

# Chi e Come Trattare ?

## Optimal Strategies for Correcting Serum Sodium Levels

- The best method for determining an initial rate for hypertonic saline infusion *is also controversial*
- Many authorities recommend using furosemide (20 to 40 mg intravenously) with saline because it promotes free-water excretion and prevents extracellular-fluid volume expansion. Loop diuretics also increase the rate of increase in the serum sodium level.

$$130 - 120 = 10 \times [0.6 \times 70 = 42] = 420 \text{ mEq}$$

intondere

Fisiologica 3% : 70 - 140 ml/h capaci di > il Na di 1-2 mEq/h  
1 Litro = 513 mEq 140 - 280 ml/h capaci di > il Na di 2-4 mEq/h SE COMA o CONVULSIONI  
25 - 70 ml/h capaci di > il Na di 0.3-1 mEq/h SE SINTOMI SFUMATI

Cio consente anche di decidere il volume da intondere a seconda del quadro clinico.  
**correzione non ecceda 12-14 mEq nelle 24 ore = 0.5 mEq/h e 18 mEq/48 ore**

- L' approccio metodologicamente piu' corretto, è quello di calcolare le **MODIFICAZIONI della SODIEMIA indotte dall' INFUSIONE di 1 L di SOLUZIONE IPERTONICA...**

# Come calcolare la quantità di Sodio da infondere ?

- Porsi come OBIETTIVO INIZIALE il raggiungimento di una Sodiemia di 125-130 mEq/L
- Sapendo il contenuto di Na delle due Soluzioni “Fisiologiche”...
  - 154 mEq/L in quella allo 0.9 gr%
  - 513 mEq/L in quella al 3 gr %

SI PUO' CALCOLARE QUALE SARA' la **VARIAZIONE della SODIEMIA** del **SOGGETTO INFONDENDO 1 litro** della Soluzione al 3% secondo la seguente Formula :

Sodio Infuso – Sodiemia Paziente

TBW (0.6 x Peso Corporeo) + 1 L

$$\frac{513 - 120}{(0.6 \times 70) + \underline{1}} = 9.1 \text{ mEq/L}$$

FISIOLOGICA al 3% ???

da 500 cc di Fisiologica allo 0.9%

che contengono 4.5 gr di NaCl  
sottrarre 110 cc = 1.0 gr.di NaCl  
aggiungere 5 fl da 20 mEq di NaCl  
(1.17g )= 11.7 gr.di NaCl

Si ottiene una soluzione di 500 cc  
con circa 15 grammi di NaCl ,  
cioe' una soluzione al 3% di NaCl

*Concentrazione di Na in 1 L delle diverse soluzioni per infusione e.v.*

- Sol salina NaCl 0,9% (fisiologica): 154 mEq/l
- Sol ipertonica NaCl 1,8%: 308 mEq/l
- Sol ipertonica NaCl 3%: 513 mEq/l
- Sol elettrolitica reidratante: 140 Na+ mEq/l
- Ringer lattato: 130 mEq/l
- Soluzione glucosata 5%: 0 mEq/l
- NaCl fl da 10 ml (2 mmol/ml): 20 mEq/l

# Quali devono essere i tempi di infusione



Infondendo quindi

1 L di Fisiologica al 3%

(513 mEq di Na) **aumenteremo**

la Naemia del Soggetto di **9.1 mEq/L**

(portandola da 120 a 129 mEq/L)

Per EVITARE che la VARIAZIONE sia TROPPO BRUSCA e quindi comporti l'insorgenza della MIELINOLISI PONTINA, OCCORRE che l'INFUSIONE di questi 9.1 mEq di Sodio avvenga in modo graduale :

all'inizio : 0.5 mEq /ora

( $9.1/0.5 = 18$  ore)

Il litro di soluzione salina al 3% che contiene 513 mEq, capace di modificare la Sodiemia di 9.1 mEq/l, deve essere infuso in 18 ore = a 55 ml/h

successivamente : 1 mEq / ora

( $9.1/1.0 =$  in 9 ore a 110 ml/h)

# MedCalc: Hyponatremia & Hypernatremia

<http://www.medcalc.com/sodium.html>

Patient's Sodium :  mEq/L

Correct for:

Fever ?

Rate of Na Correction :  mEq/L/hr

Insensible Loss ?

Patient's Weight :

Patient is a :

