

Results of operations in Adults with Congenital Heart Disease – Na Homolce Hospital experience



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Why should we perform adult congenital cardiac surgery ?

- In period 1977-2010, total of 14483 procedures was done

35 Výsledky chirurgické léčby vrozených srdečních vad u dětí v Dětském kardiocentru v Praze-Motole

V průběhu 34leté činnosti Dětského kardiocentra v Praze-Motole bylo na tomto pracovišti provedeno 14 483 operací dětí s vrozenou srdeční vadou (tab. 1).

Tab. 1 Přehled operací vrozených srdečních vad v Dětském kardiocentru Fakultní nemocnice v Motole, Praha, v letech 1977–2010 (n = 14 483)

typ vady	operace			
	na zavřeném srdci	mimotělní oběh	invazivní katétr	celkem
defekt komorového septa	116	2105	6	2227
defekt síňového septa	0	1567	215	1782
otevřená tepenná dučeť	952	0	606	1558
koarktace aorty	1286	28	66	1380
transpozice velkých arterií	177	1079	0	1256
fallotova tetralogie	192	1011	0	1203
funkčně jediná komora	220	673	0	893
stenóza/regurgitace aorty	0	503	350	853
defekt atrioventrikulárního septa	16	681	0	697
pulmonální atrézie	376	205	0	581
pulmonální stenóza	1	129	384	514
dvojvýtoková pravá komora	148	261	1	410
úplný anomální návrat plicních žil	0	195	0	195
vady mitrální chlopně	0	154	0	154
cévní prstenec	153	0	0	153
společný arteriální trunкус	0	148	1	149
interrupce oblouku aorty	23	65	0	88
anomálie koronárních arterií	10	70	0	80
anomálie trikuspidální chlopně	0	56	0	56
srdeční tumor	0	42	0	42
aortopulmonální defekt	2	29	0	31
cor triatriatum	0	19	0	19
aplazie chlopně plicnice	0	10	0	10
aortoventrikulární tunel	0	8	0	8
ektopie srdce	7	0	0	7
transplantace srdce	0	2	0	2
ostatní operace	135	0	0	135
celkem	3814	9040	1629	14 483

Who and where should perform adult congenital cardiac surgery ?

Adult Congenital Heart Surgery: Adult or Pediatric Facility? Adult or Pediatric Surgeon?

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Background. One of the current controversies in the field of adult congenital heart disease is whether patients should be cared for at an adult or pediatric facility and by an adult or pediatric heart surgeon. After transitioning our program from the children's hospital to the adult hospital, we analyzed our experience with each system.

Methods. Between 2000 and 2007, 303 operations were performed on adults (age ≥ 18 years) with congenital heart disease. One hundred eighty-five operations were performed in an adult hospital and 118 in a pediatric hospital. Forty-six operations were performed by an adult heart surgeon and 257 by a congenital heart surgeon.

Results. Mean age, coexisting medical problems, and preoperative risk factors were higher in both the adult hospital group and adult surgeon group compared with the respective pediatric groups. Mortality was similar at the adult and pediatric hospitals (4.3% versus 5.1%), but

was markedly higher in the adult surgeon group compared with the pediatric surgeon group (15.2% versus 2.7%; $p = 0.0008$). By multivariate analysis, risk factors for mortality included older age at the time of surgery ($p = 0.028$), surgery performed at a children's hospital ($p = 0.013$), and surgery performed by an adult heart surgeon ($p = 0.0004$).

Conclusions. Congenital heart surgery can be performed in adults with reasonable morbidity and mortality. Caring for an anticipated aging adult congenital population with increasingly numerous coexisting medical problems and risk factors is best facilitated in an adult hospital setting. Also, when surgery becomes necessary, these adult patients are best served by a congenital heart surgeon.

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Adult congenital cardiac surgery

Adult cardiac surgeon perspective – what to learn from paediatric cardiac surgeons?

- Tolerance of young hearts to ischemia and tolerance of young patients to very long pump runs (second, third...)
- Precise anatomical insight and understanding of CHD
- Hemodynamical understanding of CHD (shunts, single ventricle circulation, PH...)
- Complete repair of heart defect is often feasible despite very complex procedures
- Prevention of heart block
- Using autologous and homograft tissue for repairs

Adult congenital cardiac surgery

Paediatric surgeon perspective – what to learn from adult cardiac surgeons?

- Behaviour of old hearts (over 40) and their myocardial protection
- Alternative incisions and cannulation techniques (multiple redos, peripheral cannulation, MICS)
- Major aortic surgery
- Valve repair techniques
- Valve replacement techniques esp. biological valves
- Arrhythmia surgery (esp. right heart)
- Coronary surgery (CABG etc...)
- Adult ICU care

Adult congenital cardiac surgery

„Ideal“ adult CHD center design

- High volume adult cardiac surgical unit
- Surgical experience in:
 - Aortic surgery, valve reconstructive surgery
 - Arrhythmia surgery
 - MICS of AV valves and atrial septum
- ICU experience in:
 - PH treatment
 - VAD therapy
- Close cooperation with paediatric cardiac surgeon
- Access to HTx and LTx
- The team!!

Adult congenital cardiac surgery

„Ideal“ adult CHD center design



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CURRENT OPINION

Recommendations for organization of care for adults with congenital heart disease and for training in the subspecialty of ‘Grown-up Congenital Heart Disease’ in Europe: a position paper of the Working Group on Grown-up Congenital Heart Disease of the European Society of Cardiology

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Table 1 Staff requirements of a specialist grown-up congenital heart centre

Adult/paediatric cardiologist with GUCH certification	At least 2
GUCH imaging specialist (echo, CMR, CT)	At least 2
Congenital invasive cardiologist	At least 2
CHD surgeon	At least 2
Anaesthesiologist with CHD experience and expertise	At least 2
Invasive electrophysiologist with GUCH experience	At least 1
Psychologist	At least 1
Social worker	At least 1
Cardiovascular pathologist	At least 1

Na Homolce Hospital experience 2005 - 2015

Total No of operations	884
- Common Congenital Heart Defects	472
- Rare /complex Congenital Heart Defects	412
-Redo cases	361 (41%)
-Recurring/redo cases	117 (14%)
-Combined procedures	590 (67%)

30-day mortality 1,36%
hospital mortality 1,70%

Overview of operations of common congenital heart defects in adulthood by diagnoses, including hospital mortality (NNH 2005-2015)

Diagnoses <i>(age in years in date of operation); age of the oldest patient</i>	Number of procedures	Share from all operations	Redo after surgery in childhood % (N)	Hospital/in house mortality (N)	Hospital mortality for a given diagnosis (%)
Congenital defects of aortic valve and aorta <i>(37 ± 13); 69 years</i>	266	30 %	31 % (81)	0	0 %
Atrial septal defect Type septum secundum <i>(49 ± 16); 81 years</i>	147	16 %	9 % (13)	2	1,36 %
Congenital defects of mitral valve <i>(38 ± 14); 58 years</i>	59	7 %	27% (16)	0	0 %
Total	472	53 %	23 % (110)	2	0,4 %

Summary of operations of rare / complex congenital heart defects in adulthood, according to diagnoses, including hospital mortality (NNH 2005-2015) 1/3

