

Tracheal Deviants: The Effect of Airway on Cardiac Arrest Outcomes

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100%

Die at least once



80%

Get a prehospital airway



30%

Are left at the scene (still dead)



33%

Get ROSC



25%

Get admitted



10%

Get discharged



6%

Survive “neurologically intact”





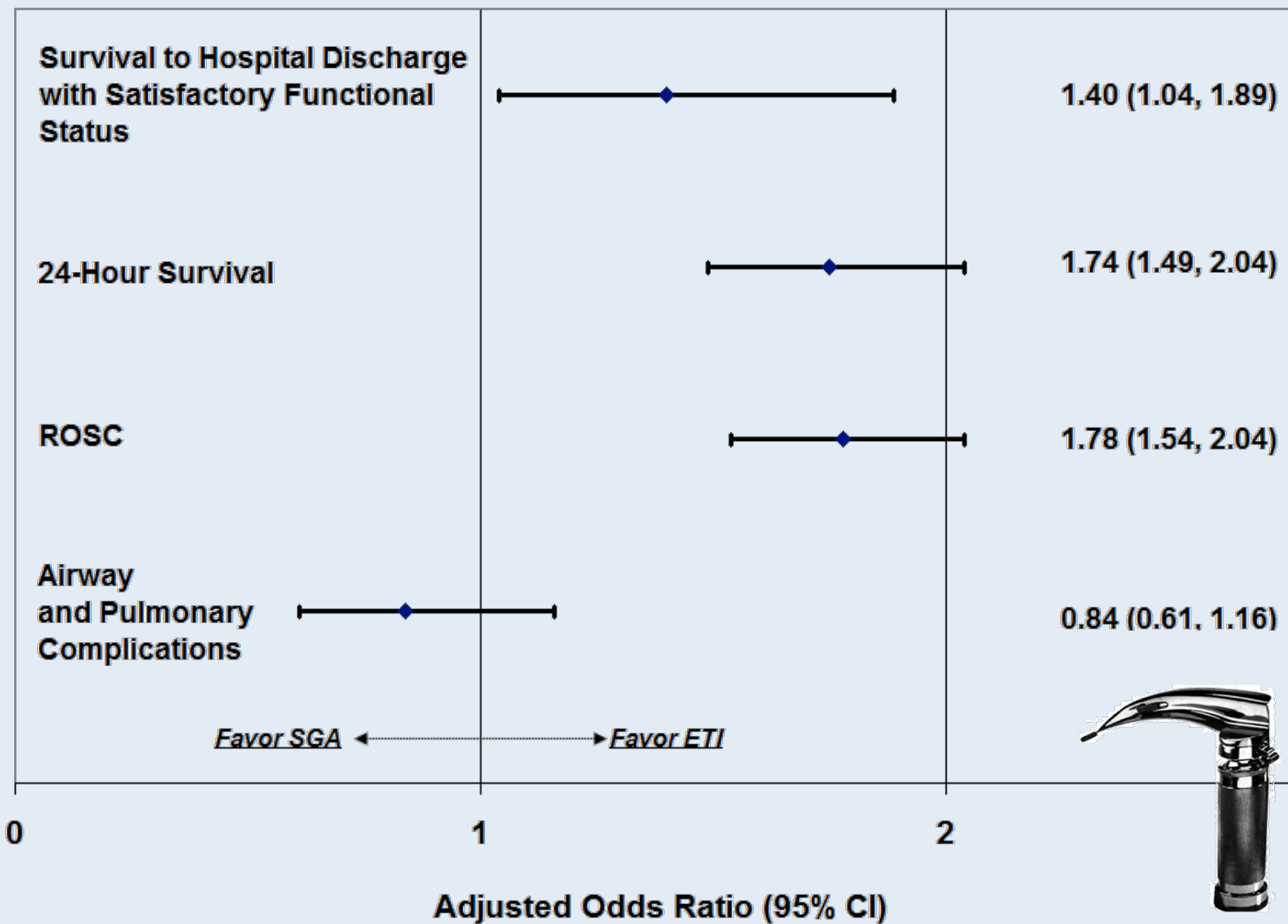
Your Choice Matters





**SGA's
ROCK!**

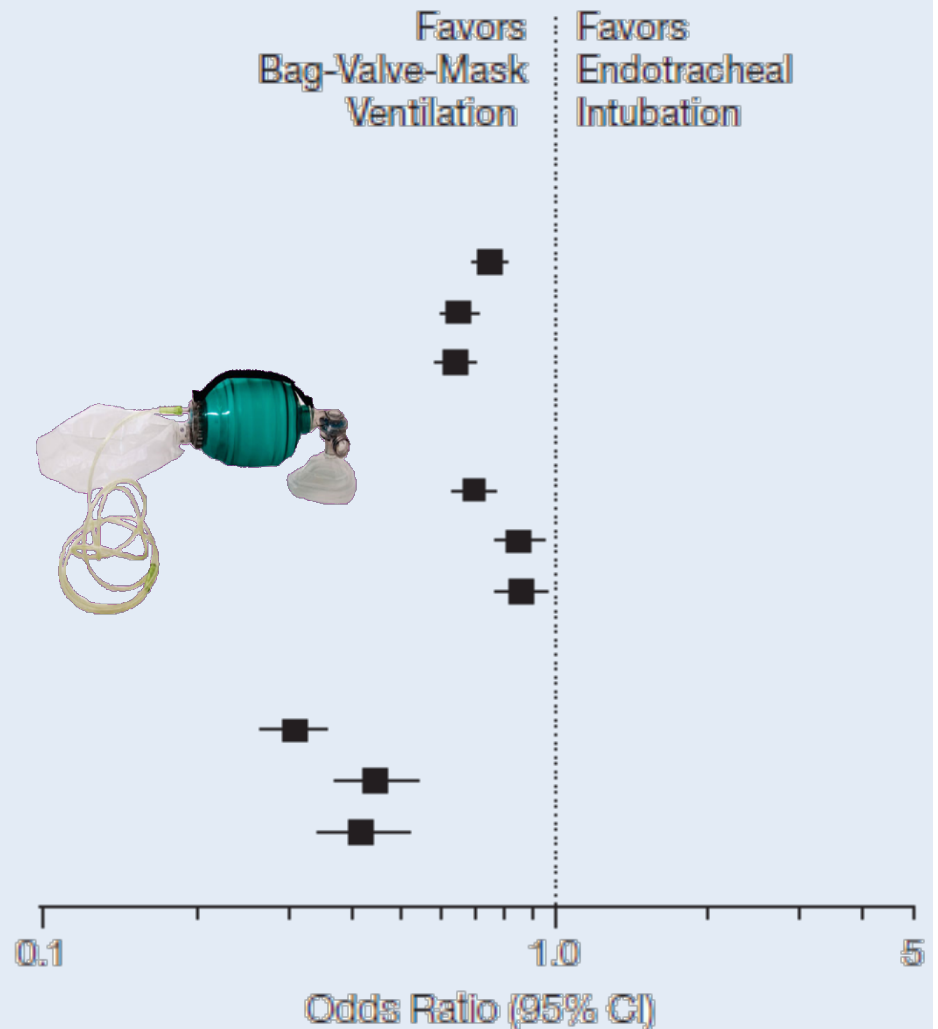




Wang, *Resuscitation* 2012

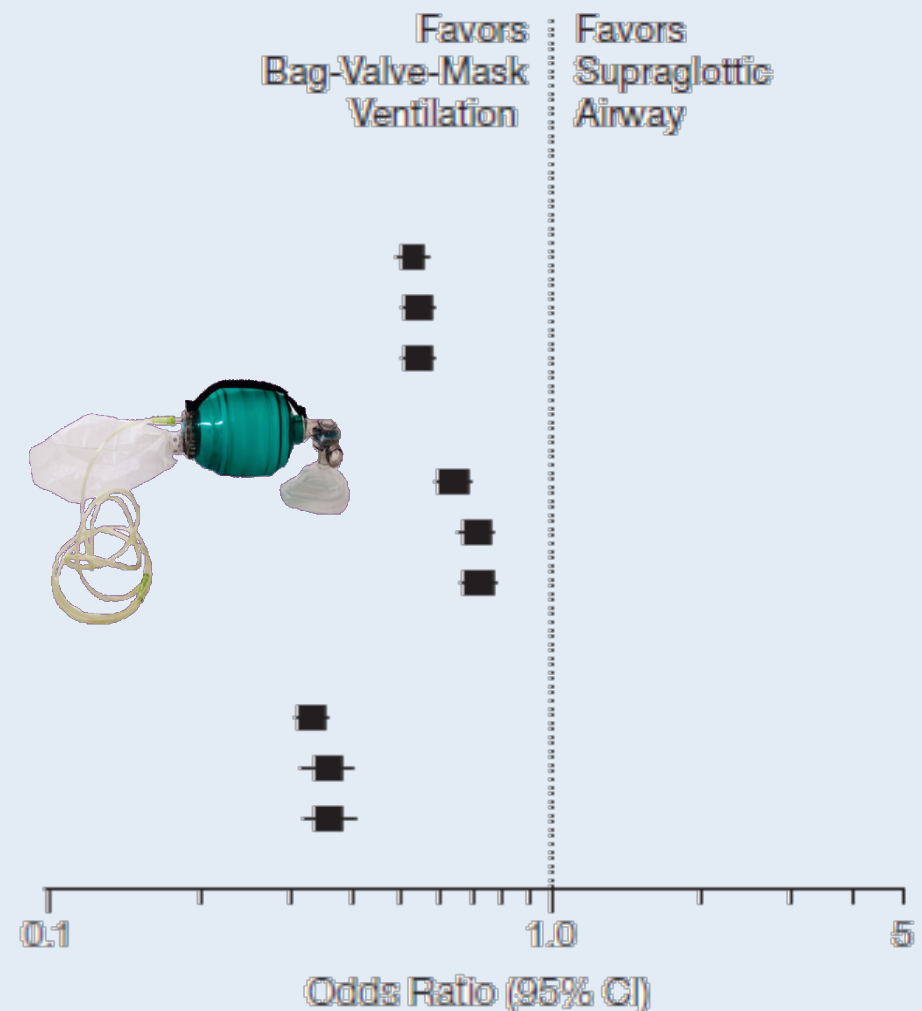


Model	Odds Ratio (95% CI) ^a
Total	
Return of spontaneous circulation	
Unadjusted	0.76 (0.71-0.81)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.66 (0.61-0.72)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.64 (0.58-0.70)
1-month survival	
Unadjusted	0.70 (0.65-0.76)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.87 (0.79-0.97)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.88 (0.79-0.98)
Neurologically favorable survival	
Unadjusted	0.31 (0.27-0.35)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.45 (0.37-0.55)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.42 (0.34-0.53)



Hasegawa, JAMA 2012

Model	Odds Ratio (95% CI) ^a
Total	
Return of spontaneous circulation	
Unadjusted	0.53 (0.51-0.54)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.54 (0.52-0.56)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.54 (0.52-0.56)
1-month survival	
Unadjusted	0.63 (0.61-0.65)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.71 (0.68-0.74)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.72 (0.68-0.75)
Neurologically favorable survival	
Unadjusted	0.33 (0.32-0.35)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b	0.36 (0.33-0.39)
Adjusted for all variables ^c	0.36 (0.33-0.40)



