

## PROTHOR Newsletter 10/2019

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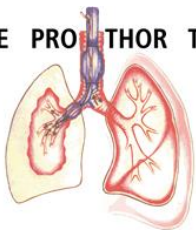
Dear National Coordinators and Local Investigators of PROTHOR,

Today (October 31) we have passed the number of patients needed to perform the second interim analysis (952 patients, 40% of the total data ).

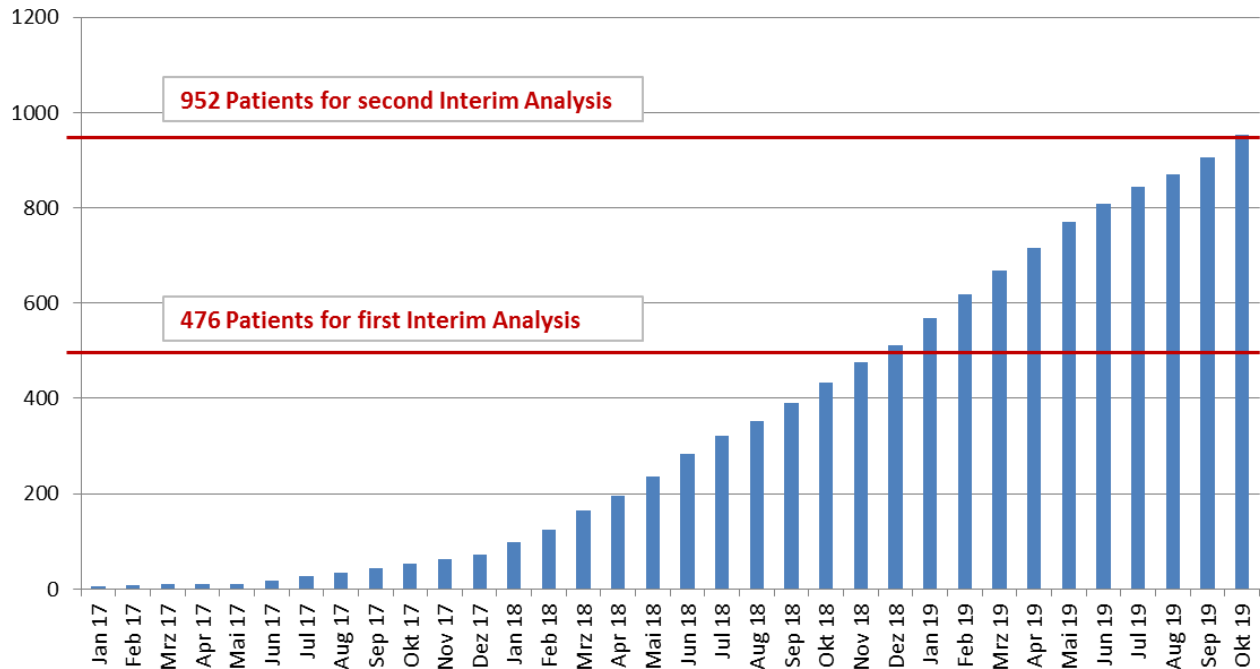
In the next weeks all of you will receive database review reports from Katharina Birr and Niklas Melchior (our two review specialists) asking you to complete your datasets.

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Overview of randomized patients over time

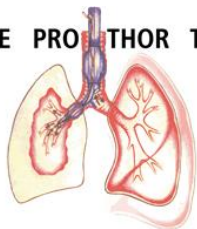


If you encounter a severe adverse event, please report to Ary Serpa Neto, he is the SAE manager of the study.

The website of the study can be reached from this address: [www.prothor.info](http://www.prothor.info)

On the official PROTHOR website, frequently asked questions are answered, please have a look: <http://prothor.info/doku.php?id=200:FAQ>

All newsletters can be found here: <http://prothor.info/doku.php?id=200:Newsletter>



## The PROTHOR Randomized Controlled Trial

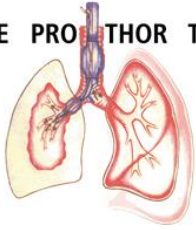
The PROTHOR study protocol has been published in April 2019. It is available online (open access) <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13063-019-3208-8>

All centers that have been registered to the PROTHOR database at the time the manuscript has been sent to the journal have been listed in the appendix. All centers that joined the project later, will be mentioned in our next publication. A list showing all centers contributing to the study can be found here: <http://prothor.info/doku.php?id=200:CfCenters>

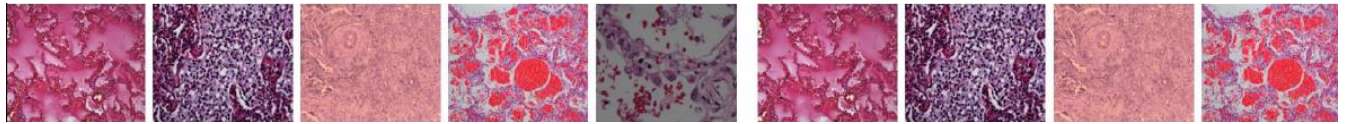
## Overview of each centers performance

Center	Patients included
030__fudan_univers	80
004__coswig	61
009__freiburg	56
023__radboud_unive	54
024__attikon_unive	52
015__sotiria_chest	45
036__ankara_univer	39
001__istanbul	36
018__hospital_univ	35
017__military_medi	32
019__ospedale_poli	30
031__arcispedale_s	30
002__dresden	29
014__zagreb_univer	29
025__university_me	29
026__oorr_foggia_u	29
033__taichung_vete	27
013__hospital_lvar	26
006__nyc_cornell_m	22
007__lmu_muenchen	20
035__rijnstate_hos	20

016__institutul_d	19
029__university_ho	19
059__university_ho	17
021__hospital_clni	16
037__ankara_atatur	13
011__academic_medi	11
053__istanbul_kart	11
032__clinical_cent	10
010__insular_hospi	7
055__university_ho	7
012__aachen_german	6
045__vu_medical_ce	6
063__medical_unive	6
003__magdeburg	5
054__celal_bayar_u	4
058__university_ho	4
065__universityhos	4
008__hospital_gene	2
044__american_hosp	2
061__university_of	2
020__general_unive	1
034__aou_gmartino	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>954</b>



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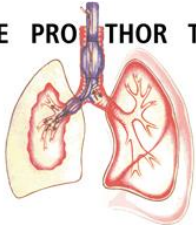
Additionally, we would like to draw your attention to an exciting conference - the INSPIRES-Symposium - in Dresden, Germany on November 25th and 26th.

During the symposium, international senior as well as junior researchers will give inspiring talks about Acute Pulmonary Injury and Translational Research.

As a unique feature of INSPIRES, all attendees and presenters are encouraged to engage in lively plenary discussions at the end of each session. The practical program includes workshops on extracorporeal lung support and electrical impedance tomography, as well as a visit of the Pulmonary Engineering Group Dresden's laboratories. At the symposium's conclusion, attendees will be familiar with the evidence used to support the current recommendations for the treatment of critically ill patients with ARDS. More importantly, they will be introduced to the current basic and translational research that is likely to change the treatment of this disease in the coming years.

Further information, as well as the registration can be found on the website [www.inspires.eu](http://www.inspires.eu)





Thank you so much for your effort! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me (thomas.kiss@uniklinikum-dresden.de).

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