



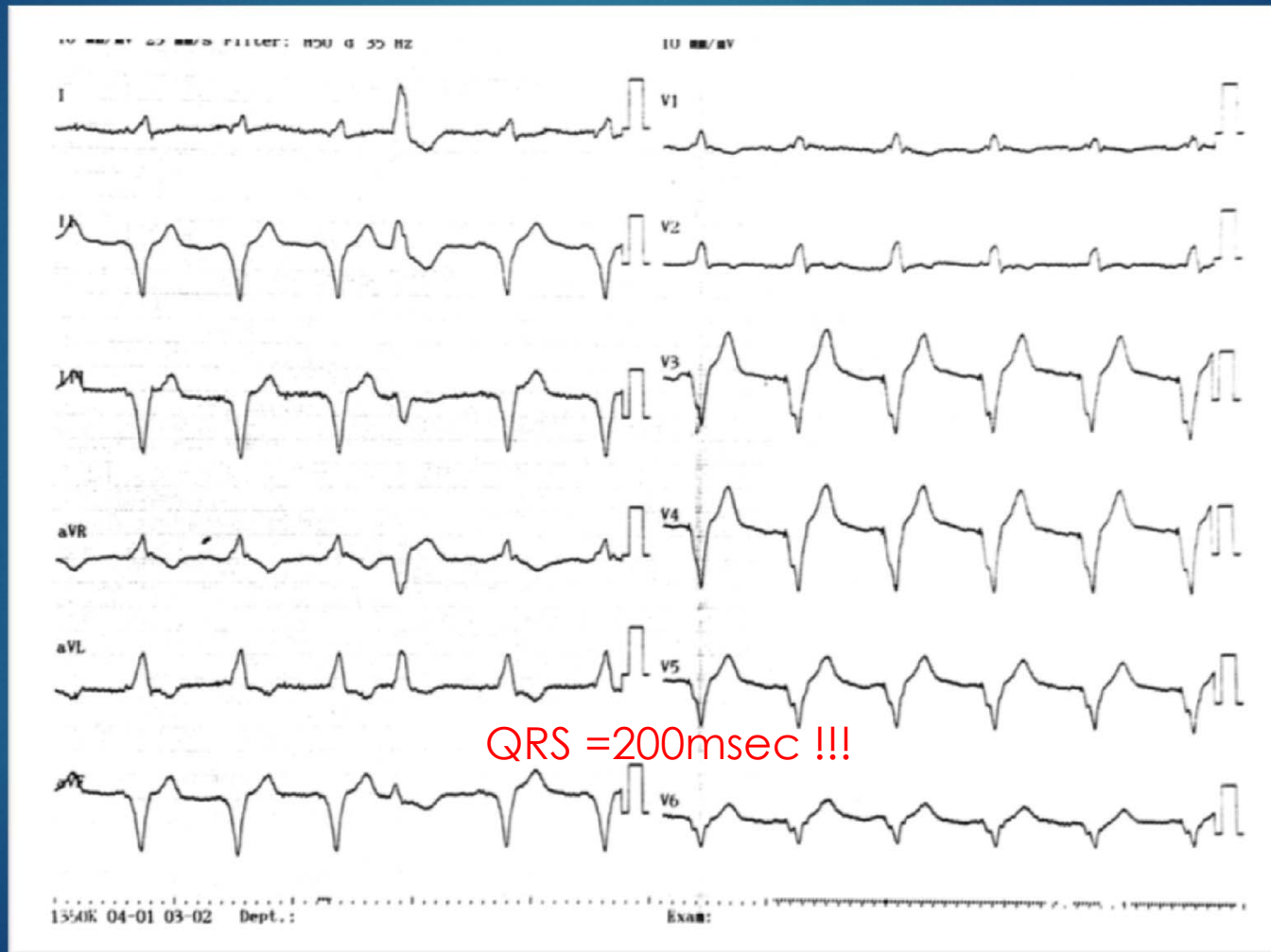
# Ασθενής με επιδείνωση της συσταλτικότητας της αριστερής κοιλίας μετά βηματοδότηση

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# 80 YEARS OLD MALE

- ▶ 2010 DCM (EFLV 40-45%)
- ▶ 2017 PPM (3<sup>rd</sup> degree AV Block)
  
- ▶ NYHA III
- ▶ CKD (GFR=21.6ml/min)
- ▶ Multiple hospitalizations related to HF
  
- ▶ 2019 Echo: EFLV~25%  
Coronary Angiography: Normal

# ECG



- ▶ Αποφασίσθηκε η θεραπεία καρδιακού επανασυγχρονισμού υπό τη μορφή βηματοδότησης από το δεμάτιο του His.

# His Pacing

## **Permanent, Direct His-Bundle Pacing A Novel Approach to Cardiac Pacing in Patients With Normal His-Purkinje Activation**

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Permanent DHBP is feasible in select patients who have chronic atrial fibrillation and dilated cardiomyopathy. Long-term, DHBP results in a reduction of left ventricular dimensions and improved cardiac function.

