Strokes After TAVR





Cerebral Protection After TAVR Will be Used Sparingly (if at all) in the Future

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Association of Stroke and TAVR

- It happens
- It is real
- It is devastating when it occurs
 - Death increases
 - Morbidity increases
- Significant impact on family and carers
- Significant impact on the health care system



30-Day Stroke Rate

20% 15% 9.6% 10% 4.5% 5% 4.0% 4.0% 2.6% 1.7% 0%

Belgian³

N = 119

N = 125

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French²

N = 66

Italian⁶

N = 772

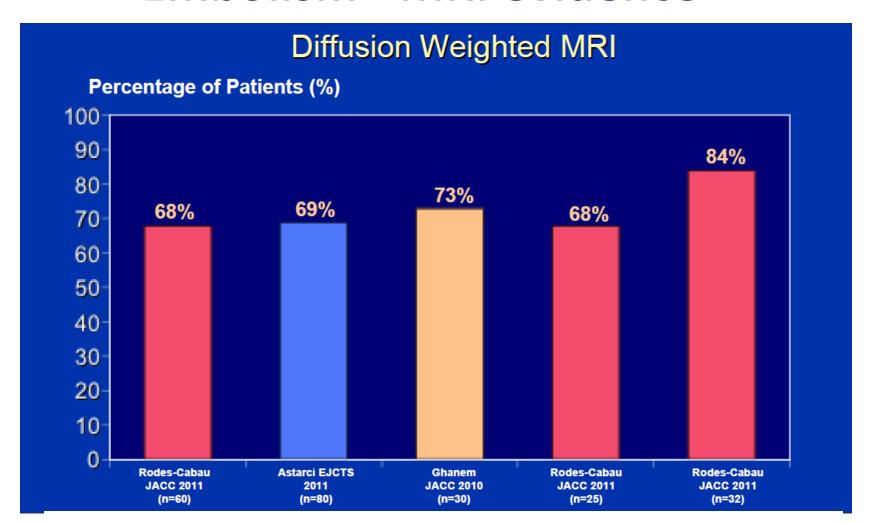
UK⁵

N = 460

German⁴

N = 588

Embolism - MRI evidence

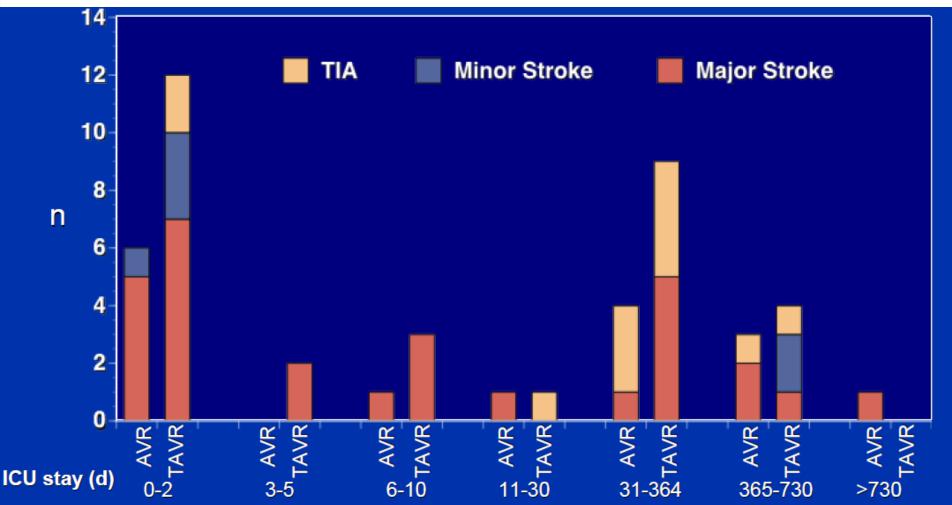


But NO correlation with clinical stroke





Timing of stroke post TAVI: PARTNER A





Improving outcomes with adherence to best practice and next generation devices



CoreValve US Clinical Tria Clinical Safety Results

All events are adjudicated by an independent clinical events committee

Event	30 day Rate (%) (per subject basis)* n=102	Overall Rate (%) day 1 up to 1 year (per subject basis)* n=102
Death	2.9	7.8
- Cardiovascular Death	2.9	4.9
Disabling (Major) stroke	2.9	3.9
Non-disabling (Minor) stroke	1.0	2.0
New pacemaker implantation	9.8	10.8
Myocardial infarction	2.0	2.0
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Better patient selection, better procedural techniques, improved device capabilities, standardised reporting

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Clinical Outcome	(N = 96)	(N = 54)	(N=150)
All-Cause Mortality	2 (2.1%)	6 (11.1%)	8 (5.3%)
Cardiac Mortality	2 (2.1%)	5 (9.3%).	7 (4.7%)
All-Stroke*	1 (1.0%)	3 (5.6%)	4 (2.7%)
Disabling Stroke	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)
Major Vascular Complication	5 (5.2%)	4 (7.4%)	9 (6.0%)
Major Bleeding	19 (19.8%)	11 (20.4%)	30 (20.0%)
Life-Threatening Bleeding	2 (2.1%)	3 (5.6%)	5 (3.3%)
Rehospitalization†	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)
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Primary Endpoint	TF (N = 95)	TAA (N = 54)	Overall (N = 149)
All-Cause Mortality	1 (1.1%)	6 (11,1%)	7. (4.7%)

Event	Discharge/7d	30 Days*	3 Months	6 Months
All-cause death	1.7% (2/120)	4.2% (5/119)	5.0% (6/119)	8.4% (10/119)
Cardiovascular death	1.7% (2/120)	4.2% (5/119)	5.0% (6/119)	5.9% (7/119)
All stroke [†]	5.8% (7/120)	5.9% (7/119)	6.7% (8/119)	9.2% (11/119)
Disabling stroke	1.7% (2/120)	1.7% (2/119)	2.5% (3/119)	3.4% (4/119)
Non-disabling stroke	4.2% (5/120)	4.2% (5/119)	4.2% (5/119)	5.9% (7/119)

Non-CV Deaths: 1) SCC at 110d, 2) severe hyperthyroidism at 158d, 3) pneumocystis pneumonia at 97d CV Death: 1 at 123d disabling spontaneous haemorrhagic stroke

One patient withdrew consent after the discharge/7d time point

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All patients were assessed by a neurologist before and after TAVR

Challenges for device based solutions

- Majority of stroke occurs after procedure
- Need more data to show that it reduces MRI events
- Cost and ease of use
- Overall, stroke rate is reducing, mainly due to technique and device improvements



My Challenge to you, Please:

Show me the evidence Give me a clear reason to use CPD

Thank You

