Therapies for Type 2 Diabetes and Coronary Arterial Disease (BARI-2D)

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Studies on prevention of CAD

- A continuing debate regarding the most effective strategy for treating stable ischemic heart disease (SIHD).
 - 1. Patients with SIHD
 - 2. Patients with type 2 diabetes as being at high cardiac risk Detection of Ischemia in Asymptomatic Diabetics (DIAD) study
- Two recent multicenter, randomized trials, regarding the benefits of early revascularization in SIHD

1. **Patients with SIHD:** Clinical Outcomes Utilizing Revascularization and Aggressive Drug Evaluation (COURAGE) trial

2. Patients with T2DM and SIHD: Bypass Angioplasty Revascularization Investigation in Type 2 Diabetes (BARI-2D) trial

Baseline clinical characteristics in COURAGE and BARI-2D trials

	Courage	BARI-2D	
Year of initial publication	2008	2009	
Period of recruitment	1999-2004	2001–2005	
Entry criteria	CAD by catheter plus positive stress or angina	CAD by catheter plus T2DM plus positive stress or angina	
Type of revascularization and randomization	PCI + OMT vs OMT	PCI + OMT vs OMT CABG + OMT vs OMT	
Primary end point	Death/nonfatal MI	Death	
Secondary end point	Death/MI/stroke/ hospitalization for unstable angina	Death/MI/stroke	
Follow-up, y	4.6	5	
Patients, n	2287	2368	
OMT patients, n	1149	1192	
Revascularization patients, n	1138	1176 (798 for PCI, 378 for CABG)	
Mean age, y	61	62	
Previous MI	38%	32%	
T2DM	34%	100%	
Angina CCS classification	78% with 0-II	60% with 0-II	
	21% with III	9% with III-IV	
Mean LVEF	61%	57% (82% were normal)	
Crossover (medically treated and revascularized during follow-up)	33%	42%	

Early revascularization with PCI in combination with OMT is not superior to OMT alone in reducing mortality and other major cardiovascular events

Results of BARI 2D study

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A Randomized Trial of Therapies for Type 2 Diabetes and Coronary Artery Disease

The BARI 2D Study Group*

Background

- Patients with type 2 diabetes have an increased risk of suffering a cardiovascular event over non-diabetic patients.
- The success of coronary revascularization in reducing myocardial infarction and death in diabetic patients with chronic stable angina has not been established.
- Similarly, it is unclear if insulin sensitization therapy offers benefits over insulin provision therapy in reducing cardiovascular events.

Hypothesis

• Evaluate two cardiac treatment strategies and two glycemic treatment strategies in patients who were receiving uniform glycemic control and intensive therapy for cardiac risk factors.

1.The first hypothesis :

prompt revascularization (either surgical or catheter-based) would reduce long-term rates of death and cardiovascular events, as compared with medical therapy alone.

2. The second hypothesis :

insulin sensitization (with a target level for A1c < 7.0%) would reduce long-term rates of death and cardiovascular events, as compared with insulin provision.

Eligibility criteria : both T2D with Coronary Artery Dis.

- Type 2 Diabetes: insulin or oral OHA
- Coronary Artery Disease
 - Documented on angiography

1) ≥ 50% stenosis of a major epicardial coronary artery a.w + stress test

2) ≥ 70% stenosis of a major epicardial coronary artery and classic angina).

Exclusion criteria

Required immediate revascularization ≥ 50% left main coronary disease Cr ≥ 2.0 mg/dL A1c ≥ 13.0% Heart failure: class III, IV Undergone PCI or CABG within the previous12 Mon Randomly assigned to two treatment strategies in a 2- by -2 factorial design to achieve a target A1c < 7.0%.
 1) In the first strategy, either prompt coronary revascularization or medical therapy.

2) In the second strategy, either insulin- sensitization therapy or insulin- provision therapy.

	-	Revasc	Medical	
Glucose Control	Insulin Providing	592	593	1185
Strategy	Insulin Sensitizing	584	599	1183
		1176	1192	2368

Endpoints

• Average follow-up time 5.3 years

The primary end point : death from any cause.

 The secondary end point : a composite of death, myocardial infarction, or stroke (major cardiovascular events).

Risk Factor Control



Uniform glycemic control and intensive therapy for cardiac risk factors

Primary Endpoint



- The 5-year death rate for the group receiving revascularization plus optimal medical therapy was 13.2% vs. 13.5% in the group receiving optimal medical therapy alone.
- The 5-year death rate for the group receiving insulin sensitization therapy was 13.2% vs. 13.5% in the group receiving insulin provision therapy..

