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Hematologic Changes

Small to Moderate Burn

1. Some hemoconcentration
2. Hypercoagulable state
3. White blood cell variable

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Hematologic Changes

Massive Burn

1. Hemoconcentration
2. May be hemolysis and anemia
3. Leukocytosis with left shift
4. Hypocoagulable State
from Consumption coagulopathy
 - 1) Decreased platelets
 - 2) Increased prothrombin time and partial thromboplastin time

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Practical Approach to Treatment

1. What type of fluid to use
2. How much to give
3. What type of vascular access
4. What parameters to monitor
5. When are inotropes required

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Resuscitation Fluid

Adult, 0 to 24 Hours

1. Lactate Ringer's Solution

$$FV = 4\text{ml} \times \text{Body Weight(kg)} \times \text{Burn Area(\%)}$$

1/2FV; in first 8 hours

1/4FV; in second 8 hours

1/4FV; in third 8 hours

2. Colloids (FFP, PPF)

$$0.5\text{ml} \times \text{BW(kg)} \times \text{BA(\%)}$$

at 6 hours after injury

(monitor: Urine output, Ht, HR, BP, Tem.)

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Resuscitation Phase

Adult, after 24 Hours

1. Low salt-high potassium-glucose containing
120ml/hr

2. Colloids (FFP, PPF)
20-80ml/hr

(monitor: Urine output, TP, Albumin, Exudate)

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Resuscitation Fluid

Child, 0 to 24 Hours

1. Lactate Ringer's Solution

$FV = 4.8 \text{ ml} \times \text{Body Weight(kg)} \times \text{Burn Area(\%)}$
1/2FV; in first 8 hours
1/4FV; in second 8 hours
1/4FV; in third 8 hours

2. Colloids (FFP, PPF)

$1 \text{ ml} \times \text{BW(kg)} \times \text{BA(\%)}$
at 3 hours after injury

(monitor: Urine output, Ht, HR, BP, Tem.)

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Resuscitation Phase

Child, after 24 Hours

1. Low salt-high potassium-glucose containing

0-10 kg 100ml x BW(kg)

10-20 kg 1000ml + 50ml x [BW(kg) - 10]

>20 kg 1500ml + 30ml x [BW(kg) - 10]

(Holliday & Segar's equation)

2. Colloids (FFP, PPF)

20-80ml/hr

(monitor: Urine output, TP, Albumin, Exudate)

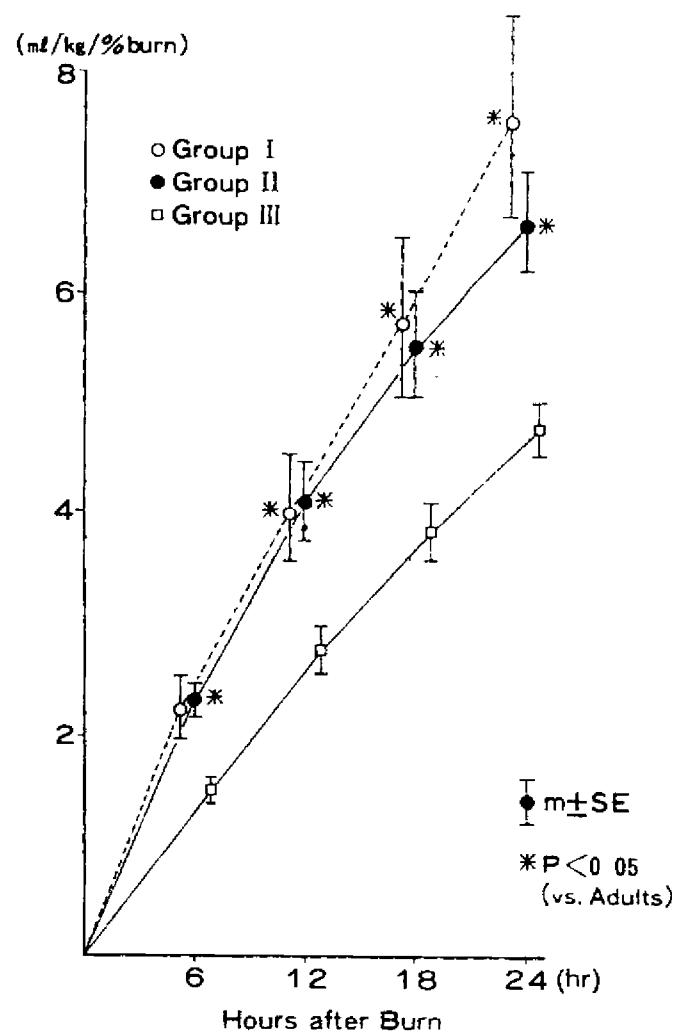
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Three Groups of Burned Patients

