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MORTALITY RATES FROM ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME IN OCTOGENARIAN PATIENTS IN ISRAEL DURING THE PERIOD 2000-2006 COMPARED TO 2008-2013

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Background: Few data are available regarding the outcome of octogenarians with acute coronary syndrome (ACS).

Methods: We evaluated 30-day and 1-year clinical outcome of 1477 patients ≥ 80 years old (mean age 85±4, females 43%) from the Acute Coronary Syndrome Israel Survey (ACSIS), by analyzing data from ACS patients hospitalized in all coronary care units in Israel during two-month periods/year during the period 2000 to 2006 ("early period", n=1033) and compared to the period of 2008 to 2013 ("late period", n=444).

Results: In the late compared to the early period octogenarian patients were older (85±4 vs 84±4 years; p<0.01), had more prior myocardial infarctions (MI) (41% vs 36%, p<0.02), percutaneous coronary interventions (PCI) (37% vs 16%, p<0.01) and prior chronic renal disease (30% vs 24%, p<0.01). Time from chest pain to hospitalization and PCI were similar in both groups. Significantly more patients in the late period underwent PCI compared to the early period (94% vs 55%, p<0.01), received more dual antiplatelet therapy (84% vs 42%, p<0.01), beta blockers (80% vs 67%, p<0.01), angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitors (74% vs 69%, p<0.02) and statins (91% vs 53%, p<0.01). Mean hospital duration was significantly higher in patients from early compared to the late period (8±7 vs 7±6 days, p<0.01). Inhospital, 7-day-, 30-day- and 1-year mortality rate were significantly higher in ACS octogenerains from the early compared to the late period (12% vs 8%, p<0.02; 11% vs 8%, p<0.05; 17% vs 14%, p<0.07; 32% vs 27%, p<0.05; respectively). Major adverse CV events (30-day mortality, hospitalization for unstable angina, MI) were also significantly more frequent in those from the early compared to the late group (31% vs 21%, p<0.01). Multivariate Cox regression analysis demonstrated better 1-year survival in octogenarians with ACS from the late compared to the early period with HR 1.17, 95% CI 0.87 to 1.57 (p=0.03).

Conclusion: In-hospital, 30-day and 1-year survival rates of ACS octogenarian patients in Israel during the period 2008 to 2013 significantly improved compared to those in the earlier period between year 2000 to 2006.