



# 大腸息肉，怎麼切比較好？

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Effectiveness and safety of **cold** versus **hot** snare polypectomy: A meta-analysis

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# Abbreviation

CSP	Cold snare polypectomy	冷切除
HSP	Hot snare polypectomy	熱切除
ESGE	European Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy	
RCT	Randomized controlled trial	隨機對照試驗
OR	Odds ratio	勝算比
CI	Confidence interval	信賴區間
SD	Standard deviation	標準差



# 情境

阿明，52歲中年男性，事業有成，會抽菸喝酒。

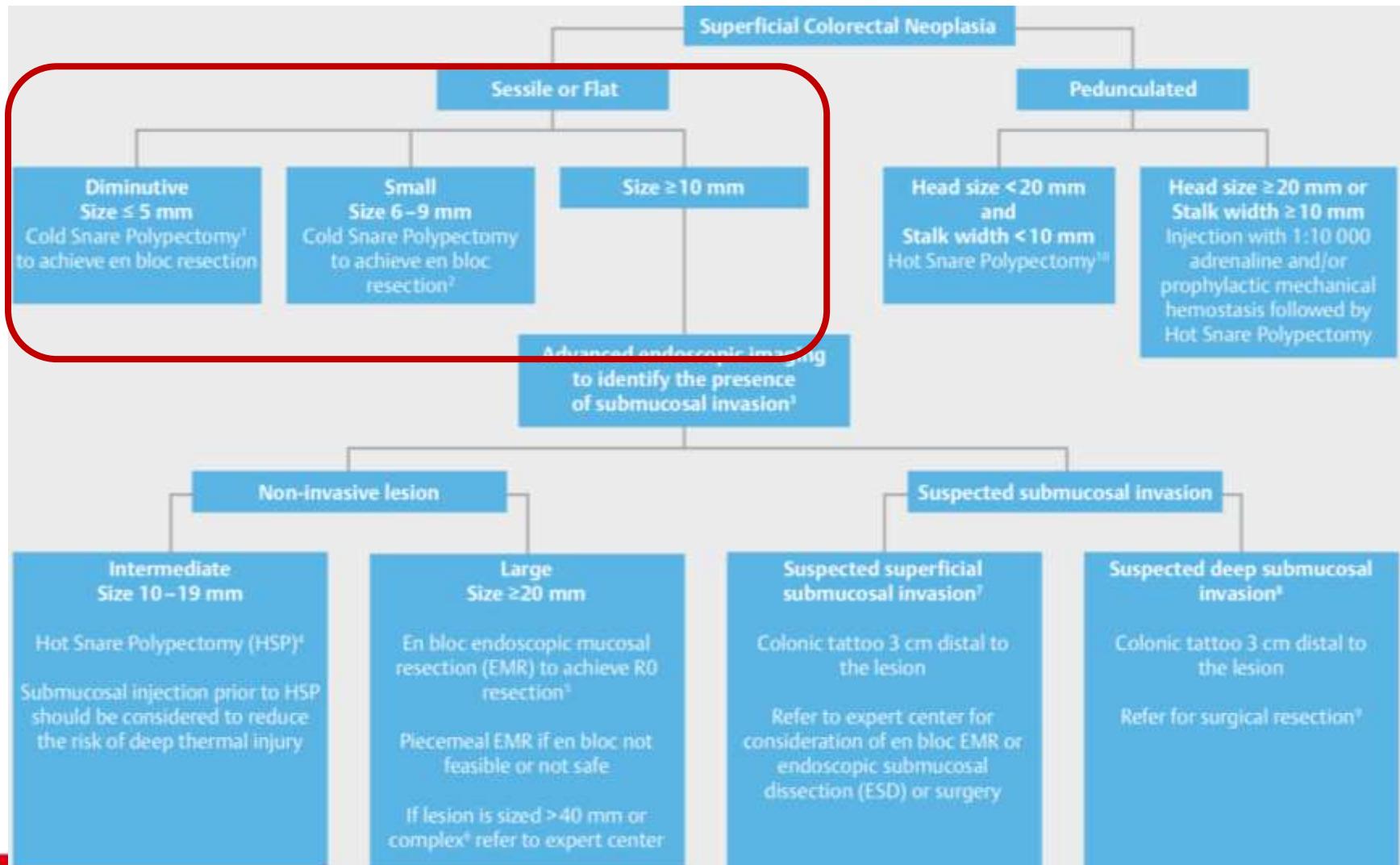
一日在國健局糞便潛血檢測中，發現檢驗結果為陽性。於是接受大腸鏡檢查，發現有數顆小於一公分的大腸息肉。檢查時僅先作了切片確認息肉型態，其結果為常見之管狀腺瘤(tubular adenoma)。

因此醫師建議再做一次大腸鏡，將所發現之息肉完整切除。因為若不處理的話，經年累月後這種息肉有機會轉惡。

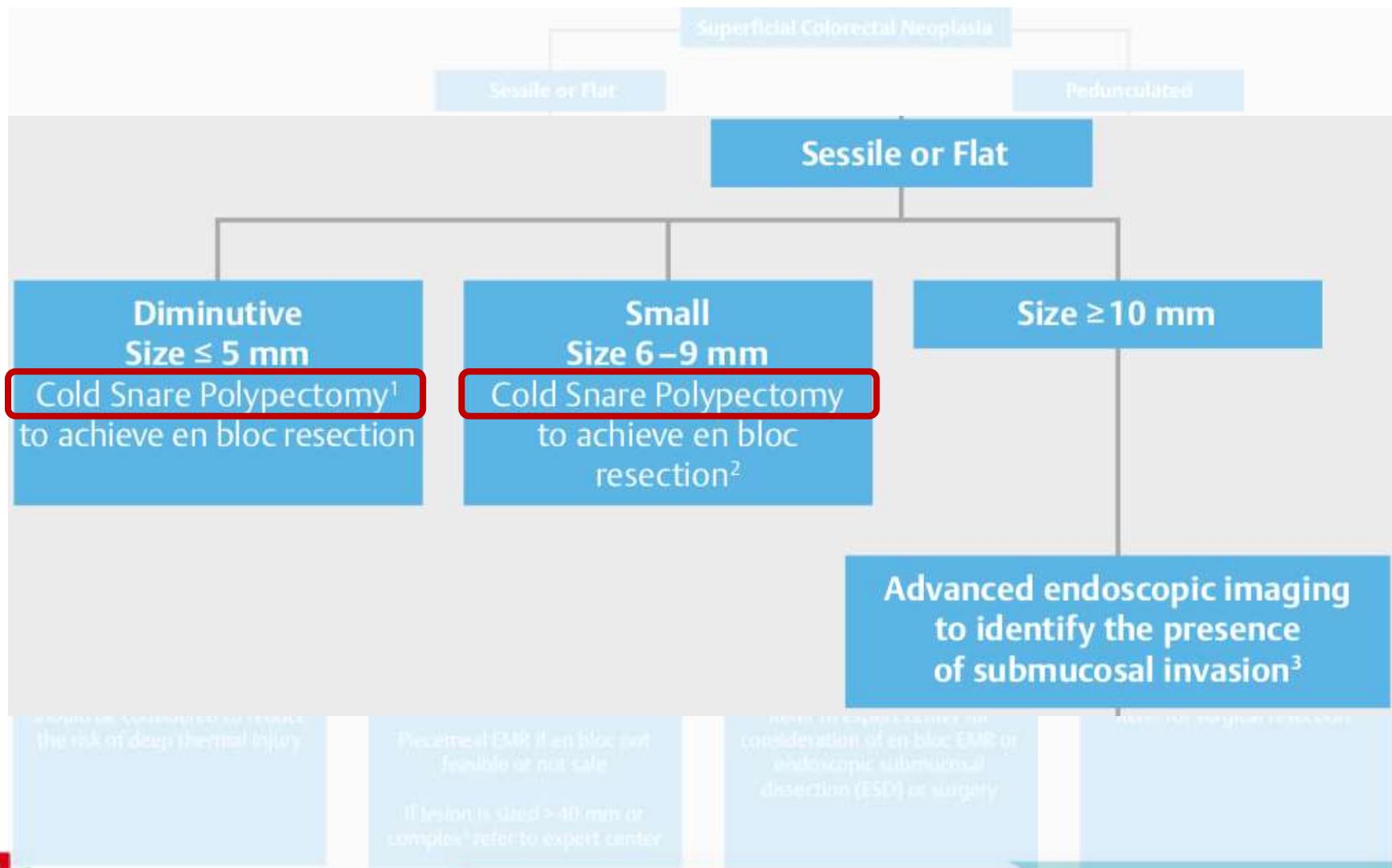
而阿明也因些上網自行做功課，發現息肉切除的方式有所不同，常見為熱切除(hot snare polypectomy)及冷切除(cold snare polypectomy)。阿明準備在檢查時和醫師討論一下。



