



**SINDROME DE ANEMIA CARDIO – RENAL
MAS ALLA DE LA CORRECCION DE LA ANEMIA
LA VISION DEL CARDIOLOGO**

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OBJETIVOS

**ENTENDER LA
IMPORTANCIA DE
LA ANEMIA
ASOCIADA AL
SINDROME
CARDIO - RENAL**



**REVISAR LA
EVIDENCIA
DISPONIBLE CON
RELACION AL
USO DE LOS
FACTORES
ESTIMULANTES
DE LA
ERITROPOYESIS**

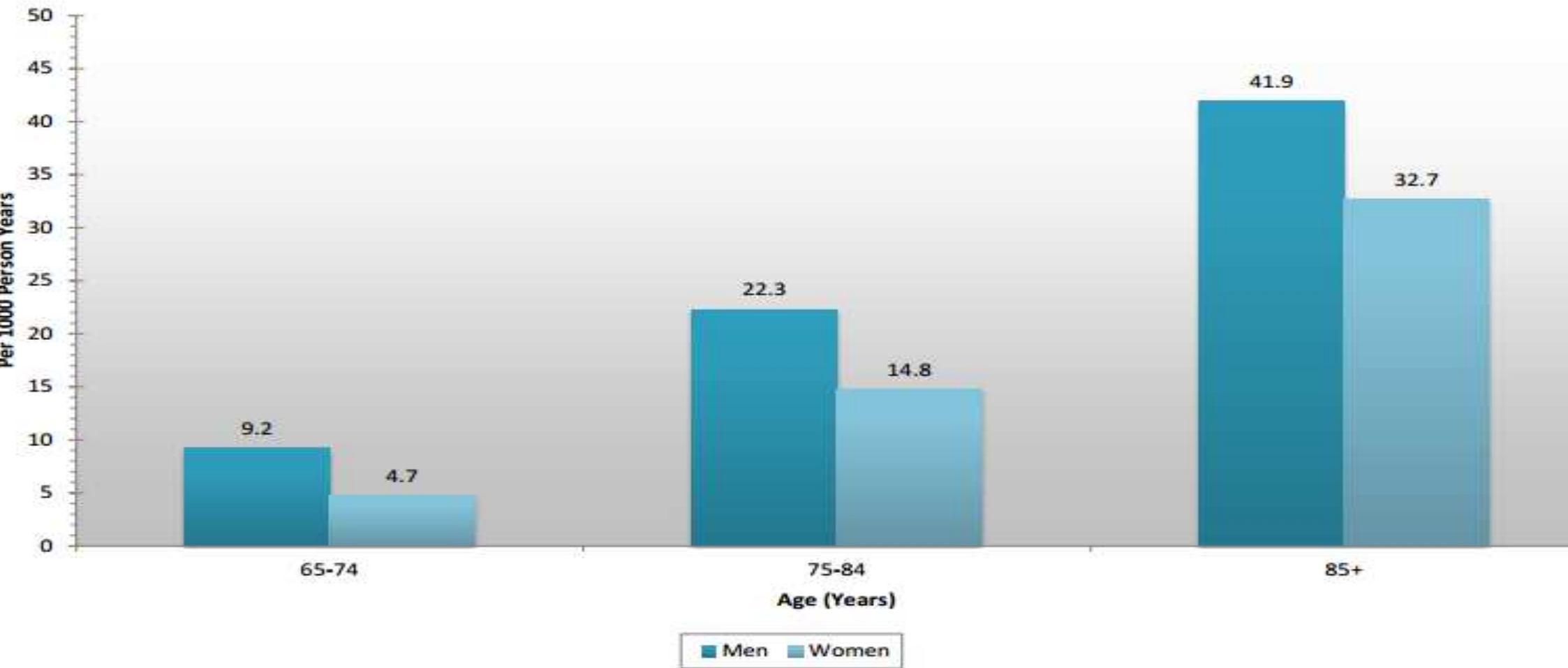


**COMPRENDER LA
FISIOPATOLOGIA
DE LA ANEMIA
EN ESTE GRUPO
DE PACIENTES**



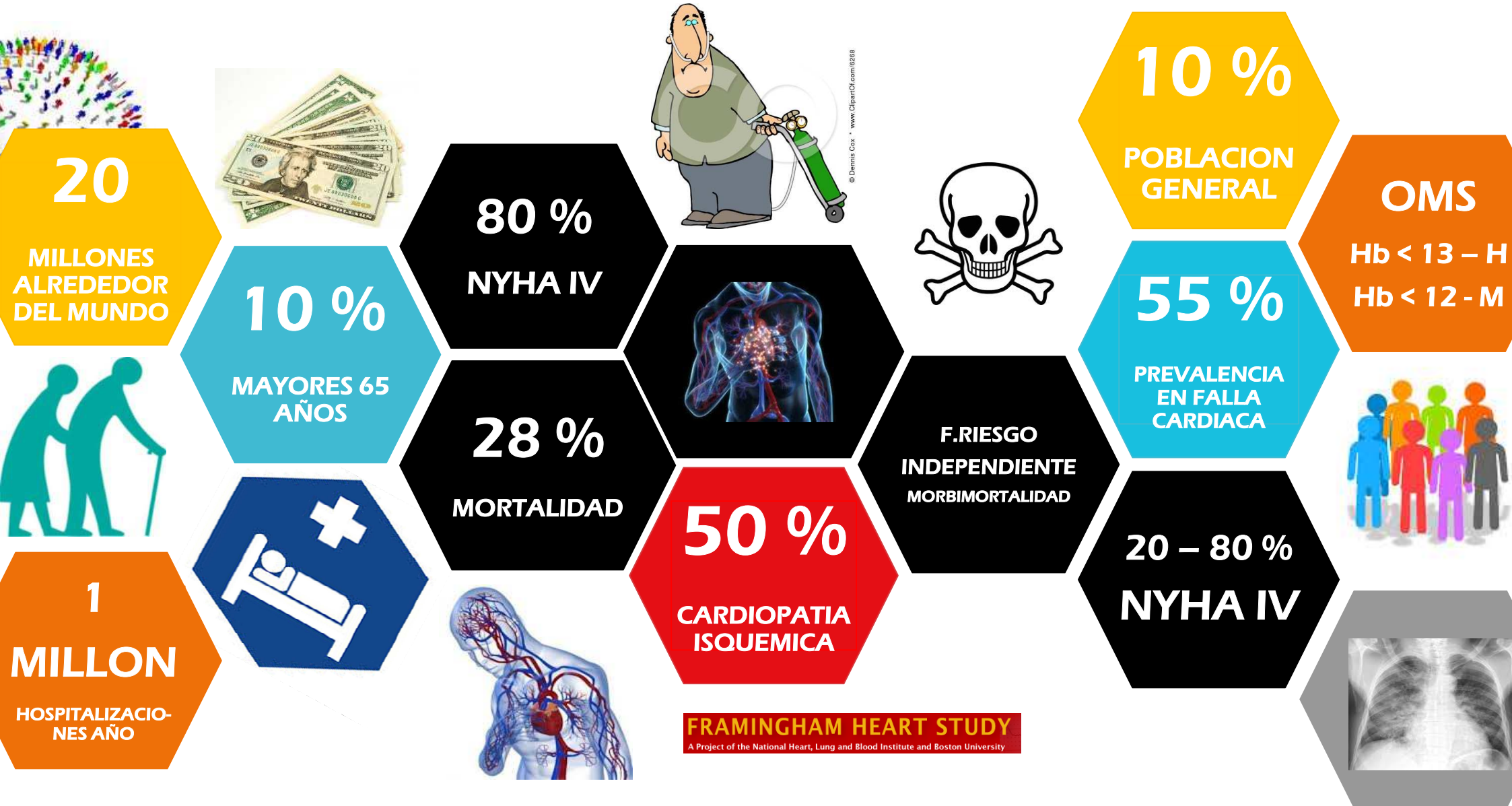
**REALIZAR UN
ACERCAMIENTO
A LAS
PROPUESTAS
TERAPEUTICAS
DISPONIBLES**

Incidence of heart failure (heart failure based on physician review of medical records and strict diagnostic criteria) by age and sex (Framingham Heart Study 1980-2003)



Source: National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute.

FALLA CARDIACA Y ANEMIA



ENFERMEDAD RENAL CRONICA Y ANEMIA



TABLE 131-2 -- STAGES OF CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE (CKD) WITH PROJECTED NUMBERS OF INDIVIDUALS AND THE FREQUENCY OF COMPLICATIONS

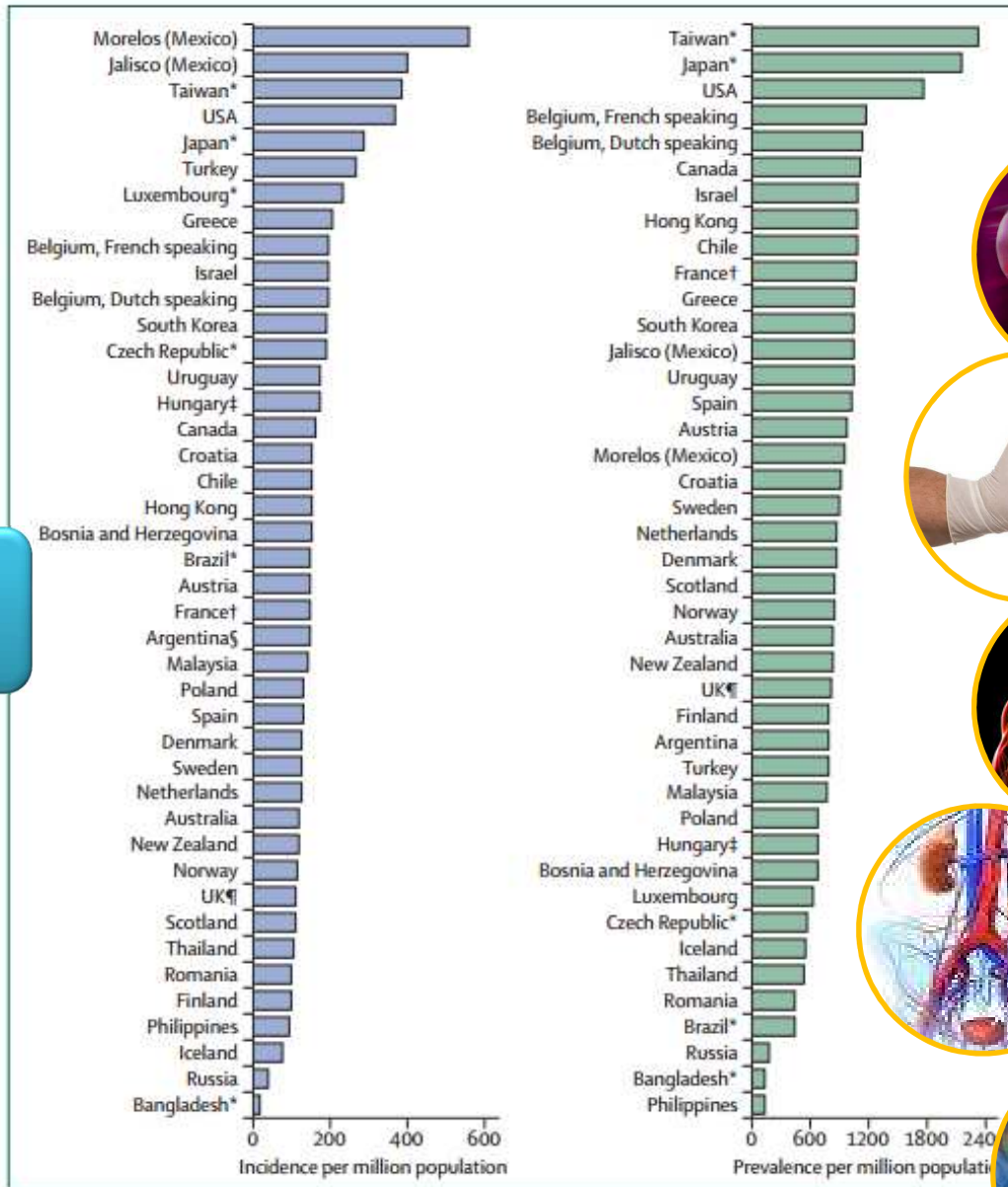
Stage	Description	GFR _{Cr} (mL/min/1.73 m ²)	Projected Number (×1000)	Symptoms or Signs
1	Chronic kidney damage with normal or increased GFR	>90	5900	Anemia 4% Hypertension 40% 5-year mortality 19%
2	Mild GFR loss	60–89	5300	Anemia 4% Hypertension 40% 5-year mortality 19%
3	Moderate GFR loss	30–59	7600	Anemia 7% Hypertension 55% 5-year mortality 24%
4	Severe GFR loss	15–29	400	Hyperphosphatemia 20% Anemia 29% Hypertension 77% 5-year mortality 46%
5	Kidney failure	<15 or dialysis	300	Hyperphosphatemia 50% Anemia 69% Hypertension >75% 3-year mortality 14%

KDOQI 3 – 4
MILLONES - USA

CAUSAS ERC – 2003
44.8 % - DIABETES
27.1 % - HTA

INCIDENCIA
65 AÑOS

8 MIL PERSONAS
2 % POBLACION
5 MIL – KDOQI 5



Chronic kidney disease

Andrew S Levey, Josef Coresh



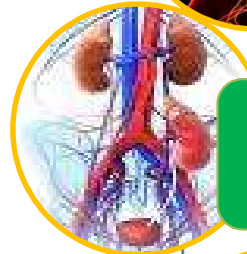
RIESGO CARDIOVASCULAR



**F. RIESGO ENF. CV
PROTEINURIA
↓ TFG**



**ADHERE
30 % HOSPITALIZACIONES POR ICC
CURSABAN CON ERC (CREA > 2 mg/dl)**



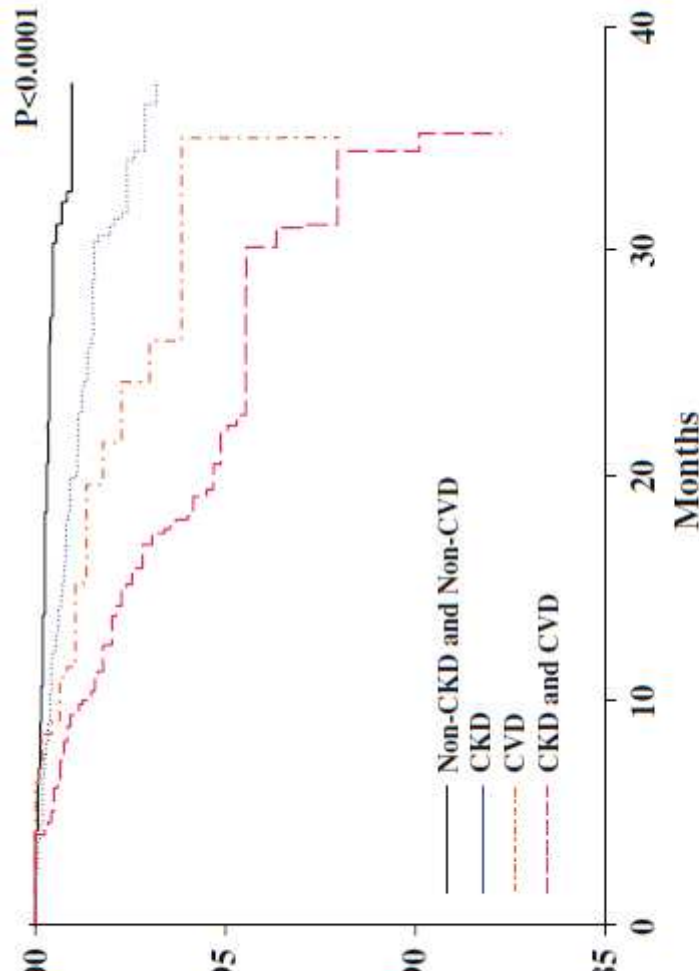
**F. RIESGO INDPTE MORTALIDAD
↑ CREATININA / N. UREICO
INGRESO**



**7 %
↑ MORTALIDAD
↓ TFG = 10 ML / MIN**

Pathogenesis and therapeutic implications of cardiorenal syndrome

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Kaplan–Meier curves for all-cause mortality stratified according to the presence or absence of chronic kidney disease (CKD) and cardiovascular disease (CVD). Cited from McCullough et al. [16]

