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ACE-2: angiotensin-converting enzyme-2

AHF: acute heart failure AKI: acute kidney injury

CCI: Charlson comorbidity index COVID-19: Coronavirus disease

DM: diabetes mellitus

ECMO: extracorporeal membrane oxygenation

HFNC: high flow nasal cannula

HIRA: Health Insurance Review and Assessment Service ICD-10: International Classification of Diseases, 10th revision

MI: myocardial infarction MV: mechanical ventilation

SARS-CoV-2: severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2

TMPRSSS2: transmembrane serine protease-2

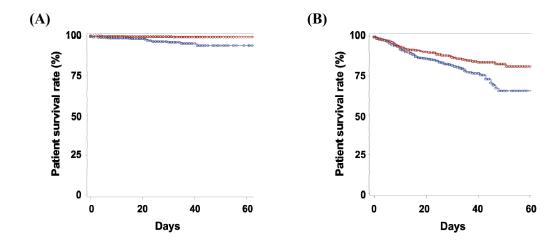


Figure S1. Kaplan-Meier survival curves for populations aged –64 (A) or ≥ 65 (B) years. The blue and red lines show the survival graphs for men and women, respectively. The circle presents the censored point. (A) The 20-day survival rates were 98.3% and 99.7% for men and women, respectively. (B) The 20-day survival rates were 85.6% and 90.1% for men and women, respectively. The 40-day survival rates were 76.3% and 83.2% for men and women, respectively.

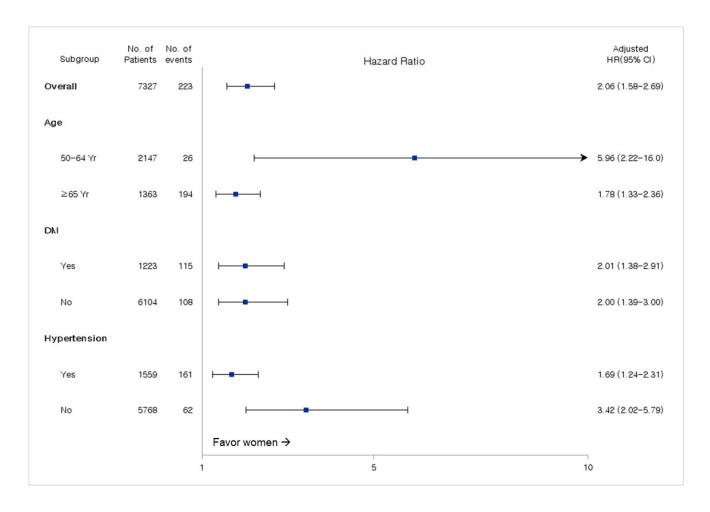


Figure S2. Forest plot of the association between sex and mortality in patients according to the subgroups. Multivariate analysis was adjusted for age, sex, CCI score, and hypertension. Multivariate analyses for hypertension subgroups were adjusted for age, sex, and CCI score. Abbreviations: DM, diabetes mellitus; HR, hazard ratio; CI, confidence interval; CCI, Charlson comorbidity index.

Table S2. Clinical outcomes according to sex for the different age groups.

