

Resuscitation UPDATE

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Neonatal resuscitation

ILCOR guidelines for initial stabilization of preterm infants recommend:

In apnoeic infants use pressure limitation during PPV and use PEEP

For spontaneously breathing infants, use CPAP initially rather than intubation and PPV



Stabilize – not resuscitate!

Definition of *resuscitate*
transitive verb

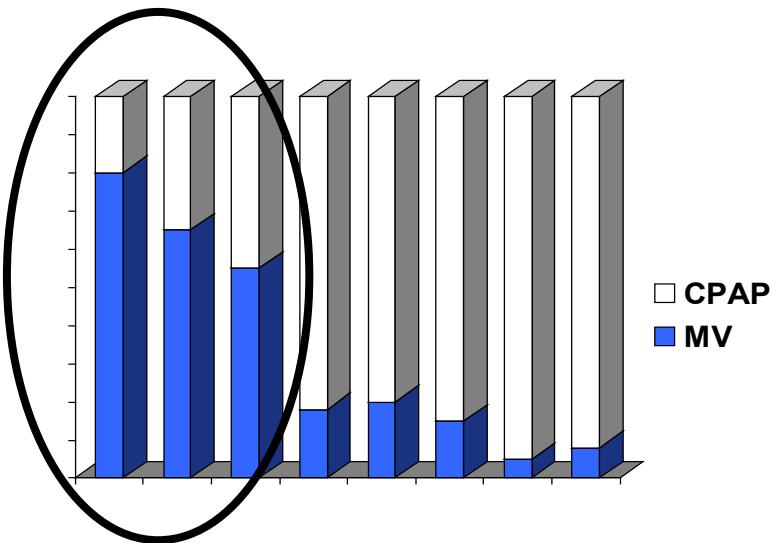
: to revive from apparent death or from unconsciousness

- Give the baby a chance to breathe spontaneously with support?



- Avoid DR intubation and MV
- Create a "window of opportunity" for other interventions

What was used in the DR at Karolinska from year 2000?

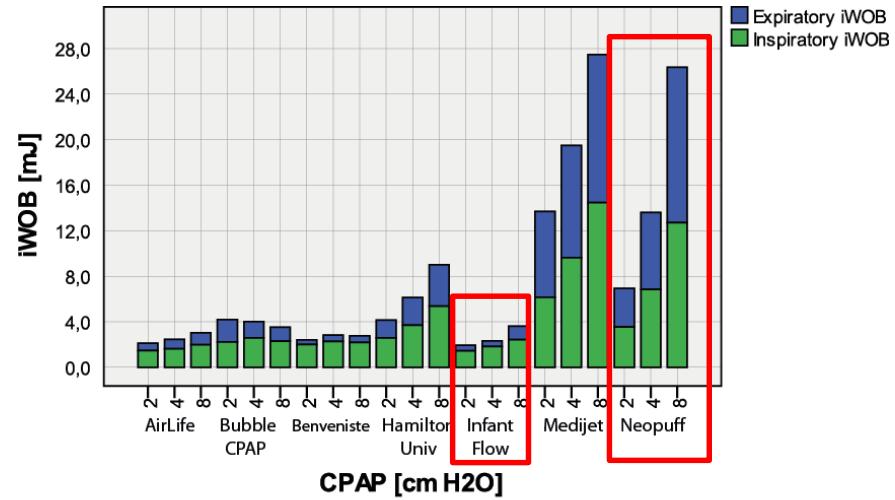


- Many of the smallest infants need some form of PPV initially before spontaneous respiration is established.
- Intubation rates remained high.

