



# REBOA: Where and When?

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# Declarations





“When” defines the “Where”

# Exsanguinating Hemorrhage

# Vascular Trauma RLH: 2005 - 2010

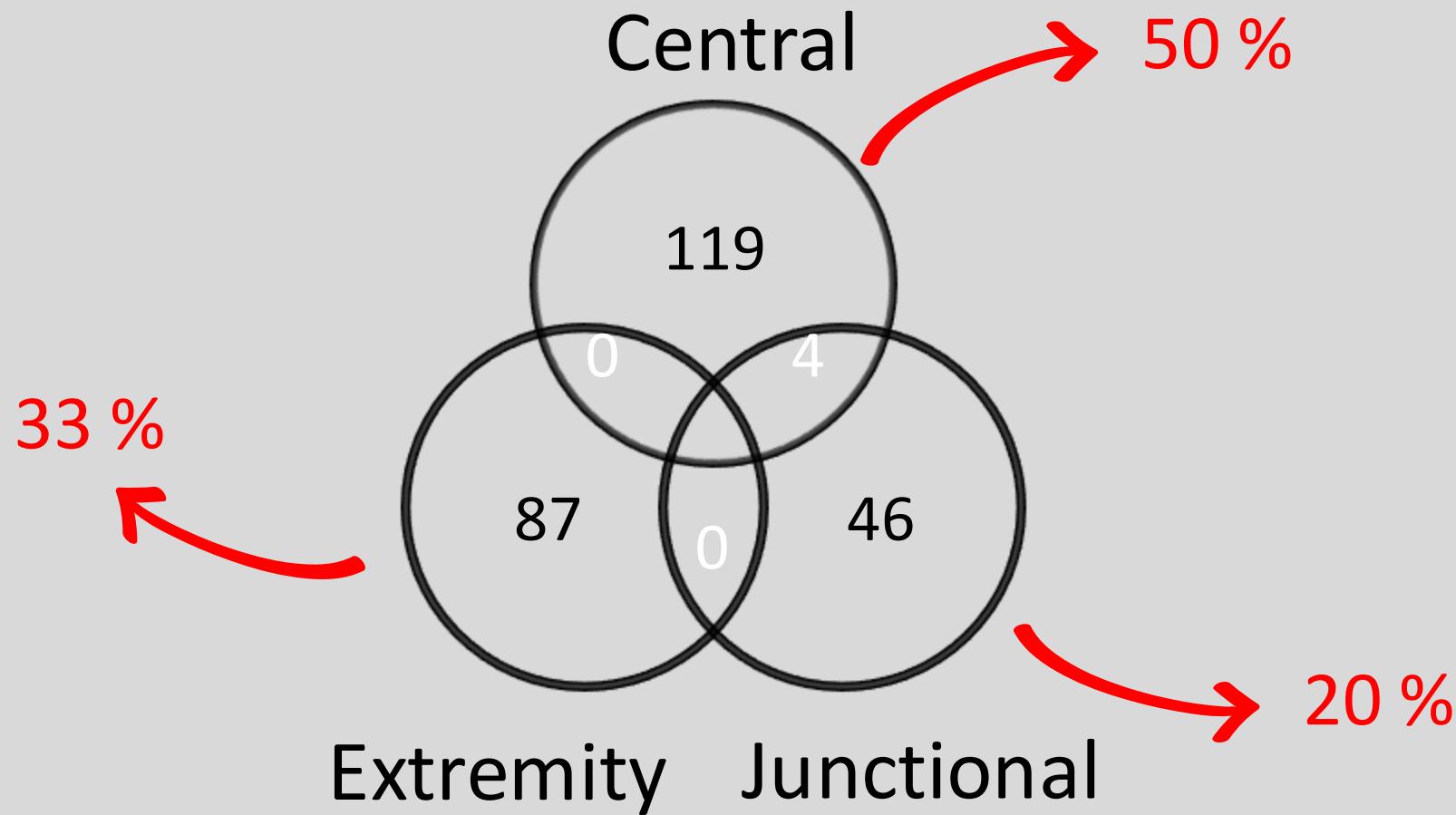
256 Patients



45 deaths (18%)