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First Author, Year (Ref. #)	Patients	AV Nodal Block (Success %)	Infranodal Block	Lead Type	Delivery Sheath
Deshmukh et al. 2000 (26) (N = 18)	Chronic AF, AV node ablation, DCM	12 of 18 (66%)	0	Stylet-driven	0
Occhetta et al., 2006 (27) (N = 18)	Chronic AF, AV node ablation	16 of 18 (89%) DHBP: 25% PHP: 75%	0	Stylet-driven	0
Occhetta et al., 2007 (28) (N = 68)	AF, AV node ablation (n = 52) AV block (n = 16)	63 of 68 DHBP: 21% PHP: 79%	0	Stylet-38 SS 25	C304
Barba-Pichardo 2010 (29) (N = 182)	HBP attempted in 91 (AVB with HB recruitment with temporary pacing)	44 of 65 (68%)	15 of 26 (57%)	Stylet-driven	0
Kronborg et al., 2014 (30) (N = 38)	AV node block QRS duration <120 ms LVEF >40% Crossover, randomized	32 of 36 (85%) DHBP: 4 PHP: 28	0	SS	C304
Zanon et al., 2011 (31) (N = 307)	SSS: 126 AVB: 181	95% DHBP: 28% PHP: 72%	0	SS	C304
Vijayaraman et al., 2015 (32) (N = 67)	SSS: 40%, AVB: 60% HB IC positive: 37% HB IC negative: 63%	60 of 67 (90%) S-HBP: 45% NS-HBP: 55%		SS	C315His
Sharma et al., 2015 (33) (N = 95)	SSS: 41% AVB: 59%	75 of 95 (80%) S-HBP: 45% NS-HBP: 55%	21 of 26	SS	C315His
Vijayaraman et al., 2015 (34) (N = 100)	Advanced AVB AVN: 46, infranodal: 54	43 of 46 (93%) S-HBP: 44% NS-HBP: 56%	41 of 54 (76%) S-HBP 7%	SS	C315His

Case series of permanent HBP in CRT-eligible patients with prior bundle branch block

Author, Year	n	Indication	His Bundle Lead	Implant Success, %	Primary Outcome
Barba-Pichardo et al, <sup>19</sup> 2013	16	CRT implant failure	Tendril 1488T, 1788 TC, 1888 TC	56	During mean follow-up of 31.3 ± 21.5 mo, NYHA Class improved III→II and LVEF improved from 29%→36% ( <i>P</i> <.05)
Lustgarten et al, <sup>19</sup> 2015	29	Crossover study of HBP and CS lead	SelectSecure 3830	59	Patients demonstrated similar NYHA Class reduction (2.0→1.9, <i>P</i> <.001) and LVEF improvement from 26%→32% ( <i>P</i> = .043)
Su et al, <sup>21</sup> 2016	16	CRT implant failure	SelectSecure 3830	100	Clinical outcomes not reported. HB tip-RV coil configuration demonstrated better capture thresholds and R-wave sensing than dedicated bipolar or unipolar
Ajjola et al, <sup>22</sup> 2017	21	Primary HBP	SelectSecure 3830	76	NYHA Class III→II ( <i>P</i> <.001) and LVEF improved from 27% ± 10% to 41% ± 13% ( <i>P</i> <.001)
Sharma et al, <sup>23</sup> 2018	106 (48 with BBB)	CRT implant failure and primary HBP	SelectSecure 3830	90	Among all patients, NYHA Class 2.8 ± 0.5→1.8 ± 0.6 ( <i>P</i> = .0001) and LVEF improved from 30% ± 10% to 43% ± 13% ( <i>P</i> = .0001)

