

## List of CHRS Members Lead Very High Impact Publications

1. Sapp JL, Tang ASL, Parkash R, et al. [Catheter Ablation or Antiarrhythmic Drugs for Ventricular Tachycardia](#). *N Engl J Med*.
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