



A Seventeen-Year-Old Boy with Left-Dominant Unbalanced AVSD, TOF and Trisomy 21, who Successfully Underwent a Biventricular Conversion: Case Report

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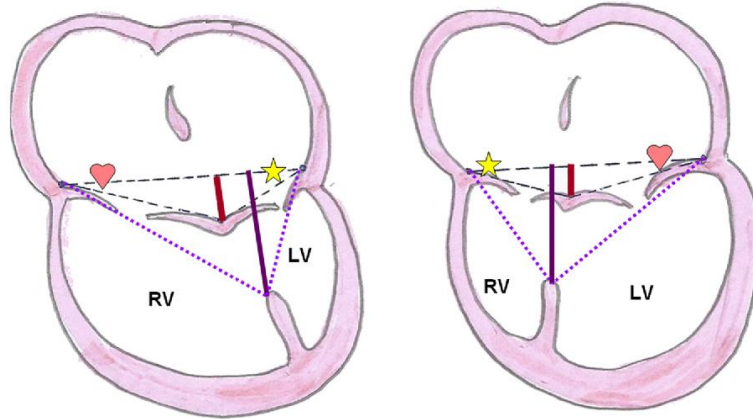
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Backgrounds

Unbalanced atrioventricular septal defect (UAVSD)



Right dominant

Left dominant

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Single ventricle management



Challenging to apply single ventricular circulation

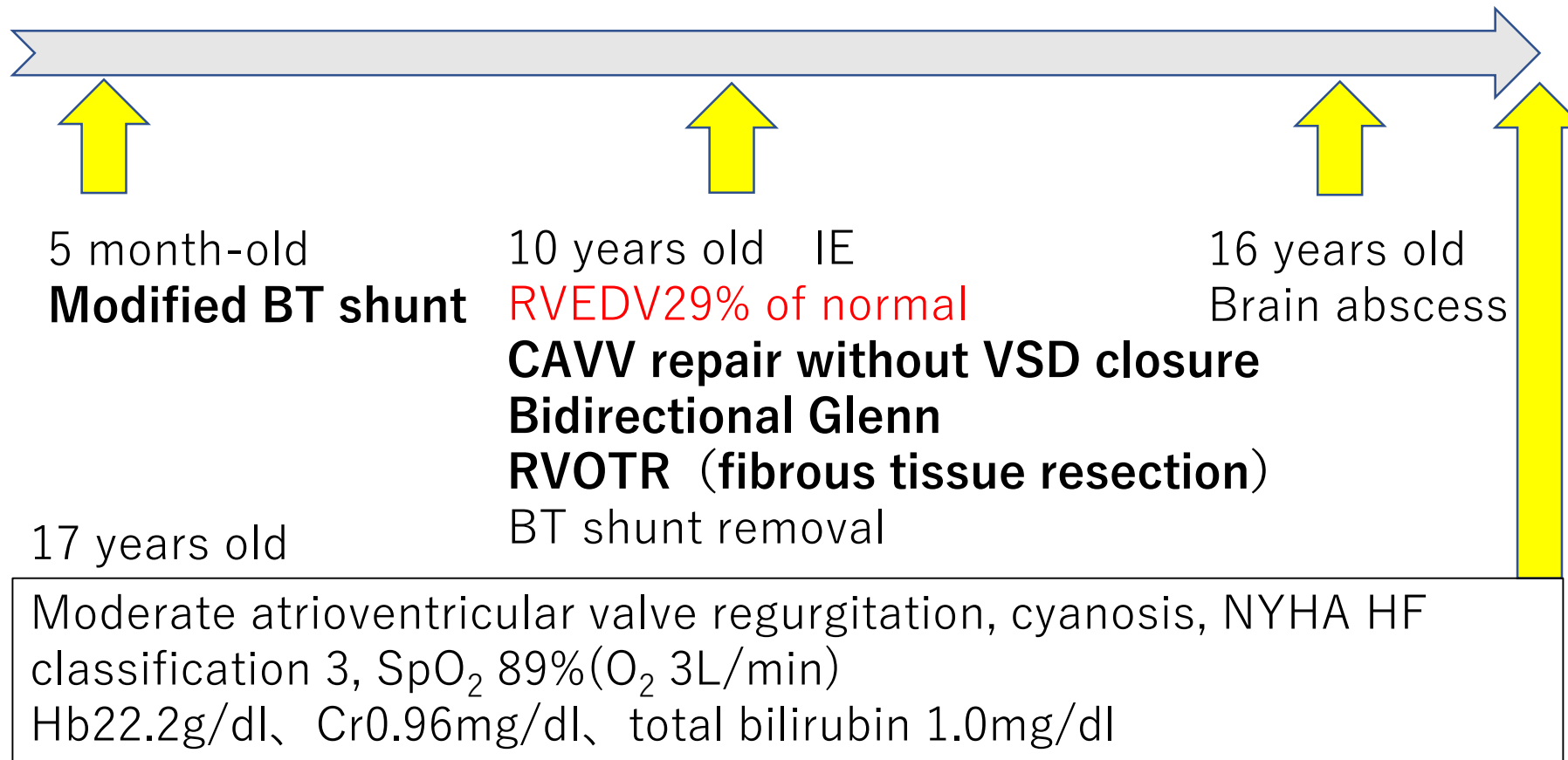
Developing pulmonary hypertension

Trisomy 21 (Down syndrome) patients

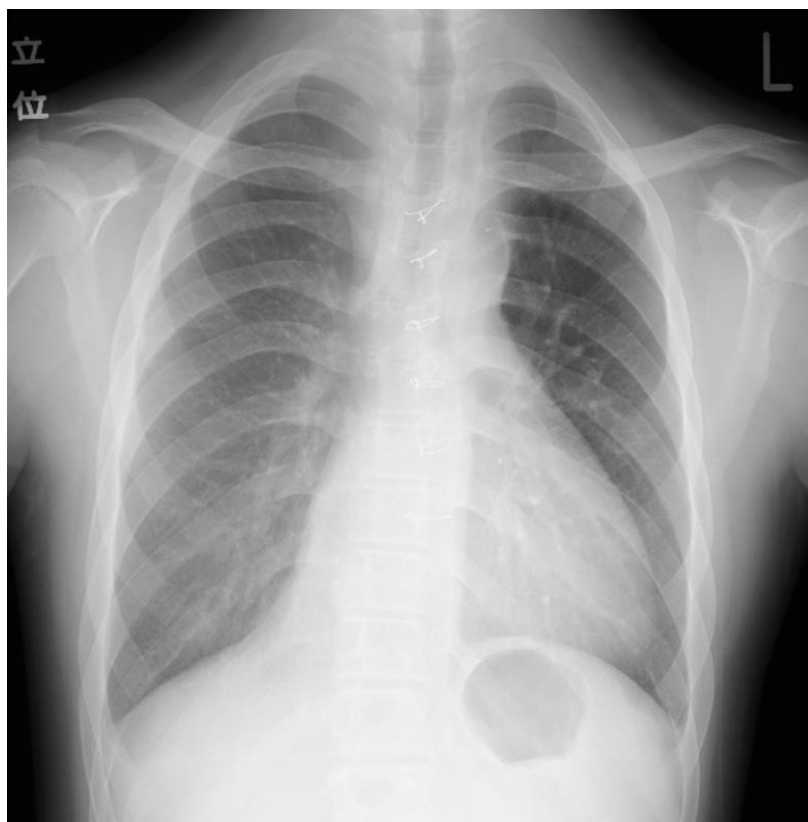
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Case

