

# L'ECOGRAFIA NELLA SEPSI

## DIAGNOSI PRECOCE E IDENTIFICAZIONE DELLA FONTE

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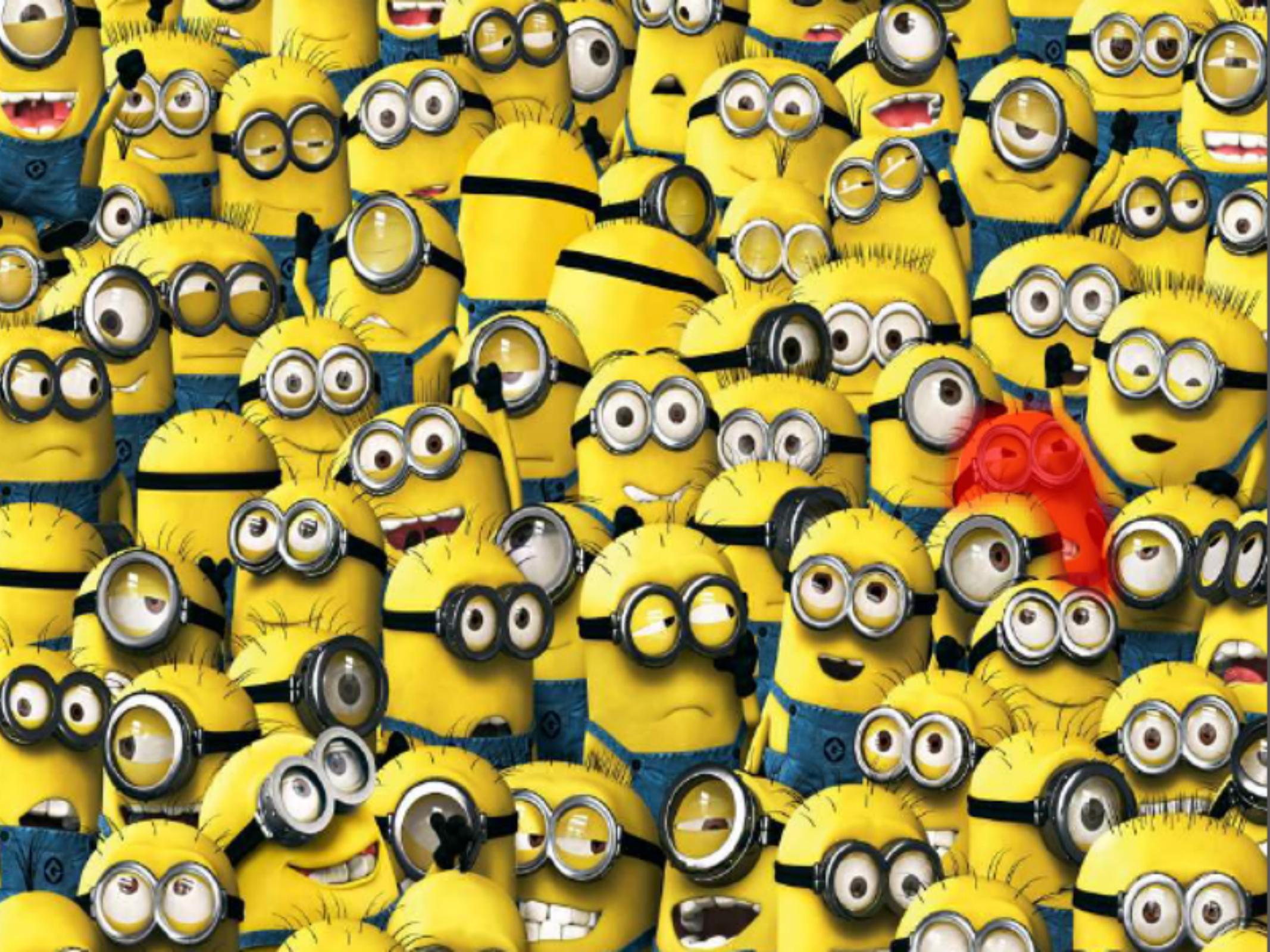
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## SEPSI: Obiettivi

- 1) Diagnosi precoce:
- 2) ABT precoce e adeguata
- 3) Ottimizzazione terapeutica assutale
- 4) Evidenziare la fonte di controllo

L'ECOGRAFIA CI PUÒ AIUTARE?

# **IDENTIFICAZIONE PRECOCE DELLA SEPSI**



# identificazione precoce



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**STEMI ALERT – May 25, 2010**

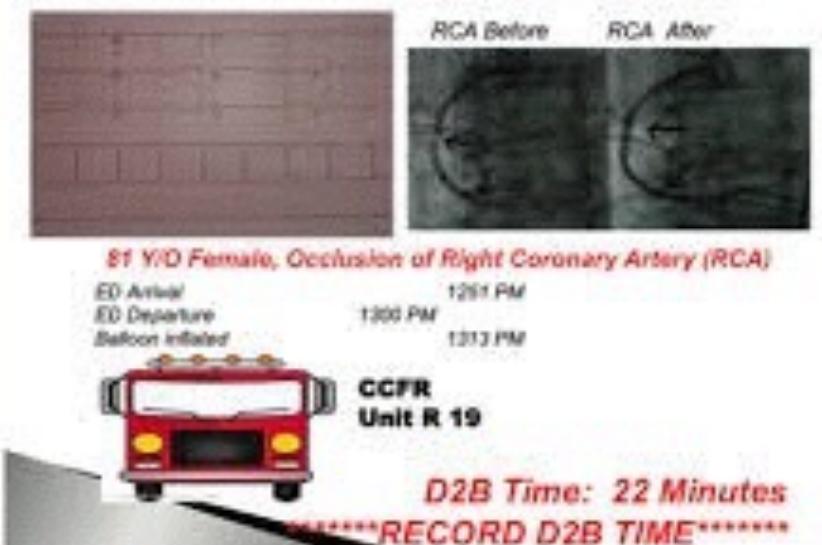
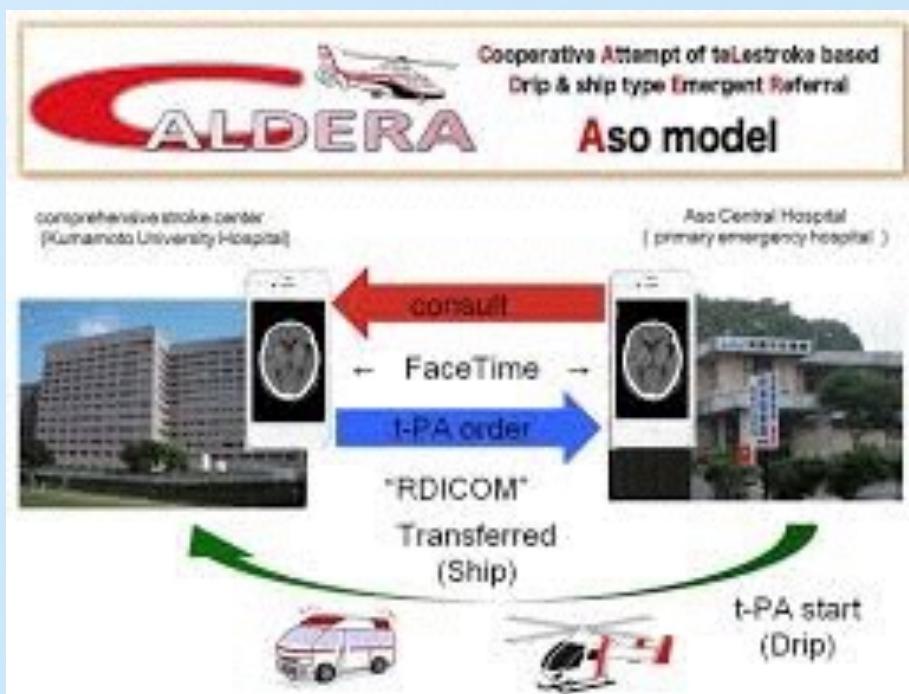


Figure 1. This information is posted in the ED for the EMS for every STEMI. This is how we celebrate our collaboration! Twenty-two minutes is currently our record D2B time, and we DID NOT bypass the ED.

# PERCORSI “DEDICATI”



# **IDENTIFICAZIONE PRECOCE DELLA SEPSI**

**SPAZIO PER L'ECOGRAFIA?**

**diagnosi differenziale  
precoce ...  
nel paziente malperfuso**

# IDENTIFICAZIONE PRECOCE DELLA SEPSI

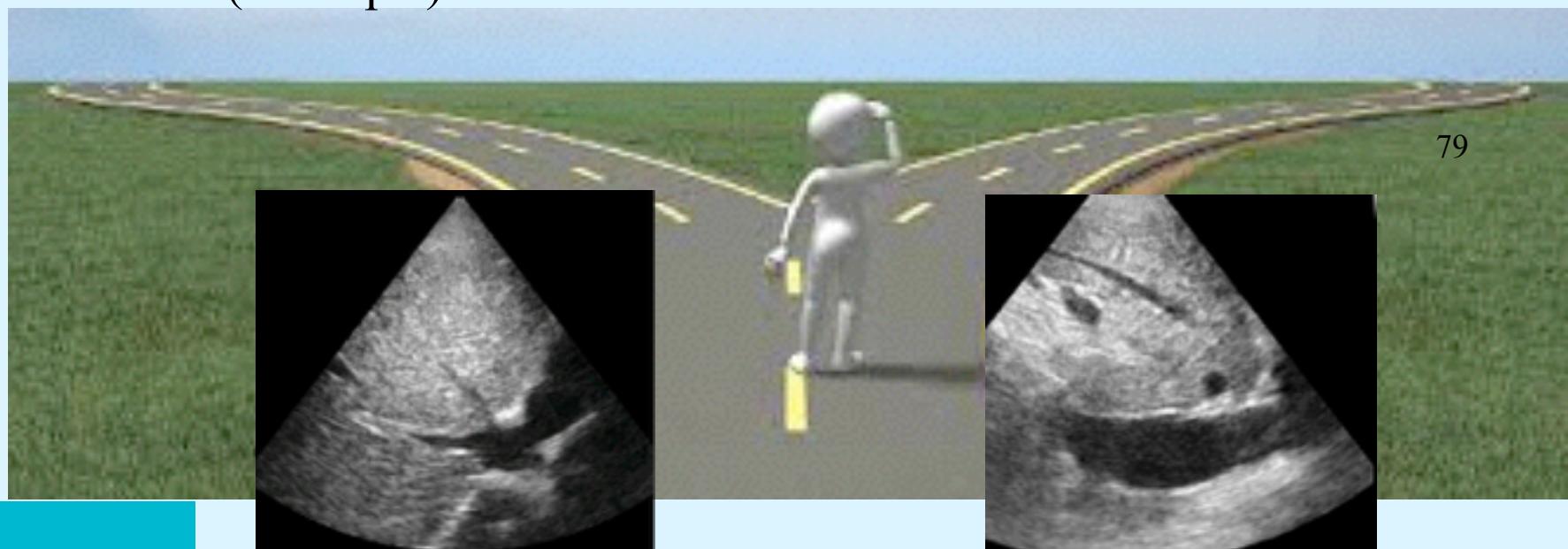
Randomized, controlled trial of immediate versus delayed goal-directed ultrasound to identify the cause of nontraumatic hypotension in emergency department patients\*

Alan E. Jones, MD; Vivek S. Taval, MD; D. Matthew Sullivan, MD; Jeffrey A. Kline, MD

Crit Care 2004 32:1703

75% è problema di volemia  
(2/3 sepsi)

15% non è problema di volemia





# CHEST

## Postgraduate Education Corner

CONTEMPORARY REVIEWS IN CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE

### Shock

#### Ultrasound to Guide Diagnosis and Therapy

*Gregory A. Schmidt, MD, FCCP; Seth Koenig, MD; and Paul H. Mayo, MD, FCCP*

#### The RUSH Exam 2012: Rapid Ultrasound in Shock in the Evaluation of the Critically Ill Patient

Phillips Perera, MD, RDMS<sup>a,\*</sup>, Thomas Mailhot, MD, RDMS<sup>a</sup>,  
David Riley, MD, MS, RDMS<sup>b</sup>, Diku Mandavia, MD, FRCPC<sup>a</sup>

##### KEYWORDS

- Rapid ultrasound in shock examination • RUSH exam
- Shock • Ultrasound

#### Review

## Septic Shock Advances in Diagnosis and Treatment

JAMA. 2015;314(7):708-717.