	n	Age (m±SD)	% Burn Area (m±SD)	Burn Index (m±SD)	Death
Group I (children)	8	0 ~ 11 years (4.1 ± 4.4)	17 ~ 30% (23.8 ± 4.4)	9 ~ 20 (1.8 ± 5.0)	0
Group II (children)	15	1 ~ 11 years (4.2 ± 3.6)	43 ~ 99% (66.0 ± 16.6)	22 ~ 95 (40.1 ± 20.4)	1
Group III (adults)	10	26 ~ 78 years (54.5 ± 18.7)	40 ~ 93% (66.2 ± 21.0)	23 ~ 90 (52.7 ± 23.0)	4

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Total Fluid Volume



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Intravenous Access

First choice: Peripheral vein; nonburn area

Second choice: Central vein; nonburn area

Third choice: Peripheral vein; burn area

Worst choice: Central vein; burn area

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Monitoring Guidelines

1. Blood pressure : only reliable as volume indicator if low
2. Pulse rate : young patient-less than 120, reasonable perfusion; more than 130, need more fluid
3. Urine output : 0.5 to 1.0 ml/kg/hr is adequate
Exception : myoglobin or hemoglobinuria
4. Electrocardiogram : particularly important for patient more than 45 years old
5. Temperature : to avoid hypothermia(large burn), to avoid hyperthermia(small to moderate II degree)
6. Blood gases : high risk of hypoxemia, hypercapnia due to direct pulmonary complication
7. Pulmonary artery wedge pressure : for high risk patient

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Postresuscitation Phase

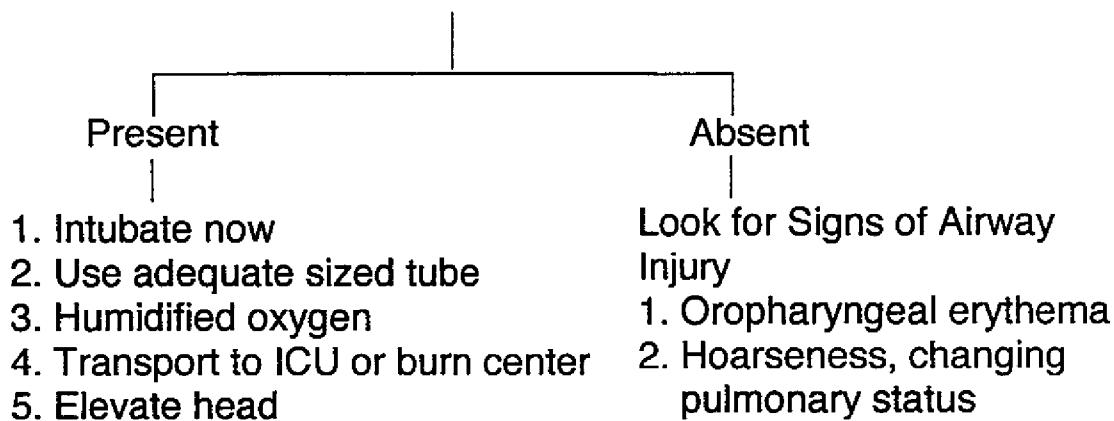
after 48 Hours

1. Use low salt-glucose containing
2. Add increased amounts potassium
3. Add nutrients: glucose, amino acids, lipid
4. Maintain albumin above 2.5 g/dl
5. Maintain adequate red blood cell(Ht > 30)

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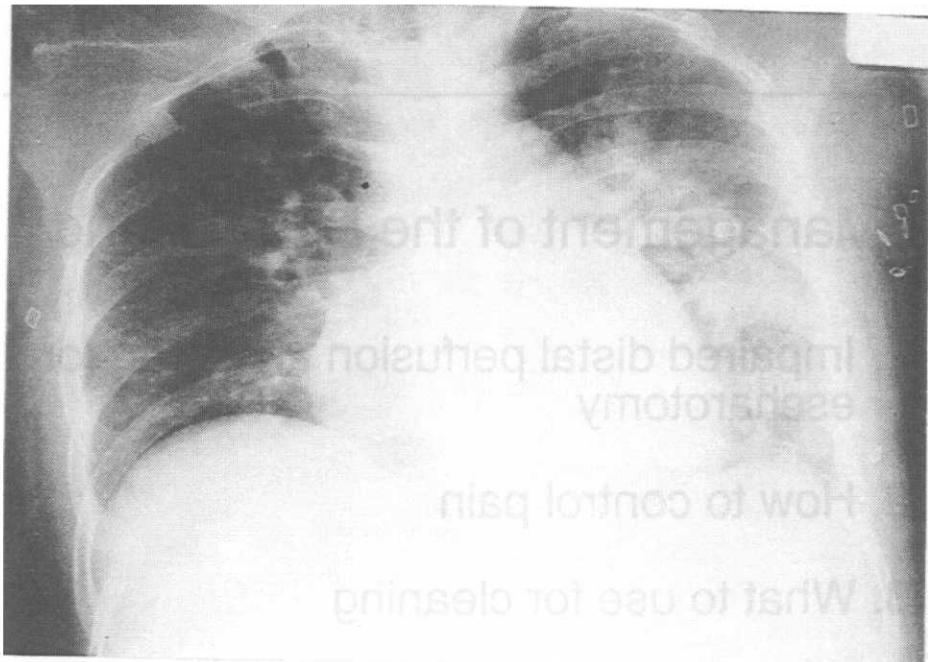
Initial Assessment of Airway

