

Type 2 Diabetes:

Established Principles and Evolving Pharmacotherapy

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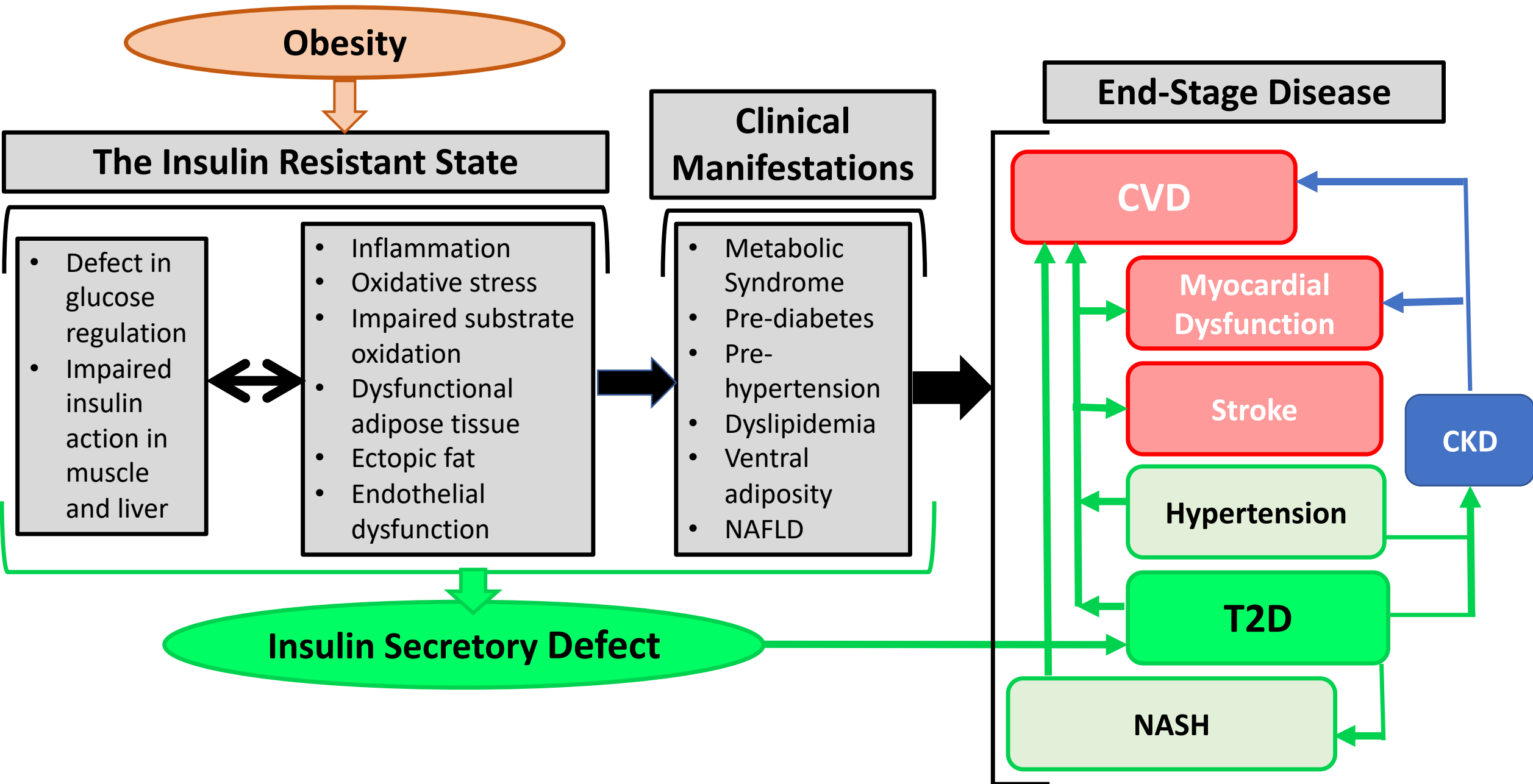
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Outline

1. Natural history of cardiometabolic disease and treatment implications for T2D
2. Guiding principles of diabetes pharmacotherapy
3. Diabetes medications and guidelines, the evolution of pharmacotherapy, with emphasis on GLP-1 agonists and SGLT2 inhibitors
4. Weight loss therapy for treatment and prevention of T2D, the beginning of a transformation in care.

The Spectrum of Cardiometabolic Disease

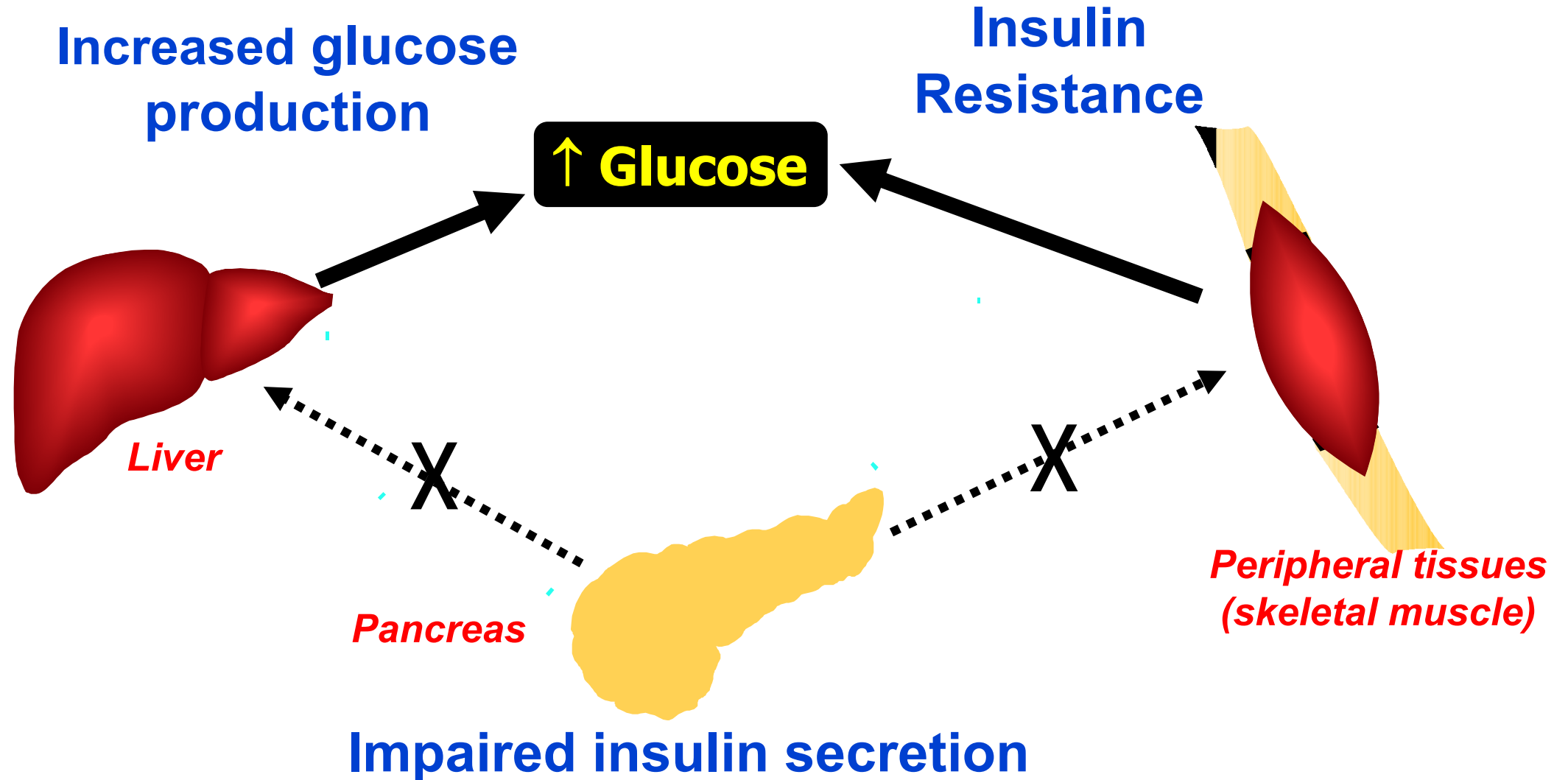


Three Points Based on Natural History of Cardiometabolic Disease

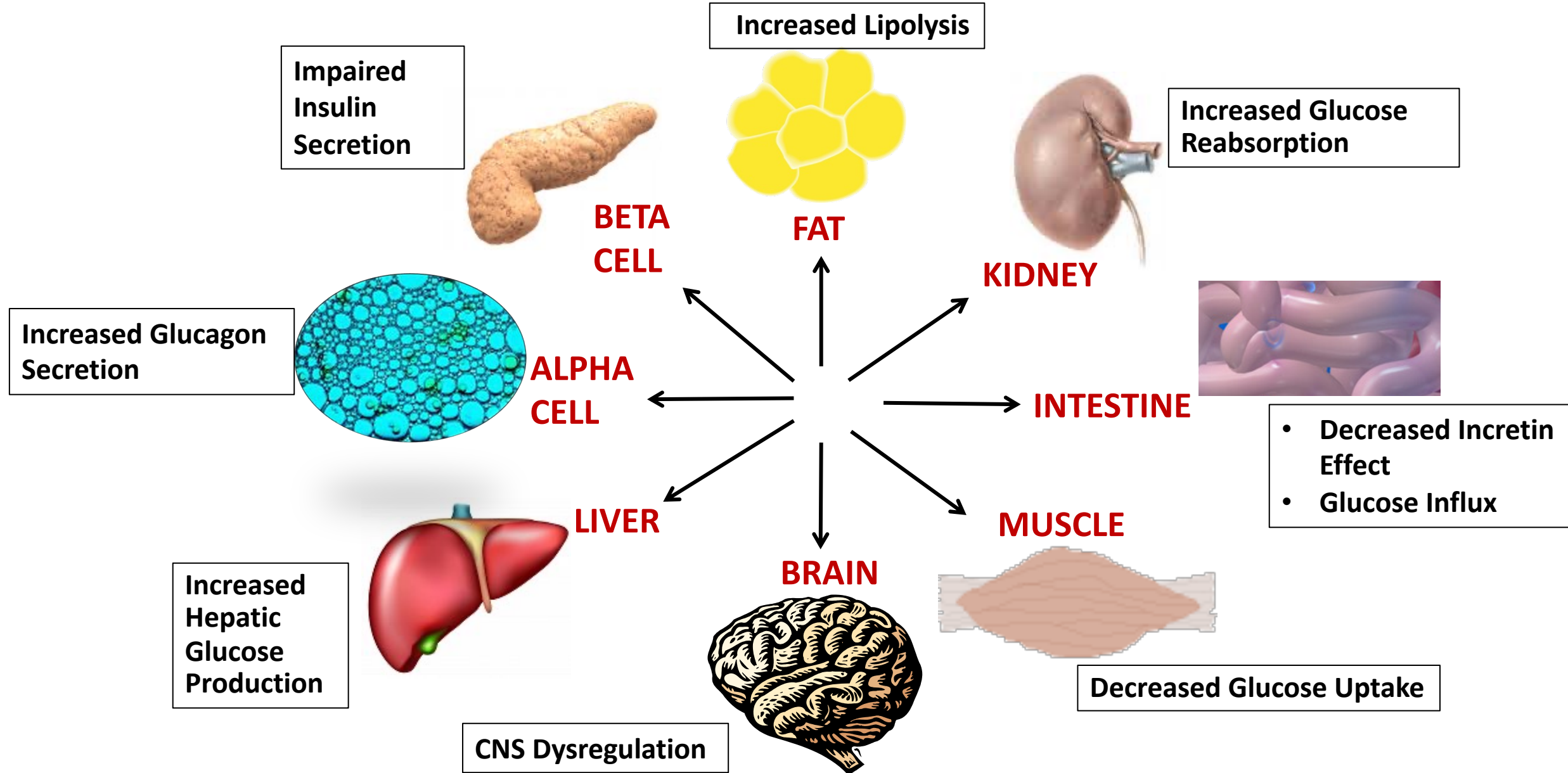
1. T2D is an end stage manifestation of cardiometabolic disease.
Need to prevent disease progression in those patients with clinical signs of insulin resistance.
2. In patients with overweight or obesity, weight loss therapy is a powerful approach for preventing and treating T2D
3. The care of patients with T2D must be comprehensive and address CVD, myocardial dysfunction & CHF, NASH, CKD, as well as diabetes