Christopher W. Seymour, MD, MSc; Matthew R. Rosengart, MD, MPH



**DIAGNOSTIC ACCURACY OF LEFT VENTRICULAR FUNCTION FOR  
IDENTIFYING SEPSIS AMONG EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT PATIENTS  
WITH NONTRAUMATIC SYMPTOMATIC UNDIFFERENTIATED  
HYPOTENSION**

**Alan E. Jones, Patrick A. Craddock, Vivek S. Taval, and Jeffrey A. Kline**

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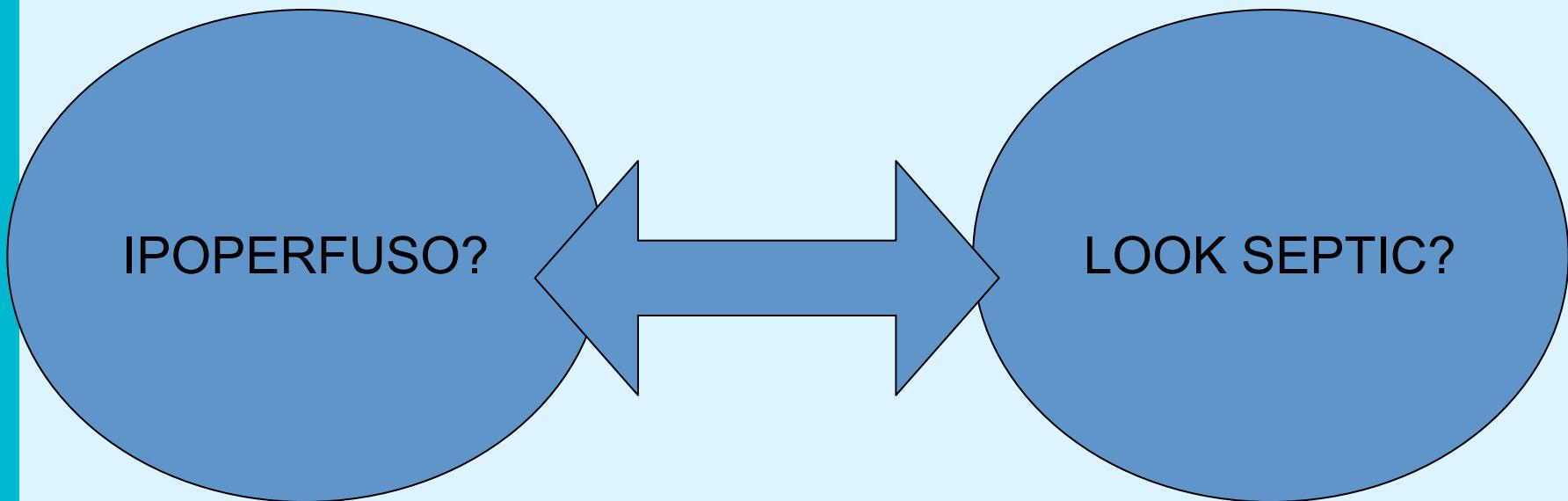
Submitted 26 Jul 2005; first review completed 17 Aug 2005; accepted in final form 6 Sep 2005

**ABSTRACT**—The hypothesis of this study states that in emergency department (ED) patients with nontraumatic symptomatic hypotension, the presence of hyperdynamic left ventricular function (LVF) is specific for sepsis as the etiology

**Spec 94% (Sens 33%)**  
Hyperdynamic LVF had a  
positive likelihood ratio of 5.3 and was a  
strong independent predictor of sepsis

