



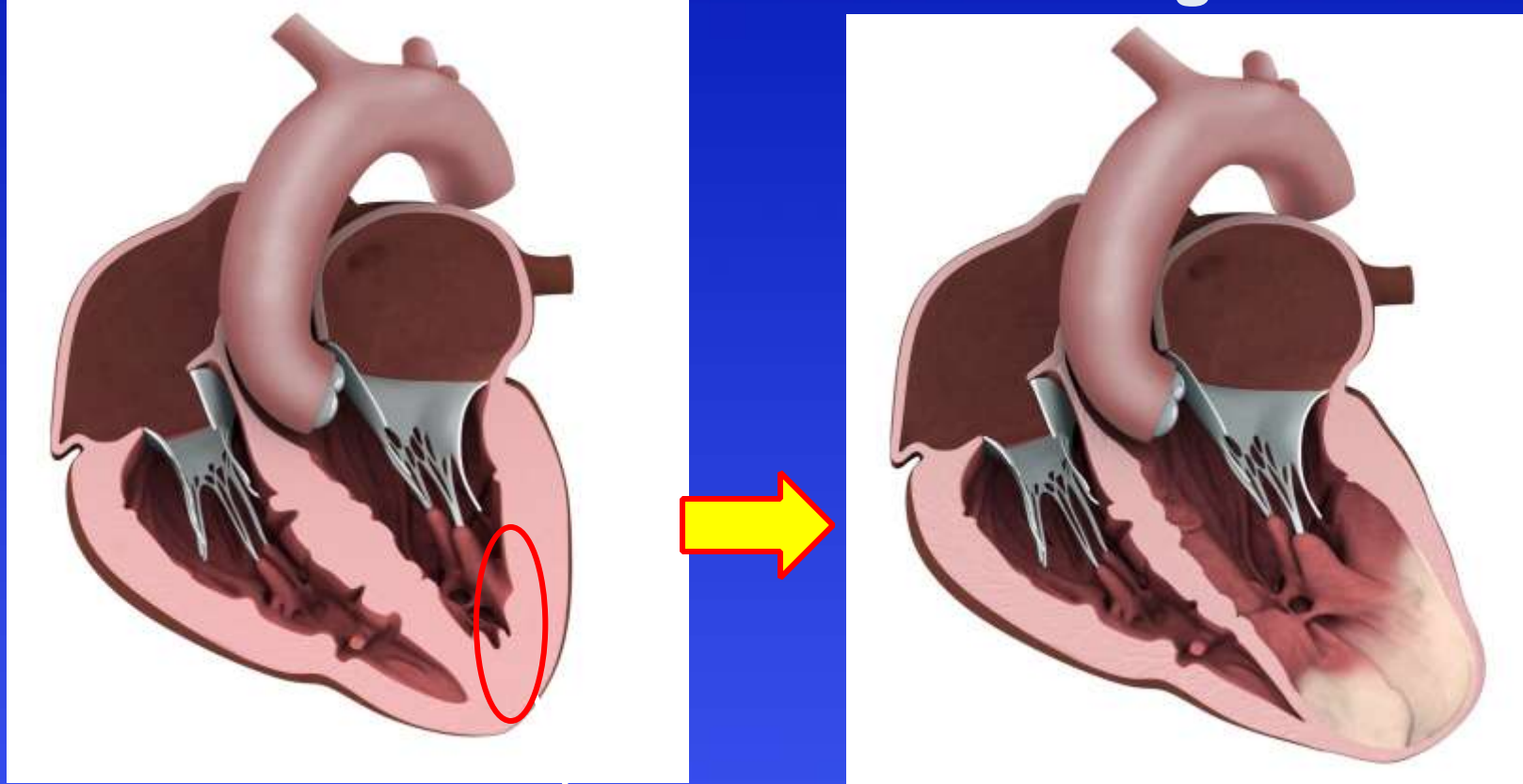
# Percutaneous Ventricular Restoration (PVR)

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# The mechanism of heart failure after myocardial infarction---Remodeling



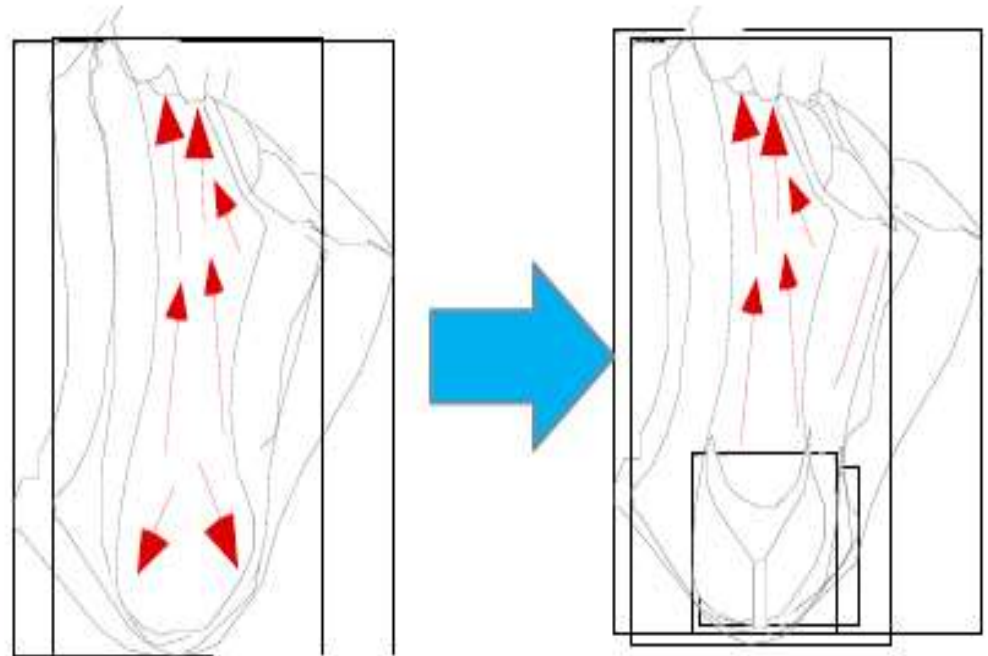
**Infarct area** which results in a scarred / thin wall initiating **ventricular remodeling** and **dilation**.

# Percutaneous Ventricular Restoration

## Treatment Goal

Improve heart function by:

- LV Volumes Reduction
- LVED Pressure Reduction
- Restoring LV Conical Shape
- Preserving Torsional Contraction
- Increase LV Apical Ejection
- Minimize risk of scar-related ventricular arrhythmias





# Comparison of PVR and SVR

	Parachute <sup>®</sup>	SVR
Routine Cath Lab Procedure	++	
Need for Conjunctive CABG		+++
Targets Cause of Remodeling (scar)	++	++
Reduces LV Volume	++	++
Restores LV Conical Shape	++	+
Reduces LV Wall Stress	++	++
Improves LV Compliance and Diastolic Filling	++	



# Current main indications and contraindications

## Main indications

- Age >18
- Old anterior MI (>2months)
- LVEF<40%,>15%
- Receiving appropriate medical treatment for heart failure at least 3 months according to current guidelines
- NYHA class II—IV

## Maint contraindications

- Acute MI within 60 days
- Revascularization therapy (within 60 days)
- CRT within 60 days
- Significant valvular disease
- Other diseases affecting operation





# Case Screening

- **Clinical: old anterior MI with anterior wall dyskinesis or akinesis and LVEF decreased**
- **ECHO:TTE**
- **Heart CT or MRI: the most important**



# ECHO

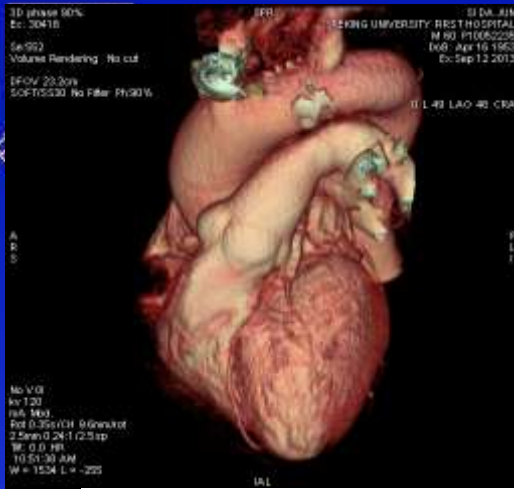
## core lab review



- Confirm wall motion state
- Presence of any anatomical structure which would interfere with deployment of the PARACHUTE (Such as thrombosis, pseudo chordae tendinae)
- LVEF
- Valves condition

# CT Scan-Preoperative

## Core Lab Review

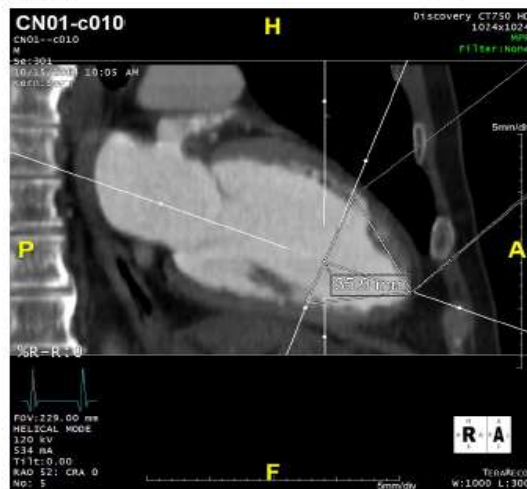


### Parachute Commercial

#### Patient Selection – CTA

#### 2.3 Other Measurements

Maximum Diameter Shortening (%)	<u>19</u>
Diameter Shortening Based on Mean Diameters (%)	<u>14</u>
	<i>If &gt;40%, reject the case.</i>
LV Ejection Fraction (%)	<u>33</u>
Best View: (RAO)	<u>52</u>