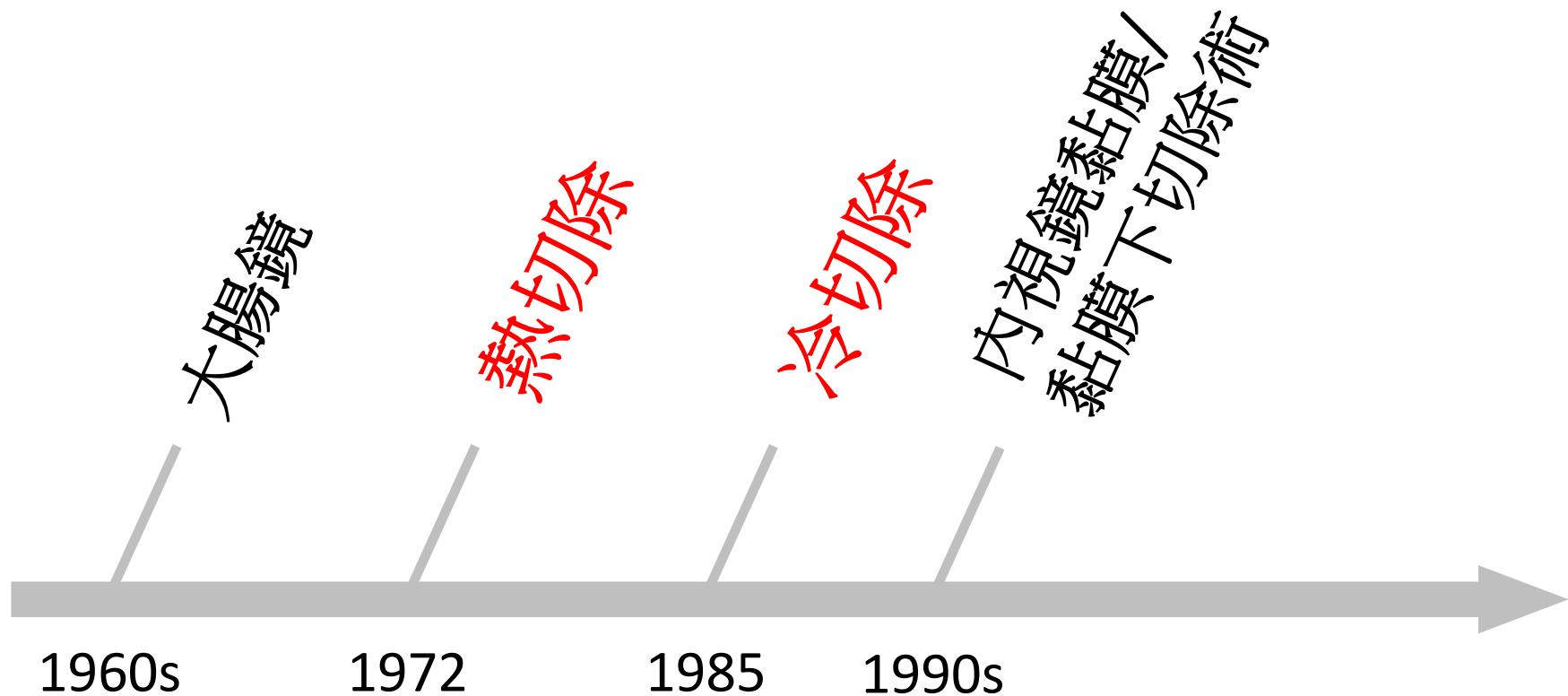
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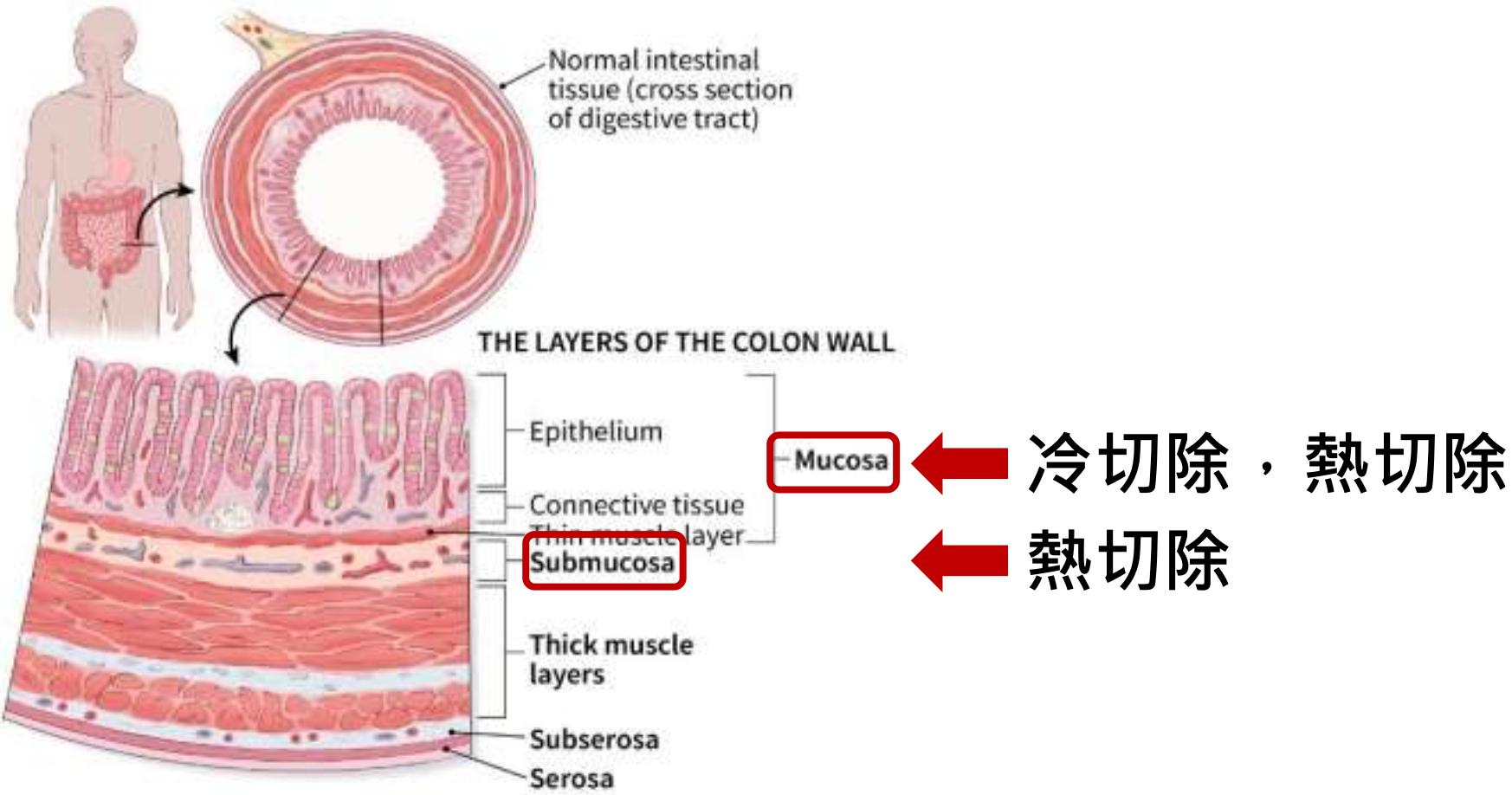
# Colon polyp treatment