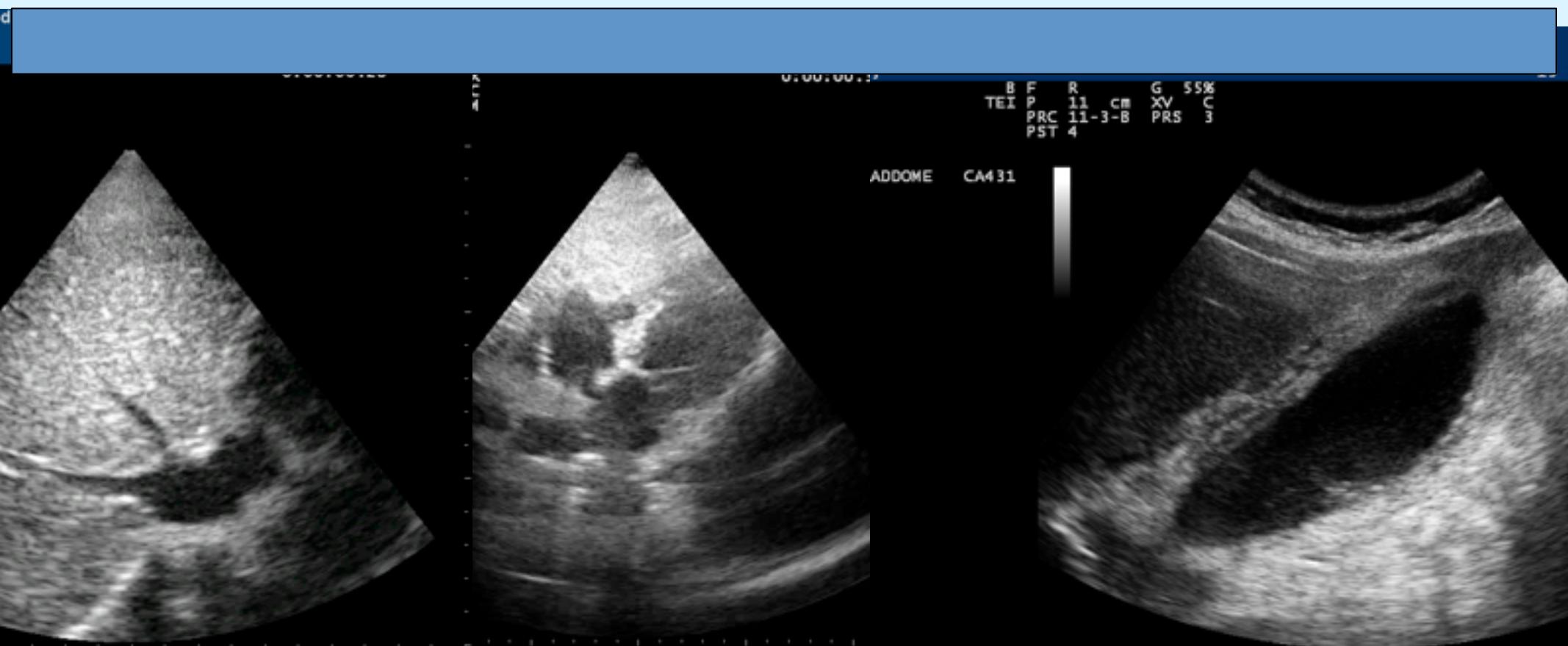
# DIAGNOSI e amplificazione

Considera settico ogni ipoperfuso e cerca l'ipoperfusione in ogni settico



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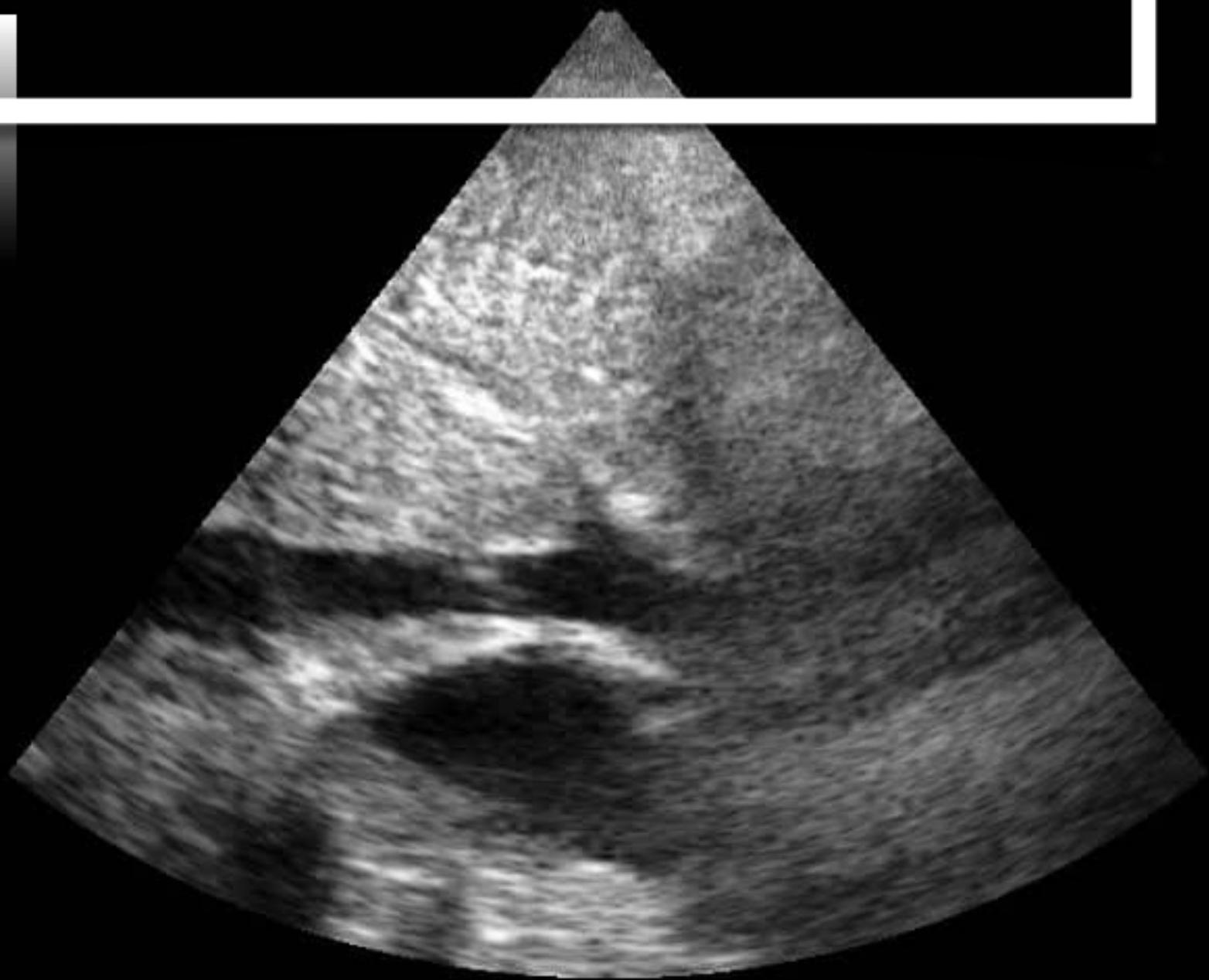
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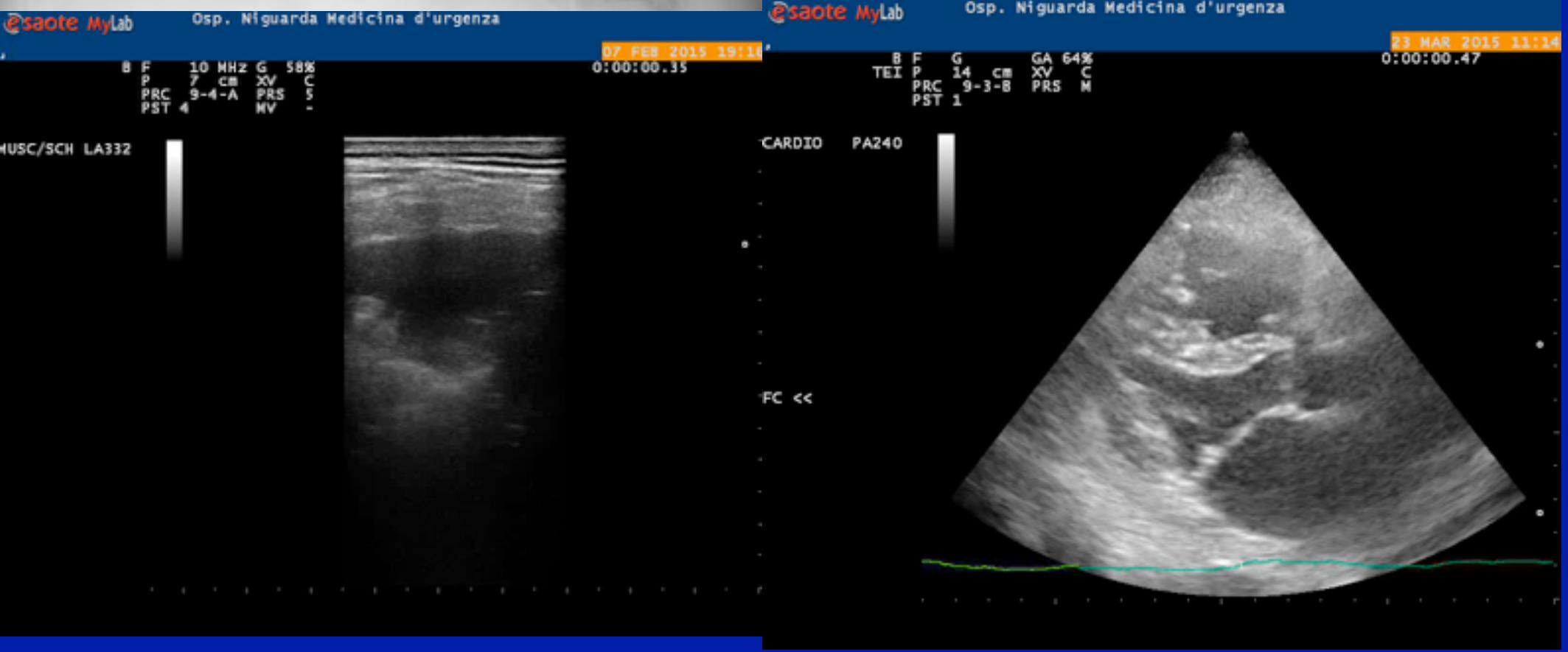
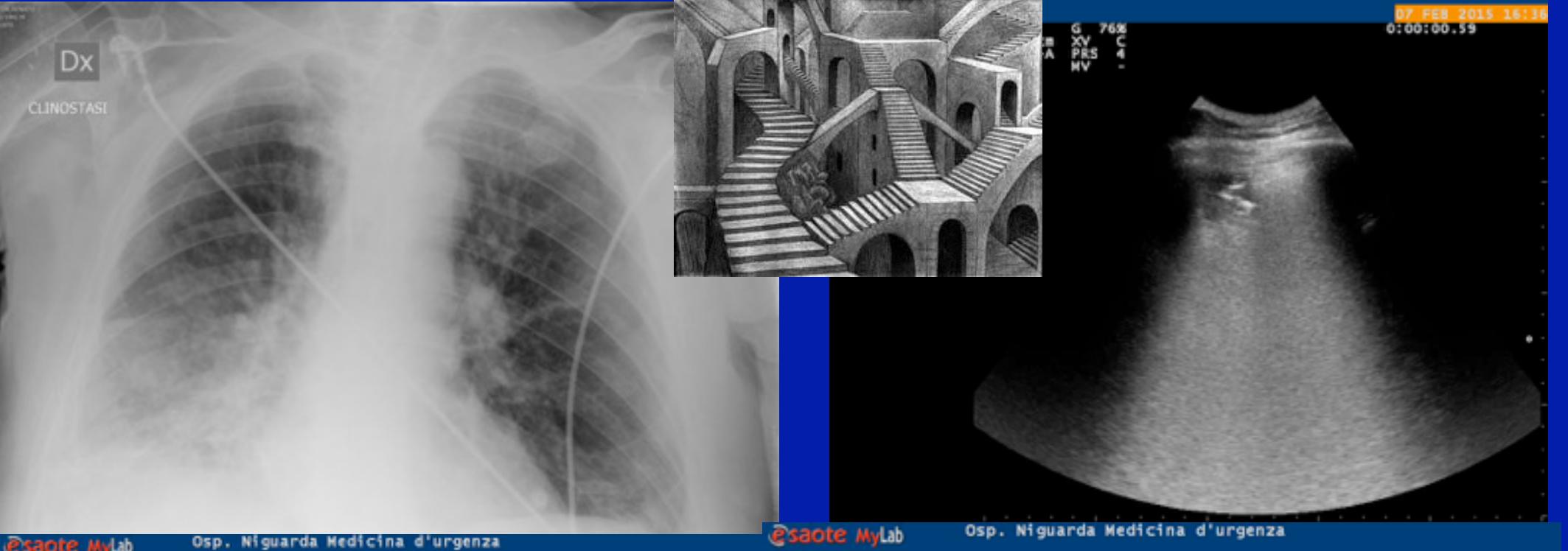
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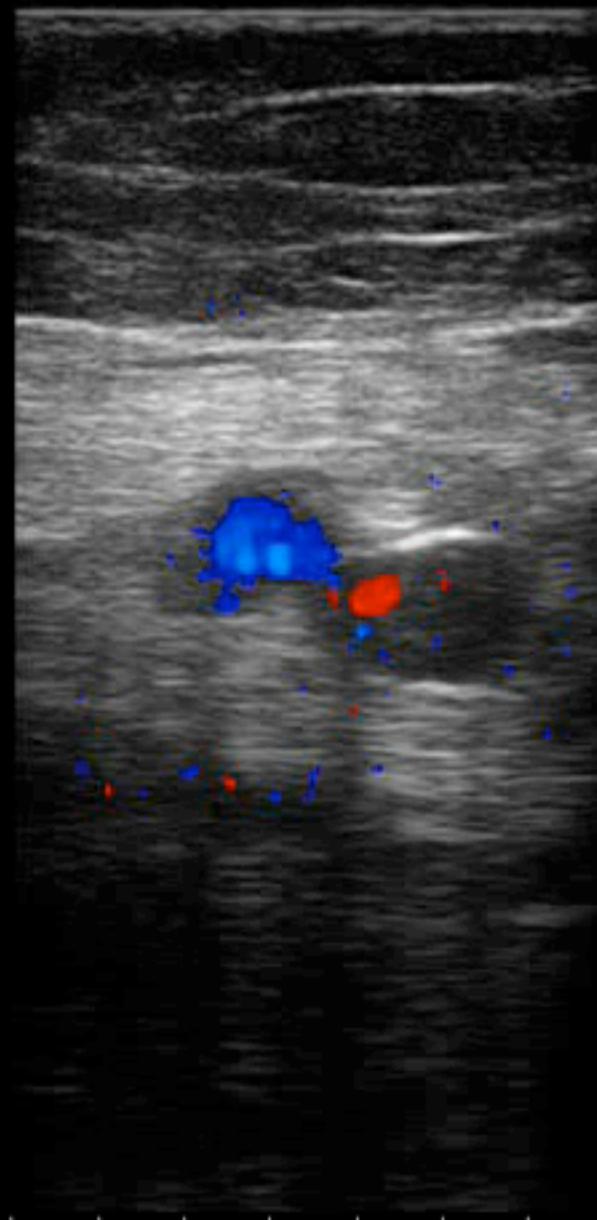
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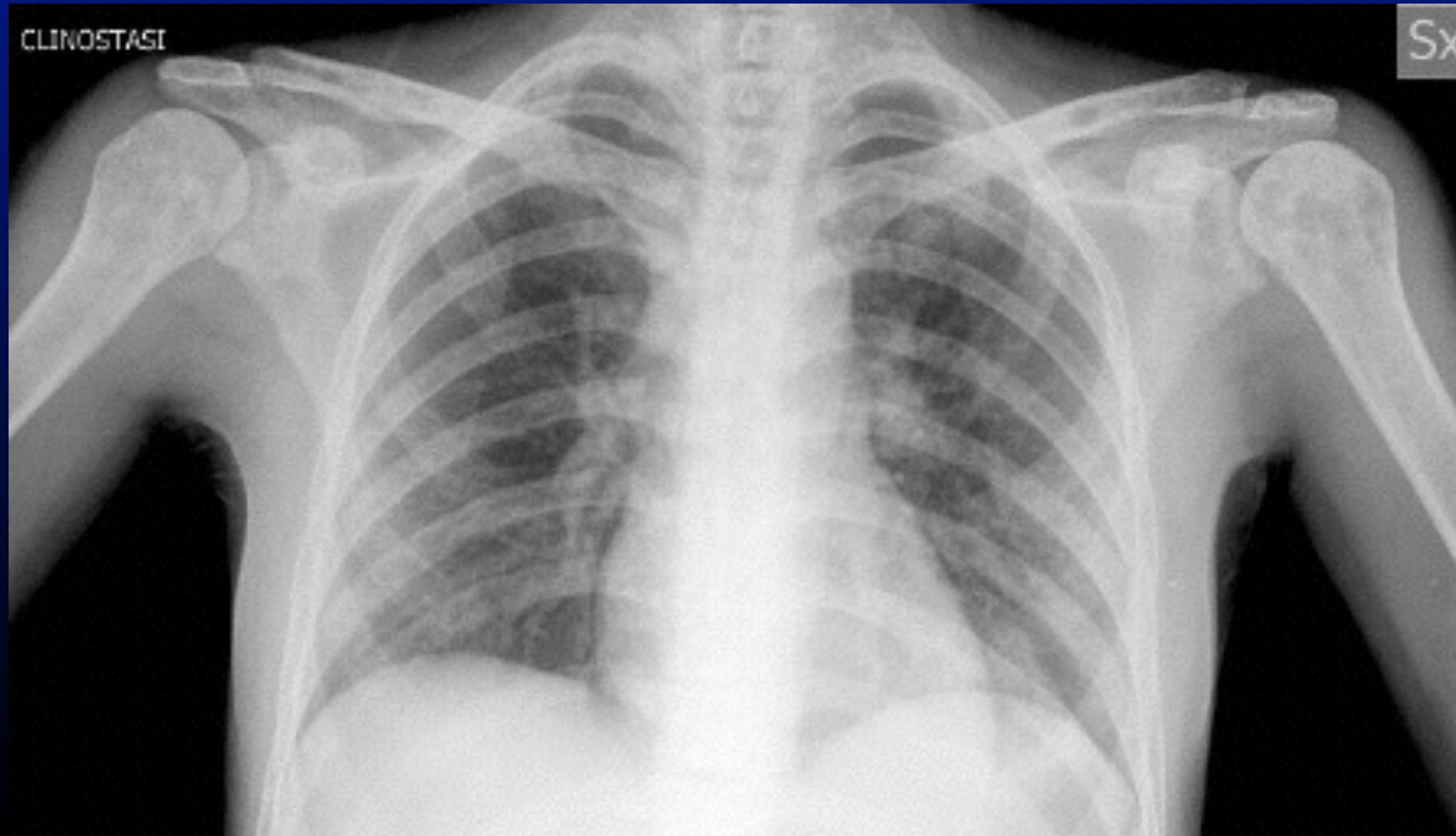
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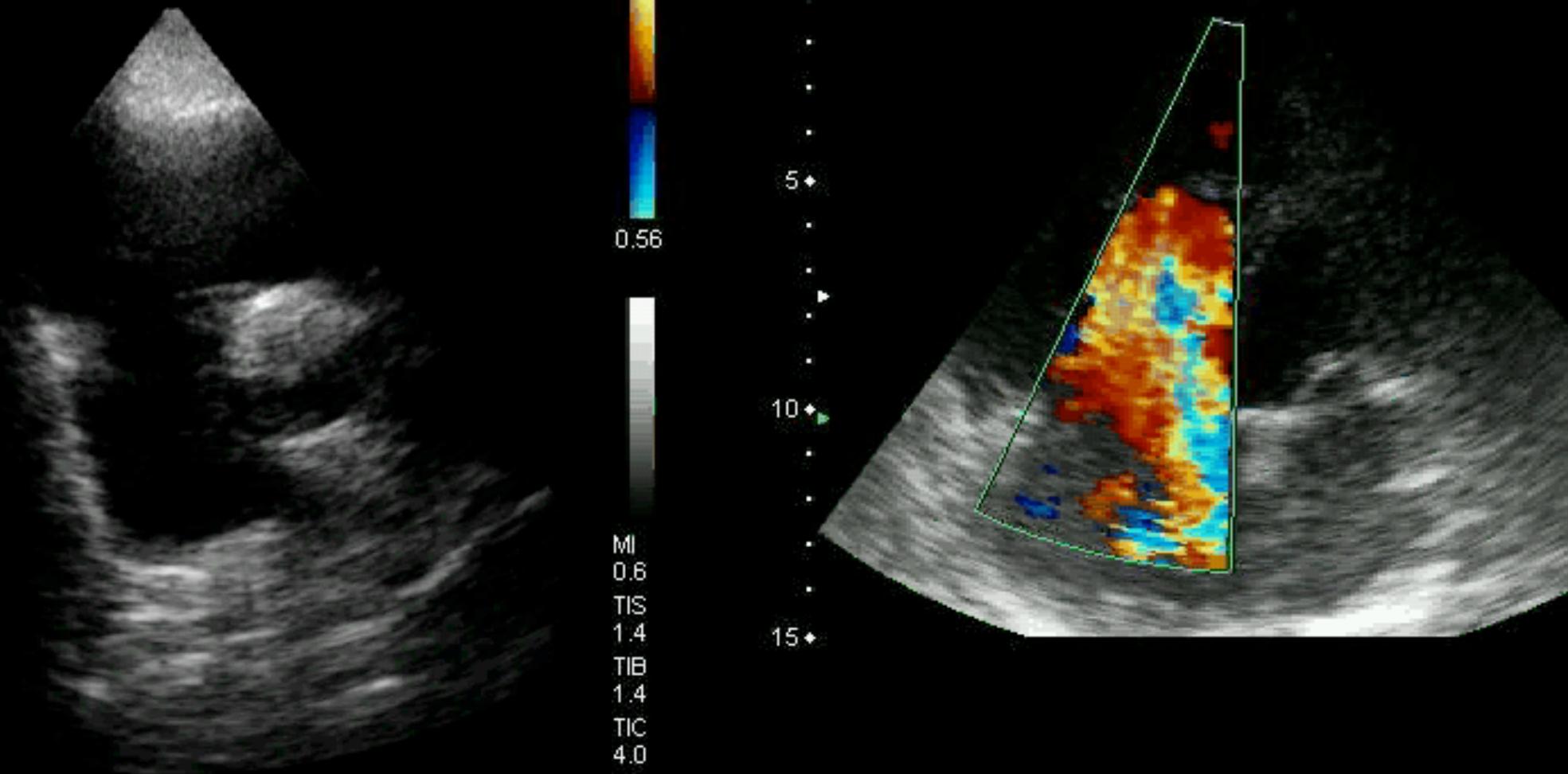
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- ***Diagnosi e trattamento precoce della fonte***

