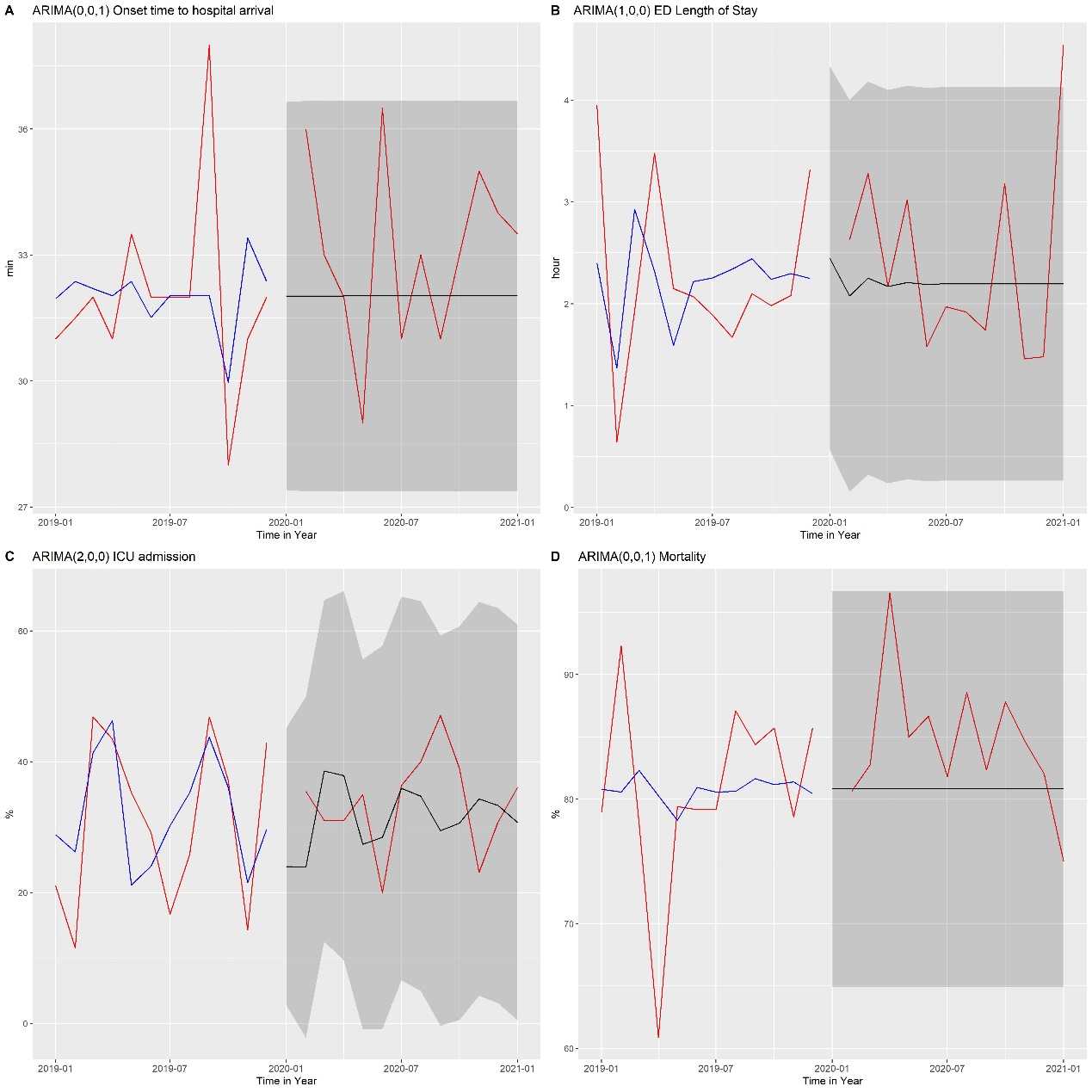


**Fig. 1.** **Time-series analysis of onset time to hospital arrival time and outcomes of patients with hemorrhagic stroke using the ARIMA model.** Red line, observed data; blue line, ARIMA model; black line, forecasted value; and shadowed area, 95% confidence interval of the forecasted value. ARIMA, autoregressive integrated moving average.



**Fig. 2.** **Time-series analysis of onset time to hospital arrival time and outcomes of patients with cardiac arrest using the ARIMA model.** Red line, observed data; blue line, ARIMA model; black line, forecasted value; and shadowed area, 95% confidence interval of the forecasted value. ARIMA, autoregressive integrated moving average

Table 1. Demographic, characteristics, and outcomes of acute myocardial infarction patients.

