

# Discussion - Timing of OR in Head Injury

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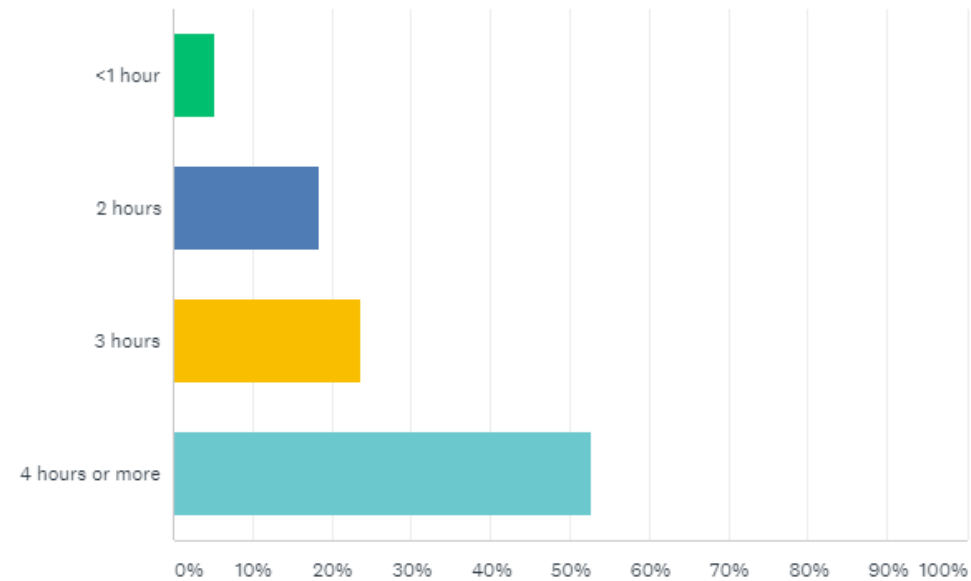
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# Question 9

What is the maximum duration of an orthopedic surgery operation that you are comfortable with in a moderate to severe TBI patient with a stable exam and/or stable/non-concerning ICP monitor readings?

Answered: 38 Skipped: 9

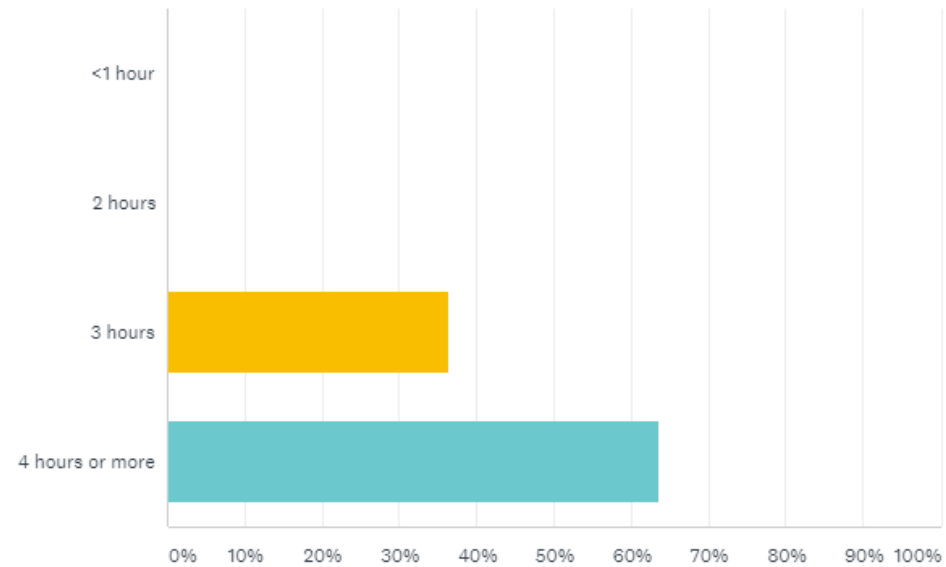


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
<1 hour	5.26% 2
2 hours	18.42% 7
3 hours	23.68% 9
4 hours or more	52.63% 20
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>38</b>

# Question 9 (Neurosurgeon)

What is the maximum duration of an orthopedic surgery operation that you are comfortable with in a moderate to severe TBI patient with a stable exam and/or stable/non-concerning ICP monitor readings?