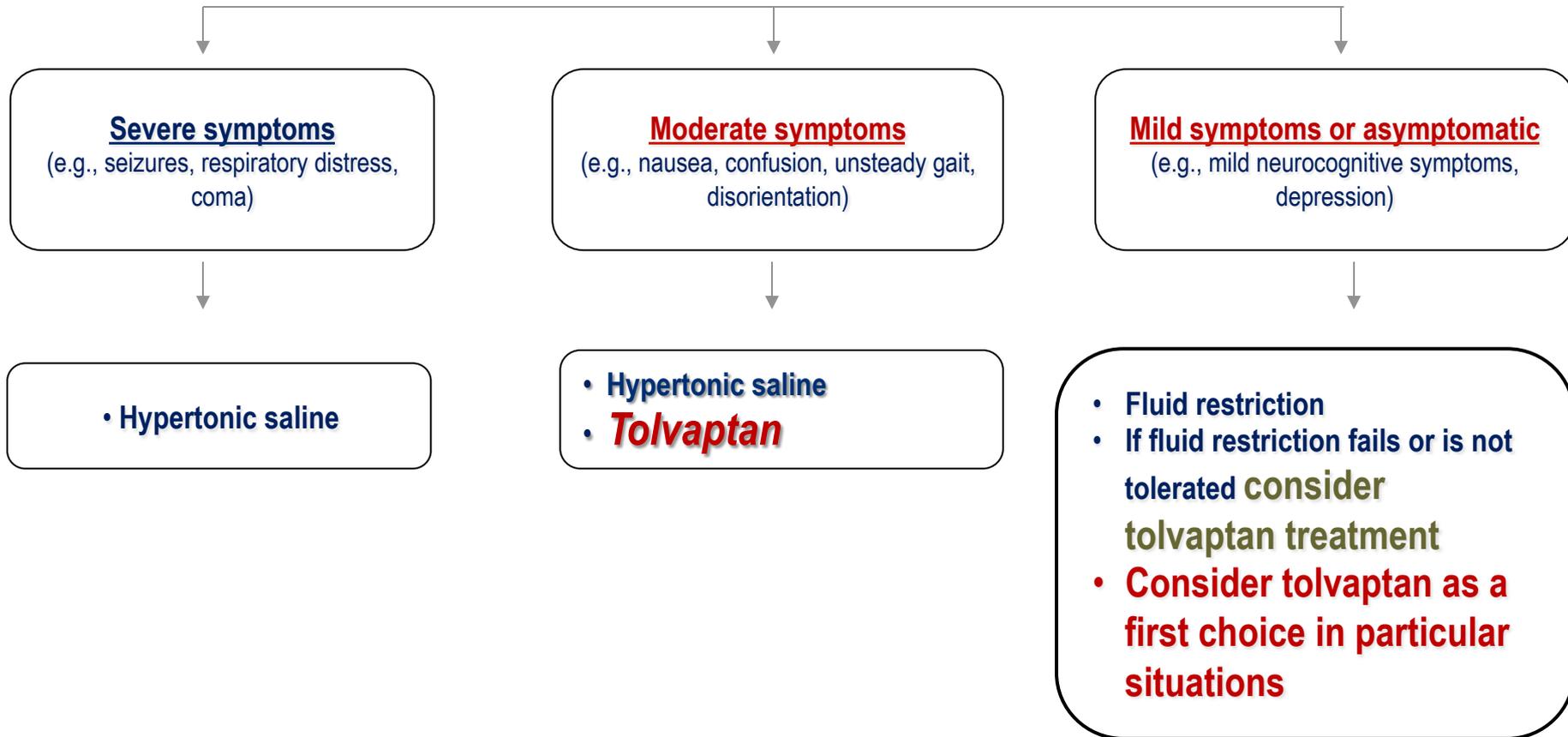
Calculate using :

IVF Rate :  for hours

IV Fluids :

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## Hyponatraemia secondary to SIAD \* (Europe)



**SAMSCA 15 – 30 mg**

# *Elementi per la Diagnosi dell'Iposodiemia*

- *Stato del SODIO*

Perdite Renali

Perdite ExtraRenali

Nessuna Perdita

- *Stato del VOLUME*

Determinazione  
del Na Urinario “Spot”

Segni della Disidratazione

- secchezza della cute che si solleva in pliche e delle Mucose
- ipotomia dei bulbi oculari
- calo ponderale
- ipotensione arteriosa
- emoconcentrazione

Misurazione PVC

(o Ecografia della Vena Cava Inferiore)

## ZONA "GRIGIA fra 20 e 40 mEq

### *Na U > a 40 mEq*

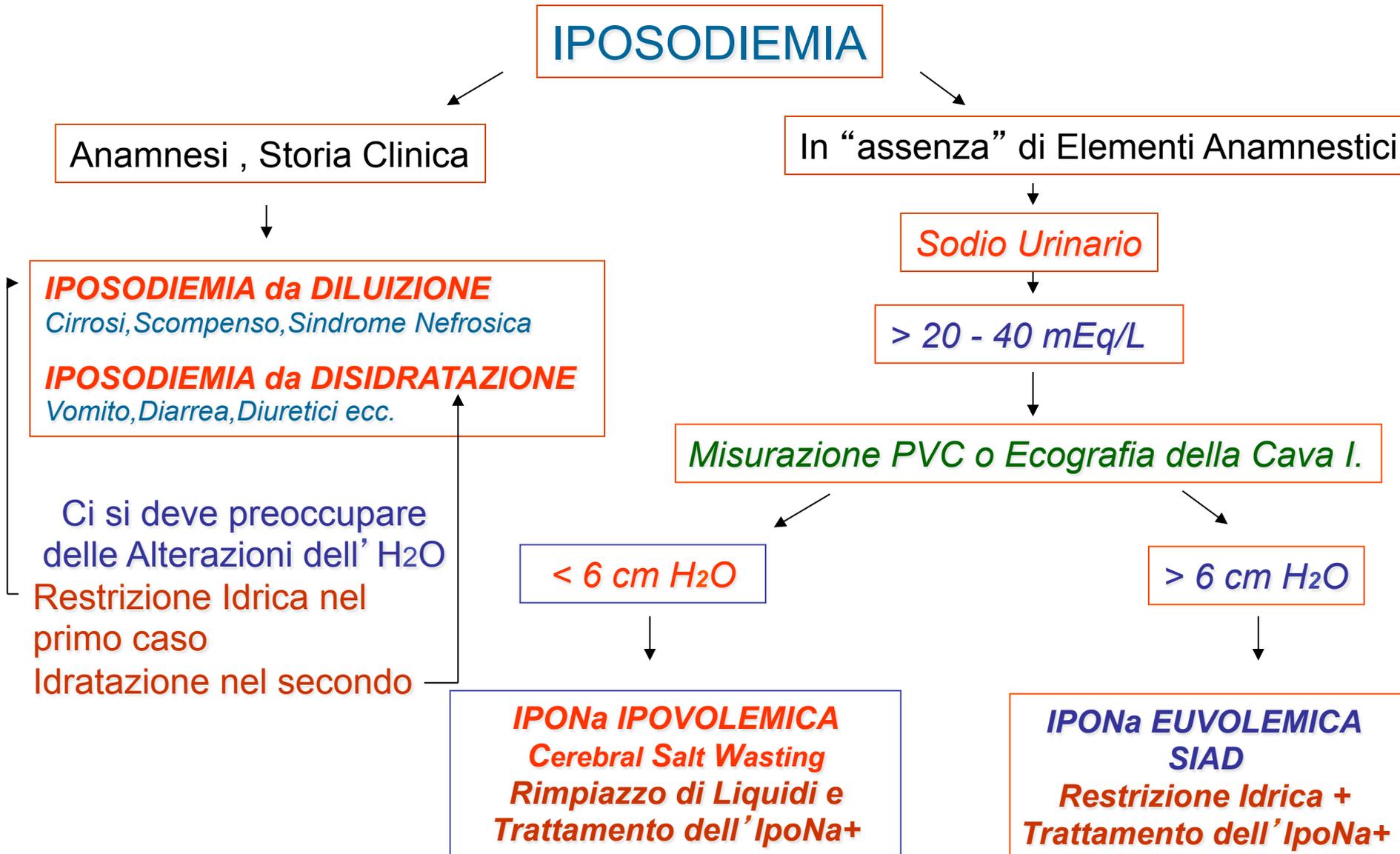
- **CON SEGNI di DISIDRATAZIONE :**  
Iposodiemia da Perdita Renale  
CSW (S.Cerebrale da Perdita di Sali) ,  
Addison Acuto
- **SENZA SEGNI di DISIDRATAZIONE :**  
SIAD, IPOTIROIDISMO  
GRAVE, DEFICIT di MINERALCORTICOIDI  
(+IperK), INSUFFICIENZA RENALE CRONICA  
Polidipsia, Potomania, Dolore , Polmoniti ,  
Insufficienza Respiratoria Acuta , Ventilazione  
a Pressione Positiva

