# Title:



Rationale and study design for an Individualized PeriopeRative Open lung VEntilatory approach in Emergency Abdominal Laparo-tomy/scopy: study protocol for a prospective international randomized controlled trial.

# iPROVE-EAL Trial

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#### A multicenter prospective randomized controlled trial.

iPROVE-EAL + PEAL is an international project, in which centers of different countries of the world. It consists of two phases: a first observational phase (PEAL) and a second phase of clinical trial (iPROVE-EAL). This means that in the first phase of the study will not change the usual clinical practice, nor will any treatment be carried out additional or alternative, but the data of what is done in a way that is going to be collected usual (more detailed in the study protocol).

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### Access to the eCRF and randomization website



## Website: http://www.navarrabiomed-researchgate.com/





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- Enter or modify data in eCRF
- Patient randomization

# Registration and contact form in order to access to eCRF (more details in appendix 3 Investigator brochure)



#### HOSPITAL PATIENT REGISTRATION. iPROVE-EAL

STUDY ID: IPROVE-EAL	CENTER:
SPONSOR: Department of Anesthesia and Critical Care. Hospital Clinic of Barcelona	LOCAL IP:

It is the investigator's obligation to keep this document in custody. At the end of the study some of these data will be requested for the CONSORT Flowchart

Number	Subject identification	Subjetc included* (Y or N)	Subject randomized** (Y or N)	Anonymized code



#### Design

# Multicenter, international, parallel-group, open-label, centrally randomized, stratified, clinical trial.

#### **Objectives**

A randomized clinical trial that compares an individualized and monitored perioperative open lung ventilation strategy versus a conventional standardized lung protective ventilation in patients undergoing emergency abdominal surgery with clinical signs of lung collapse.



# Inclusion criteria:

- adult men and women ≥18 years of age who underwent emergency abdominal surgery and sign the informed consent.
- presence of post-induction positive air-test (SpO<sub>2</sub> <97% after a maximum of 15 minutes at FIO<sub>2</sub> of 0.21). A SpO<sub>2</sub> <97% at any FIO<sub>2</sub> would also be considered a positive air-test.

\*In those patients with pre-induction positive Air-Test, the presence of atelectasis should be confirmed with imaging techniques (CT, x-ray, LUS).



Surgery				
□ Laparotomy	□ Laparoscopy			
Mesenteric ischemia	□ Anastomotic leak			
	□ Adhesiolisis			
Colorectal resection	Small bowel resection			
	Grastrointestinal perforation			
Hemoperitoneum (urological, gynecological)	□ Cholecystectomy			
Exploratory laparotomy	Hepatic transplant			
□ Vascular (Aneurysmal surgeries)	□ Urological other			
□ Hepatic transplantation	□ Kidney transplantation			

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## **Exclusion criteria:**

- 1) Pregnancy or breast feeding,
- 2) Moderate or severe ARDS defined,
- 3) refractory shock,
- 4) diagnosis or suspected intracranial hypertension (>15mmHg),
- 5) mechanical ventilation in the last 15 days (including CPAP),
- 6) presence of pneumothorax or giant bullae in a chest radiograph or computed tomography (CT),
- 7) patients participating in another intervention study with the same or similar primary outcome variable.

#### Main Study endpoints

A composite of severe postoperative pulmonary complications appearing during the first 7 postoperative days.

Postoperative pulmonary complication will include any of the following: 1) Respiratory failure, 2) Pneumothorax, 3) Weaning failure, 4) Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), 5) Pulmonary infection.

#### Secondary study endpoints.

- Postoperative pulmonary complication defined as in the main endpoint but during the 30 days following the intervention.

Postoperative pulmonary complications during the first 7 postoperative days and between days 7 and 30 after the intervention not included in the primary outcome variable. They include: 1) Atelectasis, 2) Pleural effusion, 3) Bronchospasm, 4) Aspiration pneumonitis, 5) Pulmonary thromboembolism, 6) Pulmonary edema.

-Number of severe and non-severe pulmonary complications per patient.

Postoperative non-pulmonary complications during the first 7 postoperative days and between days 7 and 30 after the intervention. They include: 1) Cardiac ischemia, 2) de novo arrhythmia, 3) Heart failure, 4)
Sepsis, 5) Septic shock, 5) Acute renal failure, 6) Surgical wound infection, 7) Urinary infection, 8) Delirium, 9) Multiorgan failure, 10) Paralytic ileus, 11) Anastomotic dehiscence, 12) Postoperative hemorrhage.