Background to New System



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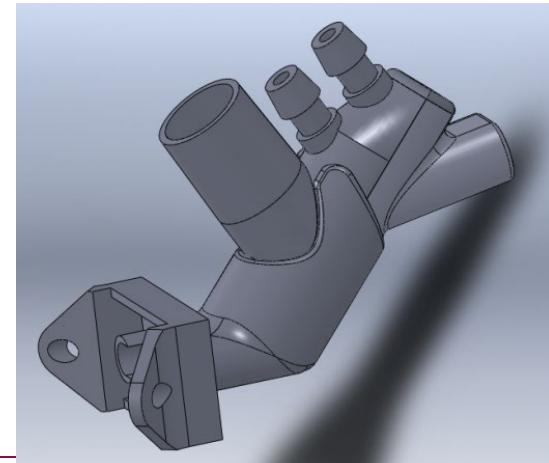
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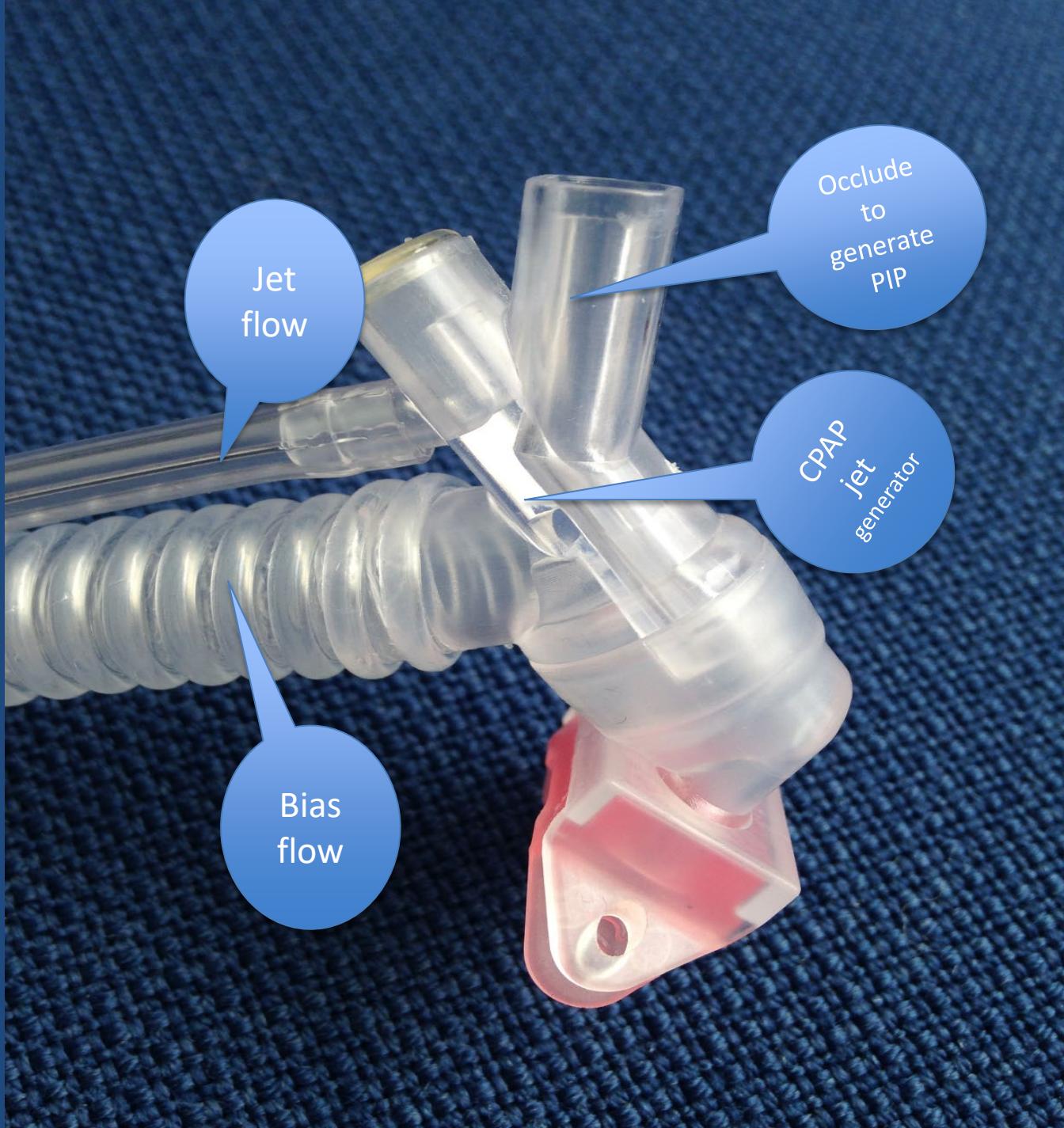
- Pressure stability
- Prongs