### *Na U < a 20 mEq*

- **CON SEGNI di DISIDRATAZIONE :**  
Iposodiemia da Perdita Extra Renale  
(Diarrea, Vomito ...  
Compartimentalizzazione)
- **CON EDEMI**  
Cirrosi ,  
Scompenso Congestizio ,  
S. Nefrosica



# Sinossi per il Management dell' Iposodiemia



SENZA MAI DIMENTICARSI dell' IPOSURRENALISMO

Mai come in questo campo  
(MA VALE comunque SEMPRE...!!!)  
occorre ricordare una *massima* di Socrate :

SE PENSATE che la CONOSCENZA COSTI...  
NON AVETE IDEA di QUANTO MAGGIORE SIA  
il COSTO dell' IGNORANZA... !!!

ADESSO  
FATTI,  
NON PAROLE!



# Soluzioni Reidratanti ed Idro-Elettrolitiche

“Alcalinizzanti”		pH	Osm. mOsm/l	Na mEq/l	K mEq/l	Cl mEq/l	HCO <sub>3</sub>
<b>Elettrolitica Reidratante</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5.5-7.0</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>52</b>
	<b>2</b>	<b>5.0-7.0</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>48</b>
	<b>3</b>	<b>5.0-7.0</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>47</b>
Altre							
<b>Elettrolitica Bilanciata con Gluc.</b>		<b>5.0-7.0</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Ringer</b>		<b>5.0-7.0</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>-</b>

*La Problematica Clinica di Maggior Interesse e  
di Maggior Difficolta' Decisionale  
è senz'altro quella di Identificare  
le IPOSODIEMIE "NORMOVOLEMICHE" e  
di DIFFERENZIARLE*

**SIADH**

*(S. da inappropriata Antidiuresi)*

**CSW**

*(cerebral salt wasting )*

**Ipopituitarismo misconosciuto**

**Insufficienza Surrealica del Paz. Critico**

**Insufficienza Surrealica Cronica**

(Deficit di MineralCorticoidi)

Ipotiroidismo Grave

Insufficienza renale cronica.

Polidipsia, Potomania, Dolore ,

Polmoniti , Insufficienza Respiratoria Acuta,

Ventilazione a Pressione Positiva



# The Syndrome of Inappropriate Antidiuresis

*Osmolarita' Plasmatica = 280 - 300 mOsm/kg*

$$P_{osm} = 2x [Na]_{pl} + \text{glicemia (mg/dl)} / 18 \\ + (\text{azotemia (mg/dl)} / 2.8)$$

$$2 \times 124 + 84/18 + (43/2.8) = 253 \text{ mOsm/kg} \\ (268)$$

*Osmolalita' urinaria (U-Osm) 400 - 500 mOsm/Kg*

*(da 50 a 1400 mOsm/Kg a seconda dell'idratazione)*

Il peso specifico e l'osmolalita' urinaria hanno tra loro una buona correlazione, *con un rapporto di 1 a 35, dopo il mille.*

Es. 1000	0
1003	105
1010	350
1020	700

# Cause di inappropriata secrezione di ADH (SIAD)

## NEOPLASIE

### Polmone

- Small cell
- Mesotelioma
- Orofaringe

### Tratto

#### Genito-urinario

- Uretere, vescica
- Prostata
- Endometrio

### Tratto

#### gastroenterico

- Stomaco
- Duodeno
- Pancreas

### Altre:

- Timomi
- Linfomi
- Sarcomi

## MALATTIE POLMONARI

### Infezioni:

- Batteriche e Virali , Ascessi ,
- Tubercolosi
- Micosi

Asma

Fibrosi cistica

Insufficienza respiratoria

con ventilazione a pressione positiva

## DISORDINI del SNC

### Patologia vascolare / espansiva

- Ematoma subdurale
- Emorragia subaracnoidea
- Stroke
- Tumori cerebrali
- Traumi cerebrali
- Idrocefalo
- Trombosi dei seni cavernosi

### Altro:

- Sclerosi multipla
- S. di Guillain-Barré
- S. di Shy Drager
- Porfiria acuta intermittente

### Infezioni:

- Encefaliti
- Meningiti
- Ascessi cerebrali
- Aids

**DA  
DIFFERENZIARE  
con la CSW**

## ALTRE CAUSE

Nausea severa

Dolore intenso

Stato post-operatorio

Forma idiopatica

Esercizi fisici prolungati  
(maratoneti...)