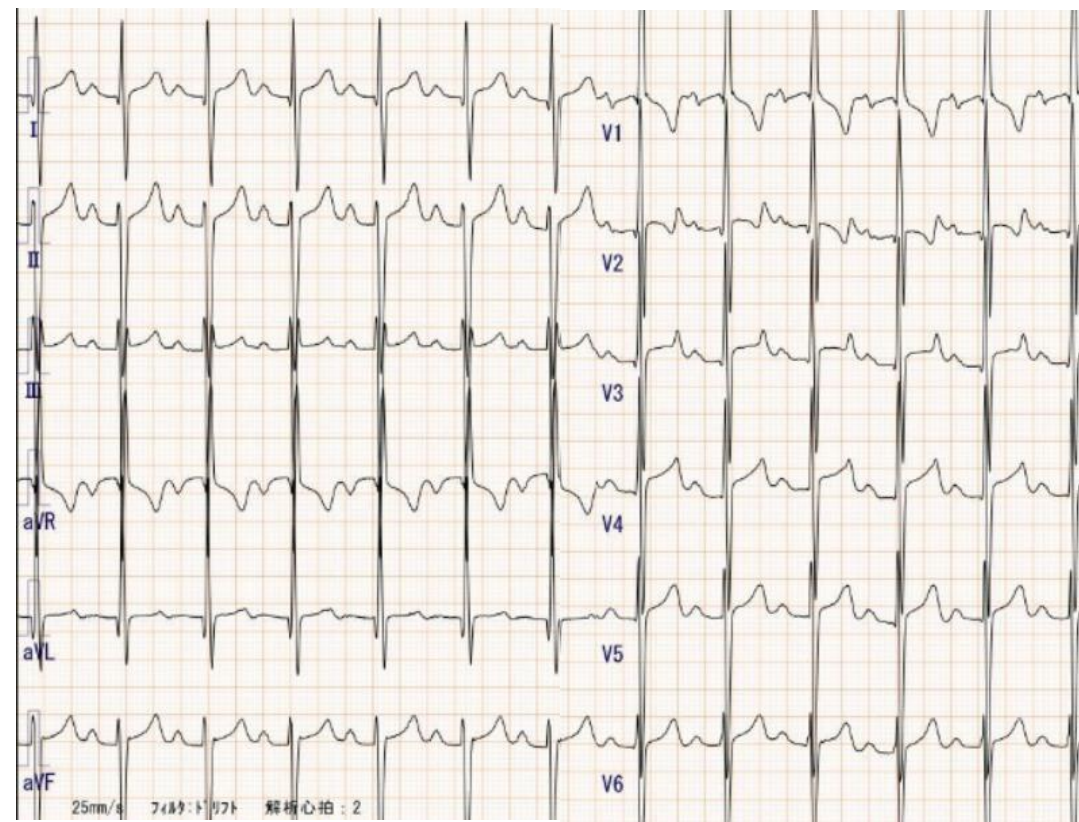
- Male, 17 years old, left dominant unbalanced AVSD, TOF, trisomy 21



