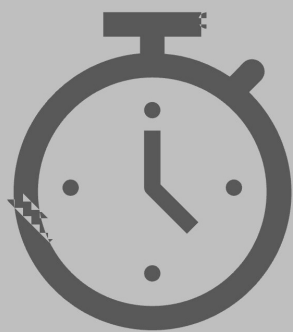


Clinical Question

Does the timing of endoscopy affect clinical outcomes in patients presenting with acute upper gastrointestinal bleeding?



Methods

- Retrospective, territory-wide, adult cohort
- Baseline adjusted by inverse probability of treatment weighting (IPTW) method

Urgent ($t \leq 6$ hr)	n = 1,008
Early ($6 < t \leq 24$ hr)	n = 3,865
Late ($24 < t \leq 48$ hr)	n = 1,601

Results

30-day all-cause mortality



30-day repeat endoscopic therapy



Urgent ($t \leq 6$)	1.43 (1.24 - 1.65)
Early ($6 < t \leq 24$)	Reference
Late ($24 < t \leq 48$)	1.25 (1.08 - 1.45)

Urgent ($t \leq 6$)	1.22 (1.11 - 1.33)
Early ($6 < t \leq 24$)	Reference
Late ($24 < t \leq 48$)	1.04 (0.94 - 1.15)