

# **Prise en charge des cholangiocarcinomes hilaires avancés:**

**Place de la transplantation hépatique**

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# **Définition d'un cholangiocarcinome hilaire**

- ➔ = tumeur de Klatskin = adénocarcinome des gros canaux biliaires, au niveau du hile
- ➔ 50-60% des cancers des gros canaux (tiers moyen-17%, inférieur-17%, forme diffuse-7%)

# **Cholangiocarcinome hilaire Klatskin**



# **Stratégie diagnostique dans les tumeurs de Klatskin**

- ➔ **Diagnostic de sténose biliaire**
- ➔ **Diagnostic de cancer**
- ➔ **Diagnostic d'extension à distance**
- ➔ **Diagnostic d'opérabilité**
- ➔ **Diagnostic de résécabilité**

# **Diagnostic de sténose biliaire**

## **→ Clinique**

↳ ictère rétionnel, fonçant rapidement

## **→ Examens biologiques**

↳ Cholestase : augmentation des phosphatases alcalines, de la GGT

↳ baisse du TP avec un facteur V normal

## **→ Examens morphologiques**

Échographie, scanner, IRM

# Diagnostic de cancer

➔ les marqueurs tumoraux : augmentation de l'ACE et CA 19-9

➔ Cytologie de la bile ou brossage

↳ sensibilité 75%, spécificité 100%

*Mansfield et coll Gut 1997*

➔ Biopsie sous cholangioscopie percutanée

↳ sensibilité 96%

*Nimura et coll Endoscopy 1993*

➔ Echoendoscopie

**En fait, le plus souvent la clinique**

**! cholangite sclérosante localisée**

**dans 10 à 15 % des cas**

**risque d'une chirurgie majeure pour maladie mineure**

# **Diagnostic d 'extension à distance**

➔ **Scanner abdominal**

➔ **Scanner thoracique**

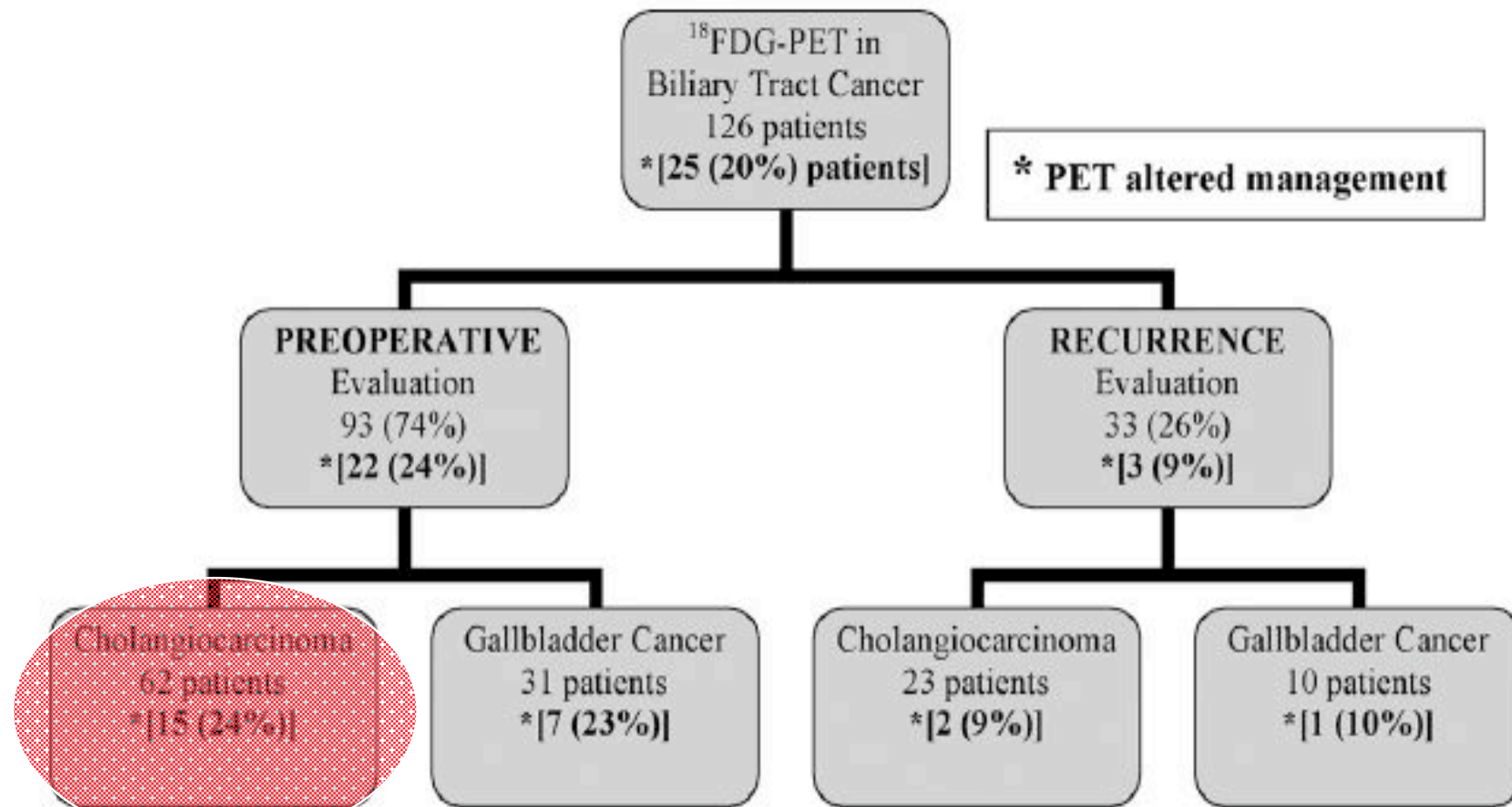
**En fait, l 'extension à distance est rare!**