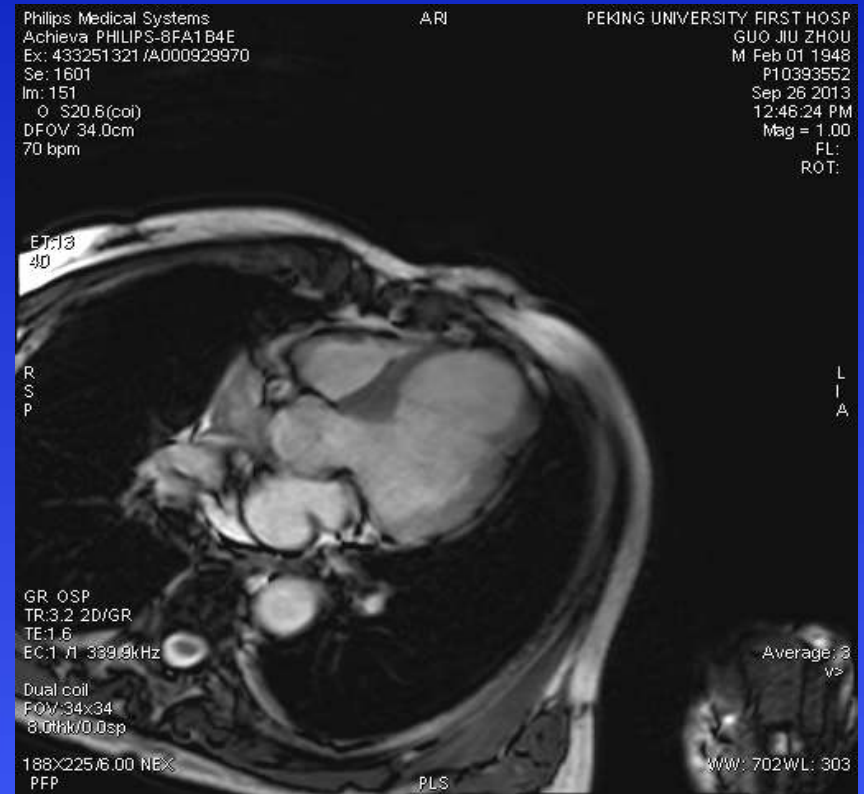
- Further confirm LV anatomy
- To determine the **PARACHUTE** size and guiding catheter/delivery system size
- To determine the release angle
- The most important





# MR Scan -Preoperative

similar to CT



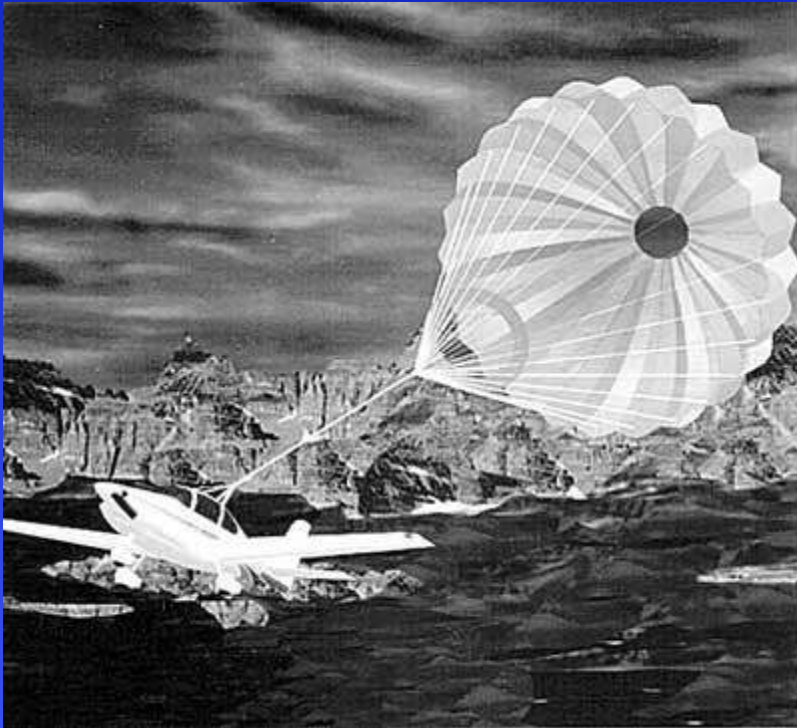


# Operation Preparation

- Aspirin: 325-300mg Qd for 4 days before the implantation or at least 3 hrs before implantation, then Low-dose aspirin (75-150mg Qd)
- Local anesthesia
- Intraoperative TTE
- Warfarin : give the first dose after 6-8 hrs of implantation , a minimum of 12 months is required