X ray、 ECG

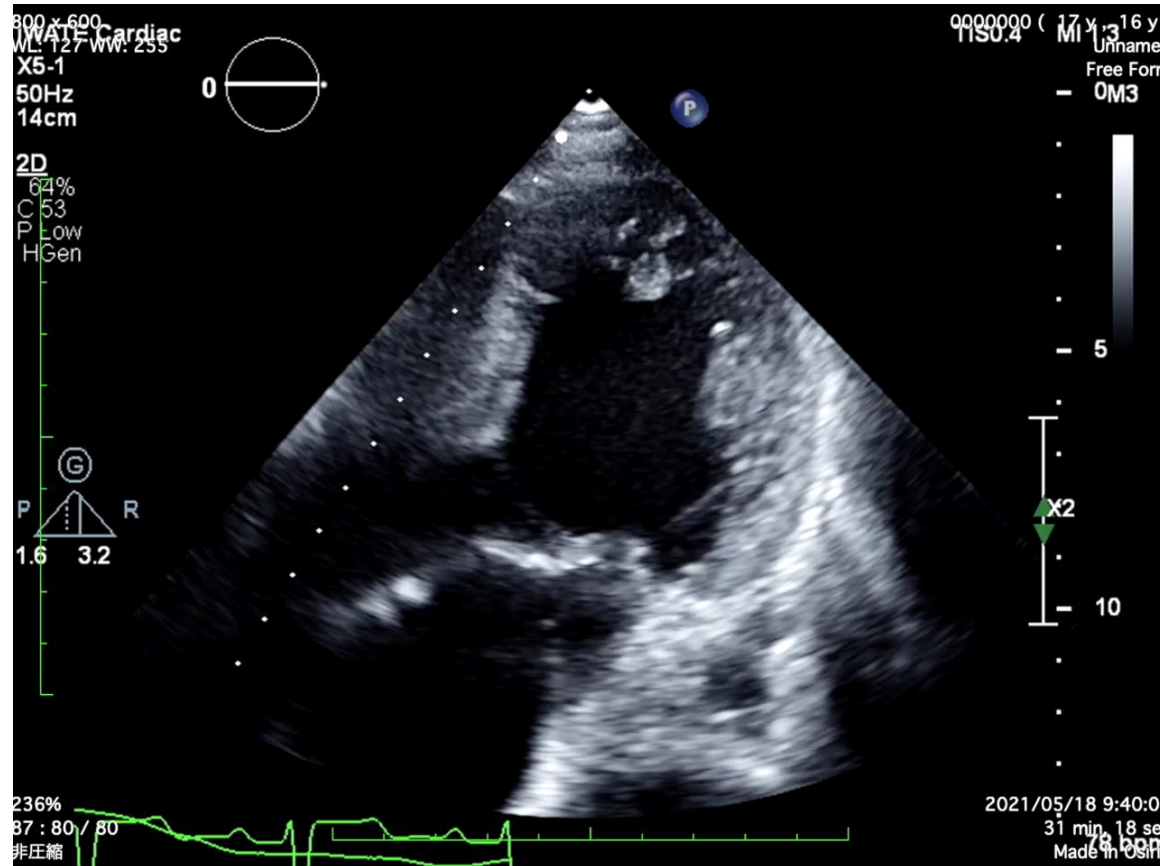


- CTR 59%



- CRBBB, RVH

Preoperative echocardiogram

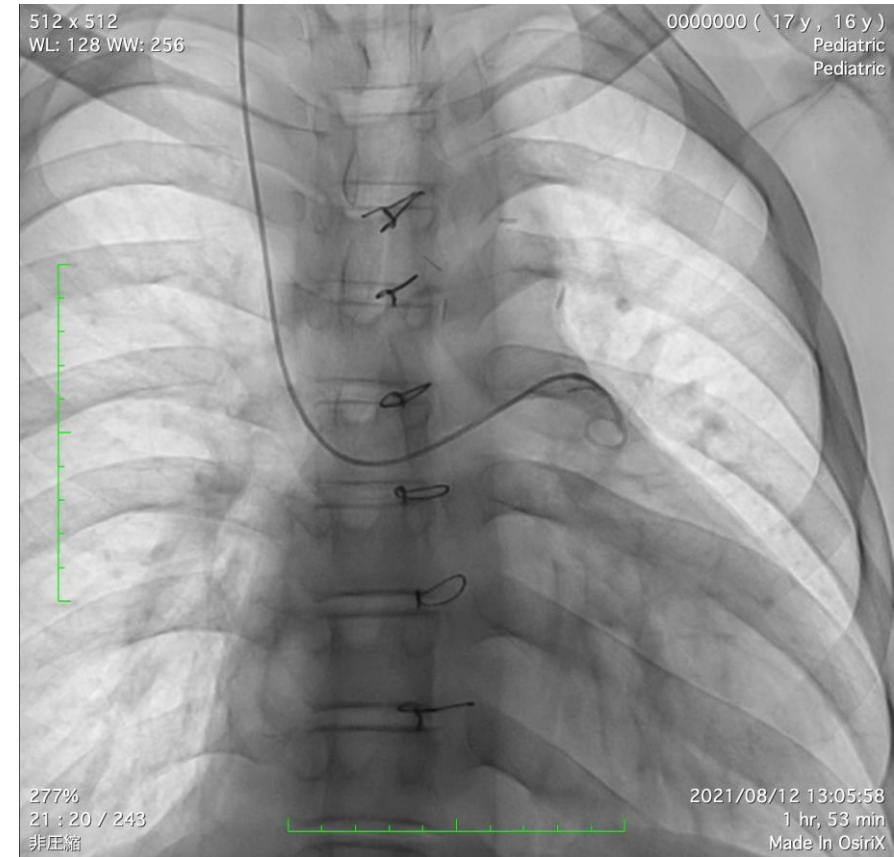
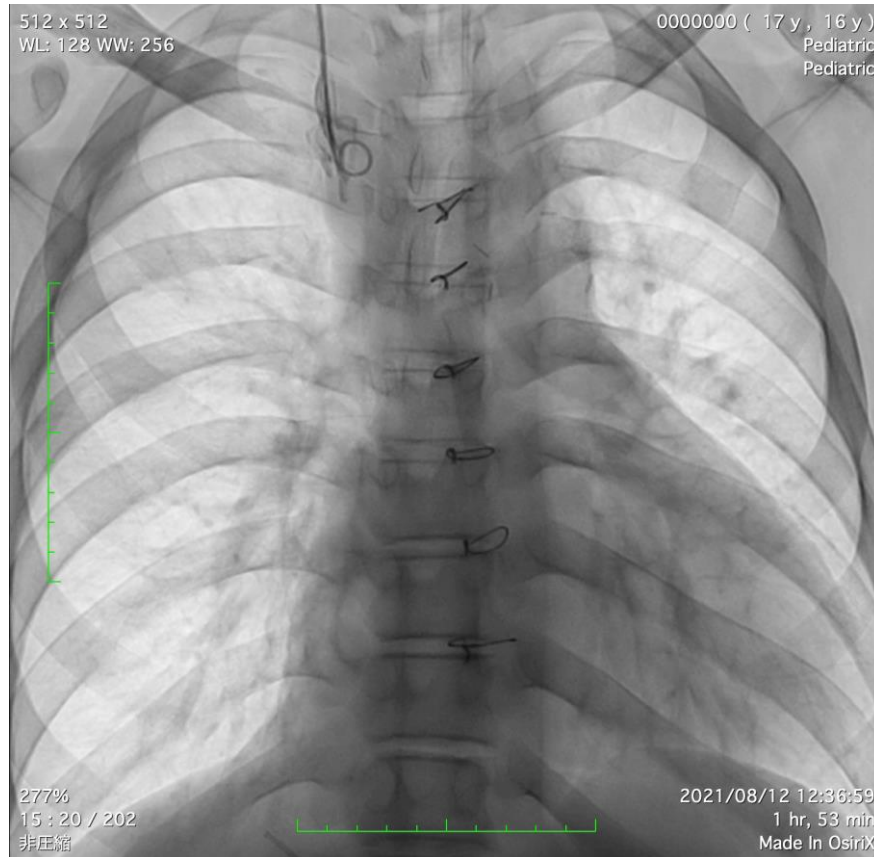