# 冷切除 vs. 熱切除：萬芳實例



# 冷切除 vs. 热切除: 切除深度



American Cancer Society, 2018

# 冷切除 vs. 熱切除: 切除深度

TABLE 4. Histologic resection depth achieved by HSP or CSP

	HSP (n = 27)	CSP (n = 25)	P value
Containing MM tissue	26 (96.3%)	23 (92.0%)	.603
(95% CI)	(81.7%-99.3%)	(75.0%-97.8%)	
Containing SM tissue	22 (81.5%)	6 (24.0%)	<.001*
(95% CI)	(63.3%-91.8%)	(11.5%-43.4%)	
Thickness of SM tissue, $\mu\text{m}$			<.001*
Mean $\pm$ SD	933 $\pm$ 922	51 $\pm$ 110	
Median (range)	600 (0-3600)	0 (0-400)	

要必要切這麼深嗎？

Suzuki et al. 2018



# 冷切除 vs. 熱切除: 完全切除

TABLE 5. Studies comparing the histologic complete resection rate between HSP and CSP

Studies	Procedure	No. of patients	No. of polyps	Polyp size (mm)	Complete resection	
					Rate (%)	P value
2011, RCT	HSP	40	104	5.5	96	.97
	CSP	40	101	5.7	96	
2013, RCT???	HSP	48	71	7.6	94.4	.906
	CSP	49	77	7.2	94.9	
2014, RCT	HSP	35	81	6.8	93	.80
	CSP	35	78	6.5	94	
2017, propensity score matching		177	402	5	89.3	<.001*
		231	402	5	75.1	
2017, retrospective cohort		—	137	7.2	70.5	<.001*
		—	324	5.9	47.3	

眾說紛芸？

Suzuki et al. 2018

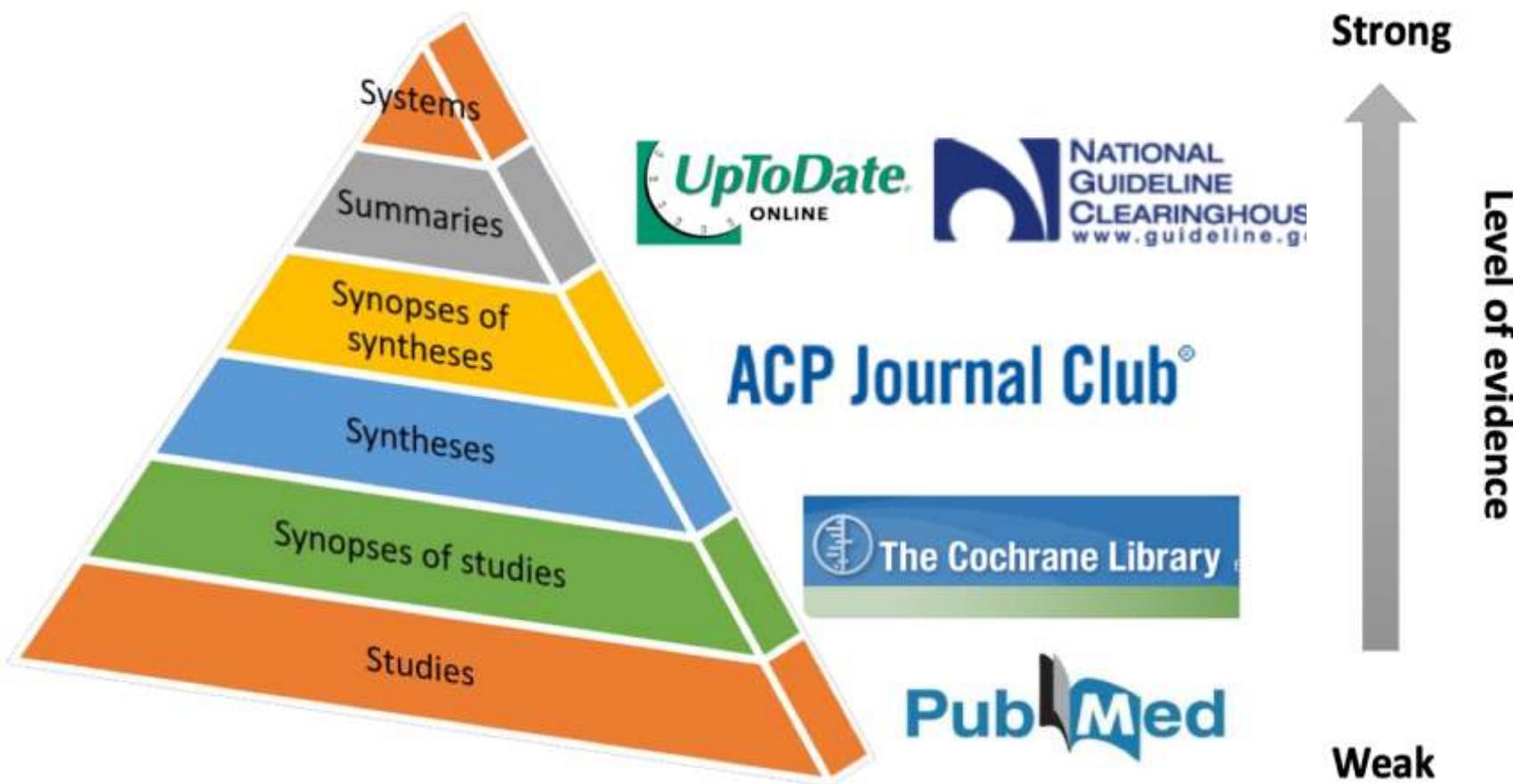


# 那麼，阿明的息肉要怎麼切？

Problem/ Patient	(Mid-aged man with) small size (pre-cancerous) polyp (< 1 cm)
Intervention	Cold snare polypectomy
Comparison	Hot snare polypectomy
Outcome	Complete resection rate, resection time, complications (bleeding, perforation)



# 搜尋多元資料庫



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# Embase搜尋過程

The screenshot shows the Embase search interface with the following details:

