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(RyR2安定化薬であるダントロレンは圧負荷誘発性肥大心の拡張機能障害を回復させる)

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Methods: Pressure-overloaded hypertrophy was developed by TAC in mice. Wild type (WT) mice were divided into 4 groups: sham-operated mice (Sham), sham-operated mice treated with dantrolene (Sham-DAN, 20mg/kg/day, i. p.), TAC mice (TAC) and TAC mice treated with dantrolene (TAC-DAN). Then, they were followed up for 2 weeks.

Results: Histological examination showed that, in spite of no difference in fibrosis area of LV among 4 groups, LV hypertrophy was obviously induced in TAC, but not TAC-DAN 2 weeks after TAC. There was no difference in fractional shortening among 4 groups. Catheter-tip manometer showed that time constant (τ) of LV pressure decay was significantly prolonged in TAC, but not in TAC-DAN. In cell shortening and Ca^{2+} transient, diastolic function was significantly impaired in TAC, but not in TAC-DAN. An increase in diastolic Ca^{2+} spark frequency and a decrease in the binding affinity of CaM to RyR2 were observed in TAC, but they were improved in TAC-DAN.

Conclusion: Dantrolene prevented progression of hypertrophy as well as improved the impairment of relaxation by inhibiting diastolic Ca^{2+} leakage through RyR2 and dissociation of CaM from RyR2.

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