Causes of Hyperglycemia in Type 2 Diabetes

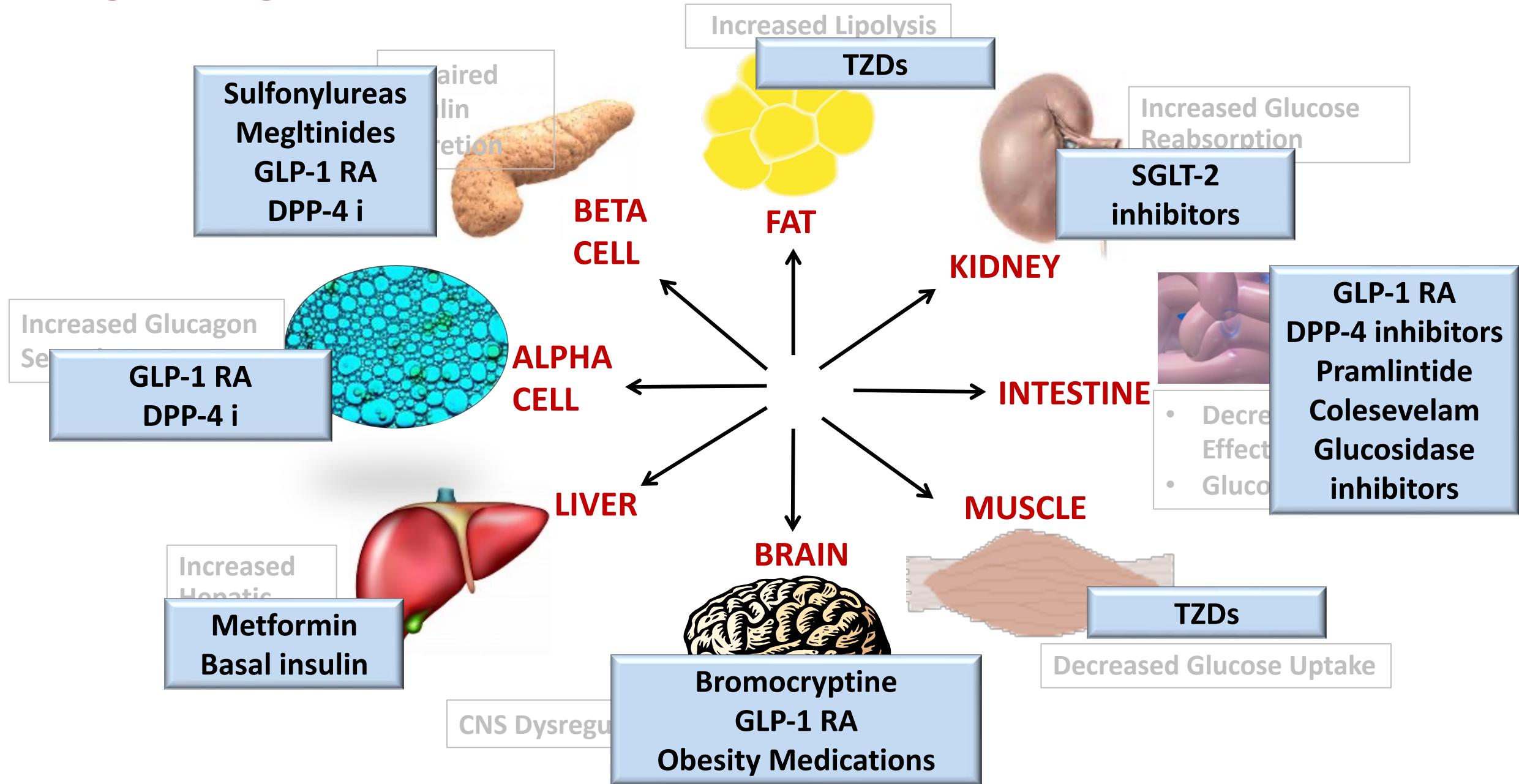
“the classic view”



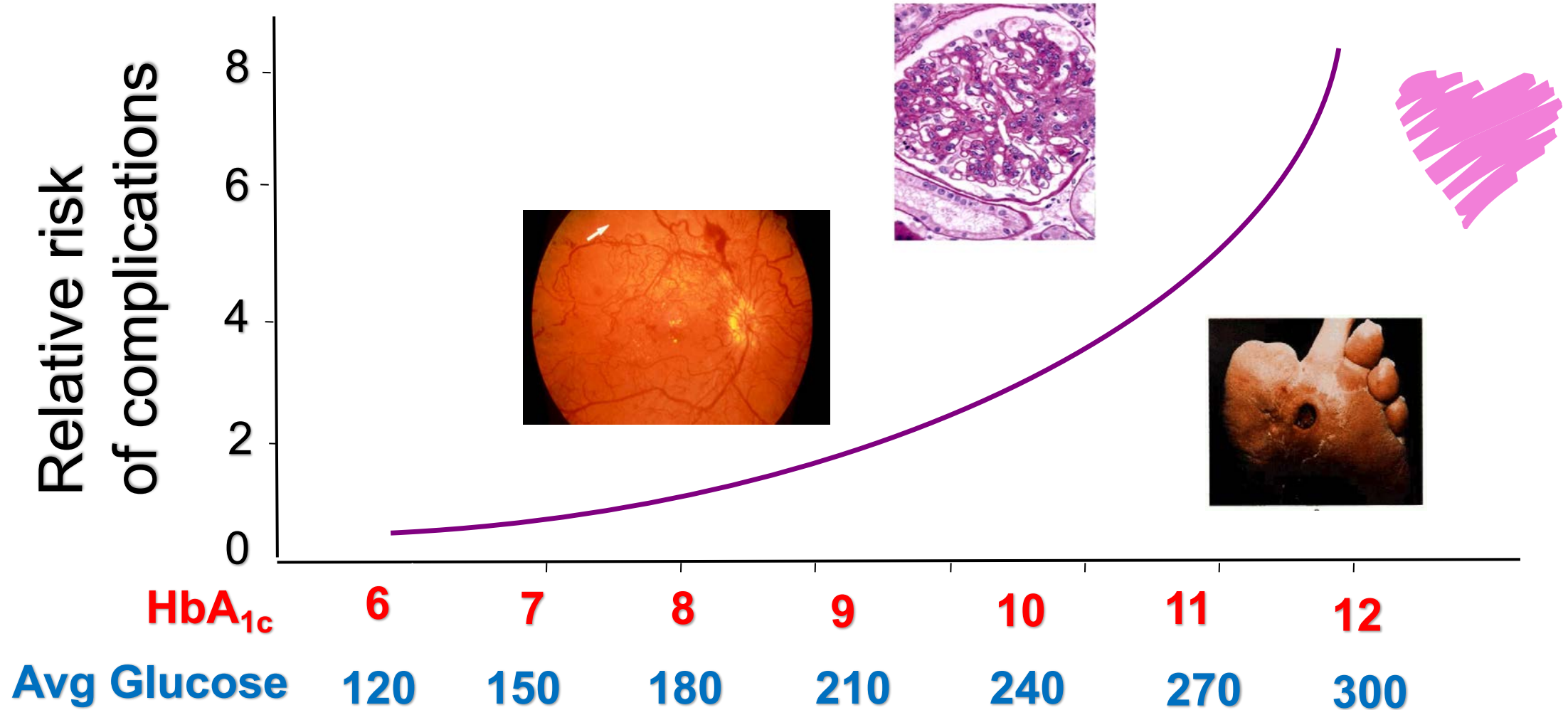
Defects Causing T2DM



Drugs Target Defects



Complications Risk in Diabetes



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Glycemic Control Targets in Diabetes¹