## SPAZIO PER L'ECOGRAFIA?

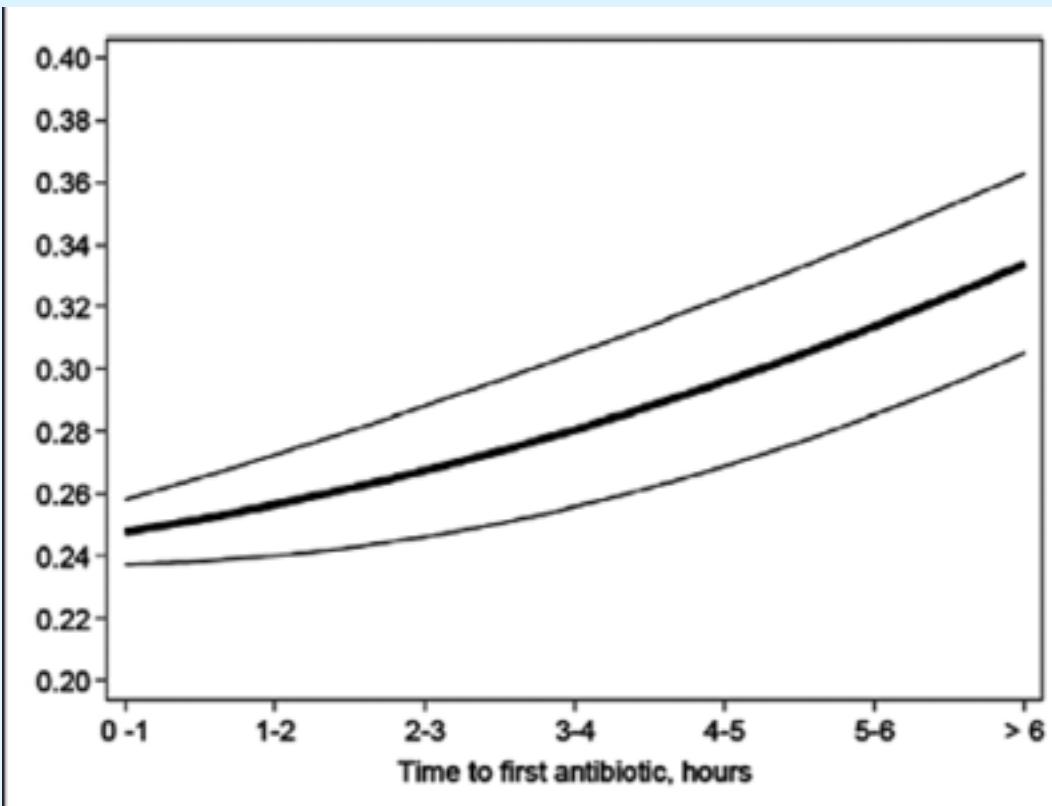


- 2. We recommend that imaging studies be performed promptly in attempts to confirm a potential source of infection. Sampling of potential sources of infection should occur as they are identified; however, some patients may be too unstable to warrant certain invasive procedures or transport outside of the ICU. Bedside studies, such as ultrasound, are useful in these circumstances (Grade IC).

# Empiric Antibiotic Treatment Reduces Mortality in Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock From the First Hour: Results From a Guideline-Based Performance Improvement Program\*

Ricard Ferrer, MD, PhD<sup>1</sup>; Ignacio Martin-Lloeches, MD, PhD<sup>2</sup>; Gary Phillips, MAS<sup>3</sup>;

Crit Care Med 2014; 42:1749–1755



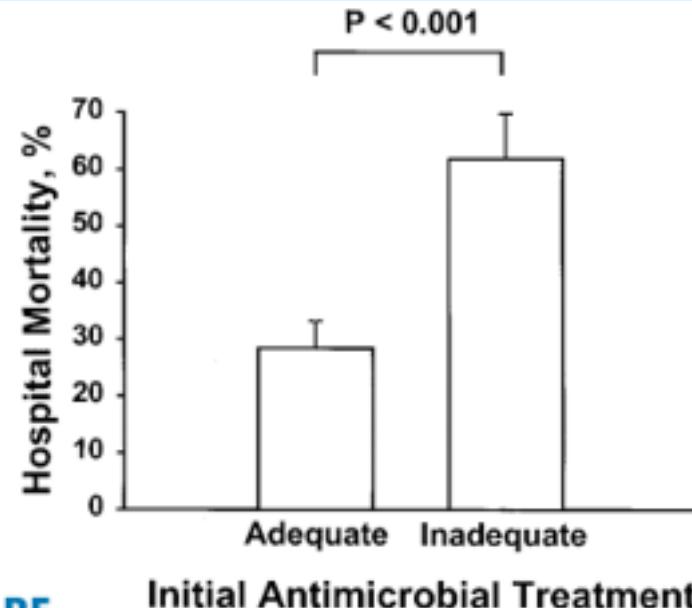
underscore the importance of early identification and treatment  
sepsis Crit Care Med 2014; 42:1749–1755)

should be recognized as an urgent situation that requires immediate response.

