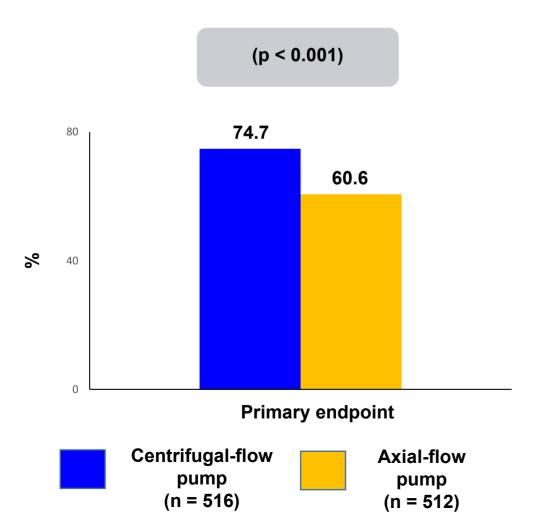
MOMENTUM 3 — Final Report



Trial Description: Patients with advanced heart failure were randomized to a centrifugal-flow pump versus an axial-flow pump.



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RESULTS

- Survival free from disabling stroke or reoperation to replace/remove a malfunctioning device at 24 months: 74.7% of the centrifugal-flow pump group vs. 60.6% of the axial-flow pump group (p < 0.001 for superiority)
- Overall survival at 24 months: 79.0% in the centrifugal-flow pump group vs. 76.7% in the axial-flow pump group (p = 0.37)
- Any stroke at 24 months: 9.9% in the centrifugal-flow pump group vs. 19.4% in the axial-flow pump group (p < 0.001).

CONCLUSIONS

 Among patients with advanced heart failure, the HeartMate 3 centrifugal-flow pump was superior to the Heartmate II axial-flow pump at improving survival free from disabling stroke or reoperation. Overall survival was similar between the groups.

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