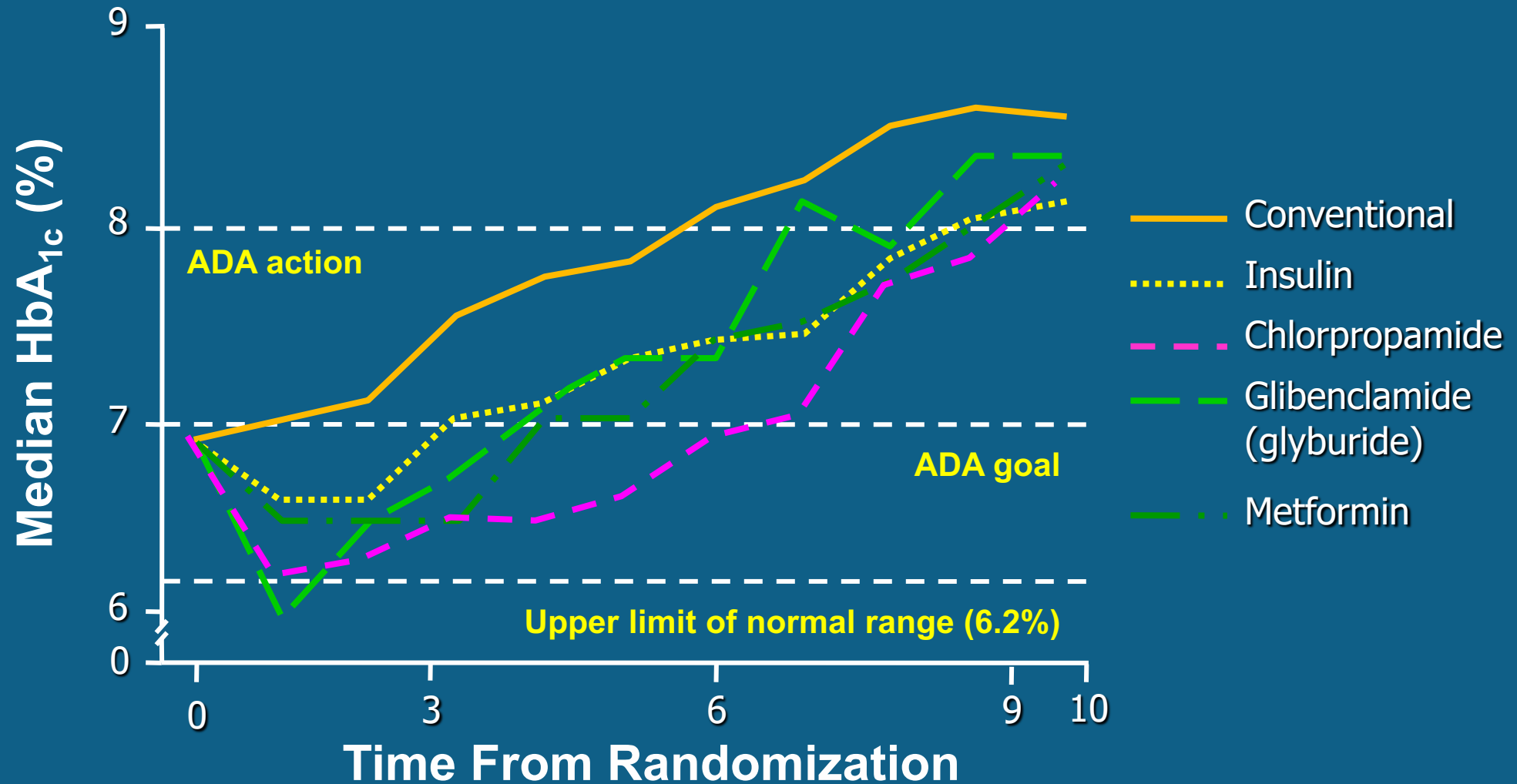
Measurement		Normal	ADA Goal	AACE Goal
Plasma glucose				
Preprandial	mmol/L	<5.6	4.4-7.2	<6.1
	mg/dl	<100	80-130	<110
Postprandial	mmol/L	<7.8	< 10.0*	<7.8
	mg/dl	<140	<180*	<140
HbA_{1c} (%)		<6	<7	<6.5

Principle 1

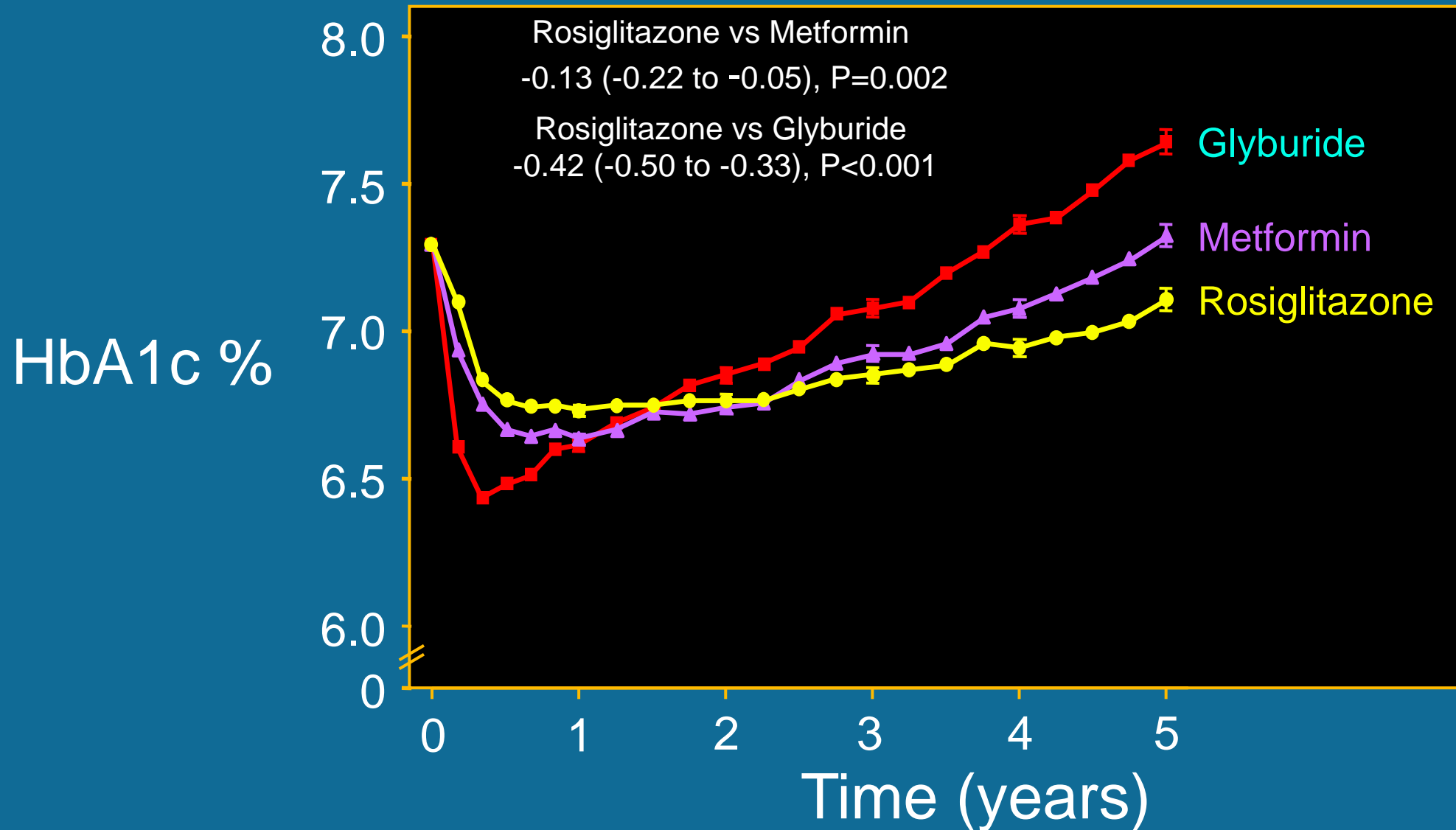
- Diabetes is a progressive disease
- Need medications with long-term efficacy

Intensive Treatments and Increase in HbA_{1c} Over Time

United Kingdom Prospective Diabetes Study (UKPDS)