Forma genetica  
(sindrome nefrogenica da  
inappropriata antidiuresi)

**Farmaci**

# Cause Farmacologiche di inappropriata antidiuresi (SIAD)

## Farmaci che stimolano il rilascio o potenziano l'azione di AVP

- **Antidepressivi :**
  - triciclici ( amitriptilina, desipramina, protriptilina)
  - inibitori selettivi del re-uptake della serotonina
  - inibitori delle monoamine-ossidasi
- **Antipsicotici :**
  - fenotiazine ( tioridazina, trifluoperazina)
  - butirrofenoni ( aloperidolo)
  - aripiprazolo
  - clozapina ? ( rare segnalazioni in passato; dati più recenti indicano,viceversa, la possibilità del miglioramento dell' iponatremia nel paziente schizofrenico con polidipsia psicogena )
- **Antiepilettici**
  - carbamazepina, oxcarbazepina
  - valproato di sodio
  - lamotrigine
- **Agenti antineoplastici**
  - vincristina, vinblastina ( raramente)
  - cisplatino ( frequentemente ), carboplatino ( raramente)
  - ciclofosfamide i.v., melfalan, ifosfamide
  - methotrexate
  - interferone alfa e gamma
  - levamisole
  - pentostatina
  - anticorpi monoclonali
- **Antidiabetici**
  - clorpropamide.
  - tolbutamide
  - rosiglitazone
- **Antibiotici:**
  - trimetoprim-sulfametossazolo;
  - ciprofloxacina,
  - cefoperazone/sulbactam,
  - rifabutin
- **Miscellanea**
  - anti-infiammatori non steroidei ( inibitori della sintesi di prostaglandine )
  - oppiacei
  - tramadolo
  - nicotina
  - clofibrato
  - ACE-inibitori
  - amiodarone, lorcaïnide, propafenone
  - amlodipina
  - MDMA ( ecstasy )
  - Teofillina
  - Imatinib
  - sibutramina
  - inibitori della pompa protonica ( omeprazolo )

## Farmaci analoghi della AVP

- desmopressina
- ossitocina
- vasopressina

**SIAD**  
ECF espanso



Encefaliti  
Meningiti  
ESA  
Ascessi cerebrali  
Stroke  
Ematomi  
Neoplasie  
Chirurgia SNC



**CSW**  
ECF contratto



It has been postulated that CSW is a centrally mediated process, possibly via secretion of natriuretic peptides or disrupted sympathetic neural input to the proximal tubules. Scattered case reports in the pediatric population demonstrated **suppressed plasma renin activity and plasma aldosterone concentration** in CSW, while plasma aldosterone concentration usually remained normal or high in SIADH.

Dati di Laboratorio	SIAD	Cerebral Salt Wasting
Sodiemia		RIDOTTA
Sodiuria		> 40 mmol/L
Osmolarita' Plasmatica		RIDOTTA
Osmolarita' Urinaria		INAPPROPRIATAMENTE ELEVATA



**Successful Treatment of Adult Cerebral Salt Wasting With Fludrocortisone**

Arch Intern Med. 2008;168(3):325-326.

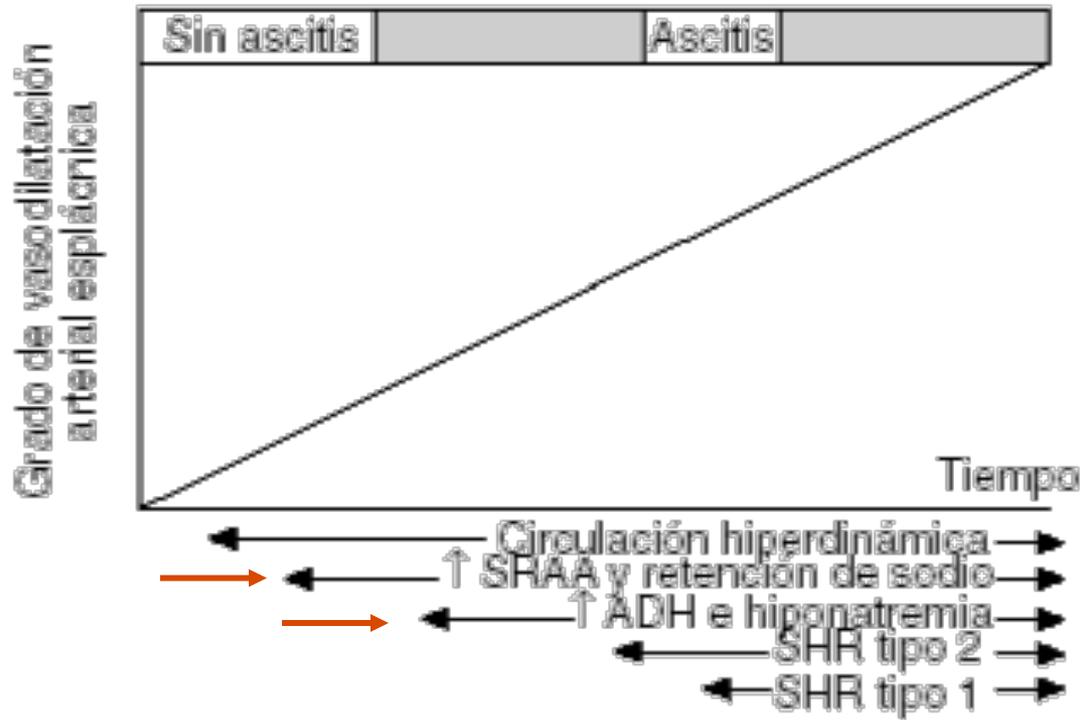
# Opzioni Terapeutiche per la SIAD

- **Demeclociclina (Ledermicina) :**  
interactúa con la AVP en el riñón y produce una diabetes insípida nefrogénica reversible.  
Debe administrarse a dosis de **600-1.200 mg/día**, teniendo en cuenta que el efecto es dependiente de la dosis, desapareciendo tras la retirada del fármaco.  
Se debe vigilar la función renal y su **utilidad en hiponatremias crónicas es limitada porque tarda algunas semanas en ejercer su efecto.**  
Existe dificultad de disponer del fármaco en nuestro país.
- **Carbonato de litio :**  
interactúa con la AVP en el riñón produciendo una diabetes insípida nefrogénica, aunque con más efectos colaterales que la demeclociclina. Sólo es efectivo en el 20% de los pacientes.  
está aconsejado su uso por los efectos tóxicos adyuvantes.
- **Análogos de la vasopresina:**  
poseen función antagonista **inhibiendo competitivamente la acción de la vasopresina a nivel del receptor, provocando un aumento en la excreción renal del agua.**  
Existen varios compuestos en fase experimental

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Endocrinol Nutr. 2007 ; 54:23-33.