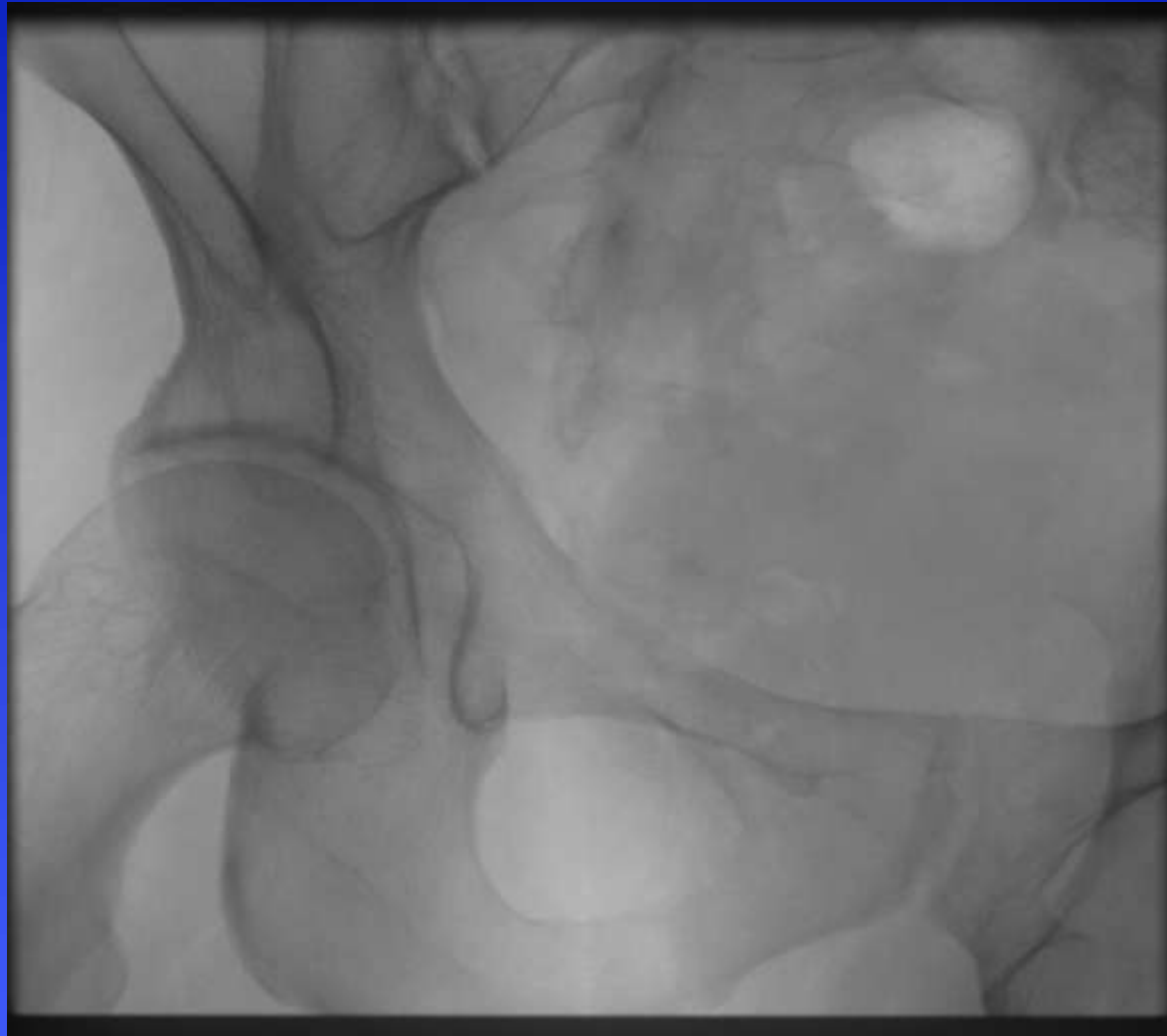


# PVR Procedure



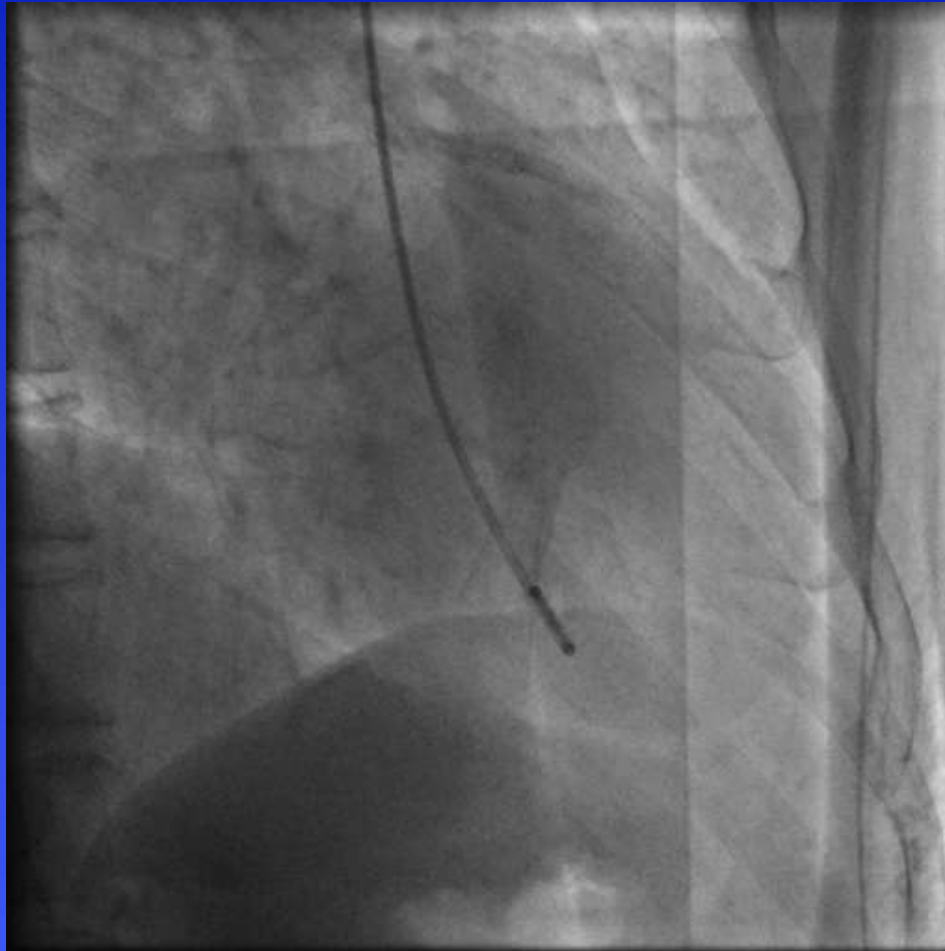


# Femoral artery angiography





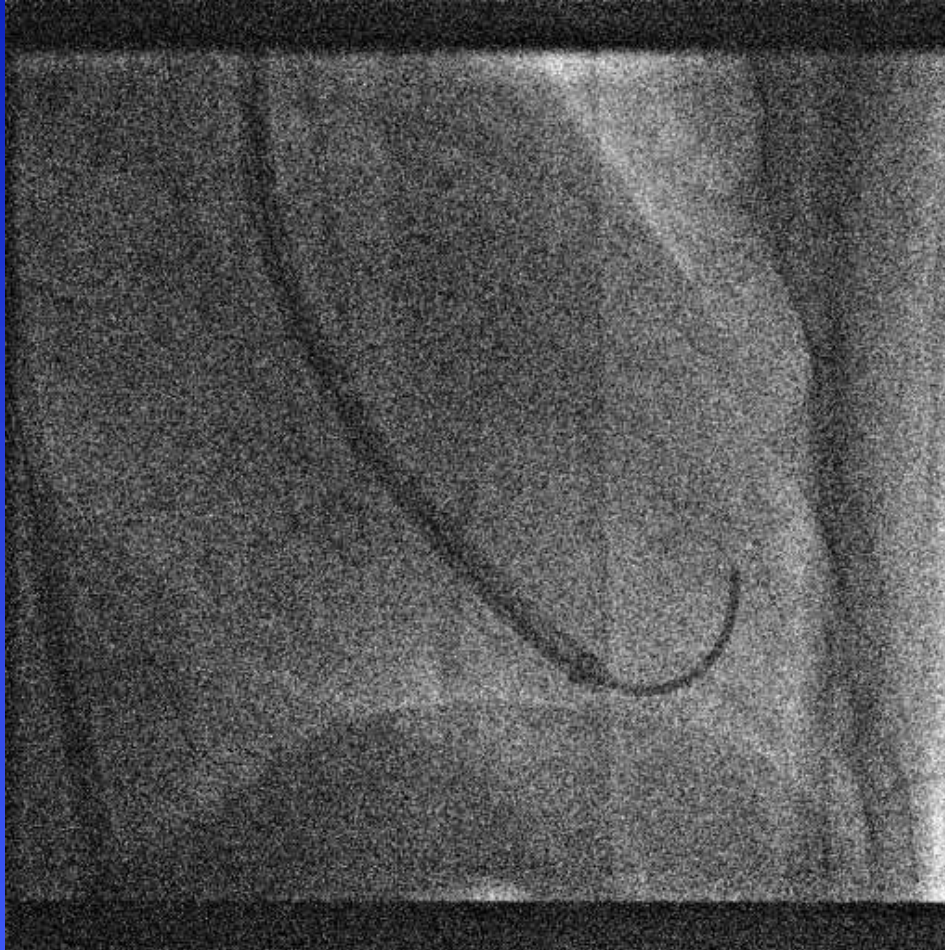
# Left ventricular angiography (RAO, angle by core lab)