- Search Bar:** #1 AND ('meta analysis'/de OR 'randomized controlled trial'/de OR 'systematic review'/de)
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- Drugs:** Drugs dropdown menu.
- Diseases:** Diseases dropdown menu.
- Devices:** Devices dropdown menu.
- Floating Subheadings:** Floating Subheadings dropdown menu.
- Age:** Age dropdown menu.
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  - randomized controlled trial
  - controlled study
  - major clinical study
  - human tissue
  - prospective study
  - systematic review
  - intermethod
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  - Effectiveness and safety of cold versus hot snare polypectomy: A meta-analysis  
Qu J., Jian H., Li L., Zhang Y., Feng B., Li Z., Zuo X.  
*Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)* 2019;34(1):49-58 Cited by: 0  
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  - A comparison of the resection rate for cold and hot snare polypectomy for 4-9 mm colorectal polyps: A multicentre randomised controlled trial (CRESCENT study)  
Kawamura T., Takeuchi Y., Asai S., Yokota I., Akamine E., Kato M., Akamatsu T., Tada K., Komeda Y., Iwatate M., Kawakami K., Nishikawa M., Watanabe D., Yamauchi A., Fukata N., Shimatani M., Ooi M., Fujita K., Sano Y., Kashida H., Hirose S., Iwagami H., Uedo N., Teramukai S., Tanaka K.  
*Gut* 2018;67(11):1950-1957 Cited by: 7  
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  - Local injection of a water jet and magnified endoscopic observation using special light are useful for preventing residual lesions in cold polypectomy  
Yasuda M., Naito Y.  
*United European Gastroenterology Journal* 2018;6(8 Suppl):A482-A483  
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# The meta-analysis



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META ANALYSIS AND SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

## **Effectiveness and safety of cold *versus* hot snare polypectomy: A meta-analysis**

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# 評讀： CASP- VIP



# (V)效/信度:(1)問題是否清楚明確

研究族群	給予措施	考量結果
“the aim of this systematic review and meta-analysis was to compare the effectiveness between CSP and HSP in treatment of colorectal polyps sized ≤ 10 mm and evaluate the safety and efficiency of these two techniques.”		

P	Colon polyp ( $\leq 10$ mm)
I	Cold snare polypectomy
C	Hot snare polypectomy
O	Safety and efficacy



# (V)效/信度:(2)是否搜尋適當文獻

## 提及系統性文獻回顧

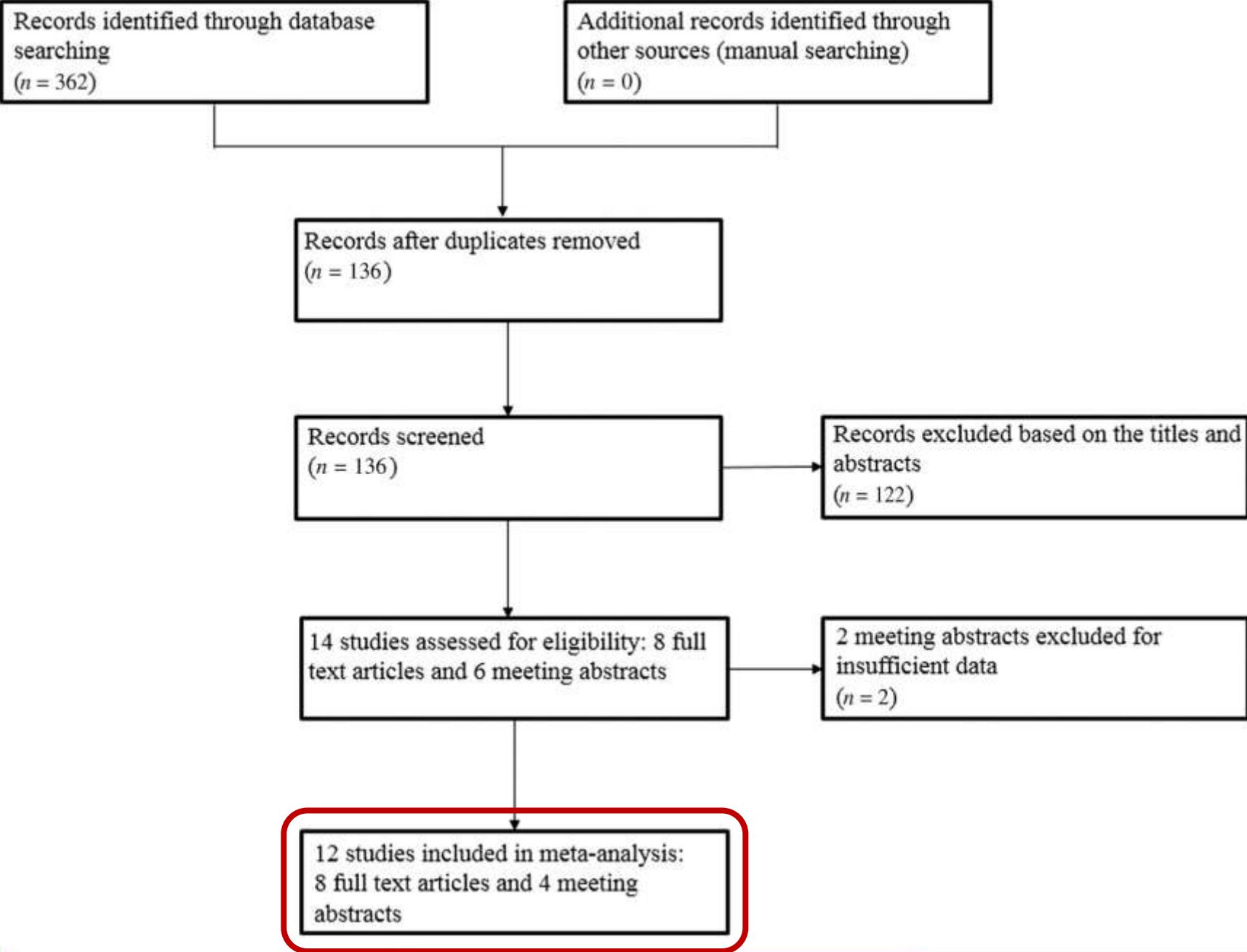
“the aim of this **systematic review and meta-analysis** was to compare the effectiveness between CSP and HSP in treatment of colorectal polyps sized  $\leq 10$  mm and evaluate the safety and efficiency of these two techniques.”

## 以隨機對照試驗的研究文獻評值

“Finally, **12 randomized controlled trials (RCTs)** were included in our meta-analysis, including **eight full texts of articles and four meeting abstracts.**”

→ 僅在搜尋結果中提及，並未在method中作說明





# (V)效/信度:(3)是否納入相關研究

## 搜尋資料庫

“To April 2018, we searched the following electronic databases starting with their dates of inception: Medline, EMBASE, the Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials (CENTRAL), and Web of Science...”

## 由參考資料清單再搜尋

“In addition, citations in eligible studies, reviews, or meta-analyses related to CSP in colorectal polyps were also screened.”

## 與專家聯繫未發表文獻

“In addition, we also contacted five authors for missing information, three of whom replied to us with detailed information.”



# (V)效/信度:(3)是否納入相關研究

## 非英語文獻

“The language was limited to studies published in English.”

## 使用關鍵字

“...using the key words “cold snare” and “polypectomy.” ”

→ 試圖用更少的關鍵字找出更多的文章

## 出版誤差

“We used funnel plot to evaluate publication bias with a P value < 0.10 defined as significant asymmetry.”

“An evaluation of publication bias was also difficult to carry out due to the small number of studies.”



