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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

1) Were the patients of the study taking any anti-arrhythmic medications and, if so, which one(s)? 2) The authors should (briefly) comment on the ethnicity/racial characteristics of their study population and how those may have factored into their observed results/findings.



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In this retrospective study, Bière et al tried to assess the arrhythmic determinants and prognosis of patients presenting a Myocardial Infarction and Non-Obstructive Coronary Arteries (MINOCA). There were 131 patients included and follow-up for 1 year. They showed that ST elevation on admission and LGE transmural extent appear to be good markers for identifying patients at risk of ventricular events in the early stages of disease. The manuscript provided a timely study on this field. I am interested in the percentage of your patients who were included into the study.