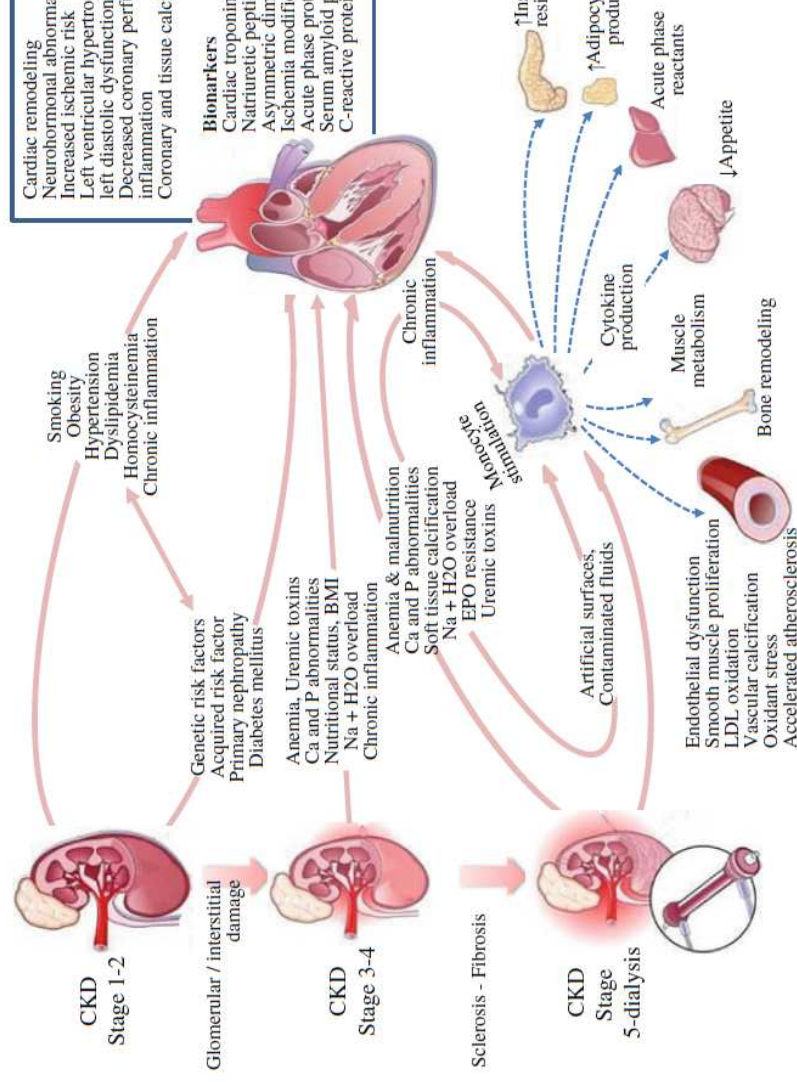
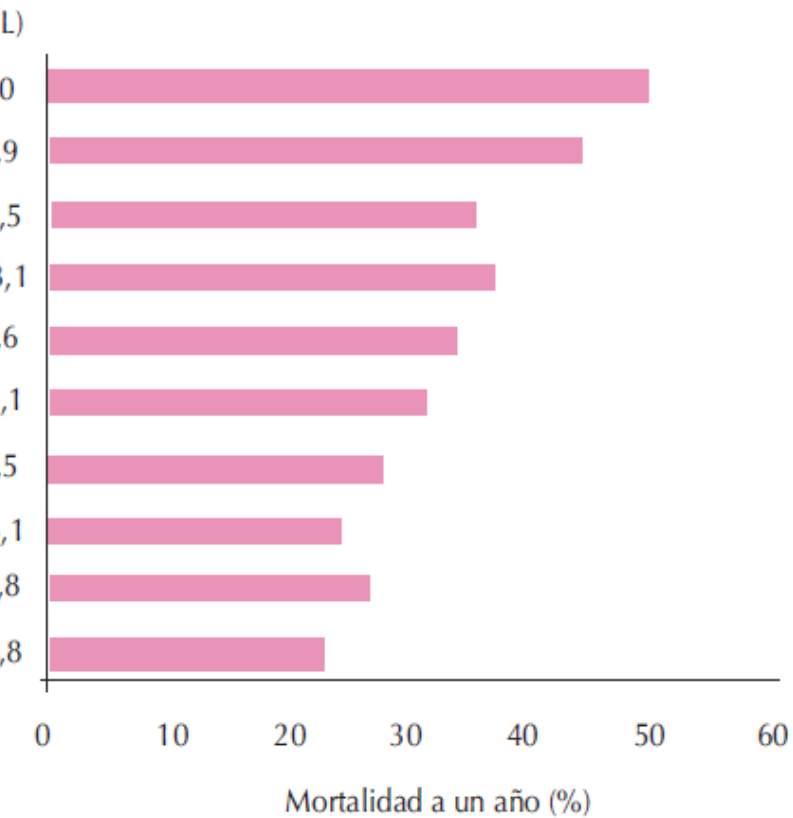


Fig. 2 Complex pathogenesis of chronic kidney disease (CKD) in cardiovascular disease (CVD). Cited from McCullough et al.

VISIÓN DEL CARDIÓLOGO

3. Prevalencia de anemia en falla cardiaca y asociación con resultados adversos



ENSEÑANZAS DEL CHARM
Candesartan in Heart Failure: Assessment of Reduction in Mortality and Morbidity

- FALLA CARDIACA - ANEMIA
- ↑ NUMERO INGRESOS HOSPITALARIOS

- FACTOR PRONOSTICO DE MORTALIDAD
- INDEPENDIENTE DE LA FEVI

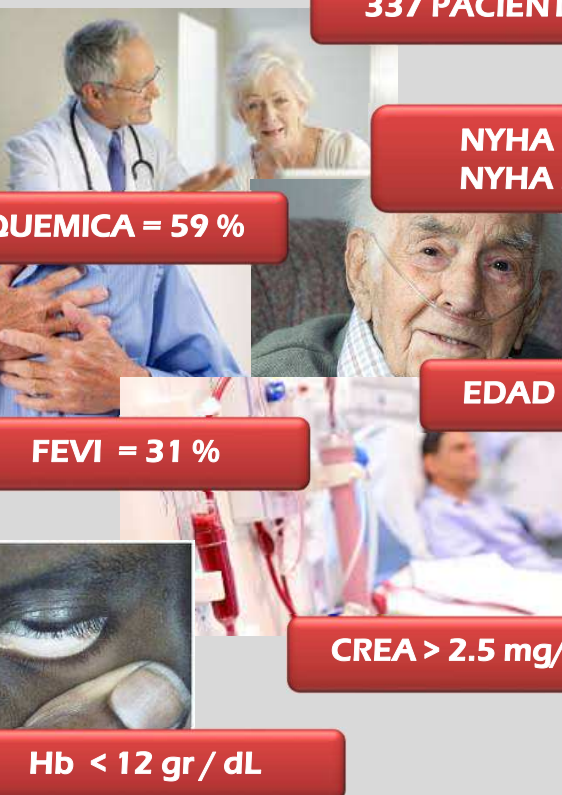
- FALLA CARDIACA – ERC
- COMPARTEN FACTORES DE RIESGO
- PARA INICIO – PROGRESION
- ERC – COMORBILIDAD FRECUENTE EN ICC

- MORTALIDAD – 2 AÑOS
- FALLA CARDIACA = 26 %
- ENFERMEDAD RENAL CRONICA = 16 %
- COEXISTENCIA = 38 %
- CONCOMITA – ANEMIA = 45 %

HEART FAILURE

Prognostic Significance of Hemoglobin Levels in Patients with Heart Failure

Agustín Urrutia, Beatriz González, Juan Herreros, Salvador Altimir, Ramon Coll, Juan Prats, Celestino Rey-Joly, and Vicente Valle



337 PACIENTES

**NYHA II = 46 %
NYHA III = 44 %**

ANEMIA = 59 %

EDAD = 65 AÑOS

FEVI = 31 %

CREA > 2.5 mg/dl = 6 %

Hb < 12 gr / dL

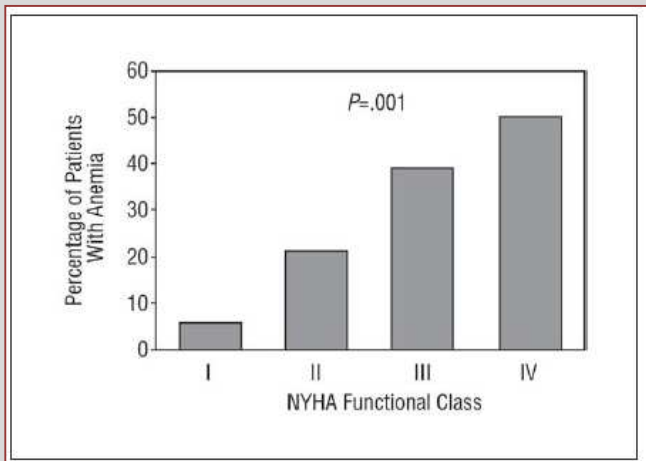


Figure 1. Percentage distribution of patients with anemia by functional class for heart failure (NYHA).

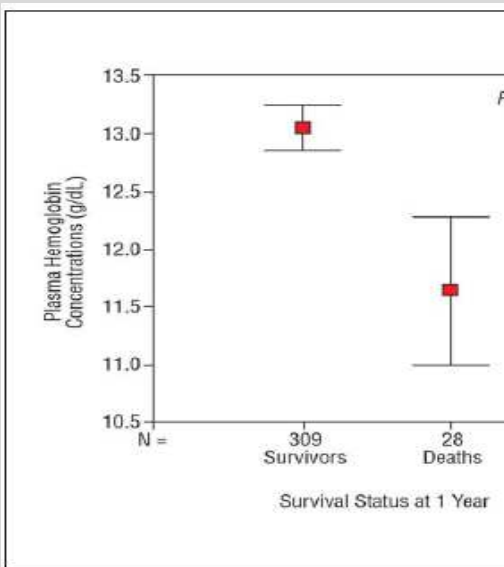


Figure 2. Graph showing means and standard deviation of hemoglobin levels for survivors and patients who died at 1 year.

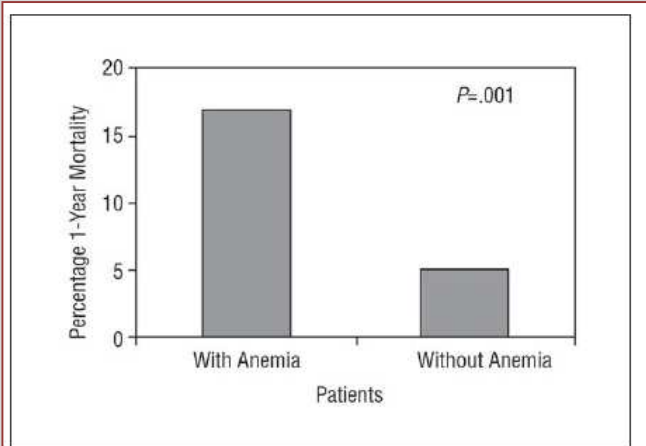


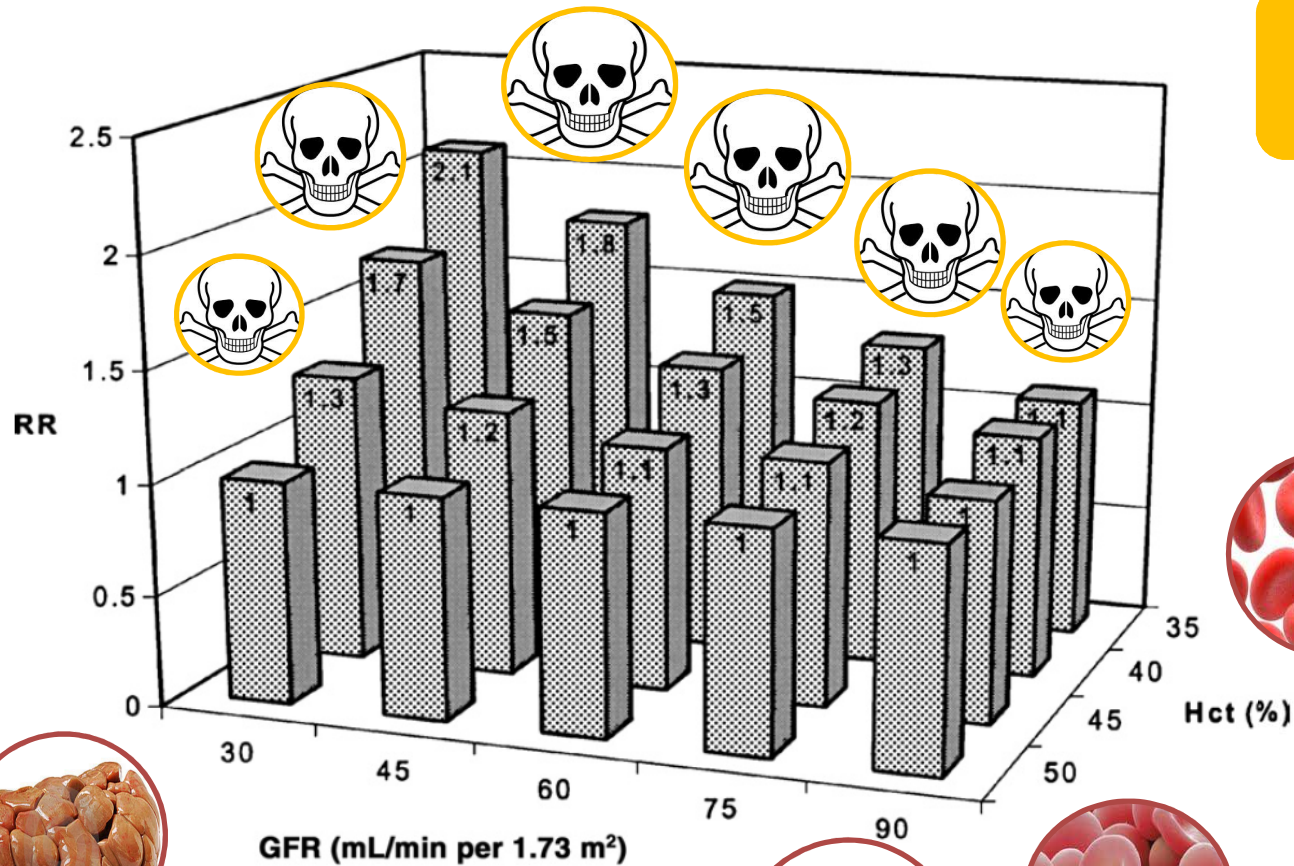
Figure 3. One-year mortality in patients with and without anemia on initial visit.

Emerging Role of Anemia in Heart Failure

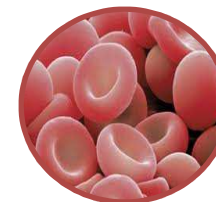
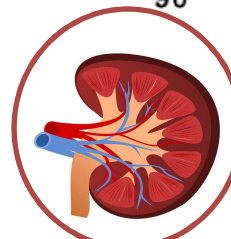
Judith E. Mitchell, MD

EFENANZAS DEL SOLVD
Series Of LV Dysfunction

RETROSPECTIVO
228 – PREVENCIÓN
69 – TRATAMIENTO
FEVI < 35 %
HEA HASTA 2.5 mg/dL

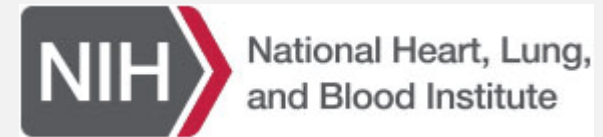


EFEECTO ADITIVO
RIESGO DE MUERTE
POR TODAS LAS CAUSAS



Cardio-renal anemia syndrome

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NHLBI Working Group
Cardio-Renal Connections in Heart Failure and Cardiovascular Disease

August 20, 2004

1. Two-year mortality and incidence of ESRD in a 5% sample of Medicare patients from the USA

	Two-year mortality(%)	Two-year incidence of ESRD(%)
Anemia, CHF or CKI	7,7	0,1
Anemia	16,6	0,2
CHF	26,1	0,2
CHF and anemia	34,6	0,3
CKI	16,4	2,6
CHF and anemia	27,3	5,4
CHF and CKI	38,4	3,5
CHF, CKI and anemia	45,6	5,9

CHF: Congestive Heart Failure, CKI: Chronic Kidney Insufficiency, ESRD: End Stage Renal Disease

Summary of characteristics of the cardiorenal syndrome

Characteristics of the cardiorenal syndrome

Reduced RBF and GFR

Increased venous congestion

Increased renovascular resistance

Albuminuria

Tubular damage

Worsening renal function

Diuretic resistance

Activation of the TGF

Anemia

Increased mortality

Abbreviations: TGF, tubuloglomerular feedback mechanism.