Select Secure 3830



C315 His Sheath

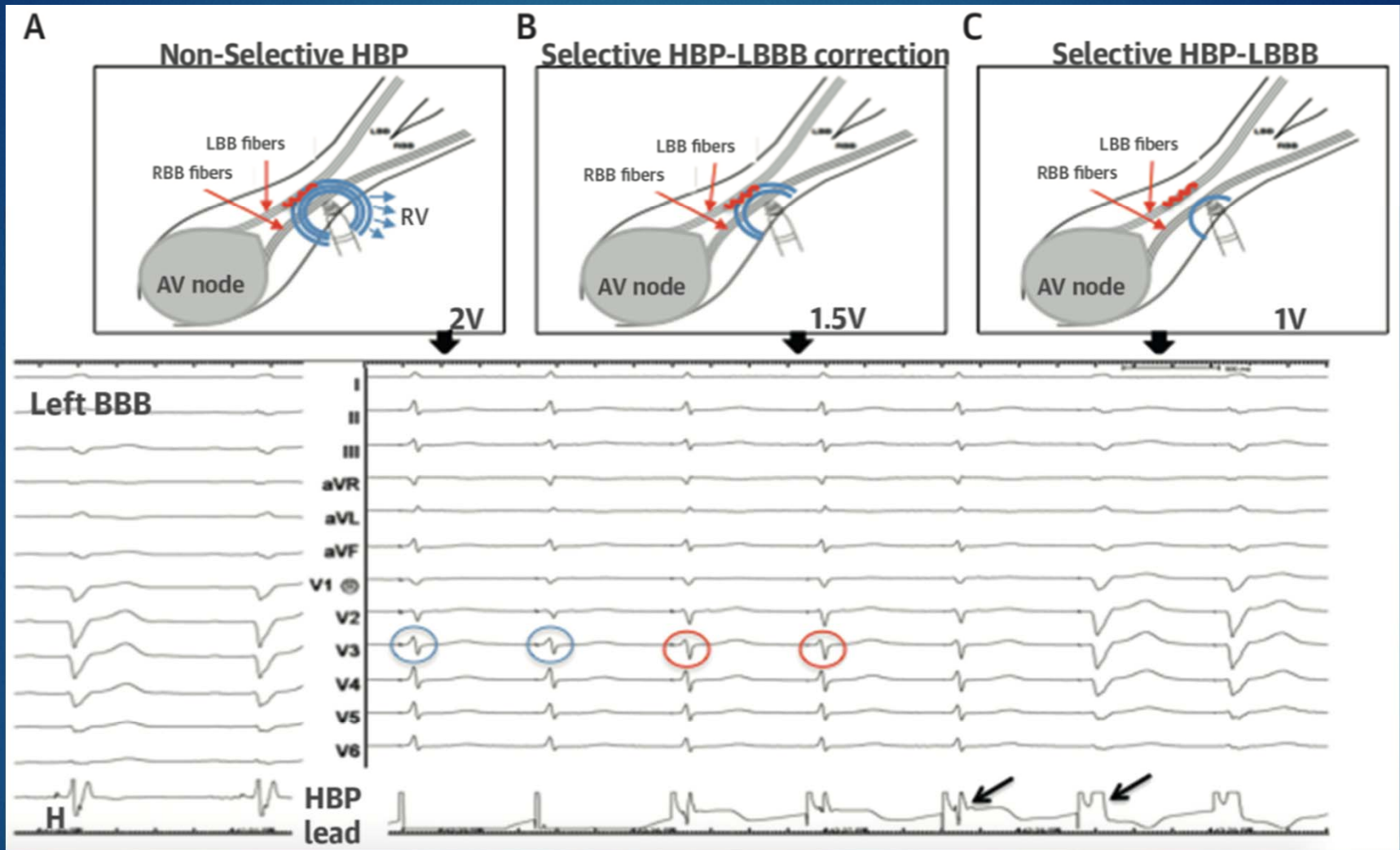




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Forms of His bundle capture:

- ▶ Selective capture: His bundle is the only tissue captured by the pacing stimulus
- ▶ Nonselective capture: Fusion capture of the His bundle and adjacent ventricular tissues.



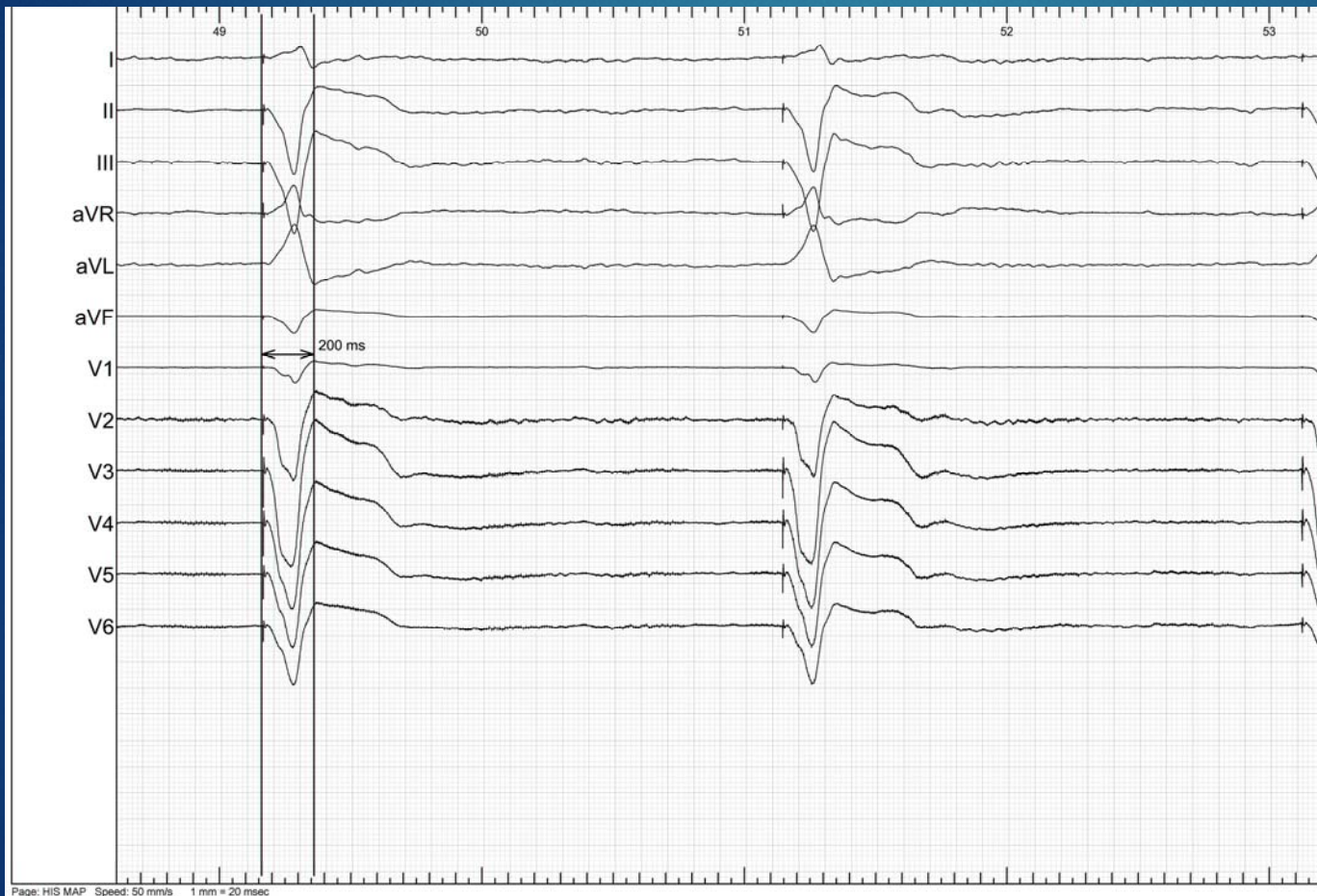
**TABLE 1** Criteria for His Bundle Pacing

