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= Abstract =

Comparison of Postoperative LV Function after Mitral Valve Repair and Mitral Valve Replacement and Predictor of Postoperative LV Function in Chronic Mitral Regurgitation

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Background: Long-term survival after surgical correction of mitral regurgitation is associated with preservation of left ventricular systolic function after operation. And mitral valve repair has been suggested to provide a better postoperative left ventricular systolic function. Accordingly, we intended to compare the operative results of mitral valve repair with those of mitral valve replacement and search for preoperative predictors of postoperative left ventricular systolic function.

Materials and Methods: The clinical features, echocardiographic measurements, and cardiac catheterization results of 75 patients operated between January 1984 and December 1994 for acquired pure mitral regurgitation were analyzed.

Results: Of the 75 patients, 39 patients had mitral valve repair, and 36 patients had mitral valve replacement. When the outcomes of mitral valve repair and mitral valve replacement were compared, left ventricular ejection fraction decreased significantly after surgery in both groups but postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction was greater in valve repair group than in valve replacement group. Data analysis of preoperative variables showed that echocardiographic left ventricular end-diastolic

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diameter (p<05), but not other clinical and echocardiographic variables, were predictors of postoperative left ventricular systolic function.

Conclusions: After surgical correction of chronic organic mitral regurgitation, left ventricular dysfunction is frequent and valve repair decreases the severity of left ventricular dysfunction. And the most powerful predictor of postoperative left ventricular systolic function is preoperative left ventricular end-diastolic diameter measured by echocardiography.

KEY WORDS: Mitral regurgitation · Mitral valve repair · Mitral valve replacement.

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Table 1. Preoperative patient characteristics

Preoperative variable	Overal patiens, n=75
M : F	36:39
Age, years	39 ± 14
Functional class - , %	52
Systolic BP, mmHg	113 ± 16
Atrial fibrillation, %	51
LVESD, mm	45 ± 9
LVEDD, mm	65 ± 10
LVEF, %	63 ± 14
LA diameter, mm	55 ± 11
LVEDP, mmHg	10 ± 5
Systolic PAP, mmHg	45 ± 22
Mean PAP, mmHg	30 ± 15
Cardiac index, L/min./m ²	2.9 ± 1.2
Cardiopulmonary bypass time, minutes	103 ± 62
Aorta cross clamp time, minutes	68 ± 35

M, male; F, female; BP, blood presure; LVESD, left ventricular end-systolic diameter; LVEDD, left ventricular end-diastolic diameter; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; LA, left atrium; LVEDP, left ventricular end-diastolic pressure; PAP, pulmonary artery pressure

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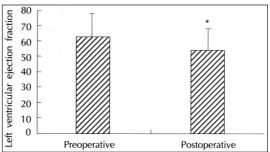


Fig. 1. Change in left ventricular ejection fraction before and after operation. In overall patients left ventricular ejection fraction decreased significantly after operation, from 63±14(%) to 55±14(%), and the amount of decrease was 8±19(%).*:p<0.05

Table 2. Comparison of preoperative variables in mital valve repair group and mitral valve replacement group

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Preoperative variable	Mitral valve	Mitral valve	P-value
valiable	repair n=39	replacement n=36	
Sex(M:F)	20:19	16:20	NS
Age, years	40 ± 14	39 ± 13	NS
Functional class - , %	56	48	NS
Systolic BP, mmHg	114 ± 16	113 ± 15	NS
Atrial fibrillation, %	38	66	NS
LVESD, mm	43 ± 10	47 ± 8	NS
LVEDD, mm	64 ± 11	67 ± 10	NS
LVEF, %	63 ± 14	63 ± 13	NS
LA diameter, mm	55 ± 10	56 ± 13	NS
LVEDP, mmHg	11± 6	9 ± 5	NS
Systolic PAP, mmHg	43 ± 19	47 ± 24	NS
Mean PAP, mmHg	30 ± 13	30 ± 17	NS
Cardiac index, L/min./m ²	3.0 ± 1.3	2.8 ± 1.0	NS
Cardiopulmonary bypass time, minutes	104 ± 38	103 ± 81	NS
Aorta cross clamp time, minutes	68 ± 27	69 ± 43	NS

