

Attached list 13: incidence of Post-operative nausea (in China)

Author	Operation	Acupuncture	Index	Groups	Number of participants	Incidence of Nausea
吕建琴 (2013)	Craniotomy	After operation, for 20 min, one time Acup (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	Acup	30	6.7%
				Control	30	96.7%
吕海 (2011)	General anethesia	After operation, for 30 min. One time Acup (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	Acup	25	20.0%
				Control	25	72.0%
欧阳铭文 (2009)	Laparoscopic gastrointestinal surgery	Before induction till the end of surgery (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	Acup	50	24%
				Control	50	60%
汤小 (2015)	Elective caesarean section	After surgery, 3 times Acup. (Neiguan + Zusanli points)	PONV (0-48h)	control	40	50%
				Acup	40	20%
				tropisetron	40	15%
于辉 (2012)	Radical operation of breast cancer	30 min before induction. (Neiguan point)	Nausea score	TEAS	30	
				Sham TEAS (not point)	30	
				Control	30	
周愚 (2014)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	5 min before induction, till 24 h after operation (Neiguan points)		TCES	90	17.8%
				Control	90	55.6%
邓林 (2013)	Gynecological	30 min before induction till	24 h nausea	TCES	100	20%

	laparoscopic surgery	end of operation (Neiguan, Zusanli points)		Control	100	77%
金 玮 (2013)	Thyroid tumor surgery	30 min before induction till end of operation (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	Control	30	63.30%
				TCES	30	6.70%
				droperidol injection in Neiguan	30	0%
				droperidol injection in vein	30	0%
Wang XQ (2010)	Supratentorial craniotomy	TEAS on Neiguan points	PONV (0-24h)	TEAS on P6+ Ondansetron	40	18%
				TEAS on non-point + Ondansetron	40	37%
张迎宪 (2011)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	Acup + acupressure (Neiguan, Zhongwan, Zusanli points)	PONV (0-12h)	Acup + acupressure	23	21.7%
				Ondansetron	23	13.0%
				metoclopramide	23	30.4%
				droperidol	23	21.7%
				physiological saline	24	87.5%
李晓波 (2015)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	After operation E-Acup 15 min (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	E-Acup + TropaneSiQiong	60	6.7%
				TropaneSiQiong	60	35.0%
陈伟 (2015)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	tropisetron. 10 min before end of surgery (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-48h)	Acup, with tropisetron	40	10.0%
				tropisetron	40	45.0%
黄毅 (2013)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	25 min E-Acup, Ondansetron at end of	PONV (0-24h)	E-Acup	100	32.0%
				Ondansetron	100	65.0%

operation (Neiguan point)						
林明 (2015)	Segmental mastectomy	Oricular Acup + TCES, One day befer, the day, 24 h after operation (Neiguan, Quchi points)	PONV (0-24h)	Control	30	80.0%
				Aricular Aupressure	30	33.3%
				Aricular Aupressure + TCES (Neiguan, Qushi)	30	30.0%
赵洪魁 (2013)	Virus operation	15 min before end of surgery (Neiguan point)	PONV (0-24h)	Neiguan + saline injection	50	44.0%
				tropisetron	50	38.0%
				Neiguan + tropisetron injection	50	16.0%
刘晓捷 (2015)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	10 min before induction (Neiguan point)	NVS score	droperidol injection in Neiguan	30	
				droperidol injection in vein	30	
朱红霞 (2010)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	20 min before induction (Neiguan point)	24 Nausea	Droperidol injection on P6	40	20.0%
				Droperidol injection in vein	40	57.5%
				Control	40	80.0%
卢希 (2010)	Gynecological laparoscopic surgery	Before induction (Neiguan point)	NVS score	Control	40	0.23
				Neiguan injection dexamethasone	40	0.15
				granisetron injection in vein	40	0.12
				Neiguan + granisetron	40	0.03

Chen ZY (2014)	Laparoscopic surgery	Acupont injection (Zusanli point)	PONV (0-24h)	placebo (VB1 injection into non-acupoint)	40	33.0%
				ondansetron	40	11.0%
				VB1 injection on Zusanli	40	9.0%
				ondansetron + VB1 injection on Zusanli	40	6.0%
唐炜 (2013)	Laparoscopic surgery	E-Acup, 30 min before anesthesia to the end of surgery (Neiguan point)		2 Hz EA treatment group	30	30%
				2 Hz/100 Hz EA treatment group	30	10%
				100 Hz EA treatment group	30	36%
				Control	30	53.3%