LVEDd 119% of normal
LVEF 50%

TAPSE 23mm
RV FAC 34%

CAVVR moderate
AR mild
RVOT 3.9m/s

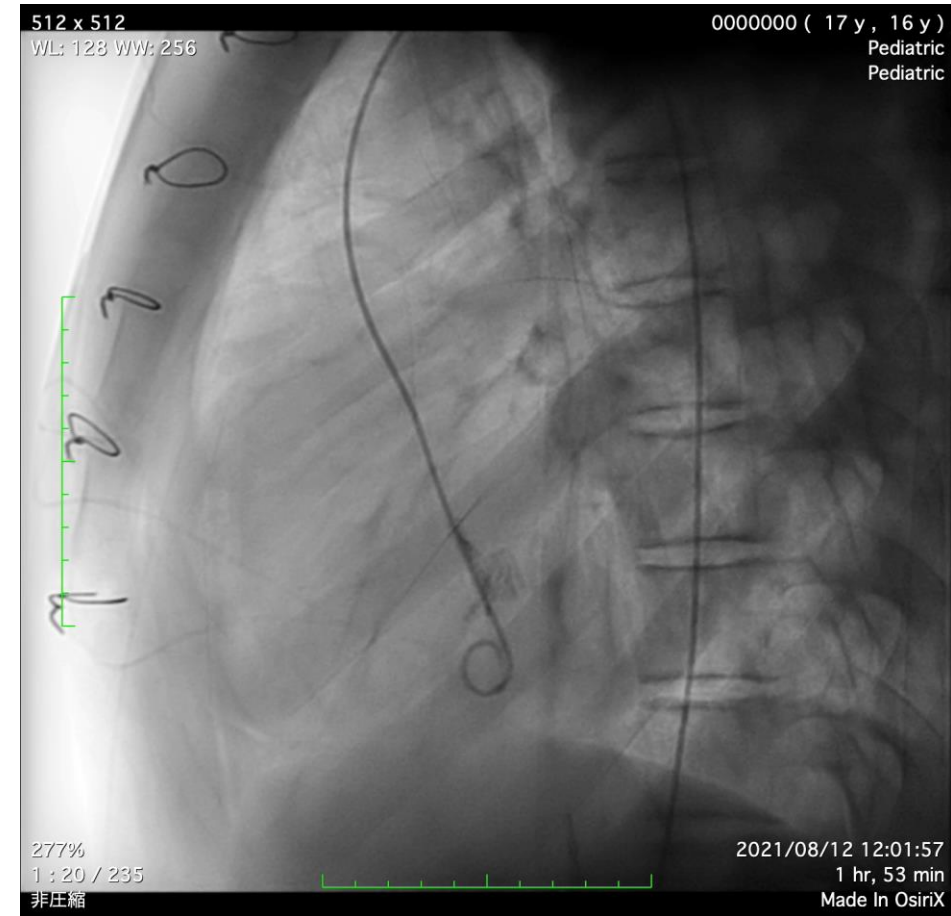
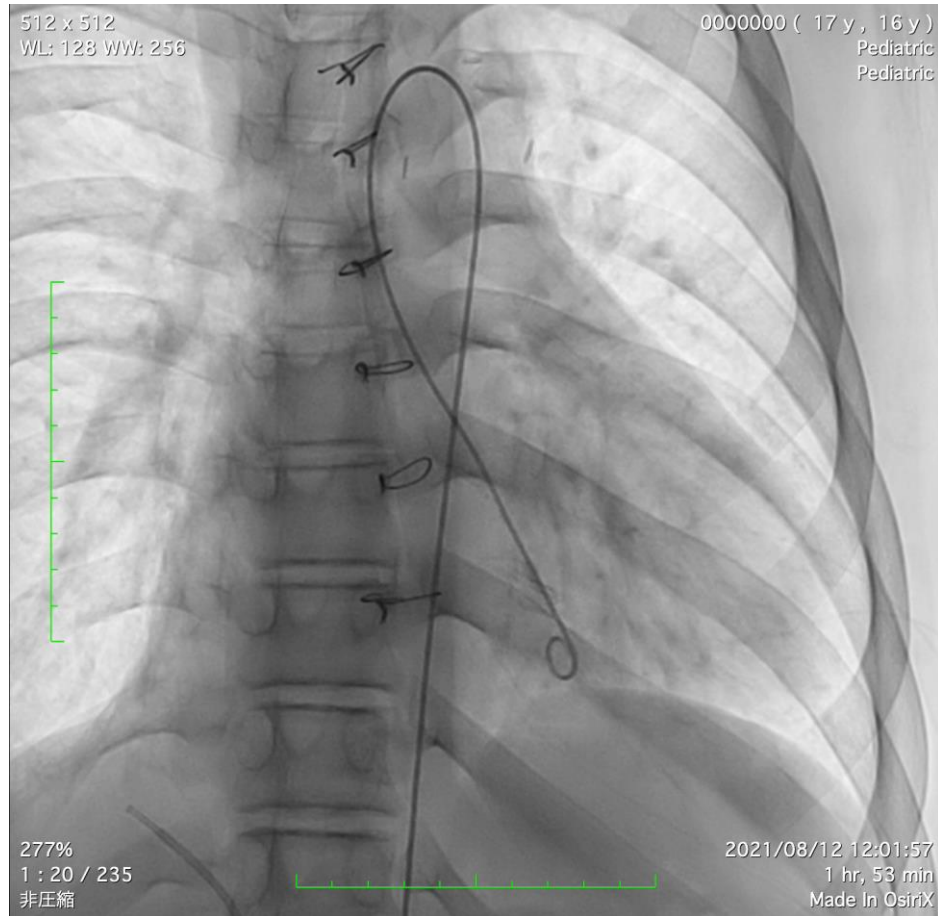
Preoperative angiogram (SVC, PA), 16 years old



