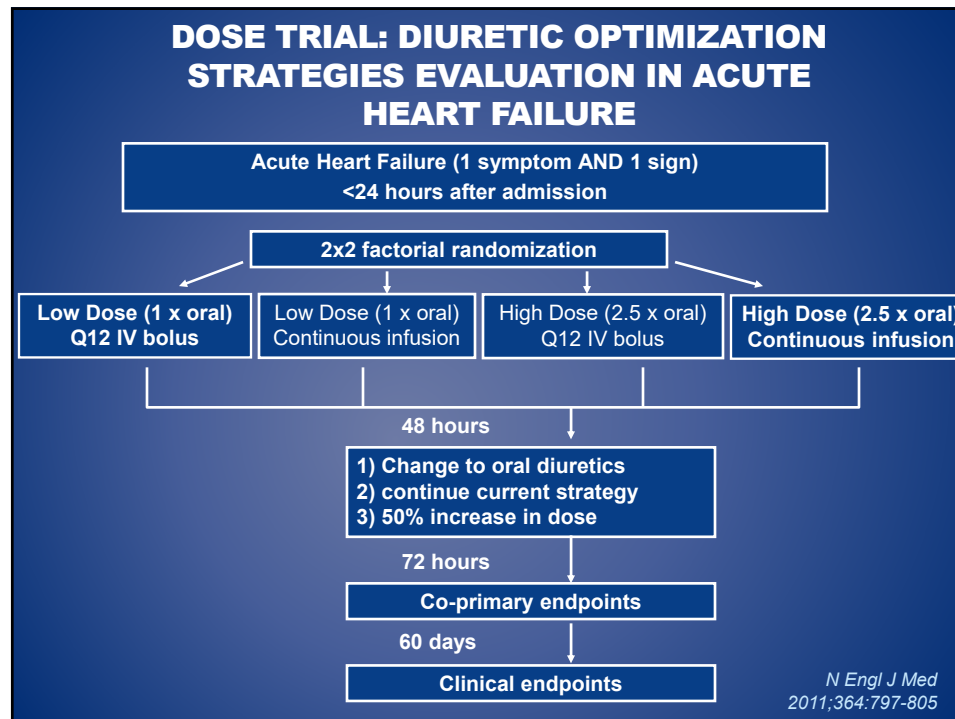
32

## CRS TYPE 1 TREATMENT

- Mainstay of therapy for CRS1 = diuretics and afterload reduction in order to optimize preload and afterload.
- Characteristics of patients with Worsening renal function (WRF) from ESCAPE Trial
  - ↑SBP, ↑ prevalence of HTN
  - ↑suspicion of ascites
  - ↑use of thiazides
  - ↑weight loss and rate of weight loss
- Baseline renal function appeared more predictive of long-term outcomes than WRF during hospitalization.
- Escape Trial: IAP/PAC monitoring can guide therapy
  - Vasodilators: nitroglycerin, nesiritide
  - Inotropic Agents: dobutamine, milrinone

Testani et al. Am J Cardiol 2010;106:1763-69

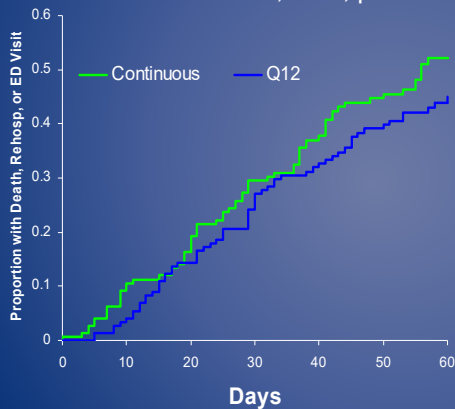
33



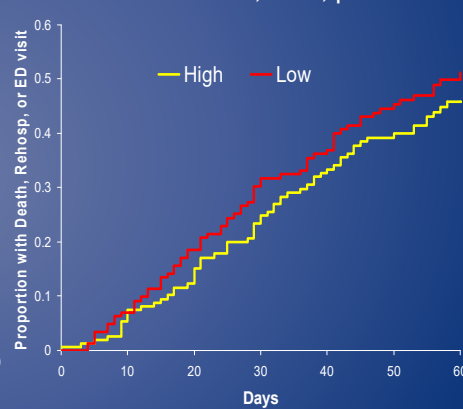
34

## DEATH, REHOSPITALIZATION, OR ED VISIT

HR for Continuous vs. Q12 = 1.19  
95% CI 0.86, 1.66, p = 0.30



HR for High vs. Low = 0.83  
95% CI 0.60, 1.16, p = 0.28



35

## CONCLUSIONS

- **Q12hr Bolus vs. Continuous Infusion**
  - There was no statistically significant difference in global symptom relief or change in renal function at 72 hours
  - There was no evidence of benefit for continuous infusion compared to Q12 hour bolus on any secondary endpoint
- **Low intensification vs. High intensification**
  - No difference in symptom relief
  - Despite transient changes in renal function, there was no evidence for higher risk of clinical events at 60 days associated with the high intensification strategy
- **High intensification (2.5 x oral dose) was associated with trends towards greater improvement in :**
  - Symptom relief (global assessment and dyspnea)
  - Weight loss and net volume loss
  - Proportion free from signs of congestion
  - Reduction in NT-proBNP

36

**Loop diuretic response  
HFA-position statement**

**GOOD loop diuretic response if\*:**

**a.** Urinary sodium concentration > 50-70 meq/L 2-hours after diuretic

**b.** Urinary Output >100-150 ml/hour during first 6-hours after diuretic

**c.** Total diuresis > 3-4 L first 24hours

**Parallel considerations**  
1. Adjust doses of renal cleared medications accordingly; 2. avoid the administration of nephrotoxic drugs (eg aminoglycosides); 3. avoid contrast; 4. avoid nephrotoxic drugs; 5. avoid drugs that may increase the risk of renal impairment; 6. optimize nutritional status whenever possible

