

# Erratum to: The Preventive Effects of Posterior Pericardiotomy with Intrapericardial Tube on the Development of Pericardial Effusion, Atrial Fibrillation, and Acute Kidney Injury after Coronary Artery Surgery: A Prospective, Randomized, Controlled Trial

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## ERRATUM

It has been brought to the Editor's attention that Table 2 in the above publication contains an error in measurement units. The amount of pericardial effusion by echocardiography is measured in mm, not in mL. Article published eFirst on April 14, 2015. DOI of the original article: 10.1055/s-0035-1548737.

After consultation with the authors the corrected and re-arranged table appears as follows:

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**Table 2** Surgical and postoperative data

	Control group (n = 107) ([mean ± SD]; [n, %])	Study group (n = 103) ([mean ± SD]; [n, %])	p Value
Intraoperative variables			
CPB time (min)	77.02 ± 22.83	81.6 ± 26.53	0.213
Cross-clamp time (min)	42.89 ± 14.91	45.47 ± 19.05	0.313
Number of distal anastomoses	2.88 ± 0.85	3.01 ± 1.08	0.336
AKI			
Postoperative day 2	23 (21.50%)	17 (16.50%)	0.357
Postoperative day 5	18 (16.82%)	4 (3.92%)	0.002
Postoperative day 20	20 (18.69%)	7 (6.86%)	0.011
New postoperative dialysis (transient)	1 (0.93%)	0	0.328
sCr level on the postoperative day 2 (mg/dL)	0.95 ± 0.25	0.89 ± 0.23	0.085
sCr level on the postoperative day 5 (mg/dL)	0.87 ± 0.24	0.86 ± 0.35	0.738
sCr level on the postoperative day 20 (mg/dL)	0.9 ± 0.37	0.83 ± 0.21	0.116
p (comparison of intragroup for sCr)	0.001	0.026	
eGFR value on the postoperative day 2 (mL/min)	99.73 ± 39.76	105.56 ± 33.10	0.250
eGFR value on the postoperative day 5 (mL/min)	110.1 ± 46.60	113.06 ± 34.92	0.604
eGFR value on the postoperative day 20 (mL/min)	106.55 ± 37.65	112.08 ± 30.55	0.245
p (comparison of intragroup for eGFR)	0.0001	0.001	
Amount of pericardial effusion by echocardiography (mm)			
Postoperative day 2	2.42 ± 5.29	1.17 ± 2.7	0.034
Postoperative day 5	2.5 ± 5.02	1.15 ± 2.92	0.019
Postoperative day 20	1.89 ± 4.50	0.93 ± 5.62	0.174
Amount of the total drainage (mL)	531.86 ± 289.83	562.76 ± 365.19	0.589
Amount of mediastinal drainage	205.41 ± 154.51	270.49 ± 225.90	0.058
Amount of pleural drainage	299 ± 185.11	281.67 ± 215.69	0.616
Complications/morbidity			
Bleeding-related revision	2 (1.87%)	1 (0.97%)	0.589
Tamponade	4 (3.74%)	0	0.048
Packed red blood cells (units)	2.07 ± 1.69	2.28 ± 2.13	0.465
POAF	30 (28.04%)	15 (14.56%)	0.019
Postoperative EF (5)	52.69 ± 9.41	53.29 ± 7.43	0.704
Cardioversion	1 (0.93%)	0	0.328
Mechanical ventilation time (h)	6.8 ± 2.46	6.46 ± 2.06	0.298
Reintubation	1 (0.93%)	0	0.328
Atelectasis	7 (6.54%)	2 (1.94%)	0.103
Intervention to the pleural effusion	9 (8.41%)	6 (5.83%)	0.479
Postoperative CVA	0	0	–
Intra-aortic balloon pump	1 (0.93%)	0	0.328
Length of stay (d)	7.33 ± 4.05	6.11 ± 2.31	0.009
Rehospitalization	7 (6.54%)	4 (3.88%)	0.396
Perioperative inotrope	11 (10.28%)	8 (7.77%)	0.540
Mortality	1 (0.93%)	0	0.328

Abbreviations: AKI, acute kidney injury; CPB, cardiopulmonary bypass; CVA, cerebrovascular accident; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; POAF, postoperative atrial fibrillation; sCr, serum creatinine.