Baseline	Normal QRS	His-Purkinje Conduction Disease	
		With correction	Without correction
Selective HBP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS = H-QRS with isoelectric interval</li> <li>• Discrete local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead with S-V = H-V</li> <li>• Paced QRS = native QRS</li> <li>• Single capture threshold (His bundle)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS <math>\leq</math> H-QRS with isoelectric interval</li> <li>• Discrete local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead</li> <li>• Paced QRS &lt; native QRS</li> <li>• 2 distinct capture thresholds (HBP with BBB correction, HBP without BBB correction)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS <math>\leq</math> or &gt; H-QRS with isoelectric interval</li> <li>• Discrete local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead</li> <li>• Paced QRS = native QRS</li> <li>• Single capture threshold (HBP with BBB)</li> </ul>
Nonselective HBP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS &lt; H-QRS (S-QRS usually 0, S-QRS<sub>end</sub> = H-QRS<sub>end</sub>) with or without isoelectric interval (Pseudodelta wave +/-)</li> <li>• Direct capture of local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead by stimulus artifact (local myocardial capture)</li> <li>• Paced QRS &gt; native QRS with normalization of precordial and limb lead axes with respect to rapid dV/dt components of the QRS</li> <li>• 2 distinct capture thresholds (His bundle capture, RV capture)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS &lt; H-QRS (S-QRS usually 0, S-QRS<sub>end</sub> &lt; H-QRS<sub>end</sub>) with or without isoelectric interval (Pseudodelta wave +/-)</li> <li>• Direct capture of local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead by stimulus artifact</li> <li>• Paced QRS <math>\leq</math> native QRS</li> <li>• 3 distinct capture thresholds possible (HBP with BBB correction, HBP without BBB correction, RV capture)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• S-QRS &lt; H-QRS (S-QRS usually 0) with or without isoelectric interval (Pseudodelta wave +/-)</li> <li>• Direct capture of local ventricular electrogram in HBP lead by stimulus artifact</li> <li>• Paced QRS &gt; native QRS</li> <li>• 2 distinct capture thresholds (HBP with BBB, RV capture)</li> </ul>

# S-HBP vs NS-HBP

- ▶ There is little hemodynamic and clinical difference between the two forms of capture, possibly due to rapid conduction of the His-Purkinje system relative to ventricular myocardial conduction.
- ▶ both S-HBP and NS-HBP could restore cardiac physiological electrical synchrony and LV mechanical synchrony.