# The Influence of Inadequate Antimicrobial Treatment of Bloodstream Infections on Patient Outcomes in the ICU Setting\*

Emad H. Ibrahim, MD; Glenda Sherman, RN; Suzanne Ward, RN;  
Victoria J. Fraser, MD; and Marin H. Kollef, MD, FCCP

(CHEST 2000; 118:146–155)



Marquet et al. Critical Care (2015) 19:63  
DOI 10.1186/s13054-015-0795-y



RESEARCH

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## Incidence and outcome of inappropriate in-hospital empiric antibiotics for severe infection: a systematic review and meta-analysis

Kristel Marquet<sup>1,2\*</sup>, An Liesenborgs<sup>2</sup>, Jochen Bergs<sup>3</sup>, Arthur Vleugels<sup>1,4</sup> and Neree Claes<sup>1,5</sup>

Conclusions: This systematic review with meta-analysis provides evidence that inappropriate use of empiric antibiotics increases 30-day and in-hospital mortality in patients with a severe infection

.....scorretta nel 50% dei casi

- Hit early
- Hit right

## C'è il sospetto di un' infezione?

Tosse produttiva, dolore toracico, dispnea;

Dolore addominale, diarrea vomito;

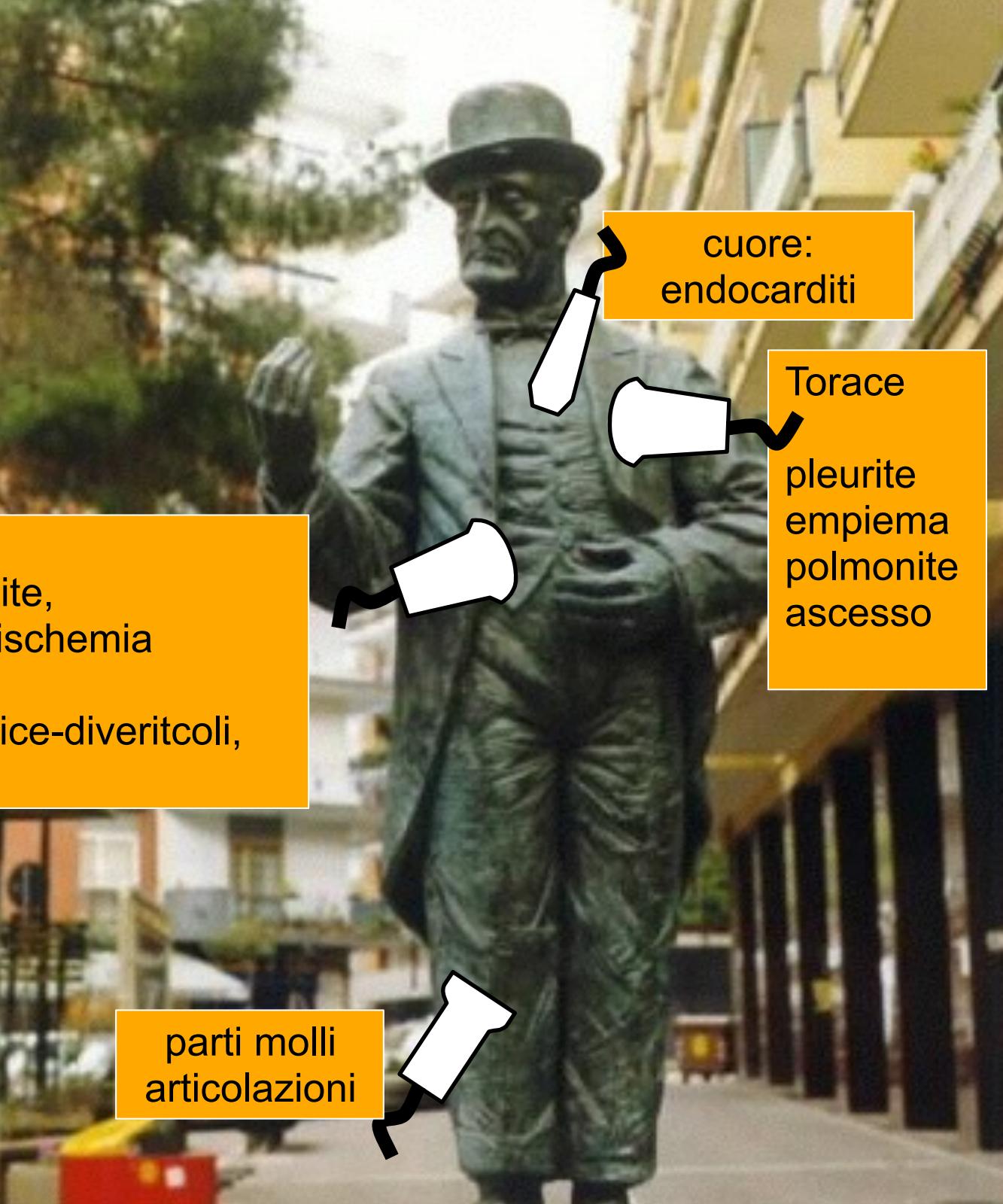
Disuria, urine turbide, dolore al fianco;

Cefalea con rigor nucale, alterazione sensorio, otalgia, faringite;

Dolore localizzato ± flogosi cute o articolazioni  
Endocardite.



ECOGRAFIA point of care:POCUS



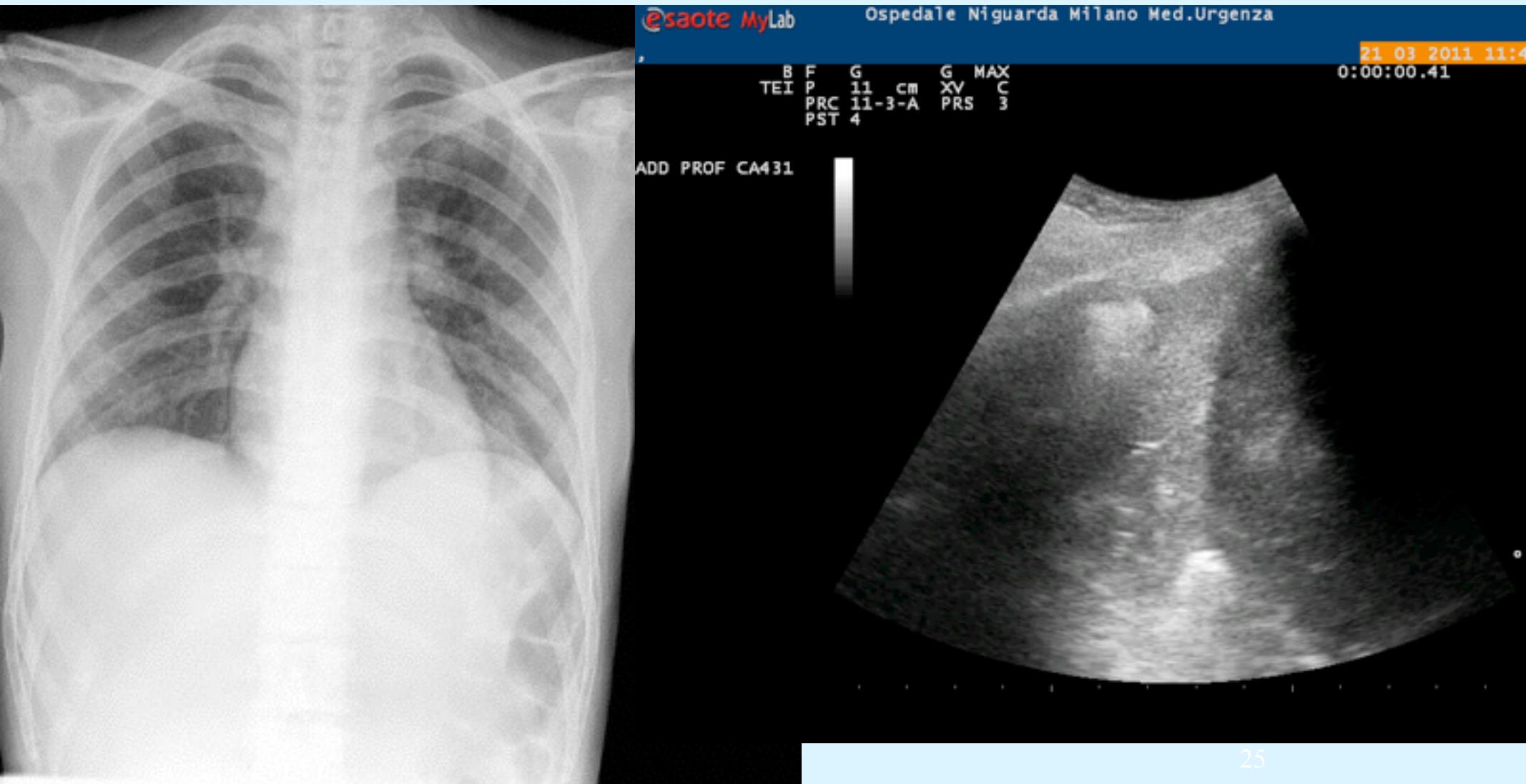
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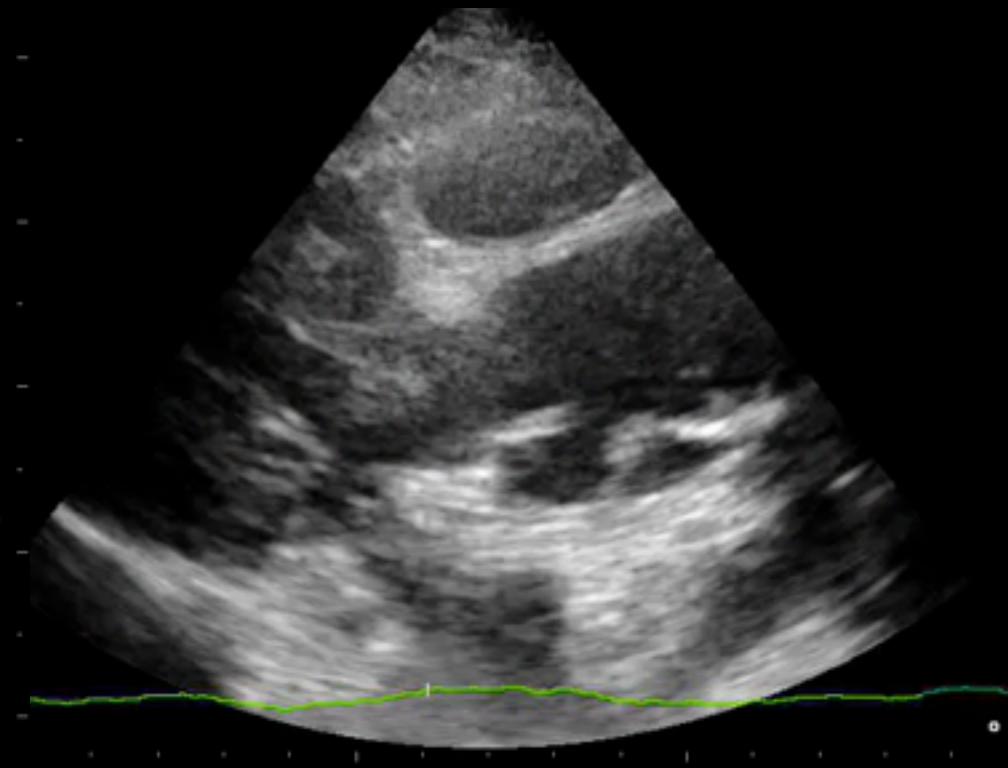
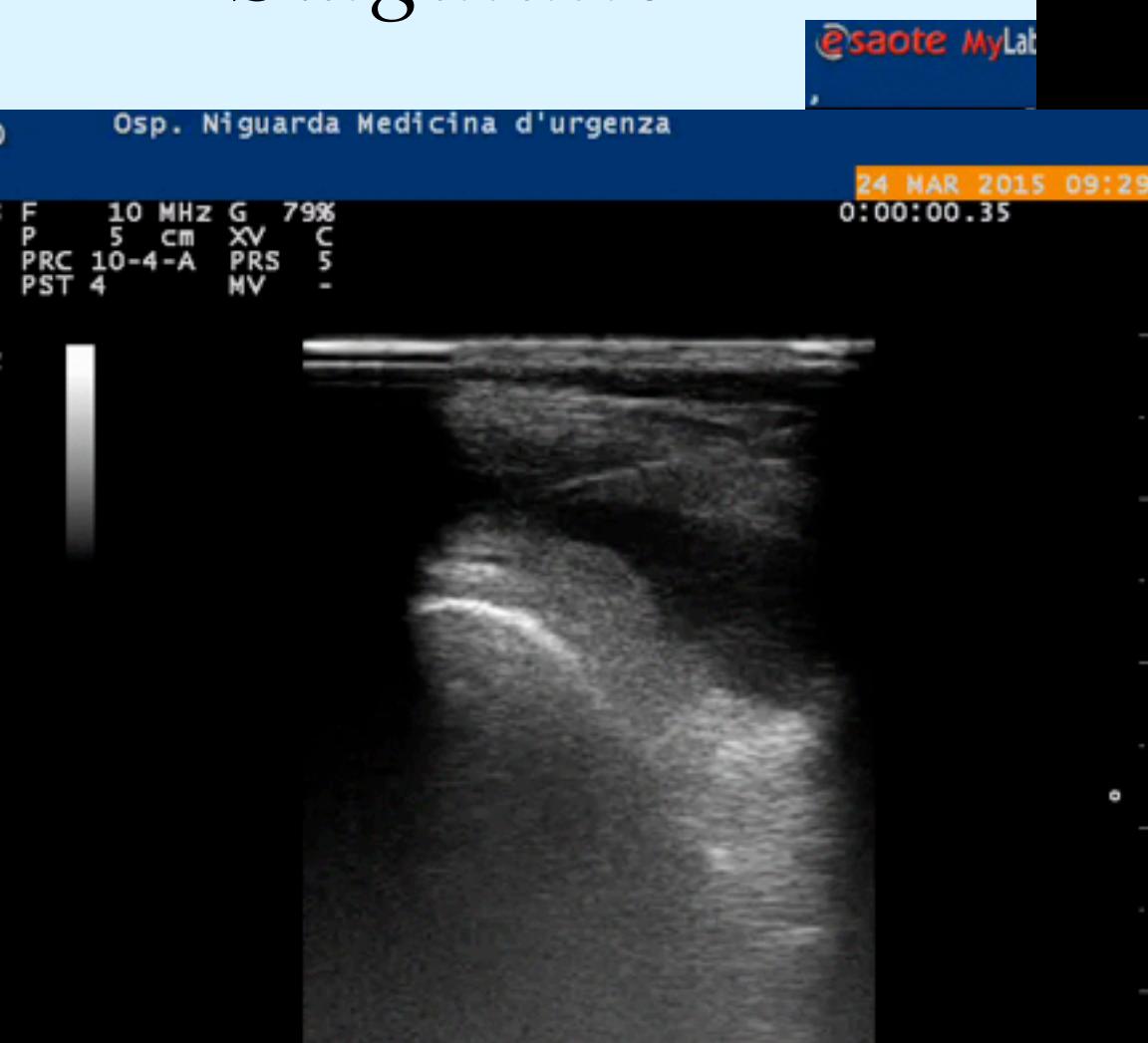
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- *Diagnosi e trattamento precoce della fonte*



