

Radiotherapie voor prostaatkanker anno 2018

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Inleiding

Therapeutische opties

- < 3 factoren:

- 1) PSA

- 2) Tumoruitleidheid (T)

- 3) Gleason score

⇒ 3 prognostische groepen

Therapeutische opties

Risico groep	PSA	cT	Gleason	Therapeutische optie
Laag risico	≤10 ng/ml	≤T2a	6 (3+3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Active surveillance - Brachytherapie - Externe radiotherapie - heekunde
Intermediair risico	>10 en ≤20 ng/ml	T>2a en <3	7 (3+4) of (4+3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brachytherapie - Externe radiotherapie + 6 maanden ADT - heekunde
Hoog risico	>20 ng/ml	T≥3	8-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Externe radiotherapie + 18-24 maanden ADT - heekunde

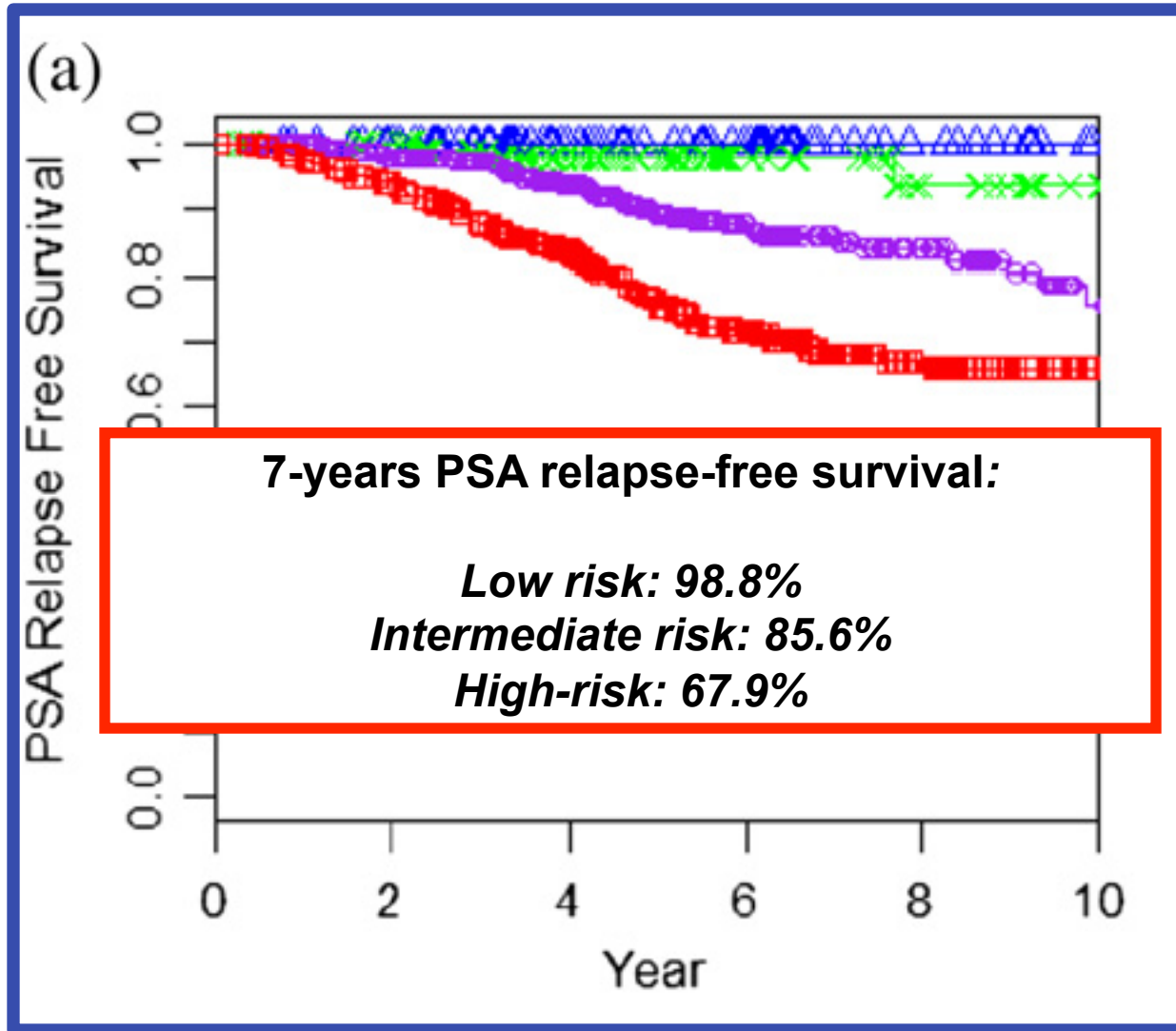


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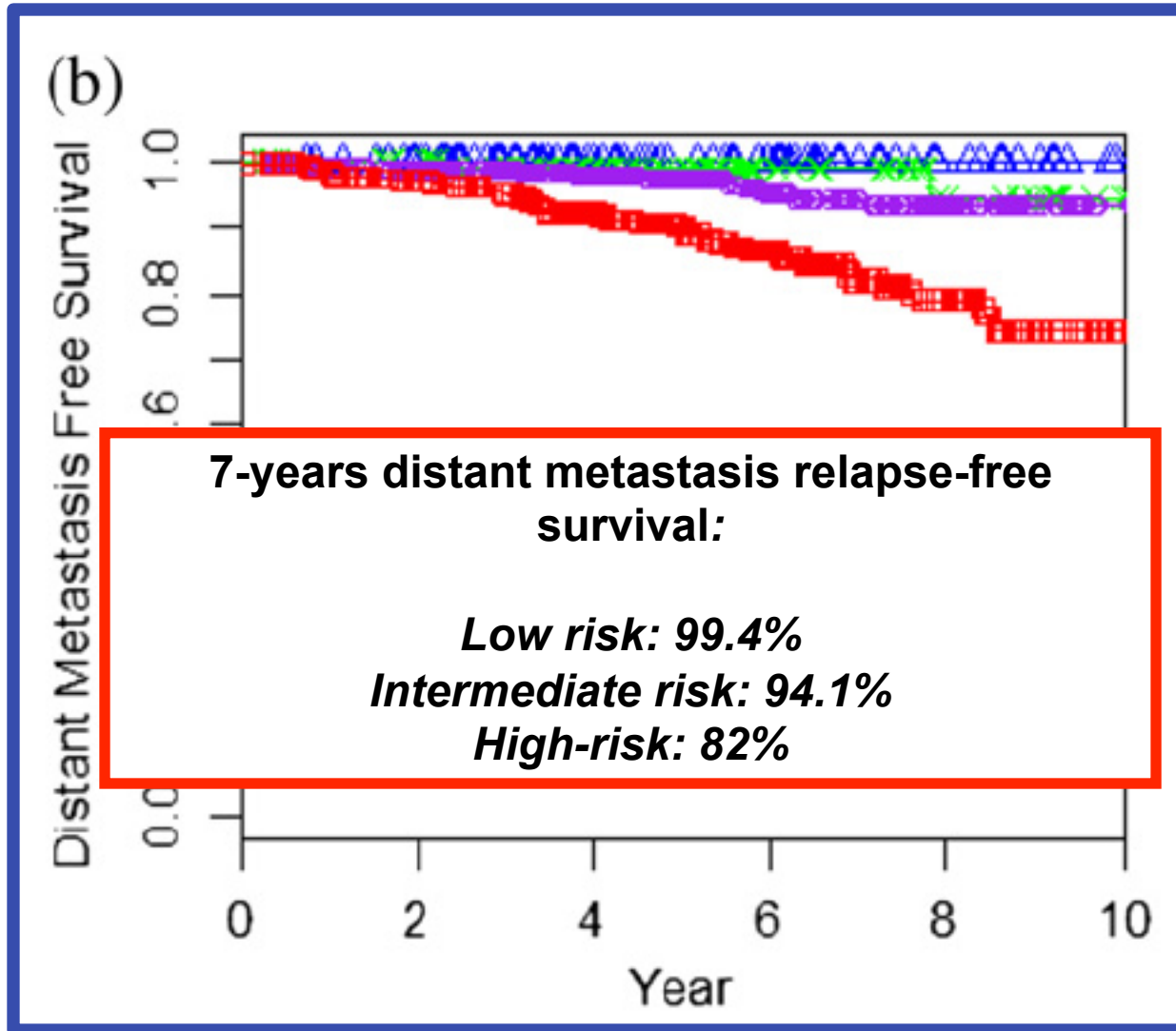
Dosis escalatie: Evidentie

<i>Study</i>	<i>Dose (Gy)</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>Follow up</i>	<i>bRFS</i>	<i>P-value</i>
Zietman	70.2 GyE	197	8.9	61	0.0012
	79.2 GyE	196		80	
Peeters	68	331	8.9	54	0.02
	78	333		64	
Dearnaley	64	421	5.3	60	0.0007
	74	422		71	
Kuban	70	150	8.7	59	0.004
	78	151		78	
Beckendorf	70	153	5.1	68	0.09
	80	153		77	