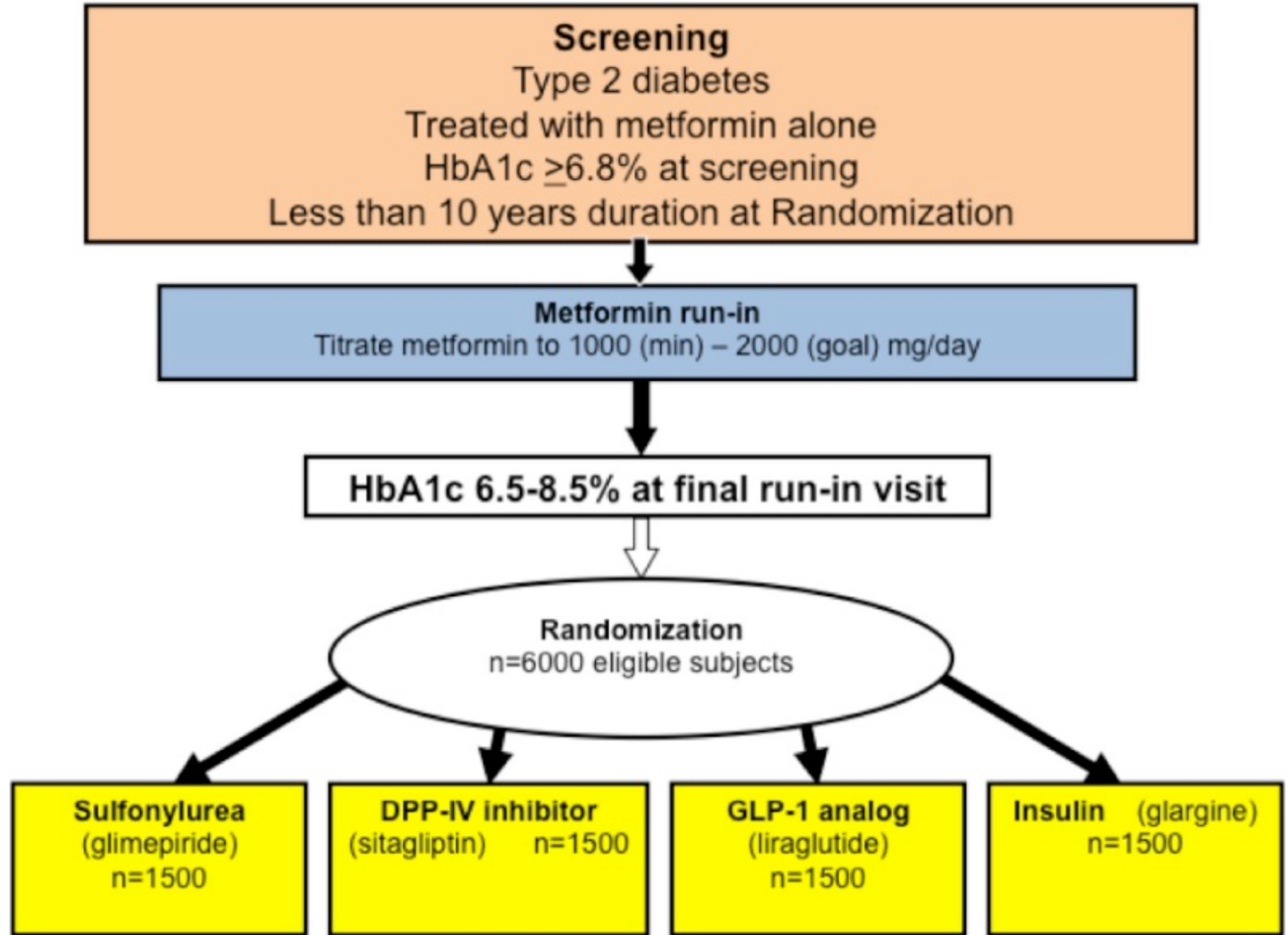
ADOPT: HbA1c Over Time



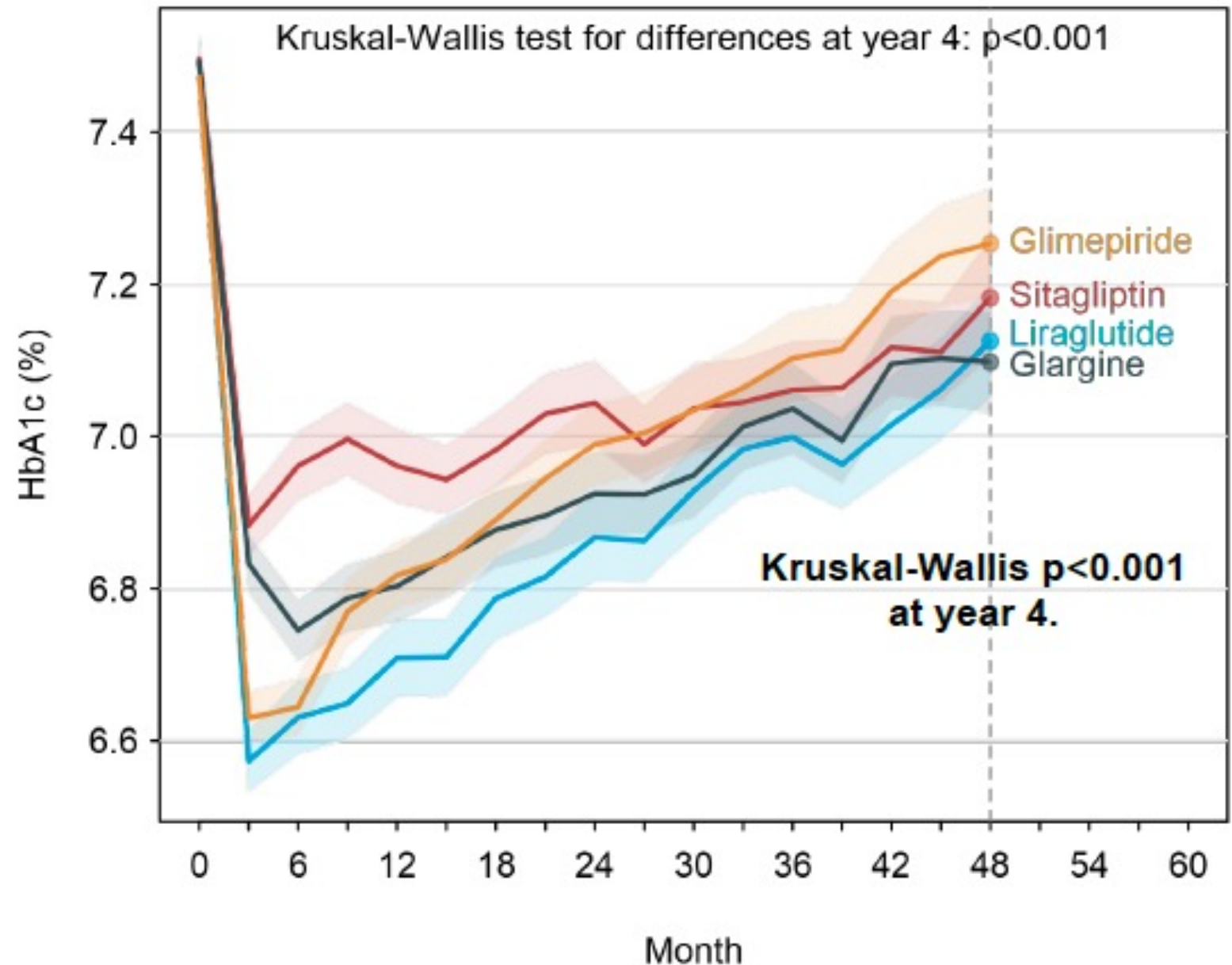
GRADE

Glycemia Reduction Approaches in Diabetes:
A Comparative Effectiveness Study (GRADE)

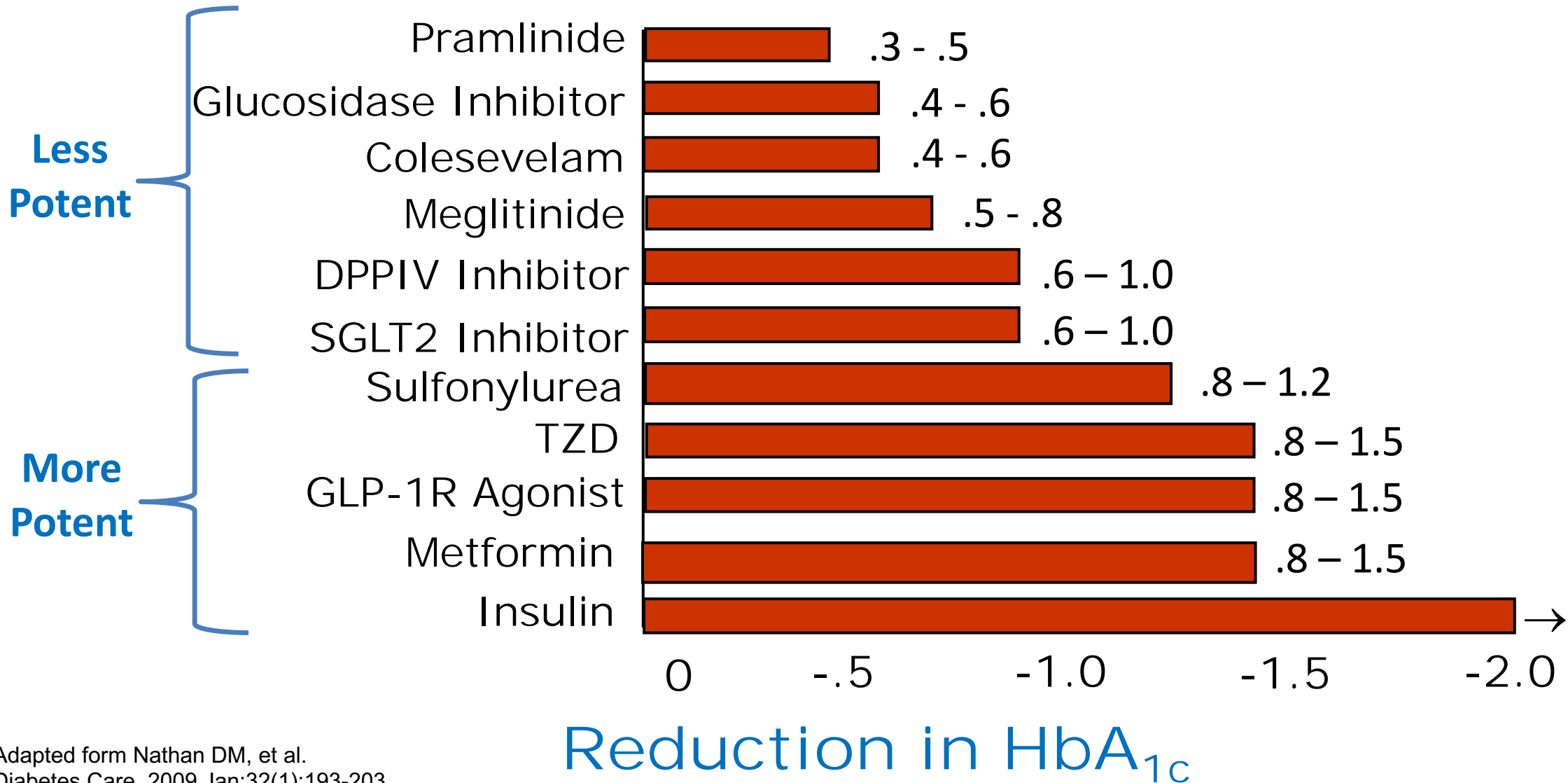
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Diabetes Care 2019;42(11):2098-2107



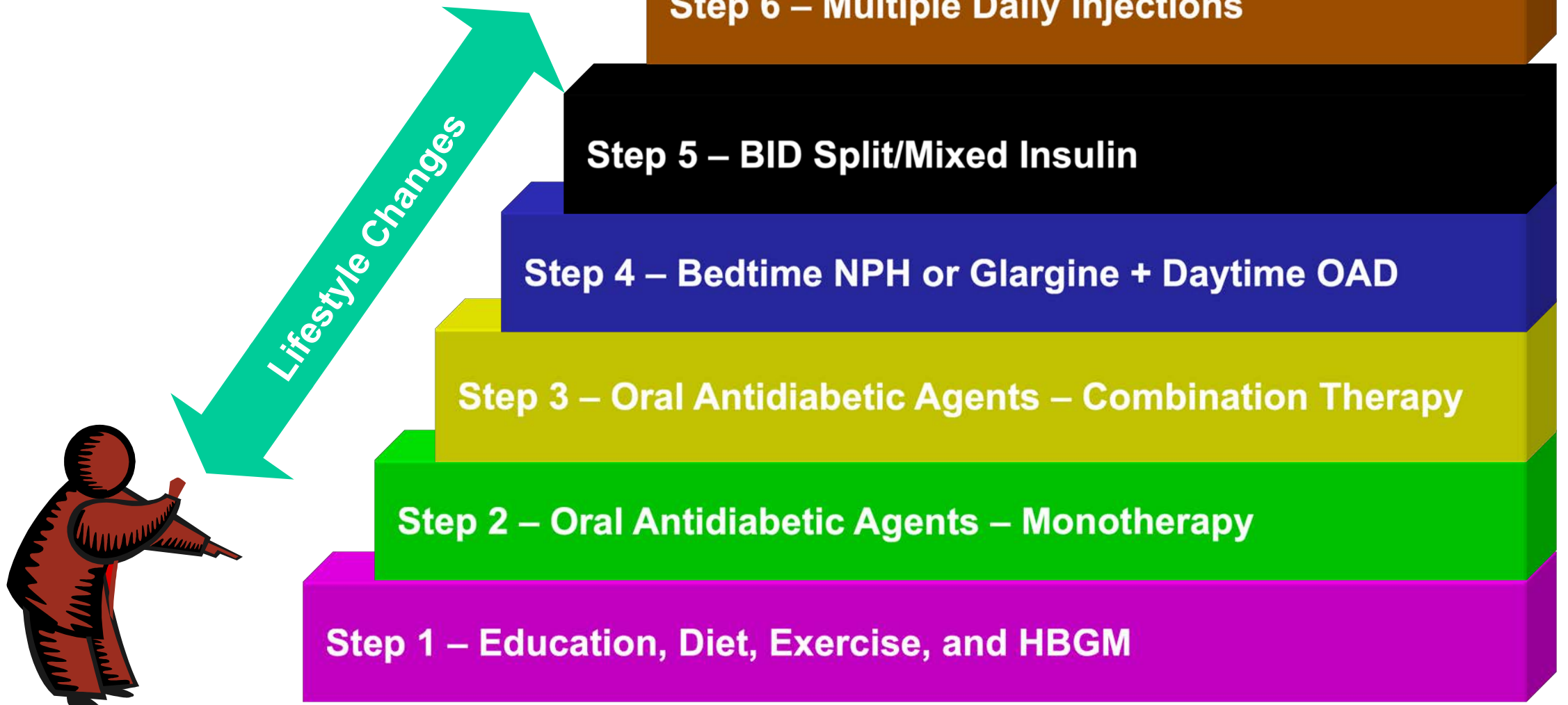
GRADE Study: Rise in HbA1c over time: patients on metformin and randomized to addition of metformin, sitagliptin, liraglutide, or glargine