*artrite e....*  
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**MA CON L'ECOGRAFIA  
BEDSIDE SIAMO ACCURATI?**

EM - ORIGINAL

## Accuracy of point of care ultrasound to identify the source of infection in septic patients: a prospective study

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Marta Velati<sup>1</sup> · Linda Guarnieri<sup>1</sup> · Katia Barbara Cazzola<sup>1</sup> · Silvia Colombo<sup>1</sup> ·  
Daniele Coen<sup>1</sup>

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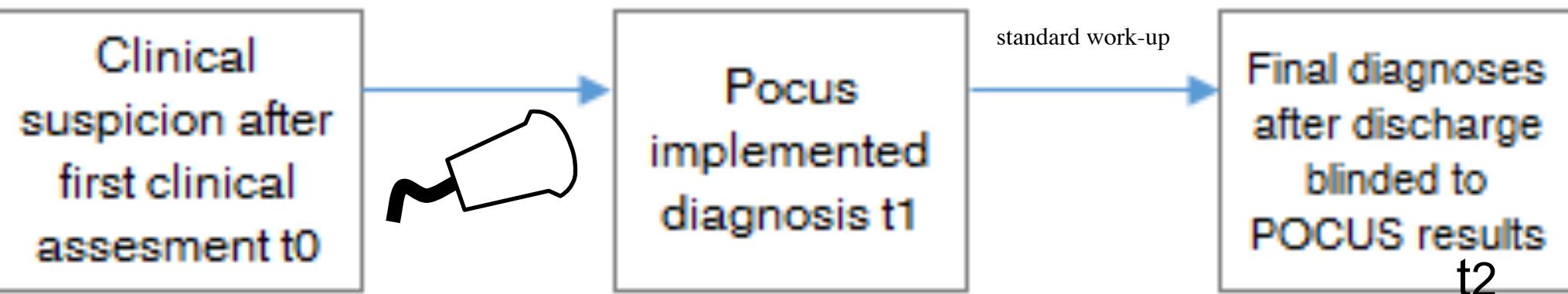
### Objective:

The aim of this study was to compare the accuracy of the standard diagnostic work-up of septic patients with an integrated approach using early point of care ultrasound (POCUS) to identify the source of infection and to speed up the time to diagnosis, compared with the final diagnosis.

# STUDY DESIGN:

Prospective clinical study (March 2015-September 2015)

## Fig. 1. Study Protocol



t2 : two emergency physicians, blinded to POCUS results and experienced in sepsis, independently reviewed the entire medical records of patients and indicated the source of patient's sepsis.

# Results:

200 patients

A diagnosis of septic source after standard work-up was possible in 178/200 patients ( 89%).

**Table 1.** Identified Septic Sources

	no. 79	% 39,5
<b>Respiratory infections</b>		
Pneumonia	79	39,5
<b>Abdominal infections</b>		
Cholecystitis	39	19,5
Cholangitis	13	6,5
Appendicitis	11	5,5
Diverticulitis	6	3,0
Intra-abdominal abscesses	6	3,0
	3	1,5
<b>Urosepsis</b>	46	23,0
Urinary tract infections (UTI)	29	14,5
Hydronephrosis/Pyelonephritis	17	8,5
<b>Endocarditis</b>	2	1,0
<b>Joint abscesses</b>	1	0,5
<b>Musculoskeletal abscesses</b>	2	1,0
<b>Hepatic abscesses</b>	1	0,5
<b>Meningitis</b>	2	1,0
<b>Others</b>	6	3,0
<b>Total identified</b>	178	89,0
<b>Unidentified Septic Source</b>	22	11,0
<b>Total</b>	200	30 100,0

**Table 5.** Sensitivity and Specificity of clinical suspicion Vs Final Diagnosis (standard reference)

	Final Diagnosis <sup>a</sup> +	Final Diagnosis <sup>a</sup> -	<b>TOT.</b>
Clinical <sup>b</sup> +	86 (48%)	3 (14%)	<b>131</b>
Clinical <sup>b</sup> -	92 (52%)	19 (86%)	<b>69</b>
<b>TOT.</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>200</b>

<sup>a</sup>: Final diagnosis at t2

<sup>b</sup>: Clinical suspicion at t0

Accuracy of diagnosis after clinical suspicion was 52,5%

**POCUS implemented diagnoses**  
**Sensitivity of 73% (IC 95% 66- 79%)**  
**Specificity of 95% (IC 95% 77- 99%).**

**Table 4.** Sensitivity and Specificity of POCUS diagnosis Vs Final Diagnosis (standard reference)

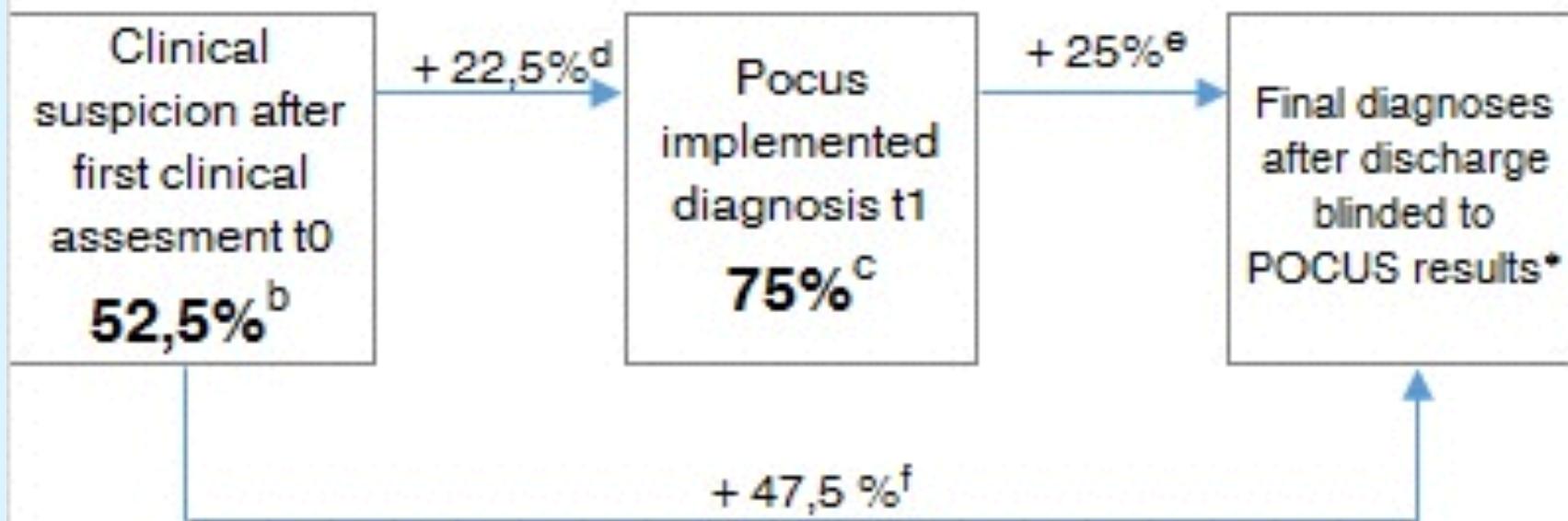
	Final Diagnosis <sup>a</sup> +	Final Diagnosis <sup>a</sup> -	TOT.
POCUS <sup>b</sup> +	130 (73%)	1 (4%)	<b>131</b>
POCUS <sup>b</sup> -	48 (27%)	21 (96%)	<b>69</b>
<b>TOT.</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>200</b>