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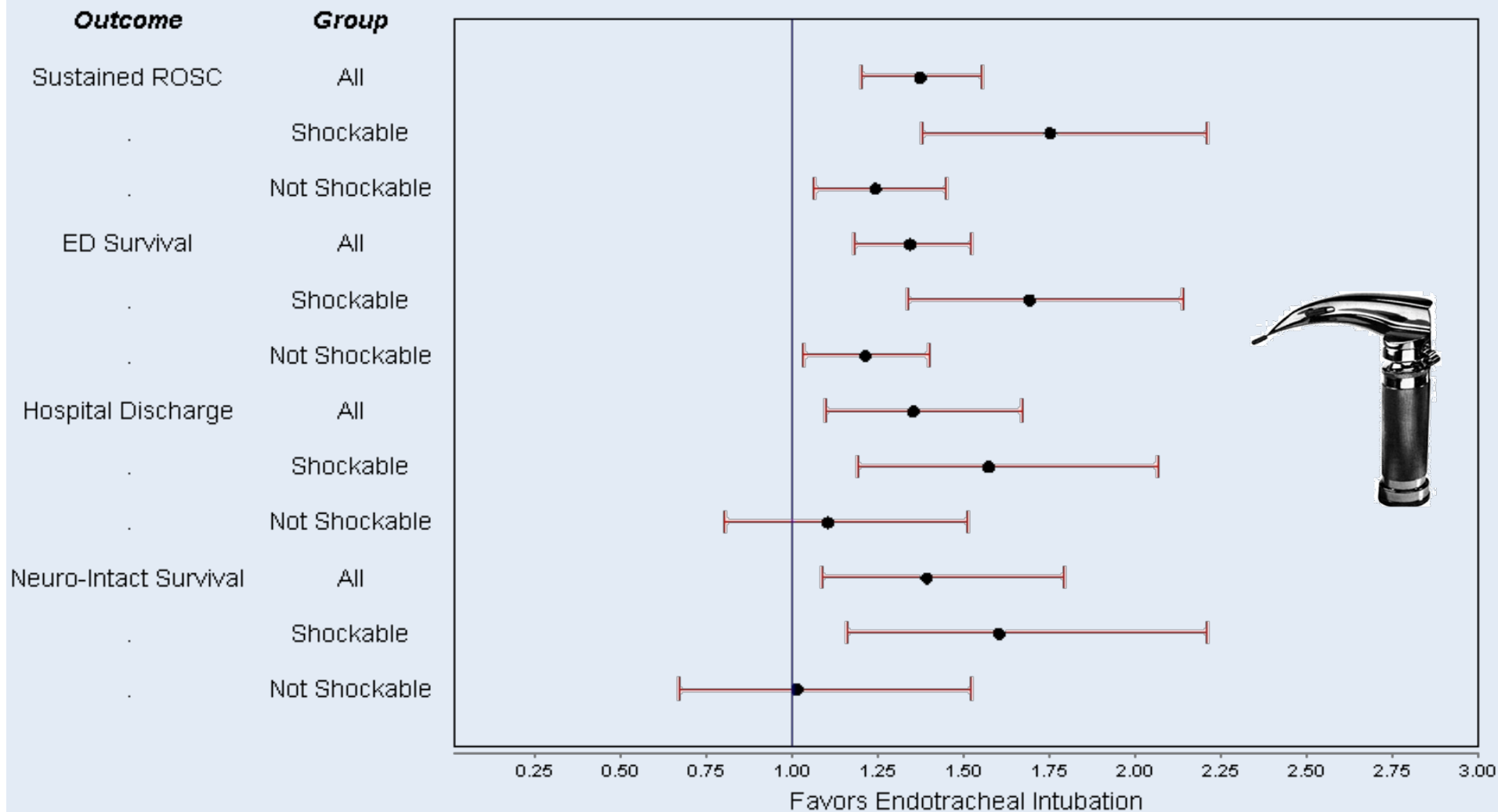
Advanced Airway Management

Model	Overall		Endotracheal Intubation		Supraglottic Airway	
	No. (%)	OR (95% CI) vs Bag-Valve-Mask ^a	No. (%)	OR (95% CI) vs Bag-Valve-Mask ^a	No. (%)	OR (95% CI) vs Bag-Valve-Mask ^a
Total	281 522 (43.4)		41 972 (6.5)		239 550 (36.9)	
Neurologically favorable survival						
Unadjusted	3156 (1.1)	0.38 (0.36-0.39)	432 (1.0)	0.35 (0.31-0.38)	2724 (1.1)	0.38 (0.37-0.40)
Adjusted for selected variables ^b		0.38 (0.37-0.40)		0.41 (0.37-0.45)		0.38 (0.36-0.40)
Adjusted for all variables ^c		0.32 (0.30-0.33)		0.32 (0.29-0.36)		0.32 (0.30-0.33)



