

Table S1. Rates of mortality for the three QTc methods and for HR according to 25th and 75th percentile in the three facilities. Relative risk reveals the increased risk of all-cause mortality in subjects with a QTc and an HR above the 75th percentile.

Ambulatory group: 17013 patients									
	Median	1 st quartile	3 rd quartile	1 st quartile mortality (%)	3 rd quartile mortality (%)	B	p	RR*	95% CI”
QTc Bazett°	421	406	436	0.81	2.47	0.692	< 0.001	1.998	[1.564, 2.553]
QTc Fridericia°	412	400	425	1.26	2.24	0.534	< 0.001	1.706	[1.330, 2.189]
QTc Framingham°	413	402	426	1.26	2.24	0.533	< 0.001	1.704	[1.326, 2.190]
HR	68	61	76	1.17	2.28	0.607	< 0.001	1.835	[1.775, 1.897]
Surgical/Medical Units group: 85604 patients									
	Median	1 st quartile	3 rd quartile	1 st quartile mortality (%)	3 rd quartile mortality (%)	B	p	RR	95% CI
QTc Bazett°	428	411	445	6.92	24.40	0.961	< 0.001	2.613	[2.520, 2.709]
QTc Fridericia°	418	404	434	8.64	22.94	0.812	< 0.001	2.253	[2.173, 2.337]
QTc Framingham°	416	404	431	9.01	23.05	0.824	< 0.001	2.278	[2.197, 2.363]
HR	70	62	80	10.73	20.09	0.625	< 0.001	1.868	[1.800, 1.940]
Emergency department group: 29010 patients									
	Median	1 st quartile	3 rd quartile	1 st quartile mortality (%)	3 rd quartile mortality (%)	B	p	RR	95% CI
QTc Bazett°	435	418	452	4.96	15.89	0.769	< 0.001	2.158	[2.003, 2.324]
QTc Fridericia°	421	406	438	7.43	15.27	0.640	< 0.001	1.896	[1.759, 2.044]
QTc Framingham°	418	404	434	7.75	15.35	0.652	< 0.001	1.920	[1.781, 2.070]
HR	74	65	86	7.76	14.38	0.653	< 0.001	1.922	[1.782, 2.073]

Table footnotes: °milliseconds, *Relative Risk/Hazard Ratio, ”Confidence Interval

Figure S1. ROC curves for Bazett QTc (first column), Fridericia QTc (second column), Framingham QTc (third column) and HR (fourth column) in the whole population (first line), group 1 (second line), group 2 (third line) and group 3 (fourth line). In each panel, the red bullet represents the optimal operating point

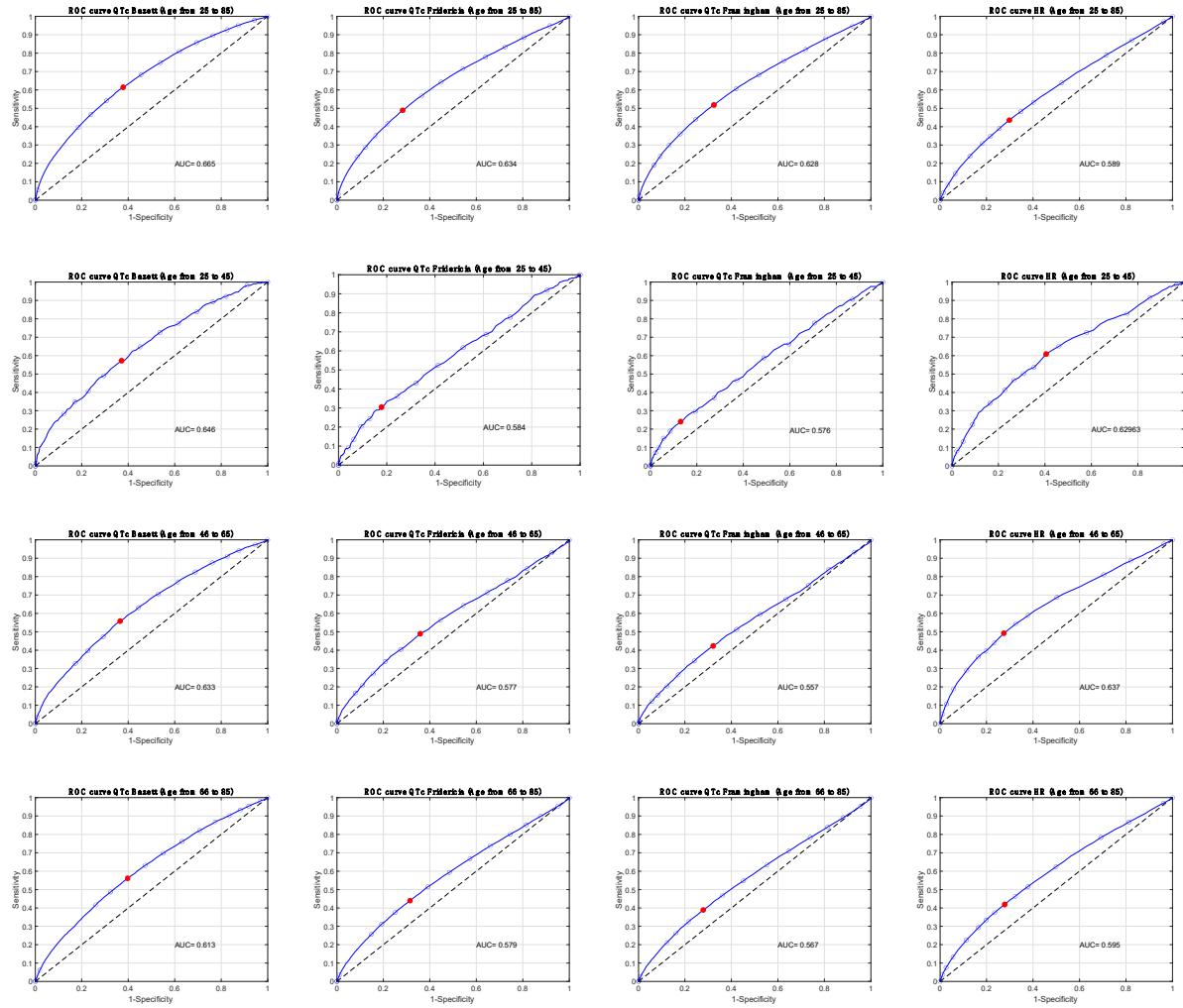


Figure S2. Kaplan-Meier event-free survival curves according to the 75th percentile for QTc and for HR in the entire population and in the three age-groups (group 1: 25-45 years; group 2: 46-65 years; group 3: 66-85 years). The dotted lines represent the 95% confidence interval.