# Place the Guide Catheter



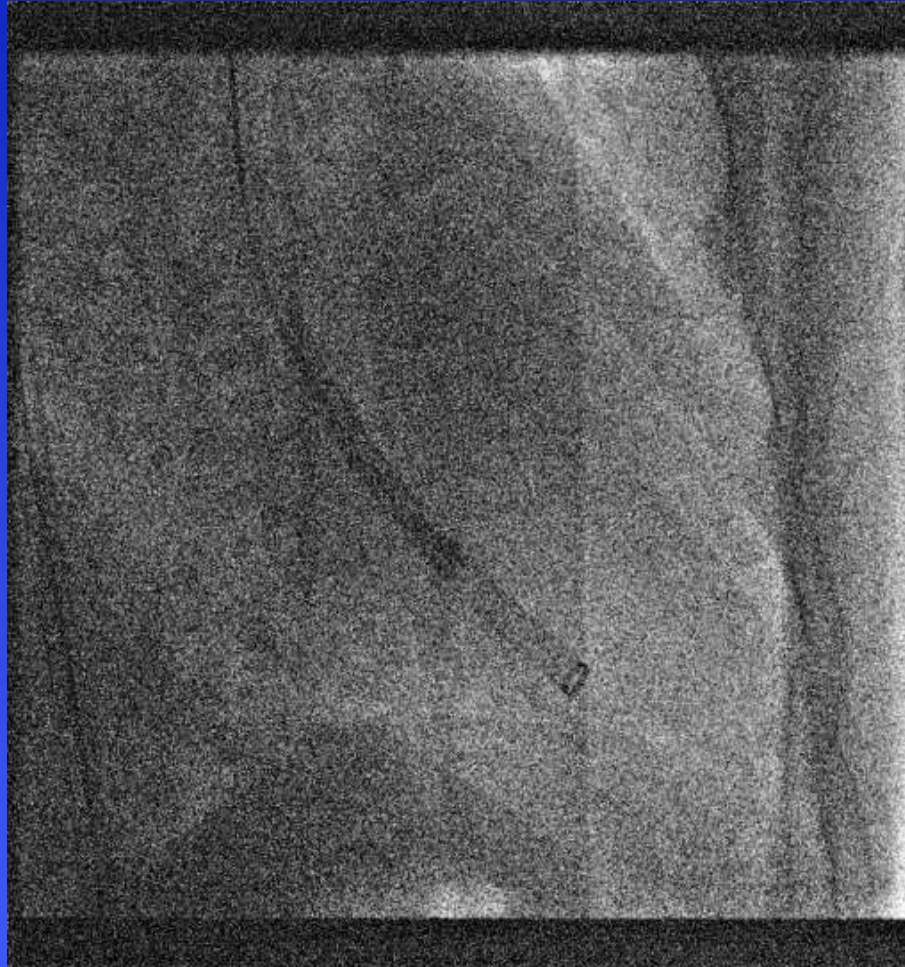


# PARACHUTE is submerged in the saline container





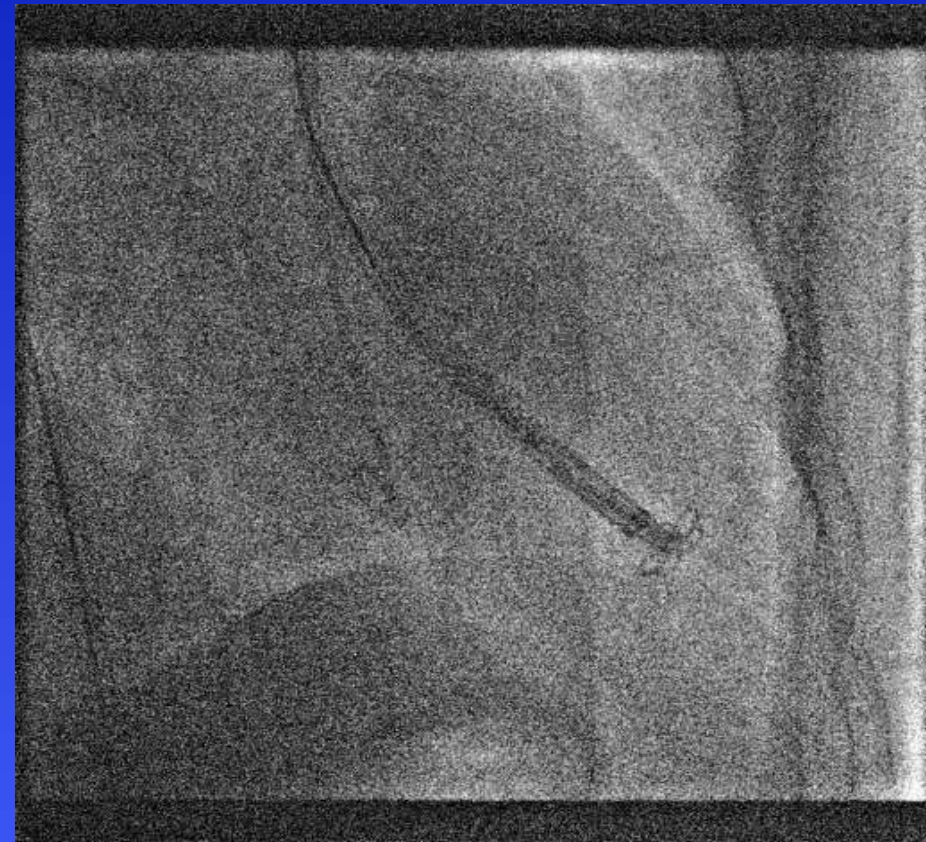
**The PARACHUTE is placed to the apex by  
guide catheter and delivery system**





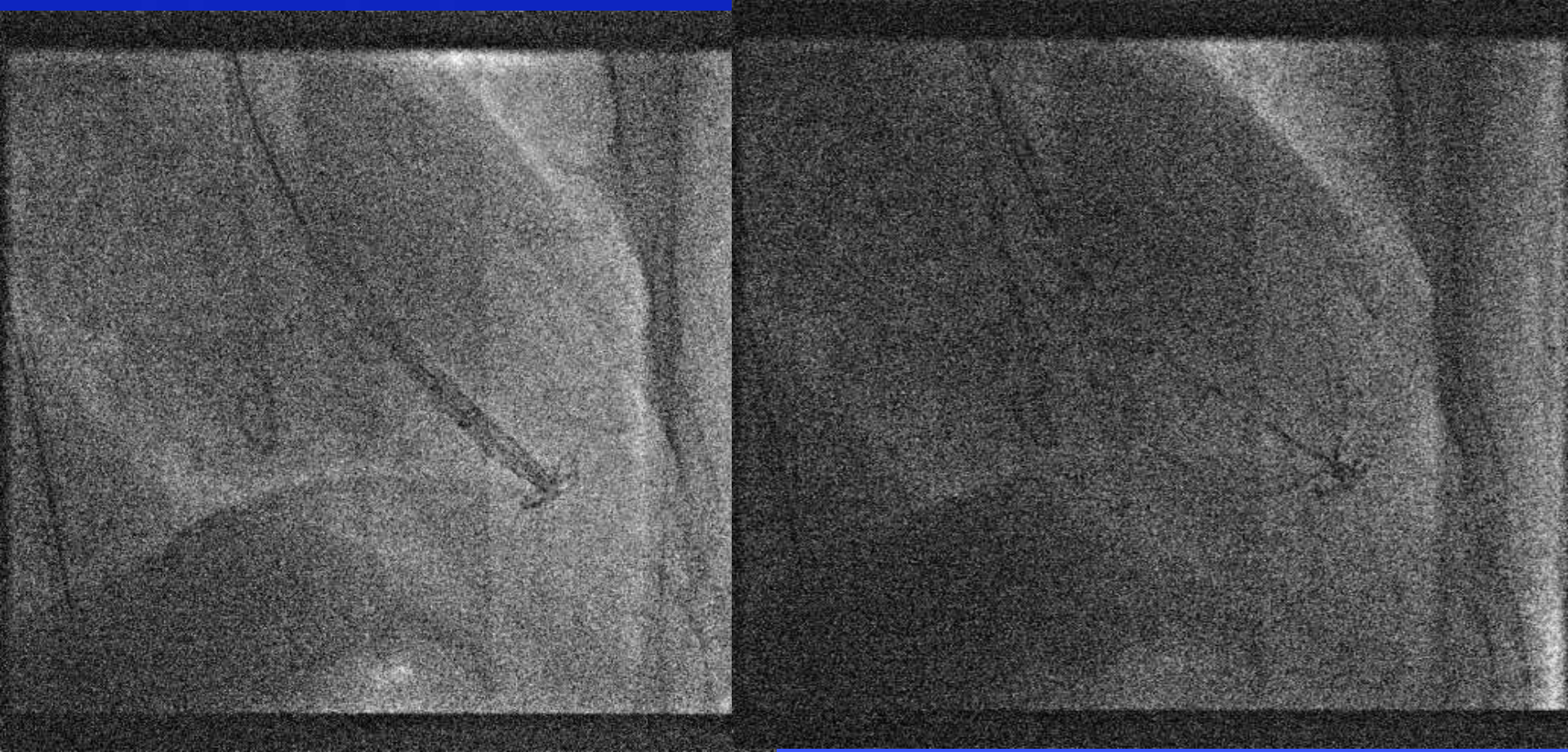


# Confirm landing by Echo and LV angiography





# Release PARACHUTE



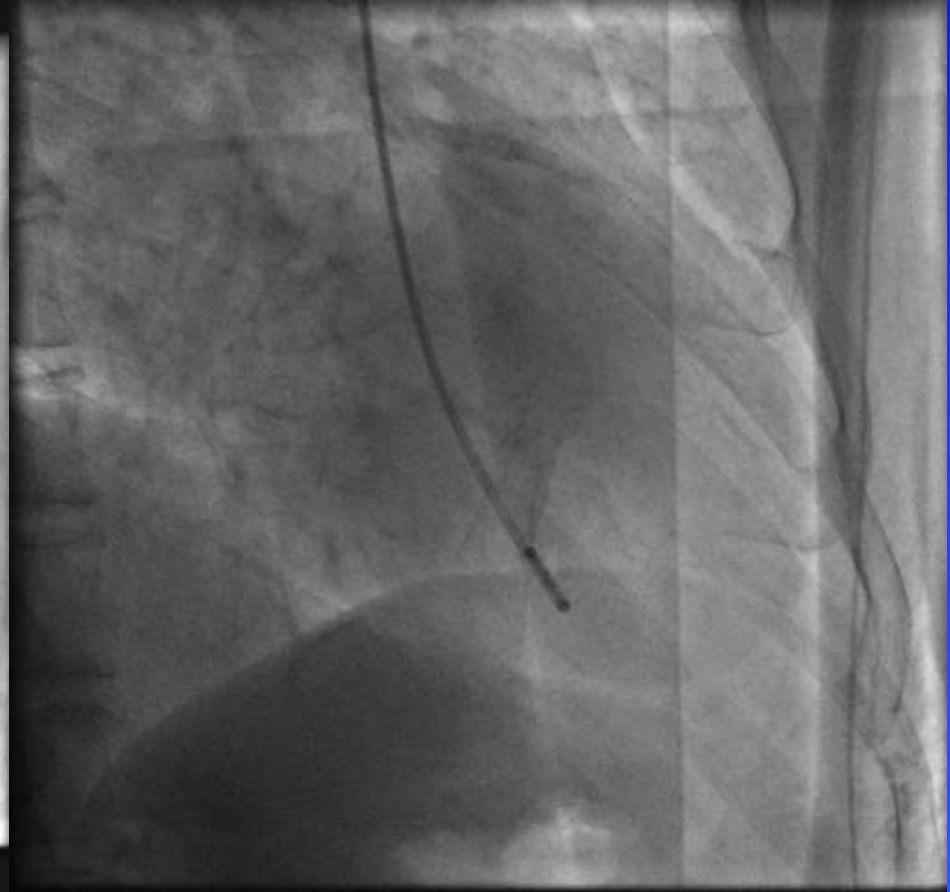
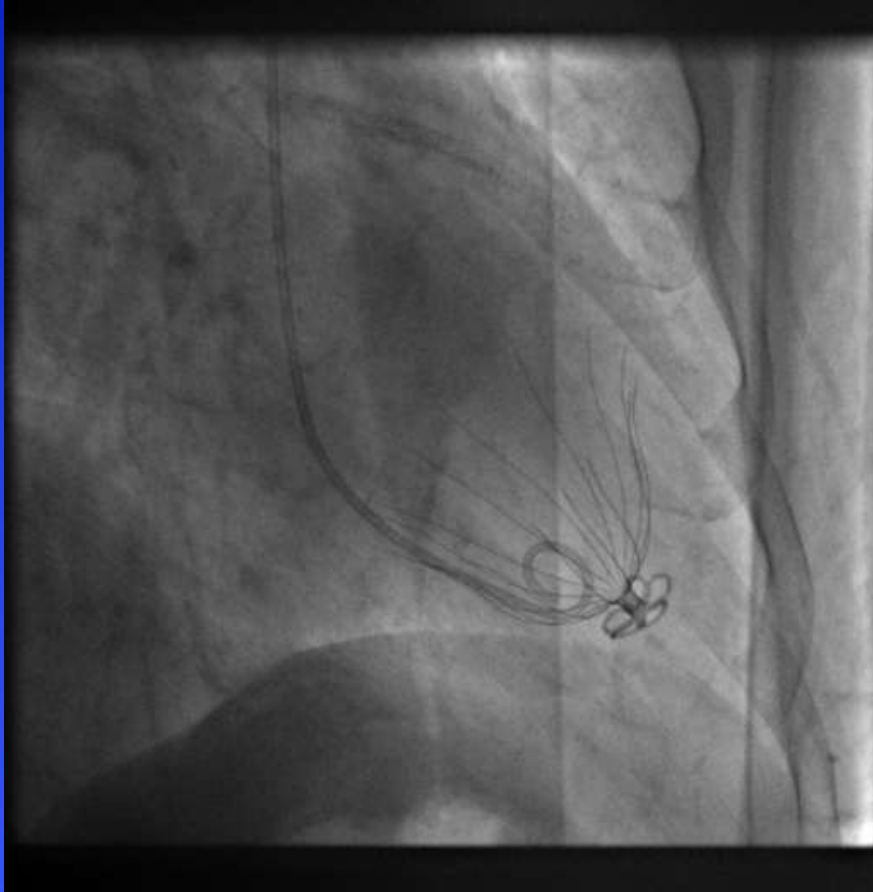




