Impact of comprehensive geriatric assessment in patients with non-small cell lung cancer treated with stereotactic body radiotherapy

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Localized non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)



Approximately 20% of all NSCLC

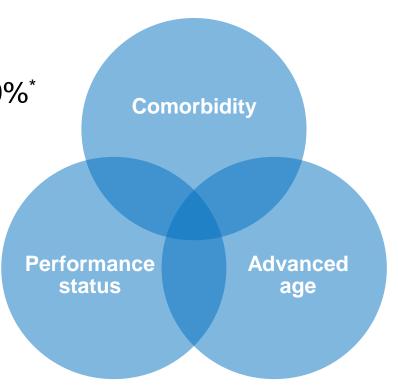


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Gold standard of treatment:



However, surgery is <u>not</u> feasible for all patients



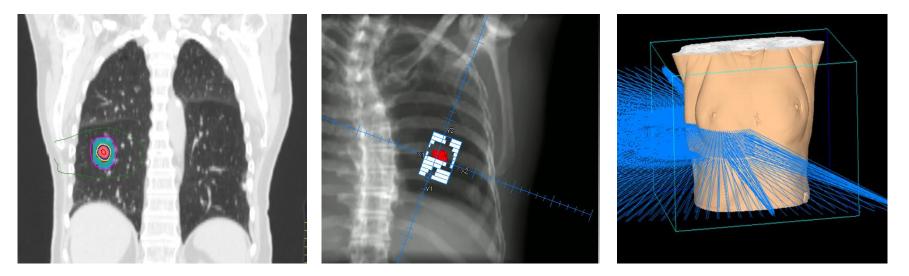
*Danish Lung Cancer Group Annual Report



Localized non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Gold standard of treatment for medical inoperable pts:

- stereotactic body radiation therapy (SBRT)
- 5Y survival of ~ $40\%^*$



^{*}Jeppesen et al., Lung Cancer, 2016

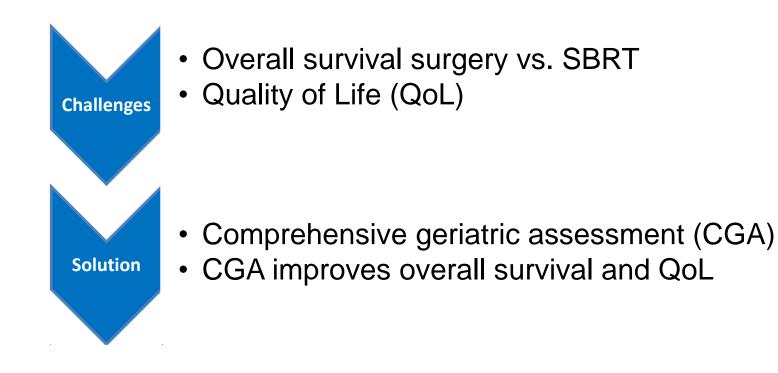




- Overall survival surgery vs. SBRT
- Quality of Life (QoL)

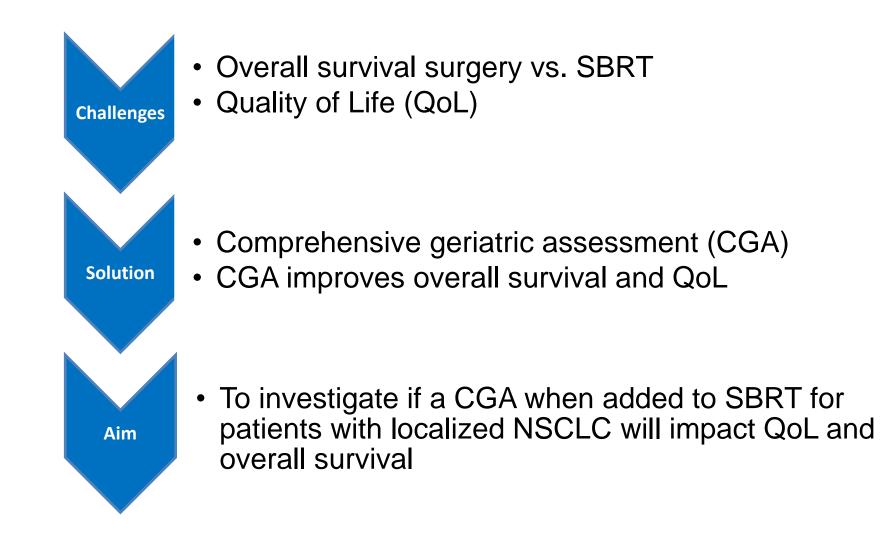
















Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment (CGA)

CGA is a systematic evaluation of:

- multimorbidity
- physical function
- cognitive function
- nutritional status
- polypharmacy and
- need of social support







A single center, parallel-group, randomized pilot study.