**CAUTION IN CASE OF**  
- Doubling of serum creatinine or  
- Absolute serum creatinine > 3.5 mg/dl

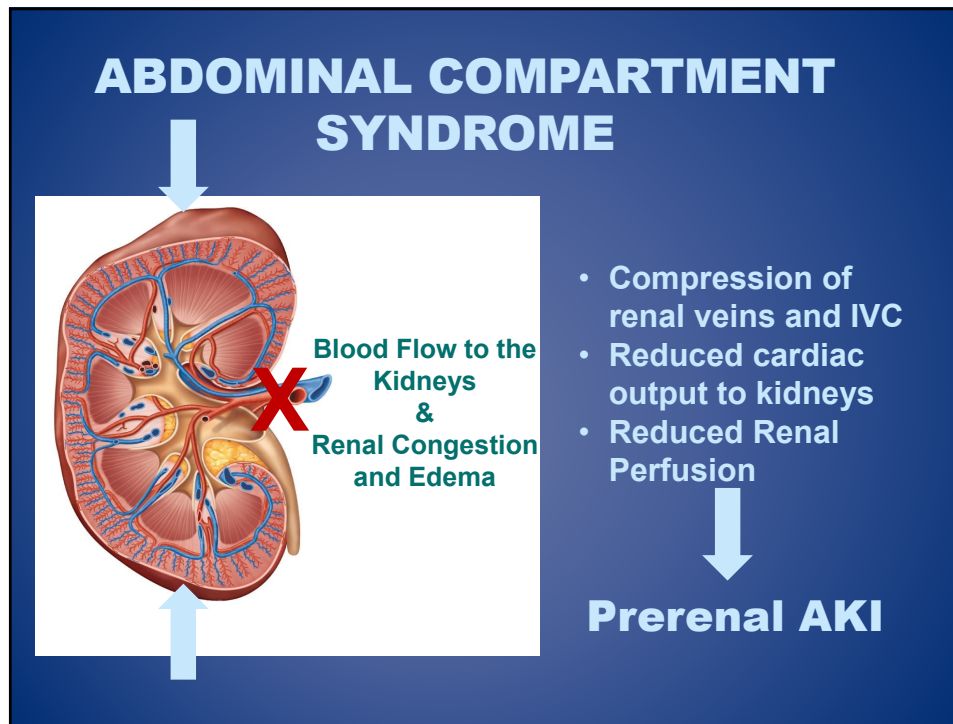
Mullens W et al. Evaluation of kidney function throughout the heart failure trajectory – a position statement from the Heart Failure Association of the European Society of Cardiology. Eur J Heart Fail. 2020

37

## ABDOMINAL COMPARTMENT SYNDROME IAP > 20 mmHg

Physiologic Insult → Inflammatory Response & Ischemia → Capillary Leak & Tissue Edema → Intra-Abdominal Hypertension

38



39

### HOW COMMON IS INTRA-ABDOMINAL HYPERTENSION & ABDOMINAL COMPARTMENT SYNDROME?

Abdominal pressure	Total Prevalence	MICU Prevalence	SICU Prevalence
<b>IAP &gt; 12</b> <i>Intra-abdominal Hypertension</i>	<b>58.8%</b>	<b>54.4%</b>	<b>65%</b>
<b>IAP &gt; 15</b>	<b>28.9%</b>	<b>29.8%</b>	<b>27.5%</b>
<b>IAP &gt; 20</b> <i>Acute Compartment Syndrome</i>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>

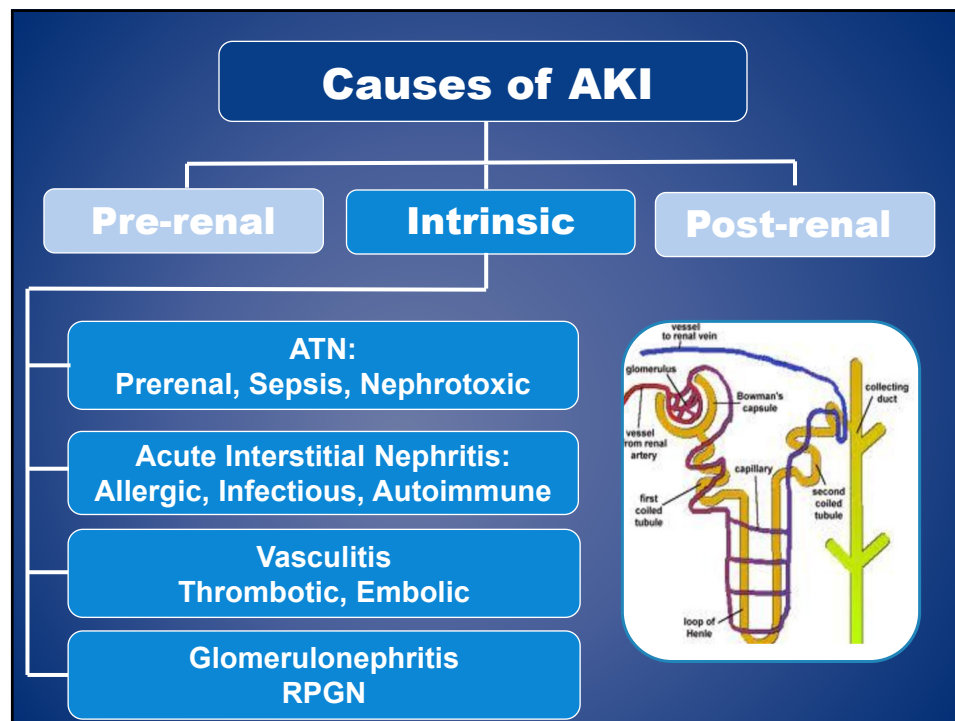
*Malbrain, Intensive Care Medicine (2004)*