Secondary Endpoint



- The rates of MI, stroke and the combined secondary endpoint of death, MI, and stroke were similar between the group receiving revascularization plus optimal medical therapy vs. the group receiving optimal medical therapy alone.
- The rates of MI, stroke and the combined secondary endpoint of death, MI, and stroke were similar between the group receiving insulin sensitization therapy vs. the group receiving insulin provision therapy.

Summary of BARI-2D study

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 Insulin sensitization versus insulin provision

Re-assessment of BARI 2D results - Focusing confusion points

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BARI-2D reassessment

- A little confusion 1.
- What BARI 2D is NOT :
- A test of PCI versus CABG
- A test of individual diabetes drugs or a test of different A1c targets. ACCORD, ADVANCE, and VADT trials
- What BARI 2D is :
- A comparison of STRATEGIES for myocardial ischemia. prompt revascularization *vs.* medical therapy
- A comparison of STRATEGIES for glycemic control. insulin sensitization *vs.* insulin provision

BARI-2D reassessment

A little confusion 2. Multicenter, randomized trials 2- by -2 factorial design

GLYCEMIA TRIAL	BLOOD PRE	SSURE TRIAL	LIPID	TRIAL	TOTAL
	SYSTOLIC BLOOD PRESSURE < 120 MM HG	SYSTOLIC BLOOD PRESSURE < 140 MM HG	GROUP A	GROUP B	20-20-0
Intensive therapy (hemoglobin A _{tc} < 6%)	1,178	1,193	1,383	1,374	5,128
Standard therapy (hemoglobin A _{tc} 7.0%–7.9%, inclusively)	1,184	1,178	1, <mark>370</mark>	1,391	5,123
Total	2,362	2,371	2,753	2,765	
Total	4,733		5,	518	10,251

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2368 patients with mild to moderate CAD and Type 2 diabetes prior to randomization. Prospective. Randomized. Mean follow-up 5.3 years



Revascularization Decision

This analysis included 1,773 patients without previous procedures.
 (no histories of coronary revascularization and >80% of baseline information available)

Cardiologist a priori selected revascularization method based on clinical and angiographic factors

> Percutaneous C oronary Intervention (PCI) or Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery (CABG)

Baseline Characteristics

Characteristic	Revasc (CABG + OMT or PCI + OMT) (n=1176)	OMT (n=1192)
Age (yrs±SD)	62.3 ± 8.8	62.4 ± 9.0
Male (%)	70.4	70.3
HbA1c (% mean±SD)	7.6 ± 1.6	7.7 ± 1.6
Duration of diabetes (years mean±SD)	10.2 ± 8.5	10.7 ± 8.8
History of MI (%)	31.7	32.4
History of CHF (%)	7.1	6.2
Cerebrovascular event (%)	9.5	10.0
Peripheral artery disease (%)	23.7	23.7
Prior revascularization (%)	22.9	24.2

Baseline Characteristics

Characteristic	Insulin Sensitization (n=1183)	Insulin Provision (n=1185)
Age (yrs±SD)	62.3 ± 9.2	62.5 ± 8.7
Male (%)	70.1	70.6
HbA1c (% mean±SD)	7.6 ± 1.6	7.7 ± 1.6
Duration of diabetes (years mean±SD)	10.1 ± 8.4	10.8 ± 8.9
History of MI (%)	32.6	31.5
History of CHF (%)	6.7	6.6
Cerebrovascular event (%)	9.9	9.6
Peripheral artery disease (%)	23.9	23.5
Prior revascularization (%)	23.1	24.1

Table 1

Angiographic characteristics by intended revascularization assignment (excludes patients with previous procedures)

