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I. Influenza, Pneumonia, RSV & Other Acute Respiratory Disorders

Pulse-oximetry accurately predicts lung pathology and the immune response during influenza infection


Verhoeven D, Teijaro JR, Farber DL. Department of Surgery, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD 21210, USA.

In animal models of influenza, systemic weight loss is the primary indicator of morbidity from infection, which does not assess local lung pathology or the immune response. Here, we used a mouse-adapted pulse-oximeter as a non-invasive clinical readout of lung function during influenza infection in mice, and found direct correlations between oxygen saturation levels and lung pathology, that reflected the morbidity and survival from influenza infection. **We found blood oxygen levels to be a more accurate assessment than weight-loss morbidity in predicting lung pathology in hosts infected with different viral doses, and in assessing immune-mediated viral clearance in the lung.**

Post-infection A77-1726 blocks pathophysiologic sequelae of respiratory syncytial virus infection

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Because an increased severity of influenza infection often correlates with a decrease in SpO2, we measured the oxygen saturation levels in infected control and As-exposed conscious mice at day 7 p.i. **The As-exposed mice displayed a significant decrease in SpO2 levels compared with control mice (Figure 3D). The average SpO2 reading for the control mice infected with influenza was 95.2% (range, 93–97.5%), and the average SpO2 reading for As-exposed mice infected with influenza was 82.9% (range, 75–90%). Three of the six As-exposed mice had SpO2 readings considered to be dangerously low (i.e., ≤ 80%).**
II. Lung Injury & Mechanical Ventilation

Effects of Ethanol on Pulmonary Inflammation in Postburn Intratracheal Infection.

EL Murdoch, HG Brown, RL Gamelli, EJ Kovacs - Journal of Burn Care & Research, 2008 - burncareresearch.org

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Infectious complications are a major cause of mortality in trauma patients. Burn patients with prior ethanol exposure have a worse prognosis than those who sustain injury but had not been drinking. We examined pulmonary infection and lung pathology in mice given ethanol (1.2 g/kg) 30 minutes before being subjected to 13 to 15% total body surface area scald burn followed by intratracheal inoculation with Pseudomonas aeruginosa (1-2 × 103 colony-forming units [CFUs]). Survival was monitored for up to 48 hours. Sham control groups had 100% survival after intratracheal infection regardless of ethanol exposure. Infected burned animals had 55% survival; however, survival of infected mice exposed to ethanol and burn injury was significantly lower (27%, P < .0001). When pulmonary infection was evaluated, the lungs of sham groups were negative for bacterial colonies. In addition, at 24 hours there were no significant differences in lung CFUs from infected burned animals regardless of ethanol exposure (3.0 × 104). However, pulmonary bacterial content significantly decreased (1.2 × 10, P < .02) at 48 hours in mice given burn injury alone, where CFUs from the lungs of mice exposed to ethanol prior to burn did not decline (5.4 × 105). At the same time point, lungs from animals given ethanol and burn injury had about a 2-fold (P < .02) increase in leukocyte infiltration and vascular congestion, as well as decreased pulmonary oxygen saturation (82.8%, P < .02), when compared with other treatment groups. In summary, ethanol exposure in postburn intratracheal infection results in the inability to clear pulmonary infection marked by a prolonged pulmonary leukocyte accumulation and a decrease in pulmonary function.

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