SVC pressure 12mmHg、 IVC pressure 7mmHg、
SVC → collateral vein → PA → SVC

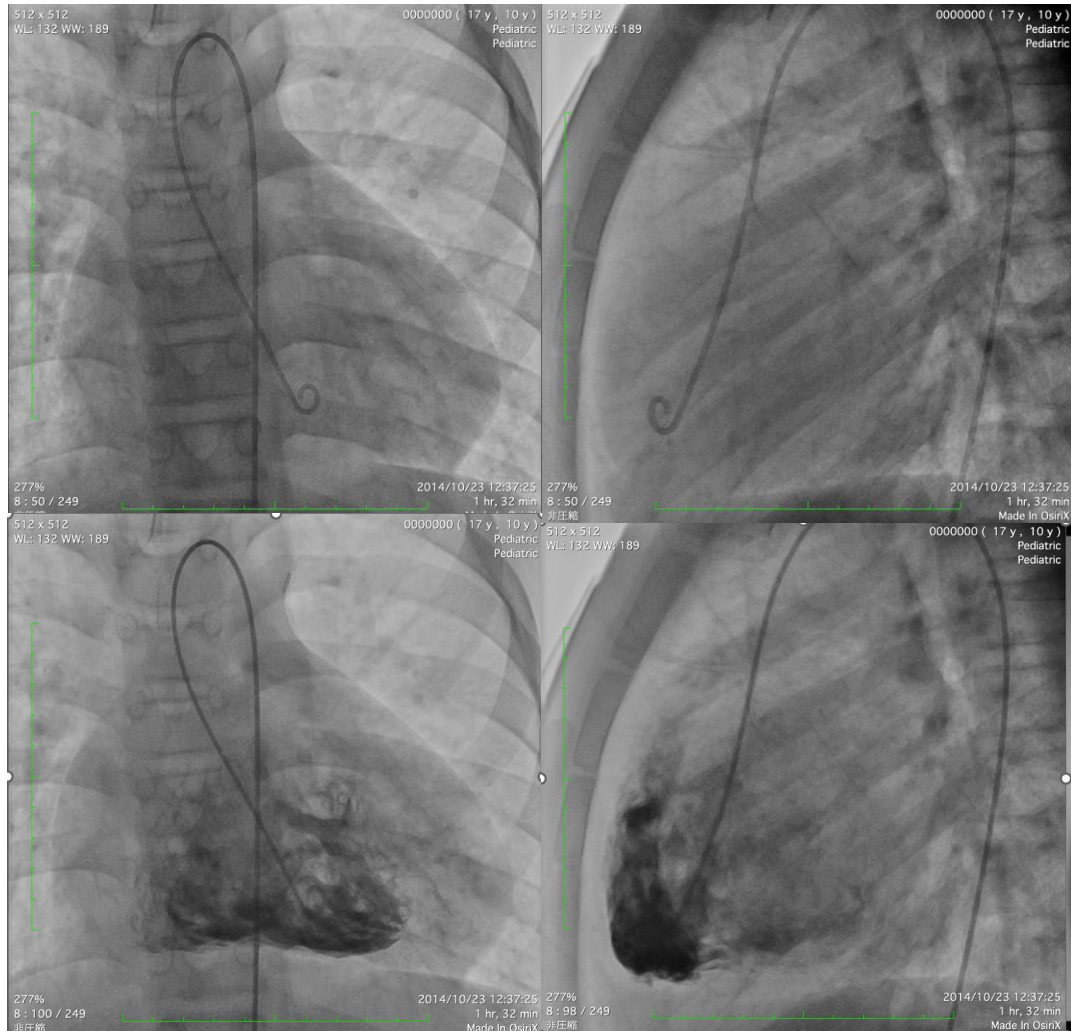
Failed Glenn circulation

Preoperative angiogram(LV), 16 years old

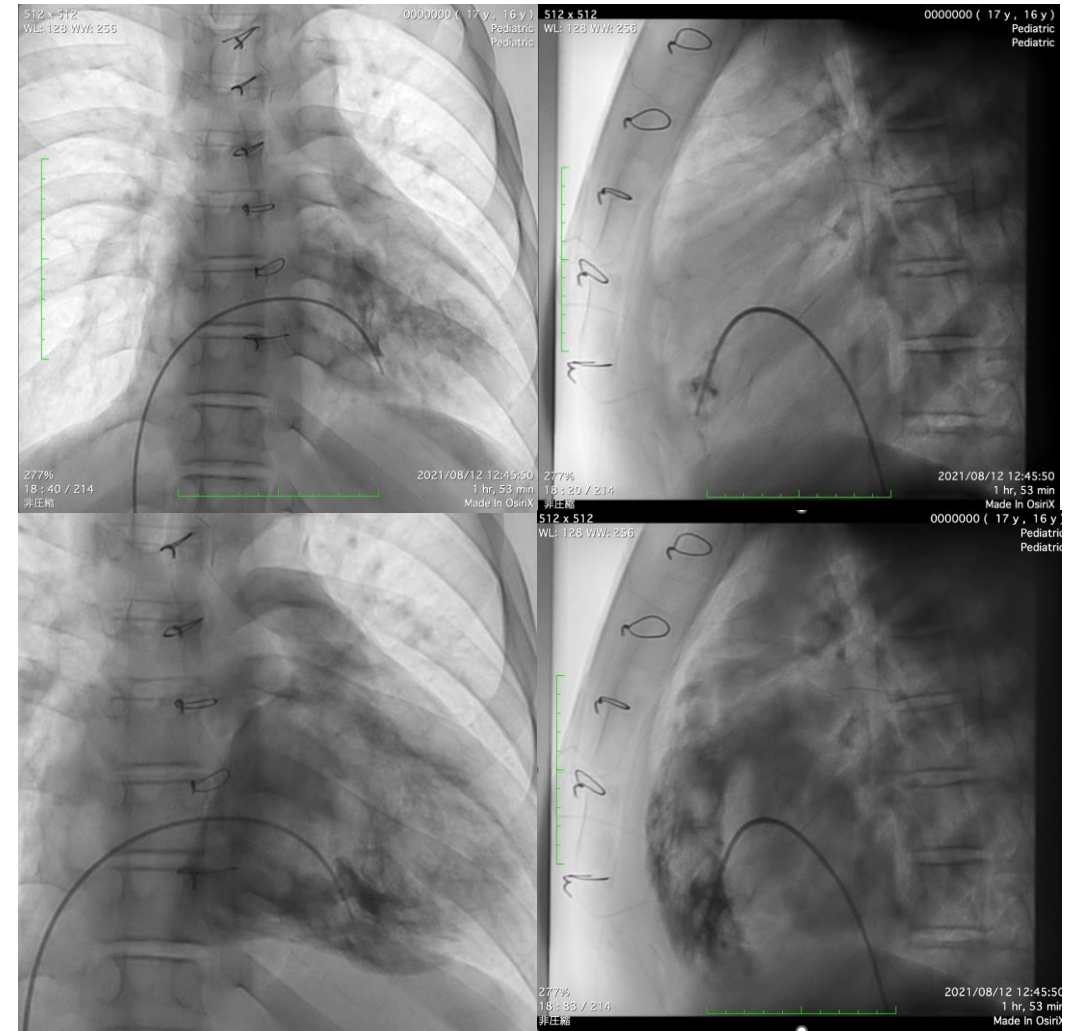


LVEDV220% of normal、 LVEF51%

RV angiogram (10 years old vs. 16 years old)