40

## ABDOMINAL COMPARTMENT SYNDROME: TREATMENT

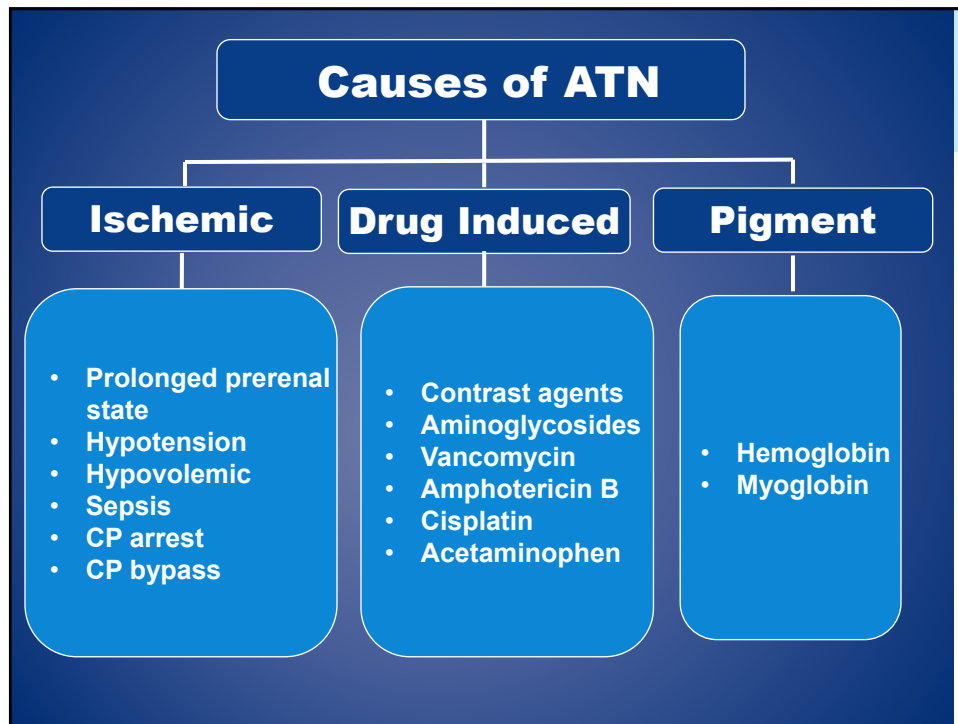
- **Optimize abdominal perfusion pressure**
  - Supine body
  - Sedation
- **Evacuate abdominal contents**
  - Paracentesis
  - Abscess & Hematoma drainage
  - NG suction, Rectal decompression
- **Fluid Management**
  - Colloids instead of crystalloids
  - Diuretics
  - HD/UF
- **Maintain abdominal perfusion pressure**
- **DECOMPRESSIVE LAPAROTOMY**

41

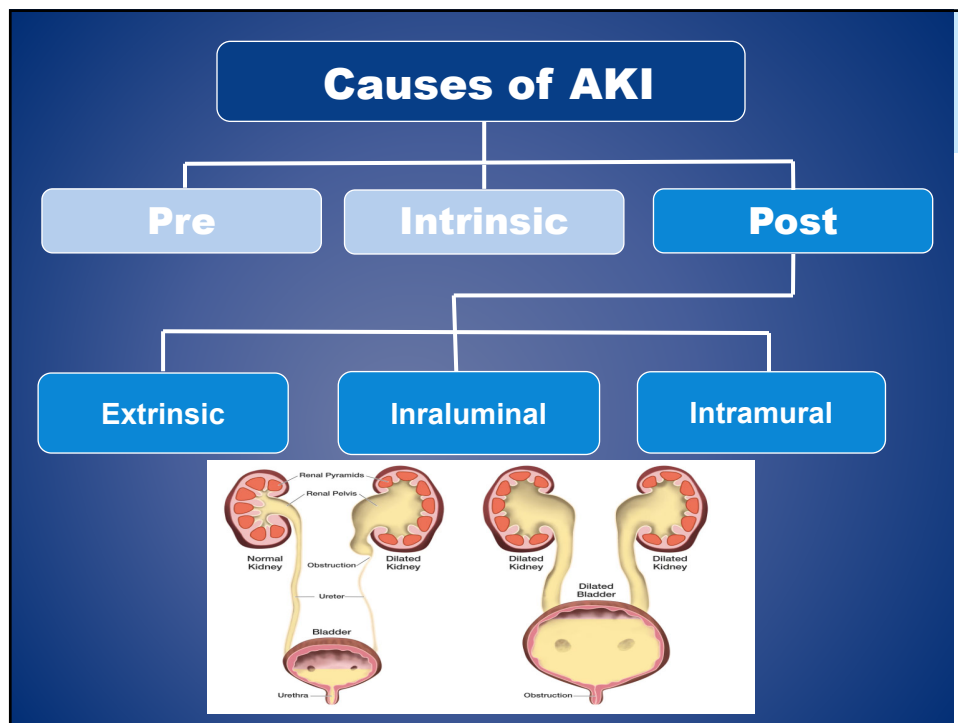


42





43



44



<b>STRUCTURAL &amp; FUNCTIONAL ETIOLOGIES OF OBSTRUCTION</b>		
<b>EXTRINSIC</b>	<b>INTRALUMINAL</b>	<b>INTRAMURAL</b>
Tumor/Mass	Stones	Neurologic: DM, spinal cord injury, MS Medications: anti-cholinergics
BPH	Crystals: Uric acid in TLS	Strictures: TB, Radiation, Post-surgical
Retroperitoneal Fibrosis	Drugs: acyclovir, indinavir, MTX, sulfanamides	Schistosomiasis
Vascular	Papillary Necrosis	TCC
(Pregnancy)	Blood clots	Anti-cholinergics
	BJ proteins in MM	