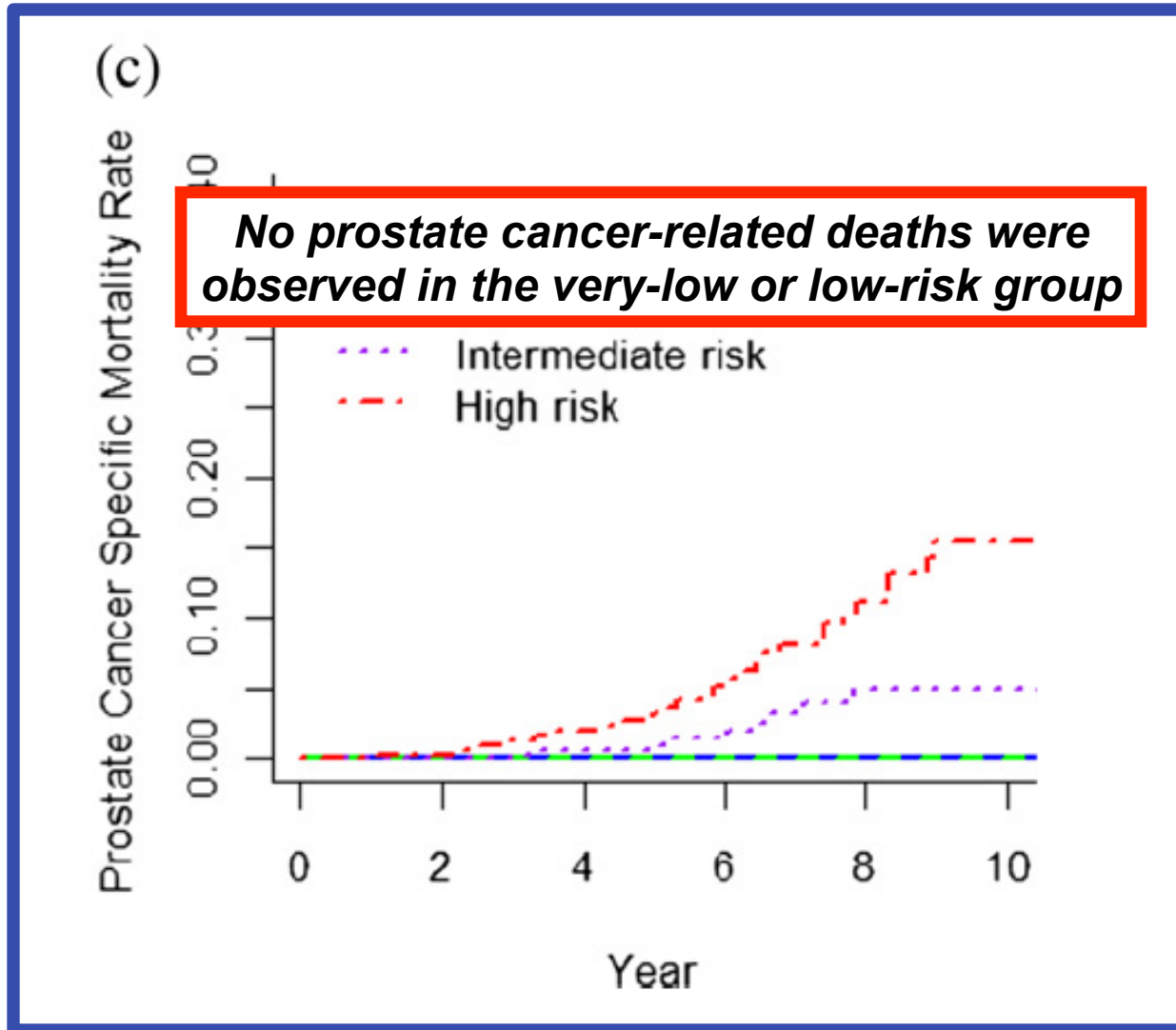
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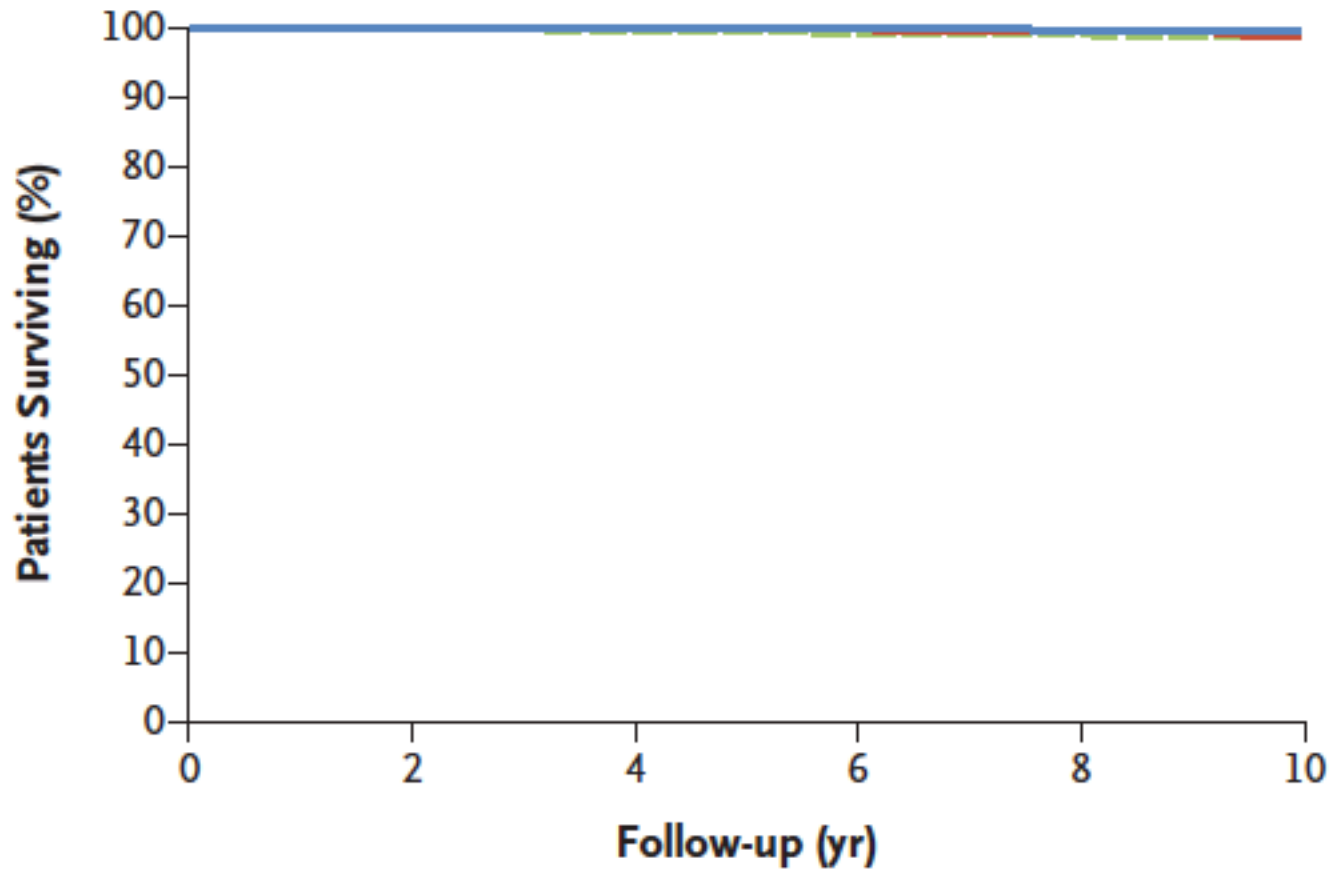


Dosis escalatie: Evidentie



— Surgery — Radiotherapy - - - Active monitoring

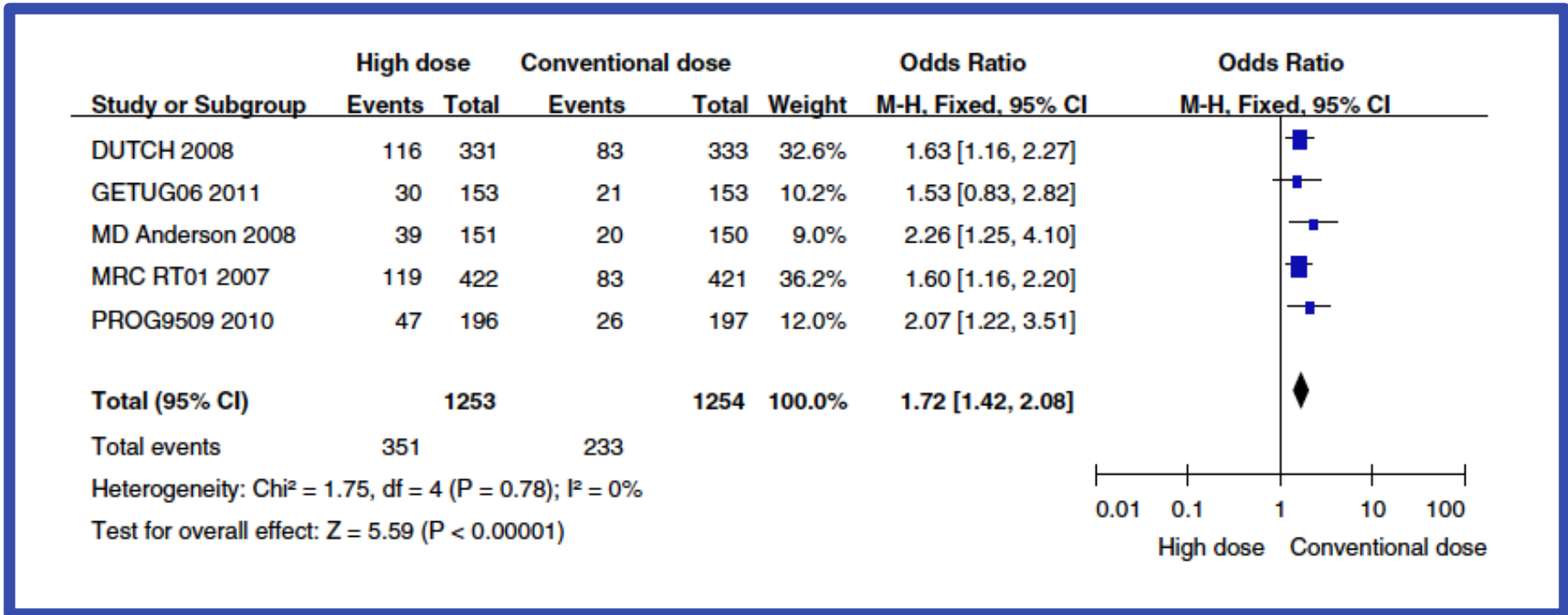
A Prostate-Cancer-Specific Survival



No. at Risk 1643 1628 1605 1575 1286 746

**Evolutie in de externe
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Rectale toxiciteit



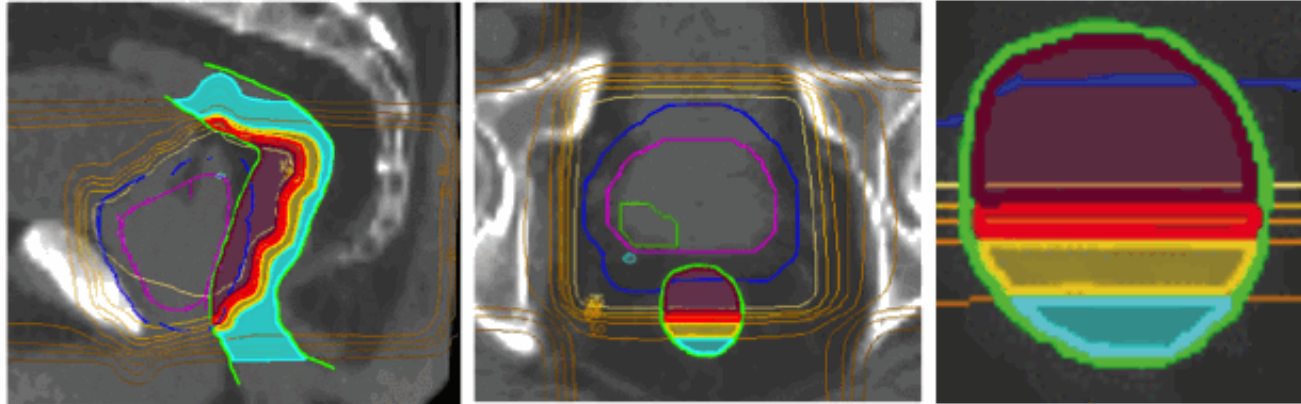
Late grade ≥2 rectal toxicity:

Conventional dose radiotherapy: 18.6%

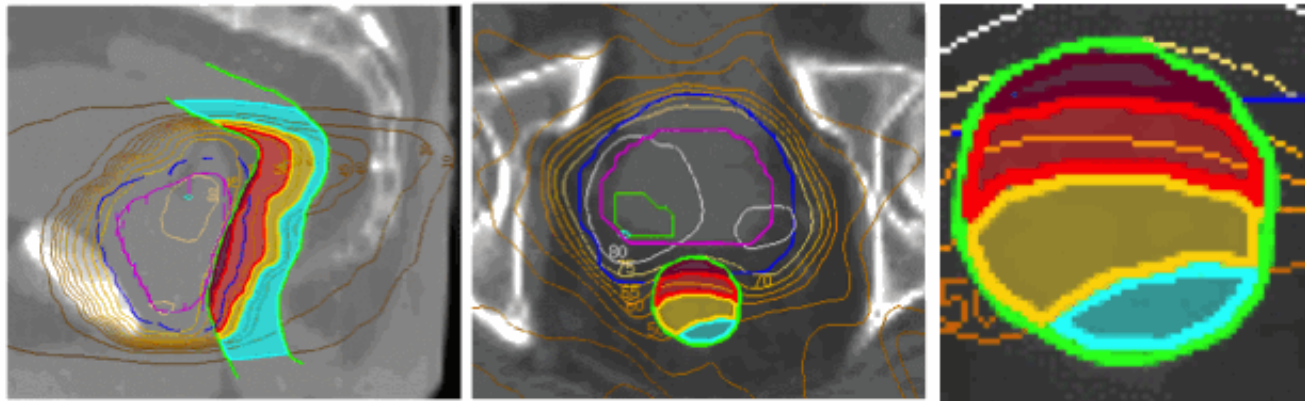
High dose radiotherapy: 28%

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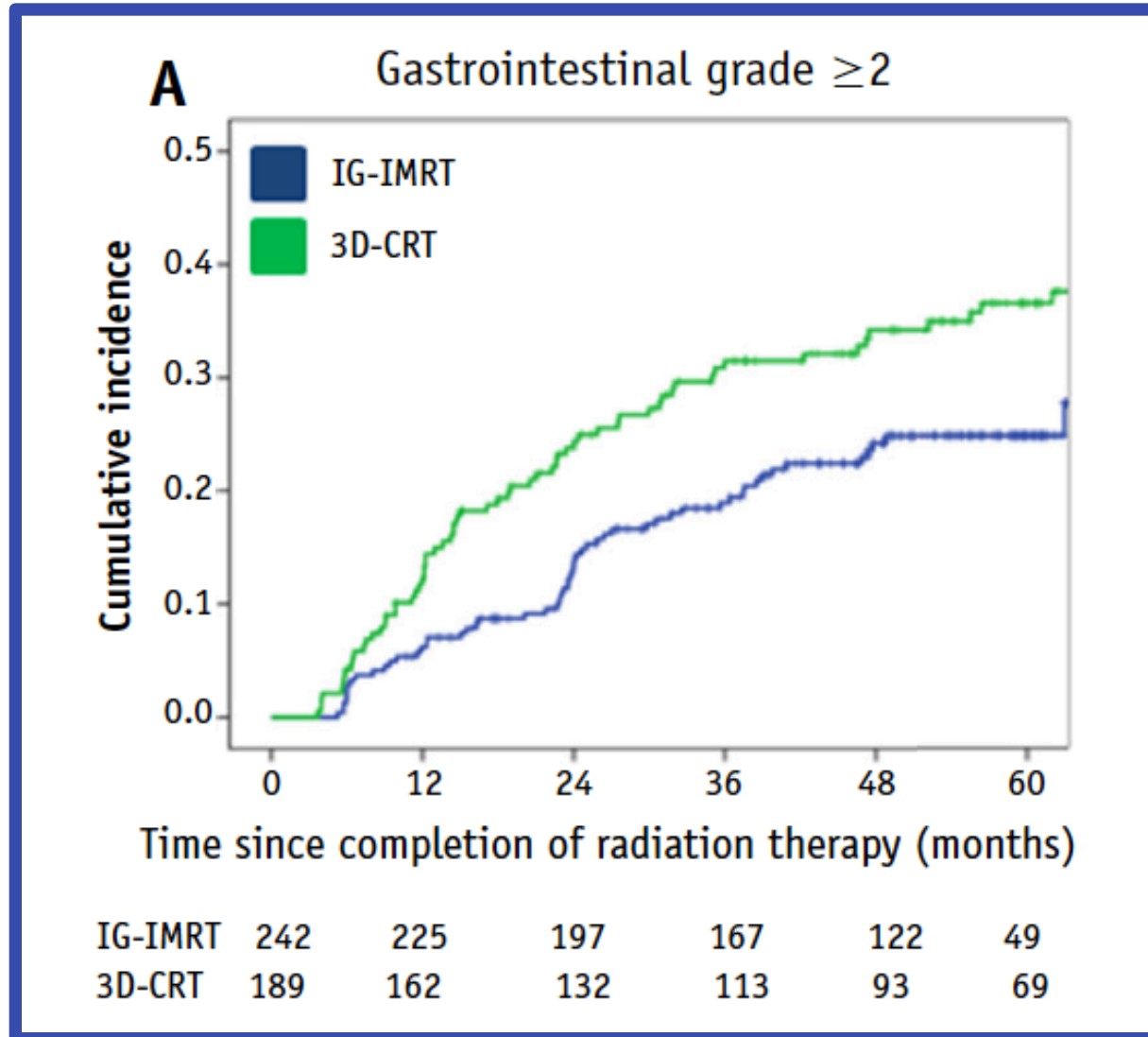
3D-CRT



IMRT

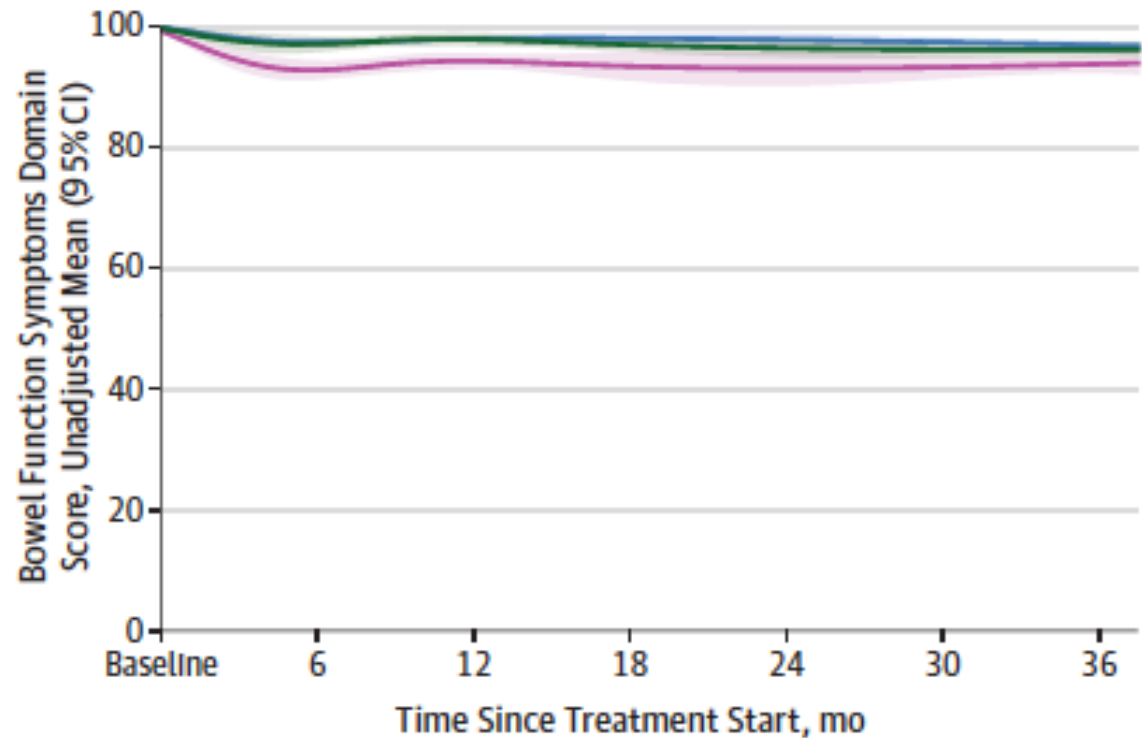
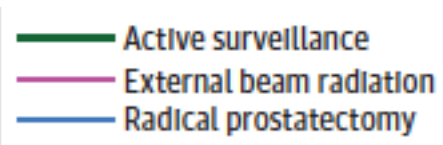