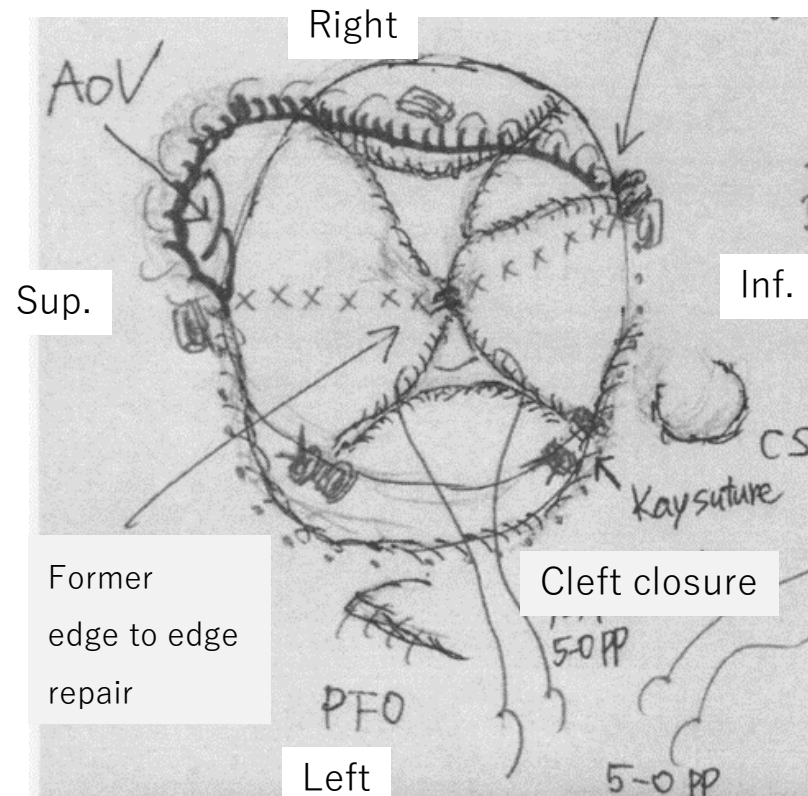


10 years old RVEDV 29% of normal

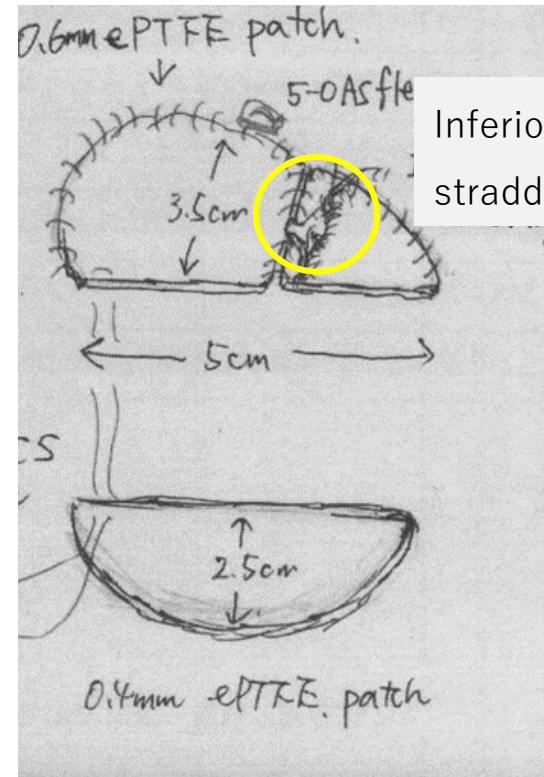


16 years old RVEDV 113% of normal

Intraoperative Findings & Surgical Repair 1



- Left side cleft complete closure
- S-LL, I-LL commissuroplasty
- Rt. AVV size 88 % N (ϕ 25/28.3)



Inferior bridging leaflet chorda straddling

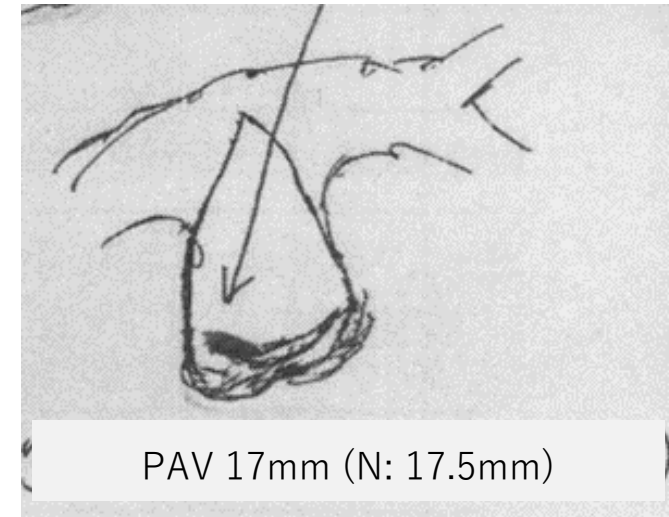
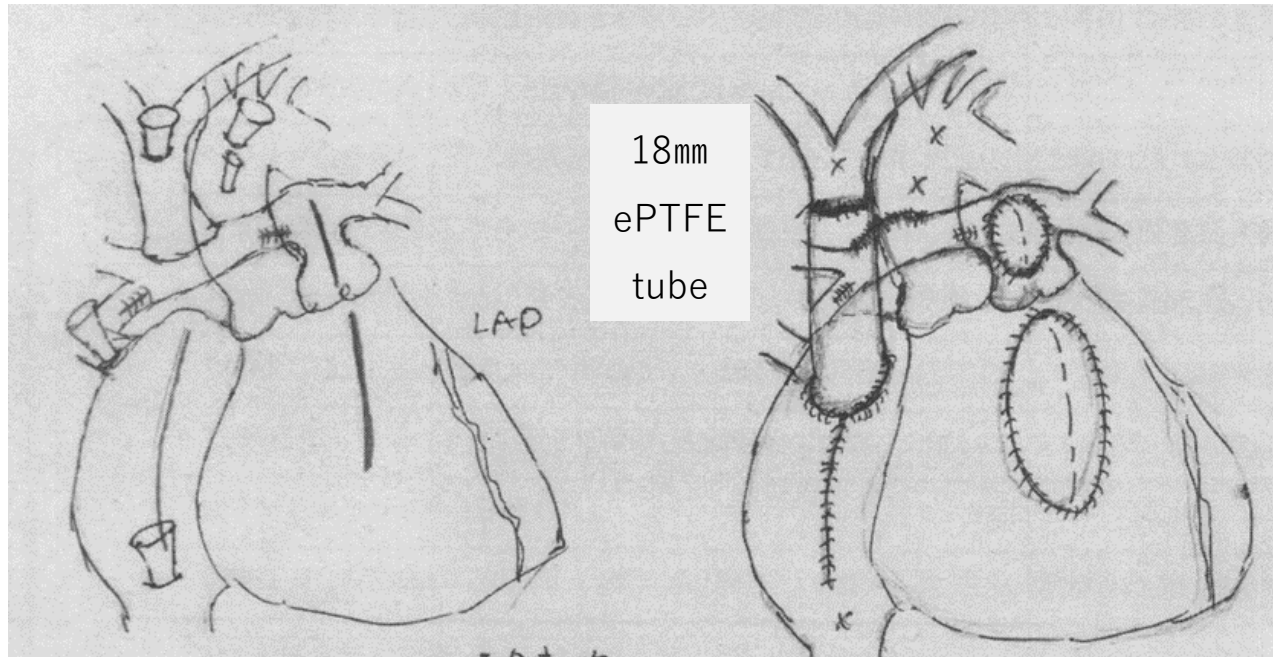
VSD patch separation
Tear-drop shape VSD patch
Patch height 3.5cm