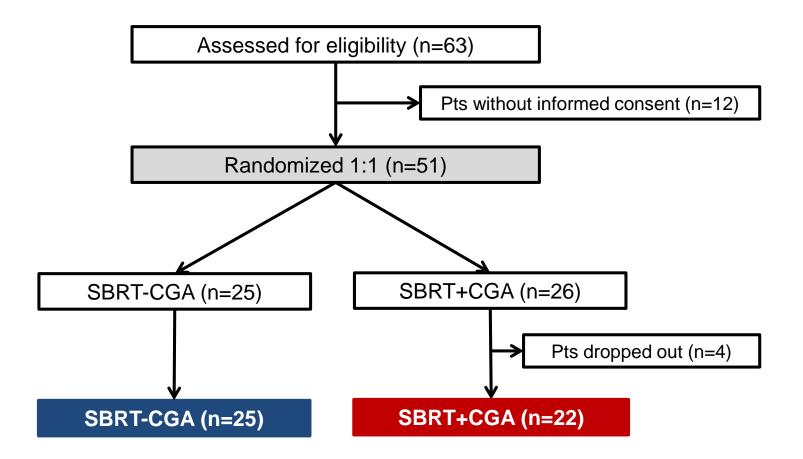


Patients were randomized to receive SBRT +/- CGA





CONSORT Flow Diagram





Patients characteristics

	SBRT + CGA	SBRT - CGA	p-value
Sex			-
Female	12 (46%)	12 (48%)	0.86
Male	14 (54%)	13 (52%)	
Age (years)			
Median	71.0	73.0	0.07
Range	(52-87)	(57-84)	
ECOG PS			
0	2 (8%)	3 (12%)	0.62
1	11 (42%)	14 (56%)	
2	11 (42%)	7 (28%)	
3	2 (8%)	1 (4%)	
Lung cancer stage			
1A	22 (85%)	18 (72%)	0.30
1B	3 (11%)	7 (28%)	
Synchronous cancers	1 (4%)	0 (0%)	
Histology			
Adeno	14 (54%)	13 (52%)	0.17
Squamous	11 (42%)	7 (28%)	
NSCLC NOS	1 (4%)	5 (20%)	
CCI			
0-1	10 (39%)	12 (48%)	0.65
2-3	12 (46%)	11 (44%)	
4+	4 (15%)	2 (8%)	
G8 total			
>14	11 (42%)	6 (24%)	0.47
≤14	15(58%)	19 (76%)	0.17



CGA interventions in the +CGA group

	+CGA group (n)
Number of visits in Geriatric Clinic	17
1 2	4
≥3	1
Health interventions	14
1	6
2	1 1
3	Ι
Drugs	
New prescriptions	11
Dose increase	2 6
Dose reduction	6 4
Drug stopped	7
Dietary counselling	9
Alcohol counselling	3
Fall prevention	3
Functional physiotherapy	5
Referred to other Departments/General Practitioners	
Cardiovascular Medicine	1
Respiratory Medicine	1
Haematology	1
Infectious Diseases	1 3
General Practitioner	5
Social situation	
Increased aid at home	1



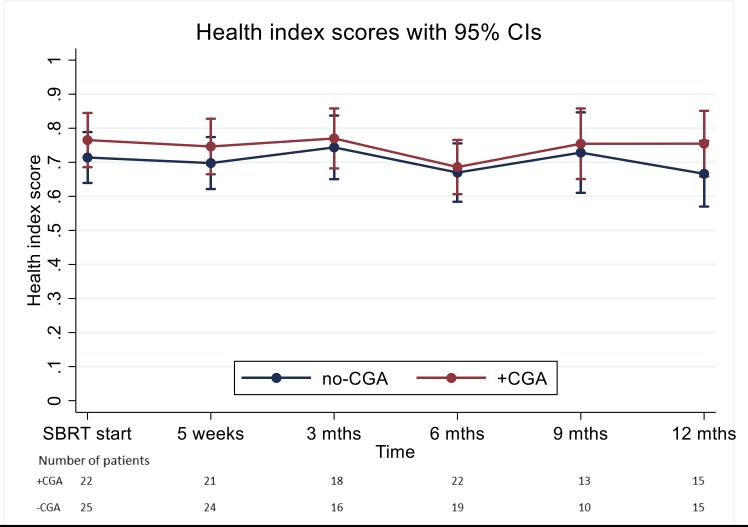
EQ-5D baseline to 12 months after SBRT 6 repeated measurements

- Health index (objective)
 - mobility, self-care, usual activities, pain/discomfort, and anxiety/depression
- VAS score (subjective)
 - self-rated health in a scale ranging from 0-100