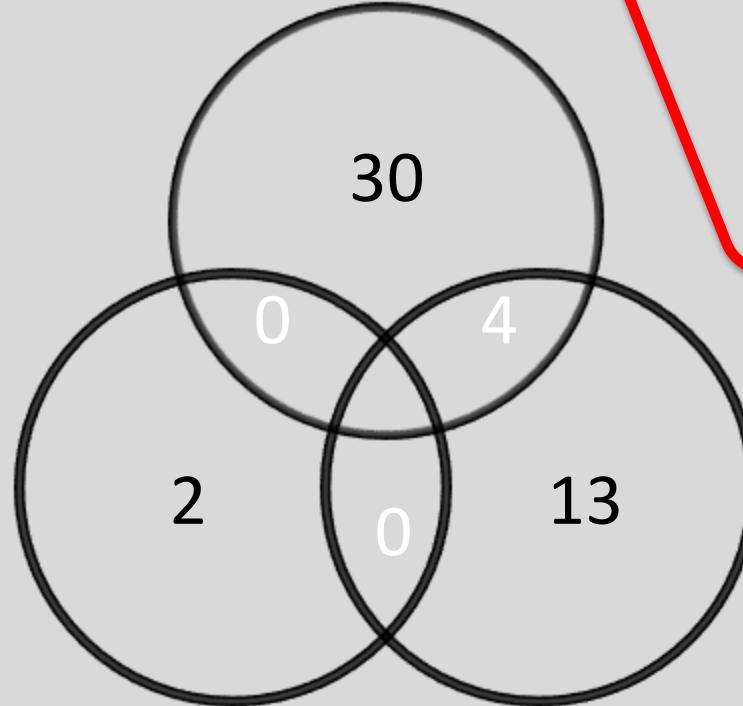
Perkins et al. EJVS 2012; 44: 203–209

# Zone of Injury



# Mortality

Central



96 % of  
deaths

Extremity

Junctional

**40 %** of patients who died  
had pre-hospital cardiac arrest



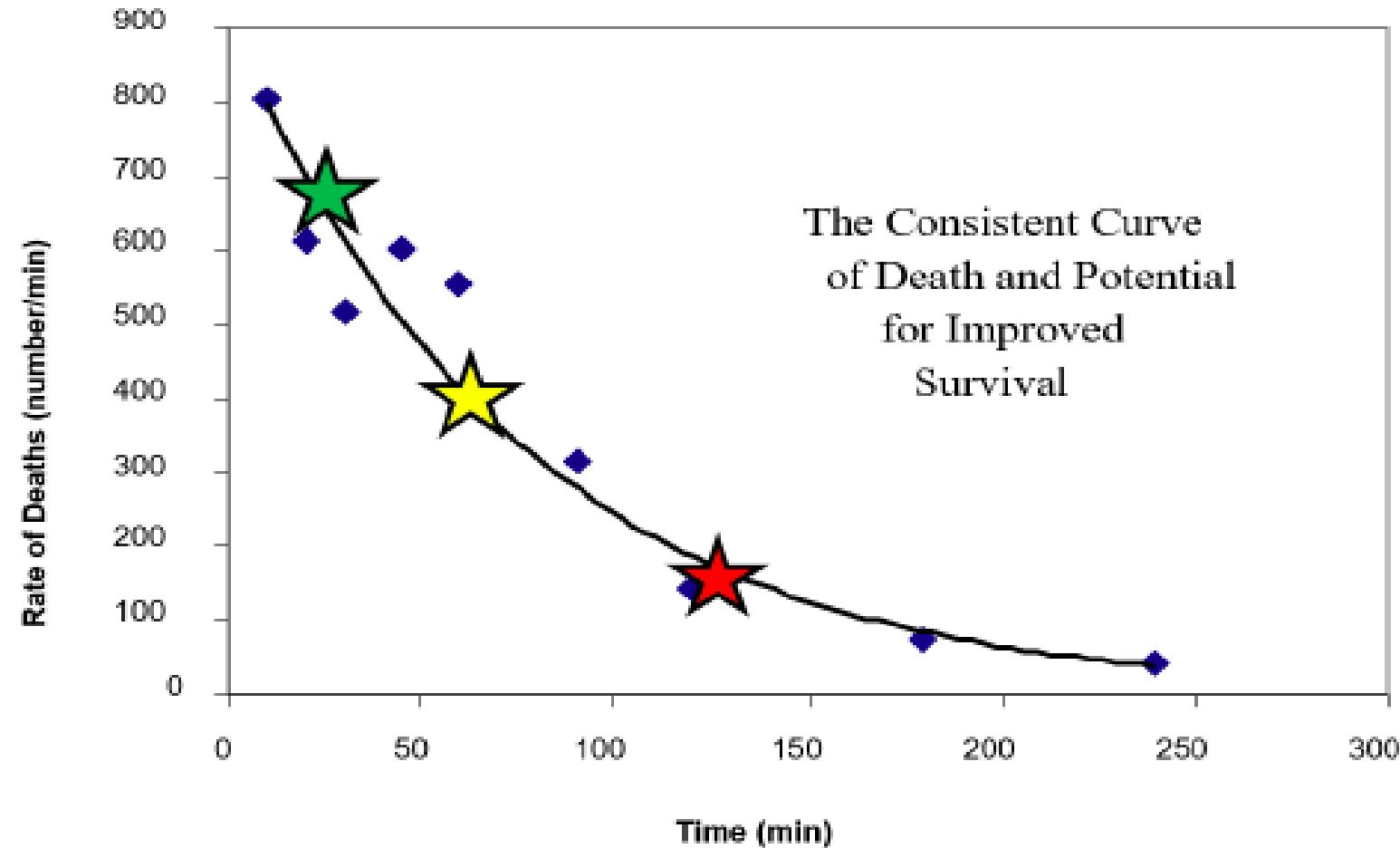
**50 %** of patients pelvic injury who died  
had pre-hospital cardiac arrest