Erythropoietin in cardiovascular diseases

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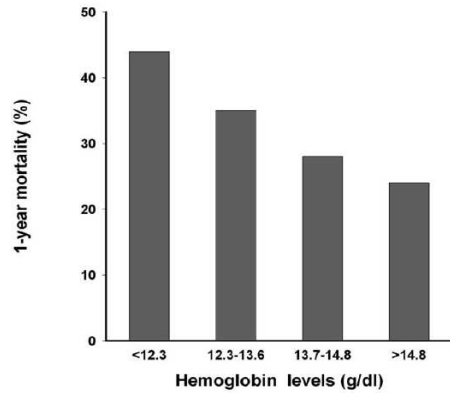
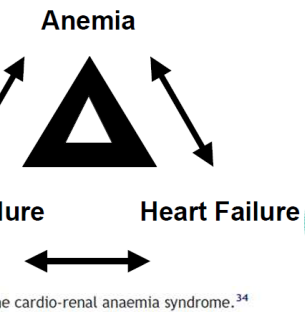
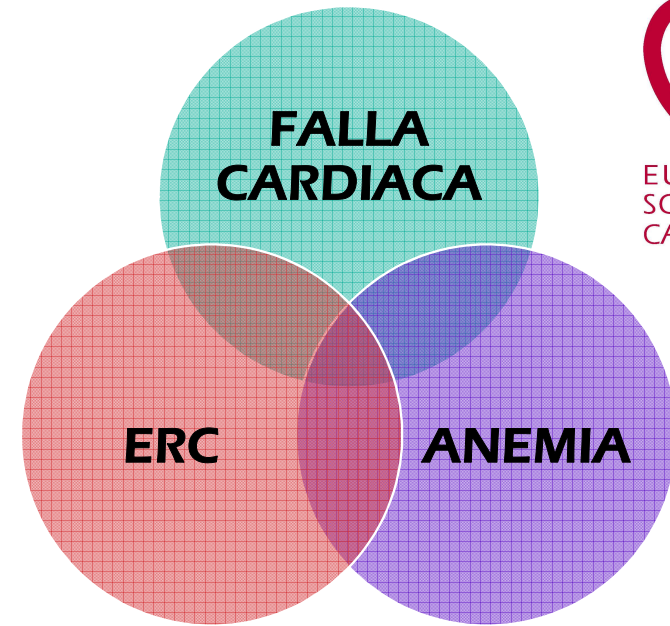
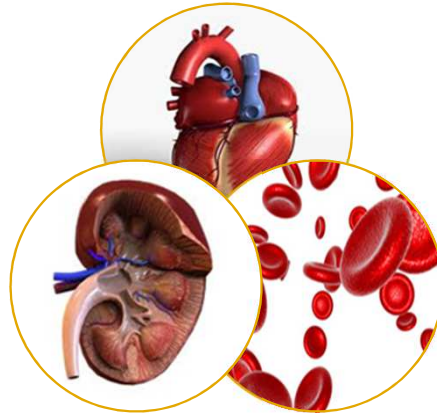


Fig. 1 One-year mortality in NYHA functional class III and IV patients for the different haemoglobin levels.²⁶



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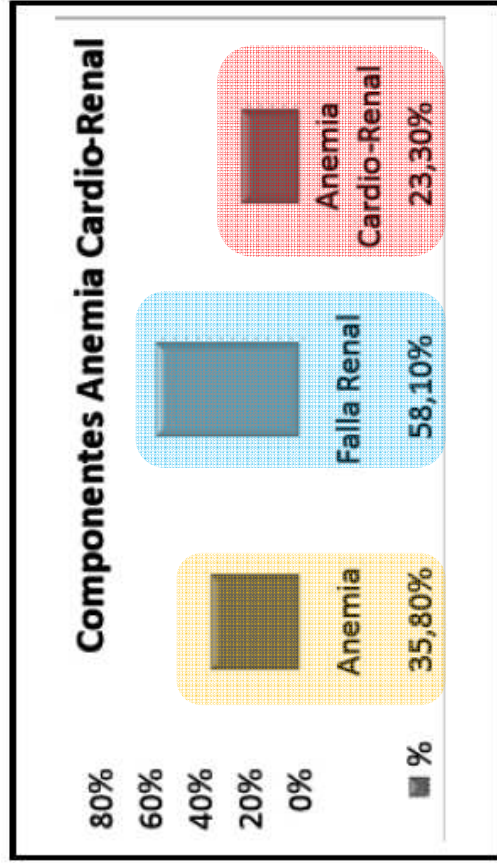


Figura 1. Componentes anemia cardiorrenal.



Figura 2. Anemia cardiorrenal.

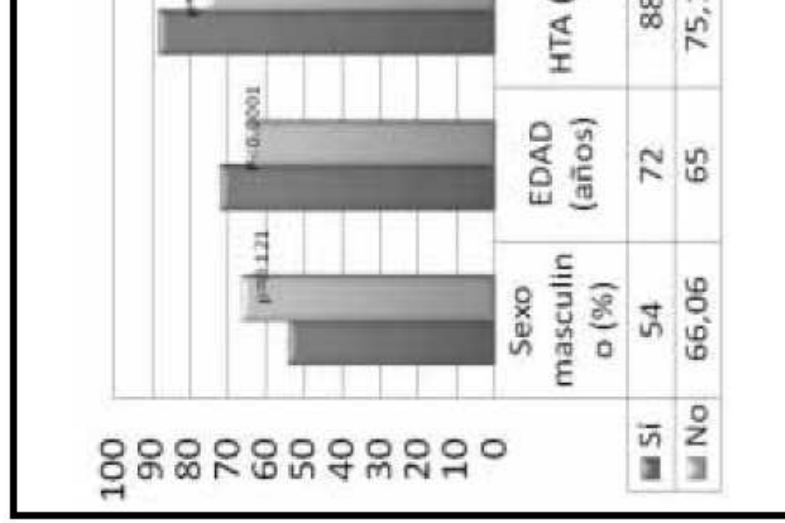
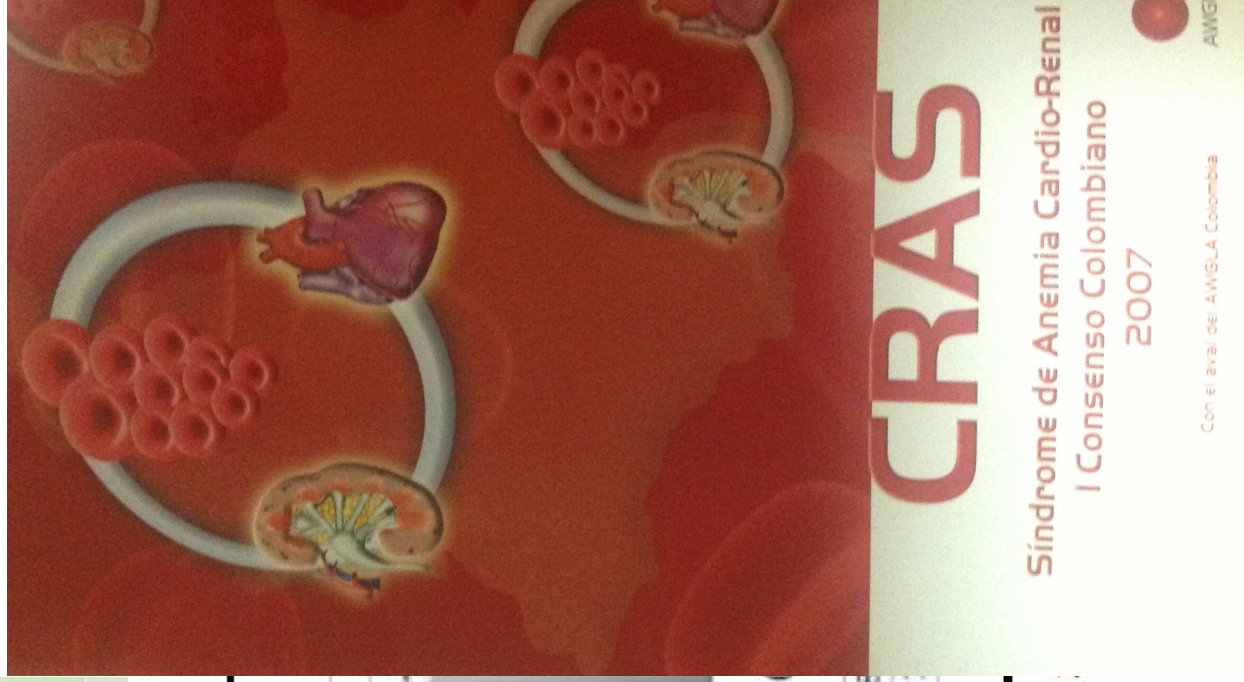
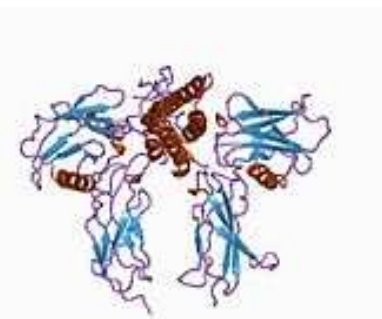
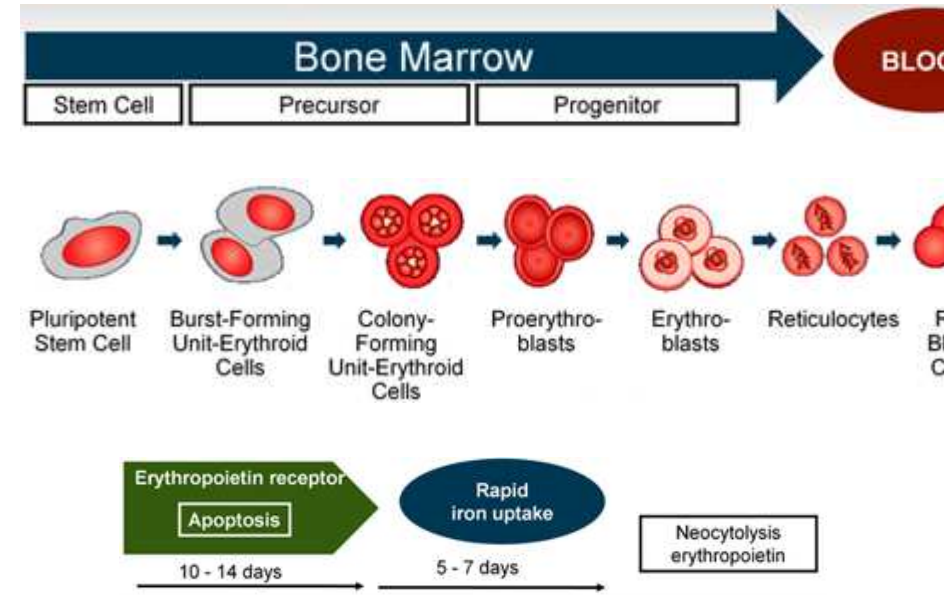
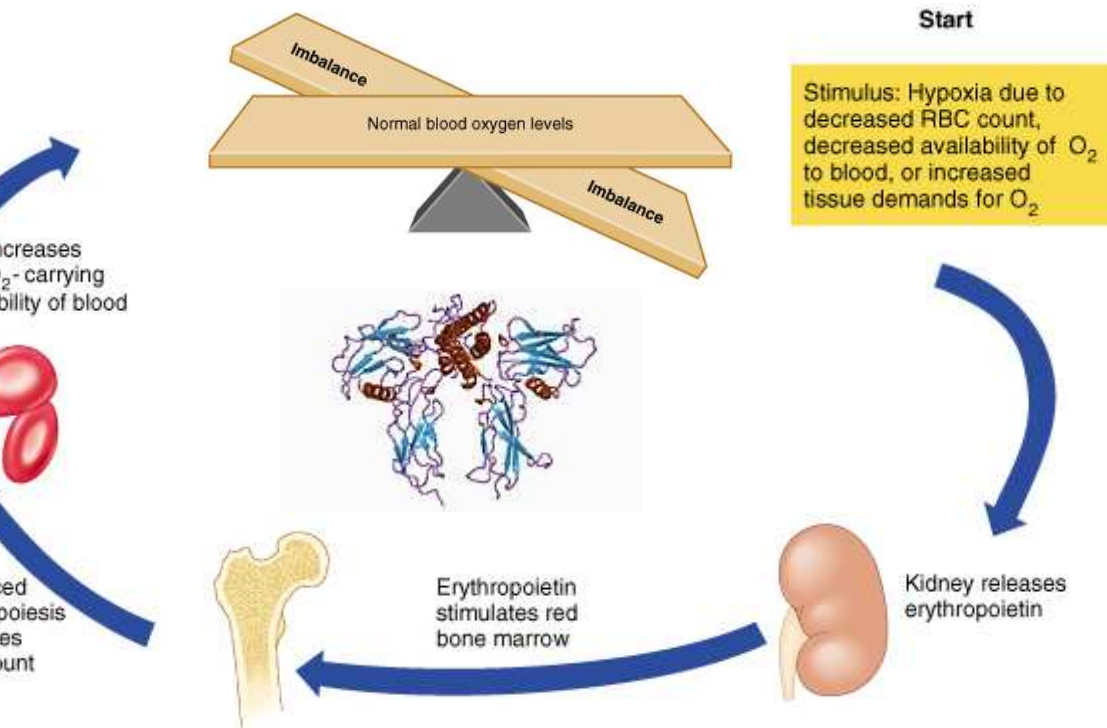


Figura 3. Porcentaje de pacientes con hipertensiones



ERITROPOYETINA - FISIOLOGIA



↑ VIABILIDAD GR

EVITA LA APOPTOSIS DE LOS PROGENITORES ERITROIDES

ESTIMULA LA PROLIFERACION Y DIFERENCIACION DE LOS PRECURSORES ERITROIDES

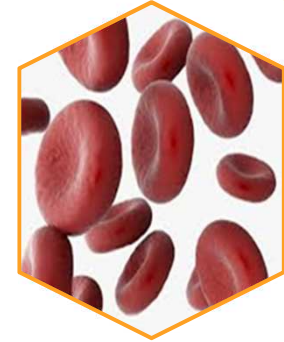
Anemia: The Point of Convergence or Divergence for Kidney Disease and Heart Failure?