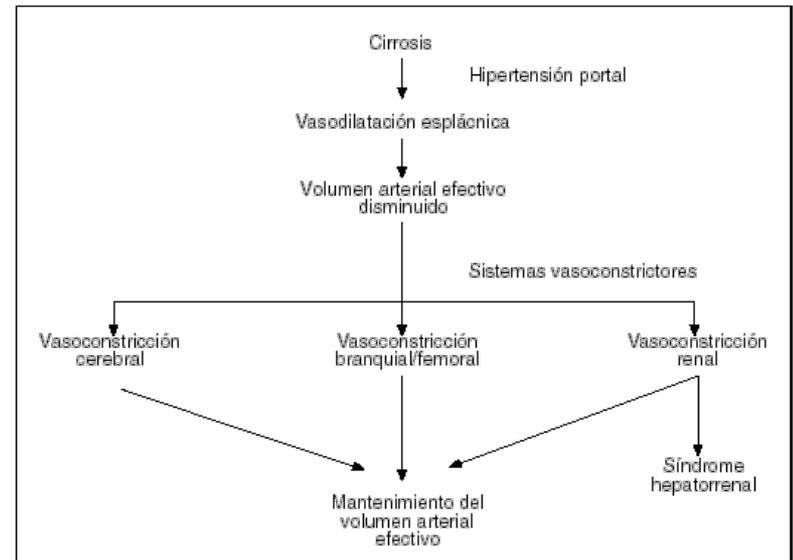
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*Esquema que muestra la evolución clínica en el tiempo de los parámetros hemodinámicos y hormonales de los pacientes cirróticos.*

*SRAA: sistema renina-angiotensina-aldosterona;  
ADH: hormona antidiurética;  
SHR: síndrome hepatorenal.*

*Hipótesis del infrallenado arterial y activación de sistema de vasoconstrictores de manera compensadora en diferentes regiones*



# Approccio Pragmatico-Laboratoristico

**Table 4: Possible causes of hyponatremia according to acid-base status and serum potassium level**

Acid base status	Potassium status; cause		
	Hyperkalemia (potassium level > 5.0 mmol/L)	Normokalemia (potassium level 3.5–5.0 mmol/L)	Hypokalemia (potassium level < 3.5 mmol/L)
Metabolic acidosis	Renal failure Adrenal insufficiency		
Metabolic alkalosis			Diarrhea Vomiting Diuretic therapy
Normal pH (7.35–7.45)		SIADH Compulsive polydipsia Cortisol deficiency Hypothyroidism	

# Hyponatremia of Long or Unclear Duration

- *The treatment of hyponatremia with an unclear duration and nonspecific symptoms or signs (e.g., headache or lethargy) is particularly challenging.*
- *Some reports suggest a high risk if patients are not treated aggressively; Ayus JC, Arieff AI. Chronic hyponatremic encephalopathy in postmenopausal women: association of therapies with morbidity and mortality. JAMA 1999;281:2299-2304*
- *Others suggest that rapid correction increases morbidity or mortality. Sterns RH. The treatment of hyponatremia: first, do no harm. Am J Med 1990;88:557-560*
- *Unlike patients with acute hyponatremia, those with hyponatremia of longer duration have a documented risk of osmotic demyelination if the serum sodium level is corrected by more than 12 mmol per liter over a period of 24 hours. This disorder, which includes both **central pontine and extrapontine myelinolysis**, begins with lethargy and affective changes (generally after initial improvement of neurologic symptoms with treatment), followed by mutism or dysarthria, spastic quadriparesis, and pseudobulbar palsy. Case series and experimental data indicate that this complication may result from rapid correction of hyponatremia that has been present for more than 48 hours.*

# Acute Symptomatic Hyponatremia

- *The most important factors dictating the management of SIAD are the severity of the hyponatremia, its duration, and the presence or absence of symptoms*
- *For symptomatic patients with severe hyponatremia known to have developed within 48 hours, clinical experience suggests that rapid treatment is warranted.* An increase in serum sodium levels of less than 10 mmol or mEq/per liter is usually sufficient to reduce the symptoms and prevent complications  
The goal is to raise the serum sodium level by 0.5 to 2 mmol or mEq/per liter per hour by infusing 3% saline; these recommended rates are guided by data from case series, in the absence of data from randomized trials, but they are widely accepted.
- Many experts believe that *the magnitude of correction during the first 24 hours* of treatment should be *no more than 8 to 12 mmol or mEq/ per liter*, and *during the first 48 hours no more than 18 to 25 mmol or mEq/per liter*, even when the hyponatremia is acute

# Farmaci e SIAD

- Desmopressina
- Ossitocina
- Derivati Oppioidi
- Nicotina
- Clofibrato
- Lisinopril
- Eparina
- Fenotiazine
- Triciclici
- SSRI
- Carbamazepina
- Inibitori delle

- Vinc
- Cicl
- Esc

UFH is reported to decrease plasma and urinary aldosterone concentrations by directly decreasing aldosterone production.<sup>1</sup> The mechanism is controversial, but may be related to both a decrease in the direct synthesis of aldosterone within the zona glomerulosa, as well as a decrease in the number of angiotensin-II receptors within the zona glomerulosa.<sup>1</sup> As a result of aldosterone inhibition, hyponatremia and hyperkalemia may be detected within 1–3 days of the initiation of UFH. This was the case in our pa-



