

**Supplemental Table 3.** Studies assessing the value of right ventricular longitudinal strain in heart

failure patients

First Author, Journal, Year	Study population	Sample size (n)	Design	Metrics	Results	Cut-off va
Verhaert D, <i>Circ Heart Fail</i> , 2010(1)	Acute decompensated heart failure	62	Prospective	RVFWLS	Among all the RV functional indices measured, only the improvement in RFWLS at 48 to 72 hours was associated with lower adverse events	-
Guendouz S, <i>Circ J</i> , 2012(2)	Clinically stable HFrEF (LVEF 28±8%) outpatients	104	Prospective	RV4CLS	RV4CLS and log B-type natriuretic peptide predicted severe adverse events independently on other echocardiographic parameters of RV or LV systolic function	-21
Sade et al, <i>J Am Soc Echocardiogr</i> , 2013(3)	Patients treated with CRT	120	Prospective	RVFWLS	RV dysfunction was independently associated with the composite outcome of all-cause death, heart transplantation and need of LV assistance. Among RV function parameters, RVFWLS was the most powerful to predict outcome	-18
Motoki et al. <i>J Am Soc Echocardiogr</i> , 2014(4)	Stable, HFrEF (LVEF< 35%) outpatients	171	Retrospective	RV4CLS <sup>a</sup>	RV4CS showed an independent association with cardiac events (death, hospitalization for heart failure, and heart transplant) regardless of age, LVEF, and E/e' ratio and had greater prognostic power than LVEF	-14
Lisi et al, <i>JACC Cardiovasc Imaging</i> , 2015(5)	End-stage heart failure	27	Prospective	RVFWLS	RVFWLS was the most accurate parameter that correlated with the extent of RV myocardial fibrosis and functional capacity.	-
Iacoviello et al, <i>Echocardiography</i> , 2016(6)	Stable, HFrEF (LVEF< 45%) outpatients	332	-	RVFWLS RV4CLS	Both RV4CLS and RVFWLS (but not TAPSE, FAC and S-wave velocity) were associated with all-cause mortality during follow-up	RV4CLS RVFWLS=
Freed et al, <i>Circ Cardiovasc Imaging</i> , 2016(7)	HFpEF	308	Prospective	RVFWLS <sup>b</sup>	RVFWLS was independently associated with composite outcome of cardiovascular hospitalization or death	-
Morris et al, <i>Eur</i>	Asymptomatic	642	Multicenter,	RVFWLS	RV4CLS and RVFWLS were able to detect subtle RV longitudinal systolic abnormalities in a significant	-

<i>Heart J Cardiovasc Imaging</i> , 2017(8)	pts at risk, HFpEF, and HFrEF		prospective	RV4CLS	proportion of patients with HFrEF and to a lesser extent in HFpEF despite the conventional echocardiographic parameters of RV function were preserved In addition, RV4CLS and RVFWLS were significantly linked to the symptomatic status of the patients.	
Seo et al, <i>Eur Heart J Cardiovasc Imaging</i> , 2019(9)	Clinically stable outpatients with first diagnosis of dilated cardiomyopathy	143	Prospective	RVFWLS RV4CLS	RVFWLS, but not conventional echocardiographic indices of RV function, independently predicted MACE	16.

All the reported studies used GE Healthcare ultrasound systems and software packages except <sup>a</sup>Syngo Velocity Vector Imagng (Siemens Healthineer, Munich, D), <sup>b</sup>2D Cardiac Performance Analysis v4.5 (TomTec Imaging Systems, Unterschleissen, D)

**Abbreviations:** FAC, right ventricular fractional area change; HFpEF, heart failure and preserved left ventricular ejection fraction; HFrEF, heart failure and reduced left ventricular ejection fraction; LV, left ventricle/ventricular; LVEF; left ventricular ejection fraction; MACE, major adverse cardiac events; TAPSE; tricuspid annular plane systolic excursion; all remaining abbreviations as in

Supplemental Table 2

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