Rectale toxiciteit



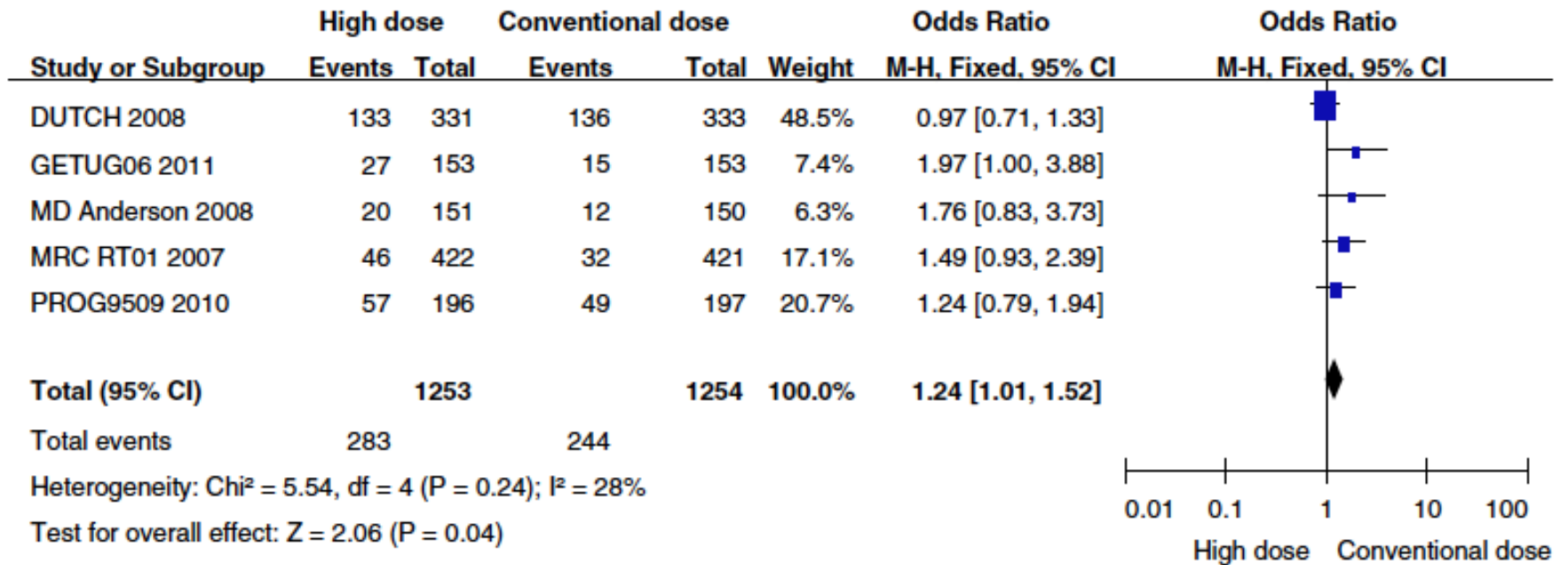
Patient reported outcome voor rectale toxiciteit

C Men with excellent baseline domain score (100 points)



No. of patients	Baseline	6	12	36
Active surveillance	259	246	234	213
External beam radiation	331	319	309	273
Radical prostatectomy	948	896	892	821

Urinaire toxiciteit



Late grade ≥ 2 urinary toxicity:

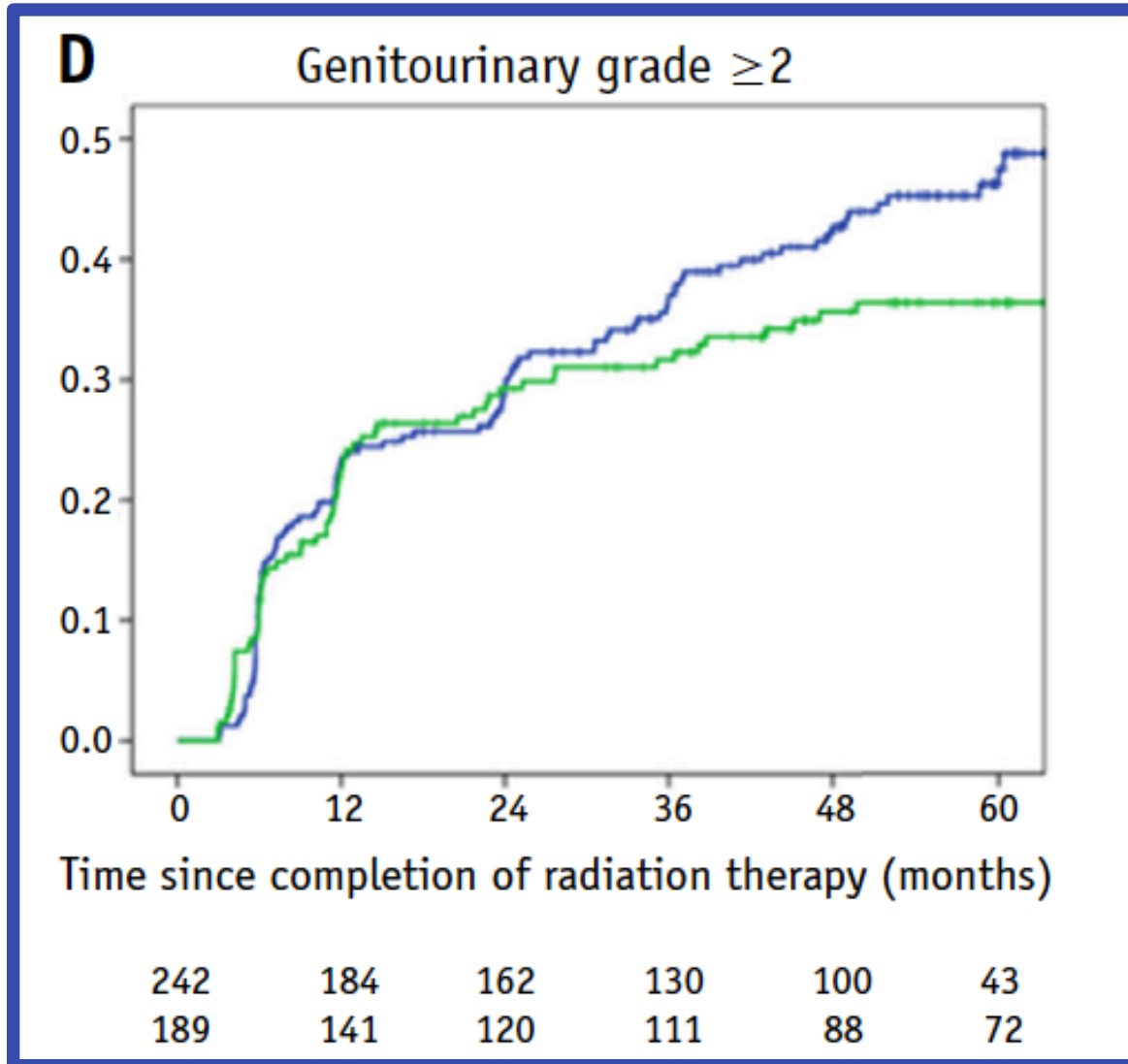
Conventional dose radiotherapy: 19.5%

High dose radiotherapy: 22.6%

Urinaire toxiciteit

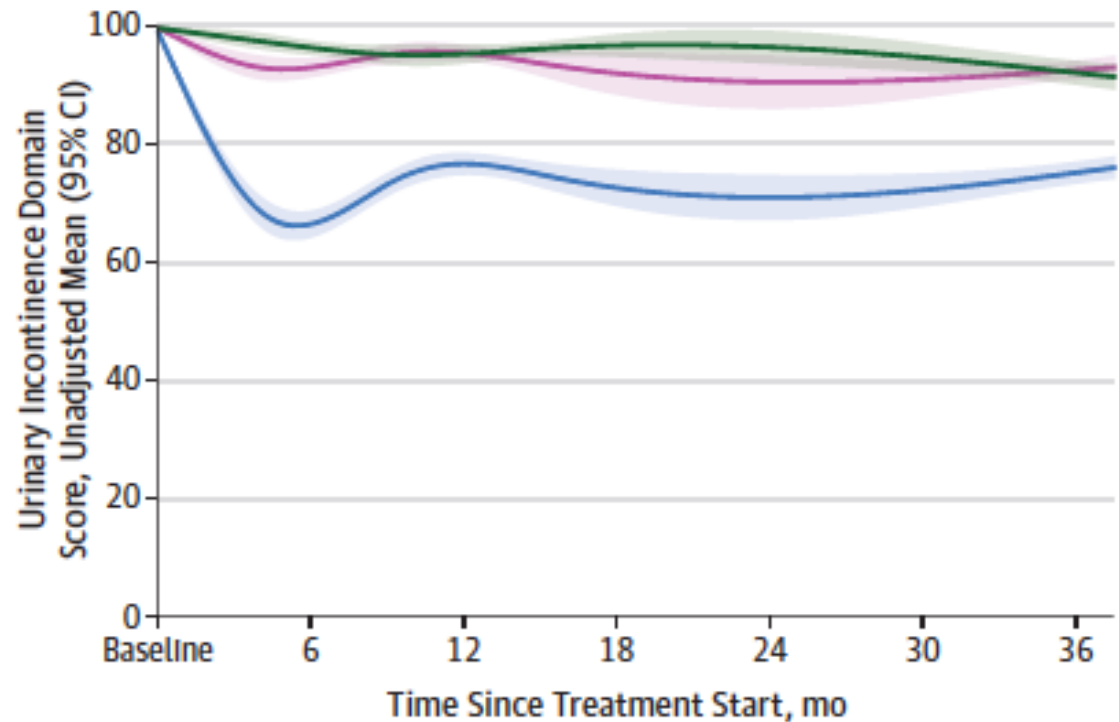
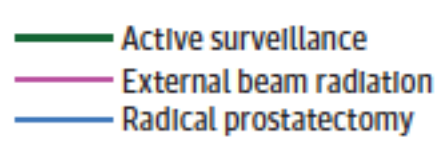
Whole bladder	RTOG	UTHSCSA	Univ Miami	MSKCC
80 Gy	15%	-	-	-
75 Gy	25%	-	-	-
70 Gy	35%	25%	-	-
65 Gy	50%	-	25%	-
60-50 Gy	-	-	-	-
45 Gy	-	-	-	53% (V47)
40 Gy	-	-	50%	-