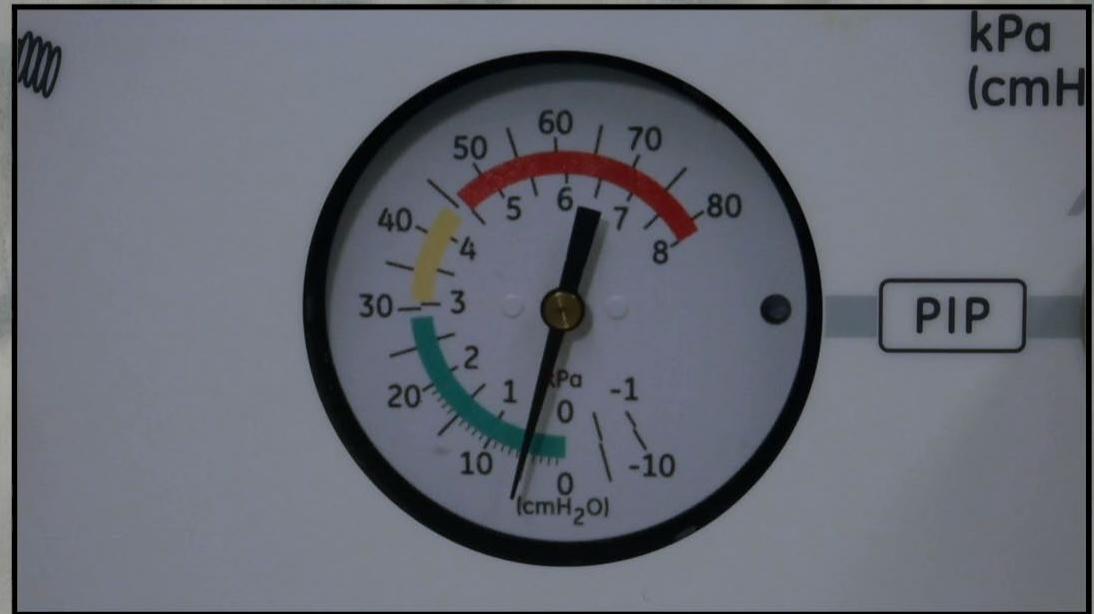
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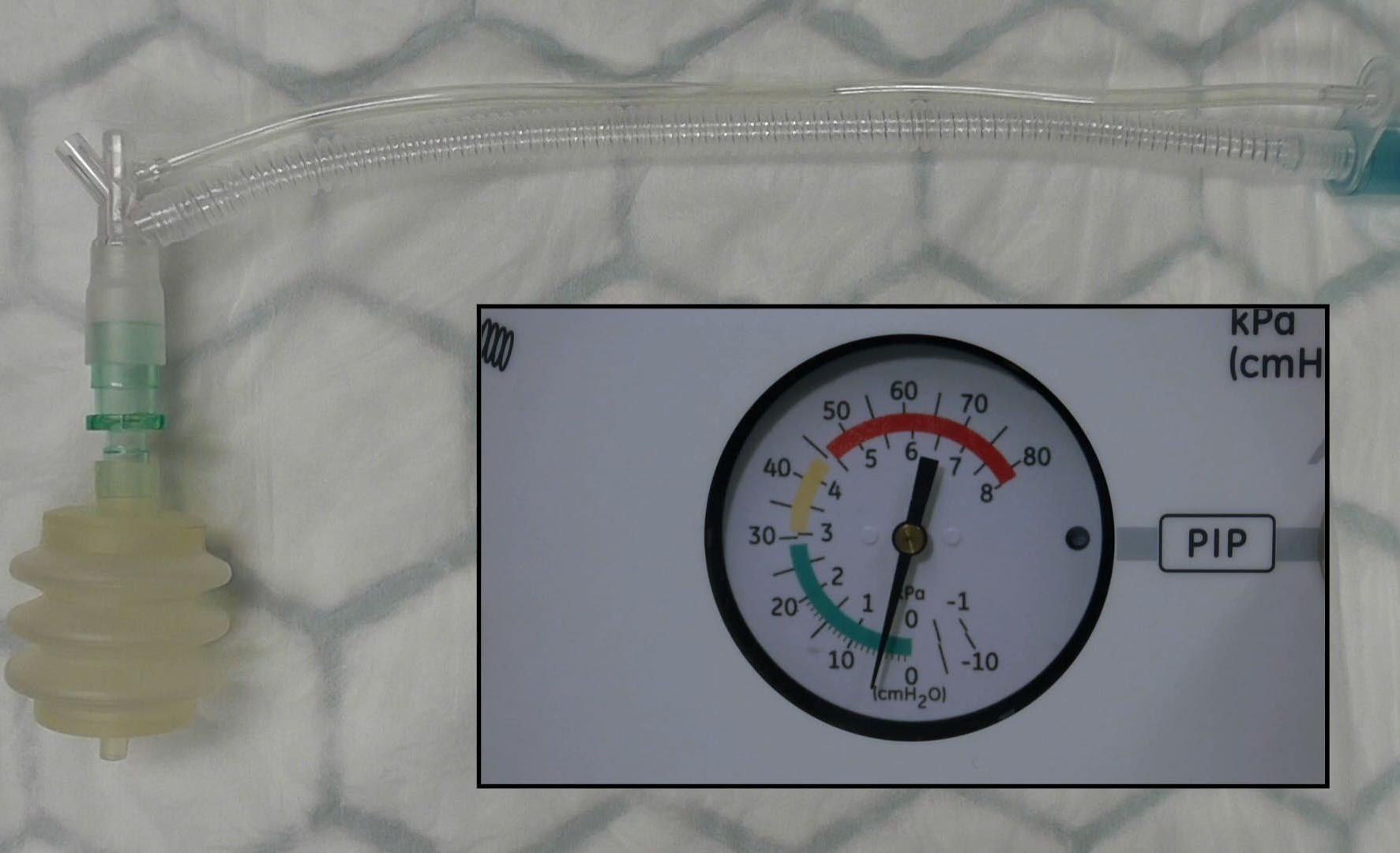
- PPV
- Face mask