Answered: 11 Skipped: 0

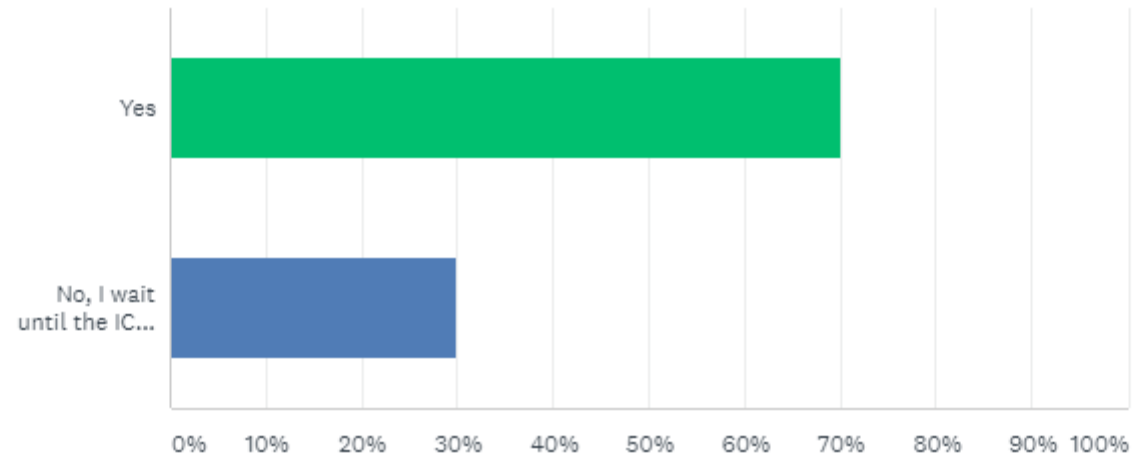


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
<1 hour	0.00% 0
2 hours	0.00% 0
3 hours	36.36% 4
4 hours or more	63.64% 7
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>

# Question 10

Do you allow stable TBI patients to go to the OR with an ICP monitor for repair of non-life threatening injuries?

Answered: 40 Skipped: 7

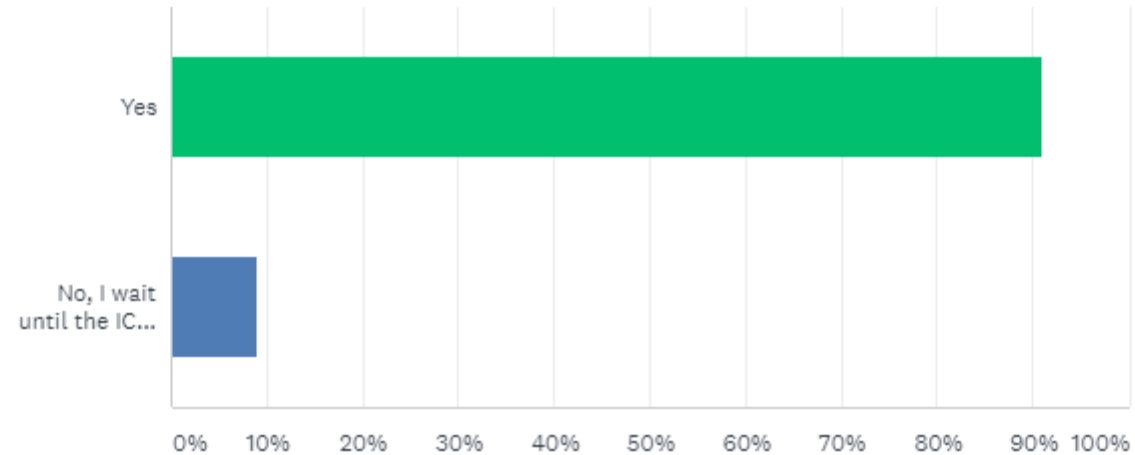


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	70.00% 28
No, I wait until the ICP monitor is discontinued before allowing operative intervention for non-life threatening injuries.	30.00% 12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>

# Question 10 (Neurosurgeon)

Do you allow stable TBI patients to go to the OR with an ICP monitor for repair of non-life threatening injuries?

Answered: 11 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	90.91% 10
No, I wait until the ICP monitor is discontinued before allowing operative intervention for non-life threatening injuries.	9.09% 1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>