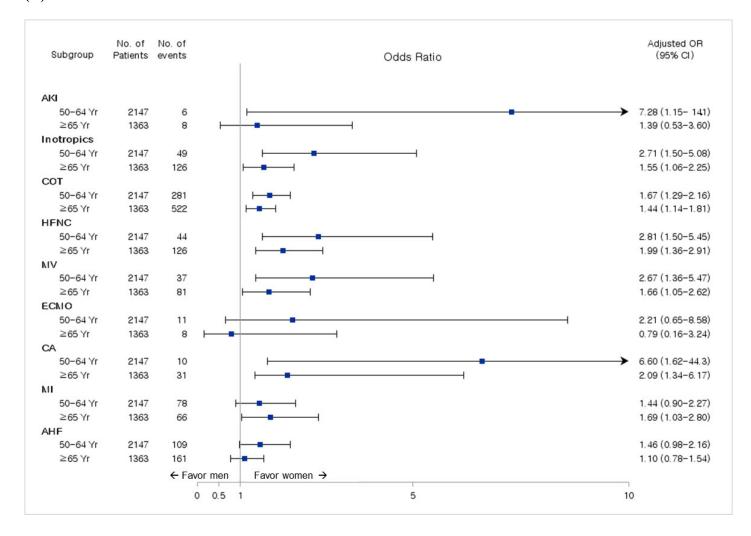
	Total	Men	Women	<i>P</i> -value
< 35 aged				
Acute kidney injury	0	0	0	-
Inotropics	1 (0.04%)	1 (0.1%)	0	0.469
Conventional oxygen therapy	31 (1.3%)	19 (1.7%)	12 (0.9%)	0.106
High flow nasal cannula	1 (0.04%)	0	1 (0.1%)	1.000
Mechanical ventilation	0	0	0	-
Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation	0	0	0	-
Cardiac arrest	0	0	0	-
Myocardial infarction	81 (3.4%)	37 (3.3%)	44 (3.4%)	0.821
Acute heart failure	46 (1.9%)	24 (2.1%)	22 (1.7%)	0.471
35-49 aged				
Acute kidney injury	3 (0.2%)	3 (0.6%)	0	0.041
Inotropics	6 (0.4%)	5 (1.0%)	1 (0.1%)	0.021
Conventional oxygen therapy	67 (4.8%)	40 (8.2%)	27 (2.9%)	< 0.001
High flow nasal cannula	7 (0.5%)	5 (1.0%)	2 (0.2%)	0.053
Mechanical ventilation	4 (0.3%)	4 (0.8%)	0	0.014
Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation	1 (0.1%)	1 (0.2%)	0	0.347
Cardiac arrest	1 (0.2%)	1 (0.2%)	0	0.347
Myocardial infarction	31 (2.2%)	14 (2.9%)	17 (1.9%)	0.252
Acute heart failure	64 (4.6%)	17 (3.5%)	47 (5.1%)	0.163

50-64 aged				
Acute kidney injury	6 (0.3%)	5 (0.6%)	1 (0.1%)	0.023
Inotropics	49 (2.3%)	32 (4.0%)	17 (1.3%)	< 0.00
Conventional oxygen therapy	281 (13.1%)	139 (17.5%)	142 (10.5%)	< 0.00
High flow nasal cannula	44 (2.0%)	29 (3.7%)	15 (1.1%)	< 0.00
Mechanical ventilation	37 (1.7%)	24 (3.0%)	13 (1.0%)	< 0.00
Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation	11 (0.5%)	7 (0.9%)	4 (0.3%)	0.11
Cardiac arrest	10 (0.5%)	8 (1.0%)	2 (0.1%)	0.00
Myocardial infarction	78 (3.6%)	36 (4.5%)	42 (3.1%)	0.08
Acute heart failure	109 (5.1%)	51 (6.4%)	58 (4.3%)	0.029
≥65 aged				
Acute kidney injury	18 (1.3%)	9 (1.6%)	9 (1.1%)	0.40
Inotropics	126 (9.2%)	62 (11.2%)	64 (7.9%)	0.03
Conventional oxygen therapy	522 (38.3%)	231 (41.8%)	291 (28.2%)	0.020
High flow nasal cannula	126 (9.2%)	67 (12.1%)	59 (7.3%)	0.00
Mechanical ventilation	81 (5.9%)	43 (7.8%)	39 (4.8%)	0.02
Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation	8 (0.6%)	3 (0.5%)	5 (0.6%)	1.00
Cardiac arrest	31 (2.3%)	20 (3.6%)	11 (1.4%)	0.00
Myocardial infarction	66 (4.8%)	35 (6.3%)	31 (3.8%)	0.034

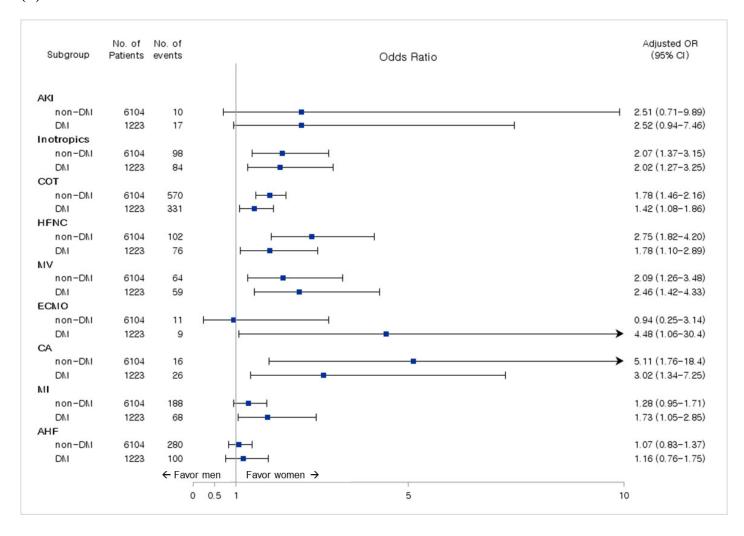
Acute heart failure 161 (11.8%) 65 (11.8%) 96 (11.8%) 0.972

The data are expressed as number (percentage).