Rectale toxiciteit



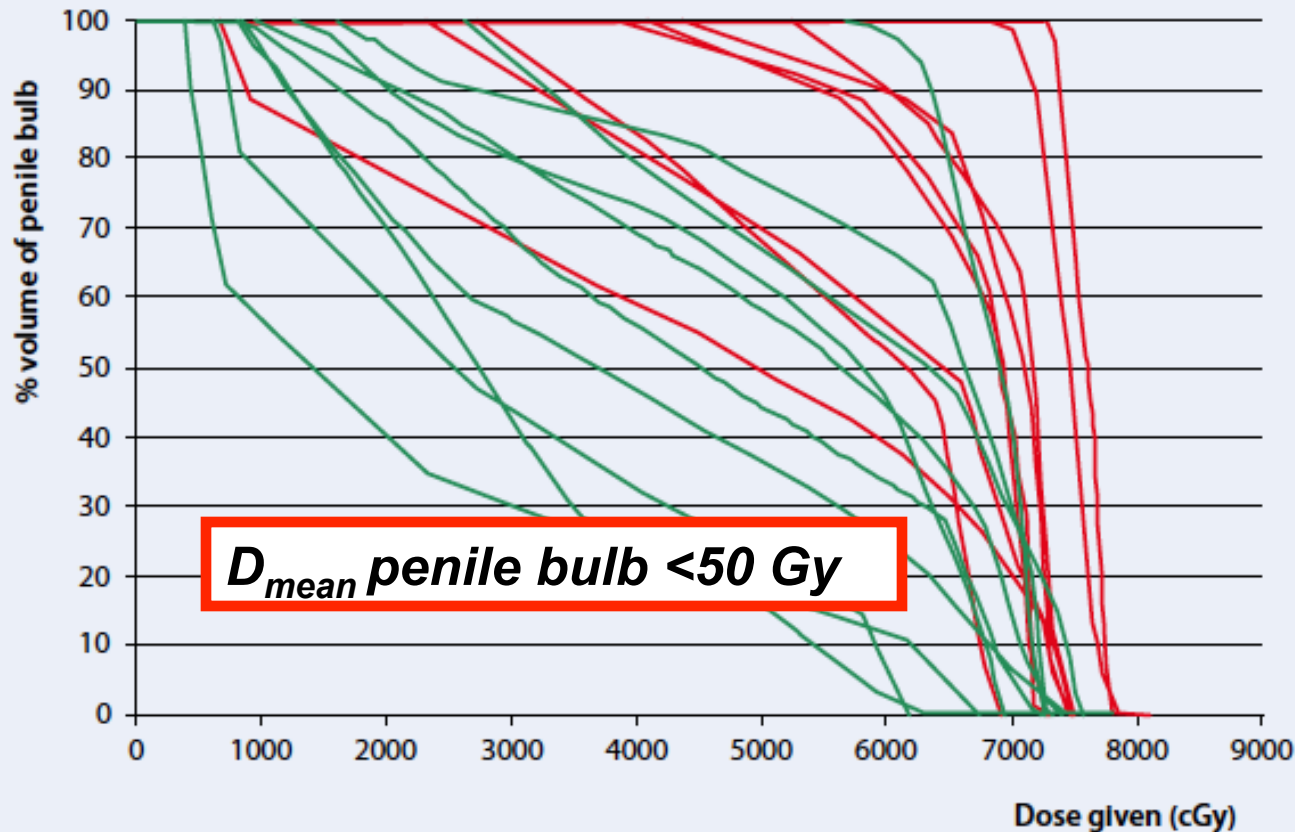
Patient reported outcome voor urinaire toxiciteit

C Men with excellent baseline domain score (100 points)



No. of patients	Baseline	6	12	36
Active surveillance	240	228	208	192
External beam radiation	337	325	300	282
Radical prostatectomy	901	849	830	790

Erectiele dysfunctie

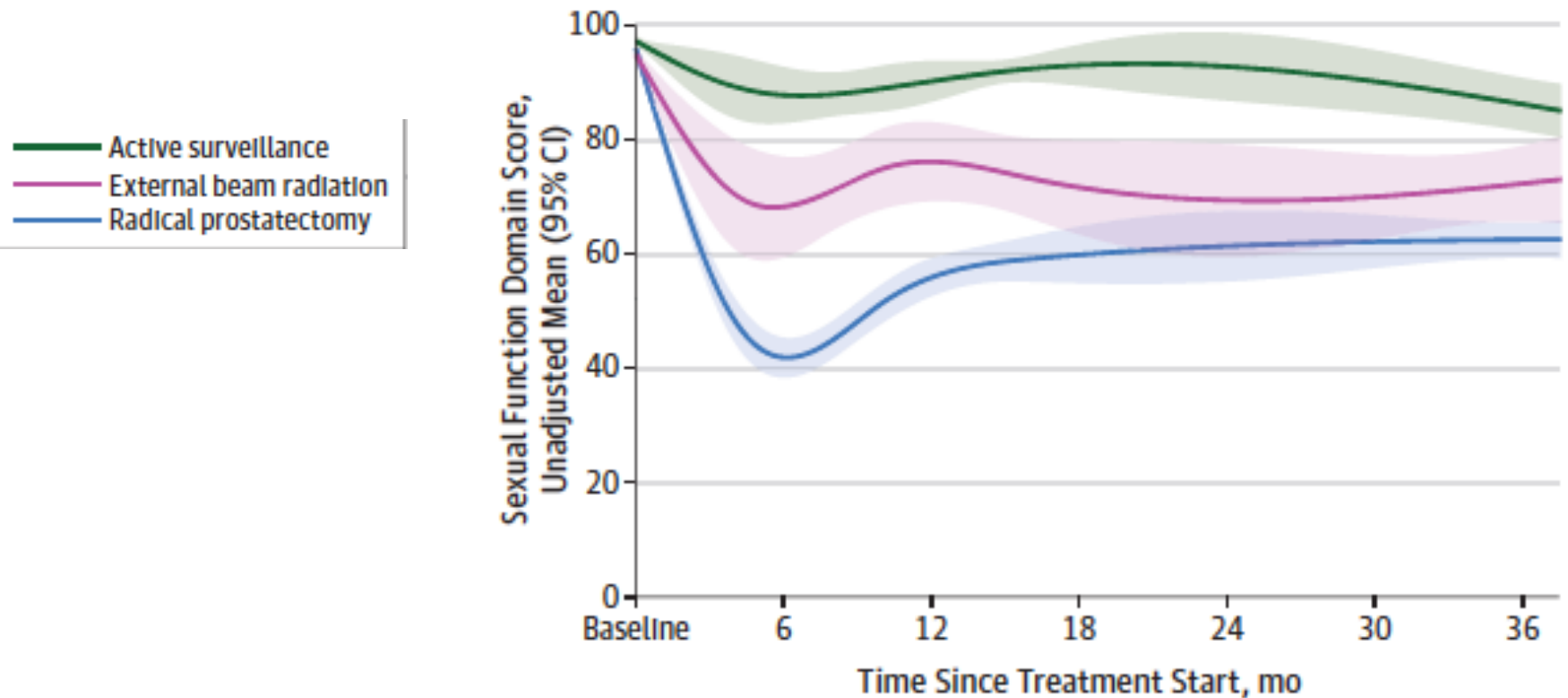


N= 19
3D-CRT to 72-76 Gy
No ADT

Fig. 1 ▲ Comparison of the dose–volume histograms of the penile bulb in potent (*green*) and impotent (*red*) patients

Patient reported outcome voor erectiele dysfunctie

C Men with excellent baseline domain score (≥ 90 points)



No. of patients

Active surveillance	97	91	88	81
External beam radiation	82	77	77	67
Radical prostatectomy	456	430	434	404