#### **Experimental Schedule**

	Intraoperative (Day 0)	PACU/ICU (Day 0)	Day 1	Day 3	Day 7	Day 30
PROCEDURES						
Informed consent	Х					
Randomization	х					
Medical records	х	х	х	х	х	х
Baseline variables	Х					
INTERVENTION						
Treatment	х	х				
SAFETY MEASURES						
Outcomes		х	х	х	х	х
ICU/HOSPITAL length of stay		х	х	х	х	х
Mortality	х	х	х	х	х	х
PRUEBAS						
Blood gas analysis	х	х				
Others (if proceeds)		х	х	х	х	х
Imaging techniques (X-ray, LUS, CT)			х	х	х	х



#### **iPROVE-EAL**

#### **General Ventilatory Management**

**PRE-OXYGENATION:** 5 minutes with 1.0 FIO<sub>2</sub>

**VENTILATORY SETTING:** VT 8 ml/Kg ideal body weight

PEEP:  $5 \text{ cmH}_2\text{O}$ 

RR to  $etCO_2$  35-45 mmHg

Plateau pause: 10% I:E= 1:2

## Air-test

 $FIO_2 = 0.21$  during the first 15 minutes or up to  $SpO_2 < 97\%$ 

Thereafter, the  $FIO_2$  of 0.4 will be adjusted

Inclusion criteria

Positive air test =  $SpO_2 < 97\% \rightarrow RANDOMIZATION$ 

Negative air-test =  $SpO_2 >= 97\% \rightarrow NOT RANDOMIZATION^{**}$ 

\*\*Those patients with negative post-induction Air-Test will not be randomized. Perioperative management will be according to usual care.

Data will be reported and analyzed as an exploratory analysis.

STD-02 GROUP

#### **General Ventilatory Management**

**VENTILATORY SETTING:** VT = 8 ml/Kg ideal body weight \*

 $FIO_2 = 0.4$ 

#### PEEP: 5 cmH<sub>2</sub>O

RR to etCO<sub>2</sub> 35-45 mmHg

Plateau pause: 10% I:E= 1:2

\* If DP > 12 cmH<sub>2</sub>O = decrease VT in 1 ml/kg steps until DP  $\leq$  12 cmH<sub>2</sub>O

Monitoring of lung condition every 60 minutes

 $FIO_2 = 0.21$  (air-test) for 5 minutes or up to  $SpO_2 < 97\%$ 

#### Rescue maneuver if $SpO_2 < 92\%$ .

**Rescue Maneuvers** \*

1. Increase  $FIO_2$  in 0.1 steps

2. Increase PEEP in 2 steps until 10 cm $H_2O$ 

\* The change from one level to another is made if the SpO<sub>2</sub> persists < 92%

Extubation maintaning the level of PEEP/CPAP

#### POSTOPERATIVE ventilatory management STD-02 GROUP

#### **General management**

- All the patients will stay at PACU or ICU at least 6 hours
- From extubation and during the first 15-30' all the patients will be oxygenated with 0.4-0.6 FiO<sub>2</sub>

15-30 min after PACU/ICU admission an **Air-Test** (breathing room-air for 5 minutes) will be performed Ventury mask with 0.4 FIO<sub>2</sub> during 6 hours.

*If* SpO<sub>2</sub> <92% postoperative rescue maneuvers will be initiated (See protocolo)

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#### **General Ventilatory Management**

**VENTILATORY SETTING:** VT = 8 ml/Kg ideal body weight \*

 $FIO_2 = 0.4$ 

**RECRUITMENT MANEUVER A + PEEP SETTING A (see template)** 

RR to etCO<sub>2</sub> 35-45 mmHg

Plateau pause: 10% I:E= 1:2

\* If DP > 12 cmH<sub>2</sub>O = decrease VT in 1 ml/kg steps until DP  $\leq$  12 cmH<sub>2</sub>O

**Monitoring of lung condition every 60 minutes** 

 $FIO_2 = 0.21$  (air-test) for 5 minutes or up to  $SpO_2 < 97\%$ 

Positive air-test (SpO<sub>2</sub> <97 while breathing 0.21  $FIO_{21}$ 

**RECRUITMENT MANEUVER A + PEEP SETTING A (see template)** 

Rescue maneuver if SpO<sub>2</sub> < 92%.