**Time is the enemy: Mortality in trauma patients with hemorrhage from torso injury occurs long before the “golden hour”**

- > 2.5 million patients
- Peak death rate 30 minutes post injury

★ Prehospital intervention; ★ ED intervention; ★ OR definitive hemostasis



Holcolmb J. Death versus time: US vehicle-related fatalities from 2003–2005. N = 55,537.

When?

Where?



# Resuscitation

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Clinical paper

## Pre-hospital Resuscitative Endovascular Balloon Occlusion of the Aorta (REBOA) for exsanguinating pelvic haemorrhage



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**Table 2 – Baseline and outcome characteristics of injured patients who underwent Zone III REBOA or had a failed attempt.**

	REBOA (n=13)	No REBOA (n=6)	P-value
Baseline characteristics			
Age	33 (26–61)	33 (29–47)	0.749
Gender (male)	6 (46)	3 (50)	1.0
Initial SBP (mmHg) <sup>a</sup>	57 (35–67)	59 (47–81)	0.627
ISS	38 (28–48)	34 (21–40)	0.505
Outcomes			
Pre-hospital cardiac arrest <sup>b</sup>	0	3 (50)	0.021
Mortality (exsanguination)	0	4 (67)	0.004
Mortality (overall)	5 (38)	4 (67)	0.350
Lower limb Amputation	4 (31)	3 (50)	0.617

Data presented as median (inter quartile range) or frequency (percentage). SBP, systolic blood pressure; ISS, injury severity score.

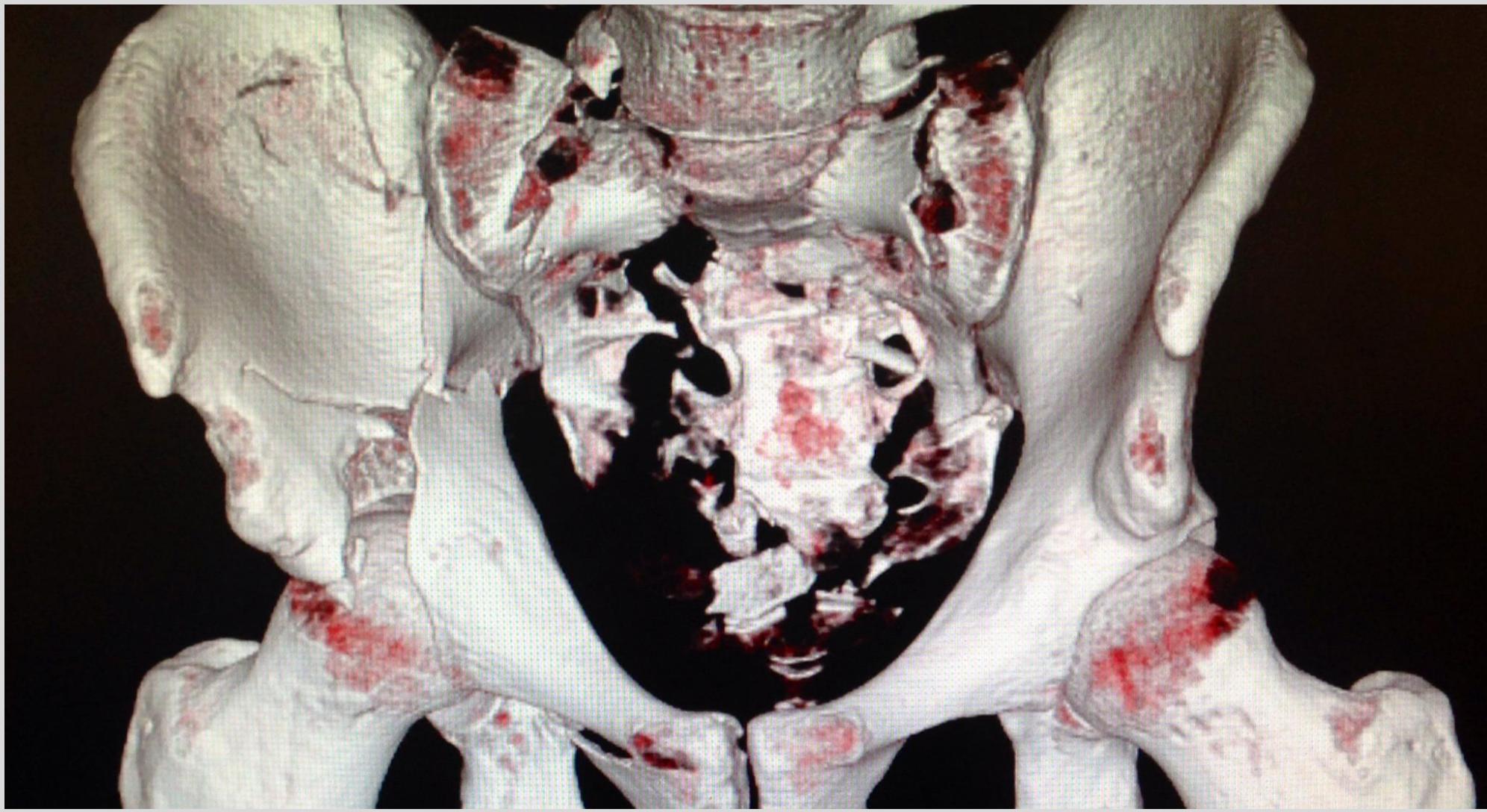
<sup>a</sup> Unrecordable SBP estimated at 30 mmHg for calculations.