<sup>a</sup>: Final diagnosis at t2

<sup>b</sup>: POCUS diagnosis at t1

Accuracy of diagnosis POCUS implemented diagnosis was 75%

**Fig. 3.** POCUS accuracy improvements<sup>a</sup>



a: p < 0,1 with two-tailed McNemar test

b: accuracy of clinical suspicious

c: accuracy of POCUS implemented diagnoses

d: improvement in accuracy between t0 and t1

e: improvement in accuracy between t1 and t2

f: improvement in accuracy between t0 and t2

\*Gold Standard

**Table 7.** Sensitivity of POCUS diagnosis Vs Final Diagnosis (Standard Reference) grouped by anatomic district

			95%CI-		95%CI+
Respiratory infections	SENS: 0,97 ± 0,03		0,93	-	1,00
Abdominal infections	SENS: 0,79 ± 0,13		0,67	-	0,92
Urosepsis	SENS: 0,33 ± 0,14		0,19	-	0,46
Endocarditis <sup>a</sup>	SENS: 0,50 ± 0,69		0,00	-	1,00
Joint abscesses <sup>a</sup>	SENS: 1,00 ± 0,00		1,00	-	1,00
Musculoskeletal abscesses <sup>a</sup>	SENS: 1,00 ± 0,00		1,00	-	1,00
Others	SENS: 0,33 ± 0,31		0,03	-	0,64

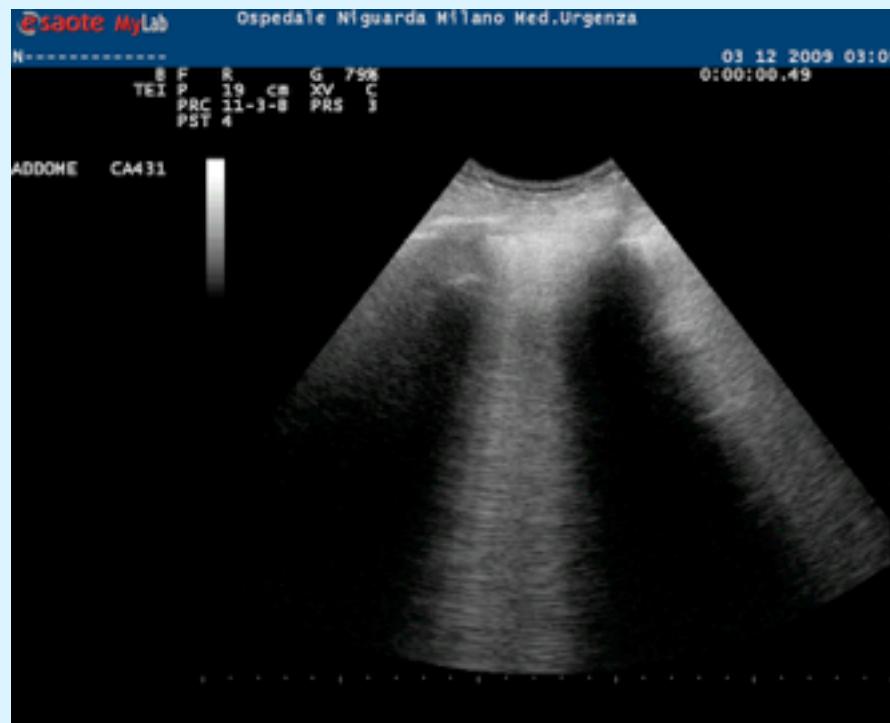
<sup>a</sup>: inadequate sub-sample size

A 75% accuracy of POCUS-based work-up in our study should be considered a (very) good result as we included in diagnostic work up with ultrasound also patients with suspected urosepsis.

# Specificity of 95%.....Needless antimicrobial therapy

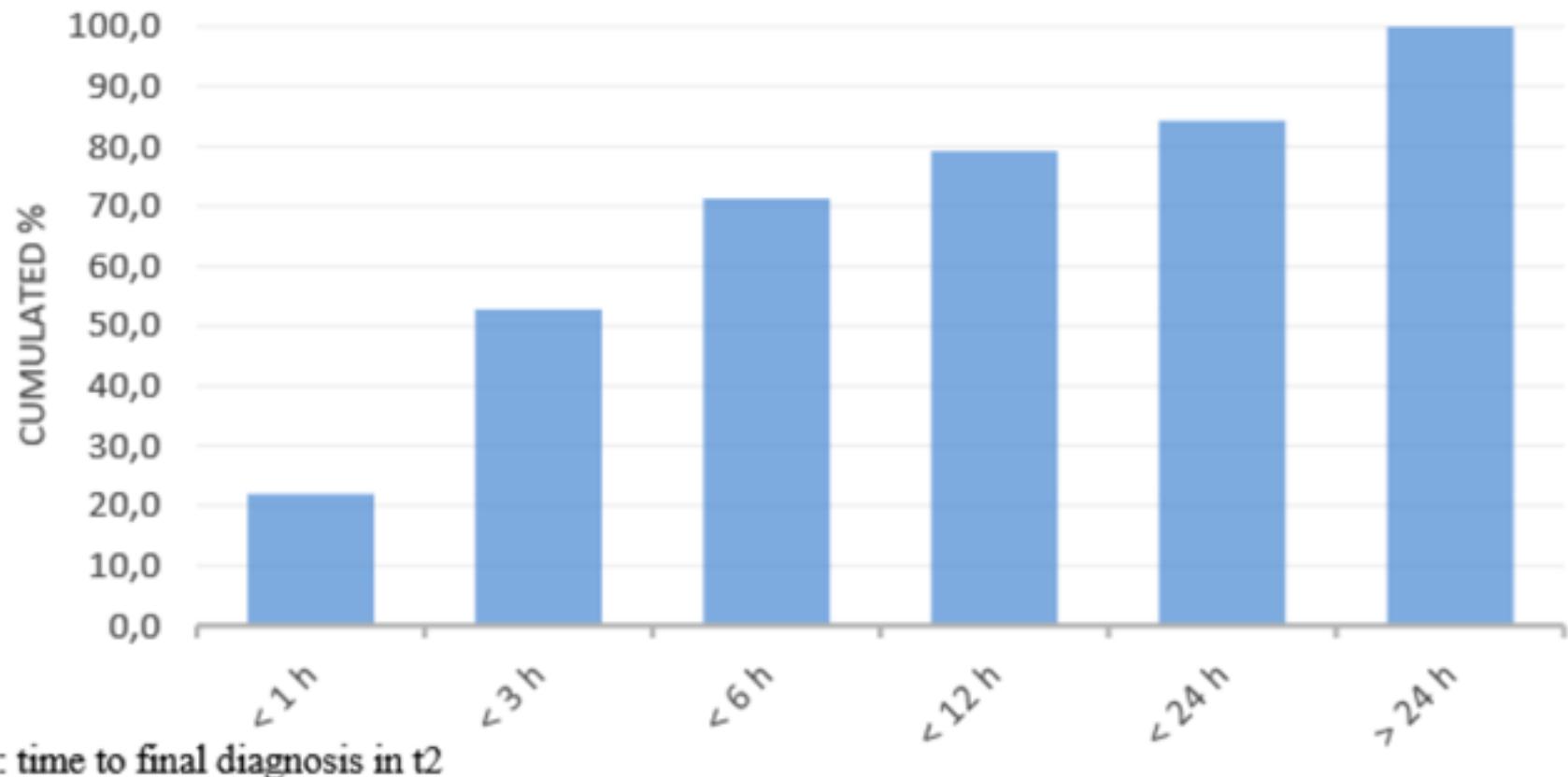
Relevant and emerging problem

CAP: 17% of patients hospitalized did not have an infection



## Time to diagnosis after standard work-up

**Graph 2.** Timing to diagnosis<sup>a</sup>



<sup>a</sup>: time to final diagnosis in t2

**Standard imaging work-up diagnosis:**  
**within 1 hour in only 21.9% , within 3 hours in 52.8%**

# POCUS & EARLY MANAGEMENT :

- POCUS results influenced the **early** management of patients in **35%**
  - in 24% the **antimicrobial therapy** chosen after the first clinical evaluation was changed
  - in 22% --> **interventional source control:**
    - surgery
    - drainage of thoracic empyema or septic arthritis
    - endoscopic removal of biliary tract calculi in cholangitis
    - nephrostomya in ureteral calculi
- NECESSITA' DI PROTOCOLLI CONDIVISI**

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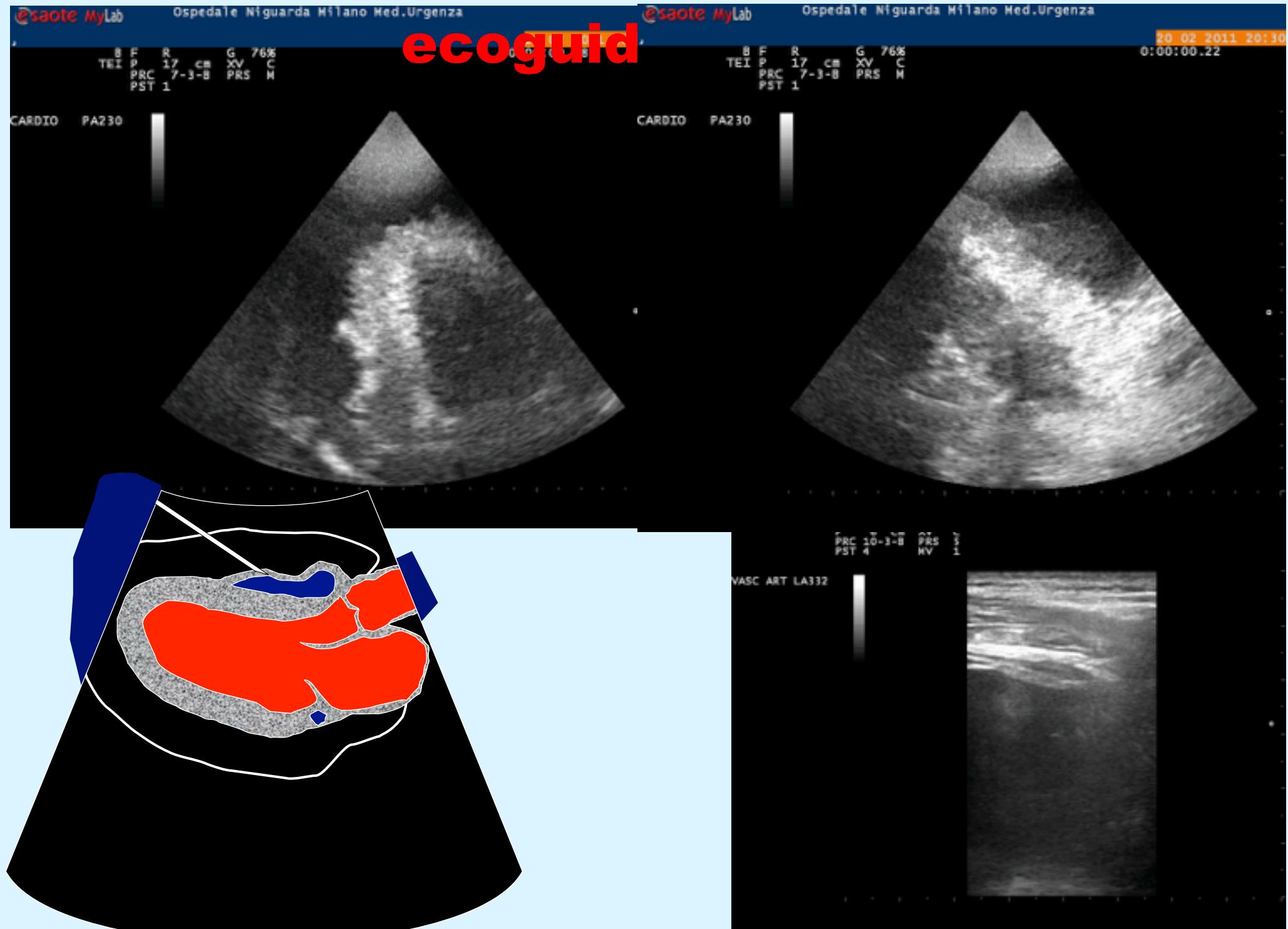


