#### **ADDITIONAL FILE 4**

Title: Static compliance and driving pressure are associated with ICU mortality in intubated COVID-19 ARDS.

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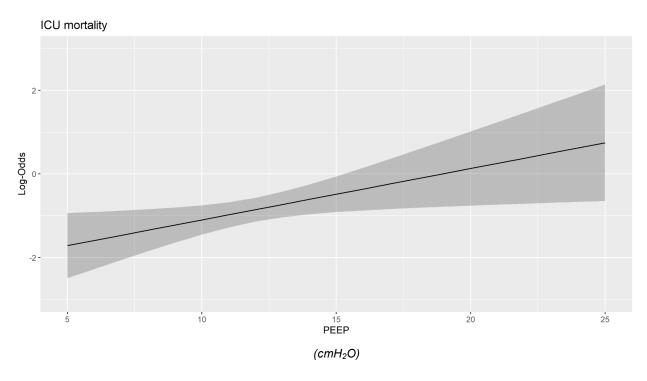
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# A) Association between total positive end-expiratory pressure (PEEP) and intensive care unit (ICU) mortality.

Solid lines indicate the log-odds of ICU mortality, while grey areas 95% confidence interval. The p-value for non-linearity was 0.22, therefore non-linearity was not implemented in the model.

The odds ratio is presented for clinically relevant ranges of values, according to literature data [1].

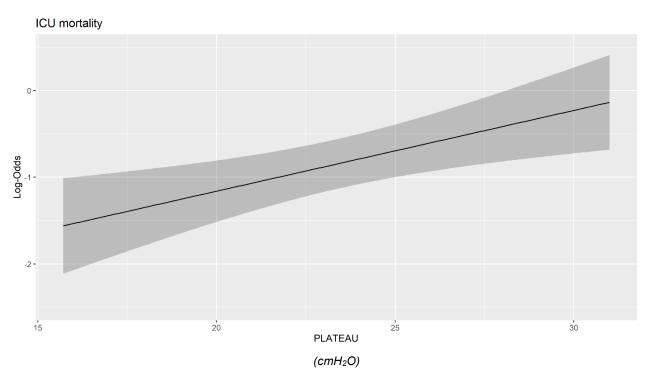


PEEP range (from - to)	Odds Ratio	95% Confidence Interval
6-10 cmH <sub>2</sub> O	1.64	1.08 - 2.48
10-16 cmH <sub>2</sub> O	1.85	1.10 - 3.12
16-25 cmH <sub>2</sub> O	3.03	1.18 - 7.75

# B) Association between plateau pressure and intensive care unit (ICU) mortality.

Solid lines indicate the log-odds of ICU mortality, while grey areas 95% confidence interval. The p-value for non-linearity was 0.22, therefore non-linearity was not implemented in the model.

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Plateau pressure range (from - to)	Odds Ratio	95% Confidence Interval
20-26 cmH₂O	1.75	1.21 – 2.52
> 26 cmH <sub>2</sub> O	4.88	1.73 – 13.80

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