# (V)效/信度:(4)是否評估文獻品質

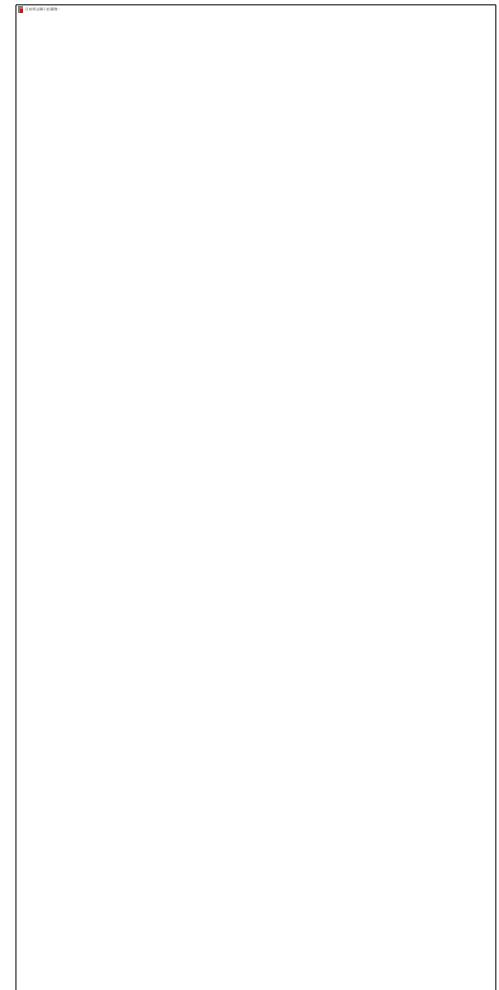
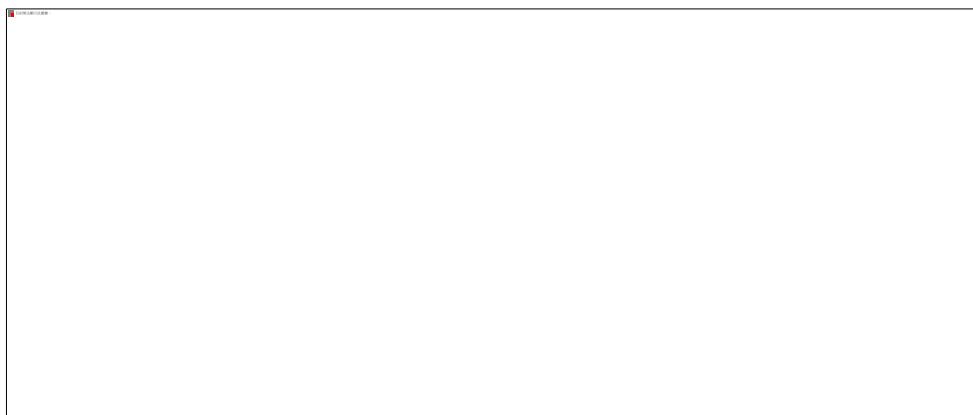
## 如何進行評讀及使用評讀工具

“The Cochrane Handbook for Systematic Reviews of Interventions (Figs S1 and S2) was used to assess the quality of the included studies. This process was performed independently by two investigators (Q. J. Y. and J. H. X.), and disagreement was resolved by discussion. “



# (V)效/信度:(4)是否評估文獻品質

- 表現性誤差的品質不良
- 其中一篇不是RCT
- 所收錄文章之息肉大小不一致，但差距不大



# (V)效/信度:(5)若有合併，是否合理

## 有無合併

“Data were extracted, pooled, and analyzed using the RevMan 5.3 software (Cochrane Collaboration, Oxford, UK). “

“For binary outcome data, the odds risks (OR) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs) were estimated using the Mantel–Haenszel method. For continuous outcome data, standard mean differences and 95% CIs were estimated using the inverse variance weighting. “

“The between-study heterogeneity was tested and quantified using the Cochran Q statistic and the I<sup>2</sup> statistic, respectively. An I<sup>2</sup> value more than 50% was considered significant heterogeneity. Potential sources of heterogeneity were explored by different sensitivity analyses: comparing fixed-effect versus random-effect models (thus incorporating heterogeneity by using the second method), performing subgroups analyses and influence analyses (calculating pooled estimates omitting one study at a time). “

## 是否合理

皆為colon polyp ( $\leq 10$  mm)

皆為CSP vs. HSP

所觀察之結果不完全相同，但相似



Study	Polypectomy method	No. of patients	Patient age mean ± SD	Gender (M/F)	No. of polyps	Tumor size mean ± SD (mm)	Snare device	Submucosal injection available	No. of all adverse events	Macroscopic appearance
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Kawamura et al <sup>7</sup> (2017, Japan) full text	CSP	289	NA	NA	341	5.4 ± 1.4	TCS	no	28	234
	HSP	289	NA	NA	346	5.4 ± 1.4	TCS	yes	18	234
Ohtsu et al <sup>12</sup> (2017, Japan) abstract	CSP	149	NA	NA	351	NA	NA	NA	1	NA
	EMR	150	NA	NA	322	NA	NA	NA	1	NA
Papastergiou et al <sup>10</sup> (2017, Greece)full text	CSP-EMR	77	63.1 ± 10.3	46/31	83	8.2 ± 1.6	TCS	yes	3	38
	HSP-EMR	78	64.1 ± 10.9	45/33	81	8.3 ± 1.4	TCS	yes	1	34
Suzuki et al <sup>3</sup> (2017, Japan)full text	CSP	25	66.9 ± 7.7	19/6	25	5.8 ± 1.7	TCS	no	0	24
	HSP	27	66.5 ± 9.8	20/7	27	5.6 ± 1.8	TCS	no	0	27
Aizawa et al <sup>21</sup> (2017, Japan)abstract	CSP	142	NA	NA	362	NA	TCS	NA	3	NA
	HSP	135	NA	NA	361	NA	TCS	NA	4	NA
Gómez et al <sup>11</sup> (2015, USA)full text	CSP	NA	NA	NA	21	NA	TCS	yes	0	NA
	HSP	NA	NA	NA	18	NA	TCS	yes	0	NA
Aslan et al <sup>20</sup> (2013, Japan)abstract	CSP	49	59.5 ± 14.9	32/17	78	7.21 ± 1.4	NA	NA	1	NA
	HSP	48	58.3 ± 13.5	36/12	71	7.56 ± 1.45	NA	NA	1	NA
Horiuchi et al <sup>5</sup> (2014, Japan)full text	CSP	35	67.0 ± 13	25/10	78	6.5 ± 1.2	TCS	no	4	55
	HSP	35	67.3 ± 12	24/11	81	6.8 ± 1.3	TCS	no	16	62
Ichise et al <sup>19</sup> (2011, Japan)full text	CSP	40	65.1 ± 11	25/15	101	5.7 ± 4	NA	no	1	89
	HSP	40	65.5 ± 12	28/12	104	5.5 ± 6	NA	no	8	95
Paspatis et al <sup>15</sup> (2011, Greece)full text	CSP	208	59.4 ± 13.6	107/101	530	5.3 ± 1.4	TCS	no	19	NA
	HSP	206	61.3 ± 11	125/81	553	5.67 ± 1.3	TCS	some	2	NA
Horiuchi et al <sup>13</sup> (2010, Japan)abstract	CSP	32	NA	NA	94	NA	NA	NA	1	NA
	HSP	32	NA	NA	92	NA	NA	NA	8	NA
Zhang et al <sup>9</sup> (2018, China)full text	CSP	179	64.5 ± 7.7	96/83	212	7.4 ± 1.4	TCS	no	5	NA
	HSP	179	65.8 ± 9.4	101/78	203	7.7 ± 1.5	TCS	yes	3	NA