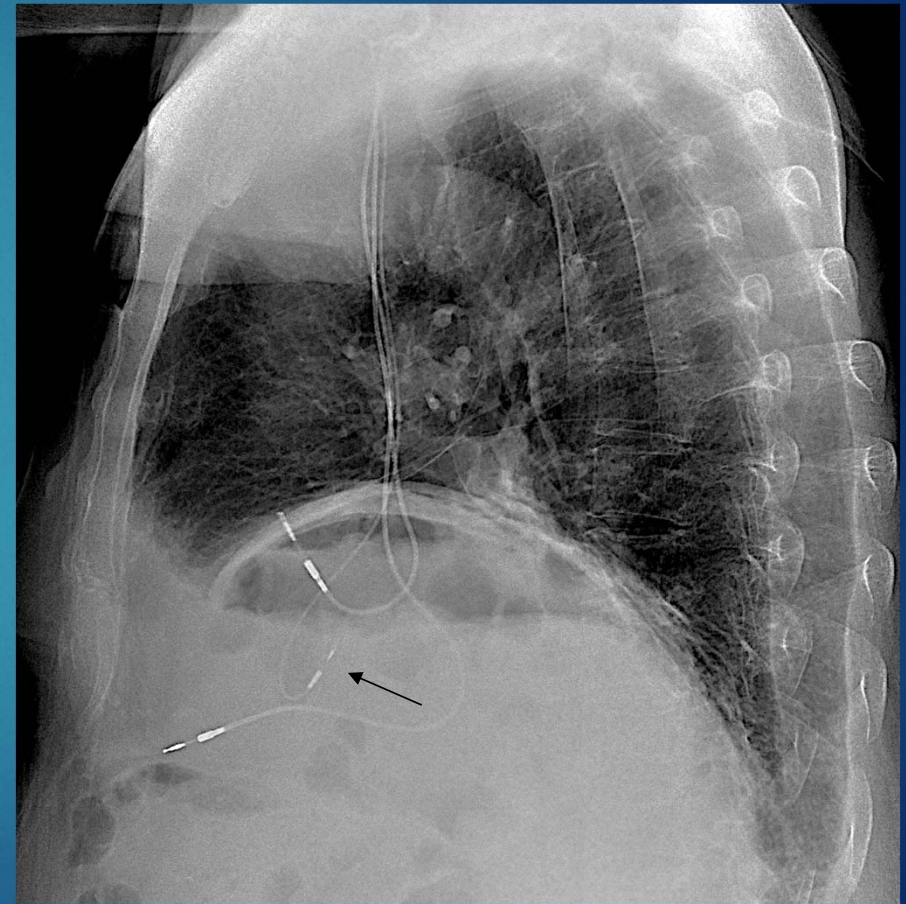
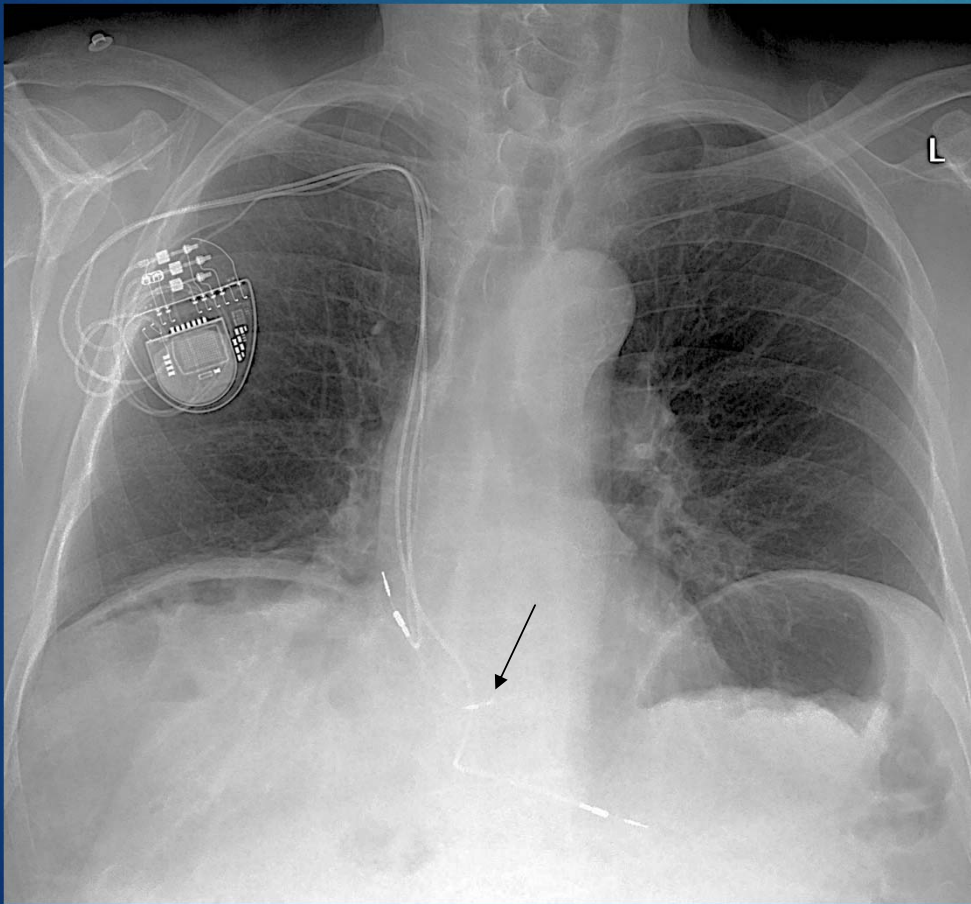
# RVA pacing in our patient

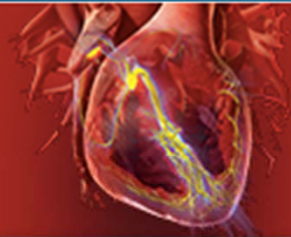


# His pacing



# CRT-P implantation – HBP





Article in Press

## Outcomes Of His Bundle Pacing Upgrade After Long-term Right Ventricular Pacing And / Or Pacing-Induced Cardiomyopathy: Insights Into Disease Progression

