## The use and misuse of post-op HDU's

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I will discuss the current DCCM HDU use in elective surgical patients and some of the outcomes using a 6 month audit of the second half of 2018 as an indicator. I will discuss some of the evidence regarding prediction of outcomes and necessity of HDU admissions in elective surgical patients and where our practice fits in with this.