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	vHPSD	Cryoablation	p
N	39	39	
Age / years	62.8+/-8.2	56.5+/-10.6	0.004
Female (%)	11 (28)	12 (31)	0.80
Paroxysmal AF (%)	29 (74)	31 (79)	0.59
Procedure duration / min	119+/-25	92+/-26	<0.0001
PV ablation duration / min	5.9+/-1.8	18.3+/-6.7	<0.0001
Fluoroscopy time / min	13.9+/-11.8	18.9+/-6.4	0.025
Conscious sedation (%)	34 (87)	39 (100)	0.055
Same day discharge (%)	33 (85)	34 (87)	0.74

vHPSD - very high power short duration ablation protocol, PV - pulmonary vein

pulmonary venous anatomy and additional ablation beyond PVI.

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THE RESUSCITATION STATUS OF IMPLANTABLE CARDIOVERTER-DEFIBRILLATOR PATIENTS ACCORDING TO ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS: ARE WE IGNORING THE DEVICE?

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Background The Care Quality Commission (CQC) has recently raised concerns around resuscitation decisions in the UK. In our hospital an early resuscitation decision is made on admission, often by junior doctors, and documented in electronic notes. Concerns have been raised about the veracity of these discussions in patients with implantable cardioverter-defibrillators (ICD's). We investigated resuscitation status as documented on the electronic record for our ICD population.

Methods The ICD database was interrogated in 2020 for patients under current follow-up. Baseline demographics, hospital admissions over the past 5 years and ICD indications were documented from the electronic hospital records. All patients with an electronic do-not-resuscitate (DNR) flag on the electronic system were recorded, as were any documented resuscitation discussions and ICD deactivations between 2015 and 2020. Any patient deaths were recorded and correlated with resuscitation status and ICD status at the time of death.

Results Six-hundred and thirty-six patients with ICD's (transvenous, subcutaneous and CRT defibrillators) were identified under follow-up for the study period. The mean age of the population was 68 years old. 251 had an ischaemic cardiomyopathy, 209 had dilated cardiomyopathy, 50 prior ventricular fibrillation or tachycardia, 40 hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, 26 ARVC and the rest a channelopathy, congenital heart disease, sarcoidosis or valvular heart disease.

Thirty-seven of the 636 patients were flagged on the electronic record as being not for resuscitation (5.9%). They had a mean age of 79 and 54% had an ischaemic cardiomyopathy.

Of these, only 15 (39%) had their ICD deactivated and only 12 of those at the time of the resuscitation decision (32%). 15 of the 37 (39%) patients made DNR have subsequently died. Six of these (40%) had an active ICD at the time of death.

In the 257 patients who had had a hospital admission in the study period, 34 were made not for resuscitation during the admission (13%) of whom 11 had their ICD deactivated at the time of discussion (32%). Patients with a DNR flag and an 'active' ICD were contacted about deactivation of their ICD and offered discussion with a cardiologist or specialist nurse about ICD deactivation. Of these 9/27 (33%) stated that they wanted resuscitation and the alert was removed and the ICD kept on, although 3 subsequently had the device deactivated.

Conclusions In this study the majority of patients with ICD's who were made not for resuscitation on admission to hospital did not have their ICD therapies switched off, therefore putting them at risk of unnecessary ICD shocks. In addition, one third these patients subsequently chose to be for resuscitation after discussion. These complex decisions would be improved with the early involvement of cardiologists and specialist nurses.

Conflict of Interest Nil

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LOCAL APPLICATION AND UTILITY OF THE MADIT-ICD BENEFIT PREDICTION SCORE (MIBPS) IN SELECTION OF PATIENTS AT HIGH RISK OF 'SUDDEN CARDIAC DEATH' SUITABLE FOR PRIMARY PREVENTION IMPLANTABLE CARDIOVERTER DEFIBRILLATORS

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Introduction National and international guidelines recommend an implantable cardioverter defibrillator (ICD) for primary prevention of sudden cardiac death, in patients in NYHA Class I-III and with left ventricular ejection fraction $\leq 35\%$ of either ischaemic or non-ischaemic aetiology and reasonable survival. At times, selection of appropriate patients can be challenging, calling on clinicians to balance the probability of death due to ventricular tachycardia/ventricular fibrillation (VT/VF) versus the competing risk of non-arrhythmic mortality (NAM). The validated MADIT-ICD Benefit Prediction Score (MIBPS), based on 15 clinical and technical variables, has been proposed as an objective decision-making tool to help clinicians in difficult cases. Complex devices at our centre are implanted after a multi-disciplinary discussion. We therefore applied this score retrospectively to our patients with complex devices to assess its utility.

Methods N=280 new complex device implants between 2014-2017. Review of records, including device downloads, yielded 103 patients suitable for inclusion. Calculation of VT/VF Risk Score (ARS) and NAM Risk Score (NAMRS), followed by assignment of a MADIT-ICD Benefit Group (BG) [High (high ARS and low NAMRS), Intermediate (low ARS and low NAMRS, or high ARS and high NAMRS) or Low (low ARS and high NAMRS)]. On follow-up, primary outcomes identified were: occurrence of VT/VF post implant or NAM prior to any VT/VF episode.