Resistance to erythropoietin

Reduced expression of erythropoietin receptors

Relative erythropoietin deficiency



Retained blood in extracorporeal circuits for patients with



Drugs (e.g., ACE-I, ARB, and

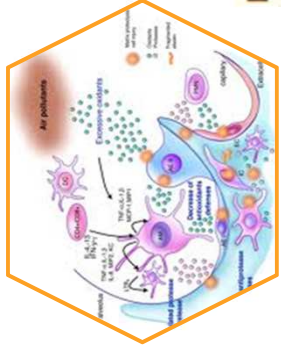
Perturbed erythropoietin signal transduction

Impaired proliferation of erythroid precursor cells



Nutrition deficiencies (e.g., iron, folate, and vitamin B12)

Limited availability of iron for erythropoiesis



Elevated levels of inflammatory cytokines

Platelet dysfunction resulting in blood loss



Hyperparathyroidism

Causes of Anemia in Chronic Kidney Disease



DEFICIENCIA RELATIVA y/o RESISTENCIA DE EPO

DEFICIT NUTRICIONAL (Fe-Folato-B12)

MALABSORCION – EDEMA MUCOSA INTESTINAL

DISPONIBILIDAD LIMITADA DE Fe PARA ERITROPOYESIS

↑ CITOQUINAS PROINFLAMATORIAS

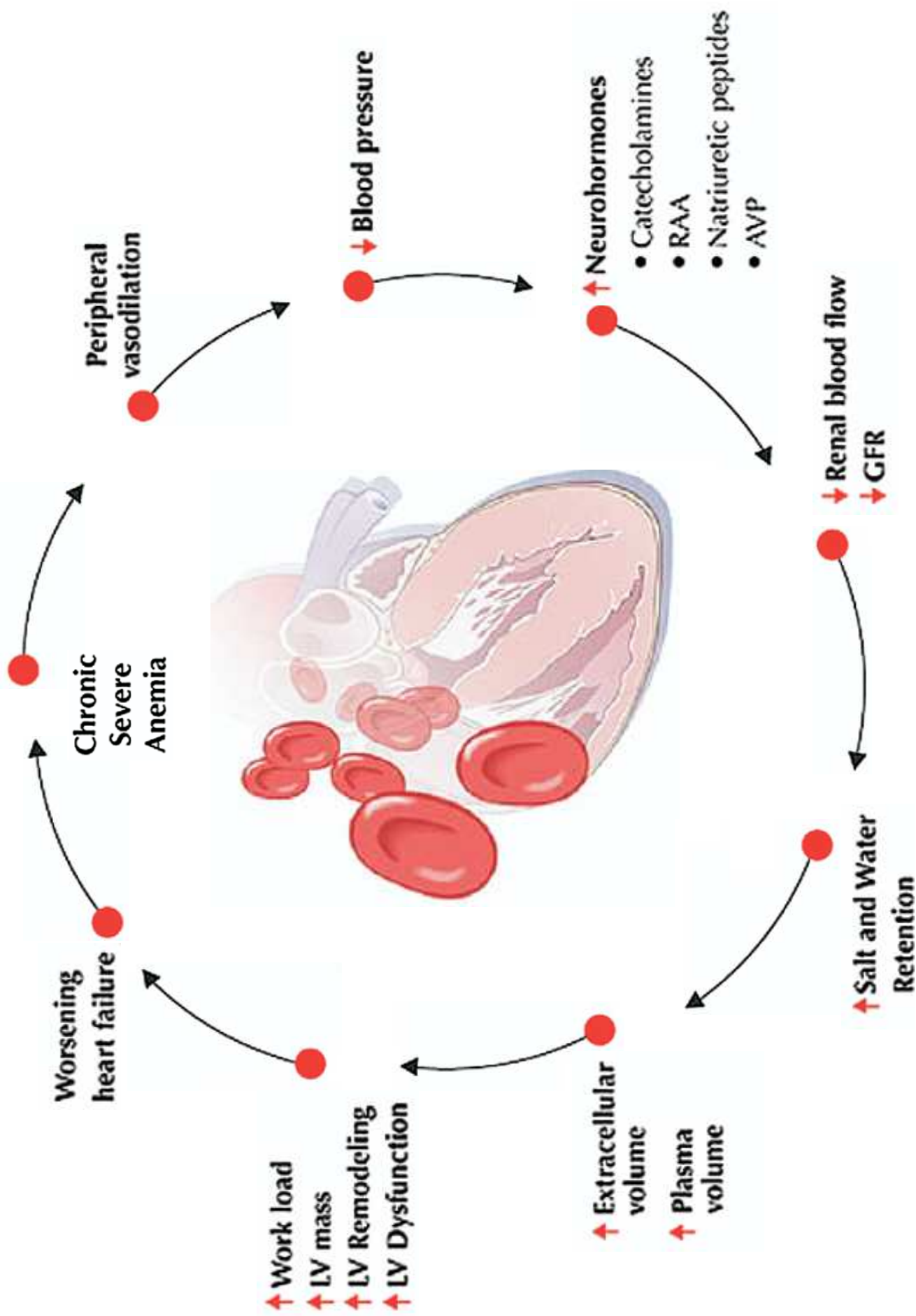
**HEMODILUCION – MEDICAMENTOS
IECA – ARA II – WARFARINA - ASA**

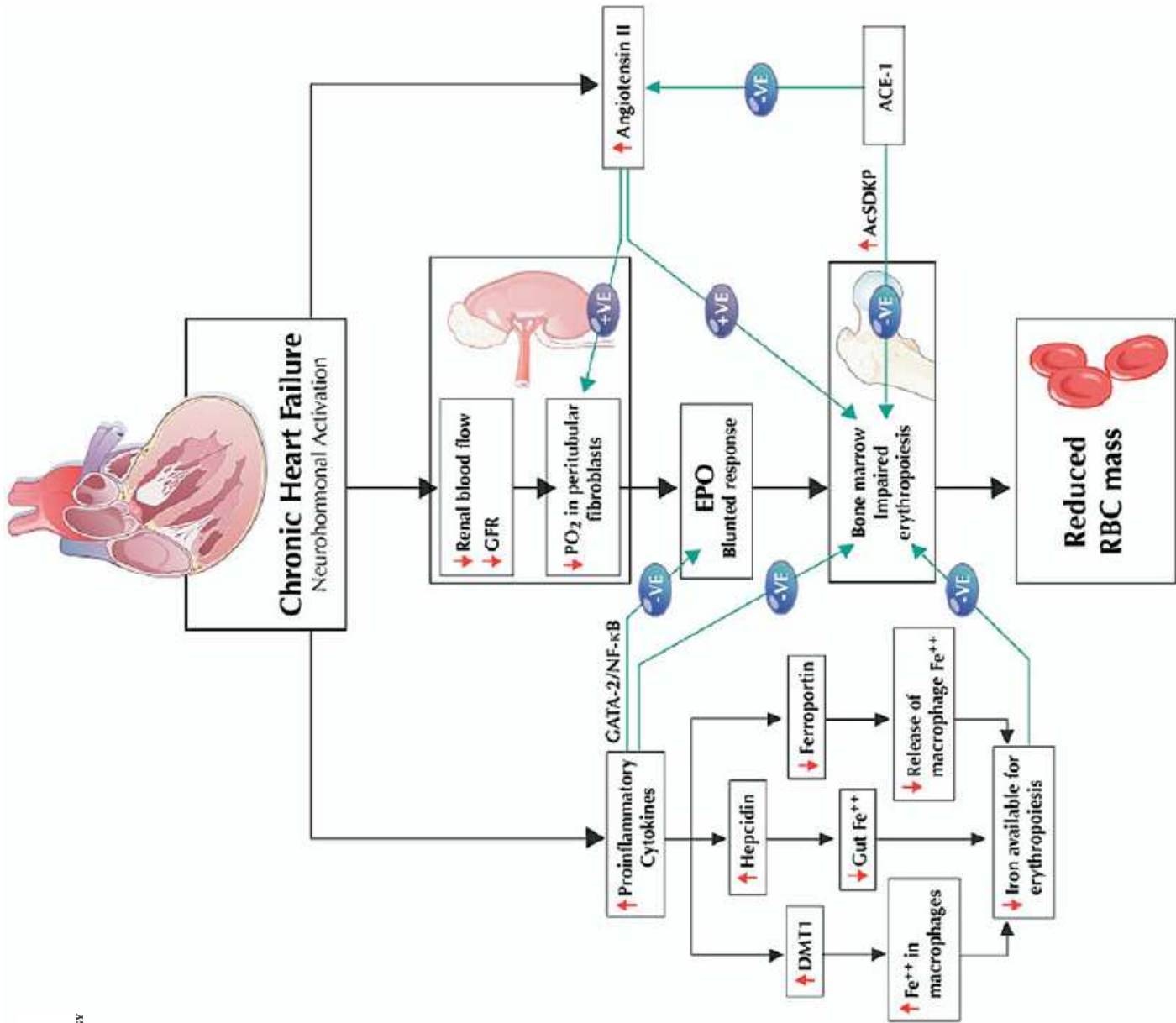
**CAUSAS DE
ANEMIA EN
FALLA
CARDIACA**

STATE-OF-THE-ART PAPER

**Anemia: The Point of Convergence or
Divergence for Kidney Disease and Heart Failure?**

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Anemia in Heart Failure: Pathophysiology, Pathogenesis, Treatment, and Incognitae

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TABLE 1. Consequences of Anemia in Heart Failure*

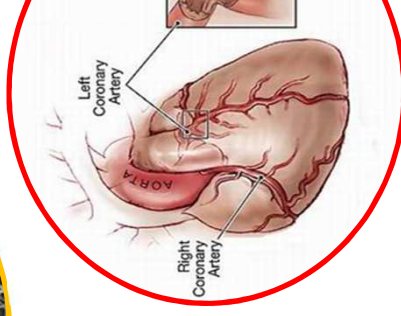
Cardiovascular

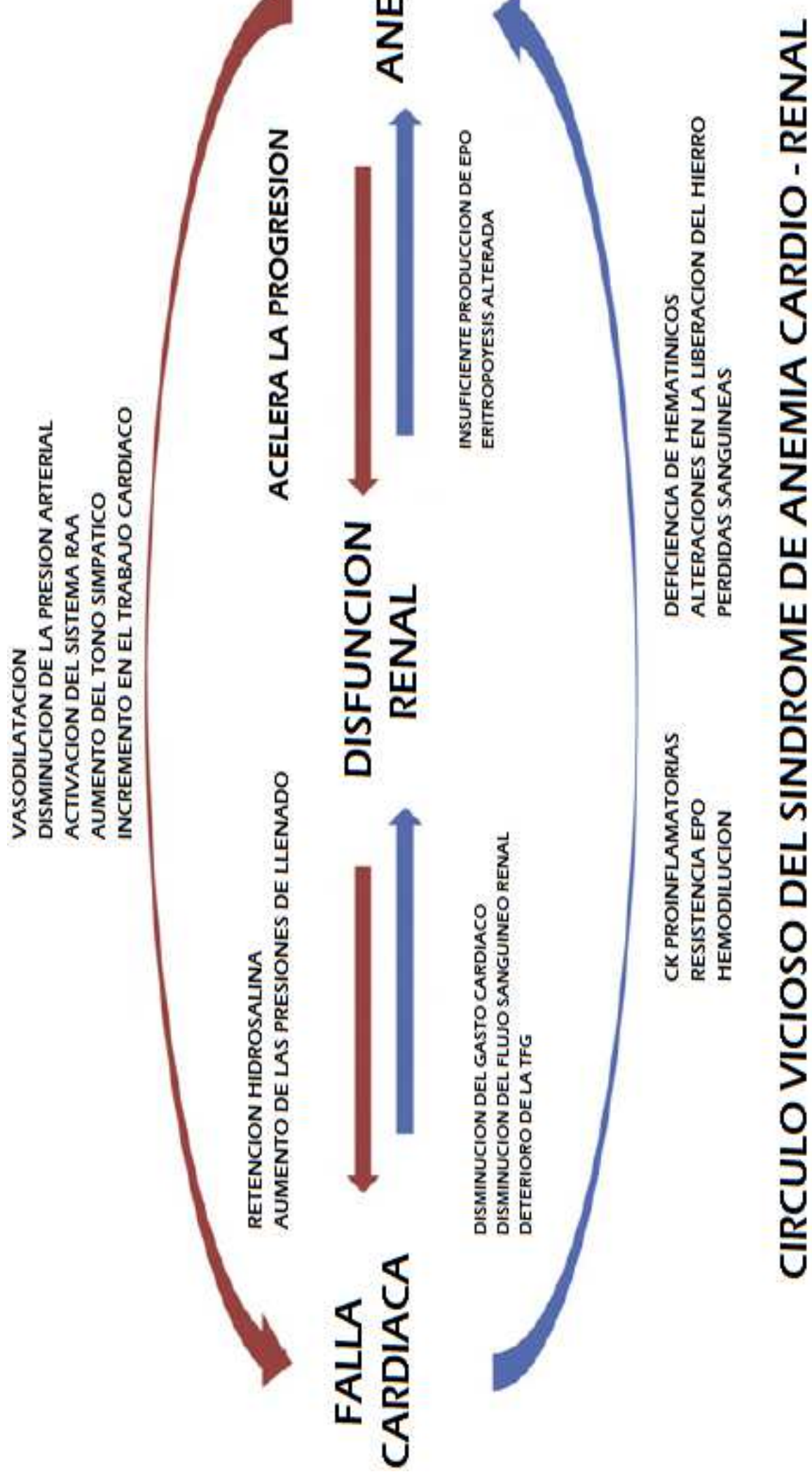
- Left ventricular hypertrophy
- Precipitation of HF
- Precipitation of CRF
- Exacerbations of ischemic heart disease

Reduction

- Aerobic capacity
- Exercise tolerance
- Subjective well-being: quality of life
- Higher mental functions
- Possible acceleration of the course of HF and RF

*CRF indicates cardiorenal failure; HF, heart failure; RF, renal failure.





en la insuficiencia cardiaca: fisiopatología, patogenia, tratamiento e incógnitas

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TABLA 2. Posibles mecanismos proanémicos de los inhibidores de la enzima de conversión de la angiotensina y los antagonistas de la angiotensina I

Renal

Disminución de la síntesis endógena de EPO

Médula ósea

Disminución de la respuesta a EPO

Inhibición del crecimiento de precursores eritroides.

Modificación de la respuesta al tratamiento con rHuEPO

Disminución de los valores de IGF-1

Inhibición del catabolismo de N-acetil-seril-aspartil-prolina, péptido que disminuye la proliferación de precursores de la serie roja

UNA VISIÓN DEL CARDIÓLOGO

Figura 6. Cambios en los niveles de depuración de creatinina en terapia con hierro intravenoso, en pacientes con falla cardíaca, anemia y enfermedad renal moderada

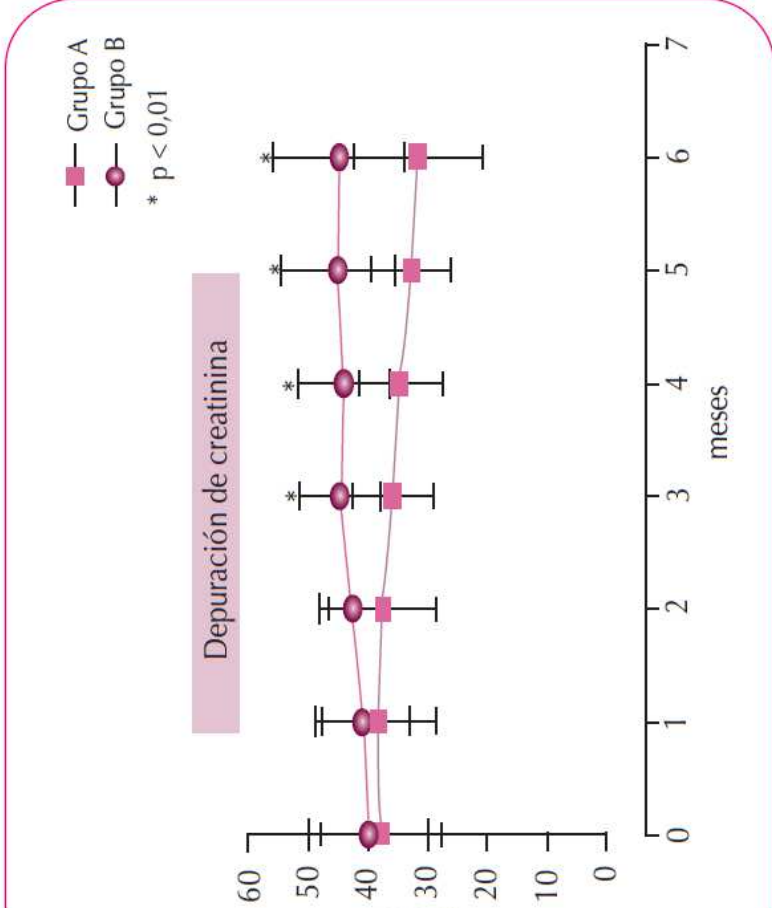
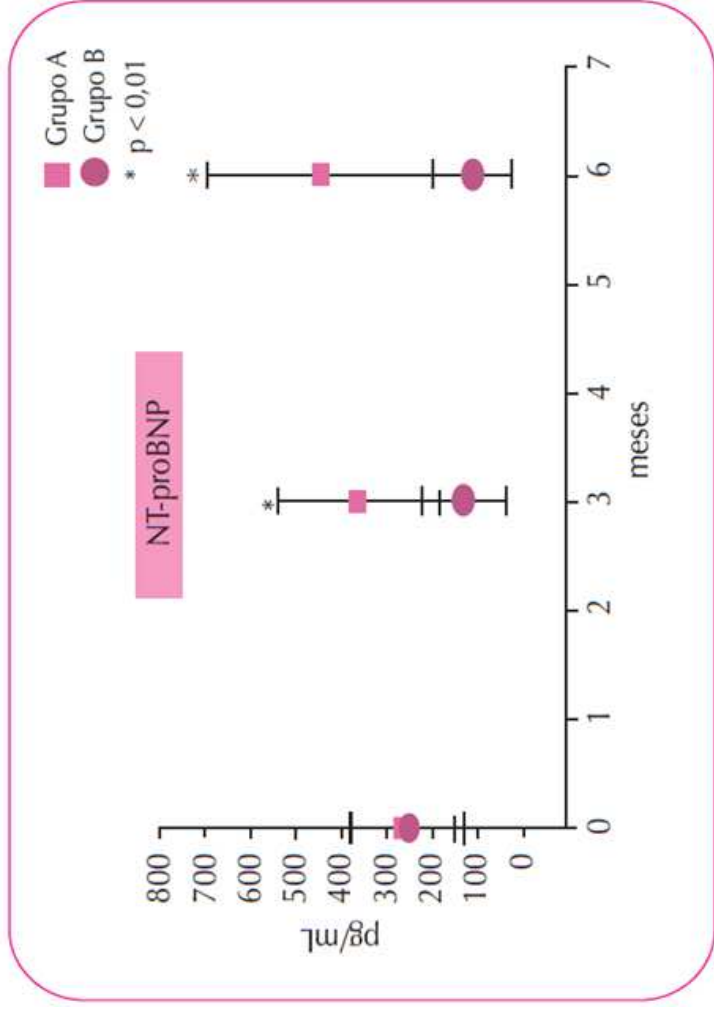


Figura 5. Cambio en los niveles de factor natriurético tipo B (NT-proBNP) en terapia con hierro intravenoso en pacientes con anemia, falla cardíaca e insuficiencia renal.