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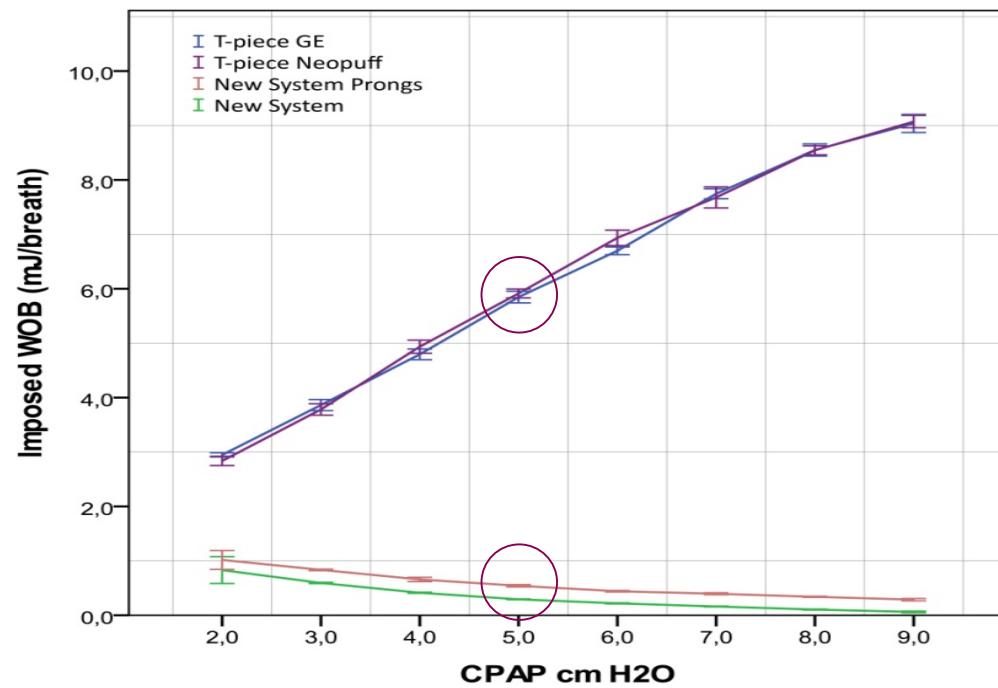


Figure 1: Imposed Work of Breathing (WOB) at different CPAP levels. Simulations with 16 ml TV and RR 60. Bars represent 95% CI.