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|  | **Pre-period**  **(n=299)** | **Post-period**  **(n=376)** | ***p*-value** |
| Sex |  |  | 0.638 |
| Female | 56 (18.7%) | 77 (20.5%) |  |
| Male | 243 (81.3%) | 299 (79.5%) |  |
| Age (years) | 60.0 [53.0-71.0] | 63.0 [56.0-77.0] | 0.002\*\* |
| EMS use | 164 (54.8%) | 187 (49.7%) | 0.214 |
| Transfer-in | 102 (34.1%) | 101 (27.0%) | 0.056 |
| Mental status |  |  | 0.229 |
| Alert | 273 (91.3%) | 350 (93.1%) |  |
| Verbal | 12 (4.0%) | 6 (1.6%) |  |
| Painful | 8 (2.7%) | 9 (2.4%) |  |
| Unresponsive | 6 (2.0%) | 11 (2.9%) |  |
| SBP (mmHg) | 139.0 [120.0-158.5] | 140.0 [119.0-160.0] | 0.678 |
| HR (/min) | 81.0 [68.0-94.0] | 80.0 [66.0-96.0] | 0.506 |
| RR (/min) | 18.0 [16.0-18.0] | 18.0 [16.0-18.0] | 0.534 |
| Onset to hospital arrival time (min) | 143.0 [45.0-481.0] | 123.0 [49.0-475.0] | 0.931 |
| **Outcomes** | | | |
| ED length of stay (h) | 5.1 [2.5-9.5] | 6.0 [2.8-11.4] | 0.021\* |
| In-hospital mortality | 24 (8.0%) | 36 (9.6%) | 0.572 |
| ICU admission | 163 (54.5%) | 132 (35.1%) | <0.001\*\*\* |
| Ventilator use in ED | 29 (9.7%) | 35 (9.3%) | 0.968 |
| **Multivariable linear regression analysis of length of stay in ED** | | | |
|  | **Beta-coefficient** | **95% CI** | ***P*-value** |
| Post-perioda | 0.997 | -0.464-2.457 | 0.181 |

\* *p*<0.05,\*\* *p*<0.01*,*\*\*\* *p*<0.001.

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CI, confidence interval; ED, emergency department; EMS, emergency medical service; HR, heart rate; ICU, intensive care unit; RR, respiratory rate; SBP, systolic blood pressurea Adjusted for sex, age, mental status, EMS use, SBP, HR, RR.

Table 2. Demographic, characteristics, and outcomes of ischemic stroke patients.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Pre-period**  **(n=565)** | **Post-period**  **(n=566)** | ***p*-value** |
| Sex |  |  | 0.524 |
| Female | 217 (38.4%) | 206 (36.4%) |  |
| Male | 348 (61.6%) | 360 (63.6%) |  |
| Age (years) | 65.0 [54.0-77.0] | 67.0 [57.0-78.0] | 0.021\* |
| EMS use | 238 (42.1%) | 237 (41.9%) | 0.980 |
| Transfer-in | 103 (18.4%) | 107 (18.9%) | 0.874 |
| Mental status |  |  | 0.700 |
| Alert | 474 (83.9%) | 471 (83.2%) |  |
| Verbal | 49 (8.7%) | 45 (8.0%) |  |
| Painful | 40 (7.1%) | 49 (8.7%) |  |
| Unresponsive | 2 (0.4%) | 1 (0.2%) |  |
| SBP (mmHg) | 156.0 [137.5-178.0] | 157.0 [141.0-180.0] | 0.164 |
| HR (/min) | 82.0 [70.0-94.0] | 80.0 [70.0-93.0] | 0.270 |
| RR (/min) | 16.0 [16.0-18.0] | 16.0 [16.0-18.0] | 0.417 |
| Onset to hospital arrival time (min) | 246.0 [64.0-1054.0] | 361.5 [67.0-1479.0] | 0.008\*\* |
| Onset to hospital arrival time within 4.5 h | 305 (54.0%) | 256 (45.2%) | 0.004\*\* |
| **Outcomes** | | | |
| ED length of stay (h) | 3.9 [2.9-5.6] | 4.8 [3.5-7.8] | <0.001\*\*\* |
| In-hospital mortality | 28 (5.0%) | 26 (4.6%) | 0.884 |
| ICU admission | 82 (14.5%) | 64 (11.3%) | 0.129 |
| Ventilator use in the ED | 16 (2.8%) | 25 (4.4%) | 0.205 |
| **Multivariable linear regression analysis of length of stay in ED** | | | |
|  | **Beta-coefficient** | **95% CI** | ***P*-value** |
| Post-perioda | 2.135 | 1.365-2.904 | <0.001\*\*\* |

\* *p*<0.05,\*\* *p*<0.01*,*\*\*\* *p*<0.001

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Table 3. Demographic, characteristics, and outcomes of hemorrhagic stroke patients.