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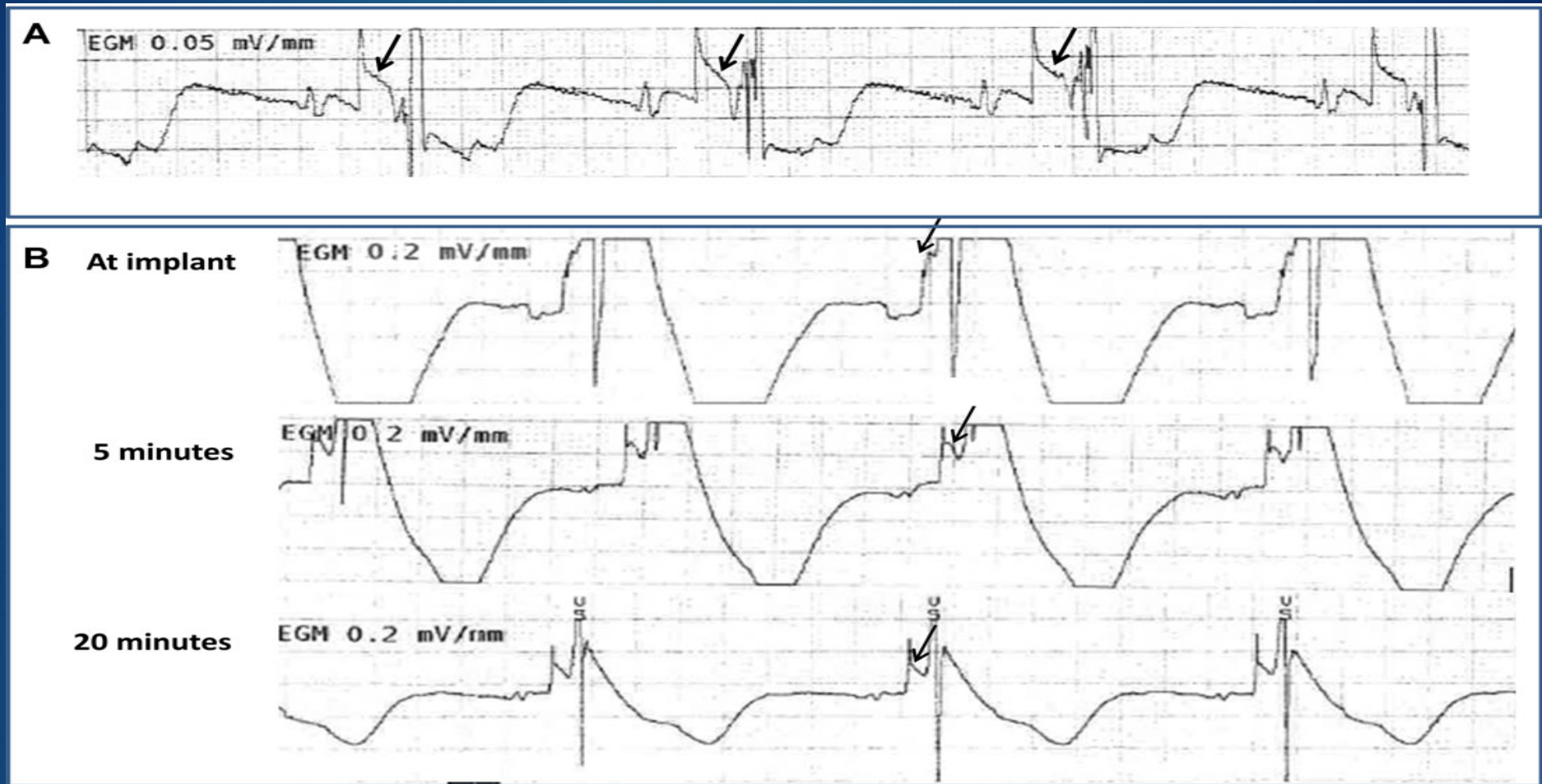
Despite a long duration of AV block and chronic RVP, HBP normalized QRS complexes and T waves with stable thresholds, suggesting that progression of distal conduction disease is uncommon in this population. Electrical and structural changes induced by chronic RVP were consistently reversed with HBP.

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# HBP Lead capture threshold