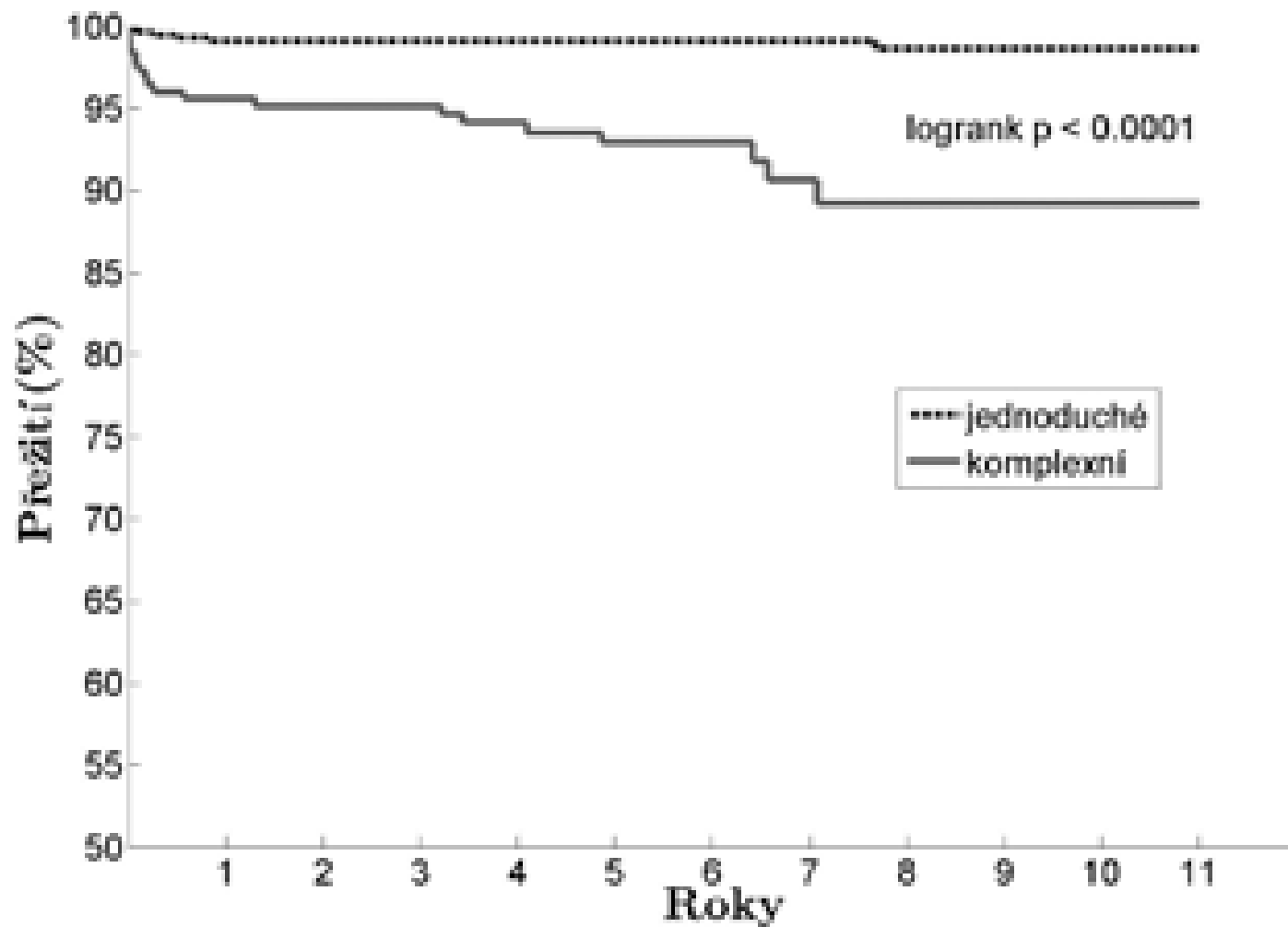
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Tetralogy of Fallot (33 ± 11); 61 years	107	12 %	100% (107)	1	0,9 %
Pulmonary stenosis (43 ± 12); 67 years	51	6 %	76% (39)	1	1,9 %
Ebstein anomaly (33 ± 15); 70 years	47	5,5 %	28% (13)	2	4,2 %
CCTGA (43 ± 15); 71 years	8	1 %	25% (2)	1	12,5 %
AVSD (40 ± 13,5); 70 years	46	5,2 %	59% (27)	2	4,3 %
TGA Must/Senn (27 ± 5,6); 33 Rastelli (34 ± 7); 48 arter.switch (19,5 ± 2); 21	20	2,4 %	95% (19)	1	5 %

Summary of operations of rare / complex congenital heart defects in adulthood, according to diagnoses, including hospital mortality (NNH 2005-2015) 2/3

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SV <i>(32,5 ± 11); 54 years</i>	16	1,8 %	81% (13)	1	6 %
DORV <i>(28,5 ± 9); 41 years</i>	10	1,1 %	90 % (9)	1	10 %
Pulmonary atresia <i>(24,5 ± 5); 37 years</i>	20	2,3 %	100% (20)	0	0 %
Coarctation of the aorta <i>(45 ± 14); 65 years</i>	23	2,6 %	74% (17)	0	0 %
VSD <i>(42 ± 13); 63 years</i>	26	3 %	65% (17)	0	0 %
AS sub-, supra-, aorto-LK tunnel <i>(40 ± 19); 72 years</i>	12	1,4 %	50% (6)	0	0 %
Truncus arteriosus <i>(21 ± 2,5); 24 years</i>	4	0,5 %	100% (4)	0	0 %

Summary of operations of rare / complex congenital heart defects in adulthood, according to diagnoses, including hospital mortality (NNH 2005-2015) 3/3

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PAPVD, scimitar sy <i>(45 ± 16); 70 years</i>	6	0,7 %	17% (1)	1	16,7 %
ALCAPA <i>(35 ± 19); 57 years</i>	3	0,3 %	67% (2)	0	0 %
Other shunt defects <i>(50 ± 14); 63 years</i>	3	0,3 %	0% (0)	0	0 %
Tricuspid valve defects <i>(37 ± 11); 55 years</i>	8	1 %	75% (6)	0	0 %
Other	2	0,2 %	0% (0)	0	0 %
Total	412	47 %	73% (302)	11	2,67 %