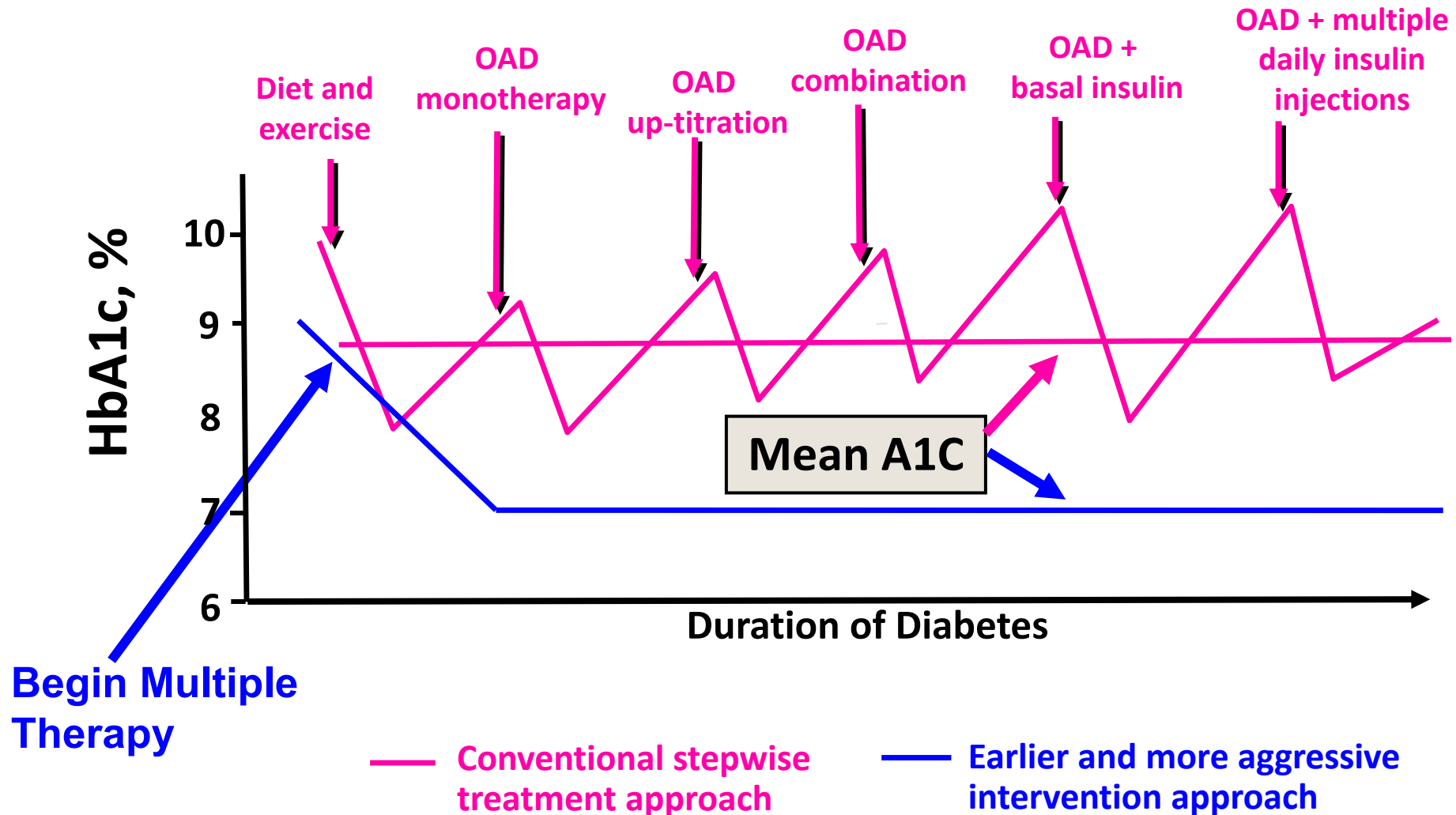
Relative Efficacy for Lowering HbA_{1c} (when used as monotherapy)



Type 2 Diabetes: Standard “Stepped” Approach to Treatment



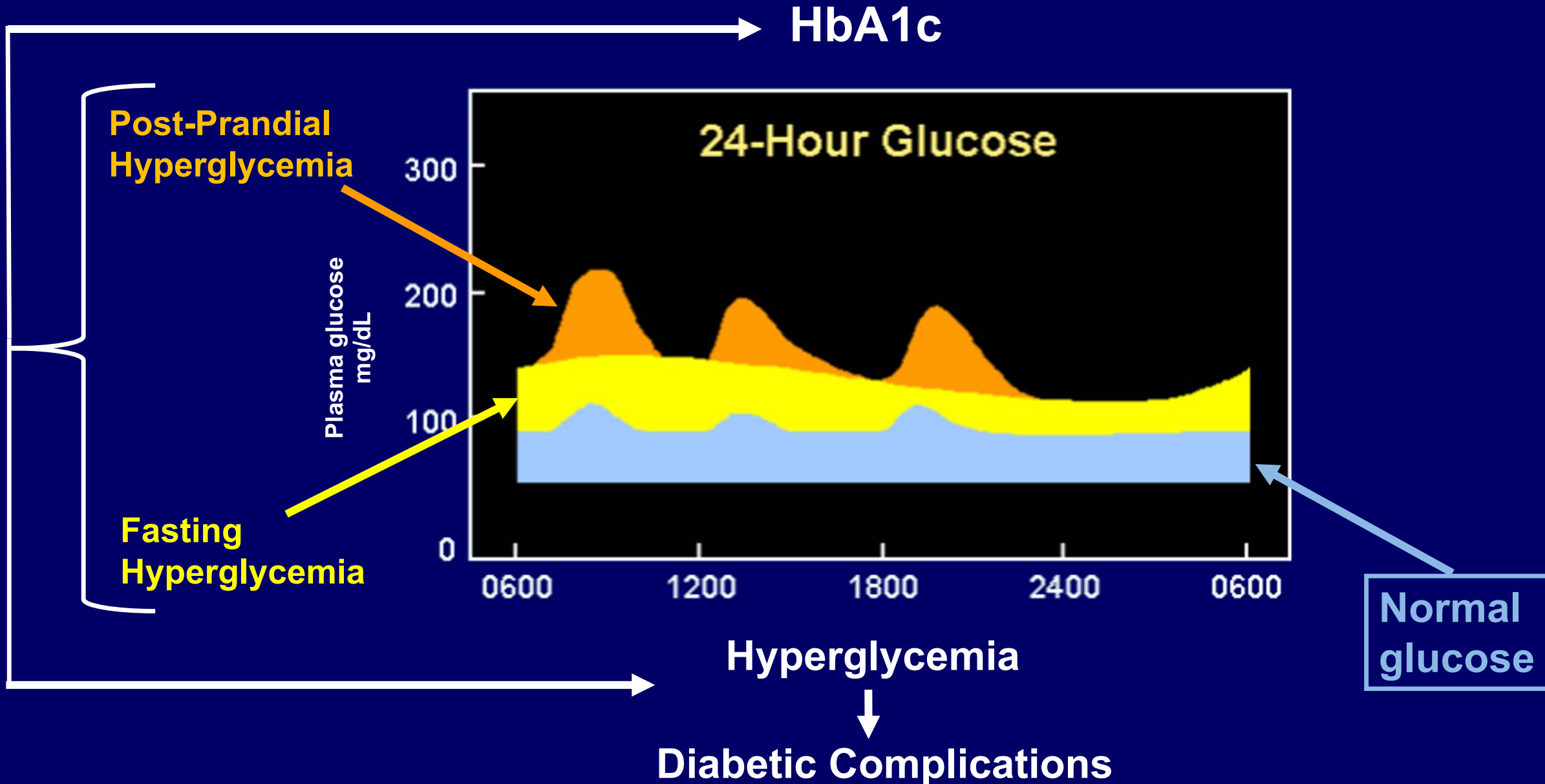
Earlier and More Aggressive Intervention May Reduce Lifetime HbA1c