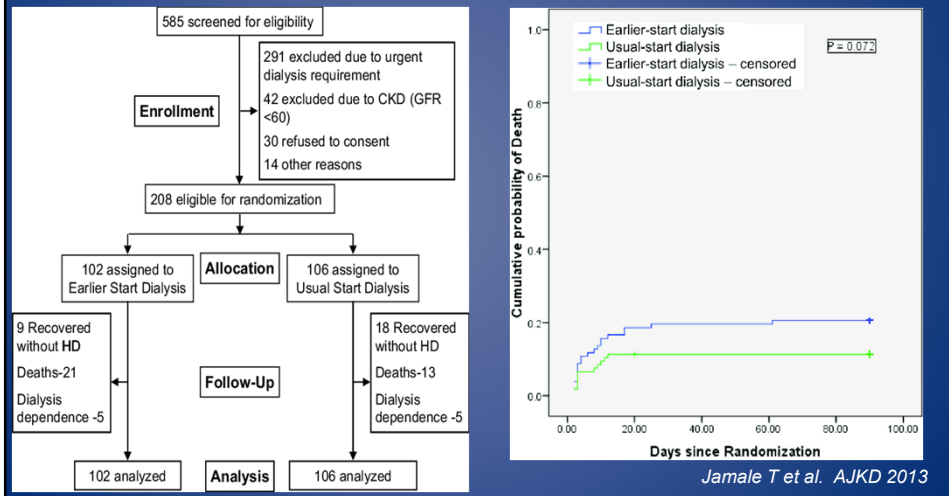
45



46

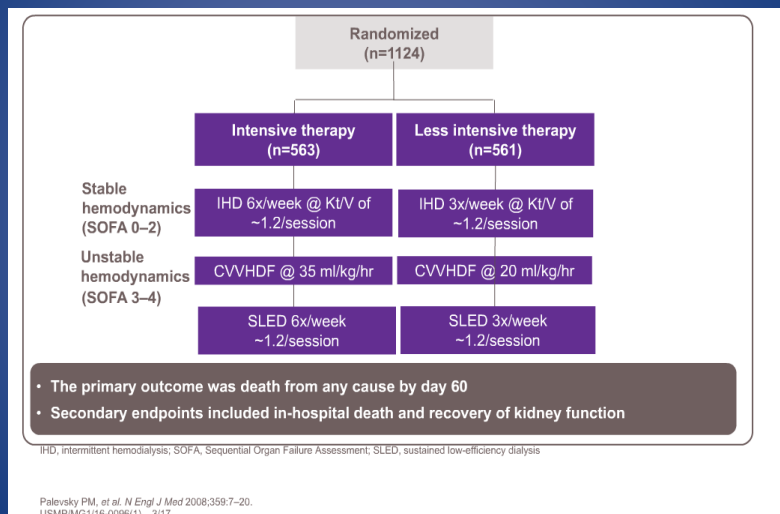
## EARLY VS LATE START DIALYSIS IN AKI

Early start: BUN 70 mg/dl and/or Cr 7 mg/dl  
 Late Start: Fluid/Na restriction, bicarbonate therapy, diuretics, correction of hyperkalemia



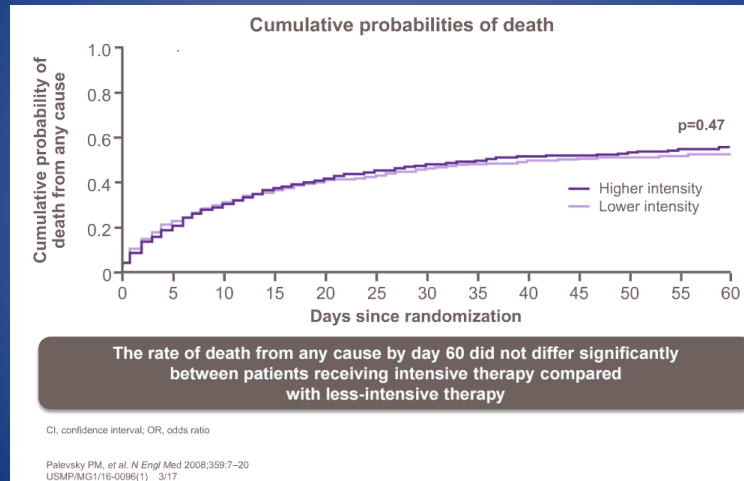
47

## ATN TRIAL 2008



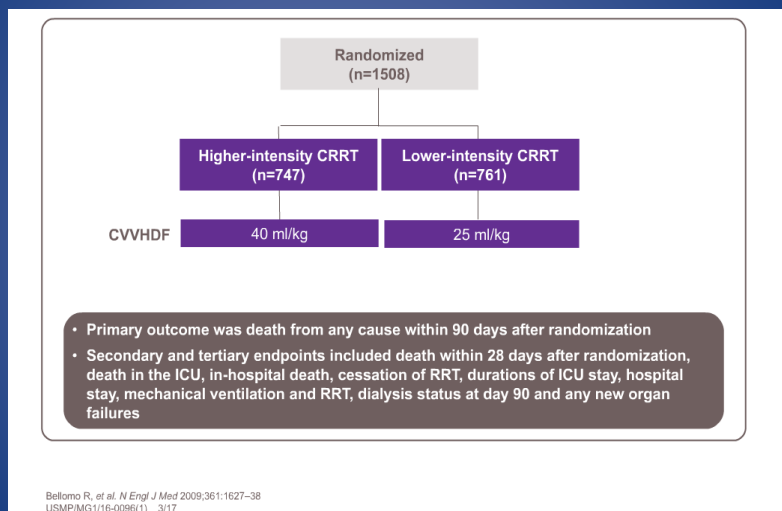
48

## ATN TRIAL OUTCOMES



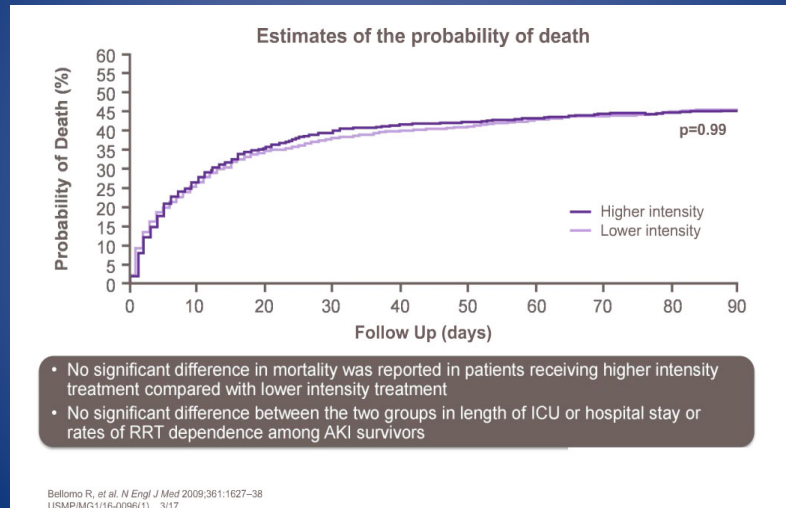
49

## RENAL TRIAL 2009



50

## RENAL TRIAL OUTCOMES



51

## CASE: 65M WITH AKI DUE TO CRS TYPE 1

- **Diuretic Therapy**
  - 1-2 times home dose/24 hours
  - If naive, 20-40 mg furosemide
  - If suboptimal response: add 2<sup>nd</sup> diuretic: chlorthiazide, metolozone
- **Early Response Monitoring**
  - Strict I/O's: check UOP response after 6 hours, goal >100 ml/hr
  - Una at 2 hrs post IV diuretic, goal >50-70 meq/L
- **Close assessment of hemodynamics: HR, RR, O<sub>2</sub>, EKG, weight and signs of hypoperfusion**
- **Other: Continue GDMT, consider MRA especially if hypoK**
- **If not responsive: assess CVP, TTE, consider IAP, vasodilators or inotropic agents, Ultrafiltration/HD**