# **$^{18}\text{F}$ -fluorodeoxyglucose Positron Emission Tomography Influences Management Decisions in Patients with Biliary Cancer**

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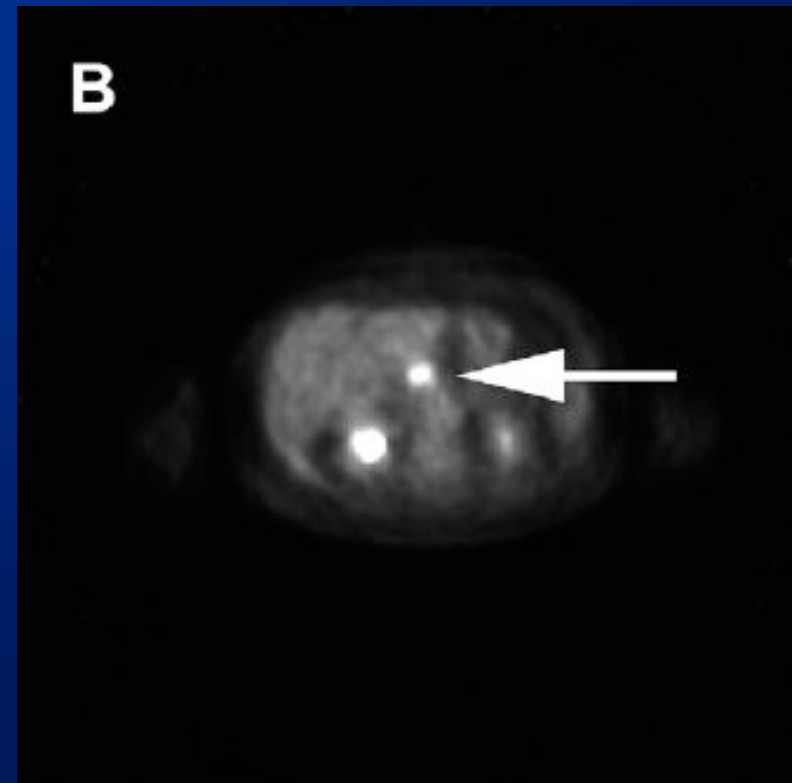
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**Figure 1.** Flow diagram showing the breakdown of patients staged with  $^{18}\text{F}$ FDG-PET. The number and proportion of patients whose management was altered by the PET scan are indicated by the asterisks.  $^{18}\text{F}$ FDG-PET,  $^{18}\text{F}$ Fluorodeoxyglucose-positron emission tomography.