Principle 2

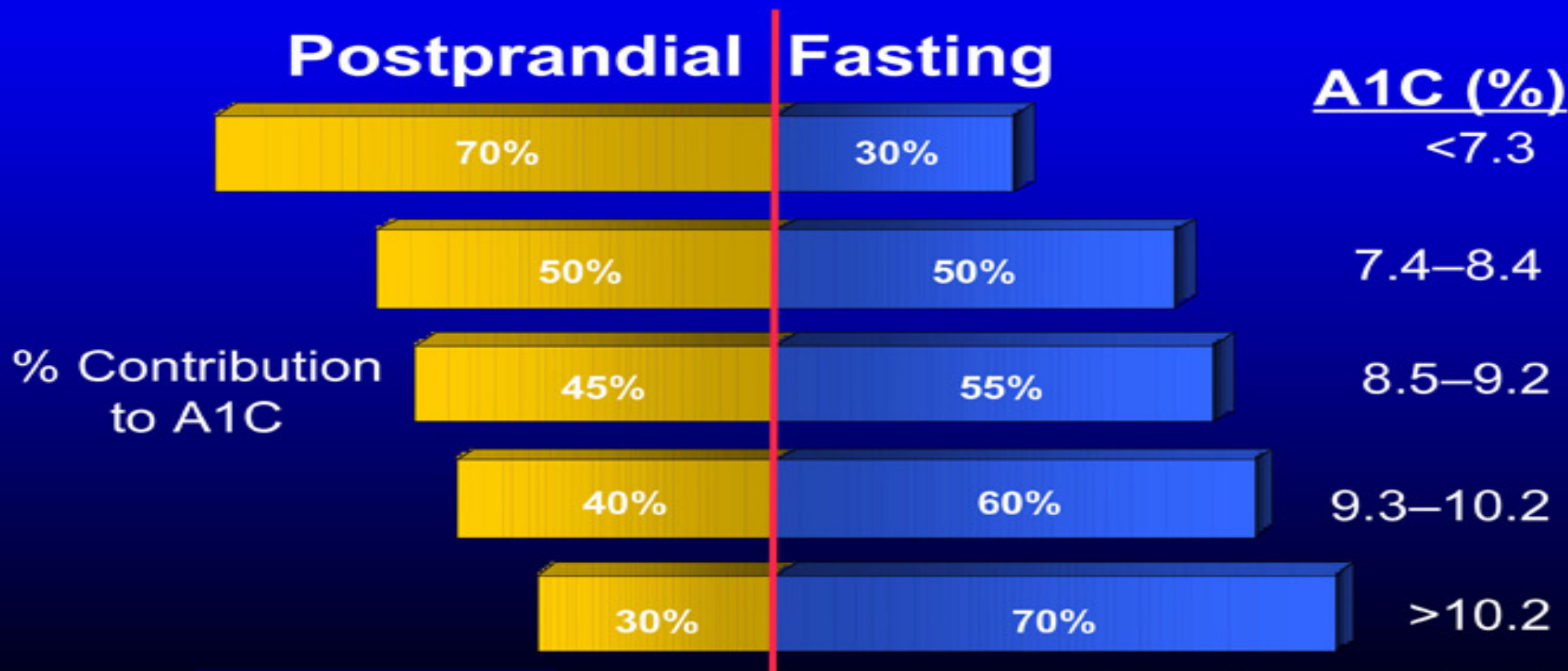
- To reach HbA1c target, there is a need to control both basal and post-prandial glucose
- In combination therapy, use medications with different mechanisms of action

Both FPG and PPG Contribute to Elevated A1C Levels



FPG and PPG: Contribution to A1C

As Patients Approach A1C Goal,
the Need to Manage PPG Increases



Monnier. *Diabetes Care*. 2003;26:881.

Rational Combination Therapy

Approved Drugs for Type 2 Diabetes (US)

Mostly Target <u>Fasting</u> Hyperglycemia	Mostly Target <u>Post-Prandial</u> Hyperglycemia
Insulin (long-acting)	Insulin (rapid-acting)
Sulfonylureas	Pramlintide
Metformin	Glucosidase Inhibitors
Thiazolidinediones	Meglitinides
Bromocryptine	DDPIV Inhibitors
GLP-1 Agonists/Analogues	GLP-1 Agonists/Analogues
SGLT2 Inhibitors	SGLT2 Inhibitors

Principle 3

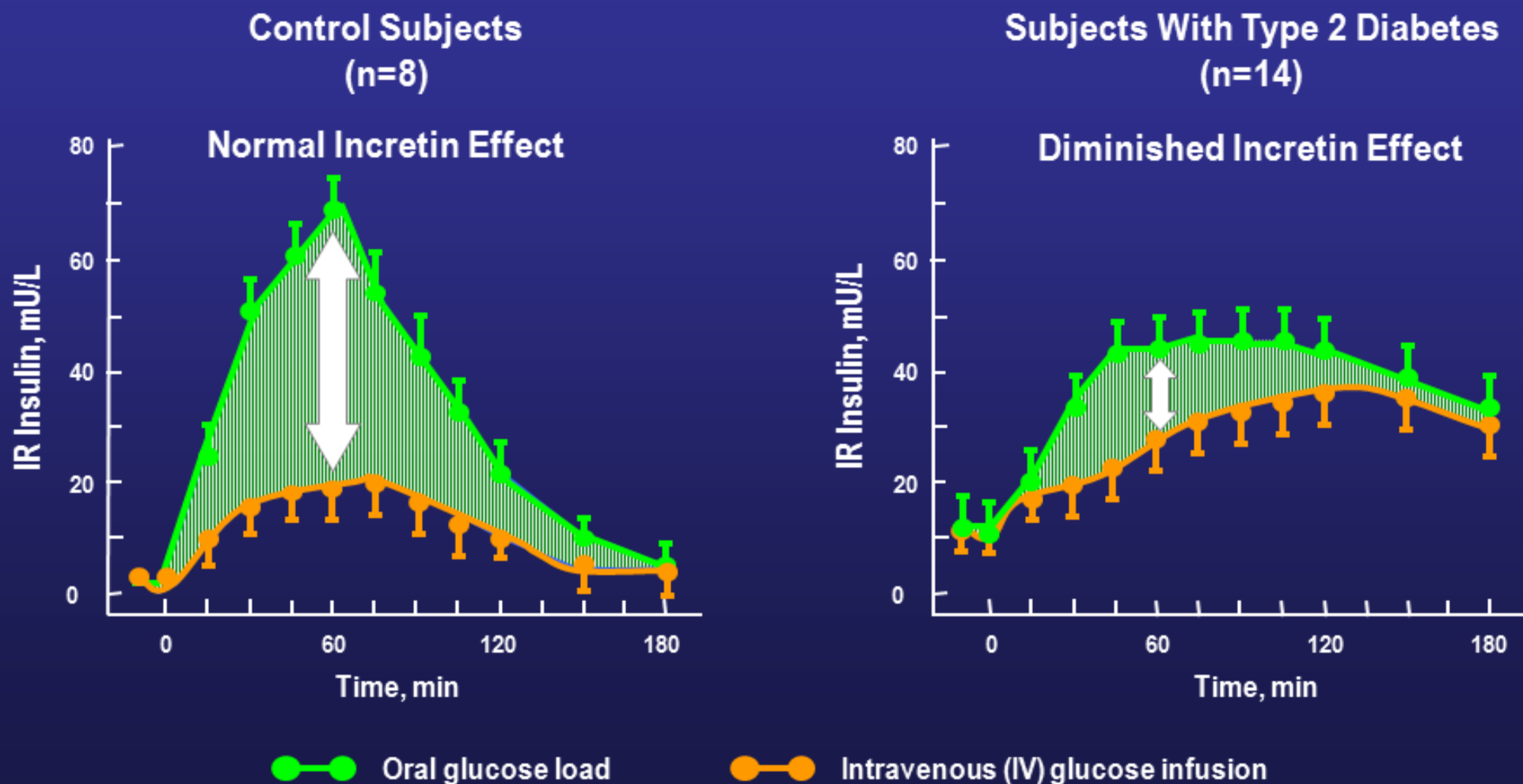
- Avoid hypoglycemia
- Avoid weight gain

Differential Effects of T2DM Treatments

Treatment	Effect on Weight	Risk of Hypoglycemia
Lifestyle Therapy	↓↓	→
Lifestyle + Weight Loss Medication	↓↓↓	→
Insulin	↑↑	↑↑↑
Sulfonylureas	↑↑	↑↑↑
Thiazolidinediones	↑↑	→
Glinides	↑	↑
DPPIV Inhibitors	→	→
Colesevelam	→	→
Bromocriptine	→	→
α-glucosidase Inhibitor	→	→
Metformin	↓	→
GLP-1 Agonists	↓↓	→
SGLT2 Inhibitors	↓↓	↑→

GLP-1 Receptor Agonists

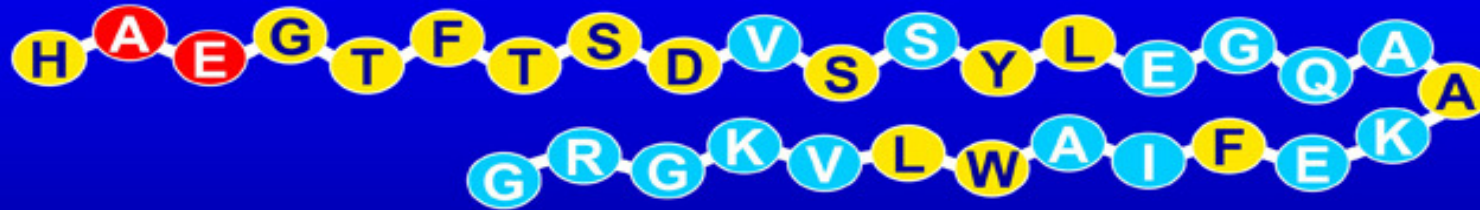
The Incretin Effect Is Diminished in Subjects With Type 2 Diabetes¹



IR=immunoreactive.

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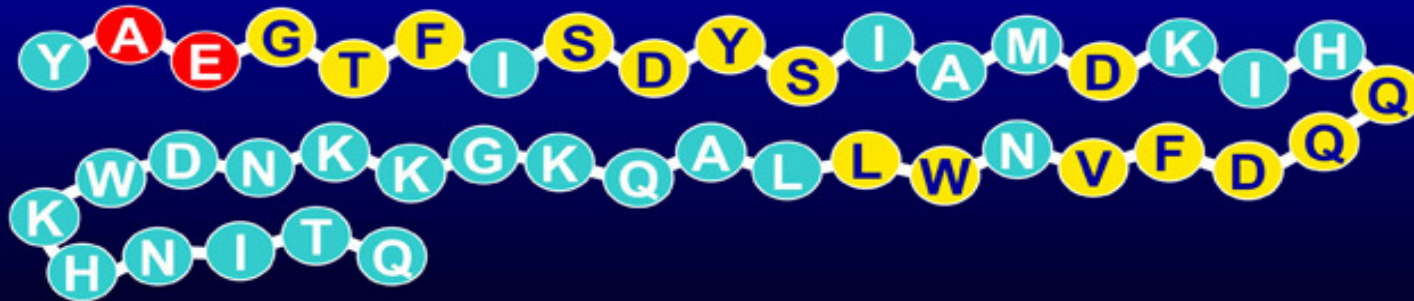
GLP-1: Glucagon-Like Peptide 1



Secreted by L cells in the ileum and colon; inhibits gastric emptying and GI motility; inhibits food intake; inhibits glucagon secretion