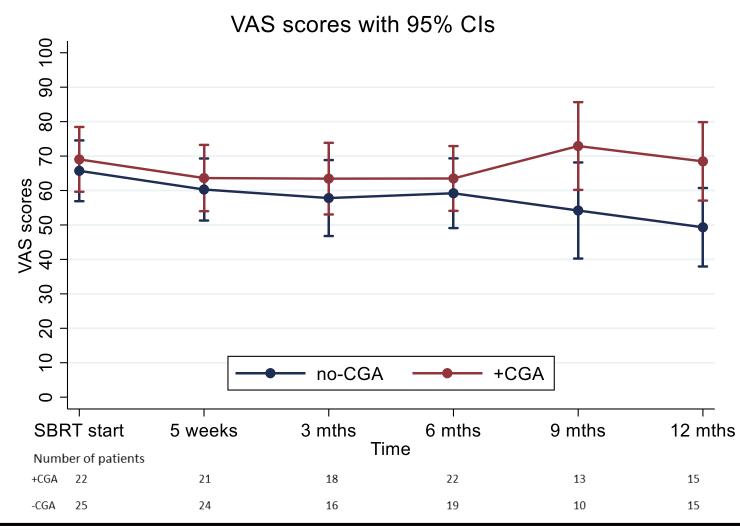


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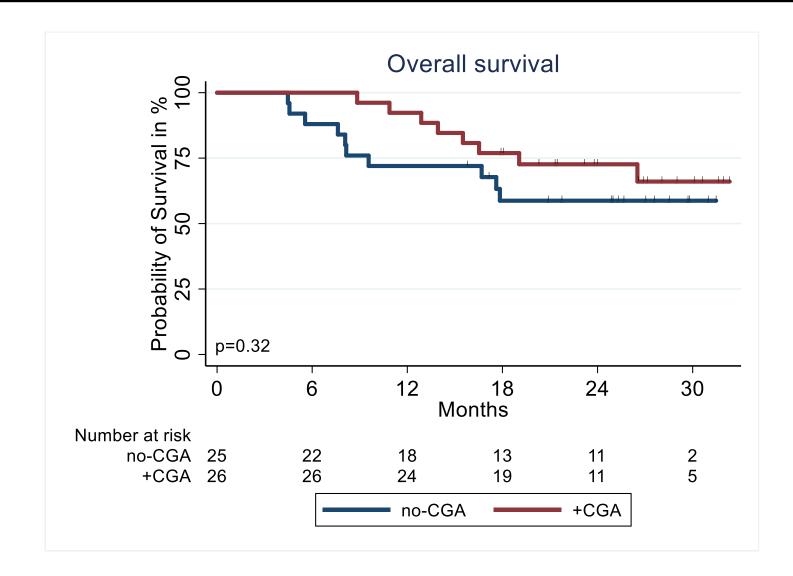




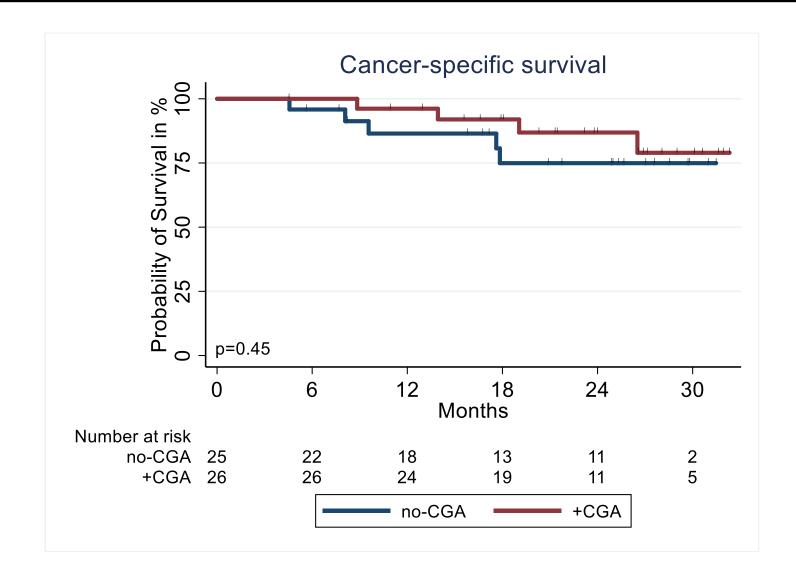
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In patients treated with SBRT for a localized NSCLC a comprehensive geriatric assessment

- Did not improve the QoL
 - health index and VAS scores
- Did not improve overall survival
- Sample size of the current study is small





Thank you for your attention