# Mortality after Hospitalization with Mild, Moderate, and Severe Hyponatremia

## Characteristics of Hospitalized Individuals with and without Hyponatremia

	<i>Sodium Concentration (mEq/L)</i>						<i>P</i> Value
	<b>135 - 144</b> ( 82,377)	<b>&lt; 135</b> ( 12,562)	<b>130 - 134</b> ( 10,469)	<b>125 - 129</b> ( 1591)	<b>120 - 124</b> ( 353)	<b>&lt; 120</b> ( 149)	
<b>Mean age ± SD, years</b>	63.1	67.0	66.0	71.5	72.8	73.1	< .001
<b>Female (%)</b>	51.1	51.2	50.8	51.4	55.5	66.4	.83
<b>Major diagnostic category (%)</b>							
<b>Circulatory system: surgical</b>	16.7	17.8	18.7	15.0	7.9	4.0	.002
<b>Circulatory system: medical</b>	9.0	8.2	7.9	10.1	9.9	10.1	.006
<b>Musculoskeletal system: surgical</b>	12.2	8.3	8.9	5.8	3.7	2.0	< .001
<b>Nervous system: surgical</b>	5.0	3.3	3.5	2.3	1.7	0.7	< .001
<b>Nervous system: medical</b>	5.7	4.2	3.9	6.1	5.7	1.3	< .001
<b>Respiratory system: medical</b>	5.1	7.5	6.8	10.7	13.0	10.7	< .001

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## Mortality in Patients with and without Hyponatremia

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<b>Crude in-hospital mortality (%)</b>	2.4	5.4	4.8	8.9	8.5	6.7
<b>Crude 1-year mortality (%)</b>	11.7	21.4	19.8	28.5	33.1	22.2
<b>Crude 5-year mortality (%)</b>	42.3	54.8	53.6	61.0	60.6	59.7

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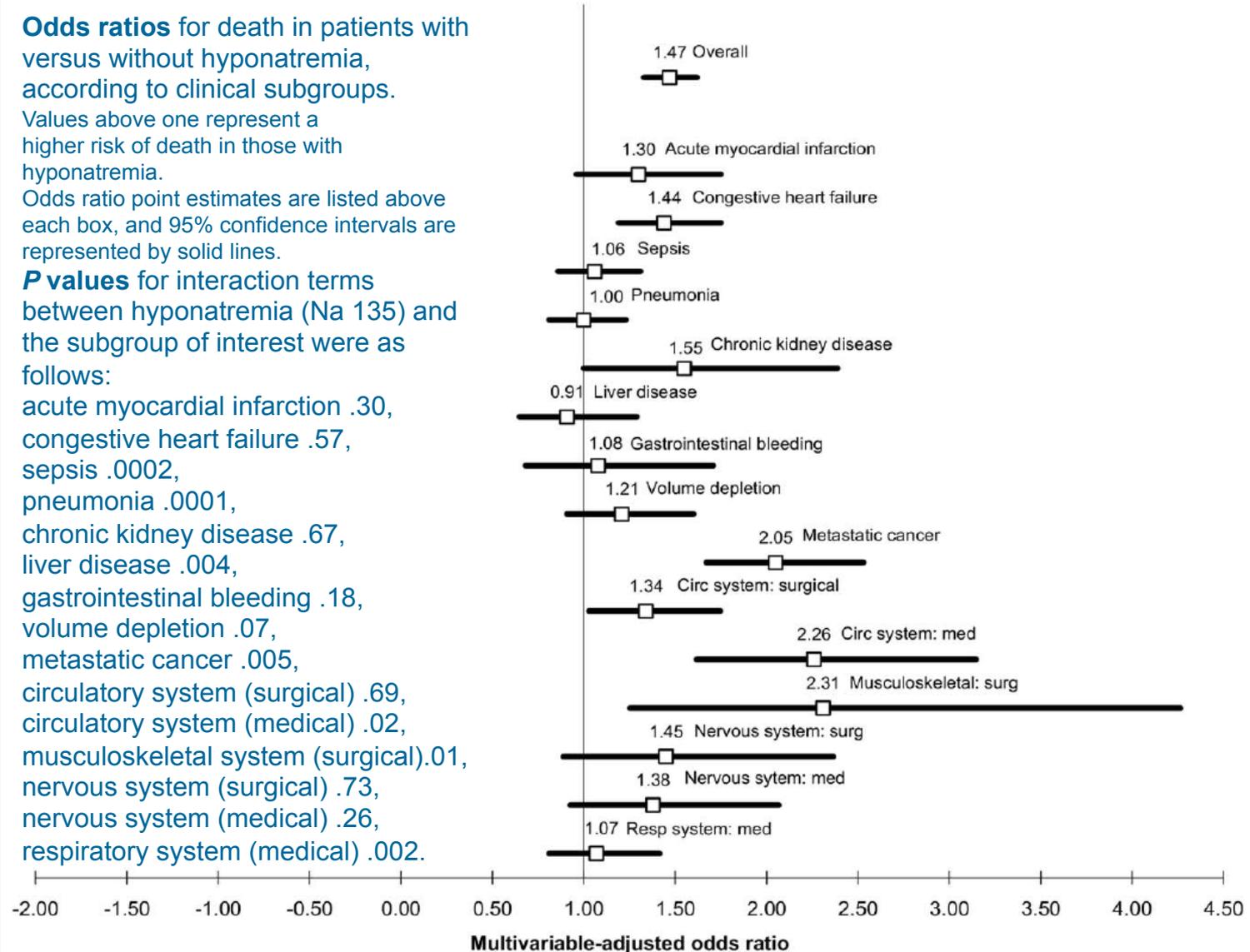
**Odds ratios** for death in patients with versus without hyponatremia, according to clinical subgroups.

Values above one represent a higher risk of death in those with hyponatremia.

Odds ratio point estimates are listed above each box, and 95% confidence intervals are represented by solid lines.