Effect of Correction of Mild Anemia in Patients with Severe, Resistant Congestive Heart Failure: Subcutaneous Erythropoietin and Intravenous Iron: A Randomized Controlled Study

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Table 3. The Effect of Correction of Anemia by Intravenous Iron and Erythropoietin Therapy on Various Parameters in 16 Patients in the Treatment (A) and 16 in the Control (B) Group

Parameter	Time	Control		Treatment		p Value			
		Mean	Std Dev.	Mean	Std Dev.	t tests for BL	Time Effect	Group Effect	Interaction Time × Group
IV furosemide mg/wk	Before	49.3	27.6	76.7	36.8	0.03	0.001	NS	<0.0001
	After	63.1	37.1	66.6	28.2				
Oral furosemide mg/d	Before	136.2	86.1	132.2	38.9	NS	NS	0.023	<0.0001
	After	175.0	113.0	64.4	39.1				
Days in hospital	Before	9.9	4.8	13.8	7.2	NS	0.039	0.03	<0.0001
	After	15.6	9.8	2.9	6.6				
Hb, g%	Before	10.9	0.8	10.3	1.2	NS	<0.0001	0.0004	<0.0001
	After	10.8	0.8	12.9	1.1				
Ejection fraction	Before	28.4	7.6	30.8	12.6	NS	NS	<0.013	<0.0001
	After	23.0	6.9	36.3	11.9				
Serum creatine mg%	Before	1.4	0.9	1.7	0.8	NS	0.022	NS	0.006
	After	1.8	0.5	1.7	0.7				



DE FUROSEMIDA



DE LA CLASE FUNCIONAL



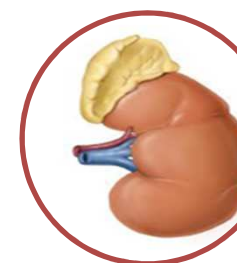
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REDUCCION EN LOS DIAS DE HOSPITALIZACION



HIERRO → EFECTO ADITIVO



ESTABILIZACION DEL DETERIORO

Effect of Erythropoietin on Exercise Capacity in Patients With Moderate to Severe Chronic Heart Failure

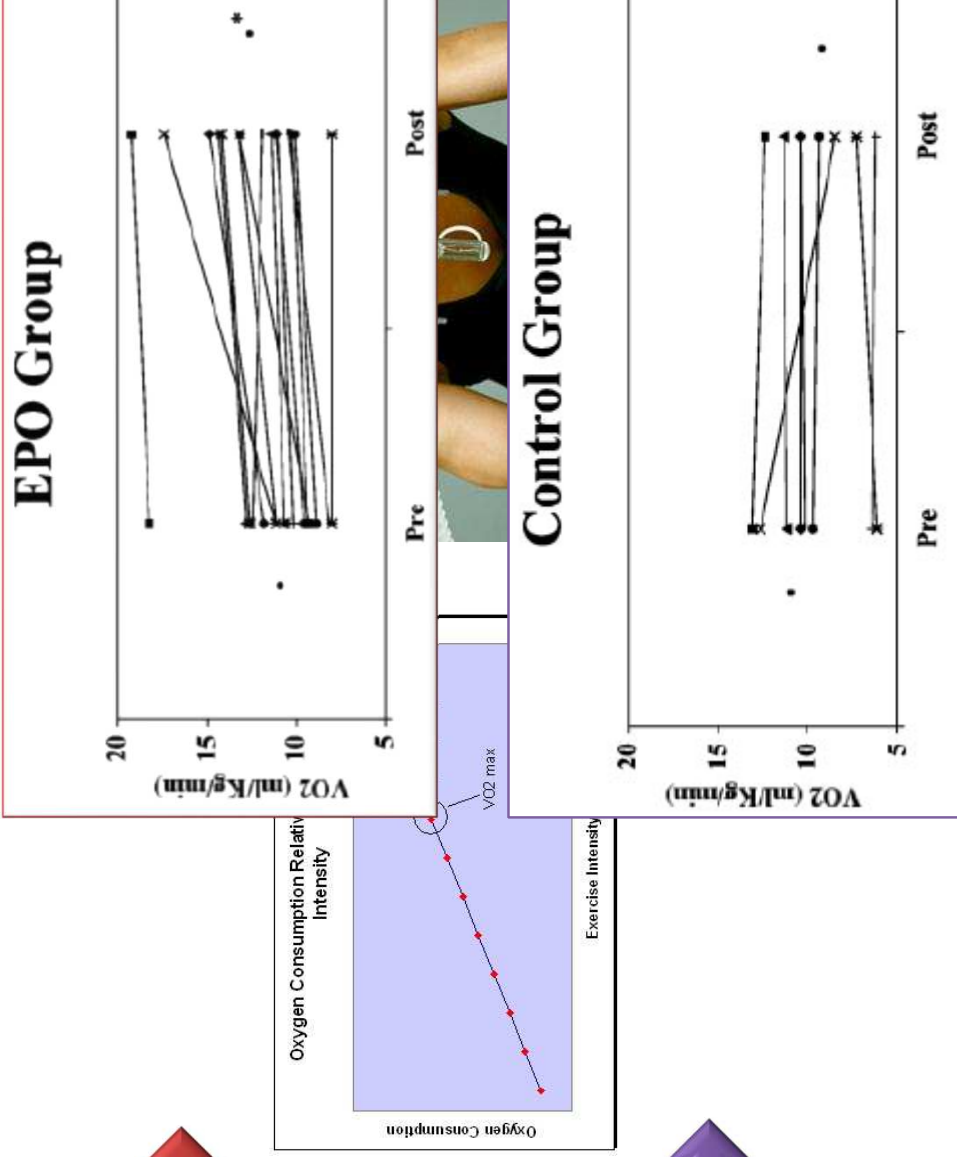


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TABLE 1. Clinical Characteristics

	Control (n=8)	EPO (n=15)
Age, y	55±7	60±12
Etiology, n		
CAD	4	8
Cardiomyopathy	4	7
Sex, n		
Male	5	13
Female	3	2
LVEF, %	21±4	24±6
Hemoglobin, g/dL	10.9±1.3	11.0±0.6
Creatinine, mg/dL	1.6±0.5	1.6±0.4
EPO level, mU/L	32±16	24±14
Peak $\dot{V}O_2$, mL · kg ⁻¹ · min ⁻¹	10.0±1.9	11.0±1.8

CAD indicates coronary artery disease; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction.



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Figure 2. The effect of erythropoietin on peak $\dot{V}O_2$ in the treated and control groups.

Effect of Erythropoietin on Exercise Capacity in Patients With Moderate to Severe Chronic Heart Failure

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TABLE 3. Maximal and Submaximal Exercise Capacity at Baseline and End of Study

	Control				EPO			
	Baseline		End		Baseline		End	
	Rest	Exercise	Rest	Exercise	Rest	Exercise	Rest	Exercise
Heart rate, bpm	77±9	100±19	81±11	102±22	76±9	106±14	73±7	102±13
Blood pressure, mm Hg	88±8	96±9	81±8	90±10	87±8	94±12	87±8	94±15
Respiratory quotient	0.83±0.04	1.14±0.11	0.88±0.07	1.10±0.11	0.84±0.06	1.13±0.08	0.85±0.07	1.10±0.08
$\dot{V}O_2$		10.0±1.9		9.5±1.6		11.0±1.8		12.7±2.8*
$\dot{V}O_2$ AT		8.2±1.2		7.1±0.8		7.5±1.1		8.7±1.9*
Exercise duration, s		542±115		459±172		590±107		657±119†
6-minute walk distance, ft		929±356		1052±403		1187±279		1328±254*

$\dot{V}O_2$ AT indicates oxygen consumption at anaerobic threshold.

* $P < 0.05$ rest vs exercise; † $P < 0.004$ rest vs exercise.

↑ DURACION
EJERCICIO

↑ DISTANCIA
RECORRIDA

Currently available erythropoietin stimulating agents

	Biotech company	Main market
First generation ESA		
Epoetin alfa (Epogen)	Amgen	US
Epoetin alfa (Procrit)	Ortho Biotech	US
Epoetin alfa (Eprex)	Janssen-Ortho	Worldwide except US
Epoetin beta (Aranesp)	Roche	Europe
Second generation ESA		
Darbepoetin alfa (Aranesp)	Amgen	North America, Europe, Canada
Third generation ESA		
Mircera (Mircera)	Roche	Europe

Table 2 Considerations in the use of erythropoietin stimulating agents in chronic kidney disease

1. Etiology of anemia

- Erythropoietin deficiency
- Iron deficiency
- Hyperparathyroidism
- Chronic inflammation
- Angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitors
- Pure red cell aplasia
- Malignancy
- B12 and folate deficiency
- Hemoglobinopathies, eg. sickle cell anemia
- Hemolytic anemia
- Malnutrition

2. Target hemoglobin

- Cardiovascular disease risk

Table 4

Comparative benefits and drawbacks of the use of erythropoietin and red cell transfusion for the treatment of anemia

Intervention	Advantages	Disadvantages
Erythropoietin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased hemoglobin Improved exercise tolerance Improved NYHA functional class Improved LVEF Decreased diuretic requirement Improved quality of life Decreased hospitalization Decreased apoptosis Regression of LV remodeling Rapid hemoglobin improvement Improved hemodynamics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delayed hemoglobin improvement Hypertension Thrombophilia Endothelial proliferation Unproven cost-effectiveness
Red cell transfusion		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Potential infectious transmission Transfusion reaction Immunosuppression Proinflammatory state Iron overload with long-term use

Abbreviations: NYHA, New York Heart Association; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; LV, left ventricle.

Table 1. Current and Future Erythropoietic Agents for the Treatment of ESRD Anaemia

ESA Class	ESA Type	Marketed as, e.g.	Mol. Weight (KDa)	Serum Half Life (h)/Route of Administ.	Bioavailability (%)	Periodicity
Unmodified recombinant rhu EPOs ("short-acting")	Epoetin alfa	Procrit (Johnson&Johnson), Epogen (Amgen), Eprex (OrthoBiotech)	32-40	8.8 / i.v. 24.2 / s.c.	30-36	1-3 times/wk
	Epoetin beta	NeoRecormon (Roche)		6.8 / i.v. 19.4 / s.c.	23-42	1-3 times/wk
	Epoetin omega	Epomax (Baxter)				
	Epoetin delta	Dynepo (Shire)				
Long-acting ESAs	Darbepoetin alpha	Aranesp (Amgen)	40	25 / i.v. 49 / s.c.	37	Every 1-2 wk
	C.E.R.A.	Mircera (Roche)	60	133 / i.v. 137 / s.c.	47-52	Every 2-4 wk
EPO analogues (Biosimilar EPOs)	Epoetin alfa	Epoetin alfa Hexal (Hexal Biotech), Binocrit (Sandoz),	32-40	4 / i.v. 24 / s.c.	20	1-3 times/wk
	Epoetin zeta	Silapo (cell pharm), Abseamed (Medice)	30.6	4-5 / i.v. 24 / s.c.	n.a.	1-3 times/wk
	Synthetic, peptide-based erythropoietin-receptor agonists	Hematide (Affymax/Takeda)	n.a.	14-60 / p.o.	n.a.	Every 4 wks
Investiga-tional ESAs	Prolyl hydroxylase inhibitors (HIF stabilizers)	FG-2216*, FG-4592 (FibroGen)	n.a.	7-8 / p.o.	>75	*

Abbreviations: C.E.R.A. Continuous Erythropoietin Receptor Activator, ESA erythropoiesis stimulating agents HIF Hypoxia Inducible Factor, n.a. no information currently available, wk week. Route of administration: p.o. per os, i.v. intravenous, s.c. subcutaneous.

* Note: FDA has for now suspended any further clinical trials with HIF stabilizers, as a female patient developed fatal hepatic necrosis that was temporally related to the introduction of FG-2216.

Epoetin improves anemia exercise tolerance renal function and reduces B-type natriuretic and hospitalization in patients with heart failure and anemia

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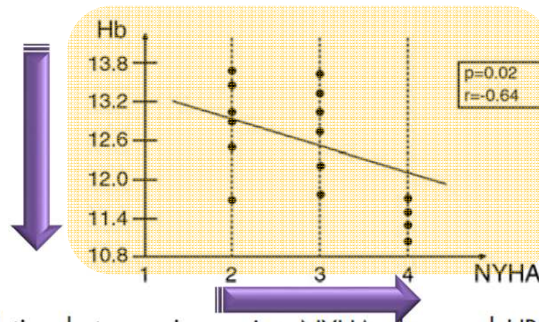
V. Comparison of renal function and red cell parameters between the 2 groups at the start and after the 3-month study

Group A (n = 20)		Group B (n = 18)	
Initial	Final	Initial	Final
2.5 ± 0.3	1.8 ± 0.4*	2.4 ± 0.6	2.2 ± 0.5
43 ± 9	50 ± 14†	45 ± 11	47 ± 8
10.4 ± 0.6	12.4 ± 0.8*	10.6 ± 0.7	10.5 ± 0.6
30 ± 3	36.4 ± 4*	32 ± 4	31 ± 5
3.3 ± 0.4	4.2 ± 0.6†	3.4 ± 0.5	3.2 ± 0.5

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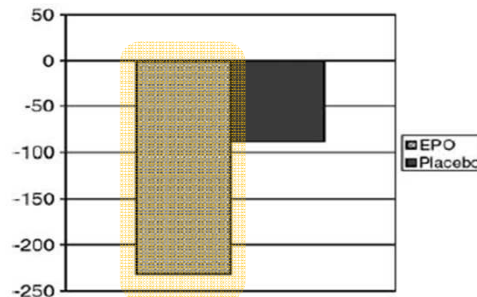
Figure 2



Correlation between improving NYHA class and HB levels in EPO group: increased NYHA classes appear related to lower HB levels.

ANEMIA – EMPEORAMIENTO CLASE FUNCIONAL

Figure 3



Mean ΔBNP reduction values after three months in EPO and placebo groups.