Stridor Retraction, Respiratory Distress
 $\text{PaO}_2 < 60$ $\text{Paco}_2 > 55$, Deep Burns; Face, Neck



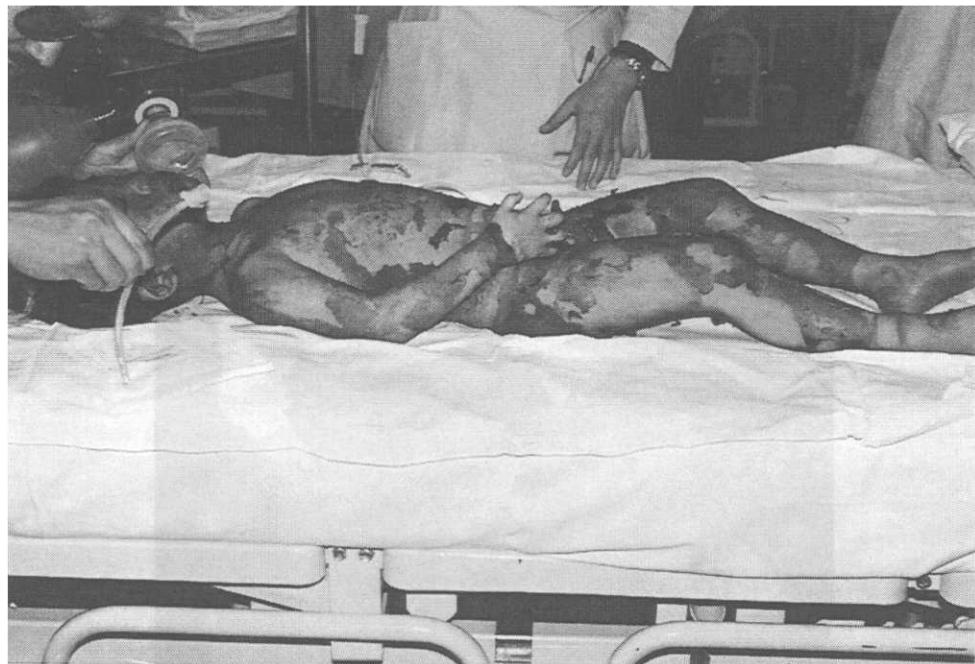
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Management of the Burn wound

- 1. Impaired distal perfusion and need for escharotomy**
- 2. How to control pain**
- 3. What to use for cleaning**
- 4. What to debride**
- 5. Where to clean: bed bath versus hydrotherapy**



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Inflammation-Infection Phase

1. Maintain adequate nutrition
 - Adequate calories for energy
 - Adequate protein to maintain chest wall and diaphragm
2. Control lung infection
 - Maintain pulmonary toilet
 - Maintain adequate cough
 - Minimize airway colonization (infection control measures)
3. Minimize risks for ARDS
 - Control potential foci of infection
 - Avoid pulmonary edema
 - Avoid additional insult of pneumonia