**P values** for interaction terms between hyponatremia (Na 135) and the subgroup of interest were as follows:

acute myocardial infarction .30,  
 congestive heart failure .57,  
 sepsis .0002,  
 pneumonia .0001,  
 chronic kidney disease .67,  
 liver disease .004,  
 gastrointestinal bleeding .18,  
 volume depletion .07,  
 metastatic cancer .005,  
 circulatory system (surgical) .69,  
 circulatory system (medical) .02,  
 musculoskeletal system (surgical).01,  
 nervous system (surgical) .73,  
 nervous system (medical) .26,  
 respiratory system (medical) .002.



## Mortality after Hospitalization with Mild, Moderate, and Severe Hyponatremia

**Table 4** In-hospital Mortality in Selected Subgroups of Patients with and without Hyponatremia

Condition	Sodium Concentration (mEq/L)	Sodium Concentration (mEq/L)					
		Total n (% Mortality)	135-144	130-134	125-129	120-124	<120
Sepsis		2632 (25%)	1 (ref)	1.00 (0.79-1.26)	1.36 (0.88-2.11)	1.65 (0.64-4.24)	0.38 (0.04-3.21)
Pneumonia		4761 (16%)	1 (ref)	0.98 (0.78-1.23)	1.09 (0.71-1.69)	1.70 (0.71-4.08)	—
Liver disease		1462 (16%)	1 (ref)	0.73 (0.48-1.10)	1.32 (0.71-2.45)	2.63 (1.00-6.94)	0.56 (0.07-4.83)
Metastatic cancer		6612 (7%)	1 (ref)	1.78 (1.41-2.24)	3.25 (2.20-4.81)	3.43 (1.61-7.33)	4.80 (1.27-18.17)
Circulatory system (medical)		8421 (3%)	1 (ref)	2.19 (1.52-3.17)	2.73 (1.41-5.28)	1.35 (0.26-6.90)	2.97 (0.35-25.16)
Musculoskeletal system (surgical)		11,079 (0.6%)	1 (ref)	2.10 (1.08-4.07)	4.60 (1.35-15.73)	—	—
Respiratory system (medical)		5153 (7%)	1 (ref)	1.03 (0.75-1.40)	1.38 (0.81-2.35)	0.82 (0.25-2.66)	0.60 (0.07-5.35)

Sodium values corrected for admission glucose. Values are shown for subgroups of patients in whom statistically significant interaction was detected for the association between hyponatremia (Na <135) and in-hospital mortality. *P* values for interaction terms were: sepsis .0002, pneumonia <.0001, liver disease .004, metastatic cancer .005, circulatory system (medical) .02, musculoskeletal system (surgical) .01, respiratory system (medical) .002.

# Incidence

- *Hyponatremia* is the most common electrolyte abnormality seen in general hospital patients, with an *incidence of about 1%* in the US.

- In a study of blood samples taken from approximately 30 000 patients in a Papua New Guinea hospital over 23 months, 1% of the samples showed **hyponatremia**. In this population, **hyponatremia** was more common *in medical (38%) and pediatric (35%) patients*

In this study, over one-quarter of the affected patients had severe hyponatremia (serum sodium level <120 mEq/L).

The clinical conditions thought to have caused **hyponatremia**, in descending order of importance, included

- **diarrhea and vomiting** (29%),
- **renal failure** (12%),
- **CNS infections**
- **trauma** (12%), and
- **pulmonary infections** (9%).

- In a study of 184 episodes of severe hyponatremia (serum sodium level <120 mEq/L) in several hospitals in the US and UK, *21% of patients had acute hyponatremia (3 days' duration), and 79% of patients had chronic hyponatremia (>3 days' duration).*

The causes of **hyponatremia** included

- **overhydration** (21%), often due to chemotherapy or following surgery;
- **liver failure** (9%);
- **renal failure** (9%);
- **drugs** (9%);
- **SIADH** (8%);
- **cardiac failure** (7%); and
- **multiple factors** (22%).

Clouding of consciousness affected 76% of patients with **hyponatremia**; 11% experienced coma.

The incidence of coma was more strongly **associated with acute** rather than chronic **hyponatremia**

Other hyponatremic complications included chronic signs (including hemiparesis; 6.0%), seizures (3.3%), tremor (1.0%), hallucinations (0.5%), intellectual impairment without clouding of consciousness (0.5%), and acute psychosis (0.5%).

In all, 8 patients (4.3%) died as a direct result of their electrolyte disturbance (acute **hyponatremia**, 1 patient; chronic **hyponatremia**, 7 patients).

# *Alterazioni del SODIO*

*Possono quindi essere un  
disordine dell'Acqua  
e non una carenza/eccesso del Sale*

e quindi possono riflettere  
Modificazioni del Volume Plasmatico e  
del Volume Arterioso Efficace

# Vasopressin-Receptor Antagonist Therapy

- A more recent option for treating SIAD is **Conivaptan** (Vaprisol, Astellas Pharma), a vasopressin-receptor antagonist approved by the Food and Drug Administration in 2005 for intravenous treatment of euvolemic hyponatremia and approved in 2007 for intravenous treatment of

**Table 3. Vasopressin-Receptor Antagonists.\***

Drug	Dose of Drug	Vasopressin Receptor	Route of Administration	Urinary Volume	Urinary Osmolality	Sodium Excretion over 24 hr
Conivaptan (Vaprisol, Astellas Pharma)†	20–40 mg daily	V <sub>1A</sub> and V <sub>2</sub>	Intravenous	Increased	Decreased	No change

*During the week after discontinuation of tolvaptan on day 30, hyponatremia recurred*

*2006,355:2099-2112*

*NEJM,*

\* Data are adapted from Lee et al.<sup>35</sup>

† Conivaptan was approved for clinical use in 2005 by the Food and Drug Administration.