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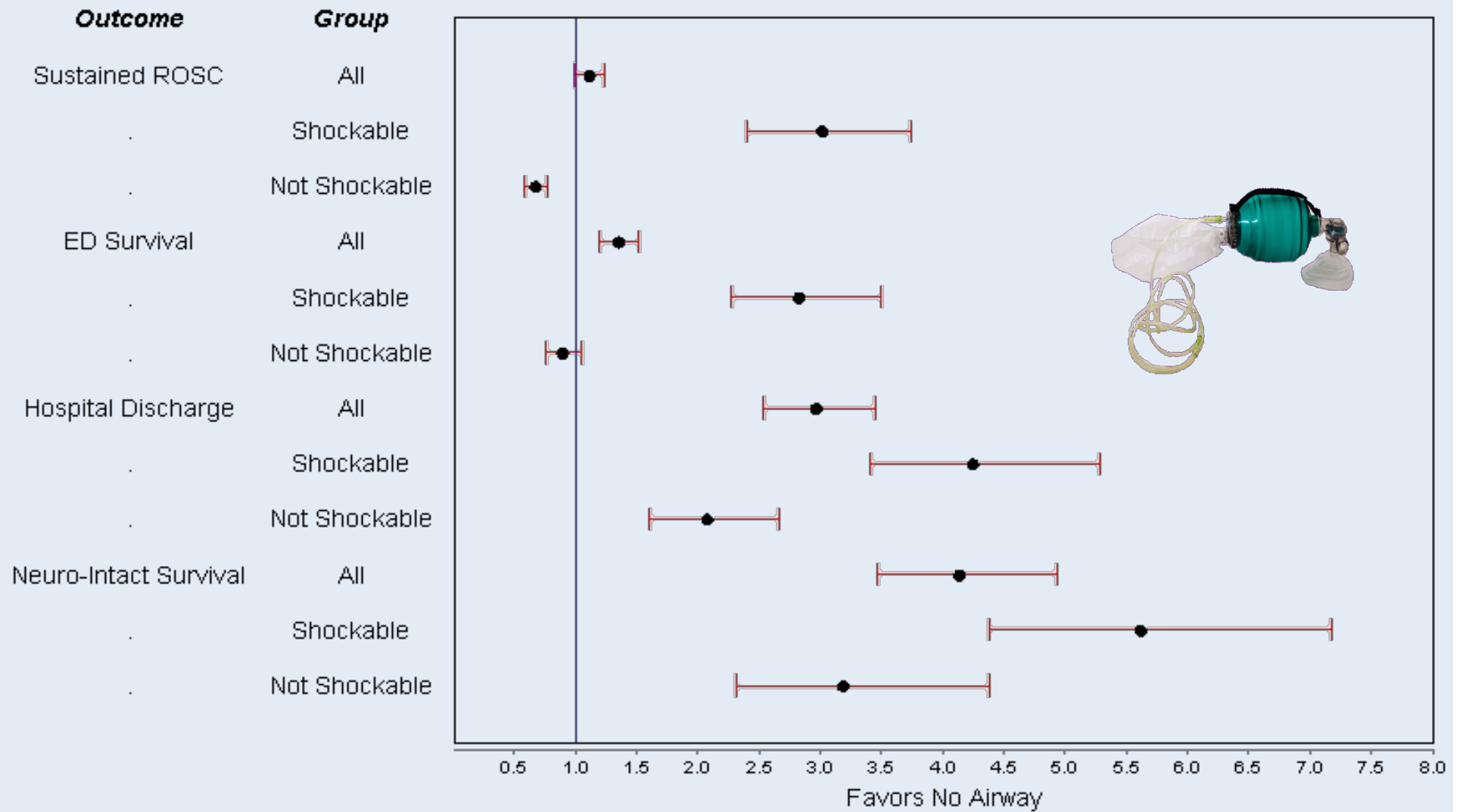
Endotracheal vs. Supraglottic