(I)重要性:(6)結果是否全面

(I)重要性:(7)結果是否精準

## Efficacy

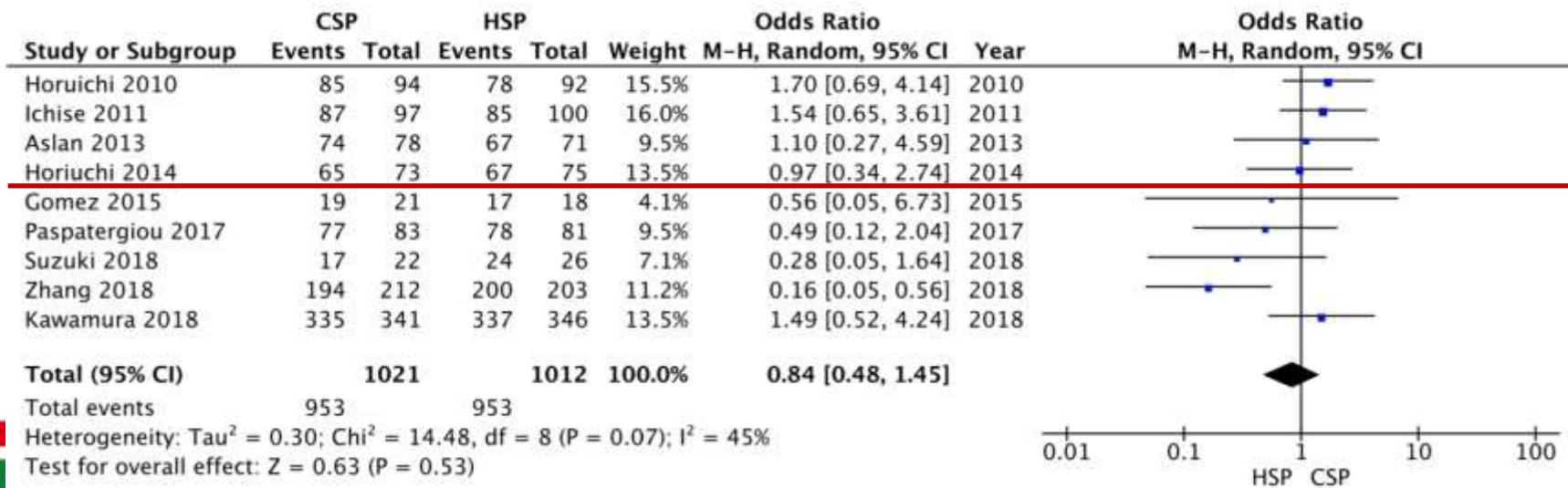
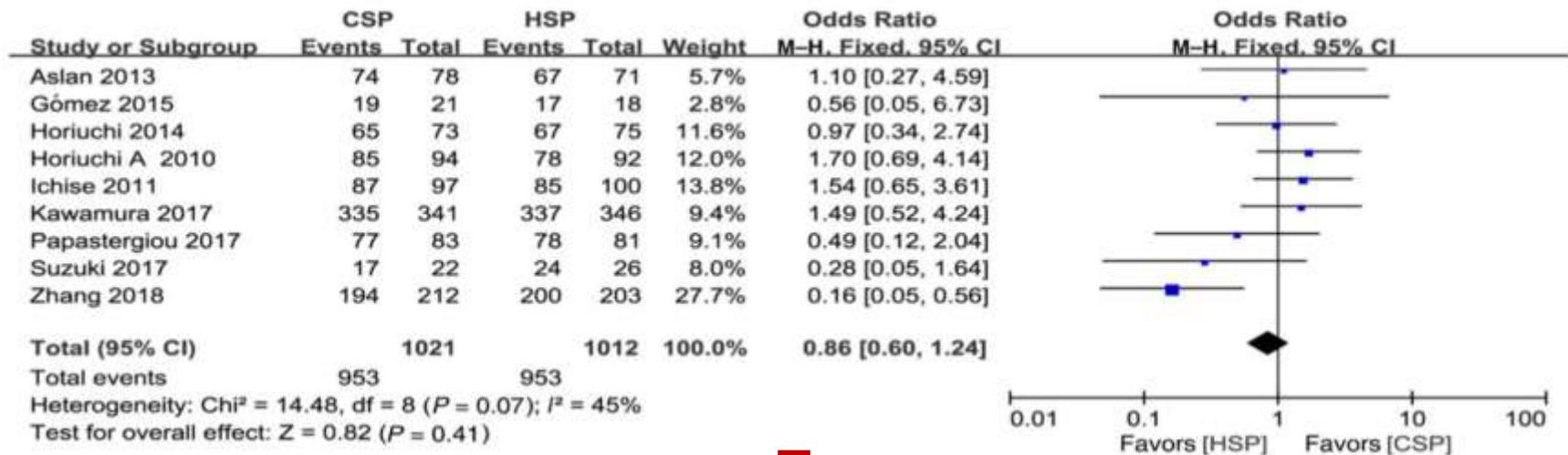
- Complete resection rate
- Procedural time

## Safety

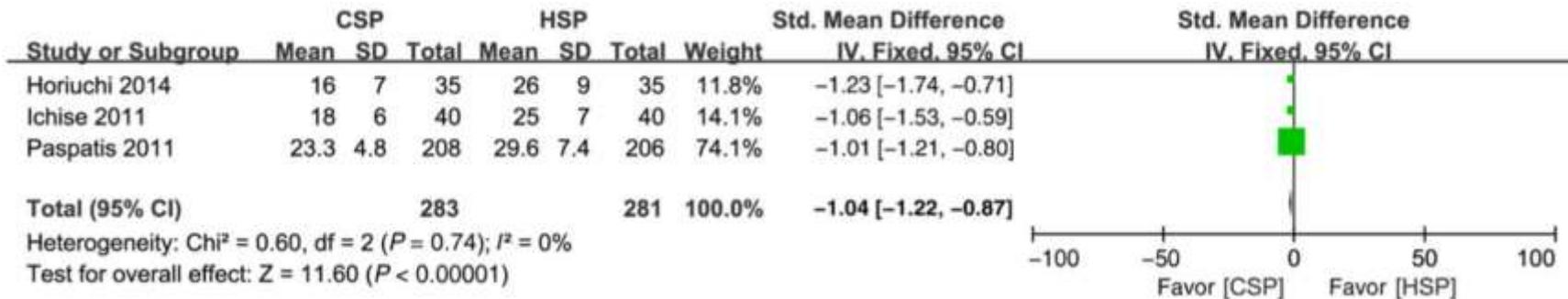
- Adverse events
- Immediate bleeding
- Post-polypectomy bleeding (2 weeks)