↓ DISMINUCION BNP

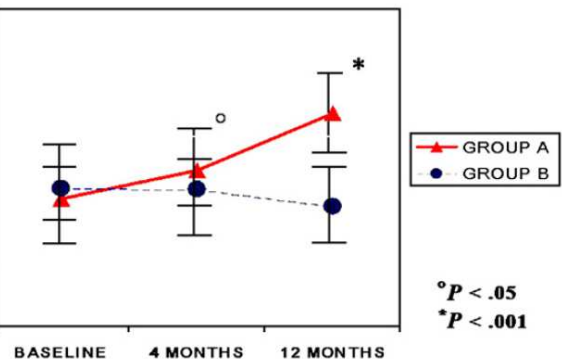
↓ HOSPITALIZACION

Table V. Hematological and BNP values, mortality and hospitalizations at the end of the one year follow-up

Parameter	Group A	Group B
Hb (g/dL)	11.6 ± 0.4	9.8 ± 0.5
Hct (%)	35.2 ± 3	30.4 ± 2.3
RBC	3.8 ± 0.5	3.2 ± 0.5
BNP	322 ± 187	538 ± 241
Deaths	1	2
Frequency hospitalization per patient per year	0.8	1.7
No. (%) of patients hospitalized over the year	4/20 (20)	8/18 (44.4)

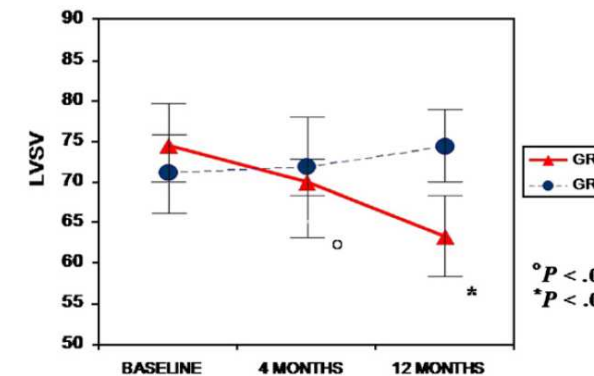
Effects of β -erythropoietin treatment on left ventricular remodeling, systolic function, and B-type natriuretic peptide levels in patients with the cardiorenal anemia syndrome

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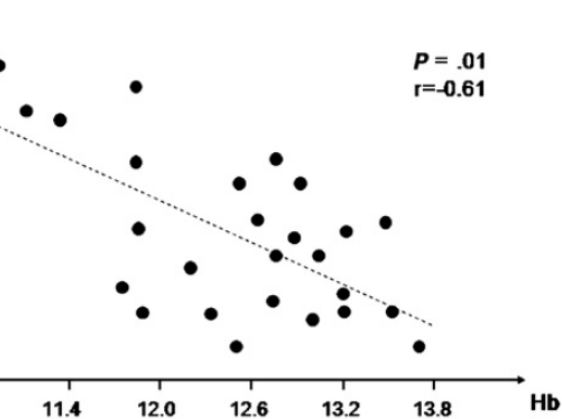
LVEF values at start, 4 months, and 12 months of follow-up in group A (EPO) and group B (placebo). Erythropoietin improved LVEF after 12 months.

EDAD = 74 AÑOS
FEVI = 30 %
D. CREA = 43 ml/min
NYHA III – IV
C.ISQUEMICA = 60 %
HB = 10.4 gr/dL



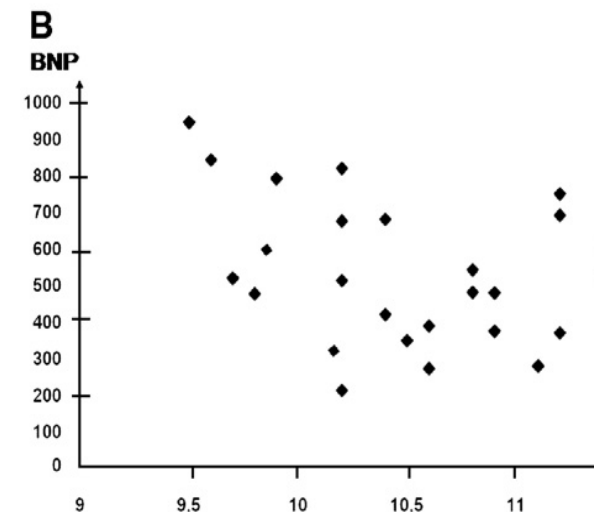
Mean LVSV at start, 4 months, and 12 months of follow-up in group A (EPO) and group B (placebo). Erythropoietin reduced LVSV after 4 and 12 months.

Relationship between BNP and Hb levels after 12 months in 2 groups: in EPO-treated patients, BNP decreased together with Hb increase.



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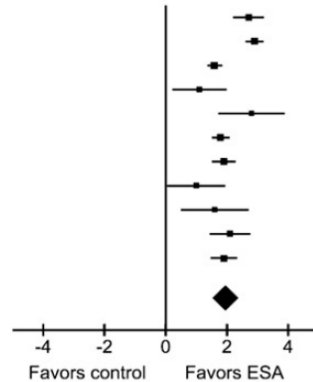
- ✓ FEVI
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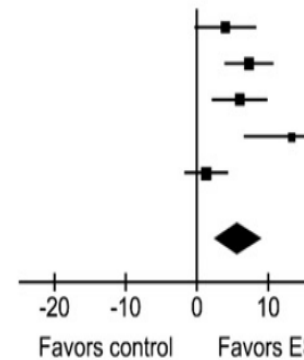
Erythropoietin as a treatment of anemia in heart failure: systematic review of randomized trials

Study	Weight	Mean difference [95% CI]
Kourea 2008	10.0%	2.70 [2.19, 3.21]
Palazzuoli 2007	11.4%	2.90 [2.60, 3.20]
Parissis 2008	11.7%	1.60 [1.36, 1.84]
van Veldhuisen 2007	7.1%	1.10 [0.21, 1.99]
Mancini 2003	5.9%	2.80 [1.71, 3.89]
Palazzuoli 2006	11.4%	1.80 [1.51, 2.09]
Parissis 2008	10.8%	1.90 [1.51, 2.29]
van Veldhuisen 2007	6.7%	1.00 [0.05, 1.95]
Ponikowski 2007	5.8%	1.60 [0.49, 2.71]
Palazzuoli 2001	8.7%	2.10 [1.43, 2.77]
van Veldhuisen 2007	10.5%	1.90 [1.47, 2.33]
Total: ESA (n = 430) versus control (n = 352)		1.98 [1.62, 2.35]



B: Ejection fraction (%)

Study	Weight	Mean difference [95% CI]
Kourea 2008	19.7%	4.00 [-0.34, 8.34]
Palazzuoli 2007	22.4%	7.30 [3.84, 10.76]
Parissis 2008	21.0%	6.00 [2.09, 9.91]
Silverberg 2001	13.4%	13.30 [6.56, 20.04]
van Veldhuisen 2007	23.5%	1.29 [-1.80, 4.38]
Total: ESA (n = 194) versus control (n = 127)		5.77 [2.43, 9.11]



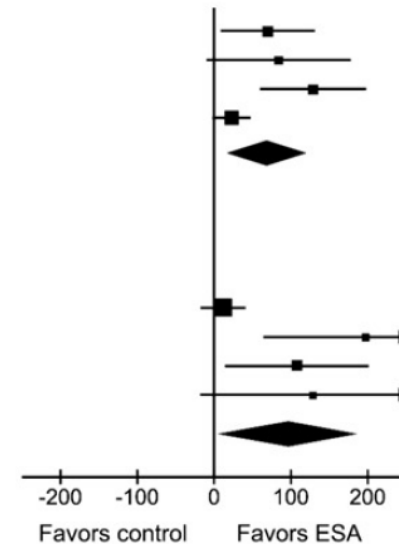
C: Exercise Capacity

6-minute walk test (meters)

Study	Weight	Mean difference [95% CI]
Kourea 2008	25.0%	70.00 [8.69, 131.31]
Mancini 2003	17.1%	84.12 [-9.58, 177.82]
Parissis 2008	22.8%	129.00 [59.67, 198.33]
van Veldhuisen 2007	35.1%	22.80 [-1.94, 47.54]
Subtotal: ESA (n = 167) versus control (n = 94)		69.33 [16.99, 121.67]

Exercise duration (seconds)

Study	Weight	Mean difference [95% CI]
Ghali 2008	34.7%	11.70 [-17.34, 40.74]
Mancini 2003	20.4%	198.00 [64.46, 331.54]
Palazzuoli 2006	26.2%	108.00 [14.47, 201.53]
Ponikowski 2007	18.7%	129.00 [-17.93, 275.93]
Subtotal: ESA (n = 190) versus control (n = 172)		96.82 [5.22, 188.42]



Heart Failure Hospitalizations

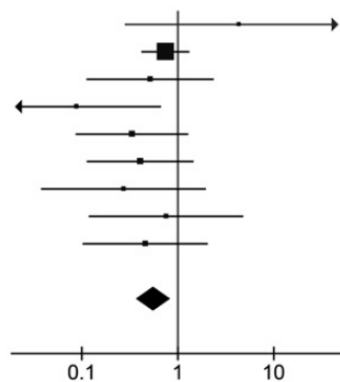
	ESA		Control		Weight	Peto Odds Ratio [95% CI]
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
5	3	18	0	6	2.2%	4.31 [0.28, 66.37]
8	25	162	31	157	50.5%	0.74 [0.42, 1.32]
3	3	21	5	20	7.2%	0.51 [0.11, 2.36]
3	1	15	4	8	4.1%	0.09 [0.01, 0.67]
006	4	20	8	18	9.2%	0.33 [0.09, 1.28]
007	4	26	8	25	10.2%	0.40 [0.11, 1.46]
8	2	21	3	11	4.3%	0.27 [0.04, 1.96]
2007	2	19	3	22	4.9%	0.75 [0.12, 4.80]
sen 2007	4	110	4	55	7.4%	0.46 [0.10, 2.05]

ESA (48/412) versus control (66/322)

0.56 [0.37, 0.84]

Chi² = 7.78, df = 8 (P = .46); I² = 0%

Overall effect: Z = 2.80 (P = .005)

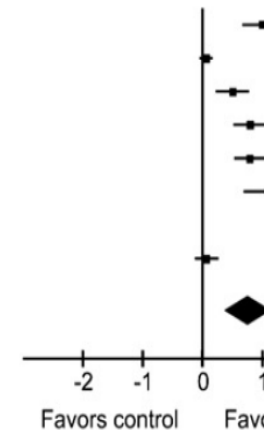


D: NYHA Class

	Weight	Mean difference [95% CI]
Cosyns 2008	12.2%	-1.00 [-1.34, -0.66]
Ghali 2008	13.4%	-0.06 [-0.17, 0.05]
Kourea 2008	12.6%	-0.50 [-0.78, -0.22]
Palazzuoli 2006	12.5%	-0.80 [-1.09, -0.51]
Palazzuoli 2007	12.6%	-0.80 [-1.07, -0.53]
Parissis 2008	11.6%	-1.10 [-1.51, -0.69]
Silverberg 2001	11.9%	-1.70 [-2.07, -1.33]
van Veldhuisen 2007	13.1%	-0.07 [-0.27, 0.13]

Total: ESA (n = 370) versus control (n = 287)

-0.73 [-1.11, -0.36]

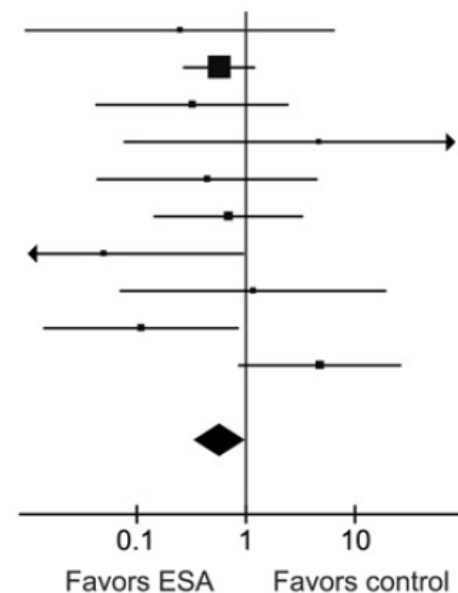


B: All-Cause Mortality

	ESA		Control		Weight	Peto Odds Ratio [95% CI]
	Events	Total	Events	Total		
Cleland 2005	1	18	1	6	2.7%	0.25 [0.01, 6.54]
Ghali 2008	11	162	18	157	49.0%	0.57 [0.27, 1.22]
Kourea 2008	1	21	3	20	6.9%	0.32 [0.04, 2.47]
Mancini 2003	1	15	0	8	1.7%	4.63 [0.08, 283.86]
Palazzuoli 2006	1	20	2	18	5.2%	0.44 [0.04, 4.54]
Palazzuoli 2007	3	26	4	25	11.4%	0.69 [0.14, 3.35]
Parissis 2008	0	21	2	11	3.2%	0.05 [0.00, 0.96]
Ponikowski 2007	1	19	1	22	3.6%	1.16 [0.07, 19.41]
Silverberg 2001	0	16	4	16	6.7%	0.11 [0.01, 0.86]
van Veldhuisen 2007	6	108	0	55	9.6%	4.75 [0.85, 26.48]

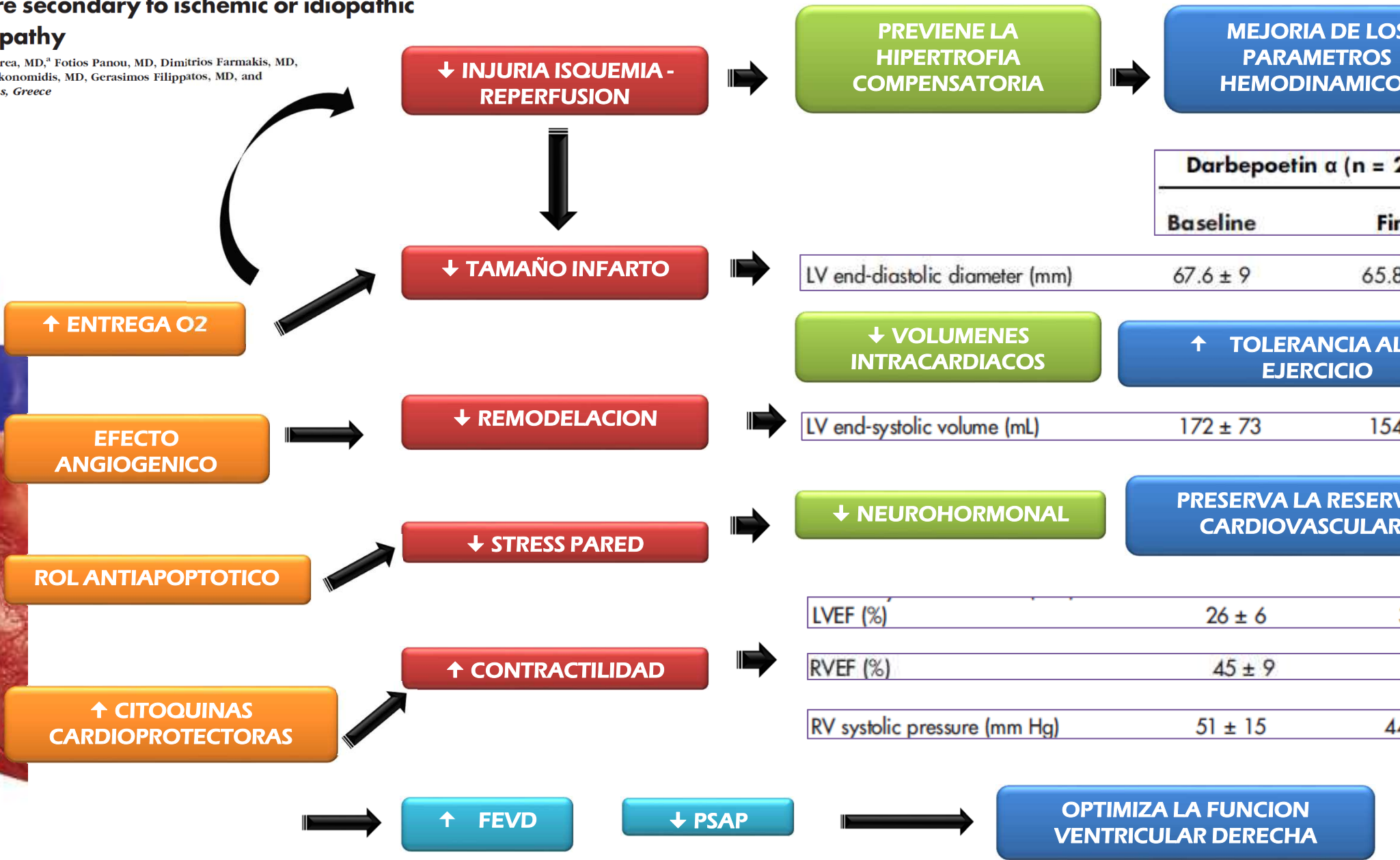
Total: ESA (25/426) versus control (35/338)

0.58 [0.34, 0.99]



Effect of darbepoetin α on right and left ventricular systolic and diastolic function in anemic patients with heart failure secondary to ischemic or idiopathic dilated cardiomyopathy

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Darbepoetin α (n = 20)	
Baseline	Final