<b>PET</b>	<b>Sensibilité</b>	<b>Spécificité</b>
<b>Tumeur</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>75%</b>
<b>Métastases</b>	<b>96%</b>	<b>89%</b>



# **Diagnostic d'extirpabilité**

**Le seul traitement curateur est la résection chirurgicale !**

## **➔ Envahissement biliaire**

↳ plus le niveau haut de la lésion que le niveau bas

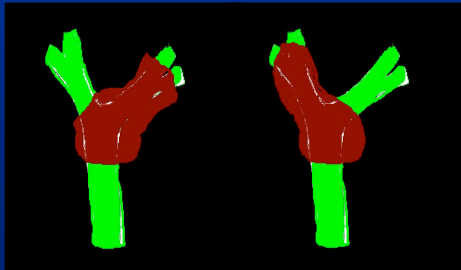
## **➔ Envahissement porte**

↳ envahissement sur la paroi antérieure

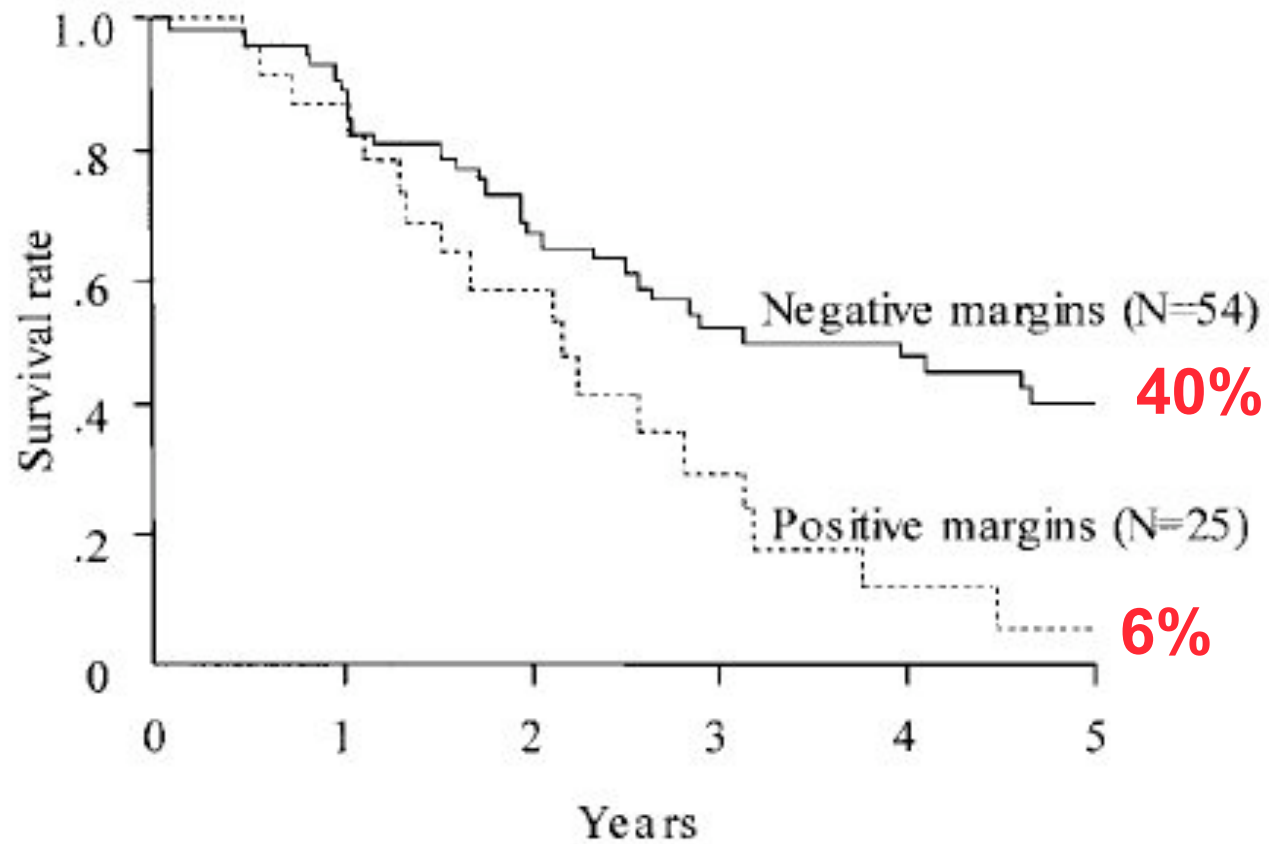
## **➔ Envahissement artériel**

## **➔ Parenchyme hépatique fonctionnel**

# Stratégie chirurgicale



- Laparoscopie exploratrice
- Drainage biliaire coté restant**
- Embolisation porte**
- Hepatectomie D/G± segm IV
- Resection systematique segm I**
- Resection VBP
- Curage ganglionnaire
- ± resection-reconstruction porte
- Pas de resection arterielle**