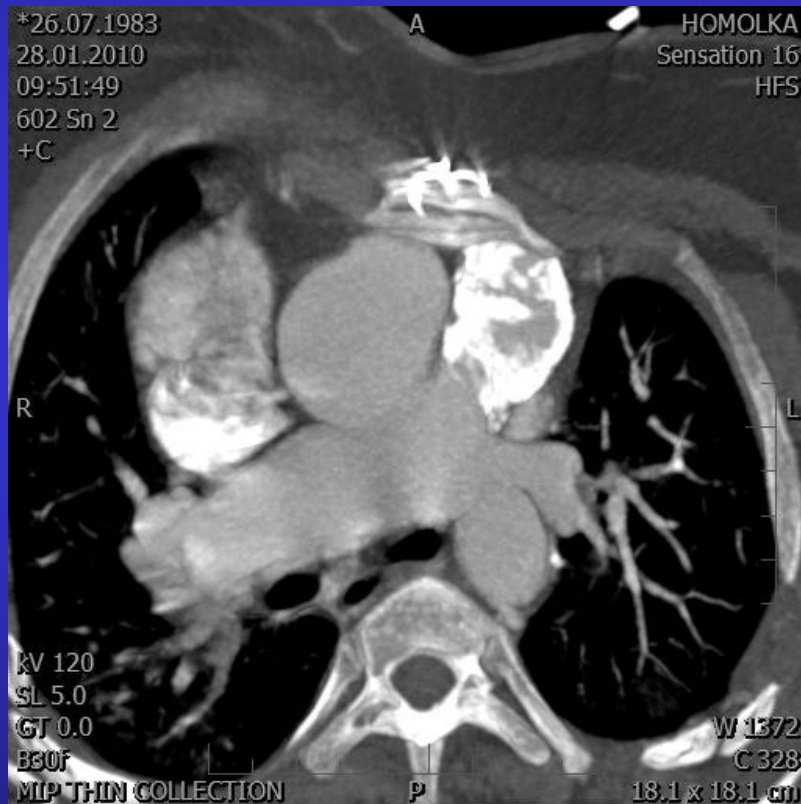


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Pulmonary valve replacement

surgical experience

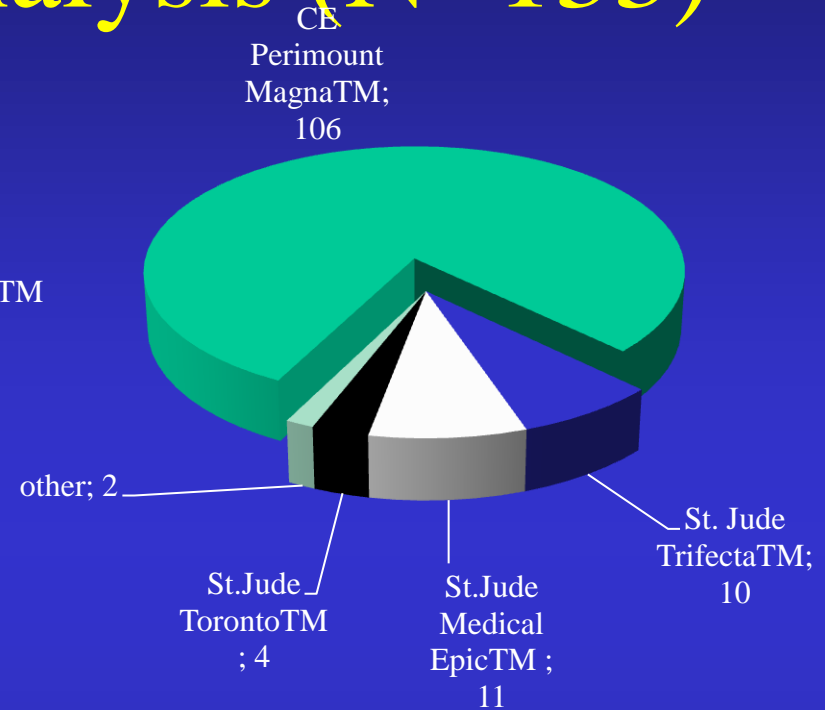
Pulmonary valve procedures...



Procedure data analysis (N=133)

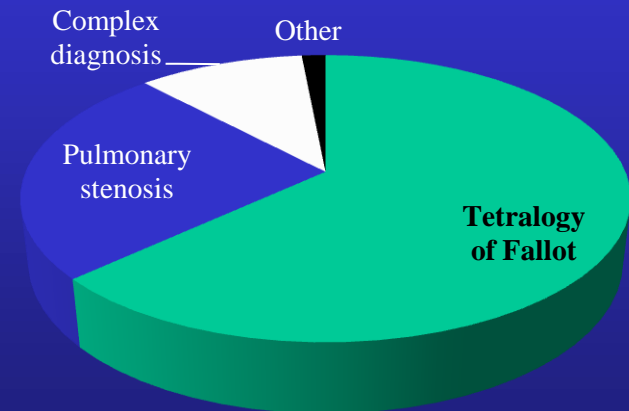
- Valves used

- Carpentier-Edwards Perimount Magna™
- St. Jude Trifecta™
- St. Jude Medical Epic™
- St. Jude Toronto™



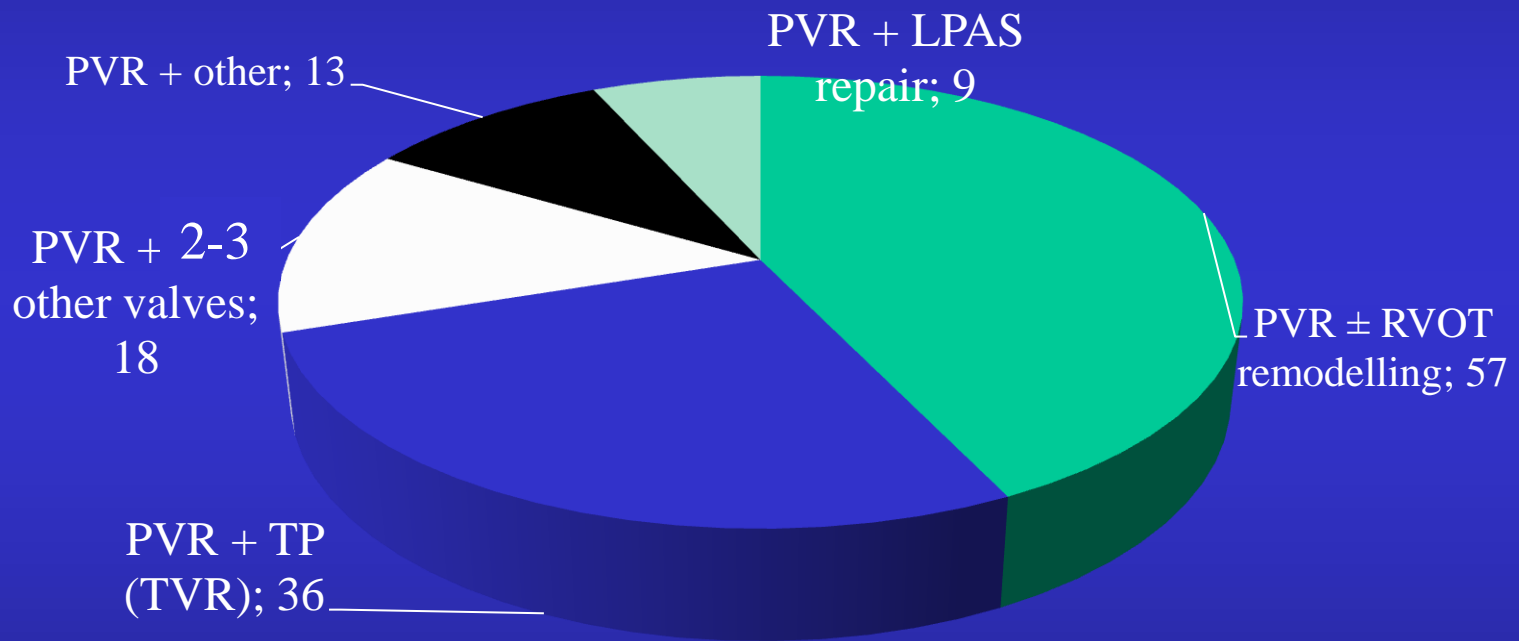
- Procedure diagnosis

- Tetralogy of Fallot (n=84)
- Pulmonary stenosis (n=33)
- Complex diagnosis (n=14)
- Other (n=2)