<sup>b</sup> Following REBOA attempt.

Indications?

SBP < 90mmHg.....









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# Resuscitation

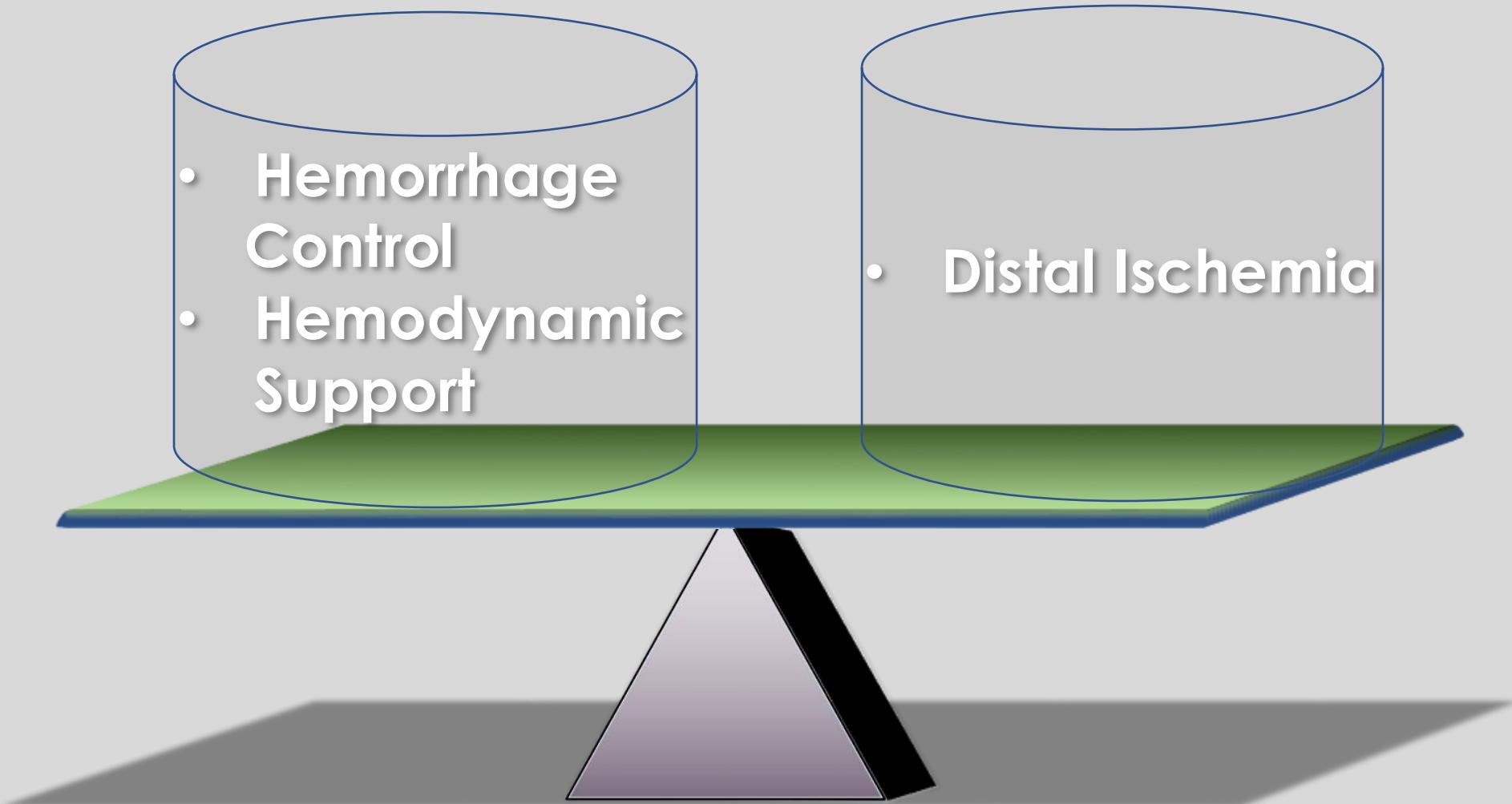
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- Appropriate time course (rapid evolution of shocked state).
- The following clinical signs (“Hateful Eight”)
  - 1 Pale
  - 2 Clammy
  - 3 “Air-hunger”
  - 4 Venous collapse
  - 5 Hypotension (low volume or absent peripheral pulses)
  - 6 Low/falling ETCO<sub>2</sub>
  - 7 Tachy or bradycardia
  - 8 Altered mentation

