# Transcatheter Heart Valve Valve In Valve.

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#### **Trends in bioprosthetic valve implantation**



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#### **Reasons For Bioprosthetic valve failure**



Piazza N, Bleiziffer S, Brockmann G, et al. J Am Coll Cardiol Intv. 2011;4(7):721-732.

#### **Treatment Options**

Redo surgery Surgery

- Mortality 2% to 7%, but this percentage can increase to more than 30% in high risk cases
- THV Valve in Valve
- Safe effective option
- No IE / No thrombus



• Small but increasing proportion of case load 5%

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#### **Original Investigation**

#### Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation in Failed Bioprosthetic Surgical Valves

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IMPORTANCE Owing to a considerable shift toward bioprosthesis implantation rather than mechanical valves, it is expected that patients will increasingly present with degenerated bioprostheses in the next few years. Transcatheter aortic valve-in-valve implantation is a less invasive approach for patients with structural valve deterioration; however, a comprehensive evaluation of survival after the procedure has not yet been performed.

**OBJECTIVE** To determine the survival of patients after transcatheter valve-in-valve implantation inside failed surgical bioprosthetic valves.

Author Video Interview at jama.com

 Supplemental content at jama.com

#### Research

Dvir D et al. JAMA. 2014;312(2):162-170.







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## Multivariable Analyses for Correlates for Mortality After Valve-in-Valve

	Group Events (size)	Reference Events (size)	Hazard ratio (95% Confidence Interval)		p Value
Overall mortality				ĩ	
Surgical valve label size $\leq 21 \text{ mm}$	28 (133)	34 (315)	2.04 (1.14-3.67)		0.017
Baseline stenosis (vs. regurgitation)	34 (181)	12 (139)	3.07 (1.33-7.08)		0.008
Transapical access	34 (171)	30 (288)	2.25 (1.26-4.02)		0.006
STS score <sup>a</sup> (per 1% increment)	129	14.77	1.01 (1.00-1.01)		< 0.001

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### **Common bioprosthetic surgical valves**



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#### **Dimensions of stented bioprosthetic valves.**



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## Radiographic foot print

 Understand the radiographic footprint and neo-annulus or anchor point

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#### The Valve App !

Rating: 12+

LINKS

App Store > Medical > UBQO Limited

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#### **Beyond TAVI valve in Valve**

TAVI in Mitral bioprosthetic failure via the transeptal route

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- 81yo male severe MR NYHA III referred for consideration redo surgery
- Background
  - Previous bioprosthetic AVR and MVR (St Jude Medical Epic 33mm)
  - -AF
  - COPD
  - CKD
  - Obesity
  - Thrombocytopenia
- Medications: Apixaban 5mg BD, Digoxin 125mcg OD, Pantoprazole 40mg OD Frusemide 40mg OD.

- Normal LV function
- Moderate RV dysfunction
- Severe MR
- RVSP = 63mmHg.

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Transseptal puncture: Swartz SL1 sheath and large curved Brokenbrough (BRK-1) needle

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A large curved Safari wire placed the left ventricle

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Balloon dilatation of the atrial septum

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A 29mm Edwards S3 valve and deployed under rapid ventricular pacing

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A 16mm Amplatzer Septal Occluder to close ASD

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#### **Beyond TAVI valve in Valve**

Late TAVI failure- the issues of durability

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### Late TAVI failure- the issues of durability

- 75yo female TAVI in 2008 presents with increasing SOBOE
- Background
  - TAVI 26mm Corevalve 2008.
  - PPM for complete heart block.
  - Paroxysmal atrial fibrillation
  - Hypothyroidism
  - COPD on 24hr home oxygen
  - Pulmonary hypertension with RV failure
  - Type 2 Diabetes
  - Obesity
  - Obstructive Sleep Apnoea

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- Medications: Amiodarone 100mg OD, Perindopril 5mg OD, Aspirin 100mg OD, Verapamil, Thyroxine 50mcg,
- Unimporved with 3 months anticoagulation

#### TAVI valve in valve Late TAVI failure- the issues of durability

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### Tricuspid valve in valve

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#### **Pulmonary valve in valve**

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#### Conclusion

Transcatheter therapy for bioprosthetic failure in intermediate high risk :

- THV is the treatment of choice
- demand likely to increase secondary to both SAVR and TAVR failure
- procedure of choice in all valve positons.
- know the mechanism of failure
- know the valve, its true ID size and radiographic landmarks