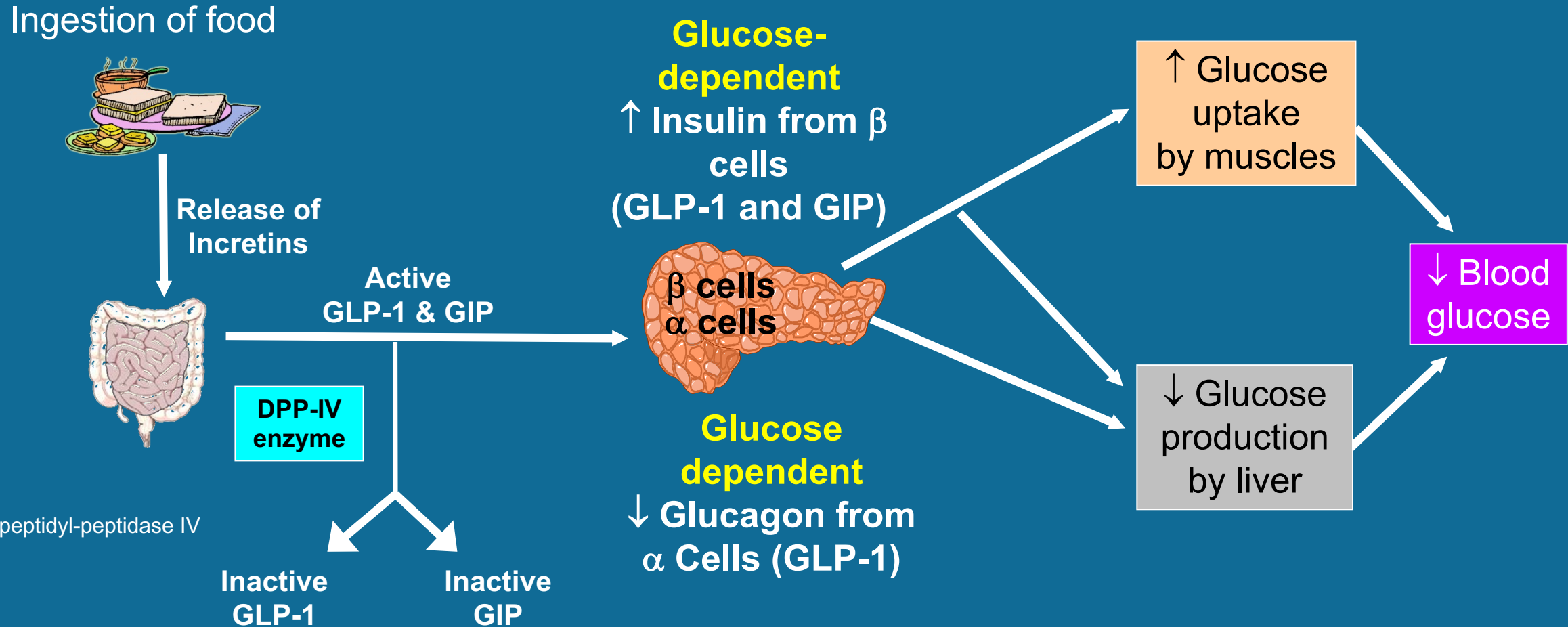
GIP: Gastric Inhibitory Polypeptide

Glucose-Dependent Insulinotropic Polypeptide

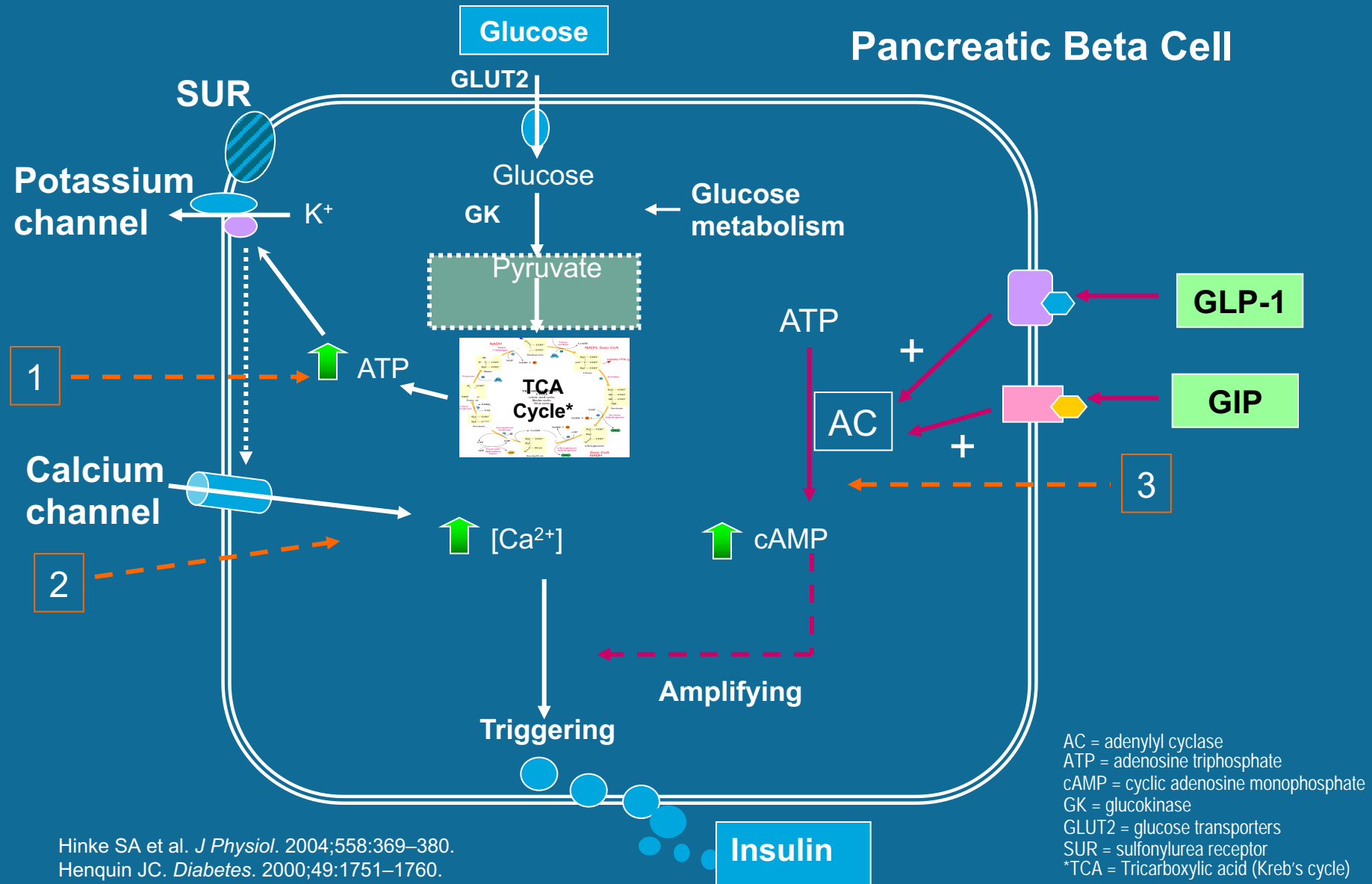


Secreted by K cells in the duodenum; no effects on GI motility; food intake, or glucagon secretion

Role of Incretins in Glucose Homeostasis



Glucose-Stimulated Secretion of Insulin



Hinke SA et al. *J Physiol.* 2004;558:369–380.
 Henquin JC. *Diabetes.* 2000;49:1751–1760.
 Henquin JC. *Diabetes.* 2004;53:S48–S58.

Strategies for Enhancing GLP-1 Action

- Dipeptidyl peptidase-4 (DPP-IV) inhibitors
 - Extend half-life of endogenous GLP-1 by inhibiting the actions of DPP-IV

Name	Administration Frequency	Degradation
Sitagliptin	Q day	renal
Vildagliptin	Q/day or 2x/day	renal
Saxagliptin	Q day	renal
Linagliptin	Q day	feces
Alogliptin	Q day	renal

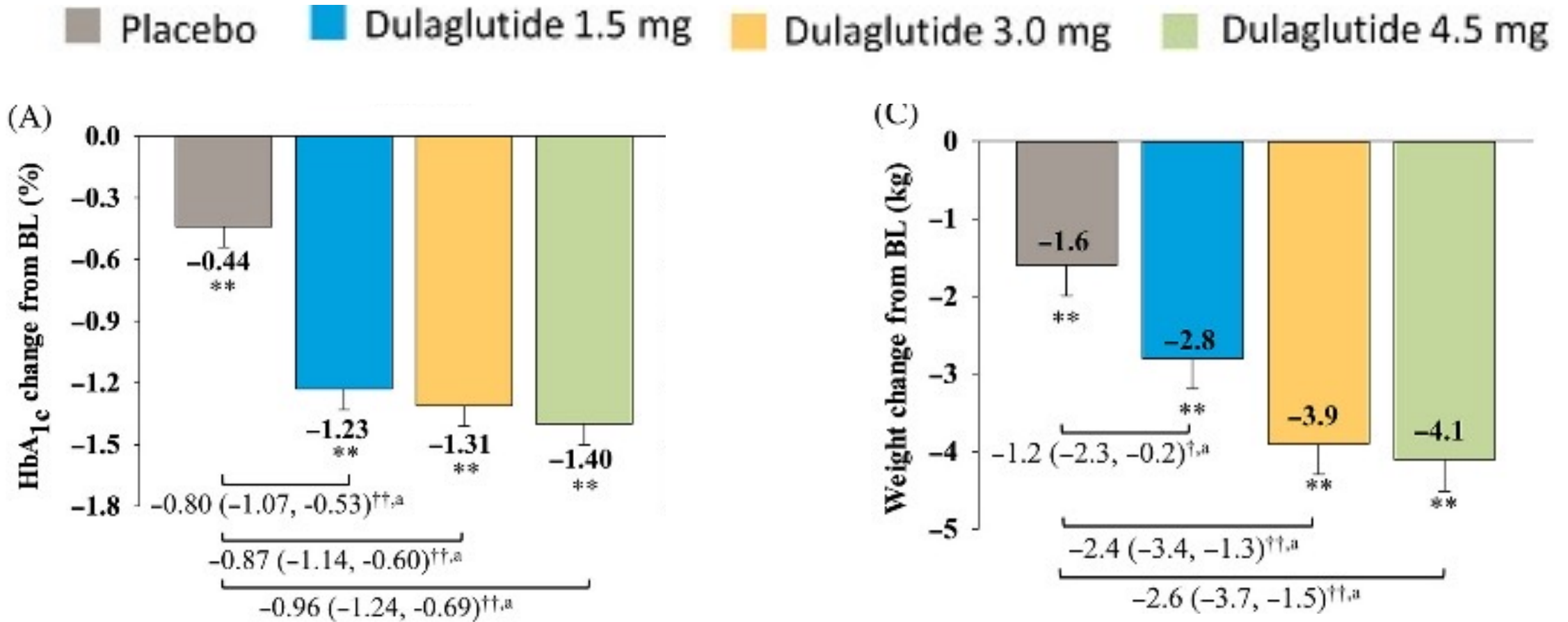
Strategies for Enhancing GLP-1 Action

- GLP-1 receptor agonists
 - Activators of the GLP-1 receptor
 - Structurally modified to confer resistance to degradation by DPPIV)