Types of surgical procedures

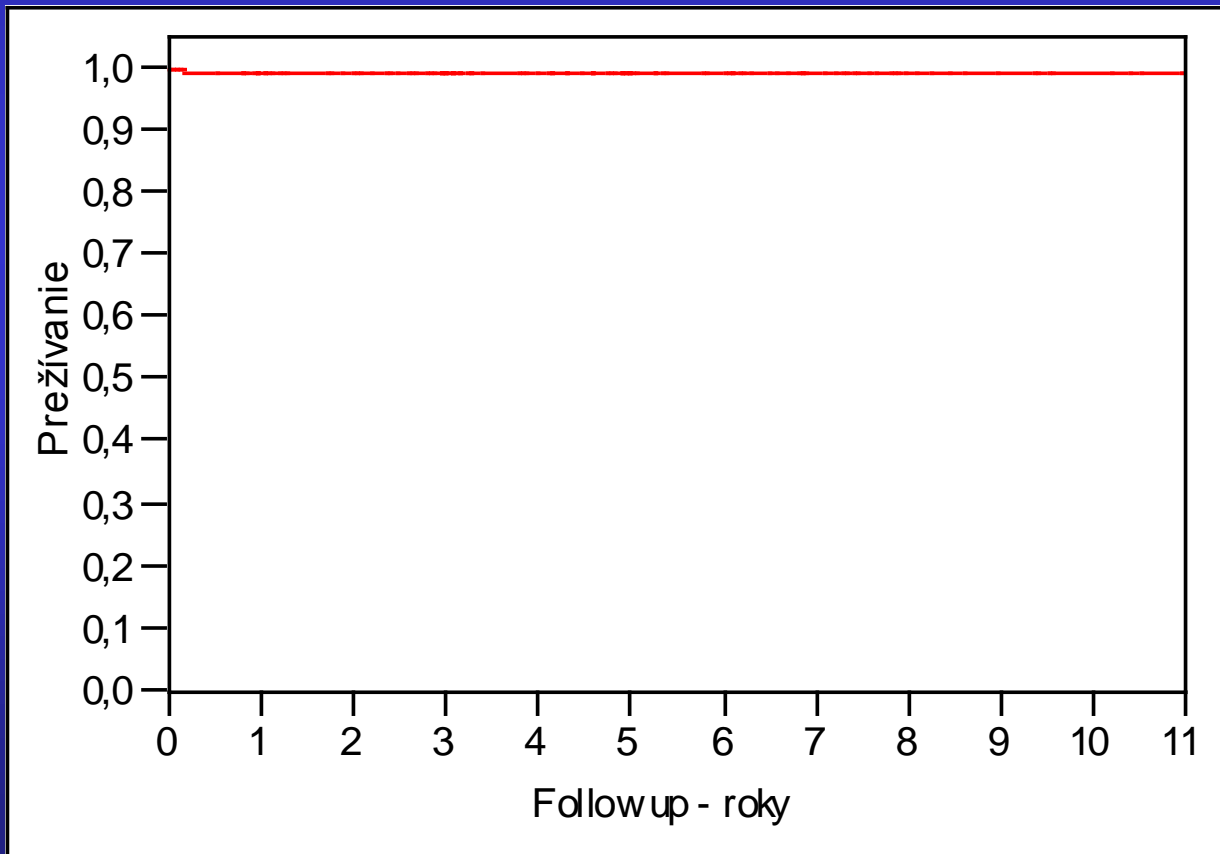
- 182 previous procedures in 129 patients



- Size of implanted valves 21-29 (mean 27)

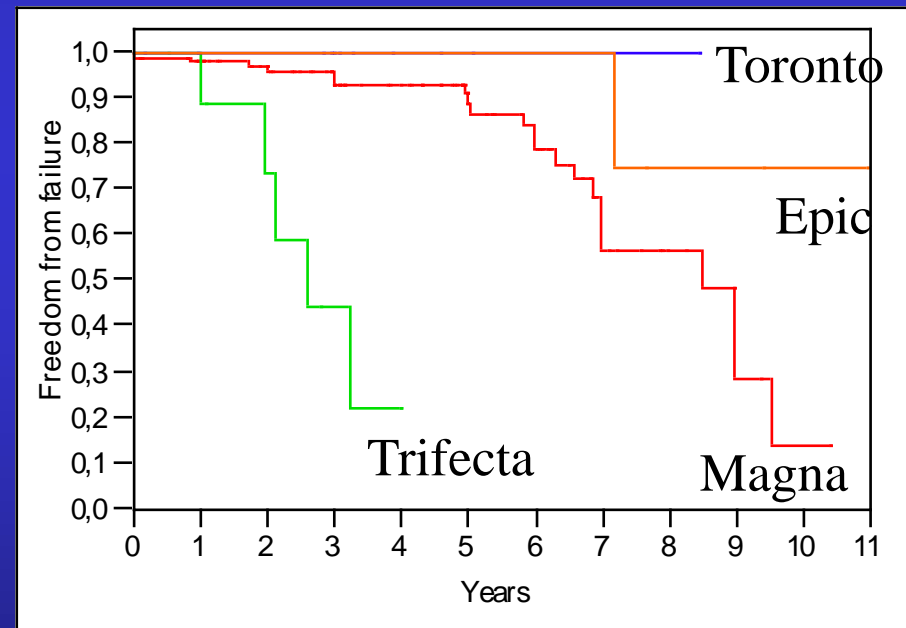
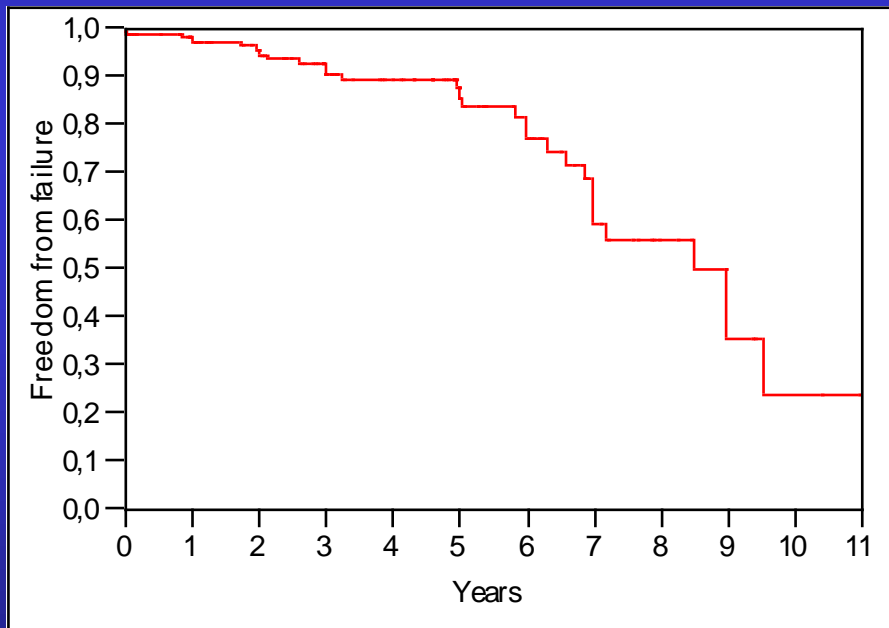
Results

- Late mortality - 1 patient



Analysis of the failure of implanted bioprosthetic valves

- Systolic gradient ≥ 40 mmHg
- Insufficiency of implanted bioprosthetic valve $\geq 2,5$ score



- 1, 4 and 8 years – 97%, 90% a 56%
- Difference in various types of implanted valves functions
 - Trifecta $p < 0,0001$