***Kawasaki et al Ann Surg 2003***

# Transplantation hépatique

## **Cholangiocarcinome hilaire:**

- ➔ Évolution locale
- ➔ Difficilement resecable
- ➔ Métastases rares et tardives

## **TH:**

- ➔ Marges négatives
- ➔ Ablation foie natif (cholangite sclérosante)

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## *Role of Liver Transplantation in Cancer Therapy*

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Transplantés pour Klatskin: 5 malades

Récidive: 4 malades

Survie a 2 ans: 0 malades

# Spanish Experience in Liver Transplantation for Hilar and Peripheral Cholangiocarcinoma

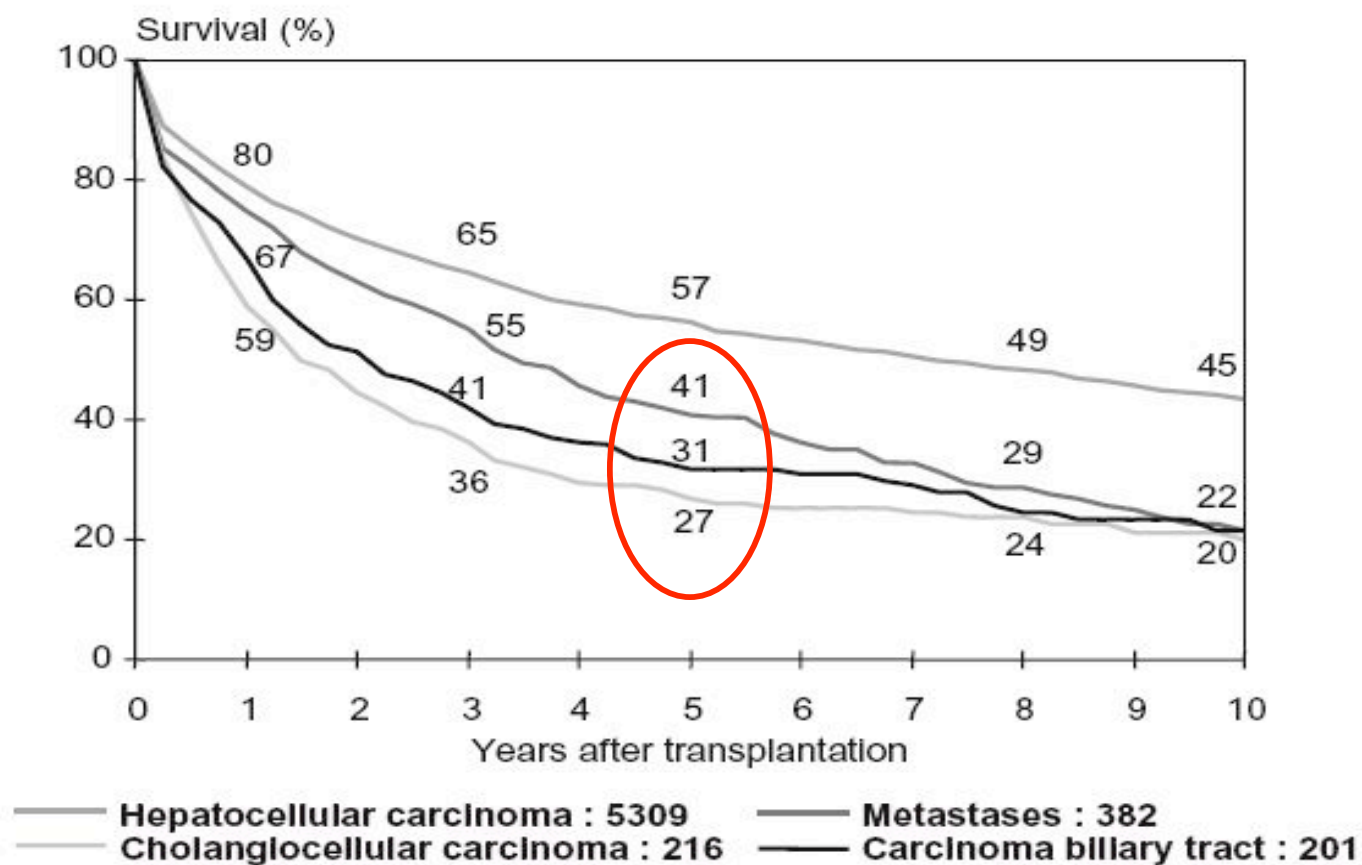
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# Transplantation pour Klatskin

