Supplemental Digital Content 3. Airway Pressure, Esophageal Pressure, and Transpulmonary Pressure in the CMV Group

Fig. 1. Airway pressure (A), esophageal pressure (B) and transpulmonary pressure (C) in the CMV group were recorded as previously described\(^1\). Alveolar pressure in CMV group was measured by using the Evita XL ventilator (Dräger, Lubeck, Germany)’s “Insp hold” function during CMV. Transpulmonary pressure was determined as the difference between the average \(P_{\text{plat}}\) value and the averaged \(P_{\text{EsO}}\).

CMV = conventional mechanical ventilation; PAir = airway pressure; PEso = esophageal pressure; Pplat = plateau pressure; S = second.
References