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Cardiopulmonary resuscitation: where are we now?

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Overview: Dismal survival statistics associated with sudden cardiac arrest have led to the development of new strategies and mechanical devices aimed at improving the quality of cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). This article focuses on current strategies aimed at improving survival rates for patients with sudden cardiac arrest.

Conclusions: These strategies will most likely shape future resuscitation practices.