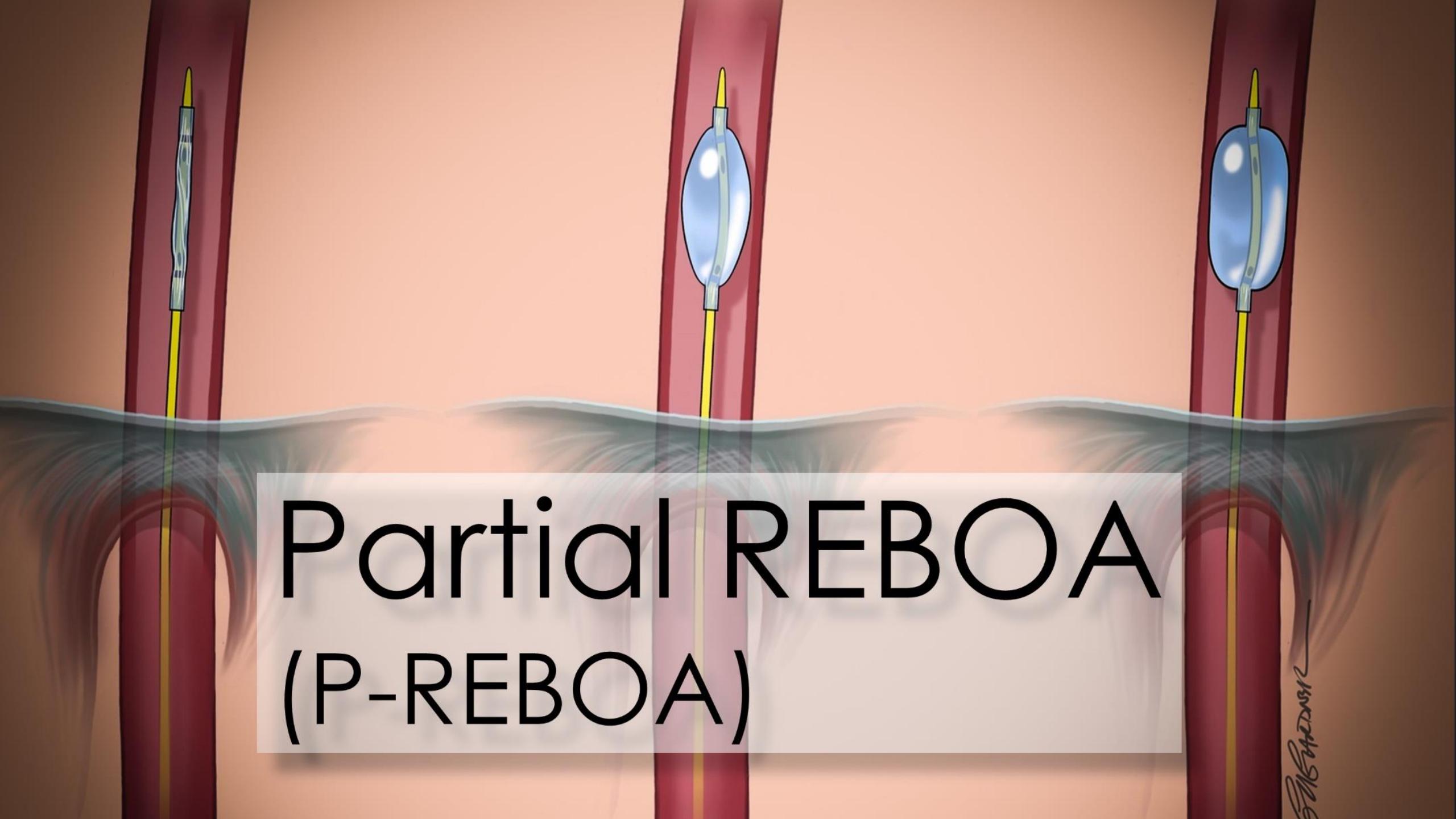


# Challenges/Limitations



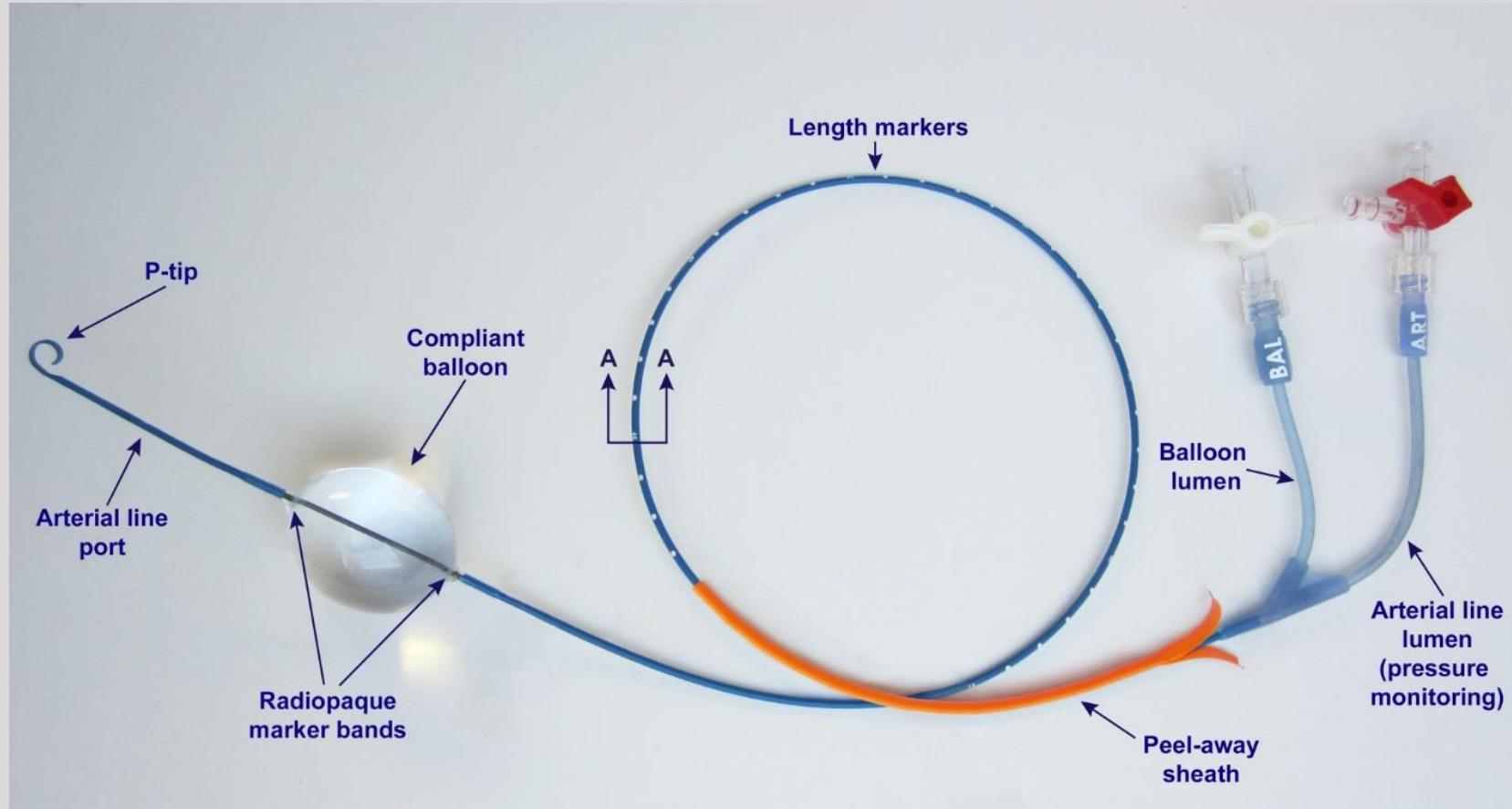
Prolonged Zone 1