# LV angiography

after

before





# Follow-up --- ECHO

- The cardiac structure and function change after PVR
- Complications (thrombosis, migration)
- Endothelialization



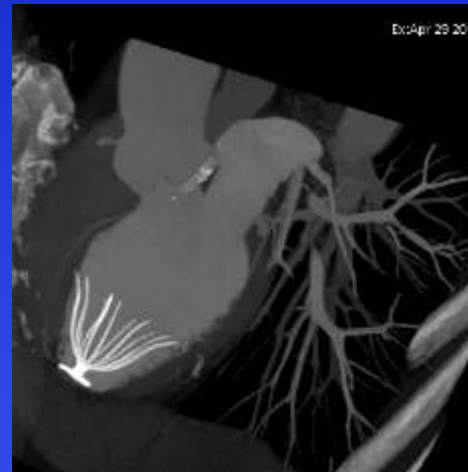
6 months after the procedure, ultrasound showed blood flow signal emerged between device and apex, which indicates endothelialization process has not finished.



# Follow-up

## --- CT or MRI

- The anatomy change of the heart
- The PARACHUTE configuration
- Evaluation of cardiac function
- Complications
- Endothelialization



# Percutaneous LV Restoration Therapy

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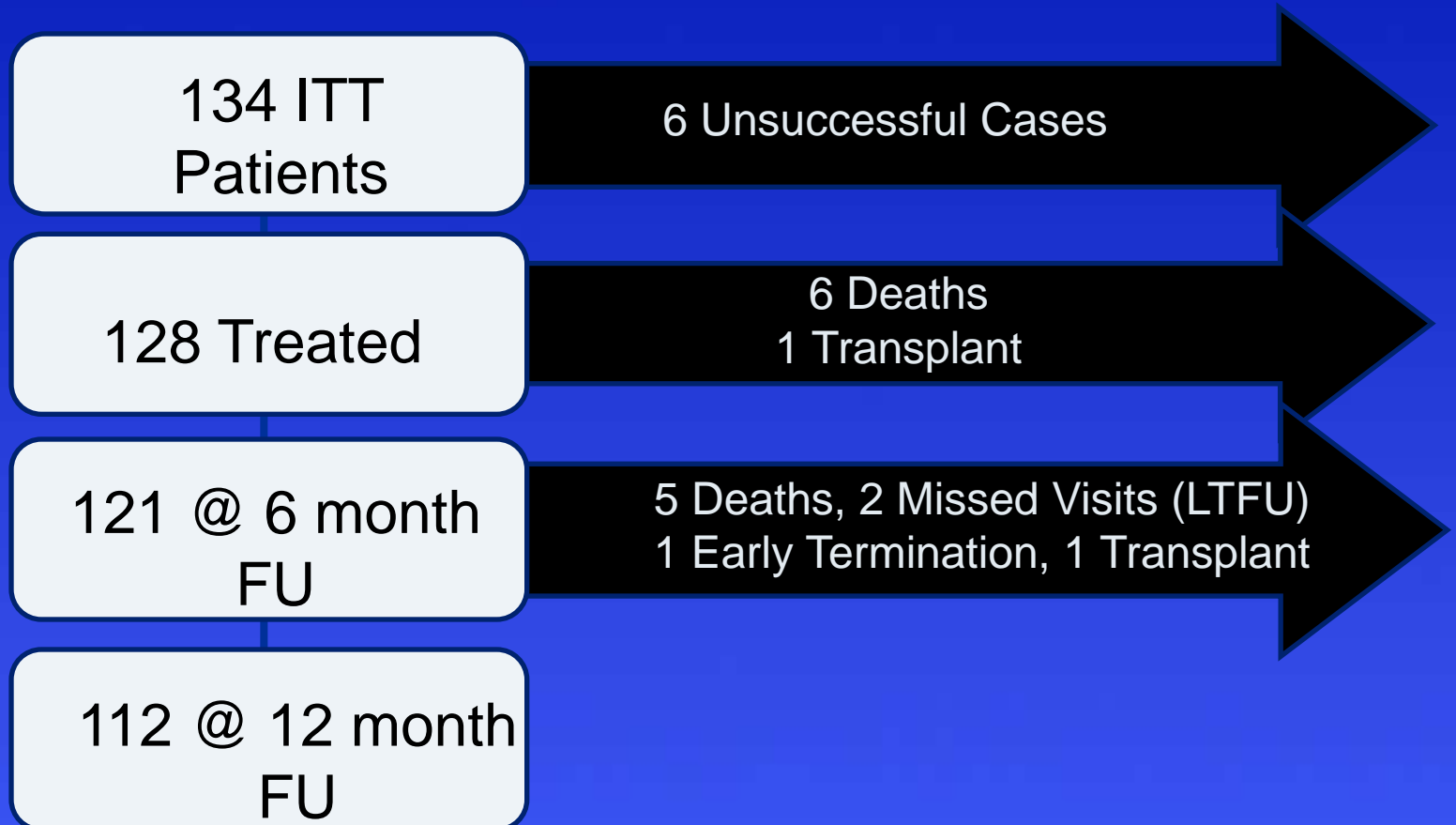
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# Patient Disposition







# Baseline Patient Profile, N=134

## Demographics

Age, years	61.2 ± 10.6
Male, %	111/134 (82.8%)
BMI	27.6 ± 3.9
Ischemic Heart Failure, %	100/100 (100%)
NYHA Class	
NYHA I (class III in the last 3M)	1/134 (0.7%)
NYHA II (class III in the last 3M)	55/134 (44.0%)
NYHA III	78/134 (58.2%)
6MWT, m	350.8 ± 109.9

## Medical History

Smoking History, %	95/128 (74.2%)
History of Hypertension, %	29/134 (68.7%)
History of Diabetes, %	52/134 (38.8%)
Prior ICD, %	58/100 (43.3%)
Prior CRT, %	23/134 (17.2%)
Prior PCI, %	103/134 (76.9%)
Prior CABG, %	21/134 (15.7%)
HF Hosp. 12M Before Enrlmt, %	37/118 (31.4%)

## Cardiac Medications

Aspirin, %	100/121 (82.6%)
Anticoagulant, %	41/123 (33.3%)
ACE Inhibitor, %	99/134 (73.9%)
ARB, %	27/134 (20.1%)
Beta Blocker, %	131/134 (97.8%)
Diuretic, %	116/134 (86.6%)
Optimal Medical Therapy <sup>1</sup> , %	108/134 (80.6%)

<sup>1</sup>defined as beta blocker + diuretic + (ACE or ARB)

## Hemodynamics

Ejection Fraction, %	28.1 ± 7.6
LV EDVi, ml/m <sup>2</sup>	121.8 ± 26.6
LA Vi, ml/m <sup>2</sup>	42.1 ± 14.6
LV DD, cm	6.0 ± 0.9
EDP, mmHg	22.9 ± 22.7
Cardiac Index, L/min/m <sup>2</sup>	2.4 ± 1.0



# Procedure Data, N=134

Treatment Success, %	128/134 (95.5%)
LV Perforation, n	2
Device Size	
65mm, %	5/134 (3.7%)
75mm, %	53/134 (39.6%)
85mm, %	53/134 (39.6%)
95mm, %	23/134 (17.2%)
Duration, minutes	90.2 ± 42.5
Fluoroscopy Time, minutes	22.3 ± 27.9

Major Proc. Complications by VARC, %	11/134 (8.2%)
Access Site Bleeding / Haematoma, n	4
Aortic Valve Damage, n	3
LV Perforation, n	2
Mitral Function Damage, n	1
Bradycardia (pre-Parachute), n	1
Minor Proc. Complications by VARC, %	9/134 (6.7%)

VARC definition citation: Leon et al: Standardized endpoint definitions for transcatheter aortic valve implantation clinical trials: a consensus report from the Valve Academic Research Consortium. EU Heart Journal (2011) 32, 205-217.