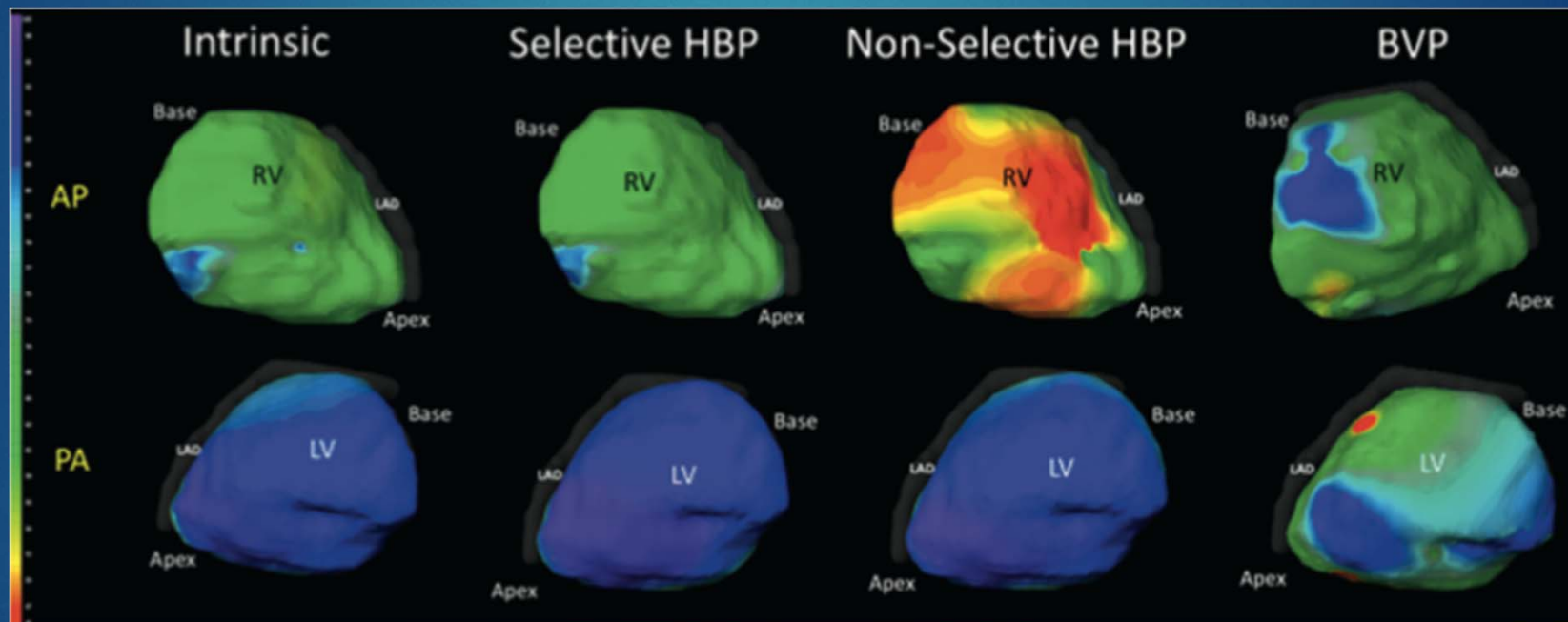
- ▶  $\leq 2.0$  V at 1 ms is acceptable
- ▶ Higher threshold accepted with HPCD patients if RV threshold is significantly lower (NS-HBP)
- ▶ His bundle injury current (~40% pts) predicts excellent acute and long term thresholds.



# HBP procedural outcomes

- ▶ With increased procedural experience feasibility of PHBP is >90%
- ▶ Recent studies suggest similar fluoroscopy times compared to RVP