Snorri Donaldsson och Baldvin Jonsson är vinnarna av årets Athenapris, rPAP. De har belönats för en upfinning som kan ge andningsstöd till för tidigt födda barn

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Små näsor är fokus för årets Athenapristagare

Med sin teknik, som gett dem årets Athenapris, vill forskarna hjälpa för tidigt födda barn att andas på egen hand. Nu utvärderas tekniken i en internationell svenskklädd studie.

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Initial stabilisation of preterm infants: a new resuscitation system with low imposed work of breathing for use with face mask or nasal prongs

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What is already known on this topic?

- ▶ Continuous positive airway pressure delivered with T-piece systems is not pressure stable and has high imposed work of breathing (iWOB).
- ▶ The International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation 2010 consensus document states that prongs may be a more effective interface than face mask.
- ▶ There are few alternatives to T-piece systems and the clinical importance of pressure stability is not known.

What this study adds?

- ▶ The new system is pressure stable and can be used with prongs or face mask.
- ▶ A clinical feasibility trial revealed no problems with usage.
- ▶ Trials on the clinical effect of iWOB and type of interface are now possible.



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Comparison Of Respiratory Support After
Delivery on infants born before 28 weeks
gestational age

(ClinicalTrials.gov (NCT02563717))



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Research question

For infants born <28 weeks of age,
can initial respiratory resuscitation with new
system (low iWOB and prongs) reduce the
frequency of delivery room intubations compared
to standard treatment with T-piece system (high
iWOB and face mask)?

Summary



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- Two arm randomised comparison of two resuscitation systems, traditional T-piece and New System.
- Multicentre trial (250 patients)
- Infant <28 weeks GA
- Stratified randomisation
- CPAP for 10-30 min, PPV as needed
- Primary outcome DR intubation or death
- Secondary outcomes include safety and respiratory variables up to 72 hours after birth
- GCP standard with monitoring and an eCRF
- Clinical protocol provided for study procedures

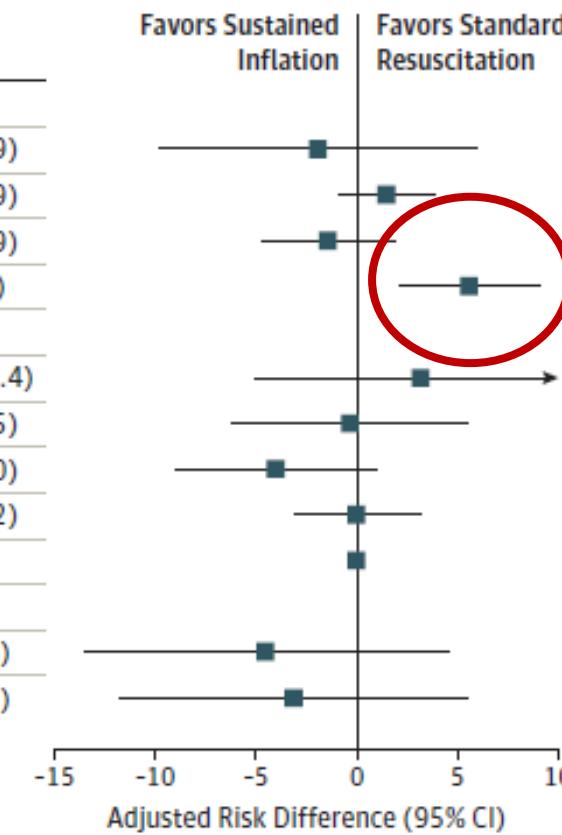
Effect of Sustained Inflation vs Intermittent Positive Pressure Ventilation on Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia or Death Among Extremely Preterm Infants