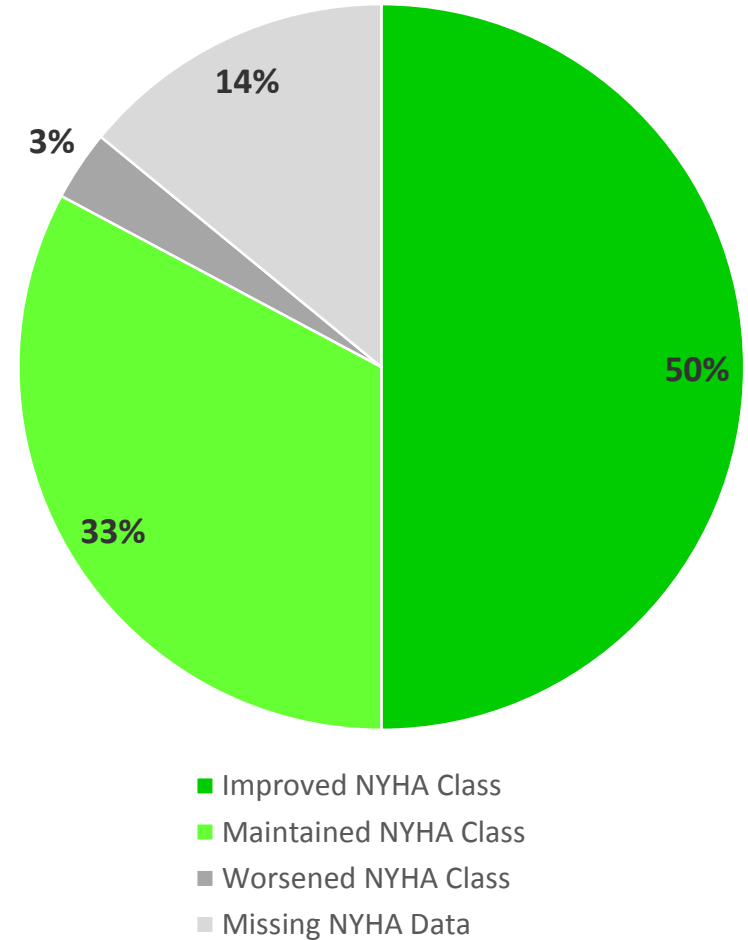
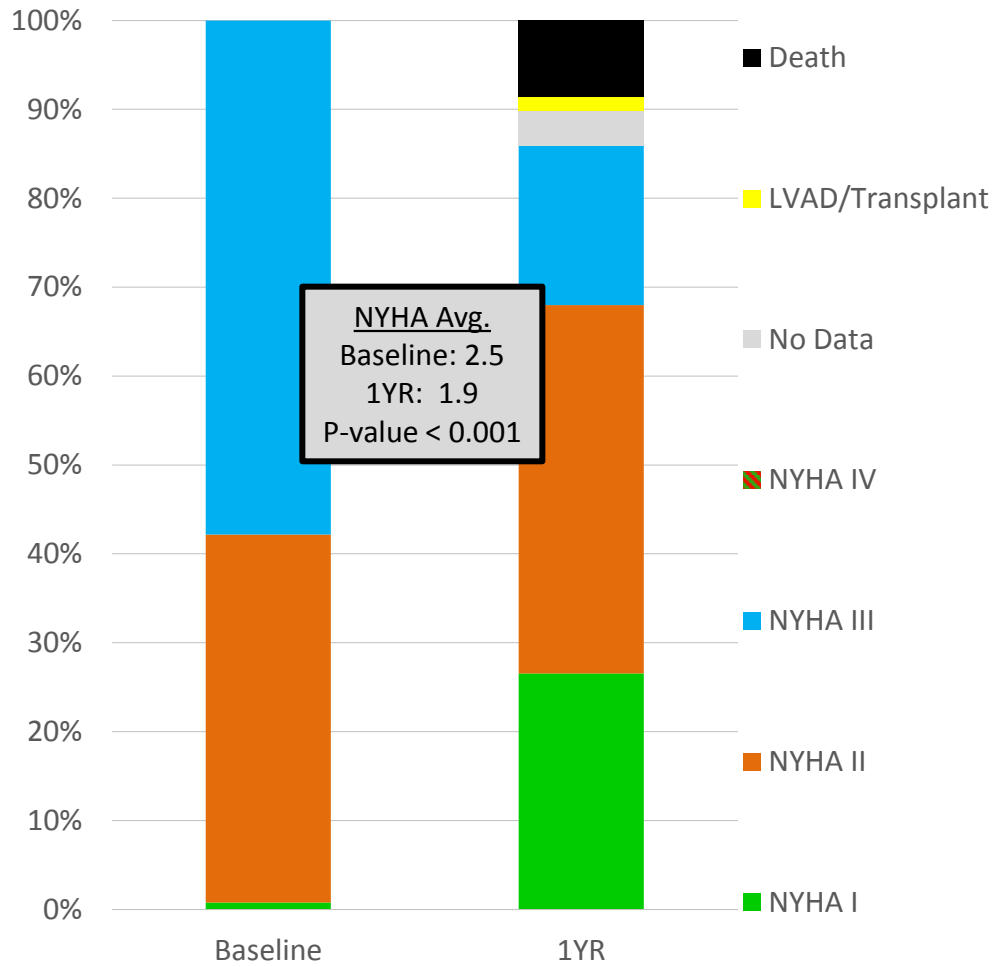


# Hemodynamics

	N	Baseline	12 Months	Difference	p-value
<b>Heart Rate &amp; Blood Pressure</b>					
Heart Rate, bpm	111	67.9 ± 13.0	68.0 ± 10.5	0.1 ± 12.5	NS
Systolic, mmHg	110	119.5 ± 16.8	118.2 ± 15.2	-1.3 ± 16.1	NS
Diastolic, mmHg	110	71.8 ± 9.9	72.0 ± 9.8	0.2 ± 11.8	NS
<b>LV Volume</b>					
ESVi, ml/m2	91	86.7 ± 23.7	72.4 ± 23.3	-13.9 ± 26.8	<.0001
EDVi, ml/m2	91	120.2 ± 25.5	101.9 ± 26.5	-18.3 ± 25.6	<.0001
<b>Systolic Function</b>					
Ejection Fraction, %	91	28.6 ± 7.7	30.5 ± 7.8	1.9 ± 8.7	<0.05
Fractional Shortening, %	81	18.9 ± 9.8	20.1 ± 8.5	1.2 ± 10.4	0.3
Contractility Index (Ees), mmHg- m2/ml	90	1.3 ± 0.4	1.6 ± 0.6	0.3 ± 0.5	<.001
Stroke Work / EDVi, mmHg	90	26.9 ± 8.9	29.3 ± 8.2	2.4 ± 9.8	<0.05
Wall Motion Severity Index	64	2.5 ± 0.3	2.1 ± 0.3	-0.4 ± 0.4	<0.0001
<b>Diastolic Function</b>					
LAVi, ml/m2	50	42.5 ± 15.8	38.3 ± 11.2	-4.2 ± 15.1	0.05
E-wave Velocity, m/s	77	0.7 ± 0.2	0.8 ± 0.3	0.1 ± 0.2	0.02

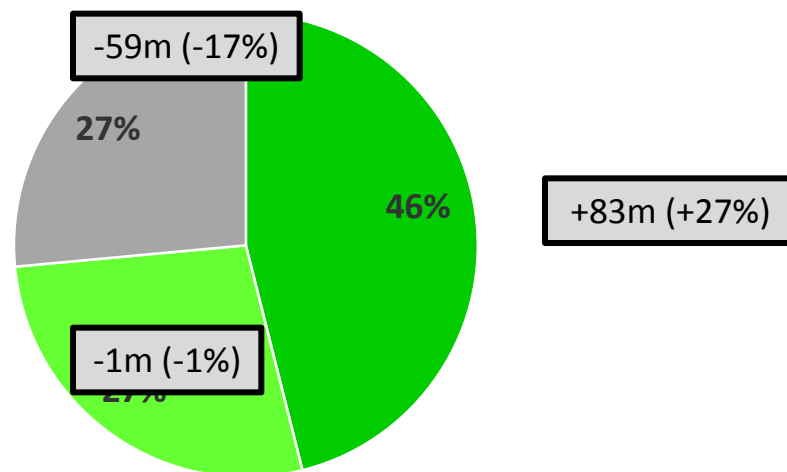
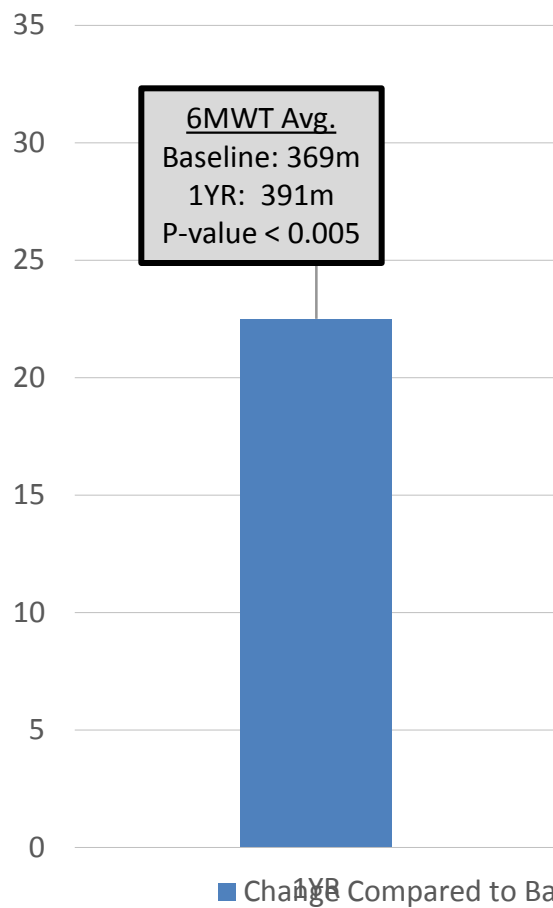
# NYHA Assessment, N=128