LV end-diastolic diameter (mm)	67.6 \pm 9	65.8 \pm 9
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LV end-systolic volume (mL)	172 \pm 73	154 \pm 73
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LVEF (%)	26 \pm 6	30 \pm 6
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RVEF (%)	45 \pm 9	48 \pm 9
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RV systolic pressure (mm Hg)	51 \pm 15	48 \pm 15
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Once-Monthly Administration of Darbepoetin Alfa for the Treatment of Patients with Chronic Heart Failure and Anemia

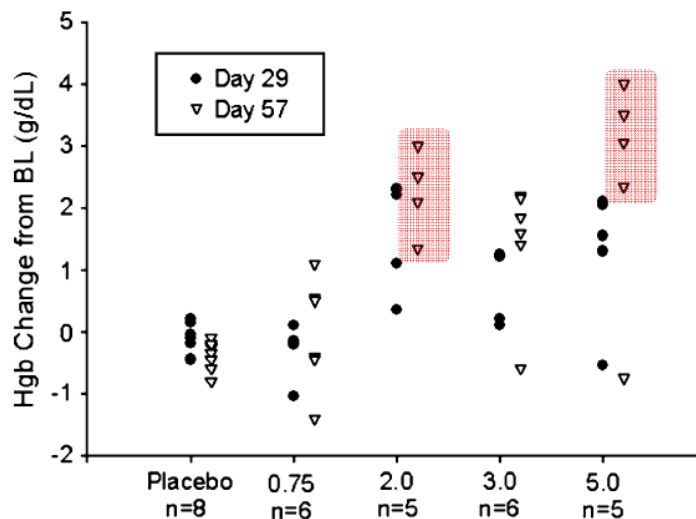
A Pharmacokinetic and Pharmacodynamic Investigation

TABLE 1. Baseline Demographics of Study Population

	Placebo*		Darbepoetin Alfa							
			0.75 µg/kg SC/IV		2.0 µg/kg SC		3.0 µg/kg SC		5.0 µg/kg SC	
	CHF (n = 9)	HS (n = 8)	CHF (n = 6)	HS (n = 4)	CHF (n = 6)	HS (n = 6)	CHF (n = 6)	HS (n = 6)	CHF (n = 6)	HS (n = 6)
Mean age (y)	74 (9)	74 (9)	69 (14)	64 (13)	72 (8)	69 (7)	64 (19)	64 (17)	67 (8)	65 (8)
NYHA Class III/IV (n)	6		5		2		3		5†	
LVEF (%)	28 (7)†		34 (6)		36 (4)†		32 (6)		35 (9)	
Hgb (g/dL)	11.5 (0.5)	13.8 (1.1)	11.8 (0.6)	14.3 (0.4)	11.0 (1.0)	14.0 (0.7)	12.1 (0.6)	14.4 (0.6)	11.2 (1.1)	14.0 (0.3)
CrCl (mL/min)	41 (14)	54 (12)	39 (19)	100 (36)	43 (24)	61 (18)	68 (48)	62 (18)	43 (13)	66 (13)

**30 PACIENTES SANOS
3 PACIENTES F. CARDIACA**

**FEVI < 40 %
CREATININA < 46 ML / MIN
HB < 12 gr/dL
64% NYHA III – IV
EXCLUYERON OTRAS CAUSAS
ANEMIA**



**↑ SOSTENIDO HB
SIN CAMBIOS BNP – FEVI –**



**MUERTES
1 PACIENTE SANO
3 PACIENTES ICC**

Effect of Darbepoetin Alfa on Exercise Tolerance in Anemic Patients With Symptomatic Chronic Heart Failure

A Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Trial

OBJETIVO PRIMARIO.
CAMBIOS TOLERANCIA EJERCICIO
SAL – SEMANA 27
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DURACION EJERCICIO
CAMBIOS HEMOGLOBINA
BASE FUNCIONAL
VELES BNP

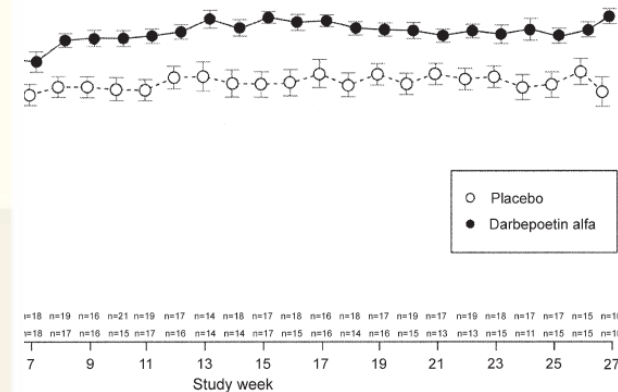
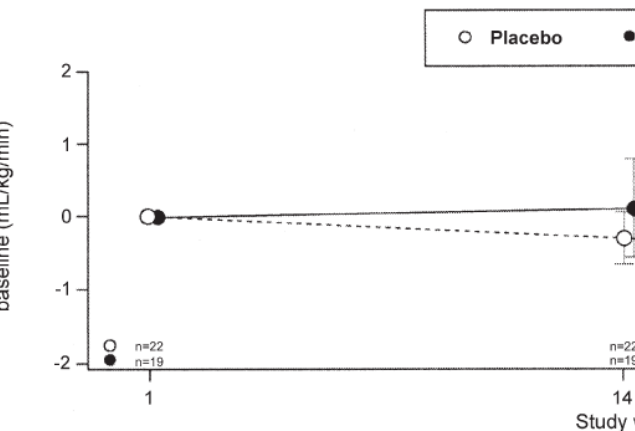
Table 5 Adverse Events

	Placebo (n = 22)	Darbepoetin Alfa (n = 19)
All adverse events, n (%)	13 (59)	15 (79)
Serious adverse events	5 (23)	4 (21)
Life-threatening adverse events	2 (9)	1 (5)
Deaths	1 (5)	1 (5)
Events with a >5% difference in incidence between treatment groups, n (%)		
Neurologic signs and symptoms NEC	1 (5)	4 (21)
Upper respiratory tract infections	0 (0)	3 (16)
Coughing and associated symptoms	4 (18)	2 (11)
Joint-related signs and symptoms	0 (0)	2 (11)
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue signs and symptoms NEC	4 (18)	2 (11)
Appetite disorders	2 (9)	0 (0)
Breathing abnormalities	4 (18)	0 (0)
Gastrointestinal atonic and hypomotility disorders NEC	2 (9)	0 (0)
Ischemic coronary artery disorders	2 (9)	0 (0)
Nausea and vomiting symptoms	5 (23)	0 (0)
Physical examination procedures	2 (9)	0 (0)
Adverse events of special interest, n (%)		
Hypertension	0 (0)	1 (5)
Deep vein thrombosis	0 (0)	0 (0)
Pulmonary emboli	0 (0)	0 (0)
Congestive heart failure	2 (9)	1 (5)
Cerebrovascular disorder	0 (0)	1 (5)
Myocardial infarction	1 (5)	0 (0)
Seizure	0 (0)	0 (0)

NEC = not elsewhere classifiable.

MEJORIA
✓ NIVELES HEMOGLOBINA
✓ PGA – CALIDAD DE VIDA

RESULTADOS
✓ PICO VO2 SIN CAMBIOS
✓ SIN CAMBIOS – C. FUNCIONAL
HOSPITALIZACION
DARBO. - n = 4
PLACEBO - n = 9



44 CENTROS

USA / EUROPA

15 PAISES

165 PACIENTES

EDAD - 71 AÑOS

NYHA II - III

FEVI = 29 %

70 % - C. ISQUEMICA

Hb = 11.2 gr / dL

D.C= 54 ml / min

METODOLOGIA
2 REGIMENES
BASADO PESO vs DOSIS FIJA
B. PESO - n = 56
D. FIJA - n = 54
PLACEBO - n = 55
26 SEMANAS

RESULTADOS
↑ NIVELES HEMOGLOBINA
↑ D. CREATININA
↓ NIVELES CREATININA

SN CAMBIOS
6MWT
NYHA
PGA - KCCQ

Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled to evaluate the effect of two dosing regimens of darbepoetin alfa in patients with heart failure and anaemia

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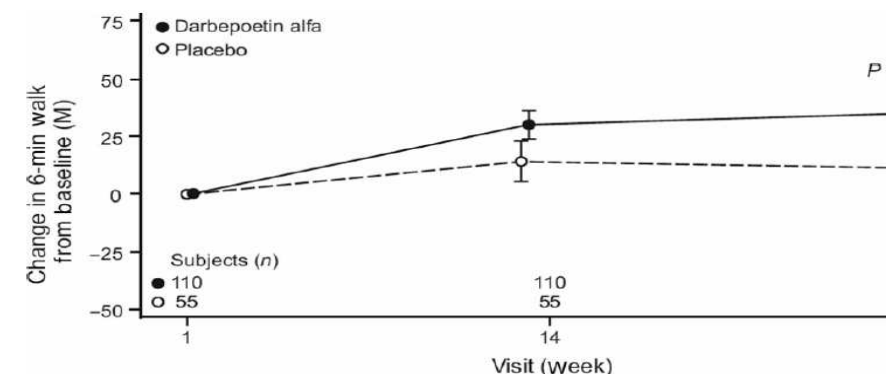
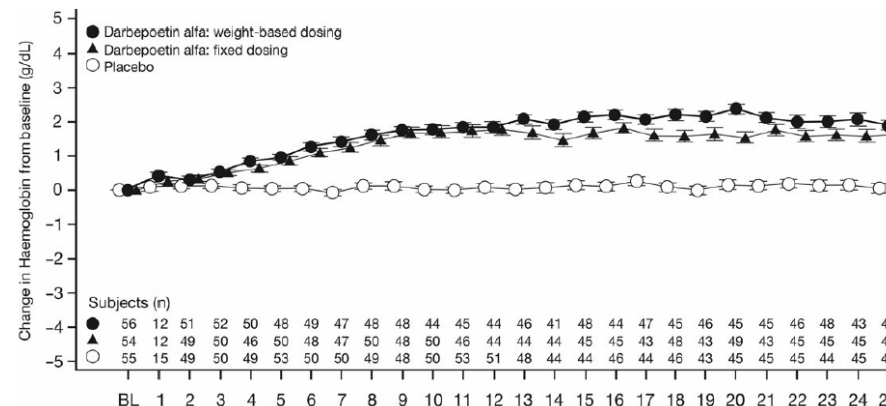


Figure 3 Change from baseline at week 27 in 6 min walk distance. Values are mean ± standard error

Table 3 Summary of adverse events

Adverse event (n, %)	Darbepoetin alfa		All (n = 108) n (%)	
	Placebo (n = 55) n (%)	Weight-based dosing (n = 55) n (%)		
		Fixed dosing (n = 53) n (%)		
Any adverse event	42 (76)	45 (82)	41 (77)	86 (80)
Serious adverse events	15 (27)	13 (24)	12 (23)	25 (23)
Treatment-related adverse events	4 (7)	5 (9)	7 (13)	12 (11)
Related serious adverse events	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (2)	1 (1)
Related fatal adverse events	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Adverse events of specific interest				
Congestive heart failure	9 (16)	9 (16)	3 (6)	12 (11)
Hypertension	2 (4)	2 (4)	0 (0)	2 (2)
Myocardial infarction	0 (0)	1 (2)	1 (2)	2 (2)
Cerebrovascular disorder	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Deep vein thrombosis	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Pulmonary emboli	1 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Seizure	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Discontinuation due to adverse events	1 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Deaths on study ^a	0 (0)	5 (9)	1 (2)	6 (6)

^aIncludes deaths occurring within 30 days of study drug administration, or until end of study, whichever is later.

Randomized Double-Blind Trial of Darbepoetin Alfa in Patients With Symptomatic Heart Failure and Anemia

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Placebo
(N=157)

Darbepoetin alfa
(N=162)

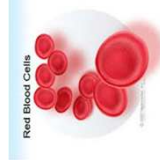


Medical history, n (%)

Ischemic heart disease	124 (79)
Hypertension	104 (66)
Myocardial infarction	97 (62)
Diabetes	79 (50)

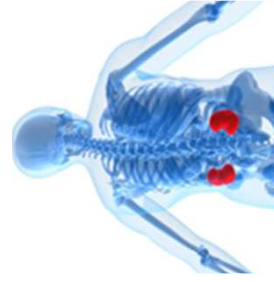
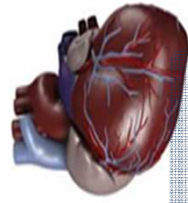
Classification, n (%)

I	1 (1)	0 (0)
II	3 (2)	1 (1)
III	51 (32)	62 (38)
IV	97 (62)	96 (59)
	5 (3)	3 (2)



Age, mean (SD), y

69 (10)



11.3 (10.7, 11.9)

11.5 (11.0, 12.0)

Left ventricular ejection fraction, mean (SD), %

36 (9)

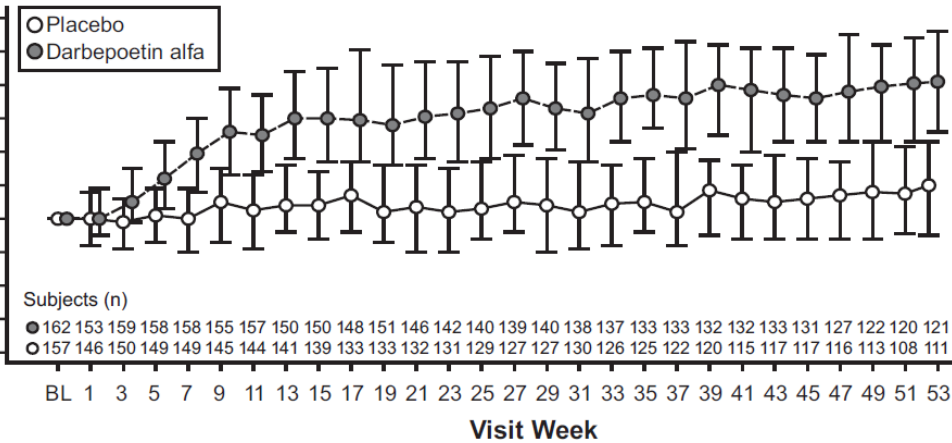
35 (10)

Creatinine, mg/dL 1.4 (1.2, 1.8) 1.5 (1.1, 1.9)
eGFR, mL · min⁻¹ · 1.73 m⁻²* 47.5 (37.4, 62.3) 47.2 (36.3, 64.6)

circulation

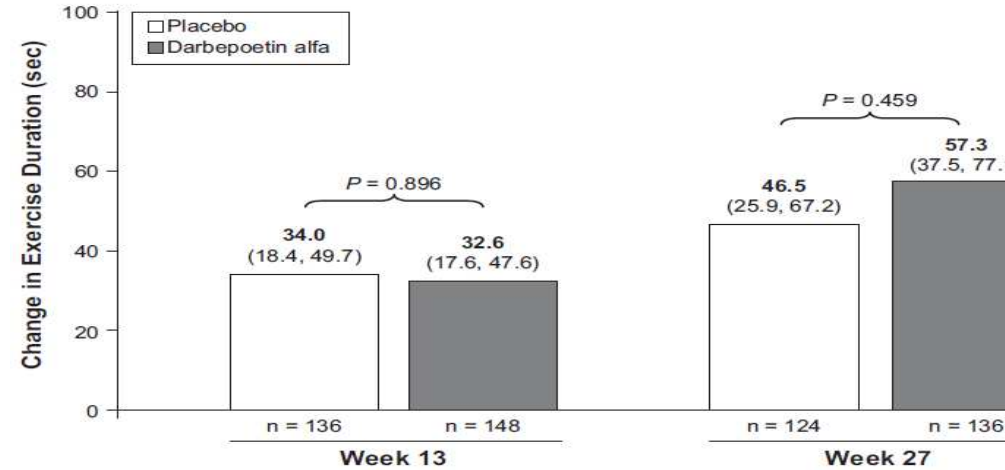
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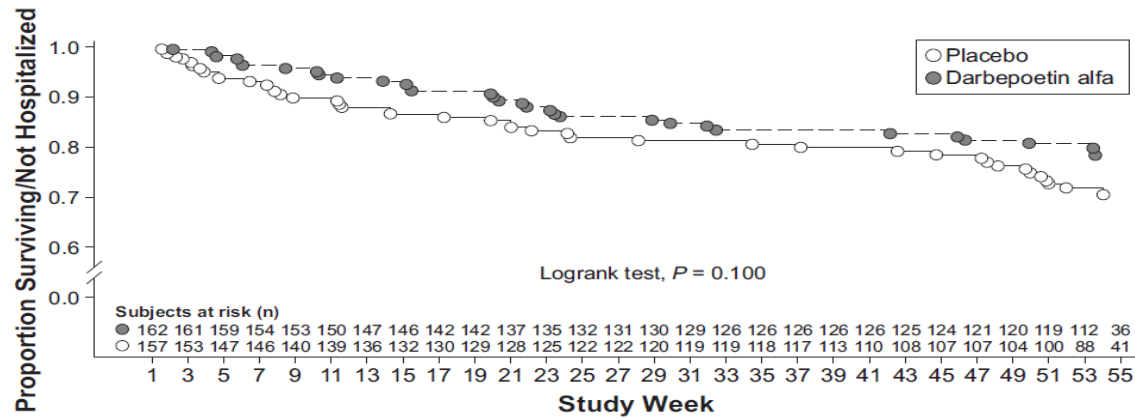


Median change from baseline in hemoglobin over time (safety analysis set). Vertical lines represent IQR.