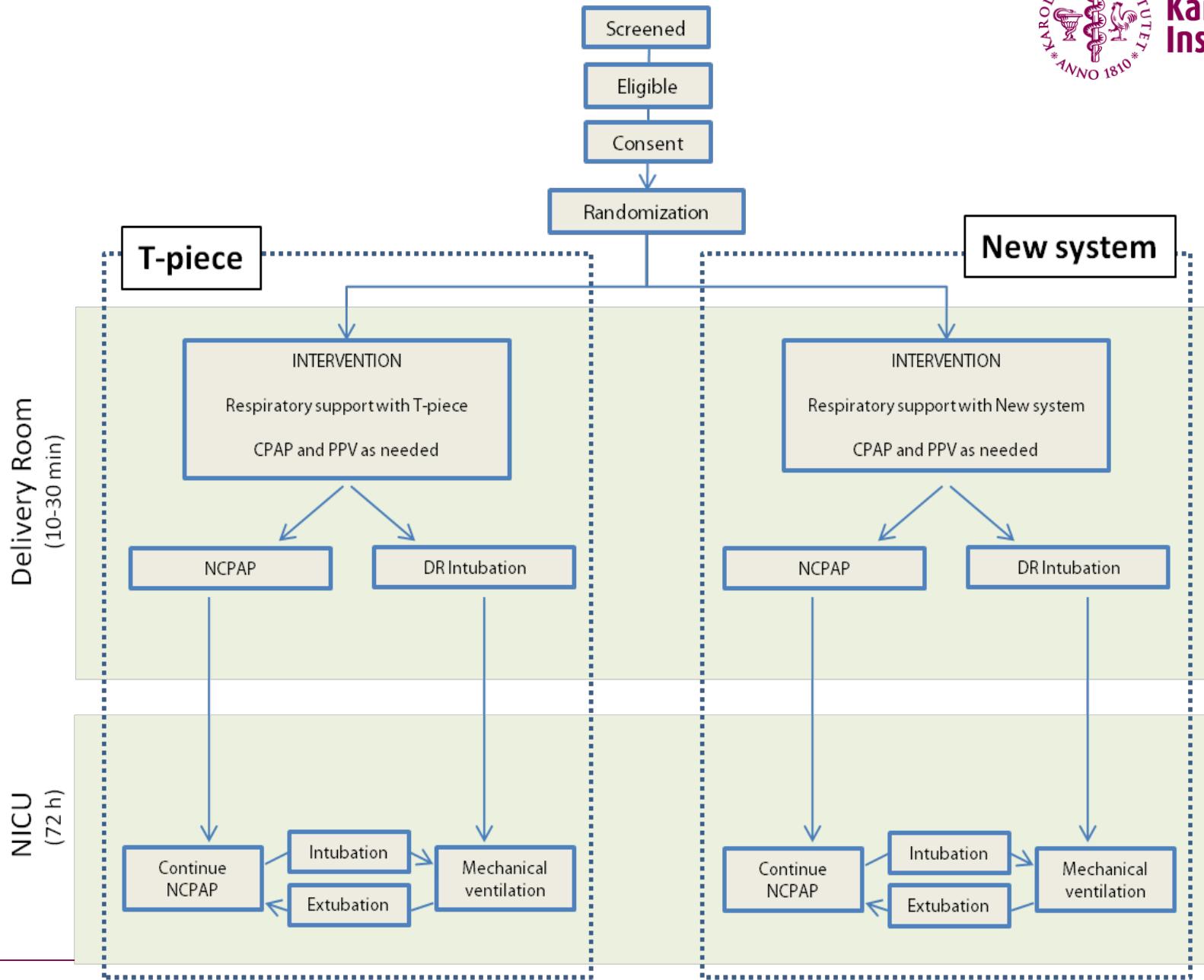
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Event	Event Rate, No. (%)		
	Sustained Inflation (n = 215)	Standard Resuscitation (n = 211)	Adjusted Risk Difference, % (95% CI)
Within first 2 days of life			
FIO ₂ ≥ 0.4 for ≥ 2 h	50 (23.3)	52 (24.6)	-1.9 (-9.8 to 5.9)
Epinephrine	5 (2.3)	2 (1.0)	1.5 (-0.9 to 3.9)
Chest compressions	6 (2.8)	8 (3.8)	-1.4 (-4.7 to 1.9)
Death	16 (7.4)	3 (1.4)	5.6 (2.1 to 9.1)
Within first 10 days of life			
IVH grade I/II	51 (23.7)	44 (20.9)	3.2 (-5.0 to 11.4)
IVH grade III/IV	21 (9.8)	22 (10.4)	-0.3 (-6.2 to 5.5)
Pneumothorax	11 (5.1)	19 (9.0)	-4.0 (-9.0 to 1.0)
Pulmonary interstitial emphysema	7 (3.3)	6 (2.8)	0.0 (-3.1 to 3.2)
Pneumopericardium	0	0	
At 28 days of life			
>30% Oxygen	66 (30.7)	76 (36.0)	-4.5 (-14 to 4.6)
Mechanical support	84 (39.1)	91 (43.1)	-3.1 (-12 to 5.5)