- ➔ 36 malades
- ➔ 4 découvertes sur pièce
- ➔ **Récidive 53% après médiane 21 mois**
- ➔ **Survie 5 ans: 30%**
- ➔ Si pas de récurrence survie 5 ans : 71%
- ➔ Mauvais pronostic: stades III,IV et envahissement vasculaire



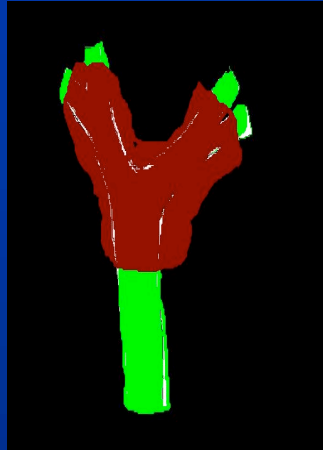
**Fig. 3.** Cumulative survival of 201 patients who received liver transplantation for hilar cholangiocarcinoma between May 1968 and December 2004 in European Liver Transplant Registry (ELTR) countries<sup>46</sup>

# Liver Transplantation with Neoadjuvant Chemoradiation is More Effective than Resection for Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma

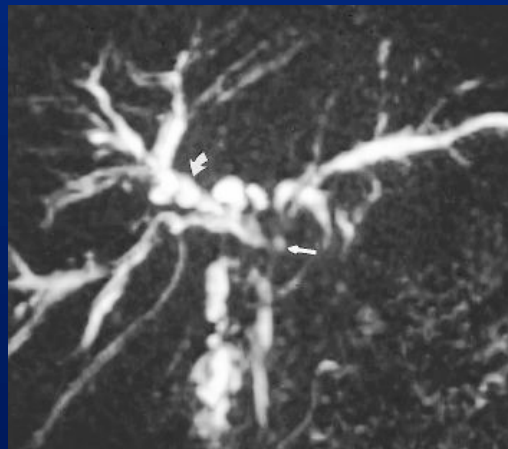
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# 1. Cholangiocarcinome hilaire localement irresecable



# 2. Cholangiocarcinome hilaire sur cholangite sclérosante



Patients enrolled: Unresectable HC or HC in the setting of PSC



Diagnosis established by any of the following

- Intraluminal brush cytology / biopsy
- CA 19.9 > 100 ng/ml in the setting of a radiographic malignant stricture
- Biliary aneuploidy demonstrated with digital image analysis (DIA) and fluorescent in-situ hybridization (FISH)



Staging investigations

- CT scan of chest and abdomen
- Liver ultrasound
- Bone scan
- Endoscopic ultrasound with FNAC of suspicious lymph nodes



Exclusion criteria

- Previous chemotherapy/radiotherapy
- Uncontrolled infection
- Previous malignancy (other than skin or cervical cancer) within preceding 5 years
- Medical comorbidity precluding transplantation
- Extrahepatic disease (including regional nodal metastasis)
- Operative biopsy or attempted resection

EBRT 4500 cGy, 150 cGy twice daily+bolus 5-FU iv (500 mg/sqm/d)×3 days



Intraluminal boost using transcatheter Iridium-192 brachytherapy wire (2000 - 3000 cGy at 1 cm radius)



Infusional 5-FU (225 mg/sqm/d) daily or oral Capecitabine 2000 mg/sqm/d in 2 divided doses, 2 out of every 3 weeks; continued till transplantation