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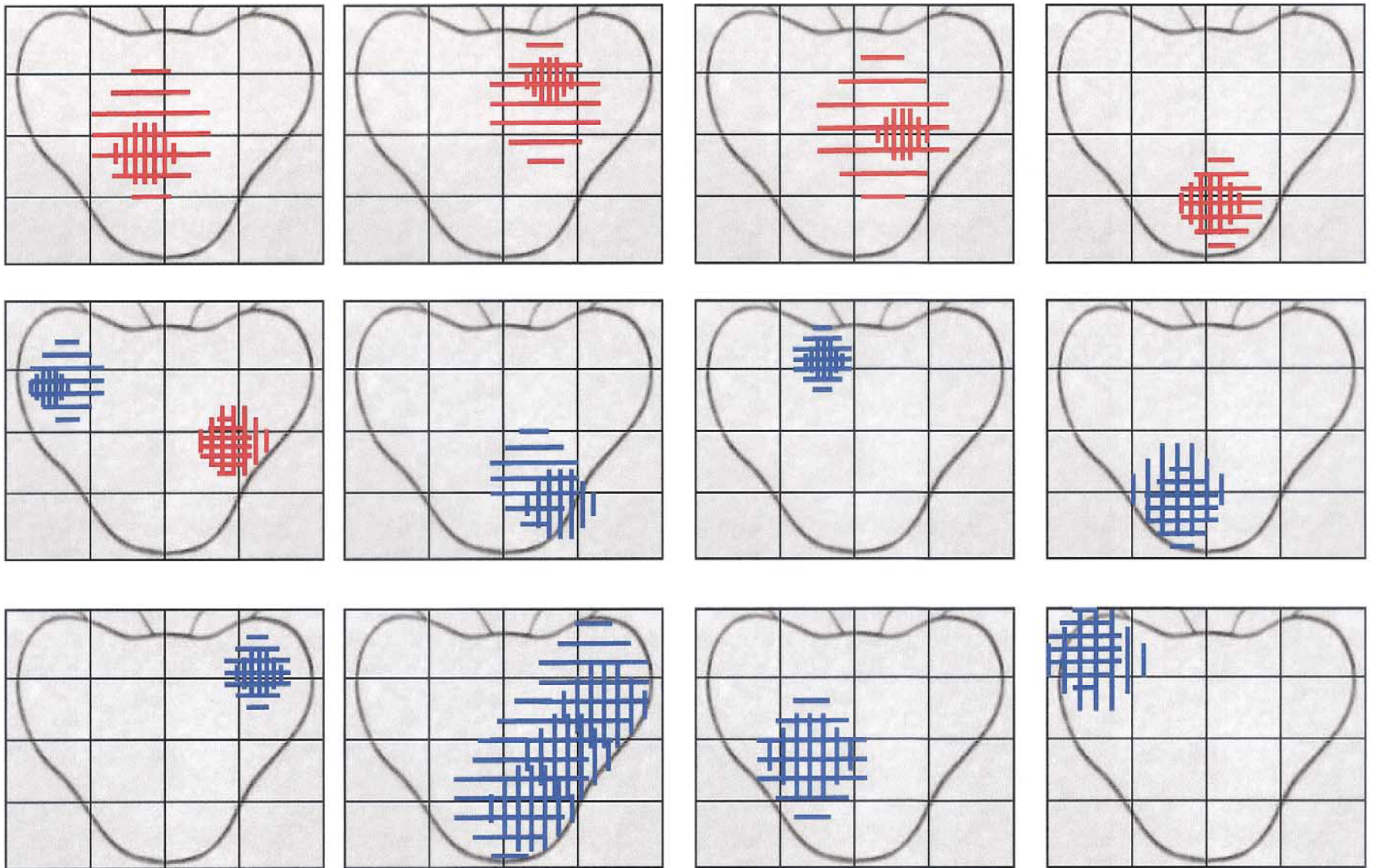
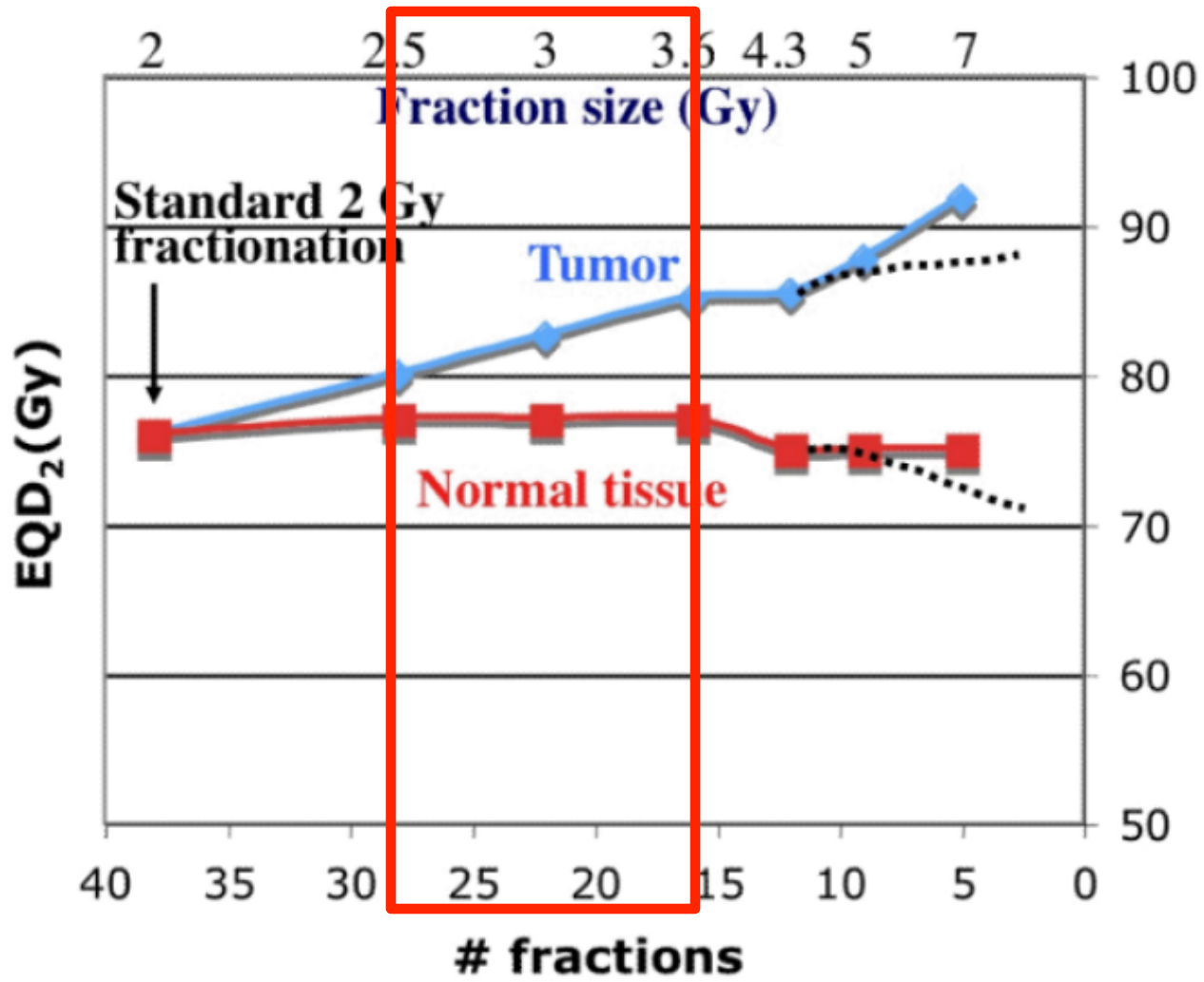


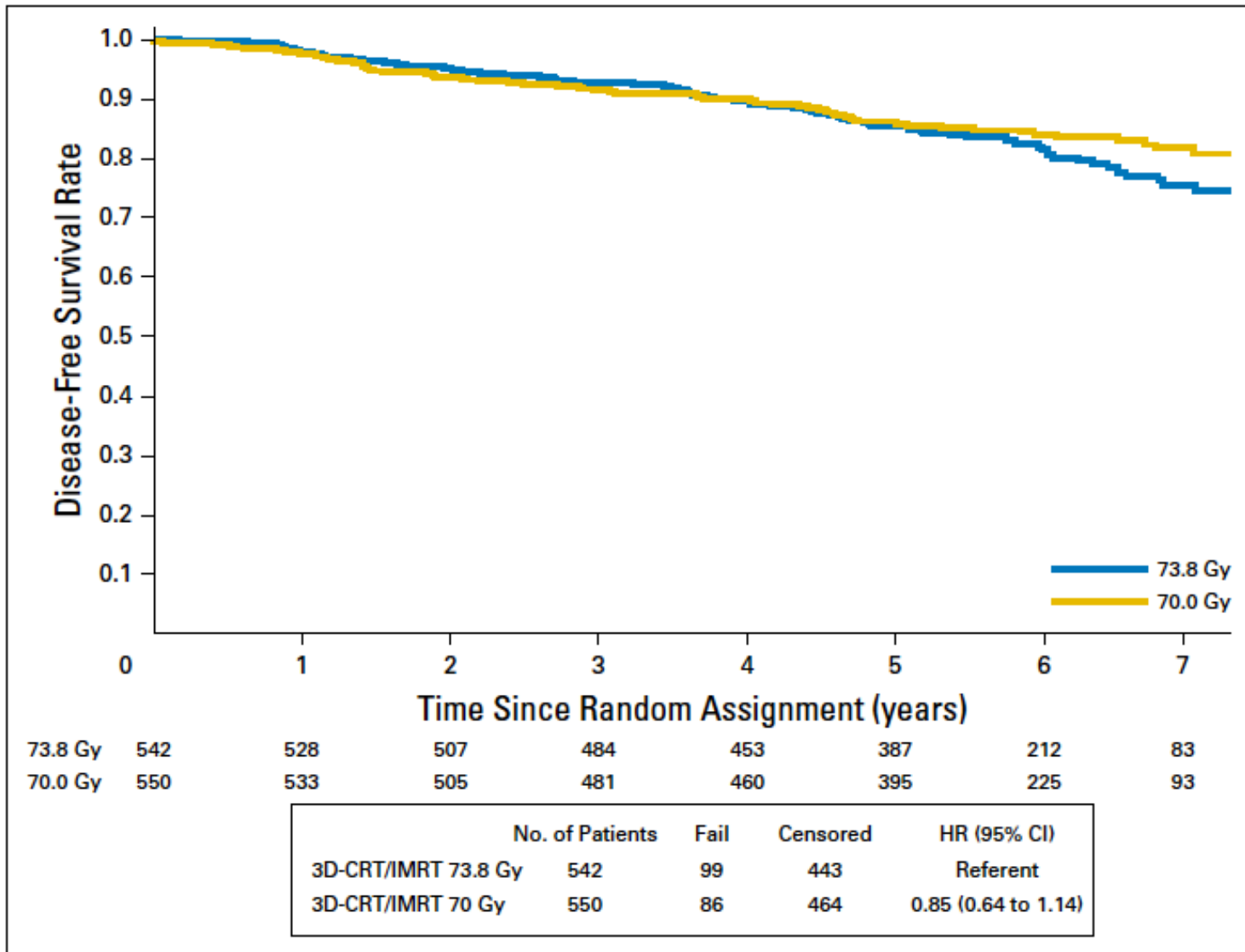
Fig. 3. Initial tumor extent (indicated with horizontal lines) and extent of disease progression at its identification (indicated with vertical lines) in 12 patients with local failure. Red lines indicate tumors with a complete response; blue lines indicate tumors with no or a partial response.