McMullan, *Resuscitation* 2014

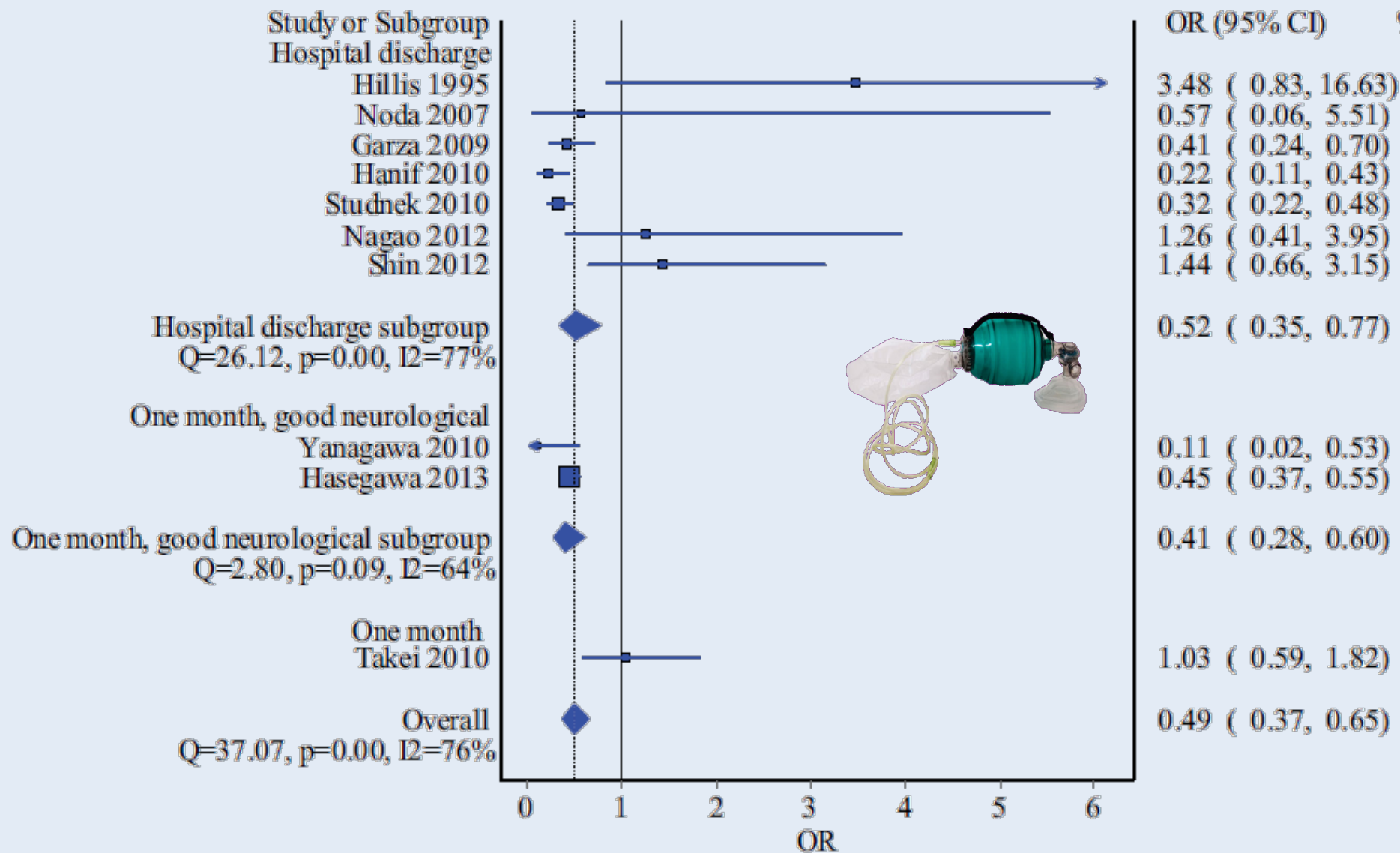


No Airway vs. Either Advanced Airway



McMullan, *Resuscitation* 2014





Fouche, *Prehosp Emerg Care* 2014

What?