52

## SUMMARY

- **Early recognition of AKI, limitations of Creatinine**
- **Understanding individual risk factors**
- **Accurate evaluation and diagnosis of AKI**
- **Proven beneficial therapeutic options:**
  - *Sepsis: Optimal fluid management, early antibiotics, hemodynamic stability*
  - *HRS: albumin, octreotide, vasopressin, midodrine, paracentesis*
  - *CRS: diuresis, close monitoring, vasodilators, inotropes*
  - *Avoid nephrotoxins*
- **No benefit of early dialysis initiation or high dose of dialysis**
- **Follow up after AKI and appropriate transition of care**

53

## QUESTIONS

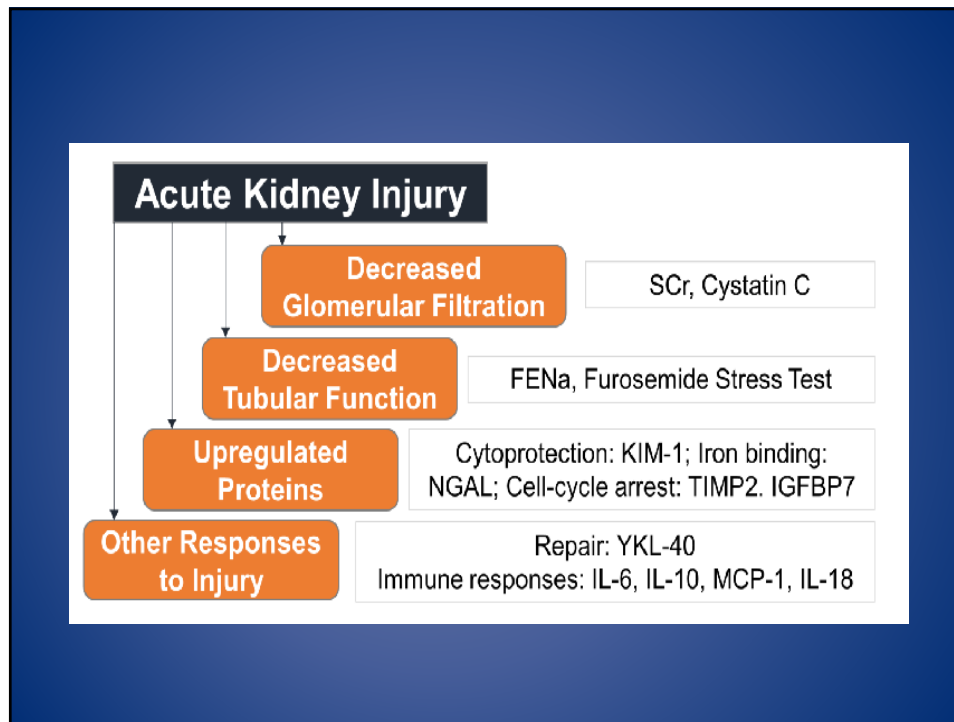
Golriz Jafari

[gjafari@dhs.lacounty.gov](mailto:gjafari@dhs.lacounty.gov)

<https://www.uclaoliveview.org/nephrology>



54



55

## DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS: IMAGING

**•Renal Ultrasound:**

- Evaluate kidney size
- Rule out obstruction
  - ✓ *Watch out for volume depletion & retroperitoneal fibrosis*

**•With Doppler:**

- Renal vein thrombosis
- Renal artery stenosis

**•Bladder Ultrasound / Scan:**

- Post Void Residual

**•Renal Scan:**

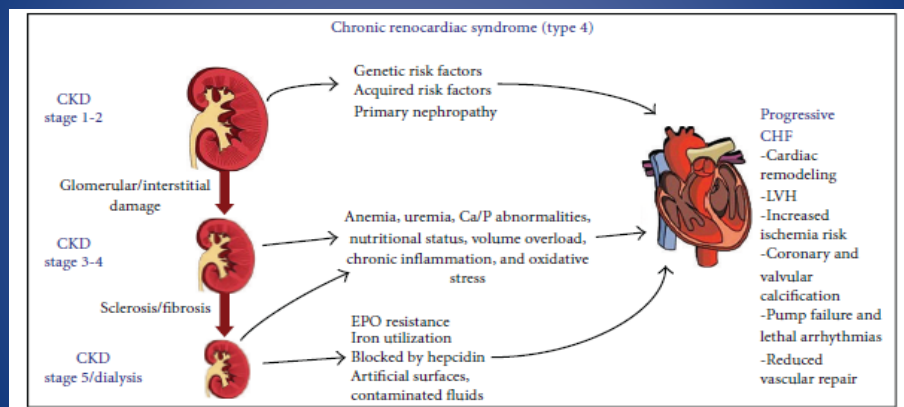
- Infarct

56

AKI EVALUATION	ACUTE	CHRONIC
History	Acute onset	Malaise Vague
Hemoglobin	Normal	Low
Potassium	High	Normal-High
Calcium	Normal	Low
Urinalysis	Active sediment: WBC's, RBC's, Casts	Bland Hyaline/Broad/Waxy Casts
Osteopenia	No	Yes
Kidney Size (Imaging)	Normal	Small-Normal

57

## CRS SUBTYPES: CHRONIC RENOCARDIAC SYNDROME TYPE 4



McCullough P.A. Int J Neph 2010;2011:1-10.

