

Abdel-Hady H, Matter M, Hammad A, El-Refaay A, Aly H. Hemodynamic Changes During Weaning From Nasal Continuous Positive Airway Pressure. *Pediatrics*. 2008;122(5): e1086–e1090

An error occurred in this article by Abdel-Hady et al, published in the November 2008 issue of *Pediatrics* (doi:10.1542/peds.2008-1193). On page e1088, the last line should have read: “a significant increase in RVO and left atrial diameter, and decrease in aortic root diameter.” On page e1089, the 4th line of the last paragraph should have read: “increase in RVO and left atrial diameter, and decrease in aortic root diameter.” Table 2 should have read:

Hemodynamic Parameters in Relation to PDA.

| | Infants on n-CPAP | | | Infants off n-CPAP | | |
|--|-------------------|--------------------|----------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| | PDA (n = 8) | No PDA (n = 17) | <i>p</i> | PDA (n = 8) | No PDA (n = 17) | <i>p</i> ^a |
| Right ventricular output, mL/kg per minute | 312 ± 35 | 324 ± 14 | 0.25 | 445 ± 48 | 394 ± 32 | 0.004 |
| Left ventricular output, mL/kg per minute | 343 ± 26 | 356 ± 22 | 0.22 | 342 ± 24 | 360 ± 24 | 0.11 |
| Right ventricular end diastolic diameter, mm | 5.7 ± 0.5 | 6.1 ± 0.8 | 0.24 | 6.4 ± 0.3 | 6.4 ± 0.4 | 0.72 |
| Left ventricular end diastolic diameter, mm | 11.4 ± 0.7 | 11.6 ± 0.1 | 0.60 | 13.5 ± 0.9 | 13.7 ± 0.8 | 0.58 |
| Left ventricular end systolic diameter, mm | 6.9 ± 0.4 | 7.2 ± 0.7 | 0.29 | 8.3 ± 0.5 | 8.3 ± 0.4 | 0.82 |
| Aortic root diameter, mm | 6.5 ± 0.1 | 6.5 ± 0.4 | 0.48 | 6.4 ± 0.4 | 6.8 ± 0.3 | 0.02 |
| Left atrial diameter, mm | 6.5 ± 0.5 | 6.3 ± 0.5 | 0.29 | 8.4 ± 0.5 | 7.9 ± 0.5 | 0.03 |
| Fractional shortening, % | 39.6 ± 5.8 | 38.3 ± 5.5 | 0.50 | 38.2 ± 5.8 | 39.4 ± 5.4 | 0.61 |
| SVC flow, mL/kg per minute | 68.9 ± 12 | 70.9 ± 6.8 | 0.60 | 91.5 ± 4.1 | 90.9 ± 4.1 | 0.72 |
| Mean IVC diameter, mm | 4.2 ± 0.3 | 4.3 ± 0.6 | 0.52 | 3.5 ± 0.6 | 3.5 ± 0.6 | 0.77 |
| Aortic maximum velocity, m/seconds | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.44 | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.94 |
| Pulmonary maximum velocity, m/seconds | 0.6 ± 0.1 | 0.6 ± 0.1 | 0.98 | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.7 ± 0.1 | 0.51 |

^a Significances are detected by using independent samples *t* test.

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