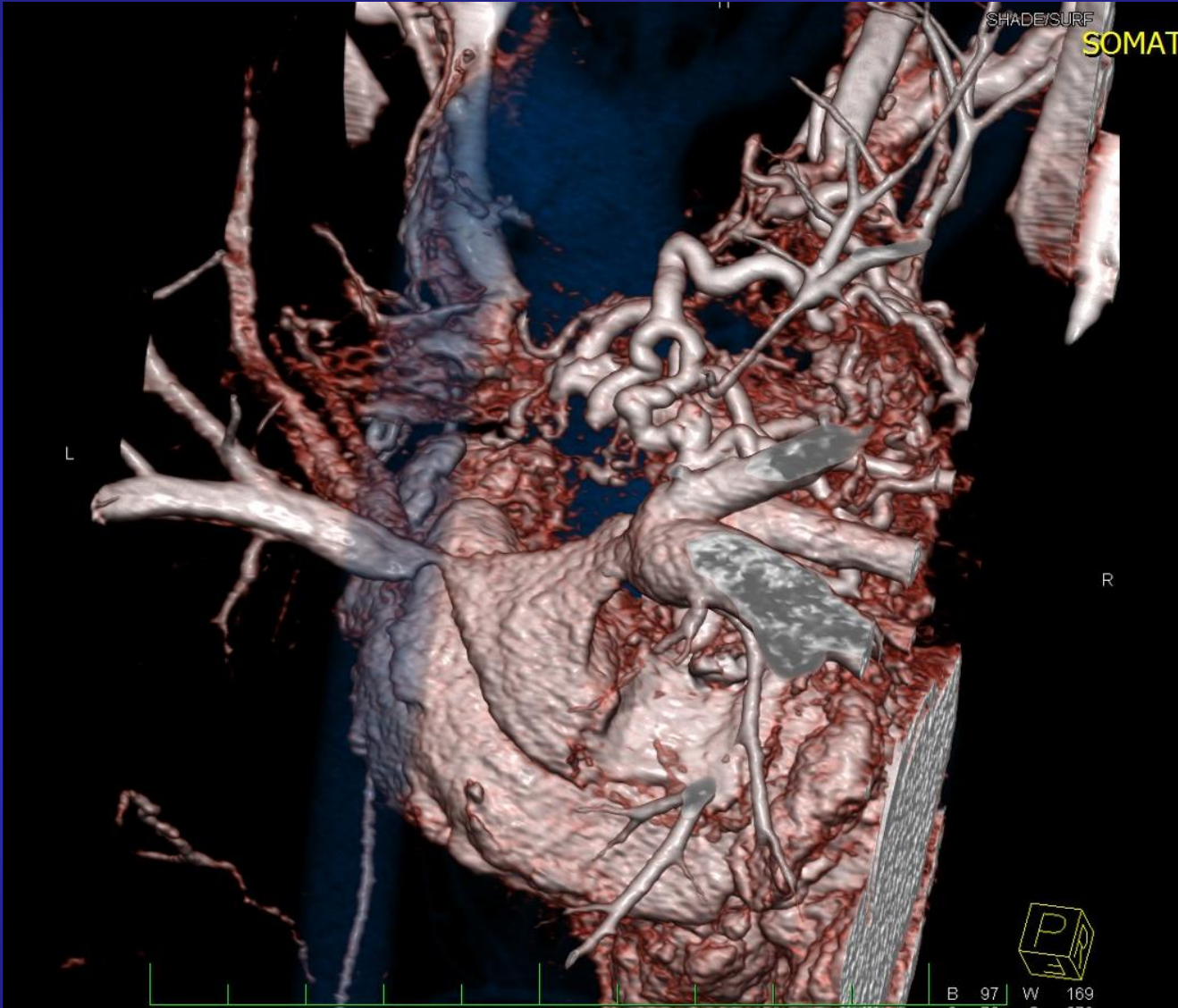
Single ventricle

teamwork

Case report – woman 25 years

Dg: f-SV(DORV, AVSD, ISOM, DXC)

- 1993 MBT
- 1995 TCPC – bilat BCPA, intraatrial goretex tunnel
- 2006 1st redo – closure of a lateral baffle leak, RPA plasty
- 2015 2nd redo – AV valve replacement –SJM 33
- 2015, 2016 cardioversion - SVT intraatrial reentry
- 2016 RFA SVT (multiorgan failure, NYHA IV)



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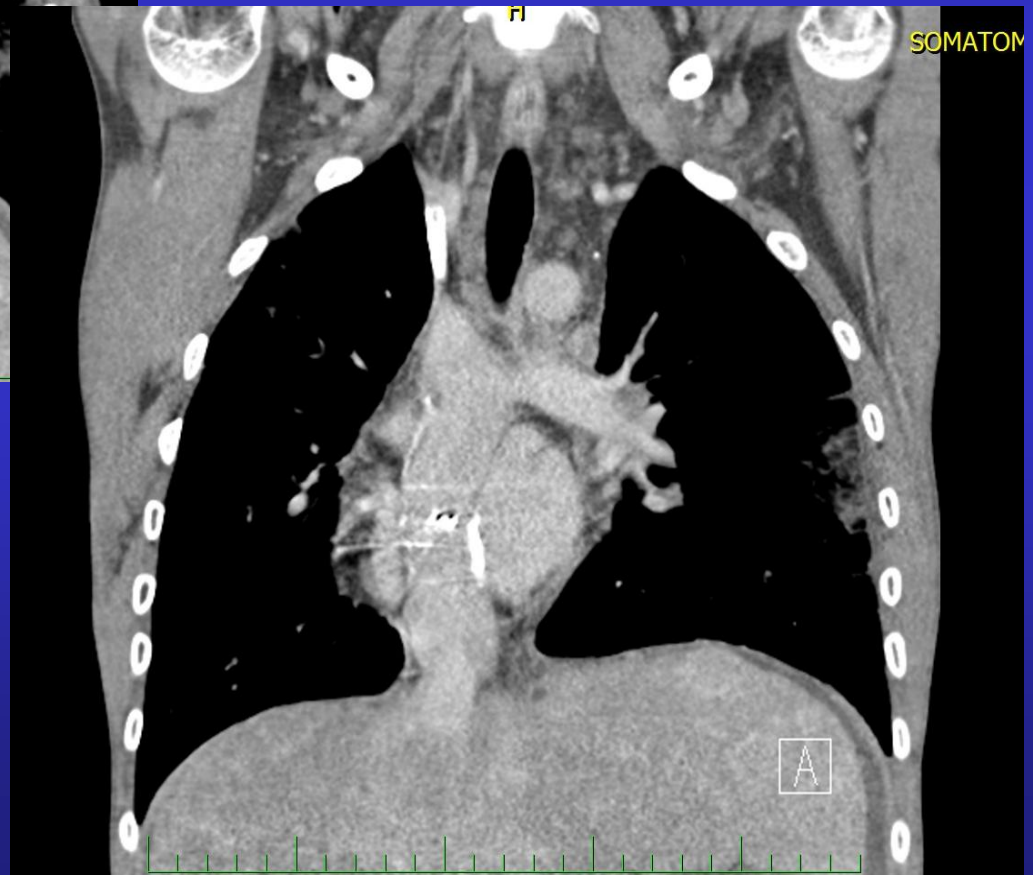
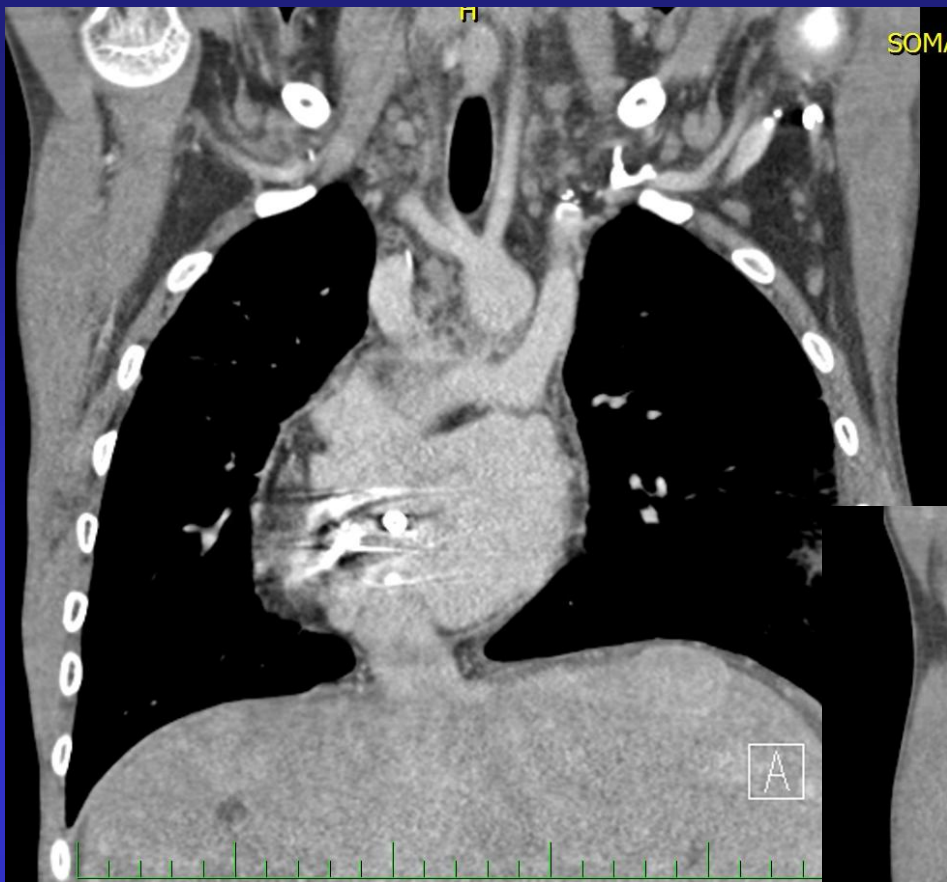
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Bilateral SVC and
femoral percutaneous
venous cannulation,
femoral arterial
cannulation for ECC