*moderate-to-severe hyponatremia and symptoms but not seizures, delirium, or coma, which would warrant the use of hypertonic saline. Infusion-site reactions are common (occurring in as many as 50% of patients, according to the package insert for the drug), and its metabolism by the 3A4 isoform of cytochrome P450 (CYP3A4) can result in drug interactions*

*NEJM,2007,356:2064-2072*

## Cause di inappropriata secrezione di ADH (SIAD)

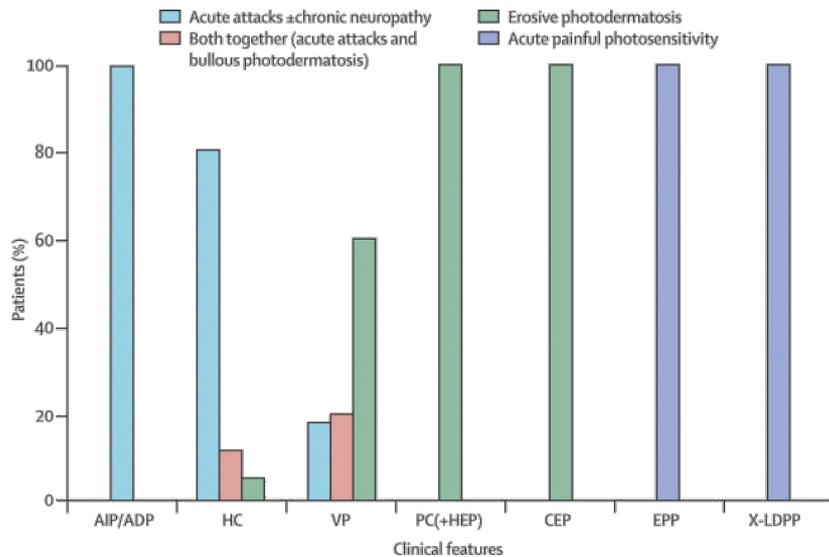
- **Neoplasie maligne**
  - a) Carcinoma bronchiale, pancreatico, uretrale, prostatico, vescicale.
  - b) Linfoma e leucemia
  - c) Timoma e mesotelioma
- **Disordini del SNC**
  - a) Traumi , Infezioni
  - b) Stroke , Emorragie
  - c) Tumori , Psicosi Acuta
  - d) Porfiria

Da DIFFERENZIARE con la CWS
- **Disordini polmonari**
  - a) TBC
  - b) Polmonite
  - c) Ventilatori a pressione positiva
- **Molti farmaci**

inducono secrezione di ADH
- **Decorso post-operatorio**
- **Dolore Intenso,**
- **Beer potomania**

# Acute porphyrias (2)

## Clinical features of porphyrias



**AIP** = acute intermittent porphyria.

**ADP** = 5-aminolaevulinic acid (ALA) dehydratase porphyria.

**HC** = hereditary coproporphyria.

**VP** = variegate porphyria.

**PCT** = familial and sporadic porphyria cutanea tarda.

**HEP** = hepatoerythropoietic porphyria.

**CEP** = congenital erythropoietic porphyria.

**EPP** = erythropoietic protoporphyria.

**X-LDPP** = X-linked dominant erythropoietic protoporphyria.

## Presentation

- Porphyric attacks begin with a **prodromic phase** including **minor behavioural changes** such as **anxiety, restlessness, and insomnia**.
- Most people with **acute attacks present** with **severe abdominal pain**, but this pain might also be felt in the back or thighs.
- **Nausea, vomiting, and constipation** are common.
- **Tachycardia, excess sweating, and hypertension**, which are symptoms of increased sympathetic activity, are often present.
- **Physical examination shows no abnormalities and X-ray analysis is normal or shows mild ileus of the bowel in most cases.**
- During acute attacks, patients frequently become dehydrated and electrolyte imbalanced.
- **Hyponatraemia attributable to inappropriate antidiuretic hormone secretion syndrome develops in 40% of cases, and when severe can lead to convulsions.**
- **Seizures** in acute attacks can develop because of hyponatraemia or hypomagnesaemia or as a manifestation of porphyria.
- Occasionally, **excretion of red or dark-coloured urine** helps physicians with their investigations.

**SIAD**  
ECF espanso



Encefaliti  
Meningiti  
ESA  
Ascessi cerebrali  
Stroke  
Ematomi  
Neoplasie  
Chirurgia SNC



**CSW**  
ECF contratto



Dati di Laboratorio	<i>SIAD</i>	<i>Cerebral Salt Wasting</i>
Sodiemia		<i>RIDOTTA</i>
Sodiuria		<i>&gt; 40 mmol/L</i>
Osmolarita' Plasmatica		<i>RIDOTTA</i>
Osmolarita' Urinaria		<i>INAPPROPRIATAMENTE ELEVATA</i>

# IPOSODIEMIA “NORMO”VOLEMICA

(Non Edemi-Non Ascite)



El síndrome pierde-sal cerebral (SPSC) se define como **la pérdida renal de sodio debida a enfermedad intracraneal que ocasiona hiponatremia y disminución del volumen extracelular.**

Se ha descrito en **pacientes neuroquirúrgicos** especialmente en aquellos que presentan **hemorragia subaracnoidea**, en quienes su aparición aumenta el riesgo de **vasospasmo sintomático.**

Aunque menos frecuente, en pacientes con **meningoencefalitis tuberculosa y meningitis carcinomatosa, y meningoencefalitis de etiología viral y infecciones del SNC**

El mecanismo por el cual un trastorno intracraneal produce SPSC no se conoce bien.

La hipótesis fisiopatológica más aceptada implica **la disrupción de la innervación nerviosa del riñón, así como la elaboración de un factor natriurético que ocasionaría una pérdida de sodio en el túbulo contorneado distal**, con la consiguiente disminución del volumen extracelular

*Med Clin (Barc). 2007;128:278-9.*

**Sodio Urinario**

**> 20 – 40 mEq/L**

**In an emergency department study, ultrasound measurements of the inferior vena cava correlated with central venous pressure.**

*Ann Emerg Med 2010 Mar 55:290*

**< 6 cm H<sub>2</sub>O**

**Con Segni di Disidratazione**

**> 6 cm H<sub>2</sub>O**

**Senza Segni di Disidratazione**

**IPONa IPOVOLEMICA**  
**Cerebral Salt Wasting**

**IPONa EUVOLEMICA**  
**SIADH**

**RIMPIAZZO dei LIQUIDI**

**RESTRIZIONE dei LIQUIDI**