Non inferiority trials of moderate hypofractionation in prostate cancer

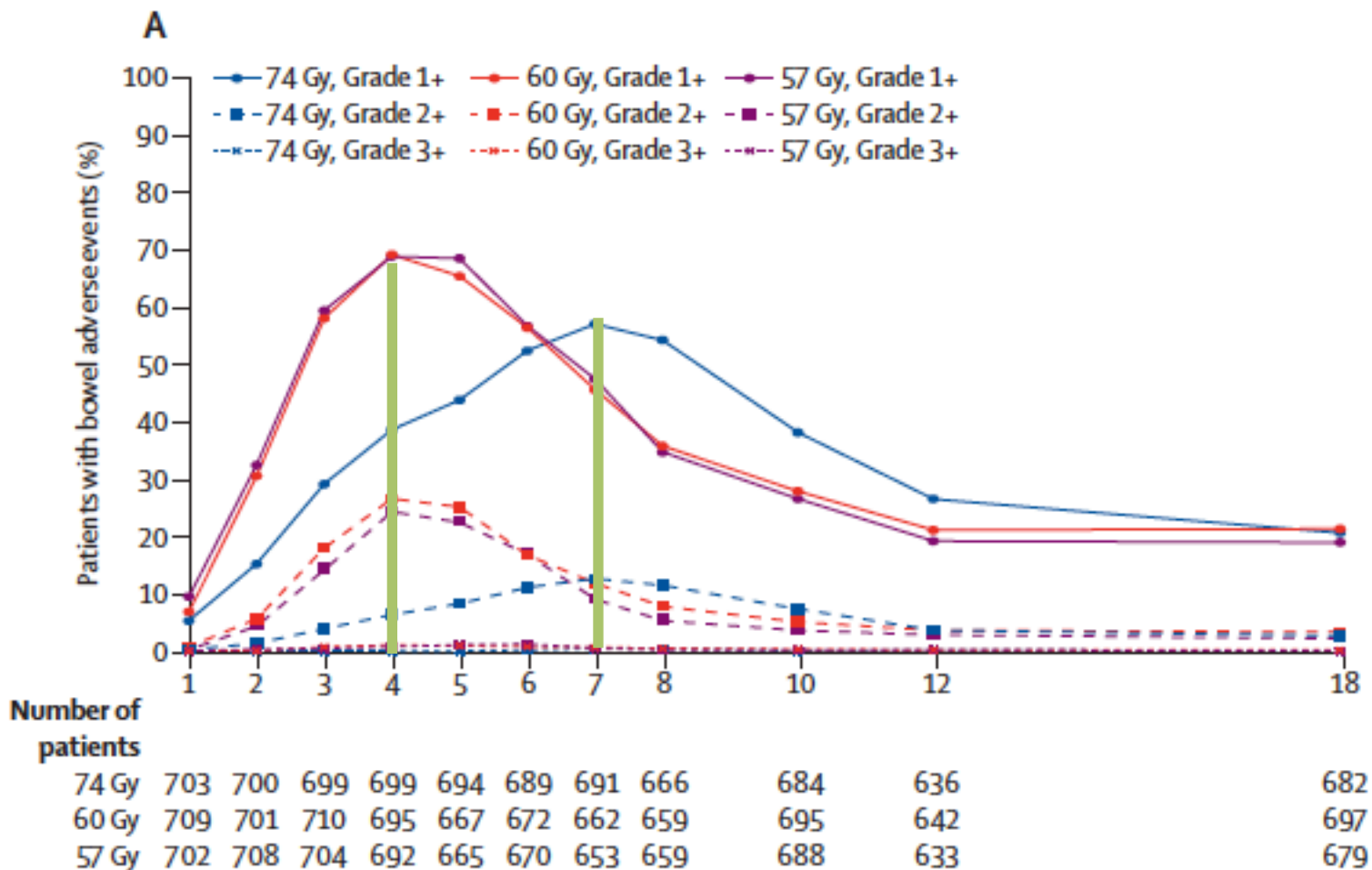
Sponsor	Sample size	Risk group	Regimens tested
RTOG 0415	1067	Low	73.8/1.8 Gy v 70/2.5 Gy
OCOG (Canada)	1204	Intermediate	78/2 Gy v 60/3 Gy
HYPRO (Dutch)	820	Int/High	78/2 Gy v 64.6/3.4 Gy (3 fractions/ week)
CHHIP (UK)	3216	Low/Intermediate/ High	74/2 Gy v 57/3 Gy v 60/3 Gy

RTOG 0415 trial



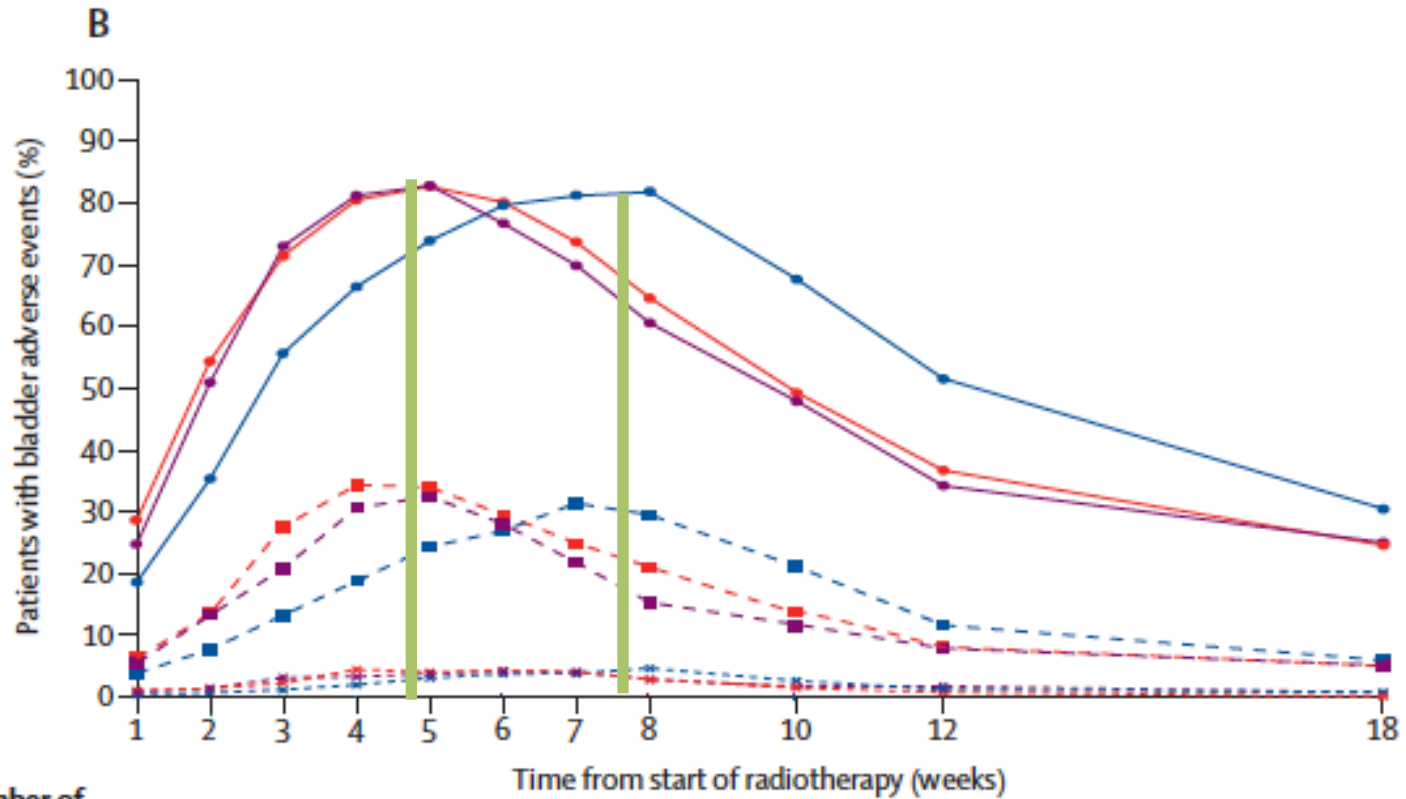
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Acute Bowel toxicity