#### Exploratory laparotomy

- Right or bilateral subcostal incision
- Thorough abdominal exploration with biopsy of any abnormal lymph nodes or nodules
- Palpation of the hilum to determine inferior extension of tumor
- Examination of caudate to assess resectability with caval-sparing hepatectomy
- Biopsy of lymph nodes overlying common hepatic artery at the take-off of the gastroduodenal artery and others along the common bile duct (CBD) above duodenum
- Extrahepatic metastases, lymph node metastases, and local extension of disease to adjacent organs or tissues precluded liver transplantation



#### Liver transplantation

# Transplantation pour Klatskin

- ➔ 71 malades
- ➔ 61 laparotomie de stadialisation
- ➔ 14(23%) récusées après laparotomie
- ➔ 38 transplantés
- ➔ 16 cas=pas de tumeur sur la pièce



# Transplantation pour Klatskin

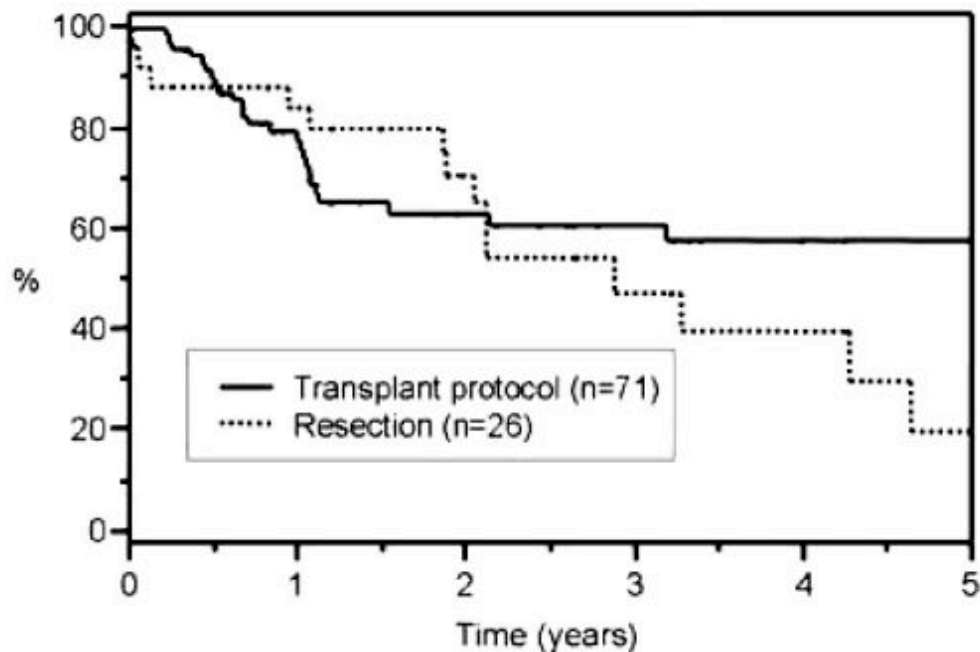


FIGURE 1. Patient survival from start of neoadjuvant therapy (all 71 patients in transplant protocol) or resection.