58



## PRIMARY ENDPOINTS

### Efficacy

-Patient Global Assessment over 72 hours

### Safety

-Change in SCr from baseline to 72 hours

59

## SECONDARY ENDPOINTS

Change in weight over 24, 48, 72, 96 hours

Freedom from signs and symptoms of congestion at 72 hours

Change in SCr and weight at 72 hours

### **Dyspnea over 24, 48 and 72 hours**

Change in SCr at 24, 48, 96 hrs, day 7 (or discharge), and day 60

Change in cystatin C at 72 hours, day 7 (or discharge) and day 60

Persistent or worsening heart failure

### **Development of worsening renal function (increase in SCr > 0.3 mg/dL at any time during initial 72 hours)**

Treatment failure (persistent HF, worsening renal failure, or death)

Index hospitalization length of stay

### **Death, rehospitalization, or ED visit w/i 60 days**

60

## INCLUSION-EXCLUSION CRITERIA

### INCLUSION ( $\geq 18$ years old)

Prior clinical dx of HF w/ daily home loop diuretic  $\times \geq 1$  mo  
 Daily oral furosemide  $\geq 80$  mg &  $\leq 240$  mg (or equivalent)  
 Identified within 24 h of admission  
 HF defined by  $\geq 1$  symptom & 1 sign  
 Anticipated need for IV loop diuretics  $\times \geq 48$  h

### EXCLUSION

Received or planned IV vasoactive treatment (inotropes, vasodilators) or ultra-filtration for HF  
 SBP  $< 90$  mmHg  
 SCr  $> 3.0$  mg/dl at baseline or renal replacement therapy  
 BNP  $< 250$  ng/ml or NT-proBNP  $< 1000$  mg/ml  
 ACS within 4 weeks  
 Anticipated coronary angio/procedures using IV contrast

61

## BASELINE CHARACTERISTICS (1)

Characteristic	N = 308
Age, yrs (mean, SD)	66 (14)
Male, % (N)	73% (226)
Race, % white, (N)	72% (222)
Baseline furosemide dose, mg/day, mean (SD)	131 (52)
Ejection fraction, %, mean (SD)	35 (18)
Prior HF hosp in last 12 mos, % (N)	74% (225)
Ischemic etiology, % (N)	57% (176)
Atrial fibrillation or flutter, % (N)	53% (162)
Diabetes mellitus, % (N)	51% (158)

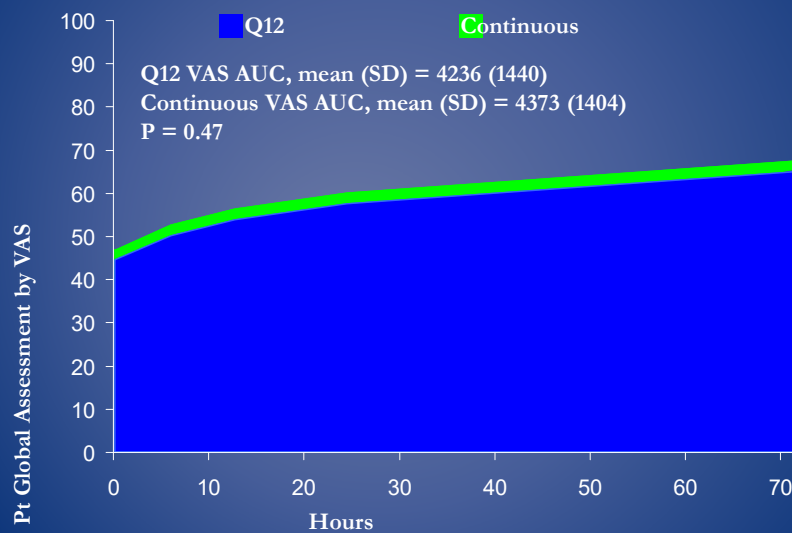
62

## BASELINE CHARACTERISTICS (2)

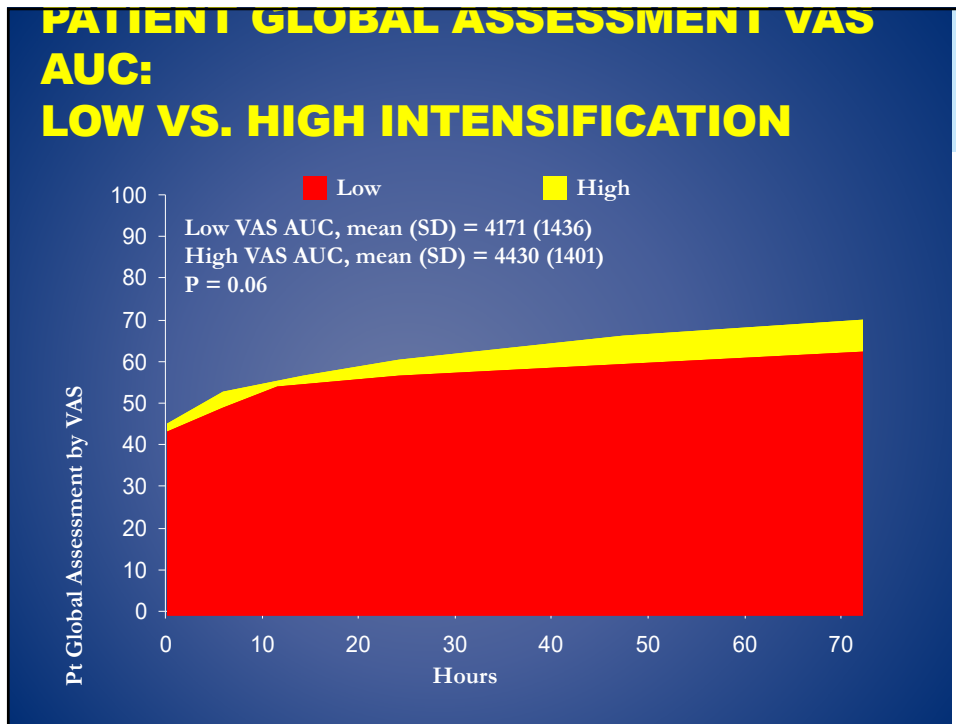
Characteristic	N = 308
ACE or ARB, %, (N)	64% (197)
Beta blocker, % (N)	83% (256)
Aldosterone antagonist % (N)	28% (86)
Systolic blood pressure, mg, mean (SD)	119 (20)
Heart rate, beats/min, mean (SD)	78 (16)
Jugular venous pulse > 8 cm H <sub>2</sub> O, % (N)	91% (267)
Rales, % (N)	58% (178)
Sodium, mg/dL, mean (SD)	138 (4)
Creatinine, mg/dL, mean (SD)	1.6 (0.5)
NT-proBNP, pg/mL, mean (SD)	7439 (7319)