Angiographic Characteristic	10	Stra	atum	
	All Patients $(n = 1,773)$	CABG (n = 655)	PCI (n = 1,118)	p Value
No. of lesions (≥20% DS)	4.6 ± 2.3	5.7 ± 2.2	4.1 ± 2.0	< 0.0001
No. of significant lesions ($\geq 50\%$ DS)	2.6 ± 1.7	3.6 ± 1.7	2.1 ± 1.5	< 0.0001
No. of lesions ≥70% DS	1.1 ± 1.2	1.7 ± 1.3	0.8 ± 1.0	< 0.0001
Proximal LAD coronary artery disease (≥50% DS)	12%	19%	8%	< 0.0001
No. of total occlusions				< 0.0001
0	62%	40%	74.5%	
1	30%	44%	21.7%	
≥2	8%	16%	3.8%	
No. of territories* with ≥50% DS				< 0.0001
0	3%	0.5%	4%	
1	29%	8.7%	41%	
2	36%	37.4%	36%	
3	32%	53.4%	19%	
MJI (%)	46 ± 24	61 ± 21	38 ± 22	< 0.0001
Categorical MJI (%)				< 0.0001
≤25	23%	6%	33%	
26-50	35%	26%	41%	
51-75	28%	42%	20%	
76–100	14%	26%	6%	

Left ventricular ejection fraction (%)	(n = 1,695)	(n = 635)	(n = 1,060)	
Mean	58 ± 11	57 ± 11	58 ± 11	0.54
<50	16%	18%	16%	0.29
<40	5%	6%	4%	0.23
Lesion-level analysis	(n = 8,286)	(n = 3,752)	(n = 4,534)	
DS				< 0.0001
<50%	44.5%	38%	50%	
50%-69%	32%	33%	31%	
70%-89%	9%	10%	8%	
90%-100%	14.5%	19%	11%	
Total occlusion (99% or 100% DS)	10%	14%	7%	< 0.0001
Distal flow (TIMI grade)				< 0.0001
0	7%	10%	5%	
1	4%	4%	3%	
2	4%	5%	3%	
3	85%	81%	89%	
ACC/AHA classification [†]				< 0,0001
Type A	30%	27.6%	31.5%	
Type B	46%	43.8%	48.7%	
Type C	24%	28.6%	19.8%	
Ostial [†]	4%	5%	3%	0.009
Side branch ⁺	5%	5%	.6%	0.08
Nondiscrete	18%	19%	17%	0.04
Moderate/severe tortuosity [†]	24%	25%	24%	0.31
Irregular/ulcerated contour*	15%	16%	14%	0.08

Continuous variables are presented as mean \pm SD, and categorical variables are presented as percentages.

* Each of the 3 epicardial coronary arteries supplies 1 territory; a dominant circumflex artery supplies 2 territories.

⁺ Assessed only for lesions 50% to 98% DS.

ACC = American College of Cardiology; AHA = American Heart Association; DS = diameter stenosis; LAD = left anterior descending.

Adjusted Odds Ratio of CABG selection among Multivessels



BARI 2D BASELINE CORONARY ANGIOGRAPHIC FINDING

BARI 2D patients, who by design have mild or no symptoms, demonstrate considerable variation in the extent of CAD and amount of jeopardized myocardium.

 Evaluate 2 coequal outcome measures in this analysis :
 (1)the number of lesions 20% diameter stenosis: reflecting atherosclerotic burden
 (2) the total MJI (Myocardial Jeopardy Index): reflection of the extent of potential myocardial ischemia

•In conclusion,

• Coronary arteriographic findings are consistent with the intent of the design of BARI 2D.

BARI 2 Baseline From January 1, 2001, to March 31, 2005 patients were enrolled at 49 clinical sites



Randomization by region

Intended mode of revascularization by number of vessels



 In general, patients enrolled in the United States had a less severe angiographic profile compared with patients in Canada, Brazil and Mexico, and the Czech Republic and Austria.

• To a large extent, the region-specific differences in angiographic profiles.

BARI-2D reassessment

• A little confusion 3.

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Increased crossovers in drugs and devices



42% of patients in the medical treatment group had undergone revascularization by 5 years

Insulin Sensitization Group



Insulin Provision Group



Medication	Baseline	З у	ears
		IS	IP
Metformin	54%	75%	10%
Thiazolidinedione	19%	62%	4%
Rosiglitazone	12%	55%	3%
Sulfonylurea	53%	18%	52%
Insulin	28%	28%	61%

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A1c mean over time



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Use of Medications, Risk Factors, and Adverse Events