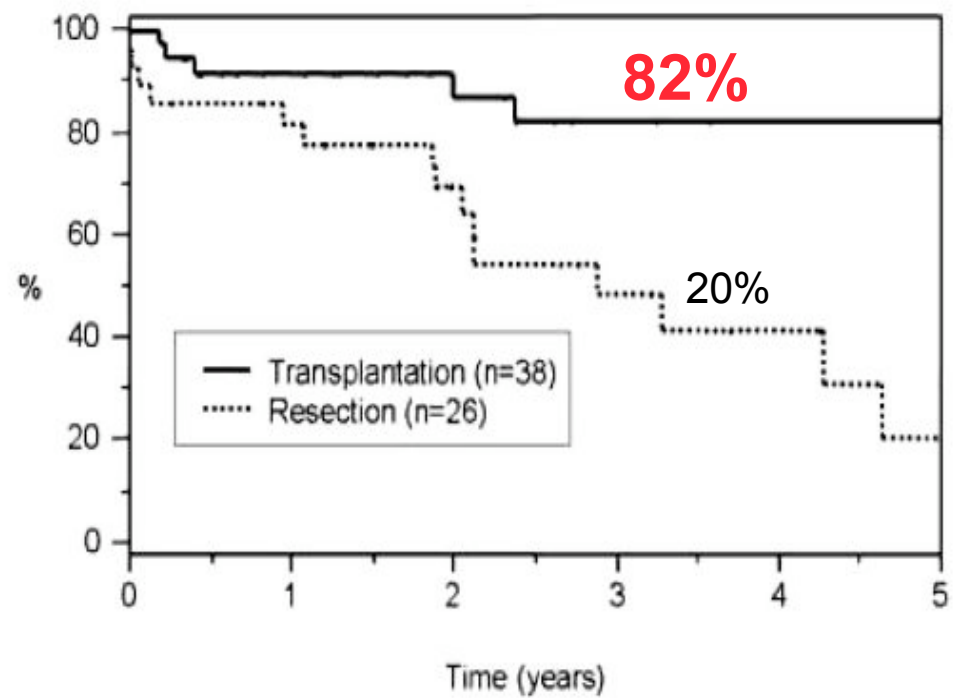


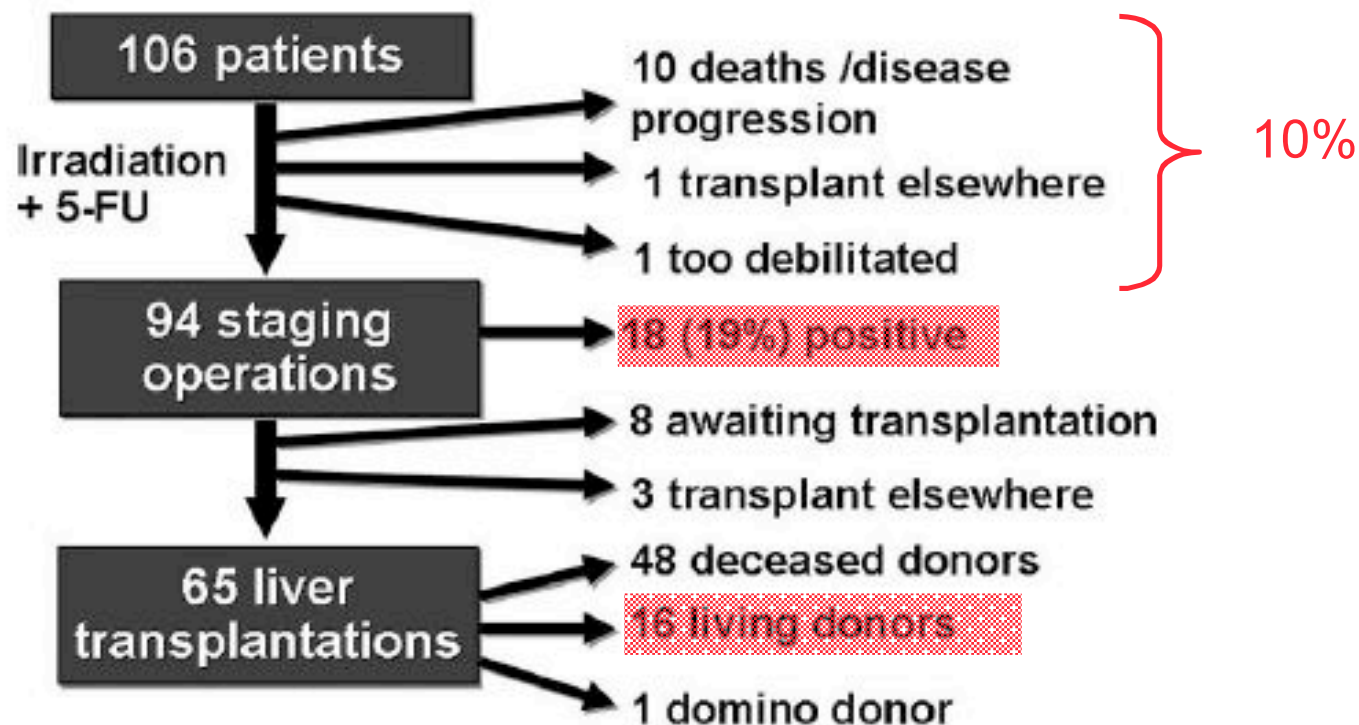
FIGURE 2. Patient survival from operation.



# Predictors of Disease Recurrence Following Neoadjuvant Chemoradiotherapy and Liver Transplantation for Unresectable Perihilar Cholangiocarcinoma

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**FIGURE 1.** Patients with hilar CCA enrolled in combined chemotherapy, EBRT, brachytherapy, staging laparotomy, and liver transplantation protocol.

