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The Congress Committee of LIVES 2024, the 37th Annual Congress of the European Society of Intensive Care Medicine, welcomes the submission of abstracts of original contribution to the field.

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INTRODUCTION

OBJECTIVES

METHODS

RESULTS

CONCLUSIONS

REFERENCE(S)

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- 7. Imaging in intensive care**
- 8. Infections and prevention**
- 9. Sepsis**
- 10. Metabolism, endocrinology, liver failure and nutrition**

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