Idronefrosi dx con ureterolitiasi:  
contattato radiologo interventista per nefrostomia  
percutanea

# ● FEBBRE IN DIALIZZATO PERITONEALE



# Pericardite tubercolare





REVIEW

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## WSES Jerusalem guidelines for diagnosis and treatment of acute appendicitis

**Statement 7.1:** Percutaneous drainage of a periappendicular abscess, if accessible, is an appropriate treatment in addition to antibiotics for complicated appendicitis. (EL 2, GOR B)

**Statement 7.2:** Non-operative management is a reasonable first line treatment for appendicitis with phlegmon or abscess. (EL 1, GOR A)

- ***Diagnosi precoce FONTE SETTICA...***

## ORIGINAL ARTICLE



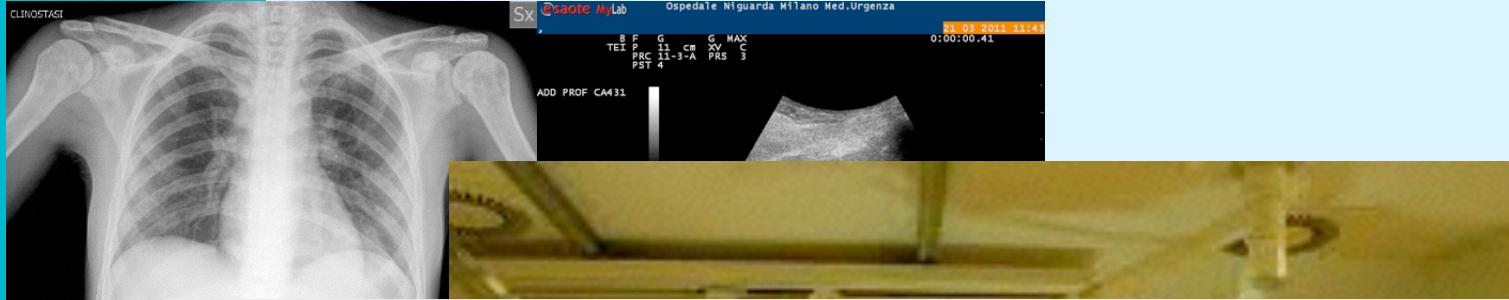
### Association between Source of Infection and Hospital Mortality in Patients Who Have Septic Shock

Aleksandra Leligdowicz<sup>1</sup>, Peter M. Dodek<sup>2,3</sup>, Monica Norena<sup>3</sup>, Hubert Wong<sup>3,4</sup>, Aseem Kumar<sup>5</sup>, and Anand Kumar<sup>6</sup>; for the Co-operative Antimicrobial Therapy of Septic Shock Database Research Group\*

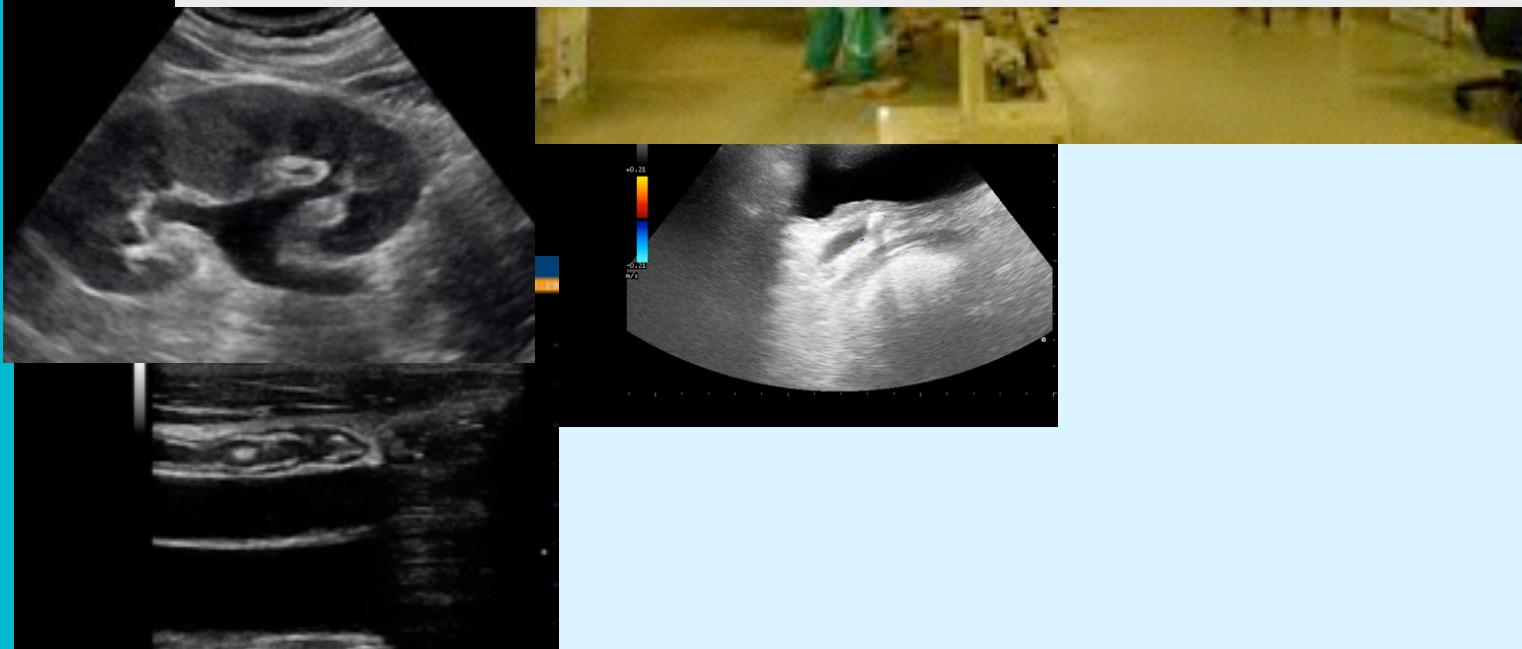
Am J Respir Crit Care Med Vol 189, Iss 10, pp 1204–1213, May 15, 2014

- **Studio osservazionale retrospettivo** in 29 ICU di 3 paesi (Canada, USA Arabia Saudita), tra il 1989 e il 2008 –
- **8670 pazienti consecutivi con shock settico**
  - Infezioni comunitarie 61% – ospedaliere 39%
  - Esami culturali positivi nel 69% dei casi (emoculture positive nel 33% )
  - gram negativi 50%, gram positivi 37%, anaerobi 5%, funghi e M.Tuberculosis 8%

FONTE INFETTIVA	Prevalenza	Mortalità
Infezione disseminata	1,5%	
Intestino ischemico	5,3%	> 70%
Peritonite batterica spontanea	2,0%	
Colite da Cl. Difficile	2,6%	
Altre infezioni endo-addominali	0,5%	
Infezione primaria del sangue	5,0%	54-70%
Viscere perforato	9,4%	
Polmone	40,1%	54%
Peritonite / ascesso / ostruzione ileale	3,7%	
Artrite / osteomielite	0,8%	
Pancreatite	1,1%	
Infezione del SNC	0,8%	40-54%
Infezione di sito chirurgico	1,1%	
Cellulite / fascite necrotizzante / decubito	6,9%	
Catetere intravascolare	3,2%	
Colecistite / colangite	4,2%	
Altre	0,9%	
Pielonefrite	9,4%	<40%
Enterocolite / diverticolite	0,3%	
Uropatia ostruttiva con infezione	1,2%	



- It is likely that wider use of POCUS will allow a faster diagnosis, conducive to a more prompt and appropriate antimicrobial therapy and source control strategy.



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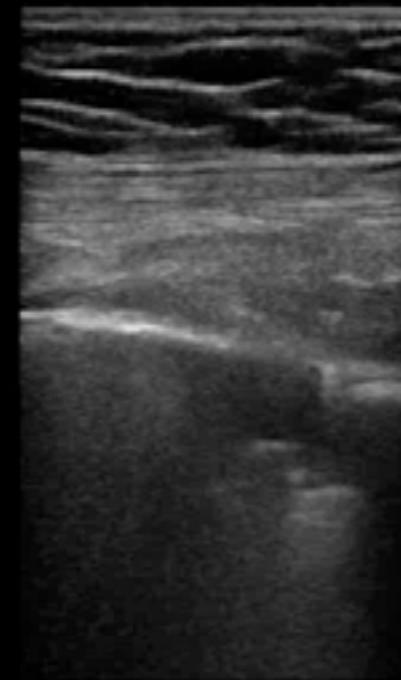
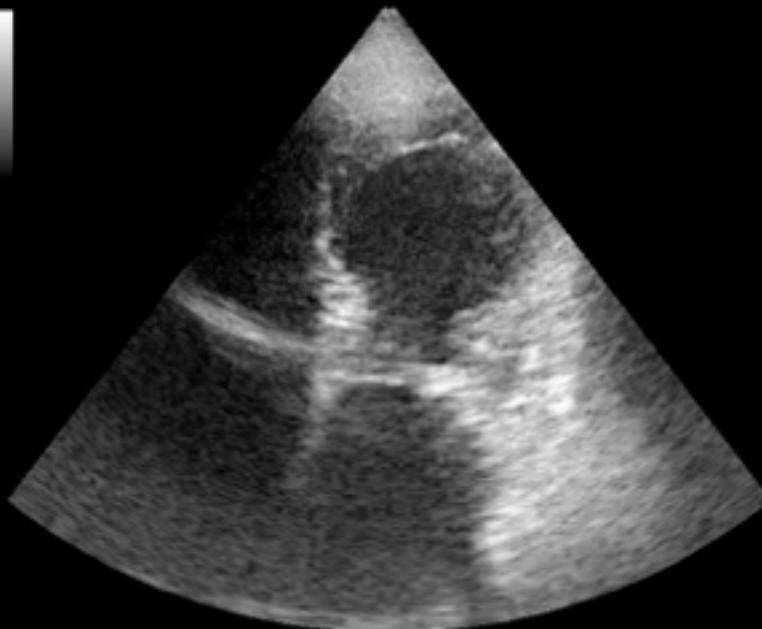
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“Experience is simply the name we give our mistakes.”  
Oscar Wilde



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