# Récidive

- ➔ 11 malades (17%)
- ➔ Intervalle 22 mois (7-65)
- ➔ Métastases a distance: n=8
- ➔ Récidive locorégionale: n=3

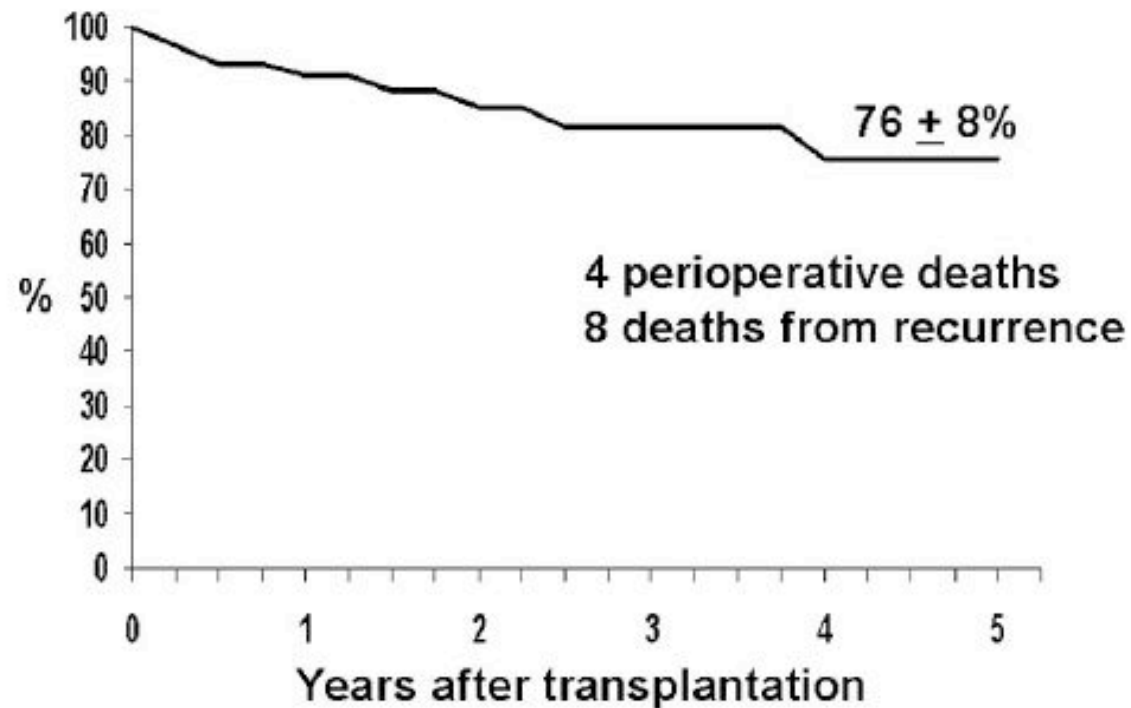
# Facteurs de risque récidive

## Pré transplantation:

- ➔ Age >45 ans
- ➔ CA 19.9 >100 (après drainage)
- ➔ ATCD de cholécystectomie
- ➔ Tumeur visible

## Anatomopathologie foie explanté:

- ➔ Tumeur >2cm
- ➔ Grade tumoral
- ➔ Envahissement perinerveux
- ➔ Intervalle listing-greffe >100j



**FIGURE 2.** Survival rates since time of diagnosis for patients enrolled in the combined protocol who received liver transplantation for hilar CCA. Mean follow-up is 32 months, median 18 months (range 2 days-13 years.)

# **Vascular Complications After Orthotopic Liver Transplantation After Neoadjuvant Therapy for Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma**

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# Complications vasculaires

- ➔ 40% complications vasculaires
- ➔ Artérielles: 21%
  - Tardives, donneur vivant
- ➔ Veine porte: 22%
  - Tardives 3-12 mois
- ➔ Veines sus hépatiques /veine cave: 12%

# Conclusion

- ➔ **Résection: mauvais pronostic**
- ➔ **Transplantation: nouvelle indication!**
- ➔ **Début du programme à Cochin...**
- ➔ **Photothérapie dynamique**
- ➔ **Nouvelles chimiothérapies**