63

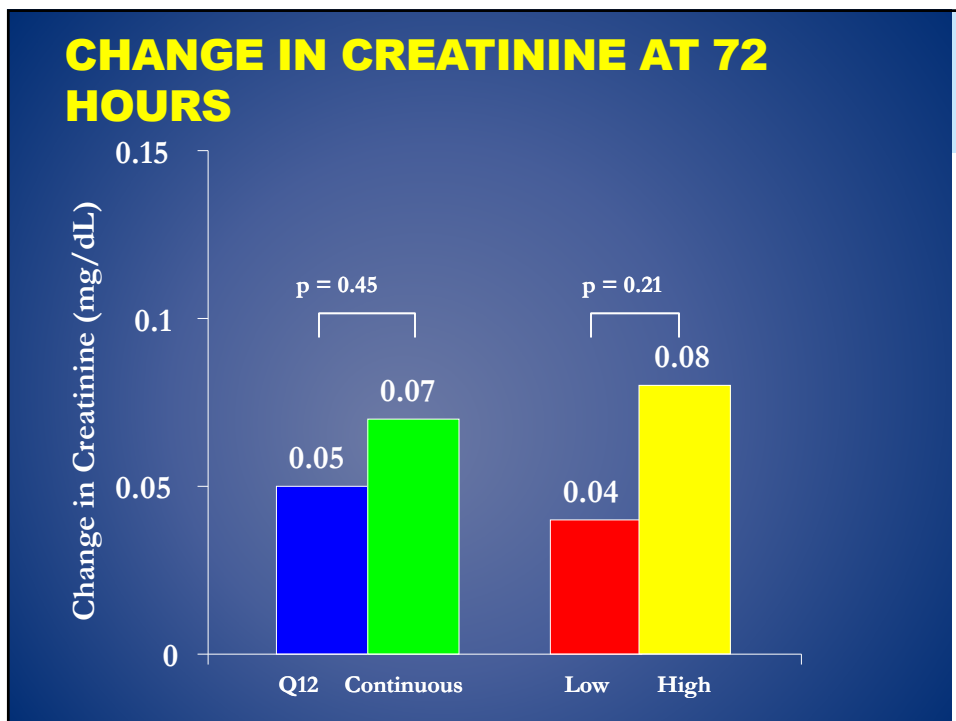
## PATIENT GLOBAL ASSESSMENT VAS AUC: Q12 VS. CONTINUOUS



64



65



66

## SECONDARY ENDPOINTS: Q12 VS. CONTINUOUS

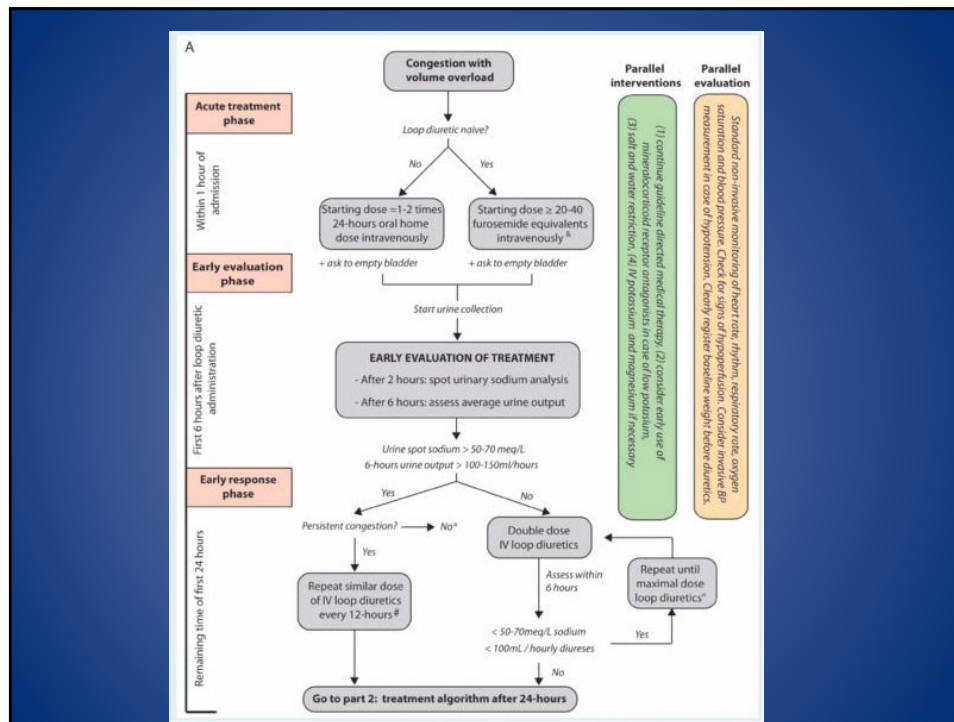
	Q12	Continuous	P value
<b>Dyspnea at 72 hrs</b>	<b>4456</b>	<b>4699</b>	<b>0.36</b>
% free from congestion at 72 hrs	14%	15%	0.78
Change in weight at 72 hrs	-6.8 lbs	-8.1 lbs	0.20
<b>Net volume loss at 72 hrs</b>	<b>4237 mL</b>	<b>4249 mL</b>	<b>0.89</b>
Change in NTproBNP at 72 hrs (pg/mL)	-1326	-1773	0.44
% treatment failure	38%	39%	0.88
<b>% with Cr increase &gt; 0.3 mg/dL within 72 hrs</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>0.64</b>
Length of stay, days (median)	5	5	0.97