*83% of Patients Improved or Maintained at 1Y*



# 6 Minute Walk Test, N=102

*73% of Patients Improved or Maintained at 1Y*



Clinically meaningful change in the 6MWT was defined as an absolute change of 20 meters or more.



# Conclusions

- 23.6% Mortality + HF hospitalization rate supports U.S. pivotal trial design
- 8.2% Major Vascular Complications
  - *Less than the observed rates of TAVI (TAVI Meta-Analysis: JACC 2012)*
- Hemodynamic improvements are seen in both systolic and diastolic function
  - *Similar to CRT (MIRACLE: NEJM 2002, MADIT-CRT: JACC 2011)*
- Functional improvement is shown by an increase in the 6MWT and reduction in NYHA class
  - *Similar to CRT (MIRACLE: NEJM 2002)*



**PARACHUTE China:** Multi-center, prospective single-arm  
clinical evaluation of the safety and efficacy of the  
Parachute percutaneous left ventricle partitioning system,  
Primary Endpoint Results

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# Study Organization

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- **CRO** – MediChance Guangzhou Medical Co., LTD
- **CT Core Lab** – Case Western Reserve, Dr. Hiram Bezerra
- **Echo Core Lab** – Yale Cardiovascular Research Group, Dr. Alexandra Lansky and Dr. Lissa Sugeng



# PARACHUTE China Trial

- **Aim**

- Use the Parachute percutaneous left ventricular partitioning system to isolate the dysfunctional part of the left ventricle in patients with symptoms of heart failure due to ischemic heart disease

- **Trial Design**

- Single-Arm Trial, 7 Centers
- 30 Consecutive Patients with Symptomatic Ischemic HF
- Screening with echo (TTE) and cardiac CT or MRI
- One year anticoagulation post procedure with warfarin and aspirin



# PARACHUTE China Trial

- **Inclusion Criteria**

- NYHA Class II to Ambulatory IV
- 18-79 years of age
- LV wall motion abnormalities (anteroapical akinesis or dyskinesis) secondary to MI
- LV ejection fraction between 15% and 40%
- Received appropriate treatment according to ACC/AHA guidelines
- Signed Ethics Committee approved Informed Consent

- **Exclusion Criteria**

- Subjects with myocardial ischemia who underwent revascularization or cardiac resynchronization therapy within 60 days of enrollment
- Valvular stenosis or regurgitation (tricuspid, aortic, or mitral valve) > 2+
- Recent (within 6 months) cerebrovascular accident (CVA) or transient ischemic attack (TIA)



# PARACHUTE China

## Endpoints

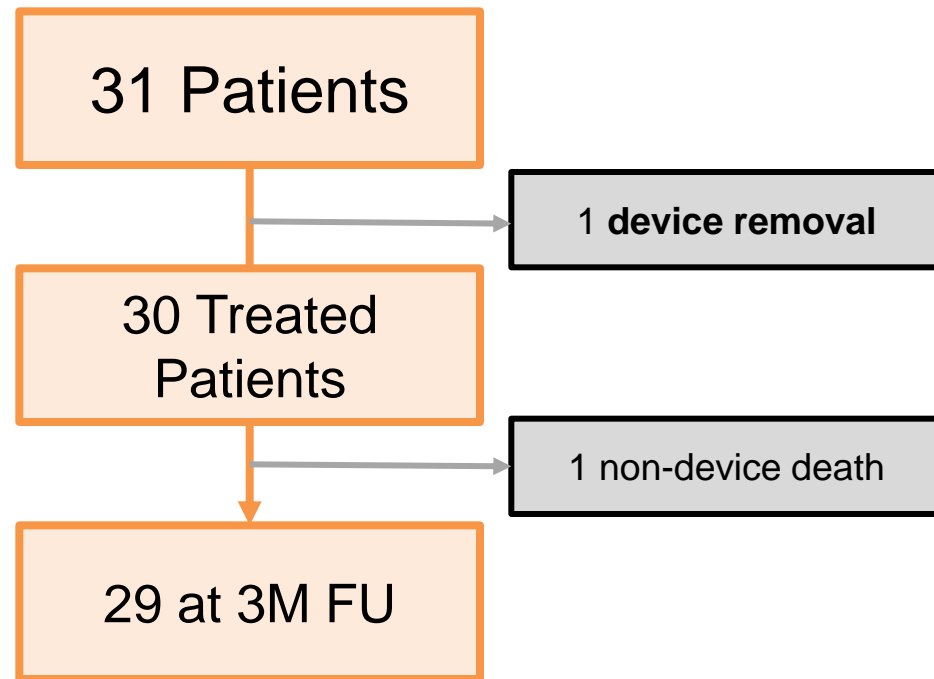
- Primary endpoint
  - Reduction in left ventricle end systolic volume index (LVESVi) after 3 months compared with baseline.
- Secondary safety endpoint
  - Procedure or Device Related MACE at 3M, where MACE are defined as death from any cause, myocardial infarction, need for elective or urgent cardiac or thoracic aortic surgery or need for use of device or device surgery with a catheter as the basis of interventional therapy, or total renal failure requiring dialysis.
- Secondary efficacy endpoints
  - NYHA improvement at 3M
  - 6MWT improvement at 3M
  - EQ5D improvement at 3M





# Patient Enrollment & Disposition

Fu Wai Hospital	9
Peking University First Hospital	6
Shanghai Tenth People's Hospital	6
The 2 <sup>nd</sup> Affiliated Hospital Of Zhejiang University	4
The General Hospital of Shenyang Military Region	3
Zhongshan Hospital Fudan University	2
Shanghai Ruijin Hospital	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>



No Major Inclusion /  
Exclusion violations

0% Lost to Follow-up



# Baseline Patient Profile

## Demographics

Age, years	57.1 $\pm$ 10.4
Male, %	29/31 (93.6%)
BMI	25.0 $\pm$ 2.2
Ischemic Etiology, %	31/31 (100%)
NYHA Class	
NYHA II	29/31 (93.6%)
NYHA III	2/31 (6.4%)
6MWT, m	479.9 $\pm$ 81.4

## Medical History

Smoking History, %	20/31 (64.5%)
History of Hypertension, %	20/31 (64.5%)
History of Diabetes, %	9/31 (29.0%)
Prior ICD, %	0/31 (0.0%)
Prior Pacemaker, %	1/31 (3.2%)
Prior PCI, %	28/31 (90.3%)
Prior CABG, %	0/31 (0.0%)

## Hemodynamics

Ejection Fraction, %	29.8 $\pm$ 5.4
LV EDVi, ml/m <sup>2</sup>	111.6 $\pm$ 26.0
LA Vi, ml/m <sup>2</sup>	32.5 $\pm$ 8.7
LV DD, cm	5.5 $\pm$ 0.6
Cardiac Index, L/min/m <sup>2</sup>	2.2 $\pm$ 0.6



# Procedure Data

<b>Treatment Success, %</b>	<b>30/31 (96.8%)</b>
<i>Positioning / Surgical Removal, n</i>	<i>1</i>
<b>Device Size</b>	
65mm, %	11/31 (35.5%)
75mm, %	8/31 (25.8%)
85mm, %	5/31 (16.1%)
95mm, %	7/31 (22.6%)

<b>Procedure Complications</b>	<b>1/31 (3.2%)</b>
<i>Groin Hematoma, n</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Death, n</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Aortic Valve Injury, n</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>LV Injury, n</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Infection, n</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Arrhythmia, n</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>TIA / Stroke, n</i>	<i>0</i>