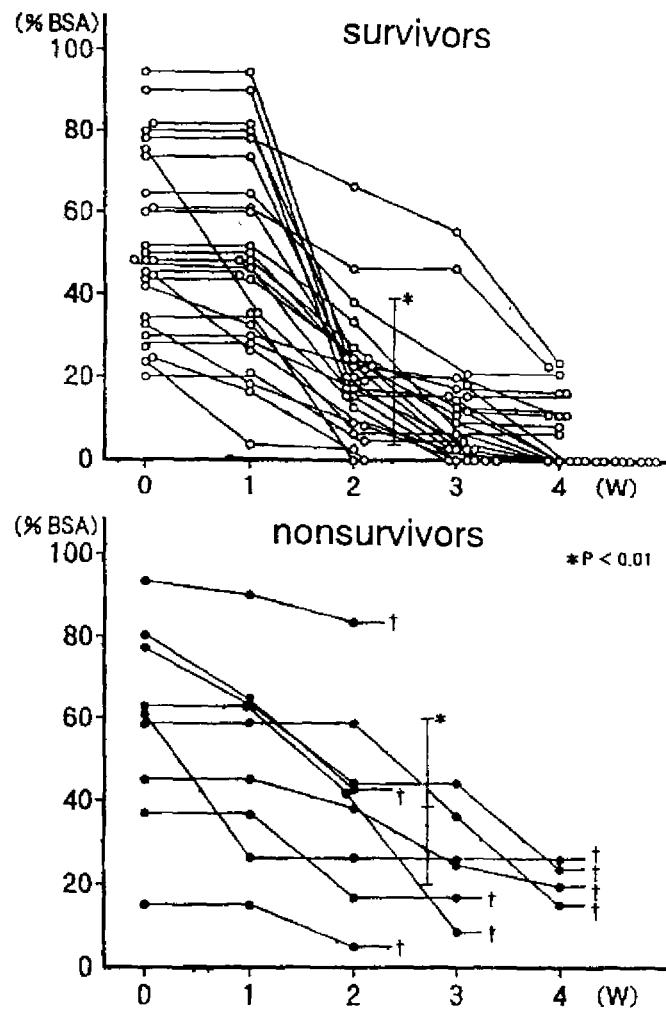
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MATERIALS

	SURVIVORS	NONSURVIVORS
NUMBER	26	9
with inhalation injury	7	5
without inhalation injury	19	4
AGE	35.2 ± 24.7 Y (4m ~ 83y)	52.7 ± 22.2 Y (20y ~ 87y)
TOTAL BURNED AREA	53.2 ± 21.6 % (20 ~ 95 %)	59.1 ± 24.0 % (15 ~ 93 %)

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Residual Burn Areas



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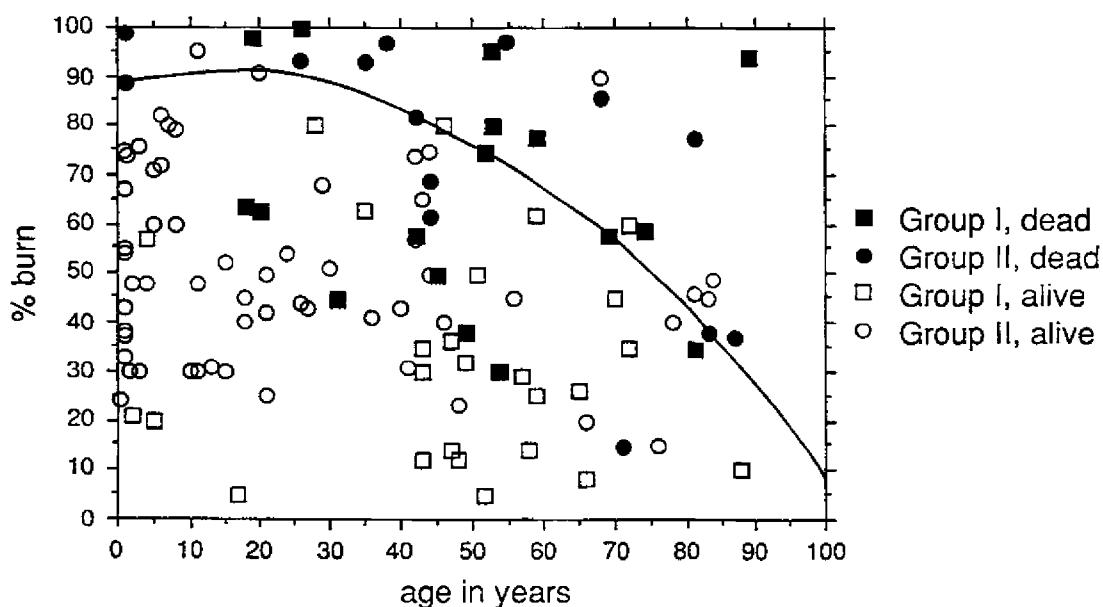
Infection control

Topical Antibiotics

1. Absolute indication
 - A deep second or third degree burn
 - A superficial dirty burn
 - A superficial burn in an area at high risk for infection
2. Relative indication
 - A large superficial second degree burn > 20%
 - A superficial burn in a diabetic, elderly patient
3. Not necessary
 - Superficial burn < 15%

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Outcome of patients in each group



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