67

## SECONDARY ENDPOINTS: LOW VS. HIGH INTENSIFICATION

	Low	High	P value
<b>Dyspnea at 72 hours</b>	<b>4478</b>	<b>4668</b>	<b>0.041</b>
% free from congestion at 72 hrs	11%	18%	0.091
Change in weight at 72 hrs	-6.1 lbs	-8.7 lbs	0.011
<b>Net volume loss at 72 hrs</b>	<b>3575 mL</b>	<b>4899 mL</b>	<b>0.001</b>
Change in NTproBNP at 72 hrs (pg/mL)	-1194	-1882	0.06
% Treatment failure	37%	40%	0.56
<b>% with Cr increase &gt; 0.3 mg/dL within 72 hrs</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>0.041</b>
Length of stay, days (median)	6	5	0.55

68



69

## RISK FACTORS FOR ABDOMINAL COMPARTMENT SYNDROME

Increased Capillary Leak	Fluid Resuscitation	Increased Abdominal Contents	Decreased Abdominal Wall Compliance
Sepsis	Massive IVF's	Ascites	Ventilator dyssynchrony
		Pancreatitis Peritonitis	Burns with eschars
Burns	Blood Products	Bleeding	Tight abdominal wall closures
Trauma	Oliguria	Tumor	
		Gastric distension Ileus	Retroperitoneal Bleeding
		Enteral Feeding Obesity	

70



## DIAGNOSTIC CRITERIA

- Signs/Symptoms: Tense abdomen, ↓Tidal volume, ↑CVP, ↓Cardiac Index, Oliguria

### Measurement of intra-abdominal pressure via transduction of bladder pressure

- Intra-abdominal pressure  $\geq 20$  mm Hg
- At least one organ failure

71

## CONTRAST INDUCED NEPHROPATHY: RISK FACTORS

- Patient related:
  - Age
  - CKD
  - DM (+ CKD)
  - Hypotension
  - CHF
  - Anemia
  - Concomitant nephrotoxins
- Procedure-related:
  - Increased volume contrast
  - Multiple sequential procedures
  - High osmolal contrast
  - ?Intra-arterial administration

**Table 2: Contrast-Induced Nephropathy Risk Assessment Tool**

Risk Factor	Points	
Systolic BP <80mm Hg	5	
Intra-aortic balloon pump	5	
Chronic CHF	5	
Age >75 years	4	
Anemia (Hct <39 men, <36 women)	3	
Diabetes	3	
Contrast media volume	1 point per 100 cc <sup>3</sup> of contrast used	
Serum creatinine >1.5 mg/dL	4	
or Est GFR 40-59 mL/min	2	
or Est GFR 20-39 mL/min	4	
or Est GFR <20 mL/min	6	
<b>Total Points</b>	<b>CIN Risk</b>	<b>Dialysis Risk</b>
less than 5	7.50%	0.04%
6 to 10	14.00%	0.12%
11 to 16	26.10%	1.09%
more than 16	57.30%	12.60%

SOURCE Adapted from Melran R, et al.

72



## PREVENTION: CONTRAST INDUCED AKI

INEFFECTIVE	UNCLEAR BENEFIT	EFFECTIVE
CCB	NAC: Inconclusive ASN 2010: Rx: 1200 mg po bid x 2 days	IVF Isotonic saline or NaHCO <sub>3</sub> Clear dose not defined, suggested: 1 cc/kg/hr ~6 hours pre & post procedure as tolerated
Hemofiltration	Theophylline Aminophylline	
Loop diuretics	ANP	Low contrast osmolarity
Dopamine	Statins	
Mannitol	Ascorbic acid	Lowest possible contrast dose
Fenoldopam	Stop ACE/ARB	
Hemodialysis		

Weisbord S. ASN Nov, 2010

73

## ACUTE INTERSTITIAL NEPHRITIS

### Drugs :

**Antimicrobials:** Ampicillin, Ciprofloxacin, Methicillin, PCN, Rifampicin, Sulfonamides, Clotrimoxazole, Vancomycin

**NSAIDs:** ASA, Fenoprofen, Ibuprofen, Indomethacin, Naproxen, Piroxicam, Tolmetin

**Acid suppressors:** PPI's, Cimetidine

**Others:** Phenytoin, Triamterene, Furosemide, Allopurinol, Phenindione

### Infections:

**Direct infiltration:** Leptospirosis, CMV, Candidiasis, Tuberculosis

**Reactive to systemic infections:** Strep, Diphtheria, Hantavirus, HIV

### Systemic diseases :

**Metabolic diseases:** Urate, Hypercalcemic and Oxalate Nephropathy

**Immunologic reactions:** Transplant rejection, SLE, Sarcoidosis, Cryoglobulinemia, TINU

**Neoplastic diseases :** Lymphoproliferative diseases

74

## DRUG INDUCED INTERSTITIAL NEPHRITIS

TUBULAR	INTERSTITIAL	GLOMERULAR	CRYSTAL
Amino-glycosides Vancomycin Contrast	Penicillin PPI	Bisphosphonates NSAIDs Hydralazine CNI	Indinavir Acyclovir Phosphate Sulpha Ethylene Glycol
MECHANISM			
Mitochondrial Damage Tubular Toxicity	Hypersensitivity Inflammatory	Podocyte and Endothelial Cell Injury Nephrotic Syndrome TMA	Osmotic Obstructive Obstruction

75

## AMINOGLYCOSIDES

- Reduced GFR usually 7-10 days after initiating treatment
- Proximal Tubule mitochondrial damage
- Risk factors:
  - Prolonged treatment
  - Hypotension
  - Volume depletions
  - Other nephrotoxins
  - CKD
  - Hypokalemia
  - Elderly
- $UNa > 20$  meq/L,  $FeNA > 2$
- Usually reversible
- Monitor drug levels and creatinine



76

## DRUG INDUCED AIN

- Usually within 3 weeks
- Not Dose Dependent
- 1/3 require dialysis
- Tubular proteinuria 1-2 gm,
- +WBC's, +RBC's, +/- Eosinophils
- Only 10% with Triad: Rash, Fever, Eos >1%
- Treatment: stop offending drug, treat underlying disease/infection, supportive care, +/- steroids



*Kidney International (2010) 77, 956–961*