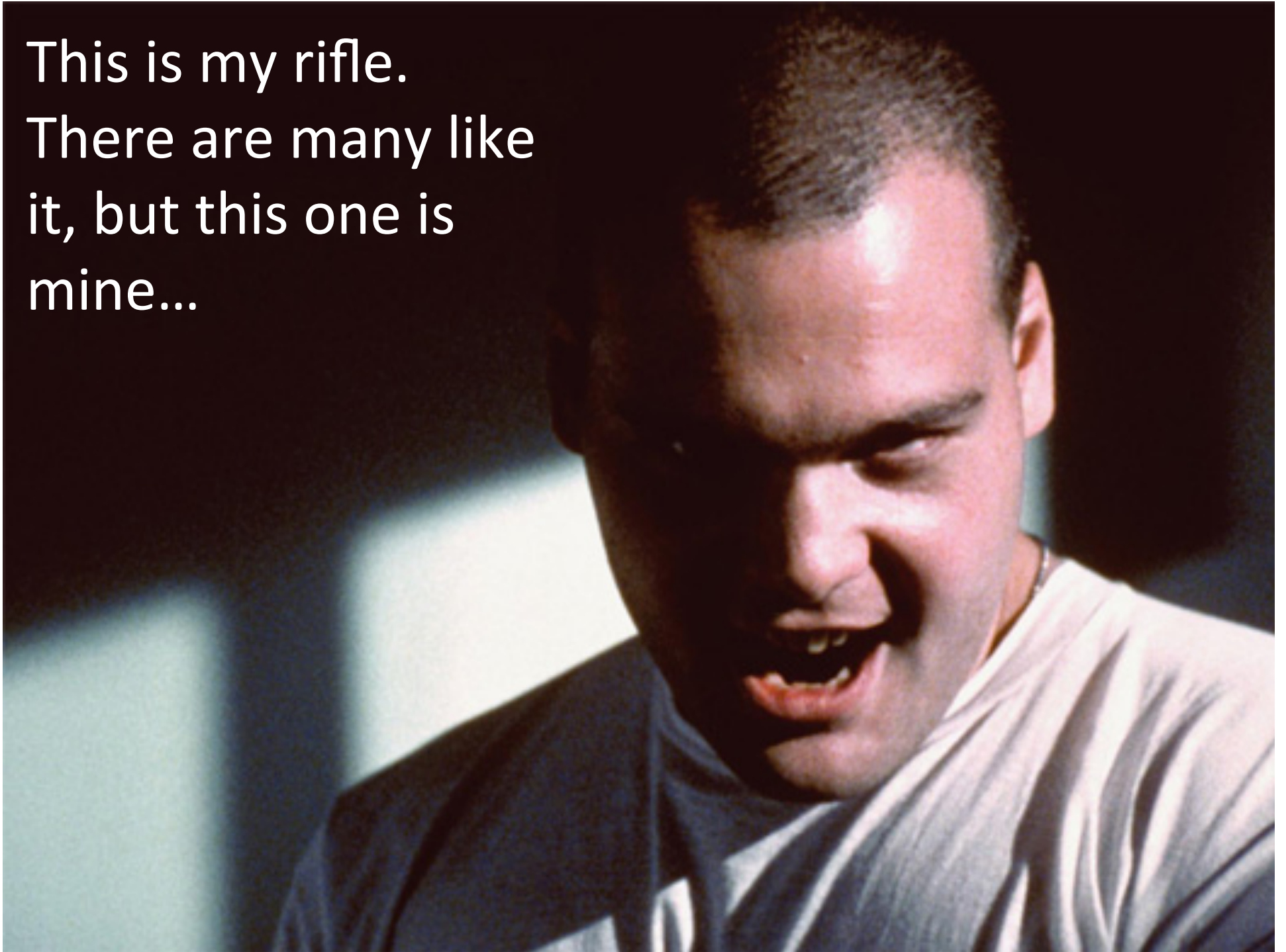


Trust. Professionalism. Perfection.