M, male; F, female; BP, blood pressure; LVESD, left ventricular end-systolic diameter; LVEDD, left ventricular end-diastolic diameter; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; LA, left atrium; LVEDP, left ventricular end-diastolic pressure; PAP, pulmonary artery pressure

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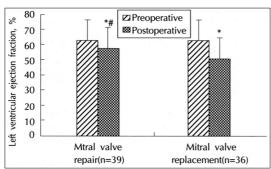


Fig. 2. Changes in left ventricular ejection fraction before and after operation in mitral valve repair and mitral valve replacement. In mitral valve repair group, postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction $(58 \pm 12 \%]$) was greater than that of mital valve replacement group $(51 \pm 15 \%]$). *p<0.05 vs. preoperative value

#p<0.05 vs. mital valve replacement group

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Table 3. Surgical morphological findings at time of operation, n(%)

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Morphological	Overall	Mitral valve	Mitral valve	
finding	patients	repair	replacement	
	n=68	n=36	n=32	
Annular dilatation	15(22)	6(17)	9(28)	
Leaflet prolapse				
Anterior	18(26)	13(36)	5(16)	
Posterior	6(9)	5(14)	1(3)	
Leaflet retraction				
Anterior	12(18)	7(19)	5(16)	
Posterior	11(16)	7(19)	4(13)	
Leaflet thickening				
Anterior	44(65)	23(64)	21(66)	
Posterior	40(59)	21(58)	19(59)	
Commissural fusion	23(34)	12(33)	11(34)	
Chordae				
Rupture	2(31)	16(44)	5(16)	
Elongation	14(21)	8(22)	6(19)	
Thickening	18(26)	6(17)	12(38)	
Papillary muscle				
Rupture	1(1)	0(0)	1(3)	
Fusion	4(6)	3(8)	1(3)	
Calcification	8(12)	4(11)	4(13)	

Table 4. Histological findings of mitral regurgitation, n(%)

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Histological	Overall	Mitral valve	Mitral valve
etiology	patients	repair	replacement
	n=41	n=17	n=24
Rheumatic	29(71)	19(79)	10(59)
Degenerative	10(24)	3(13)	7(41)
Endocarditic	2(5)	2(8)	0(0)

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Table 5. Preoperative variables: Correlations with postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction

Correlation with Postoperative LVEF		
R-value	P-value	
0.019	0.437	
- 0.164	0.083	
- 0.363	0.001	
- 0.450	0.000	
0.048	0.342	
- 0.108	0.179	
0.068	0.289	
0.097	0.215	
0.074	0.275	
0.001	0.498	
- 0.224	0.043	
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BP, blood pressure;

LVESD, left ventricular end-systolic diameter; LVEDD, left ventricular end-diastolic diameter;

LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; LA, left atrium; LVEDP, left ventricular end-diastolic pressure;

PAP, pulmonary artery pressure

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65 (mm) 65 (mm) $60 \pm 12 (\%)$ $(41) 50 \pm 14 (\%)$ (p- = 0.002) (Fig. 3).

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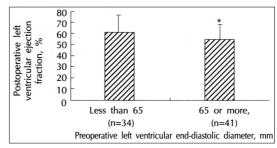


Fig. 3. Comparison of postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction of patients with preoperative left ventricular end-diastolic diameter less than 65mm and patients with 65mm or more. In patients with preoperative left ventricular end-diastolic diameter less than 65 mm, postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction was $60\pm12(\%)$ and was greater significantly than postoperative left ventricular ejection fraction $(50\pm14[\%])$ in patients with 65mm or more. *p<0.05

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