Semilunar shape ASD patch

Patch height 2.5cm

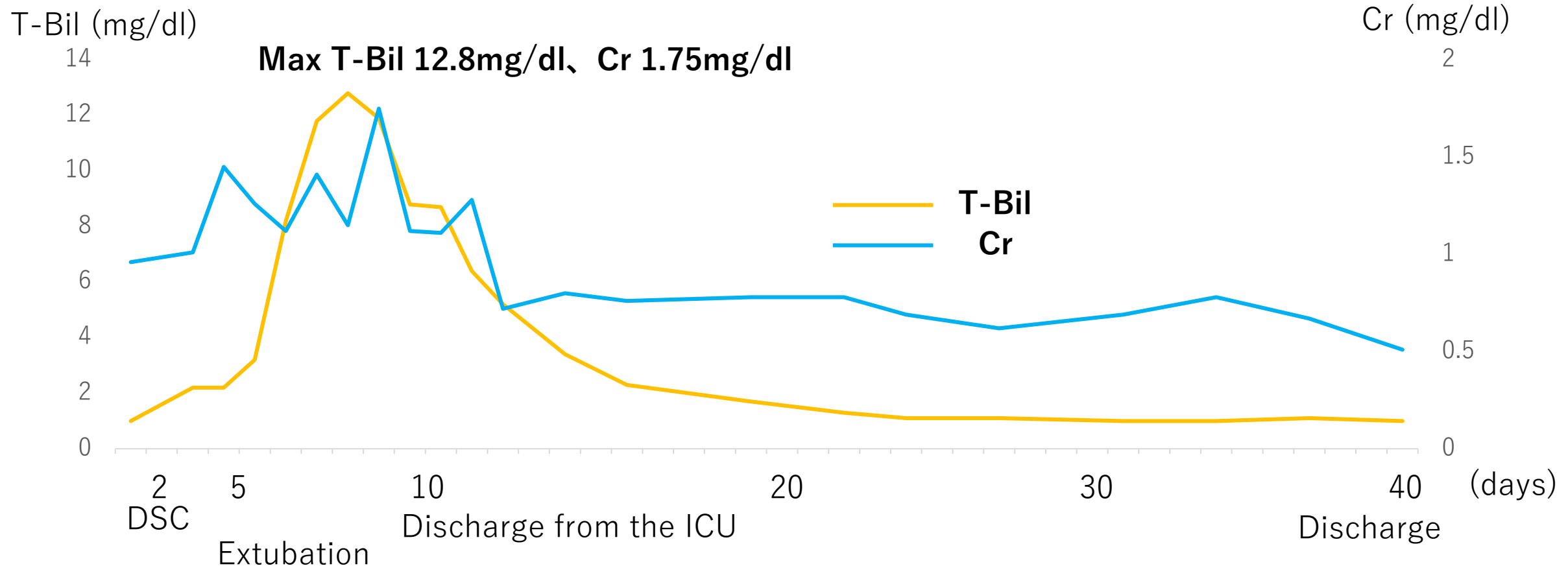
- VSD • ASD patch closure
- VSD patch separation and re-suture to preserve a straddling chorda of inferior bridging leaflet

Intraoperative Findings & Surgical Repair 2



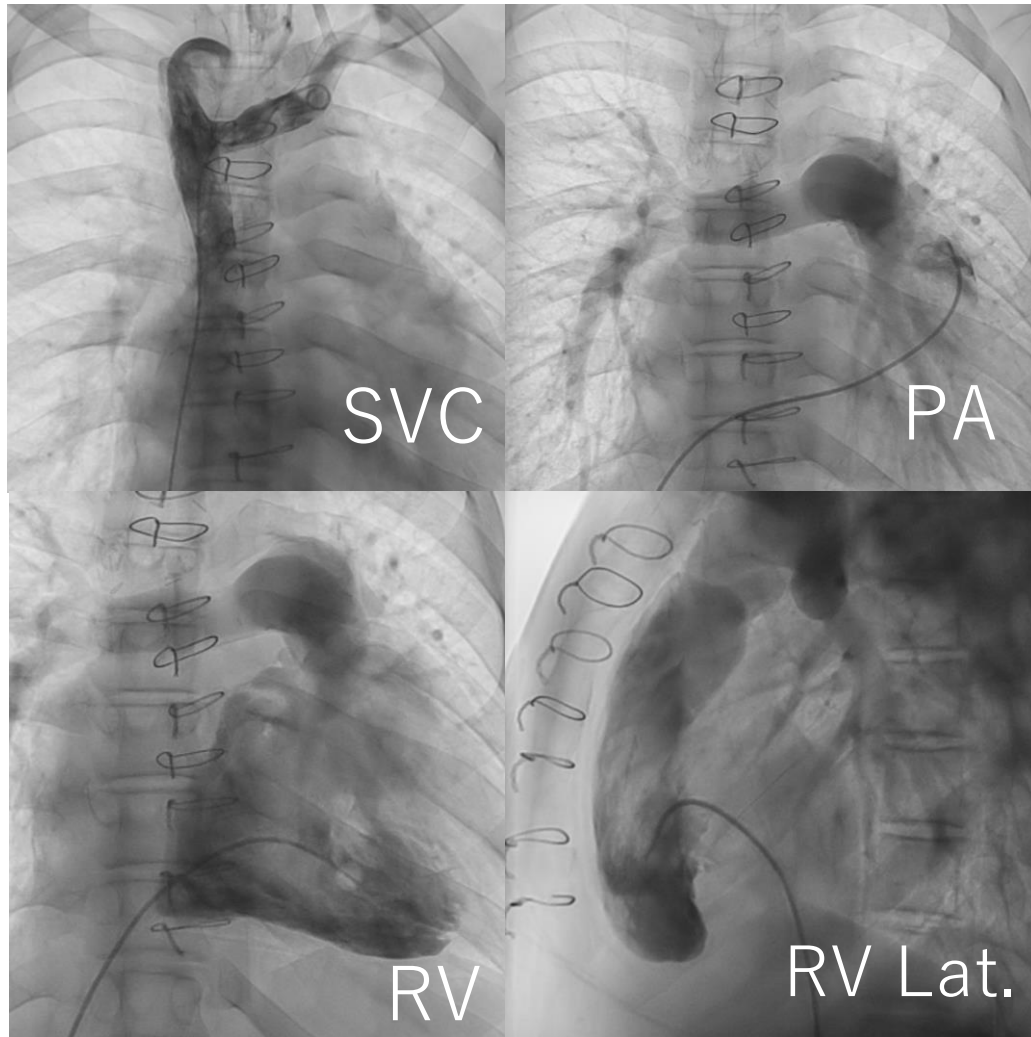
- Bidirectional Glenn anastomosis→SVC reconstruction with 18mm ePTFE tube
- Pulmonary valve commissurotomy, main PA plasty, RVOT muscle resection.
- Cardiac arrest time 186 minutes. CPB time 463 minutes.