*There is a divine “contract” between the patient
and provider when we take an airway*

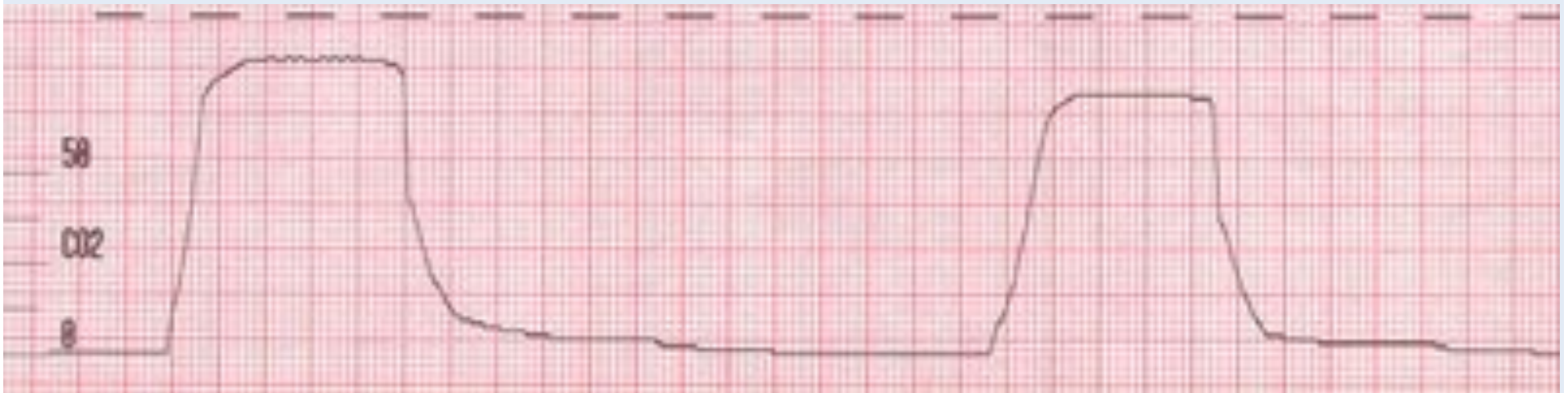


This is my rifle.
There are many like
it, but this one is
mine...

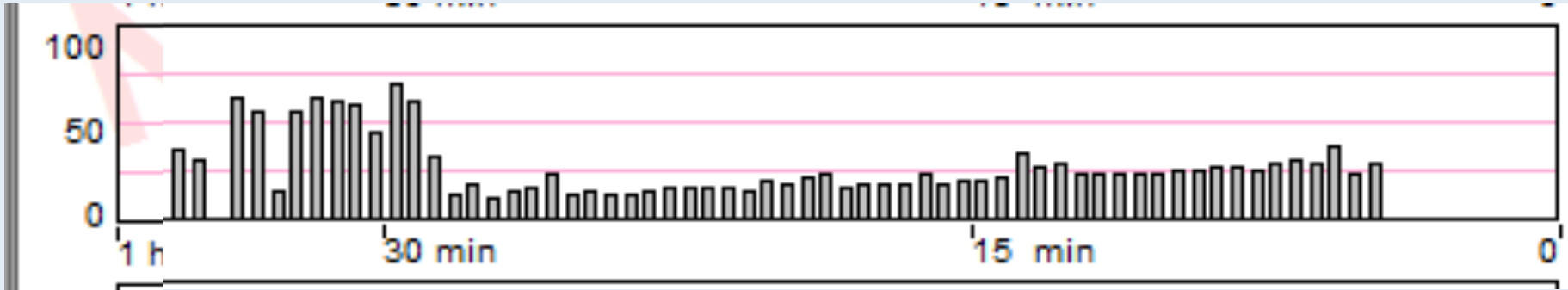


PPV and Hyperventilation is the Devil











Knowing is half the battle



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