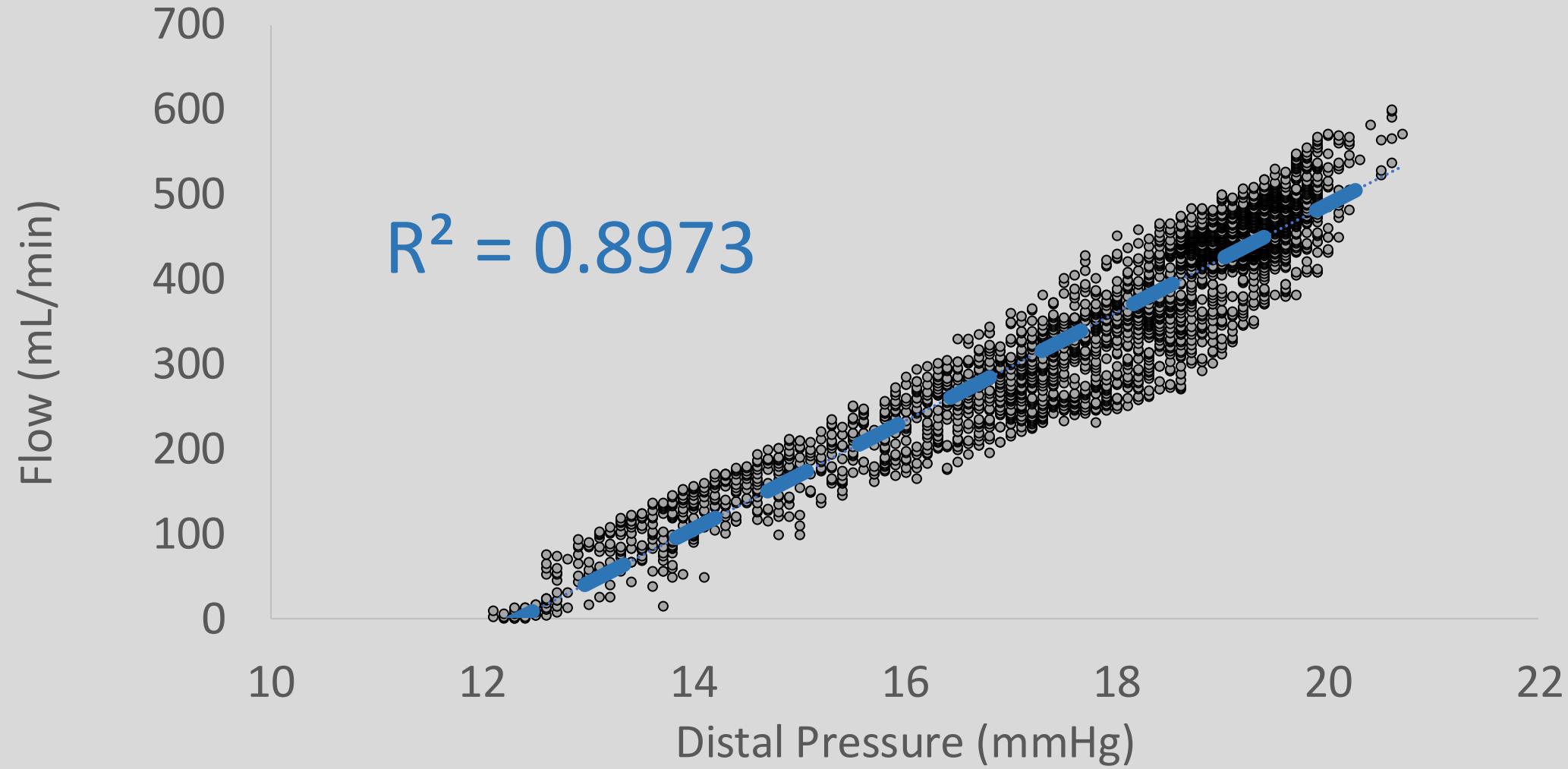


A detailed anatomical illustration showing three parallel red blood vessels. Each vessel has a yellow tube inserted into it, ending in a blue balloon. The balloons are inflated, occluding the vessels. The background shows a cross-section of skin and muscle tissue.