INCREMENTO EN LAS CIFRAS DE HEMOGLOBINA



DURACION DEL EJERCICIO SIN CAMBIOS



MENOR RIESGO DE MUERTE Y/O HOSPITALIZACION

Hazard ratio (95% CI) darbepoetin alfa (N = 162) vs placebo (N = 157)	
All-cause mortality or first HF-related hospitalization	0.68 (0.43, 1.08)
All-cause mortality	0.56 (0.27, 1.19)
HF-related hospitalization	0.74 (0.44, 1.26)

Treatment of Anemia with Darbepoetin Alfa in Systolic Heart Failure



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CRITERIOS DE INCLUSION

NYHA > II
FEVI < 40 %
Hb 9.0 – 12.0 gr/DI
MANEJO PARA FALLA CARDIACA.

DARBOPOYETINA
n = 1136

PLACEBO
n = 1142

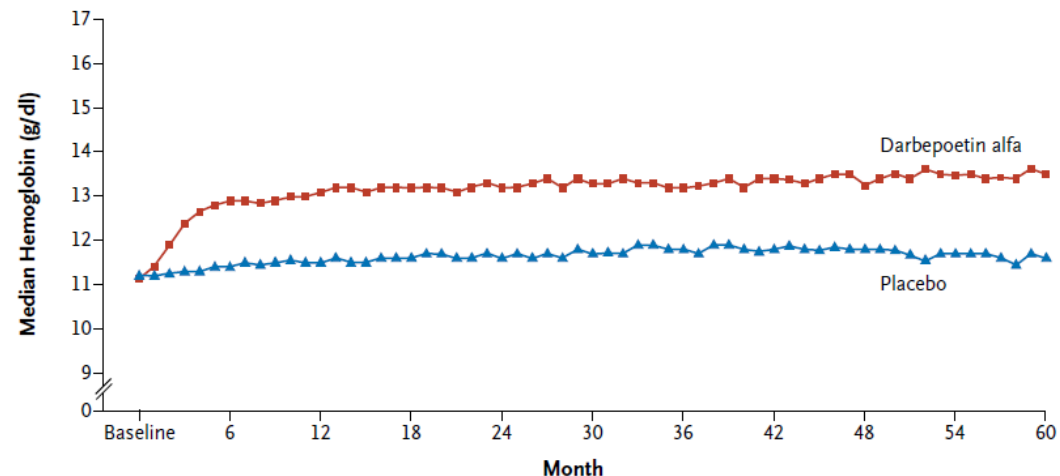
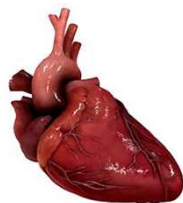
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OBJETIVO PRIMARIO.
MUERTE POR CUALQUIER CAUSA o
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OBJETIVO SECUNDARIO.
MUERTE POR CAUSA CV
CAMBIOS SCORE KCCQ
CAMBIOS EN NIVELES Hb



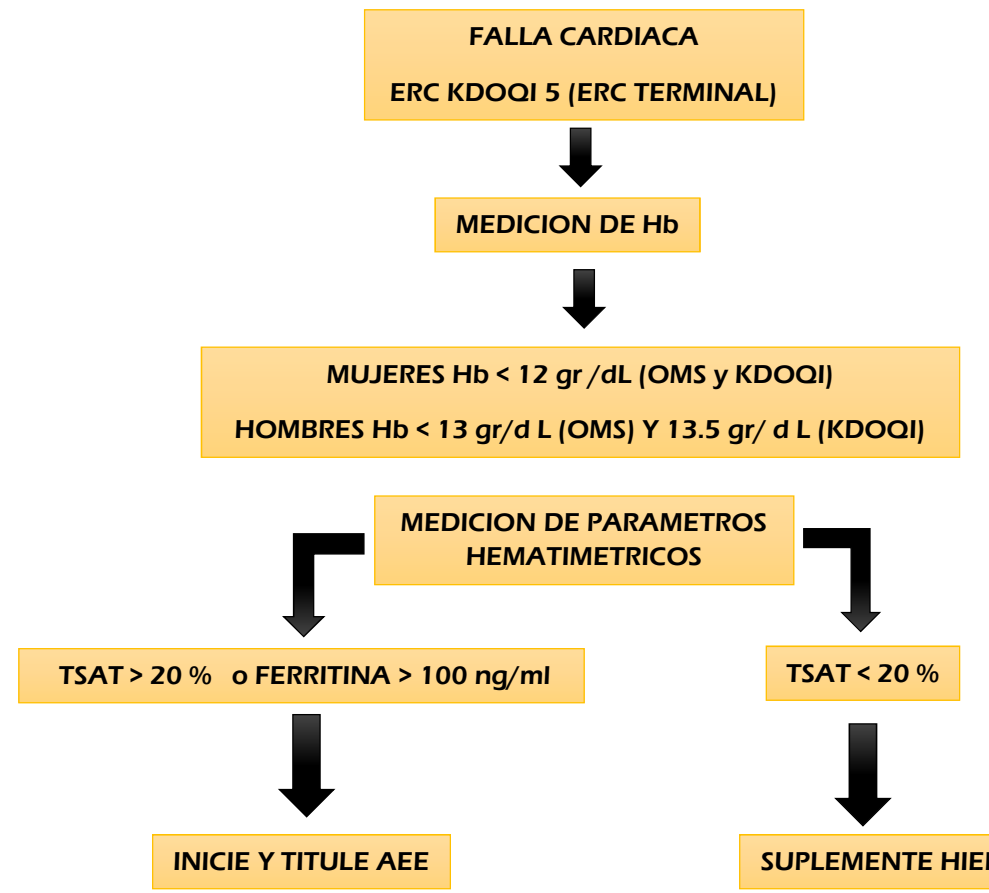
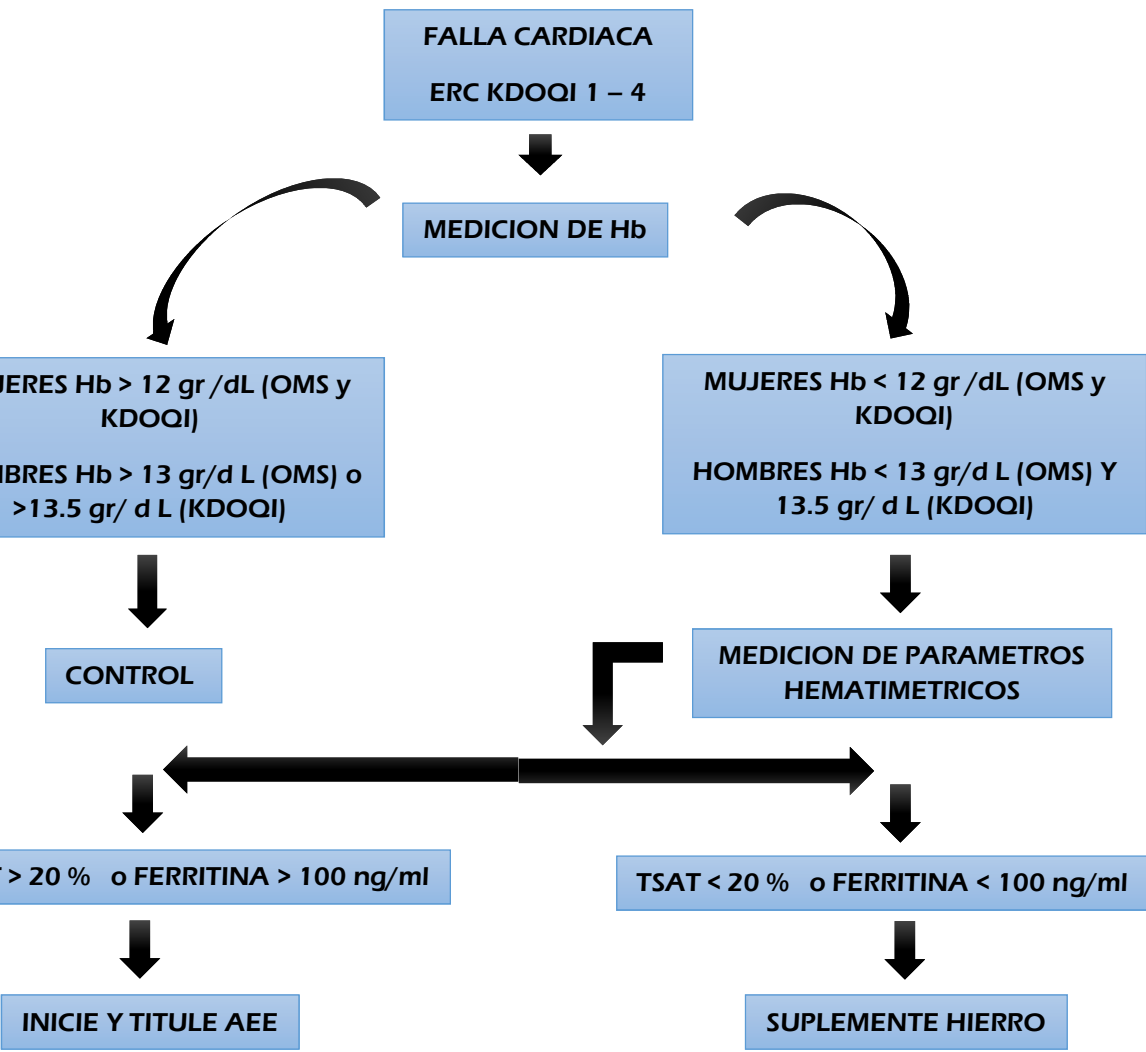
EDAD = 72 AÑOS
NYHA III / IV = 65 %
FEVI = 31 %
D. CREA = 45.6 ml/min



**MUERTE POR CUALQUIER CAUSA o
HOSPITALIZACION POR ICC**
DARBOPOYETINA = 50.7 %
PLACEBO = 49.5 %

MUERTE POR CAUSA CV
DARBOPOYETINA = 45.2 %
PLACEBO = 44.3 %

**EVENTOS ADVERSOS
DARBOPOYETINA / PLACEBO**
FALLA CARDIACA = 58 vs 58.1
C. ISQUEMICA = 13.7 vs 14.4
ECV = 5.4 vs 3.9 %
E. EMBOLICOS = 13.5 vs 10 %
HTA = 7.1 vs 6.1 %



*ERC = ENFERMEDAD RENAL CRONICA
 *KDOQI = KIDNEY DISEASE OUTCOMES QUALITY INITIA
 *CRAS = CARDIO – RENAL ANEMIA SYNDROME
 *Hb = HEMOGLOBINA
 *TSAT = SATURACION DE TRANSFERRINA
 *AEE = AGENTES ESTIMULANTES DE LA ERITROPOYESIS

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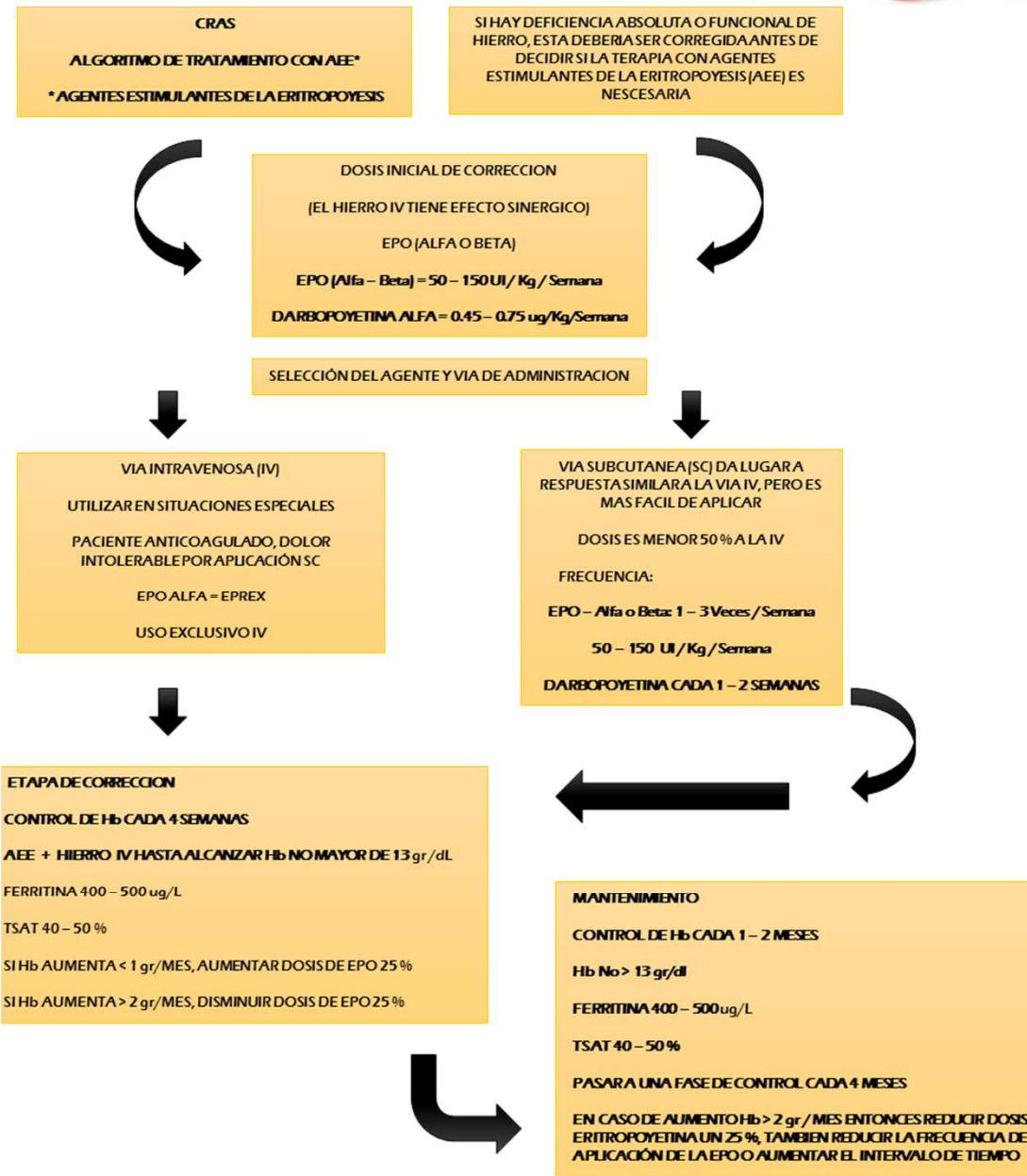


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CONCLUSIONES.

La anemia constituye un importante factor de riesgo para morbimortalidad en pacientes con falla cardiaca y disfunción renal asociada.

El Síndrome de Anemia Cardio – Renal (CRAS) describe este círculo vicioso donde la anemia acelera el deterioro de ambas condiciones empeorando su pronóstico.

Actualmente se disponen de pocos consensos para el manejo de este tipo de pacientes.

El empleo de hierro parenteral constituye una terapia adyuvante en los casos donde esta se encuentre indicada.

CONCLUSIONES.

La corrección de la anemia asociada al Síndrome Cardio – Renal con el empleo de eritropoyetina tiene un impacto positivo en la reducción de hospitalizaciones y mortalidad.

La darbopoyetina hasta el momento no ha demostrado tener un impacto sobre la tolerancia al ejercicio, la clase funcional, la fracción de eyección o la morbi – mortalidad.

Se necesitan más estudios acerca de la seguridad de este tipo de terapia y el desarrollo de nuevos fármacos que puedan impactar sobre el Síndrome de Anemia Cardio – Renal.



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