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|  | **Pre-period**  **(n=372)** | **Post-period**  **(n=413)** | ***p*-value** |
| Sex |  |  | 0.588 |
| Female | 163 (43.8%) | 172 (41.6%) |  |
| Male | 209 (56.2%) | 241 (58.4%) |  |
| Age (years) | 58.0 [48.0-69.0] | 59.0 [49.0-73.0] | 0.063 |
| EMS use | 271 (72.8%) | 282 (68.3%) | 0.186 |
| Transfer-in | 81 (21.9%) | 126 (30.9%) | 0.006\*\* |
| Mental status |  |  | 0.191 |
| Alert | 211 (56.7%) | 241 (58.4%) |  |
| Verbal | 45 (12.1%) | 35 (8.5%) |  |
| Painful | 79 (21.2%) | 104 (25.2%) |  |
| Unresponsive | 37 (9.9%) | 33 (8.0%) |  |
| SBP (mmHg) | 157.0 [133.0-184.0] | 154.0 [134.0-185.0] | 0.966 |
| HR (/min) | 84.0 [73.0-98.0] | 84.0 [70.0-100.0] | 0.761 |
| RR (/min) | 18.0 [16.0-18.0] | 16.0 [16.0-18.0] | 0.400 |
| Onset to hospital arrival time (min) | 66.0 [34.5-331.5] | 90.0 [36.0-425.0] | 0.130 |
| **Outcomes** | | | |
| ED length of stay (h) | 3.3 [2.1-5.2] | 4.8 [3.0-8.8] | <0.001\*\*\* |
| In-hospital mortality | 69 (18.5%) | 101 (24.5%) | 0.055 |
| ICU admission | 170 (45.7%) | 193 (46.7%) | 0.827 |
| Ventilator use in ED | 110 (29.6%) | 121 (29.3%) | 0.996 |
| **Multivariable linear regression analysis of length of stay in ED** | | | |
|  | **Beta-coefficient** | **95% CI** | ***P*-value** |
| Post-perioda | 2.590 | 1.844-3.335 | <0.001\*\*\* |

\* *p*<0.05,\*\* *p*<0.01*,*\*\*\* *p*<0.001.

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Table 4. Demographic, characteristics, and outcomes of cardiac arrest patients

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Pre-period**  **(n=343)** | **Post-period**  **(n=383)** | ***p*-value** |
| Sex |  |  | 0.036\* |
| Female | 113 (32.9%) | 156 (40.7%) |  |
| Male | 230 (67.1%) | 227 (59.3%) |  |
| Age (years) | 61.0 [49.0-75.5] | 64.0 [52.0-79.0] | 0.056 |
| EMS use | 318 (92.7%) | 343 (89.6%) | 0.175 |
| Transfer-in | 51 (15.3%) | 39 (10.5%) |  |
| Onset to hospital arrival time (min) | 32.0 [26.0-45.0] | 33.0 [27.0-48.0] | 0.371 |
| **Outcomes** | | | |
| ED length of stay (h) | 2.1 [0.9-5.4] | 2.0 [1.1-6.2] | 0.038\* |
| In-hospital mortality | 279 (81.3%) | 323 (84.3%) | 0.332 |
| ICU admission | 110 (32.1%) | 131 (34.2%) | 0.596 |
| Ventilator use in ED | 185 (53.9%) | 194 (50.7%) | 0.418 |
| **Multivariable linear regression analysis of length of stay in ED** | | | |
|  | **Beta-coefficient** | **95% CI** | ***P*-value** |
| Post-perioda | 0.665 | -0.098-1.612 | 0.148 |

\* *p*<0.05,\*\* *p*<0.01*,*\*\*\* *p*<0.001

Data are expressed as median [interquartile range] or number (%) as appropriate.

CI, confidence interval; ED, emergency department; EMS, emergency medical service a Adjusted for sex, age, transfer-in, EMS use, onset to hospital arrival time.