**Rescue Maneuvers** \*

**1. RECRUITMENT MANEUVER B + PEEP SETTING B (see template)** 

2. Increase  $FIO_2$  in 0.1 steps

\* The change from one level to another is made if the SpO<sub>2</sub> persists < 92%

Extubation maintaning the level of PEEP/CPAP

#### **RECRUITMENT MANEUVER A + PEEP SETTING A**

Clinical conditions for the RM

- MAP >70 mmHg and or Cl >2,5 ml/min/m<sup>2</sup>,
- Adequate neuromuscular block with 0 of 4 (TOF).

If CI or MAP >50% during the RM: Stop the RM and administer 5-15 mg de Ephedrine or 0,05-0,15 mg of phenilephrine. Thereafter re-start de RM.



#### **RECRUITMENT MANEUVER B + PEEP SETTING B**



#### When should RM and PEEP setting B be perfored?

1. Rescue maneuver

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#### **General management**

• All the patients will stay at PACU or ICU at least 6 hours

• From extubation and during the first 15-30' all the patients will be oxygenated with 0.4-0.6 FiO<sub>2</sub>

15-30 min after PACU/ICU admission an Air-Test (breathing room-air for 5 minutes) will be performed \*

**Positive Air-test** = High-flow nasal cannula with a flow rate of  $\ge 50 \text{ lpm}$  FIO<sub>2</sub> with 0.4 FIO<sub>2</sub> during 6 hours. **Negative Air-test** = Ventury mask with 0.4 FIO<sub>2</sub> during 6 hours.

\* To perform the Air-Test, the patient must meet a series of requirements:

- 1. Collaborative capacity with CGS> 13.
- 2. Richmond test score between -1 and +1.
- 3. VAS <4.

If SpO<sub>2</sub> <92% postoperative rescue maneuvers will be initiated (See protocolo)

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# Case Report Form



## **iPROVE-EAL**

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Identifier		
HOSPITAL		
PATIENT IDENTIFICATION		
RESEARCHER 1		
RESEARCHER 2		

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# Case Report Form



# INTRAOPERATIVE DATA NOTE: It is mandatory to ask for /obtain the informed consent before randomization. Data should be reported also for the non-randomized patients. RANDOMIZATION No Negative Air-Test Other reason Other reason Other reason Other reason Yes \_/\_\_/\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_:\_\_\_ IOLA-iHFNC

Postoperative Outcomes will be reported on days 1-3-5-7.

Yes is Yes, No is NO Nothing is missing data. AVOID missing data!!!!!!

Day 0				
<b>Does the patient have any pulmonary complication BEFORE surgery?</b>				
Mild acute respiratory failure	□ Severe acut	e respiratory failure	Weaning failure	
□ARDS mild. □ ARDS moderate. □ ARDS severe	□ Respiratory infection		□ Pleural effusion	
Atelectasis	Pneumothor	rax	□ Bronchoespasm	
□ Aspiration pneumonitis	Pulmonary edema		Pulmonary embolism	
Imaging technique:			-	
Chest X-ray	🗆 LUS			
Does the patient have any systemic complication?			🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
□ Yes □ No				
□ Surgical site infection	□ Urinary infection			
□ Septic shock. □ Sepsis				
Cardiac failure		Myocardial ischemia		
De novo Arrythmia		🗆 Delirium		



# Severe Adverse Events (SAEs)

- An adverse event is defined as any medical episode that occurs, whether or not related to conventional or individualized mechanical ventilation, and that is not related to the patient's clinical status.
- The possible adverse events related to RMs that may appear are exceptionally electrical cardiac alteration that associates hemodynamic instability, and pneumothorax.
- Severe adverse events shall be documented in the specific CRF.

PATIENT INFORMATION					
STUDY ID	Gender	Weight	Height		

ADVERSE EVENT INFORMATION						
Event term (grouping symptoms as a single disease)	Type of notification	Data and time of the event				
Event's description (state before onset, course of AE indicating significant findings, laboratory data, measurements taken, etc.)						
Seriousness						
Depath      Ife in danger      Congenital anomaly      Hospitalization						
Dermanent / significant disability						
Intensity:	Intensity:					
□ Severe □ Moderate □ M	ild					
Result	luad with can acquale	Fotol Doto:				
□ Solved □ Non Solved □ Onknown □ Solved with Con sequels □ Fatal Data:						