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**Question:** Amiodarone compared to placebo for adults who are in cardiac arrest in any setting

**Settings:** OHCA FV/pVT

**Bibliography (systematic reviews):** Kundenchuk 1999

Quality assessment							№ of patients		Effect		Quality	Importance
№ of studies	Study design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Amiodarone	placebo	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute (95% CI)		
Restoration of spontaneous circulation												
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none	157/246 (63.8%)	106/258 (41.1%)	not estimable	not estimable	⊕⊕⊕⊕ HIGH	IMPORTANT
Survival to Hospital Discharge												
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none	33/246 (13.4%)	34/258 (13.2%)	not estimable	not estimable	⊕⊕⊕⊕ HIGH	CRITICAL
Survival with favorable neurological/functional outcome at hospital discharge (assessed with: Resumed independent living activities or returned to their former employment)												
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none	18/246 (7.3%)	17/258 (6.6%)	not estimable	not estimable	⊕⊕⊕⊕ HIGH	CRITICAL

MD - mean difference, RR - relative risk