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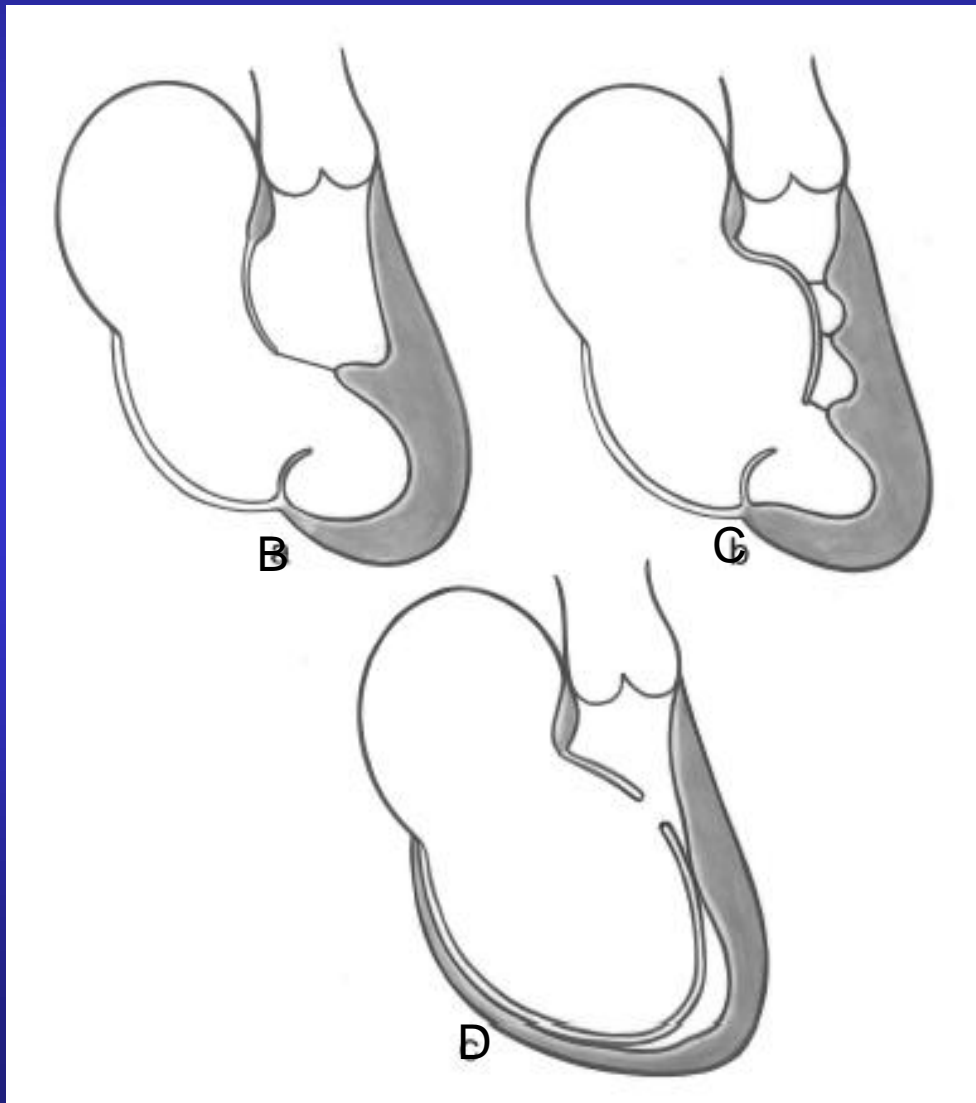
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NYHA IV
- 2016 3rd redo – extracardiac TCPC
left pulmonary veins plasty
NYHA II