Postoperative course



The patient was discharged on postoperative day 40 under administration of pulmonary vasodilators without hepatic or renal impairment. (SpO₂ 98%, O₂ 1L/minute)

Postoperative angiogram (14 months)



SVC=IVC=RA (7)

RV 35/8 RVEDV 97%

PA 21/10(17)

PCW 13

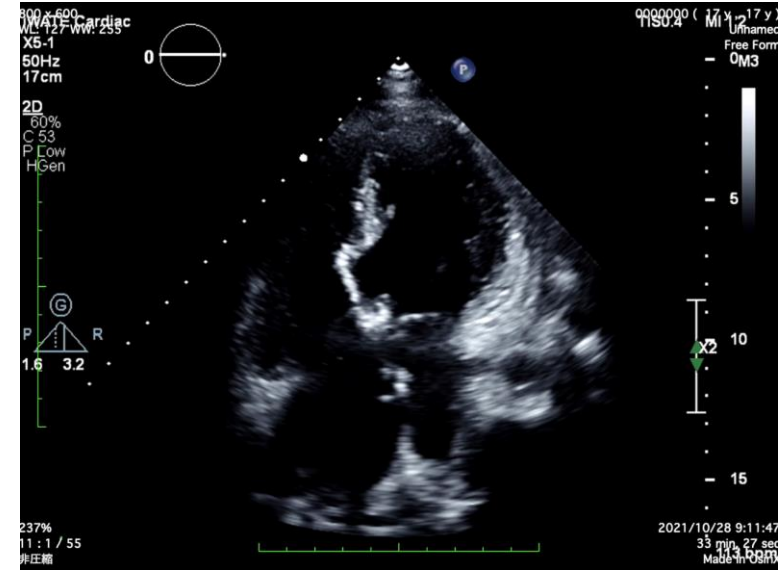
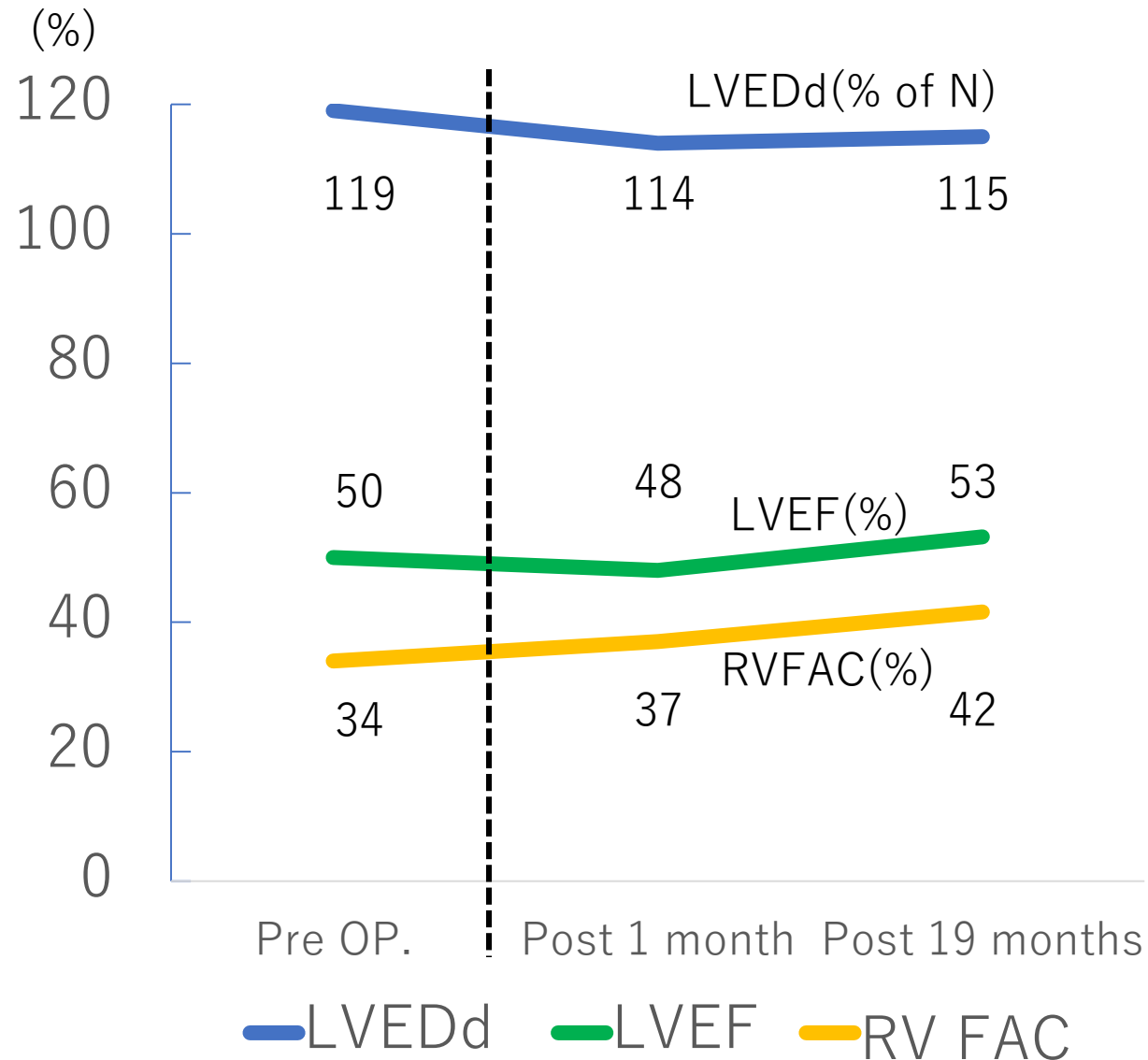
LV 84/12 LVEDV 220%

Ao 82/53 (mmHg)

Rt. AVVR 2°

Lt. AVVR 1°

Post operative echocardiogram(19 months)



LVEDd 115% of Normal
LVEF 53 %

RV FAC 42 %

MR mild, TR mild, LVOTS(-),
RVOTS (±) 2.2m/s

Discussion

The trends of ventricular volume (normal ratio)

	10 years old, 28kg	16years old, 50kg
RVEDV (ml)	19ml (29%)	126ml (113%)
LVEDV (ml)	156ml(226%)	251ml (220%)

Factors of RV enlargement

: RVOT muscle resection (10 years old)

Volume overload due to failed Glenn circulation
& CAVV regurgitation

Conclusion

- This case represents a rare example that long-term ventricular volume overload led to ventricular enlargement, enabling biventricular repair.
- This course suggests an importance of re-evaluation and a possibility of ventricular functional improvement with subsequent biventricular conversion.