Variable	All Patients at Baseline			3-Year Fo	ollow-up		
		Revascularization	Medical Therapy	P Value	Insulin Sensitization	Insulin Provision	P Value
No. of patients	2368	953	991		977	967	
Risk factor							
Glycated hemoglobin — %	7.7±1.6	7.2±1.3	7.3±1.3	0.22	7.0±1.2	7.5±1.4	< 0.001
Insulin — μ U/ml				0.72			<0.001
Median	9.9	7.8	7.9		6.3	10.0	
Interquartile range	5.7-17.0	4.6-15.0	4.6-14.0		3.9-11.0	5.5-19.0	
Cholesterol — mg/dl							
Total	169±41	151±35	150±34	0.60	151±34	151±35	0.77
Low-density lipoprotein	96±33	81±28	79±25	0.25	79±27	80±27	0.41
High-density lipoprotein	38±10	41±11	41±12	0.59	42±12	40±11	<0.001
Triglycerides — mg/dl				0.32			0.27
Median	148	126	131		126	131	
Interquartile range	104-219	<mark>89–179</mark>	94-179		88-181	95-176	
Blood pressure — mm Hg							
Systolic	131.7±20.0	125.6±15.3	125.2±16.7	0.58	125.3±15.9	125.5±16.1	0.74
Diastolic	74.5±11.2	70.4±10.7	70.3±10.5	0.86	70.1±10.8	70.6±10.3	0.31
Estimated glomerular filtration rate				0.32			0.34
Median	76.3	70.3	70.0		70.3	70.0	
Interquartile range	63.1-91.5	55.0-85.9	53.4- <mark>83.5</mark>		53.7-85.8	54.3-83.5	

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Microalbuminuria or macroalbu- minuria (albumin:creati- nine ratio, >30) — %	32.6	33.6	34.2	0.80	34.4	33.3	0.62
Body-mass index‡	31.7±6.0	32.0±6.3	32.2±6.2	0.50	31.7±6.3	32.5±6.2	0.003
Smoking in previous yr — %	21.8	10.4	11.2	0.56	12.1	9.5	0.07
Patients meeting target values — %							
Glycated hemoglobin <7.0%	39.6	48.5	47.2	0.60	55.5	40.0	< 0.001
Low-density lipoprotein cholester- ol <100 mg/dl	59.5	83.3	83.4	0.98	84.2	82.5	0.36
Blood pressure ≤130/80 mm Hg	47.6	71.7	70.7	0.61	72.4	70.0	0.24
Glycated hemoglobin, low-density lipoprotein cholesterol, and blood pressure at target levels	13.4	28.5	28.3	0.93	34.8	22.0	<0.001

CABG oriented Reassessment



	PCI Intended N=1605	CABG Intended N=763
Age	62.0	63.2
Male	68%	76%
Prior revascularization	29%	13%
Proximal LAD	10%	19%
LVEF < 50	18%	18%
3 Vessel Disease	20%	52%
Total Occlusions	0.48	0.84
Myocardial Jeopardy Index	37.2	59.7

Death / MI/ Stroke Among Medical Assigned Patients



Reanalysis according to CABG and PCI

CABG Intended Revascularization Stratum (Higher Risk Patients)



PCI Intended Revascularization Stratum (Lower Risk Patients)



Five-Year Clinical Event Rates CABG Intended Revascularization Stratum N=763



All-Cause Mortality		Death / MI / Stroke			
	Prompt Revasc	Intensive Medical		Prompt Revasc	Intensive Medical
Insulin Sensitization	11.2%	12.3%	Insulin Sensitization	20.3%	24.1%
Insulin Provision	12.2%	12.0%	Insulin Provision	25.2%	24.1%
Interaction p=0.78		Interaction p=0.23			

4 treatment combination 5-year clinical events rate

PCI Intended Stratum





CABG Intended Stratum

Major cardiovascular events rate

Adverse Event Rates by Glycemic Randomized Treatment Assignment

Adverse Event	IS N=1154	IP N=1156	P-value
Hypoglycemia			
Any	53.3%	73.8%	0.001
Severe	5.9%	9.2%	0.003
Peripheral Edema	56.6%	51.9%	0.02
Congestive Heart Failure			
All Patients	22.6%	20.0%	0.13
History of CHF *	67.2%	63.5%	0.65
No history of CHF *	19.4%	16.6%	0.09
Bone Fractures	7.6%	6.9%	0.54

* N=141 patients had a history of CHF and N=2035 had no history of CHF

Event rates were lower than expected

- Heterogeneity of diabetic patients

- 0.3% per year in the Bergamo Nephrologic Diabetes Complications Trial BENEDICT) 17 to 12% per year in the German Diabetes and Dialysis trial.
- Clinicians decided on a preferred revascularization approach (PCI or CABG) before randomization
- Higher use of drug-eluting stents and greater use of minimally invasive surgical techniques as the trial progressed.

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