Ebstein anomaly

centralization

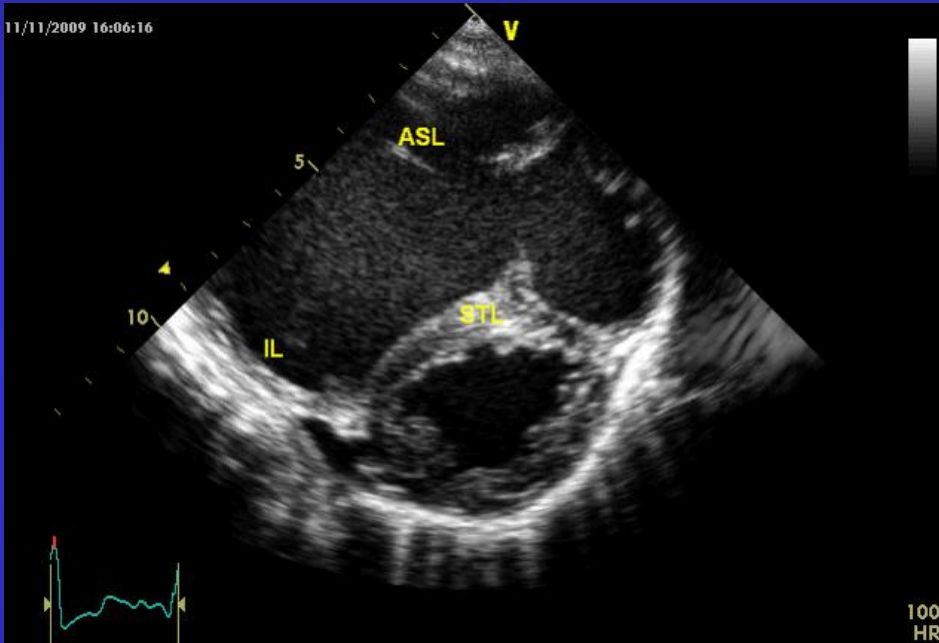
Ebstein's Anomaly Classification

Carpentier 1988

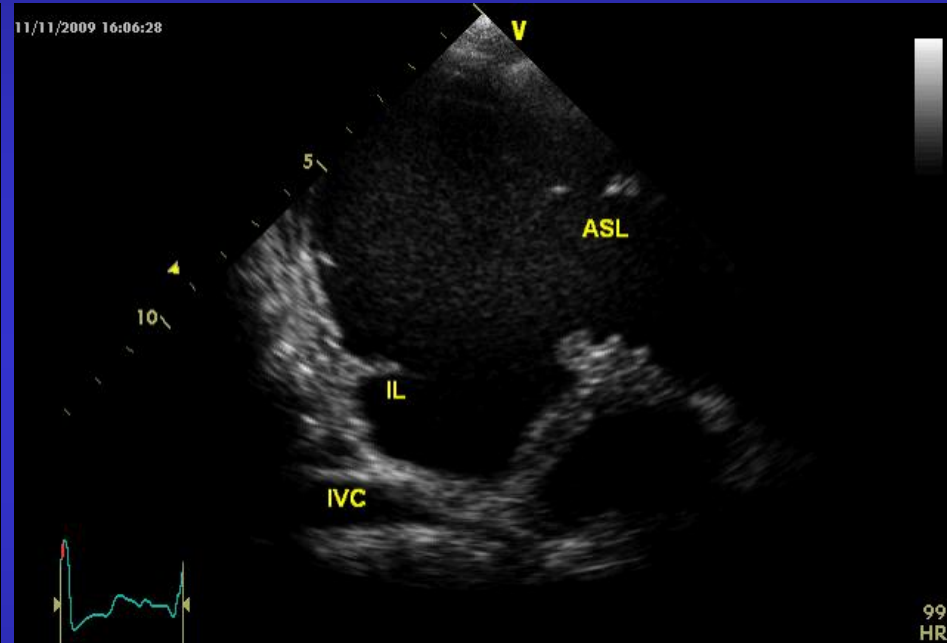


- Type A: adequate RV volume
- Type B: Large atrialised component of RV with mobile anterior leaflet
- Type C: Restricted anterior leaflet, with RVOTO obstruction
- Type D: Complete atrialisation of RV with small infundibular component

Ebstein anomaly: 2D Echocardiography

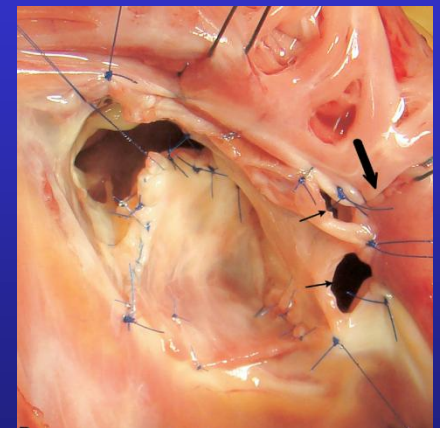
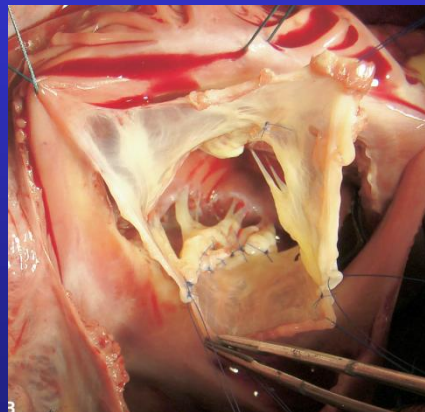
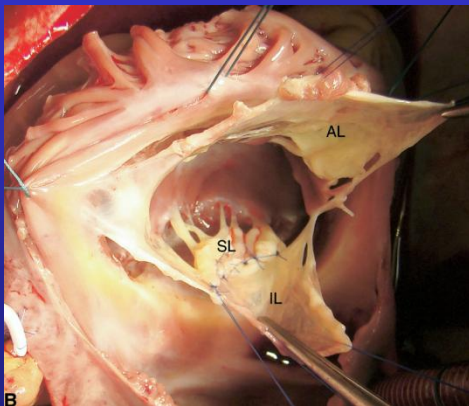
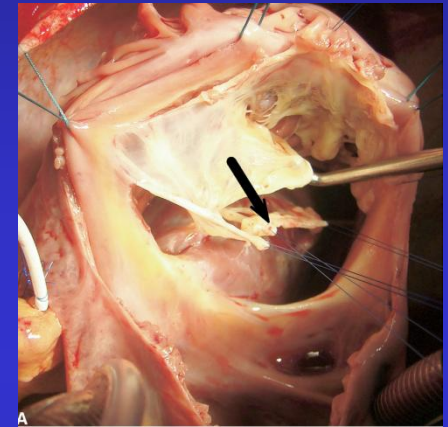
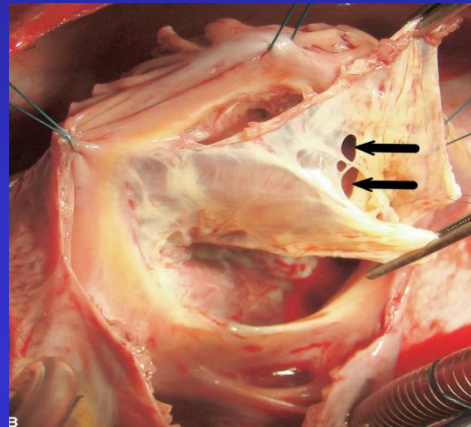
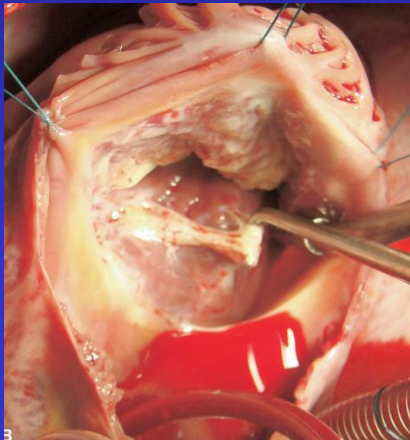


Parasternal short axis view

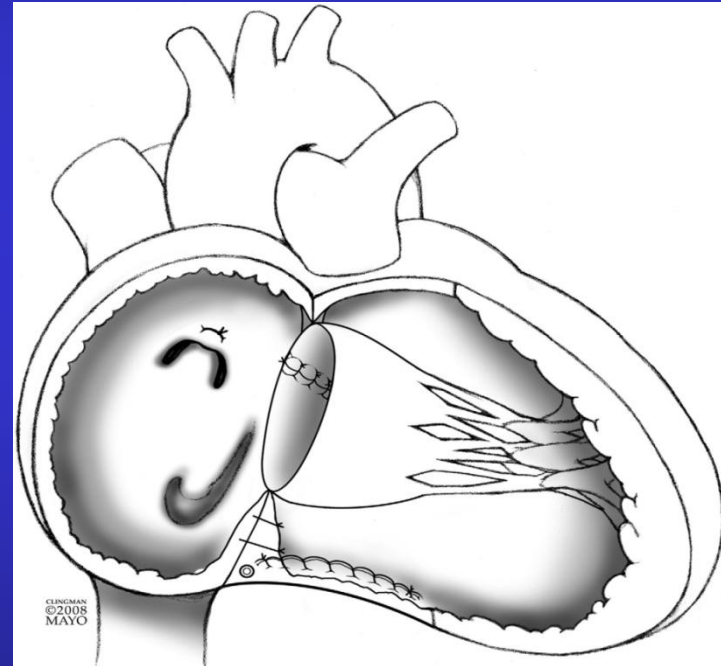
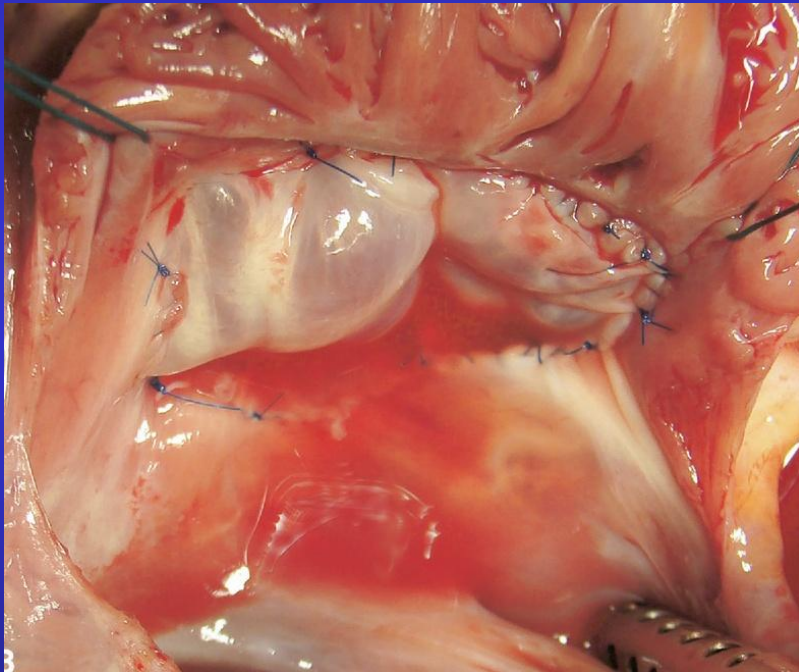


