EDTA prevent tubing – anticoagulated binding cations and MG other heavy metals

Group of cats that had sub placed with only EDTA – July 2017 – Propylatic Group

Vs.

Reported Group that did not get flushed

Never got EDTA flush with saline 20098 829 days median survival

Median mineralization 463 days N = 174 all comers

N =21 – 28 devices with flushed at least every six months, if 180 w/o flush out, unless mineralize or infected , must be at AMC

Saline to EDTA N = 12 16 devices

Only EDTA after July 2017 30 50

Is the llong term out come better in cats that only have EDTA compared to others