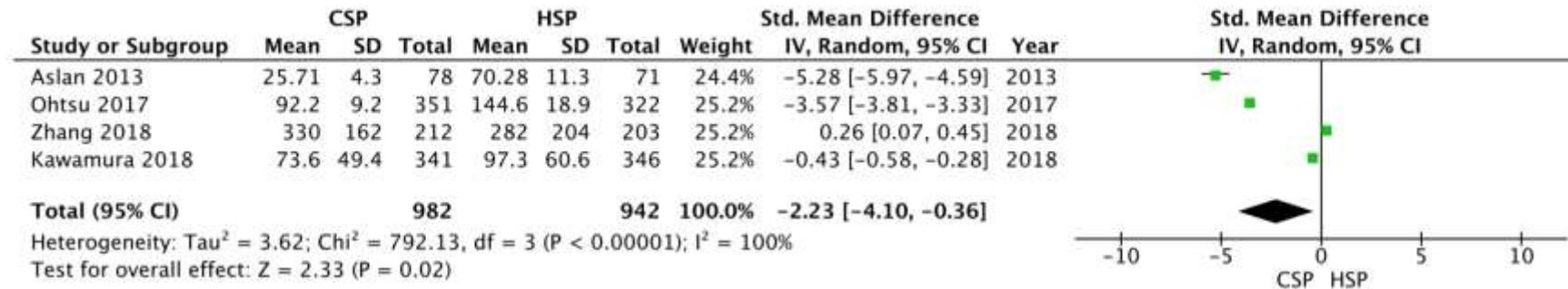
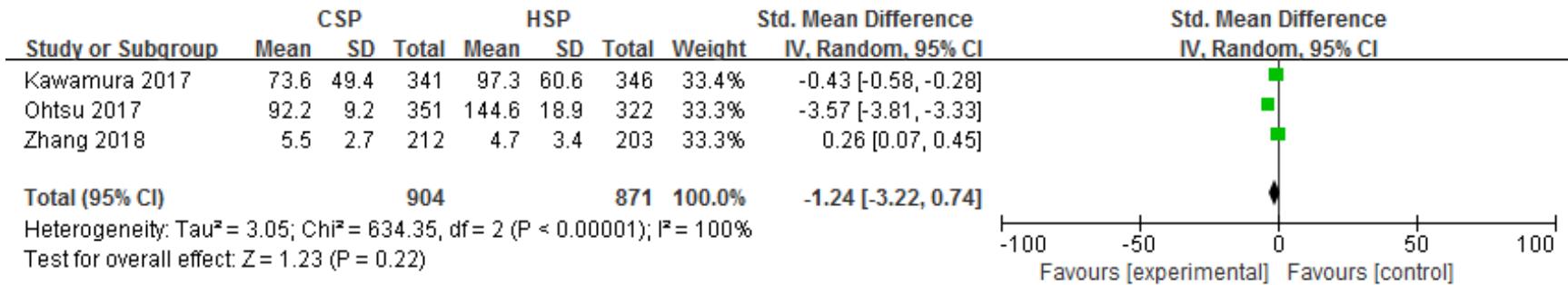
# Complete resection rate