# Primary Endpoint: LVESVi

	N	Baseline	3 Months	Difference	p-value
<b>Vitals</b>					
Heart Rate, bpm	29	66.6 ± 10.3	70.4 ± 12.1	3.9 ± 9.1	0.03
<b>Blood Pressure</b>					
Systolic, mmHg	29	121.9 ± 17.5	126.8 ± 14.3	4.9 ± 11.4	0.02
Diastolic, mmHg	29	75.0 ± 10.8	74.2 ± 11.8	-0.7 ± 11.0	NS
<b>LV Volume</b>					
ESVi, ml/m2	28	78.2 ± 20.3	53.4 ± 17.4	-24.7 ± 11.4	<.0001
EDVi, ml/m2	28	111.6 ± 26.0	83.0 ± 21.7	-28.6 ± 14.9	<.0001
<b>Systolic Function</b>					
Ejection Fraction, %	29	29.8 ± 5.4	36.1 ± 6.8	6.3 ± 6.3	<.0001
Fractional Shortening, %	28	18.7 ± 5.7	22.9 ± 7.1	4.3 ± 8.1	<.01
Contractility Index (Ees), mmHg-m2/ml	28	1.5 ± 0.5	2.4 ± 0.9	0.9 ± 0.6	<.0001
Stroke Work / EDVi, mmHg	28	29.4 ± 5.5	35.9 ± 8.8	6.6 ± 7.9	<.001
Wall Motion Severity Index	29	2.6 ± 0.2	2.0 ± 0.3	-0.6 ± 0.4	<.0001
<b>Diastolic Function</b>					
LAVi, ml/m2	27	32.5 ± 8.7	32.4 ± 8.4	-0.1 ± 6.9	NS



# Safety Endpoints

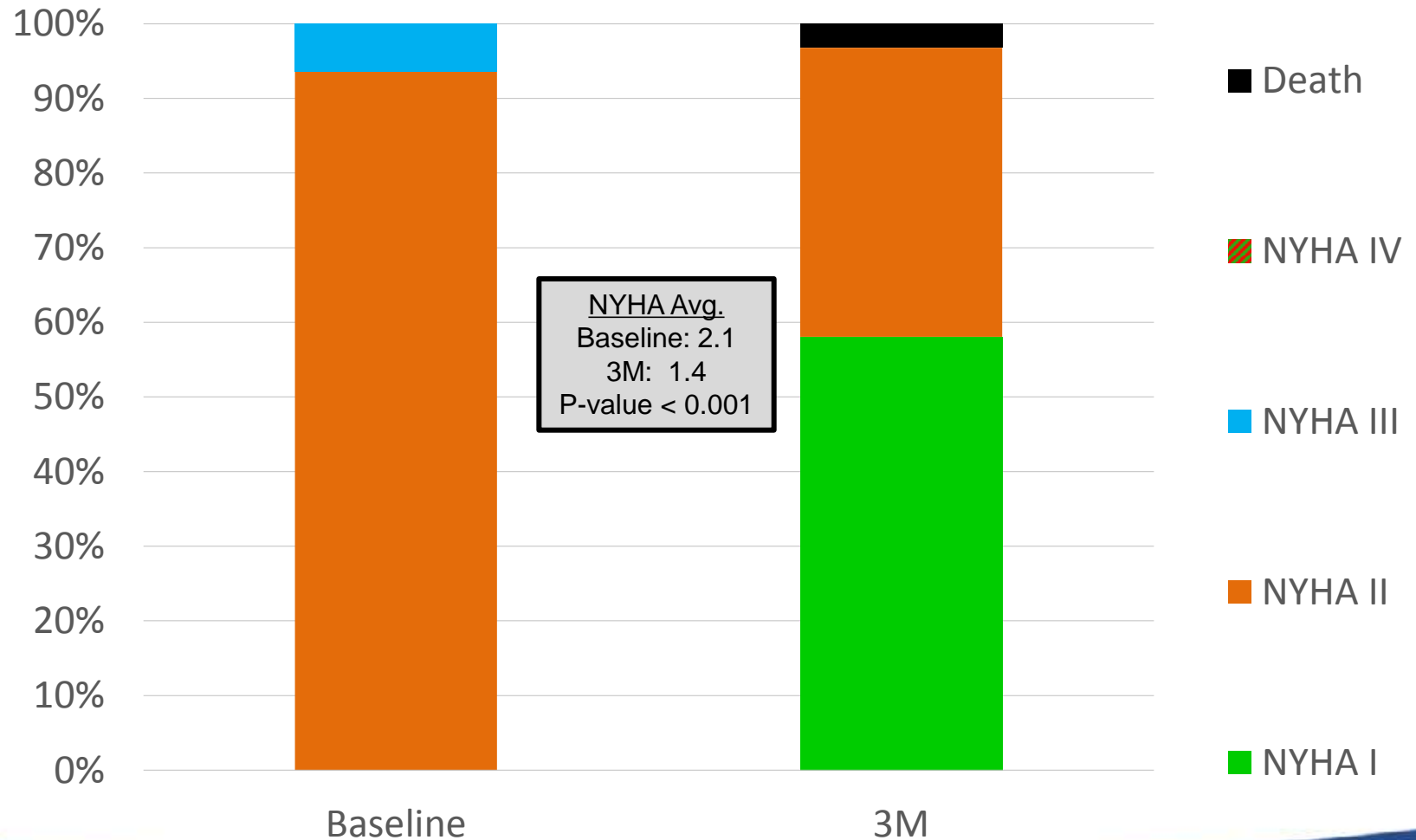
- **Device or Procedure Related MACE – 3%**
  - One device requiring surgical removal
- **Mortality – 3%**
  - One death caused by multiple system organ failure after cerebral hemorrhage
- **Stroke – 3%**
  - One cerebral hemorrhage (non-device/procedure related)





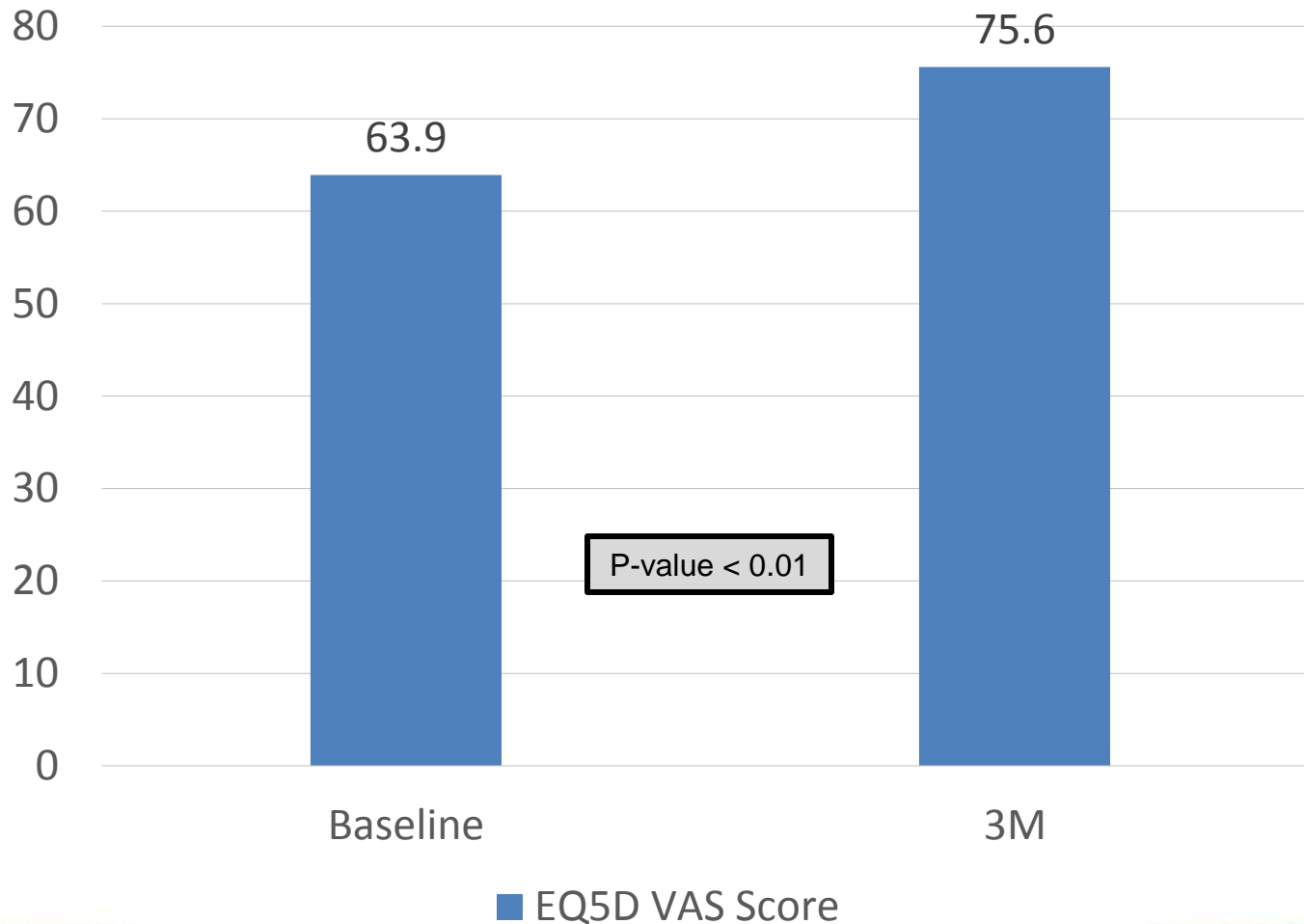
# NYHA Assessment

*Achieved Secondary Endpoint*



# Quality of Life – EQ5D

*Achieved Secondary Endpoint*



# 6 Minute Walk Test

