

PaO2/FiO2 in 72h for ARDS patients

Patient or population: patients with ARDS patients

Settings:

Intervention: PaO2/FiO2 in 72h

Outcomes	Illustrative comparative risks* (95% CI)		Relative effect (95% CI)	No of Participants (studies)	Quality of the evidence (GRADE)	Comments
	Assumed risk	Corresponding risk				
	Control	PaO2/FiO2 in 72h				
PaO2/FiO2 in 72h		The mean pao2/fio2 in 72h in the intervention groups was 12.27 higher (4.65 to 19.89 higher)		1437 (4 studies)	⊕ ⊕ ⊕ ⊕ low ^{1,2}	

*The basis for the **assumed risk** (e.g. the median control group risk across studies) is provided in footnotes. The **corresponding risk** (and its 95% confidence interval) is based on the assumed risk in the comparison group and the **relative effect** of the intervention (and its 95% CI).

CI: Confidence interval;

GRADE Working Group grades of evidence

High quality: Further research is very unlikely to change our confidence in the estimate of effect.

Moderate quality: Further research is likely to have an important impact on our confidence in the estimate of effect and may change the estimate.

Low quality: Further research is very likely to have an important impact on our confidence in the estimate of effect and is likely to change the estimate.

Very low quality: We are very uncertain about the estimate.

¹ The results of the four studies were not consistent

² No more than 150 patients were included in two trials

Supplemental Table.5 GRADE system: PaO2/FiO2 at 72hrs for ARDS patients