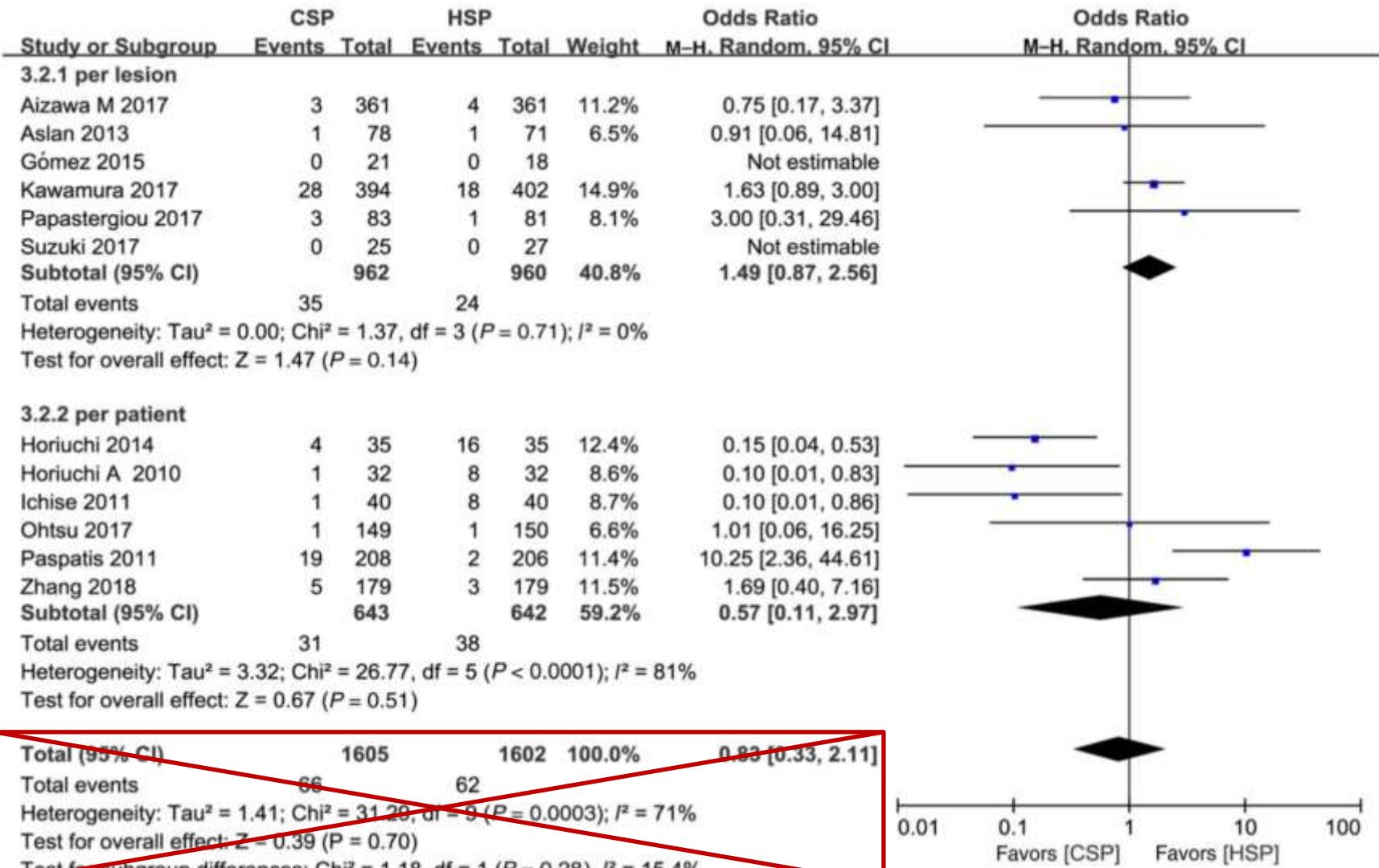
# Total colonoscopy time



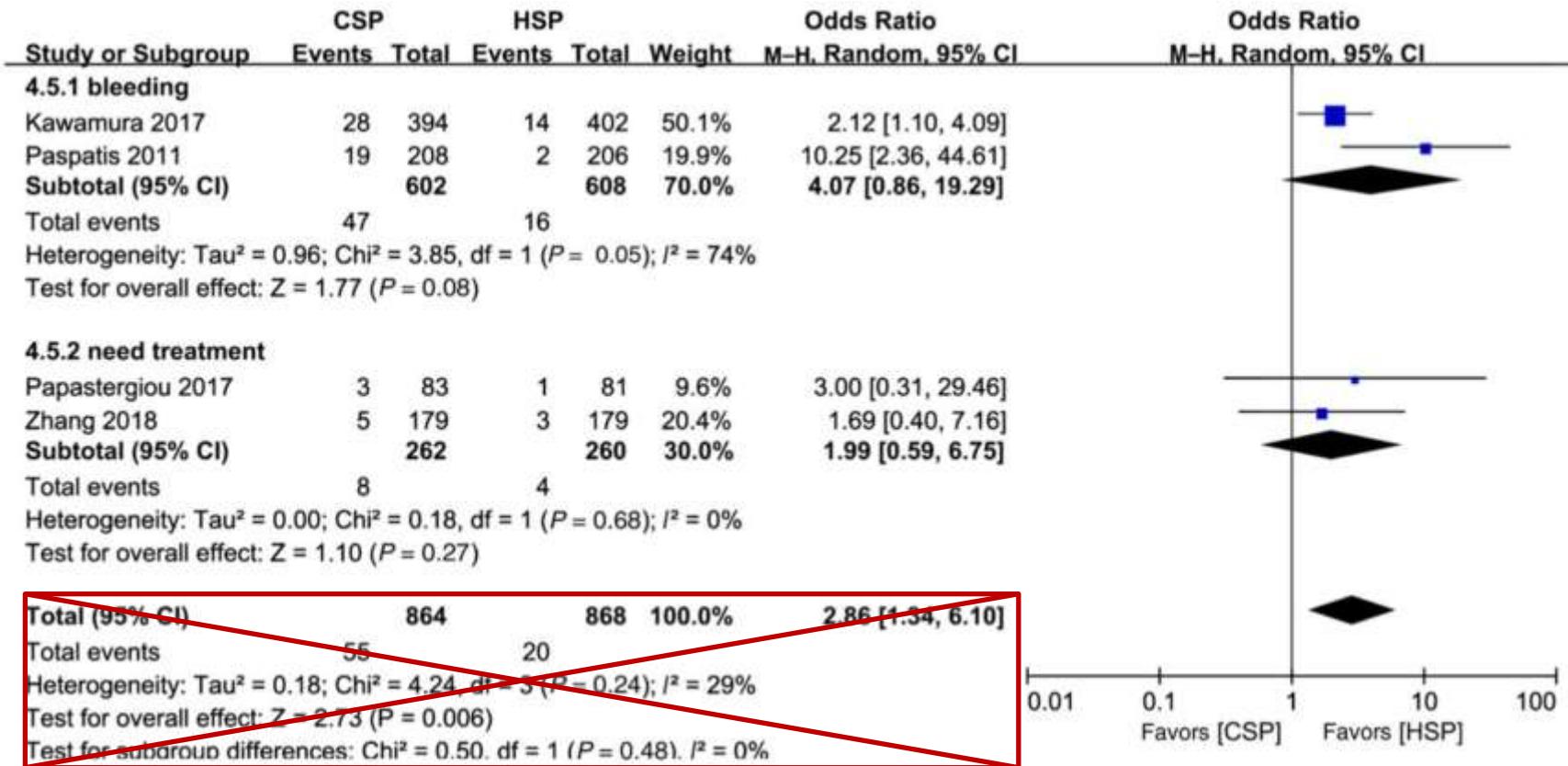
# Total polypectomy time



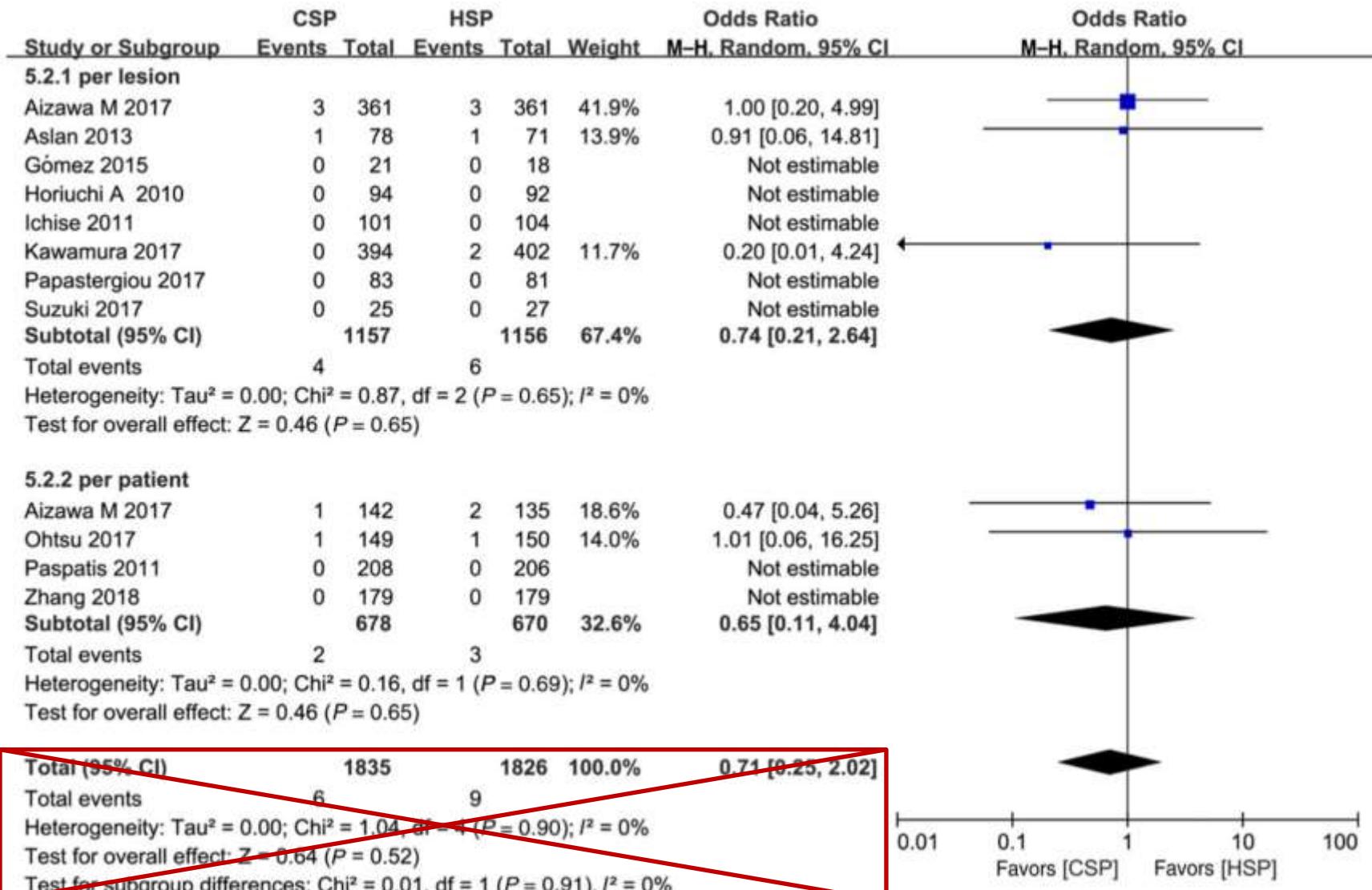
# Adverse events



# Immediate bleeding



# Post-polypectomy bleeding



# (P) 臨床適用性:(8)是否適用當地族群

種族：Japan (x8), China (x1), Greece (x2), USA (x1)

年紀：50-68 year-old

息肉大小： $\leq 10$  mm

→ 結果適用在阿明身上



# (P) 臨床適用性:(9) 結果是否均被考量

## Comparison between CSP and HSP

Efficacy: complete resection rate, procedural time

Safety: Adverse events, immediate bleeding, post-polypectomy bleeding

### 未被考慮到的結果？

未區分出delayed bleeding



# (P) 臨床適用性:(10)是否值得運用執行

## 冷切除 vs. 熱切除：

冷切除：

1. 較快的處理時間
2. 相對較少的延遲性出血
3. 相對較多的立即性出血，及相對較多需立即止血



# 評讀總結



Validity  
效/信度

- (1) 問題是否清楚明確
- (2) 是否搜尋適當文獻
- (3) 是否納入相關研究
- (4) 是否評估文獻品質
- (5) 若有合併，是否合理

Importance  
重要性

- (6) 結果是否全面
- (7) 結果是否精準

Practice  
臨床適用性

- (8) 是否適用當地族群
- (9) 結果是否均被考量
- (10) 是否值得運用執行



# DISCUSSION

## 大腸瘻肉，怎麼切比較好？

- 綠色 小於一公分的瘻肉，建議病人用冷切除
- 黃色 待評估
- 紅色 不同意



- 綠色(同意)：44人
- 黃色(待評估)：15人
- 紅色(不同意)：2人



# 謝謝聆聽！

