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KEY LECTURES JIC 2019

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- Time of onset is important
- IV tPA should be started as soon as possible wherever indicated
- Carefully select your case for mechanical thrombectomy
- Late window presentation should be assessed for salvageable brain
- With more use of anticoagulation (DOAC), we should be equipped with a working protocol to handle that

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- Every ICH has an underlying cause.
- Risk factor may trigger/modify the cause.
- Visualize the cause/search for the risk factors.
- Add Imaging modalities till you visualize the cause.
- Some causes requires urgent Rx intervention.
- Acute BP lowering therapy is beneficial, if
- INTENSE; FAST; SUSTAINED
- Surgery useful only for infratentorial ICH, lobar ICH (superficial, >30ml)

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- MG is easy to diagnose & rewarding to treat
- Fluctuation with treatment is usual
- MC is a medical emergency, quick diagnosis & treatment is life saving
- MC & cholinergic crisis: MV, stop AchEIs for sometime, reintroduce during weaning