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Tricuspid Valve Replacement, Mitral Commissurotomy and After Study

Transcatheter Tricuspid Valve Replacement (TTVR) has emerged as a less invasive approach to tricuspid regurgitation (TR). The present meta-analysis by Buğan et al from Turkey evaluated the efficacy and safety of orthotropic TTVR for moderate-severe native TR. This would be useful for this new topic.

Cordova formula for LDL-cholesterol estimation: not only the simplest of all but also superior to other formulae at a higher range of triglyceride. Challenging scientific letter by Tomo et al from India.

Işik et al from Turkey aimed to compare myocardial strain measurements by 2-dimensional speckle tracking strain echocardiography (2D-STE) which has been performed not yet, between patients with facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy (FSHD) and the normal population. Results would contribute to the literaure on this subject.

Structural alterations of the right fibrous trigone (RFT) may cause conduction disturbance (CD) as a result of compression in this area after transcatheter aortic valve implantation (TAVI). This study carried out by Aslan et al from Turkey analyzed the hypothesis of whether imaging parameters of the RFT could predict the risk of CD after TAVI. See the resultes.

Menopause and sexual activity. If you want to know what happens read the article by Tolunay et al from Turkey.

Vijayvergiya et al from India report their experience of 70 consecutive pregnant women with critical mitral stenosis, who underwent percutaneous transvenous mitral commissurotomy (PTMC) at their institute during the last 10-years maternal and fetal outcomes are remarkable.

"Comparison of Sequential Pot-Side-Pot and Kissing Balloon Techniques in Patients with Coronary Bifurcation Lesions Treated With Single Stent Strategy; which one is simple and safe?: Propensity Score Analysis". Is it safe? Çetinkal et al from Turkey tried to answer this question.

Atrial Fibrillation: Epidemiological Registry (AFTER) study in Turkey shows all results in detail in the long-term follow-up of the patients. Congratulations Güzel et al from Turkey for this multicenter study.

And again new case reports, letters and e-page originals...

I hope this new issue of our journal will be interests of our readers.

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