# Activation maps for intrinsic QRS

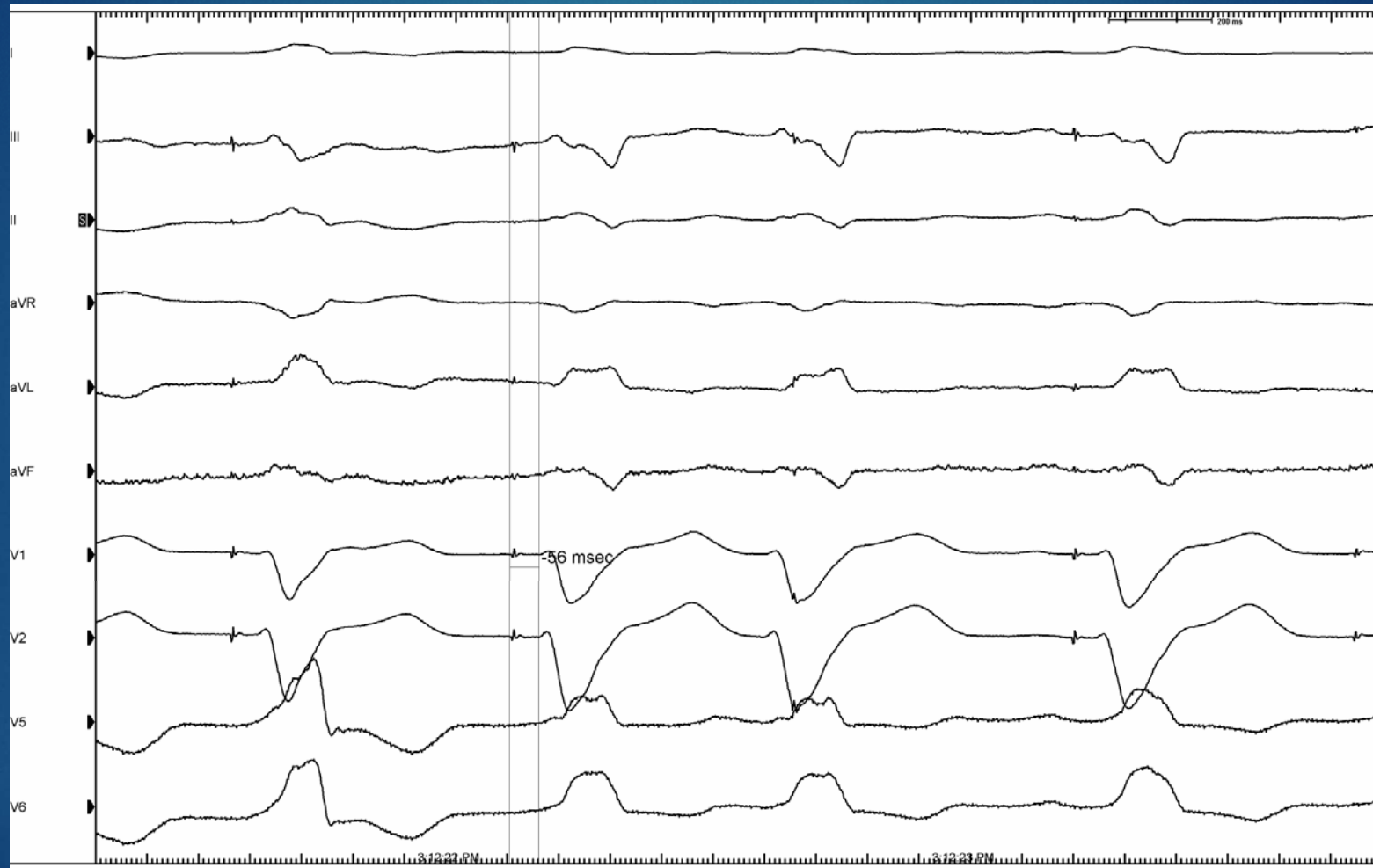


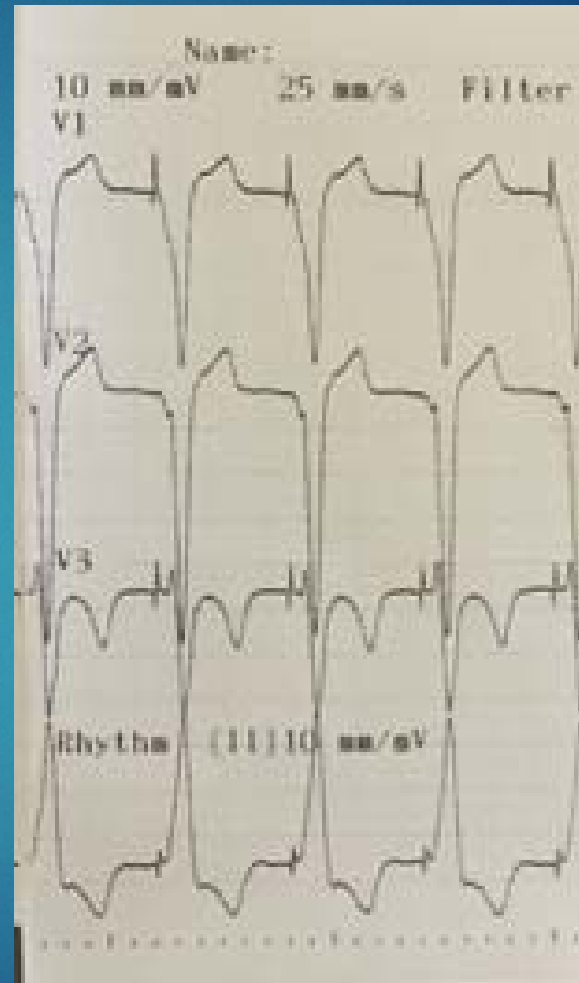
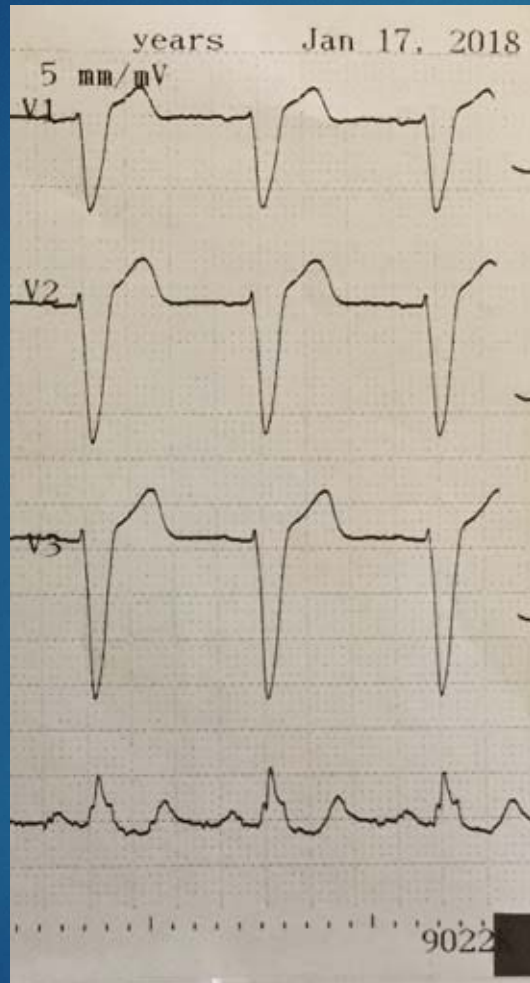
# HBP for CRT

HBP can improve echocardiographic and clinical outcomes in patients who failed traditional LV lead implantation and CRT non-responders.

Permanent HBP may be a reasonable primary alternative to BVP for CRT

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*Heart Rhythm 2018;15:413-420*





# Future directions

- ▶ HIS-SYNC Pilot: Comparison of HBP to conventional CRT
- ▶ HOPE-HF: Evaluation of HBP in patients with HF with Long AV delay and without BBB
  
- ▶ Use of HBP in patients with IVCD remains uncertain.



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