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Índice de Actividad de DUKE versión reducida (DASI)

Versión española del Duke Activity Status Index (DASI), 1989
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Abstract: AIMS: Health-related quality of life assessment may be useful for understanding the variability in functioning of patients with a similar level of clinical impairment. We assessed the reliability, validity and responsiveness to clinical change of a reduced version of the Duke Activity Status Index (DASI) in chronic coronary patients. METHODS AND RESULTS: The reduced version of the DASI, a measure of self-reported functional capacity, was administered twice to two groups of patients: 46 stable coronary heart disease outpatients were tested and re-tested 2 weeks after their initial visit; and 44 patients undergoing elective angioplasty for angina pectoris were evaluated the day before and one month after the procedure. The Canadian Cardiovascular Society (CCS) functional grade was assessed in all patients, and a treadmill exercise test was performed sequentially (before and after the procedure) in angioplasty patients. Cronbach's alpha reliability coefficients for reduced DASI scores were high (between 0.81 and 0.89). Correlations of the reduced DASI scores with CCS grade and exercise test duration were moderately high ($r = -0.51$ and $r = 0.45$, respectively). Improvement after angioplasty as assessed by the reduced DASI scores was important (effect size = 0.75, $P < 0.001$). CONCLUSION: The reduced DASI is reliable, valid and responsive to clinical changes. Health-related quality of life measures may be useful in monitoring coronary patients
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Abstract: BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES: Little is known of the clinical and nonclinical determinants of health related quality of life after coronary artery bypass graft in routine clinical practice. The aim of this study was to assess the quality of life and its determinants after a first coronary bypass in a representative population of Catalonia, Spain. PATIENTS AND METHOD: Clinical and quality of life questionnaires were given to all the patients ($n = 710$) undergoing a first coronary bypass in private and public Catalan hospitals, prior to surgery and at six months and one year of follow-up. Quality of life was assessed with the DASI and the SF-36. RESULTS: The rate of clinical events at one year was 23%. The mean quality of life improved to levels slightly below those in general population; with greater changes reported in physical than in mental condition although the latter was less impaired. In 24%, the quality of life scores at one year were below 1.5 standard deviations of those in the general population. Females, patients with comorbidity and those with public health care insurance showed lower quality of life scores. Independent predictors of one-year quality of life included initial quality of life scores, public insurance, comorbidity, gender, age and chronic disease. Postoperative angina and dyspnoea were also associated with quality of life. CONCLUSION: The mean quality of life improves after coronary bypass, although up to one fourth of the patients may have unsatisfactory one-year clinical or quality of life outcome. Female patients, public insurance and comorbidity predict a worse quality of life
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