# Partial REBOA (P-REBOA)

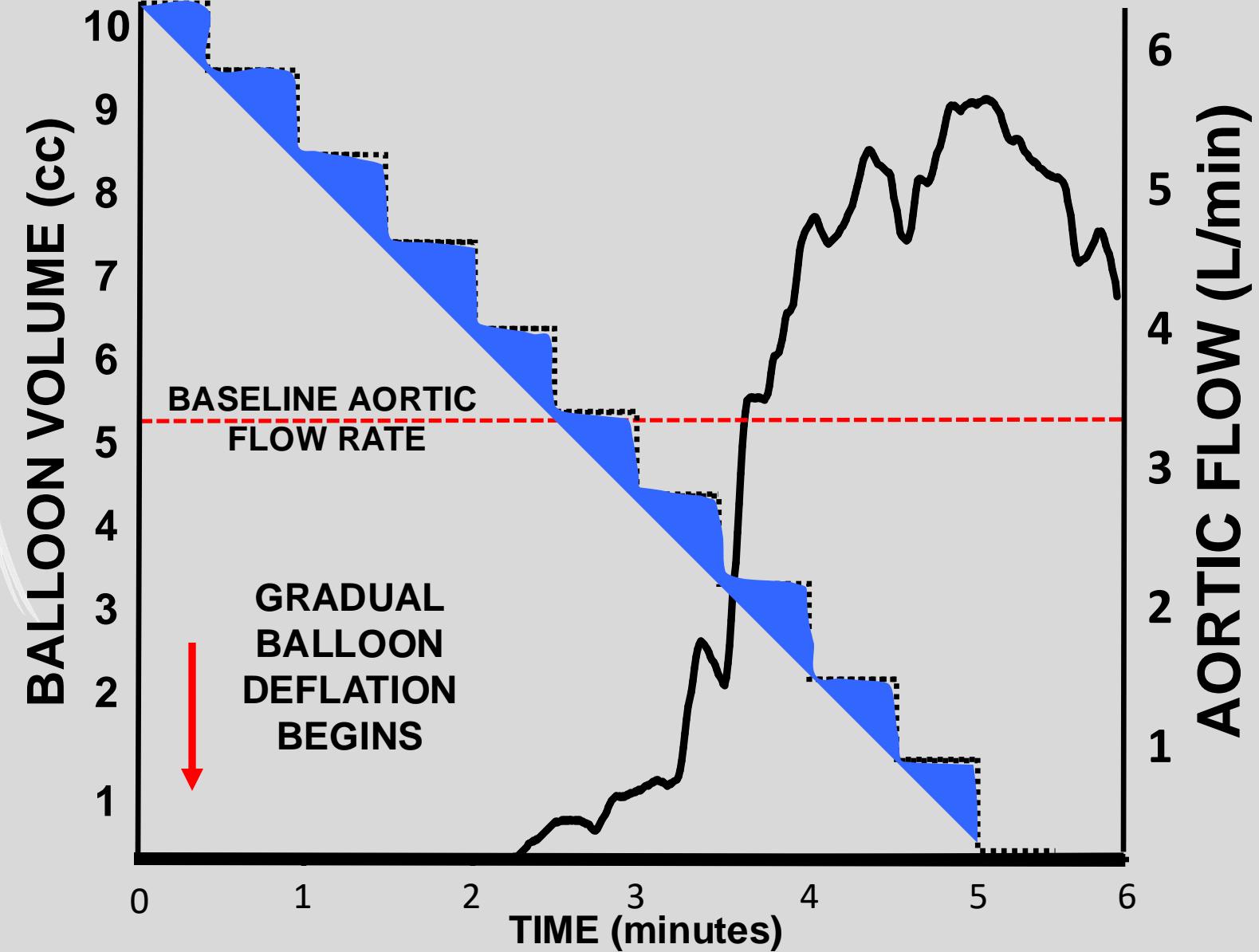
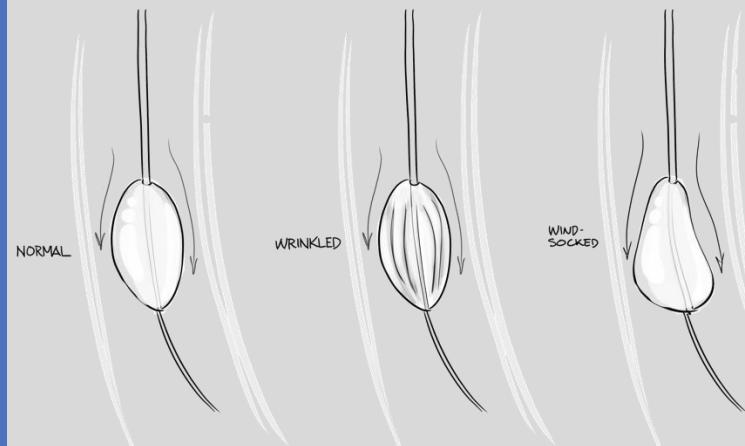


# Identifying A Surrogate Marker for Flow



# Endovascular Balloon Dynamics

## The Difficulty of Controlled Flow



# Efficacy



RESUSCITATIVE ENDOVASCULAR BALLOON OCCLUSION OF THE AORTA FOR TRAUMA