(A)



(B)



(C)

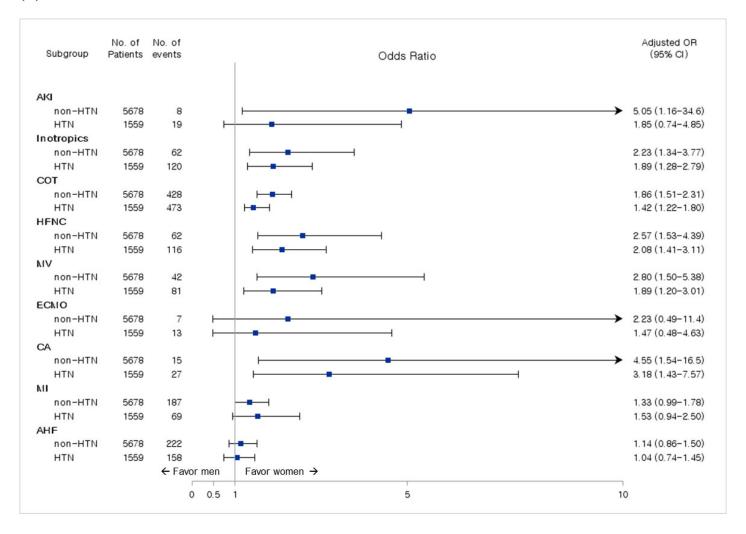


Figure S3. Forest plot of the association between sex and clinical outcomes in patients according to age (A), DM (B), or HTN (C). Multivariate analyses for the age or DM subgroups were adjusted for age, sex, CCI score, and HTN. Multivariate analyses for the HTN subgroups were adjusted for age, sex, and CCI score.

Abbreviations: OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval; DM, diabetes mellitus; HTN, hypertension; AKI, acute kidney injury; COT, conventional oxygen therapy; HFNC, high flow nasal cannula; MV, mechanical ventilation; ECMO, extracorporeal membrane oxygenation; CA, cardiac arrest; MI, myocardial infarction; AHF, acute heart failure; CCI, Charlson comorbidity index

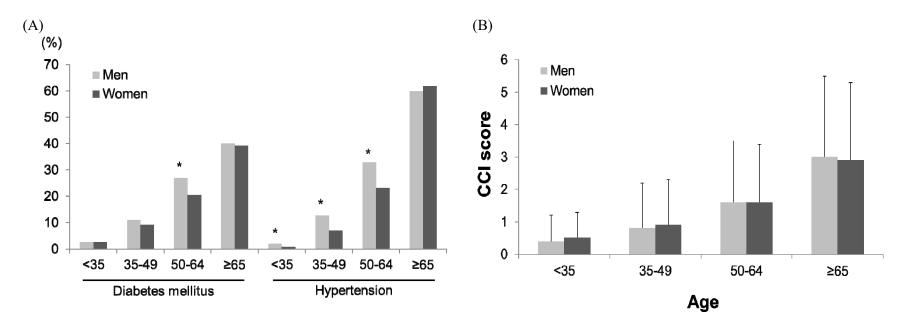


Figure S4. (A) Proportions of patients with diabetes mellitus or hypertension according to sex and age. (B) CCI scores according to sex and age. There were 29 (2.6%) and 32 (2.5%) patients with diabetes mellitus among men and women aged <35 years, 53 (10.9%) and 83 (9.1%) patients among men and women aged 35–49 years, 213 (26.9%) and 276 (20.4%) patients among men and women aged 50–64 years, and 220 (39.9%) and 317 (39.1%) patients among men and women aged <35 years, 61 (12.6%) and 63 (6.9%) patients among men and women aged 35–49 years, 260 (32.8%) and 313 (23.1%) patients among men and women aged <35 years, 61 (12.6%) and 63 (6.9%) patients among men and women aged <35 years, 260 (32.8%) and 313 (23.1%) patients among men and women aged <35 years, and 330 (59.8%) and 501 (61.8%) patients among men and women aged <35 years, respectively. *P < 0.05 vs. women in same age group.

Abbreviations: CCI, Charlson comorbidity index