CHHiP trial

Acute Bladder toxicity

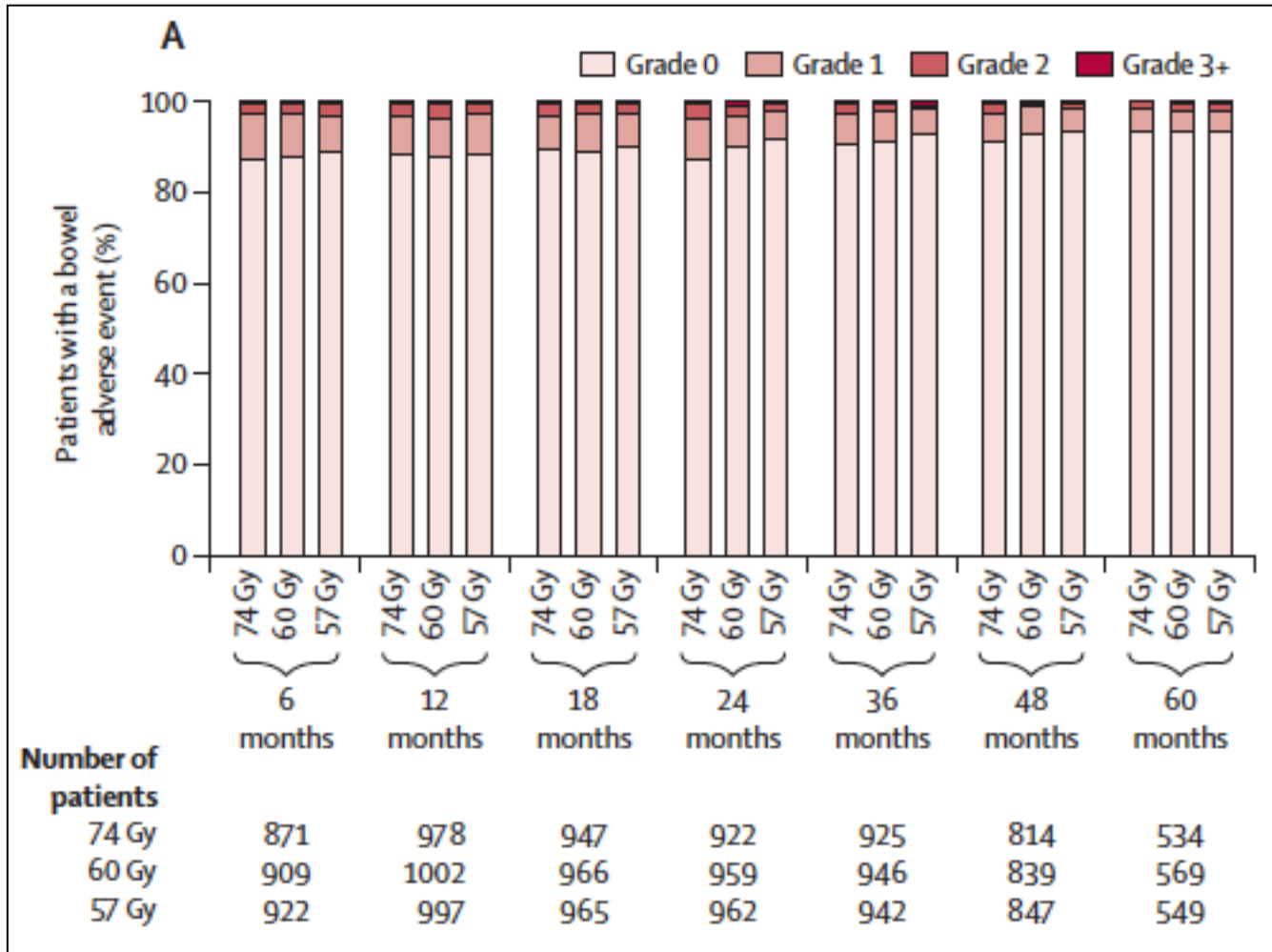


Number of patients

74 Gy	703	700	698	699	694	689	691	666	685	638	682
60 Gy	709	701	710	696	668	673	662	659	695	643	696
57 Gy	702	708	704	692	665	670	654	660	688	633	679

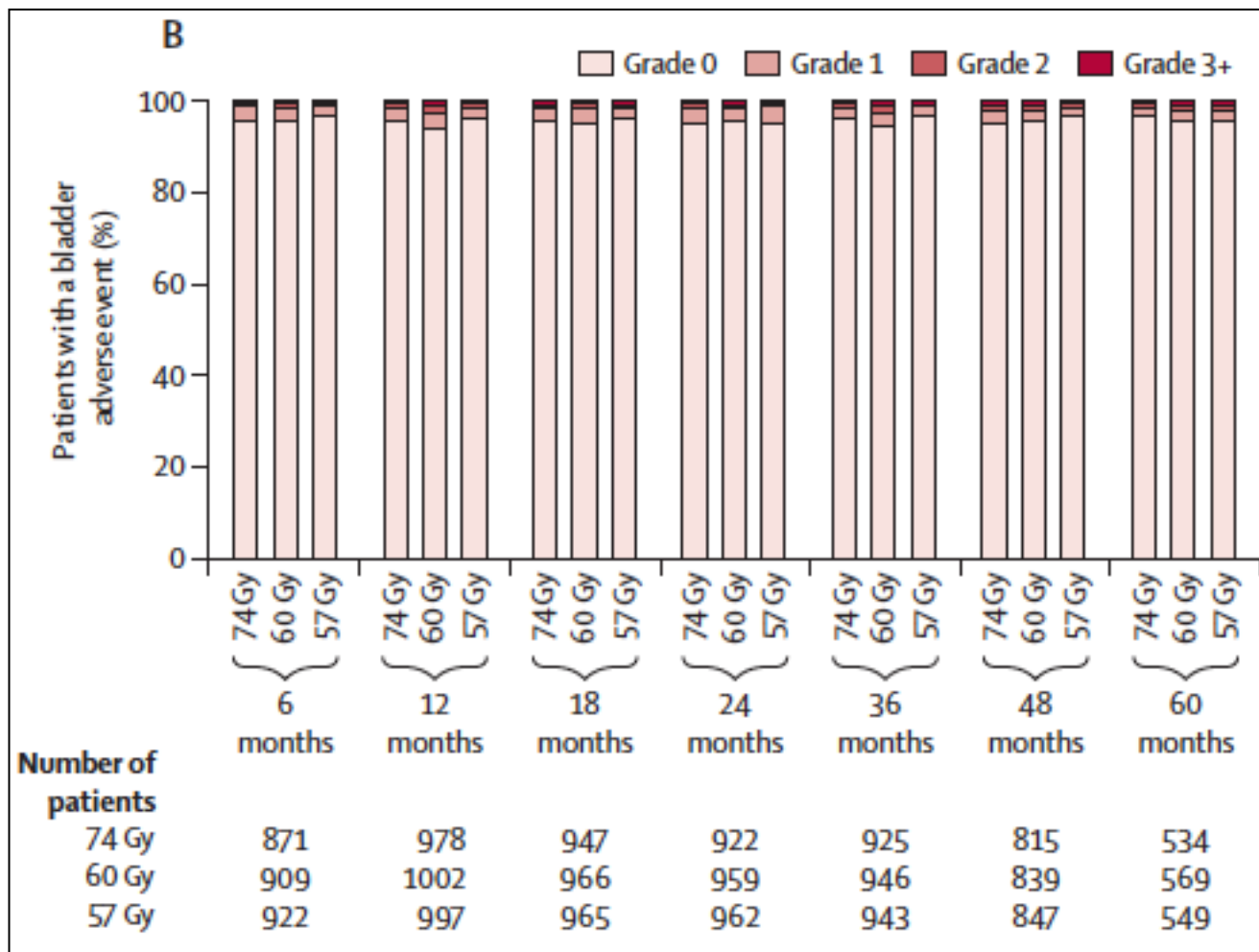
CHHiP trial

Late Bowel toxicity



CHHiP trial

Late Bladder toxicity



Extreme hypofractionation in prostate cancer

Sponsor	Regimens tested
HYPO trial	78 Gy/39 F v 43.7 Gy/7 F
PACE trial	78 Gy/39 F v 36.25 Gy/5F

Conclusie

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Platinum Priority – Review – Prostate Cancer

Editorial by Martin Spahn, Alan Dal Pra, Daniel Aebersold and Bertrand Tombal on pp. 31–32 of this issue

Surgery Versus Radiotherapy for Clinically-localized Prostate Cancer: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis

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Risk category	Adjusted HR	p
Low risk	1.47 (1.19-1.83)	0.0004
Intermediate risk	1.50 (1.24-1.82)	<0.0001
High risk	1.88 (1.64-2.16)	<0.00001

Risk category	Adjusted HR	p
Low risk	1.70 (1.36-2.13)	<0.00001
Intermediate risk	1.80 (1.45-2.25)	<0.0001
High risk	1.83 (1.51-2.22)	0.0001

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Letter to the Editor

Re: Christopher J.D. Wallis, Refik Saskin, Richard Choo, et al. Surgery Versus Radiotherapy for Clinically-localized Prostate Cancer: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. *Eur Urol* 2016;70:21–30

Wallis et al compared the outcomes of patients treated with either surgery or radiotherapy for clinically-localized prostate cancer [1]; however, a flawed, no matter how large.

While nonrandomised comparisons are subject to known confounders (eg, age, smoking, comorbidities) and difficult to control for unknown confounders, the outcomes of surgery and RT are very different from those treated with hormone therapy. Residual confounding cannot be excluded.

Examining the data for low-risk patients indicates that the analysis is not a fair comparison of two well-matched groups. The overall mortality for patients treated with surgery, with a hazard ratio of 1.19–1.83; however, low-risk patients almost never lethal within 10–15 years of survival of up to 99.9% even with RT treatment [2]. If mortality among RT

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It is not without deep concern about the overinterpretation and misuse of data that we have read the systematic review and meta-analysis published by Wallis and colleagues on the comparative effectiveness of surgery and radiotherapy for the treatment of prostate cancer [1]. While the analysis of large databases can provide insights in several settings, they usually carry intrinsic biases that do not allow for accurate comparisons among competitive interventions [2]. Rather than providing arguments for treatment guidance and selection, such analyses merely demonstrate the biases intrinsic to the databases. Giordano and colleagues, for example, reported that patients undergoing radical prostatectomy (RP) included in the Surveillance Epidemiology and End Results (SEER) database had higher survival rates than a matched population without cancer. Surprisingly enough, RP had at least as much effect on deaths from diseases like pneumonia and cardiovascular disease as it had on deaths from prostate cancer, showing the tremendous bias in the operated population. Last but not least, these results remained unchanged even after statistical adjustment for all measured confounders or use of propensity score analysis [3].

That being said, it is commonly accepted that meta-analyses provide the highest level of evidence, but this is true only for meta-analyses of high-quality randomized trials. Meta-analyzing biased studies provides only a biased summary and does not increase the level of evidence. In this review, the authors evaluated the quality of the included studies using the Newcastle Ottawa Scale, which was designed to score case-control studies and was also shown to have low reliability between individual reviewers [4]. The authors did not mention clearly that the studies synthesized provided level 3 evidence; the level of evidence provided by the meta-analysis should be considered.

Furthermore, we are concerned by the fact that publishing biased research can mislead not only health care professionals but also, and more importantly, patients and their families. This is even more true in the setting of prostate cancer, given its prevalence. Authors should be quite aware that strong messages like the one in the patient summary of the paper by Wallace et al—“we demonstrated consistently higher mortality for patients treated with radiotherapy rather than surgery”—may be immediately echoed by media and reported by generalist Web sites without mention of the potential for bias. This would ultimately generate the (false) impression that the final word has been said on this topic. The public should be warned when treatment recommendations are not based on level 1 evidence, and this should be reflected in the abstract and the patient summary.

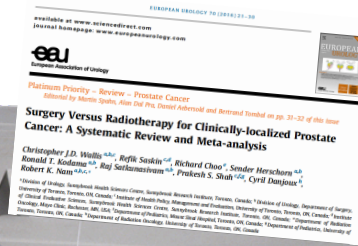
As clinicians involved in prostate cancer patient care, we deeply believe that improving our knowledge about the comparative effectiveness of and the selection criteria for surgery or radiotherapy is a major goal. But such a goal should be reached by the performance of high-quality and evidence-based research such as randomized trials or randomized registries rather than by repeating or compiling, over and over, the same biased studies. Only then will we provide patients with unbiased tools for shared decision making.

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Patients treated with

or salvage therapies
studies irrespective

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