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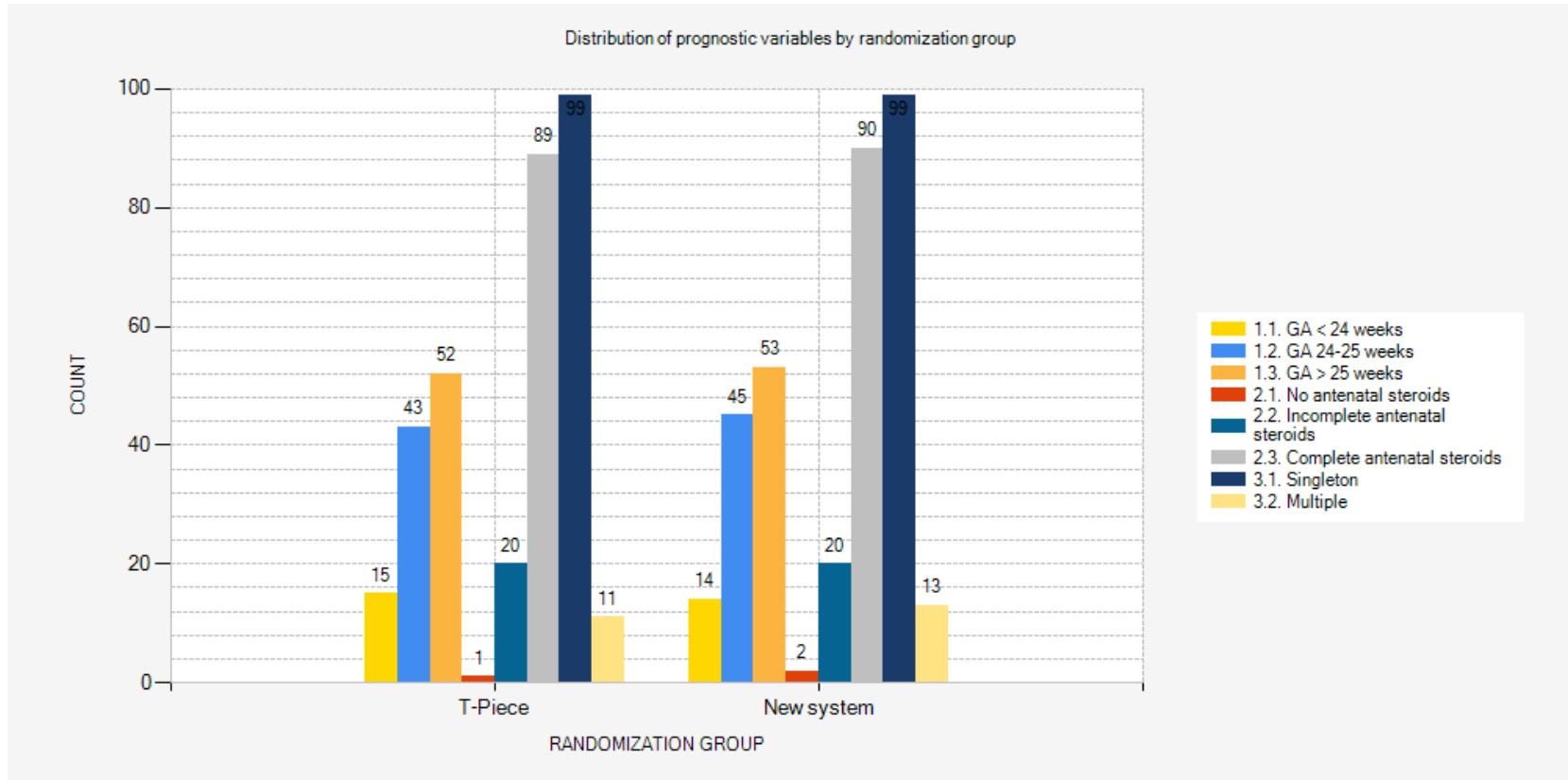
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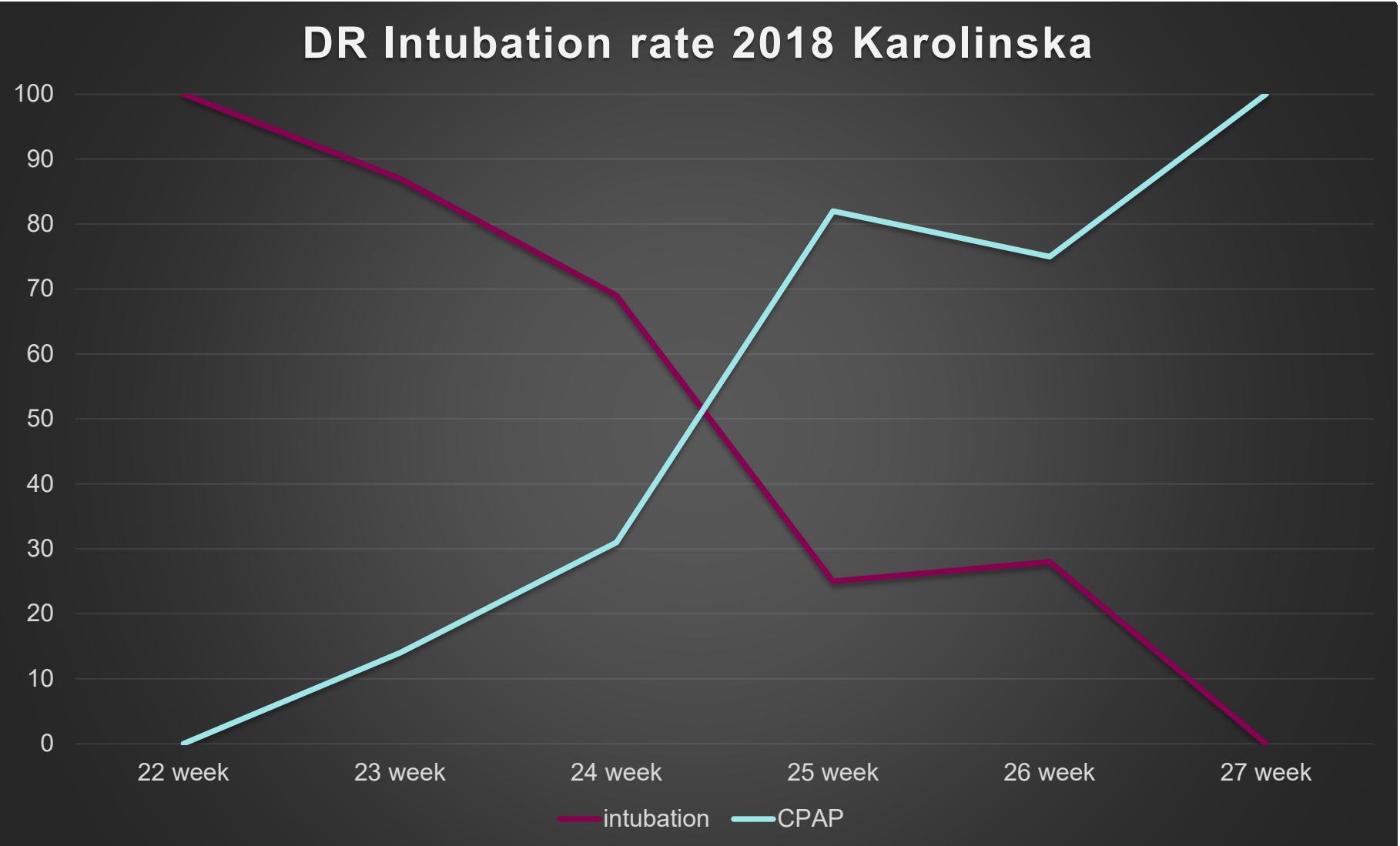


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SNQ data Karolinska

DR Intubation rate 2018 Karolinska



Intubation vs CPAP rate all infants < 28 weeks