Parasternal right inflow view

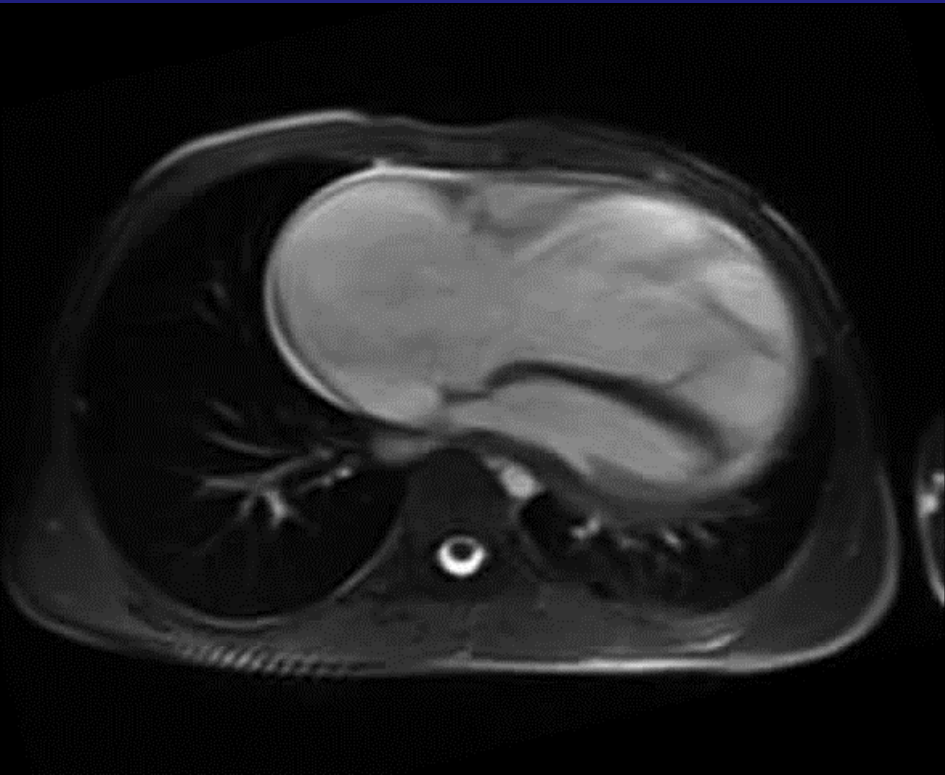
Da Silva technique/Cone repair/anatomic rotation...



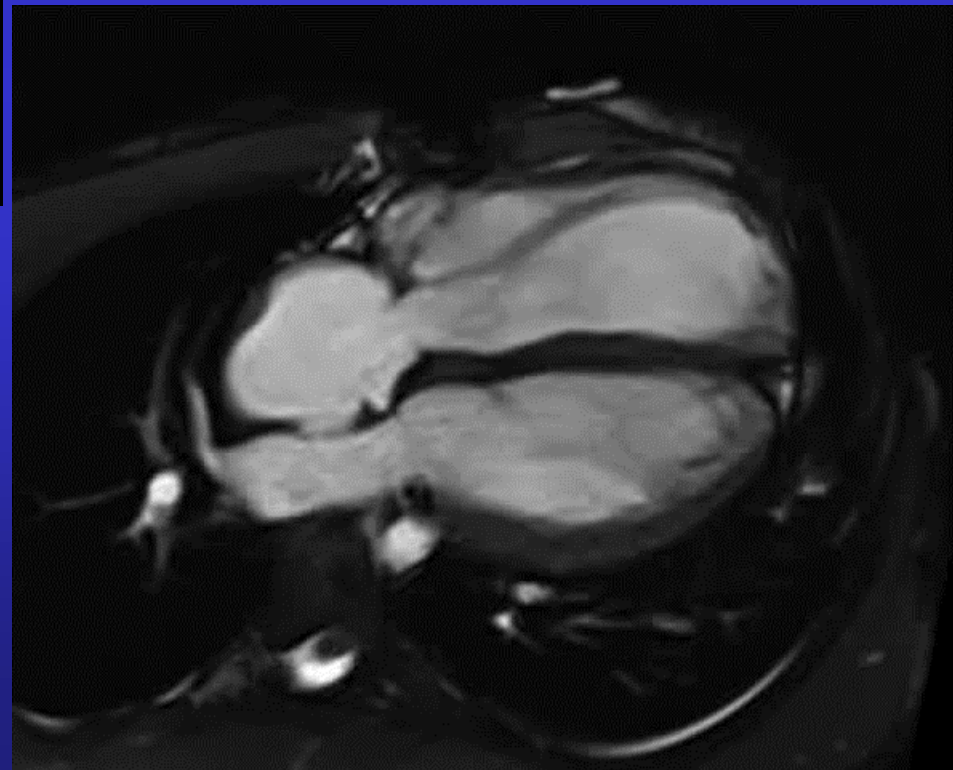
Cone repair – final result



Cone Reconstruction of the Tricuspid Valve for Ebstein's Anomaly: Anatomic Repair. Joseph A. Dearani, MD, Emile Bacha, MD, and José Pedro da Silva, MD



4 chamber view
before and after repair



Preop data (N=47)

- Age median 33 (18-70) years
- Tricuspid insufficiency 3° 2 pts
4° 43 pts
- Mitral insufficiency 3° 4 pts
- Ischemic heart disease 1 pt
- Cyanosis (sat. 71-90%) 5 pts
- Arrhythmia
(WPW, AF, flutter, palpitations) 19 pts (2x RF ablation)
- Previous surgery 10 pts

Surgery (N=51 in 47 pts)

Tricuspid valve procedure	TVP 25
	TVR (bio) 25
• BCPA:	8
• MAZE - dx /sin:	19/2
• Pacemaker:	3
• ASD / FOA closure:	12
• MV repair:	4
• CABG:	1

EC 95-255 (152) min, crossclamp 42-150 (105) min

Cardioplegia blood, cold, intermittent

Results

mortality 4/47 (early 2 pts 4,25%, late 2 pts 4,25%)

	before surgery	after suregy	p
NYHA	2,6 ± 0,7	1,6 ± 0,6	< 0,001
Tricuspid regurgitation 1st-4th degree in TVP patients	3,8 ± 0,5	1,4 ± 0,9	< 0,001
RV EF %	35 ± 10,3 %	40 ± 11,3%	0,01

Survival

Survival Analysis