Name	Structural modification	Administration Frequency
Exenatide	exendin-4; homolog from Gila Monster	2x/day
Liraglutide	acylation allows binding to albumin	Q day
Lixisenatide	first 39 AA of exendin-4, des-38-pro and lysine tail	Q day
Exenatide LA	biodegradable microsphere suspension	Q week
Albiglutide	GLP-1 dimer fused to albumin	Q week
Dulaglutide	fusion with human Fc fragment of Ig G4	Q week
Semaglutide	Acylation for albumin bind and AA change	Q week

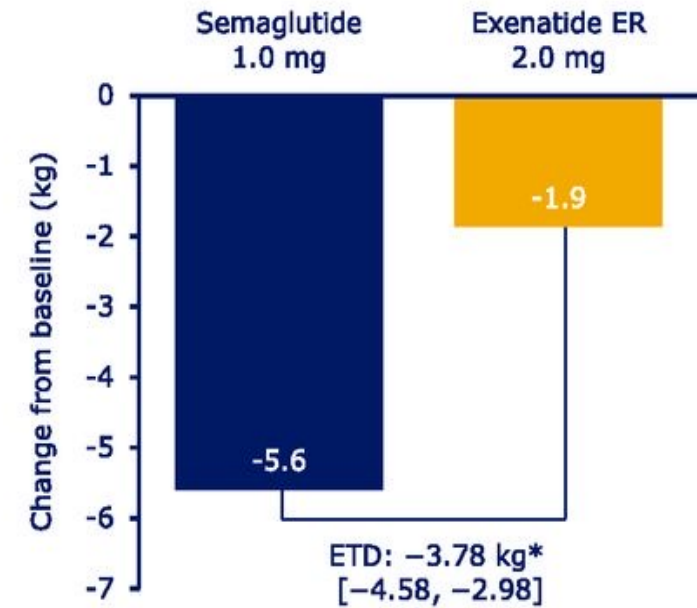
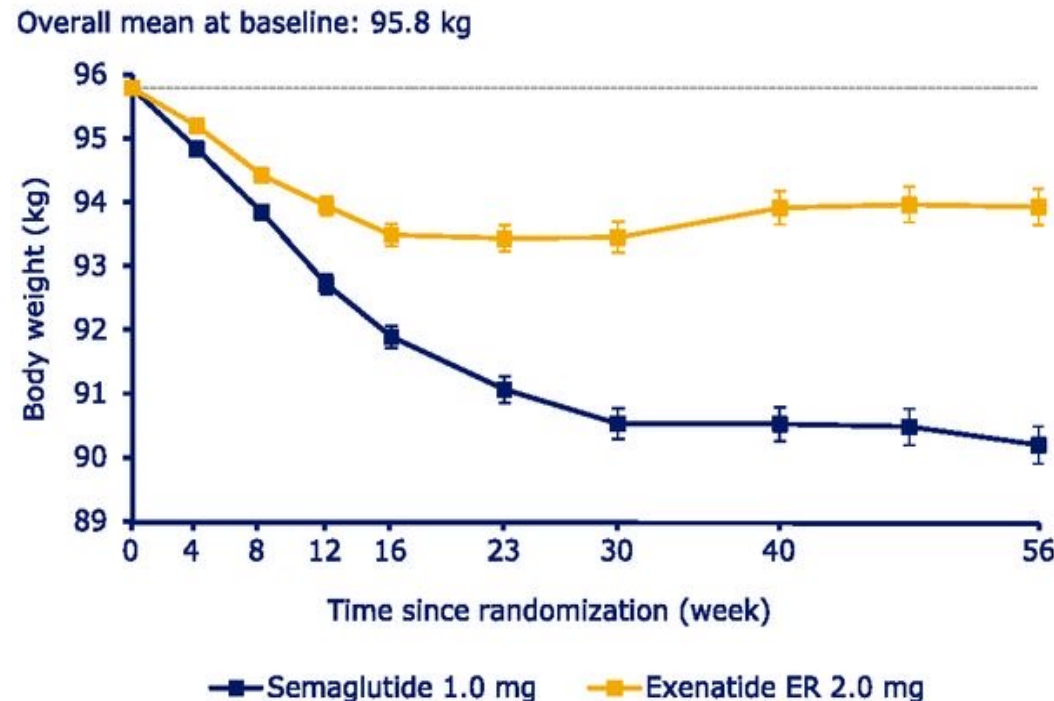
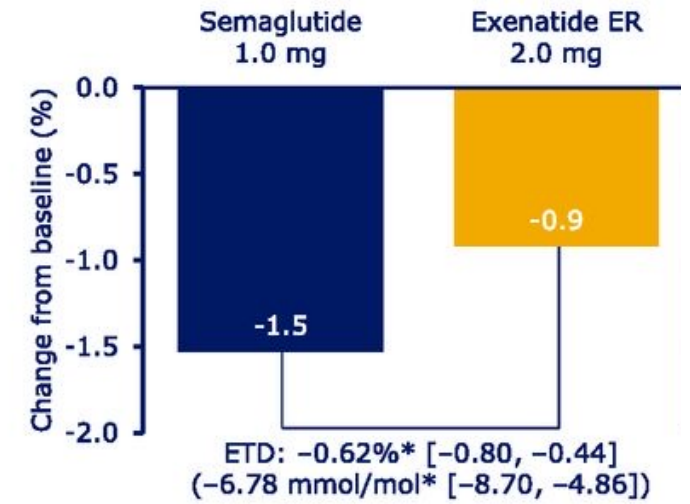
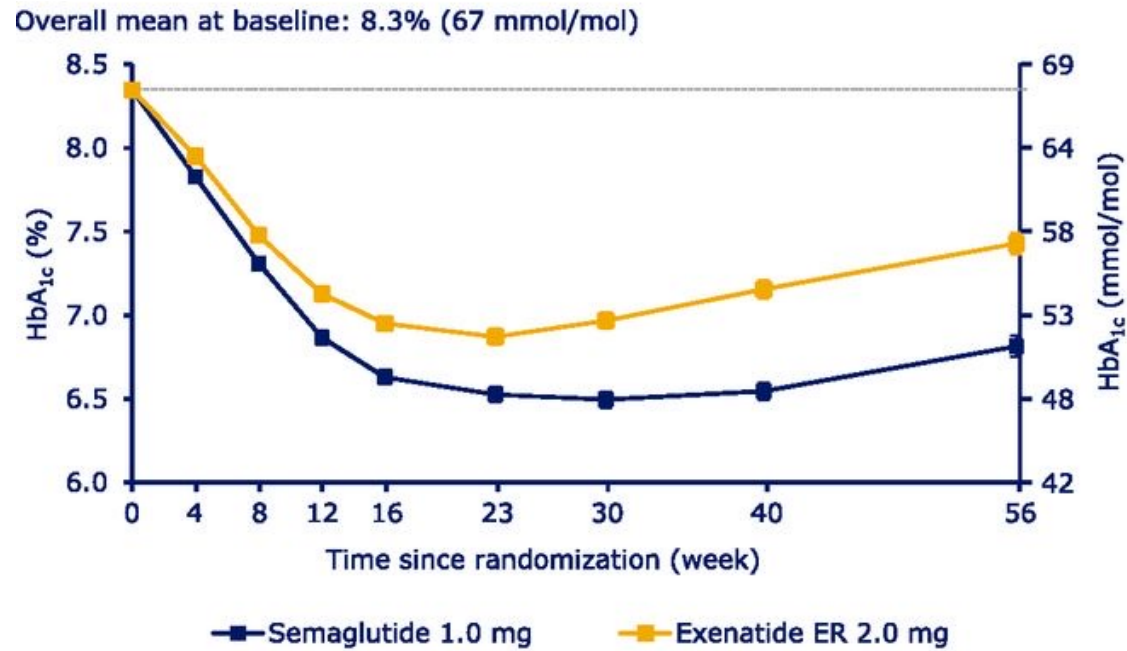
High Dose Dulaglutide

Efficacy and safety of an expanded dulaglutide dose range: A phase 2, placebo-controlled trial in patients with type 2 diabetes using metformin



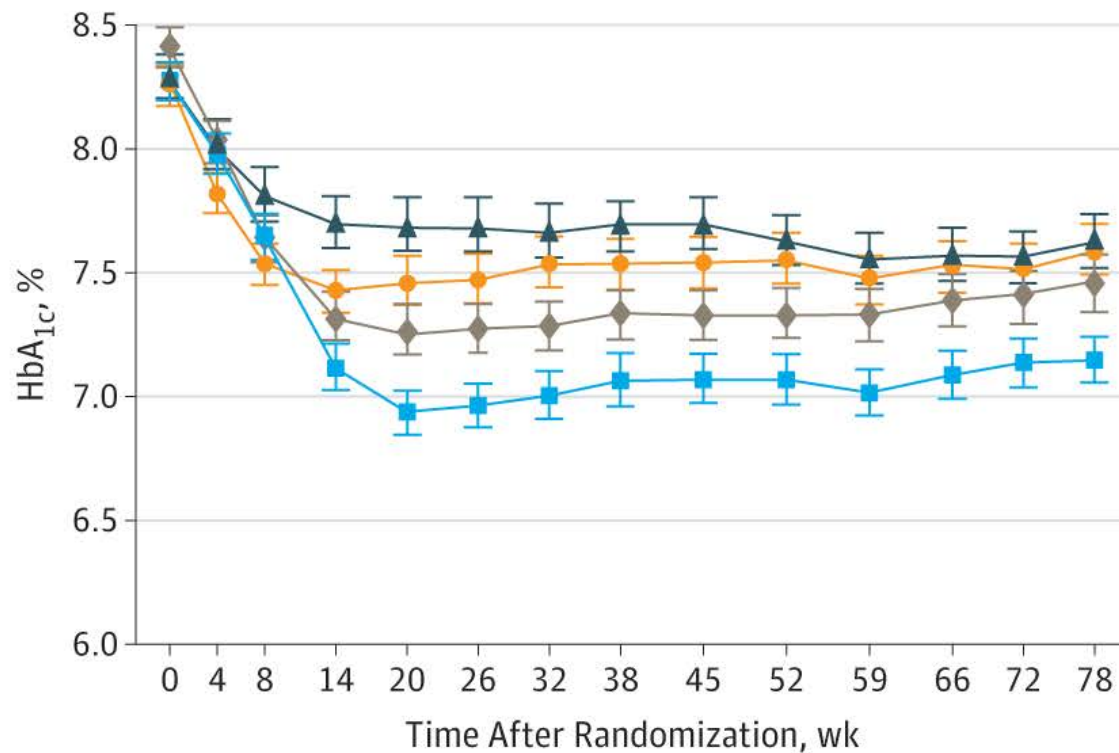
Semaglutide VS Exenatide

Effects on HbA1c and Weight

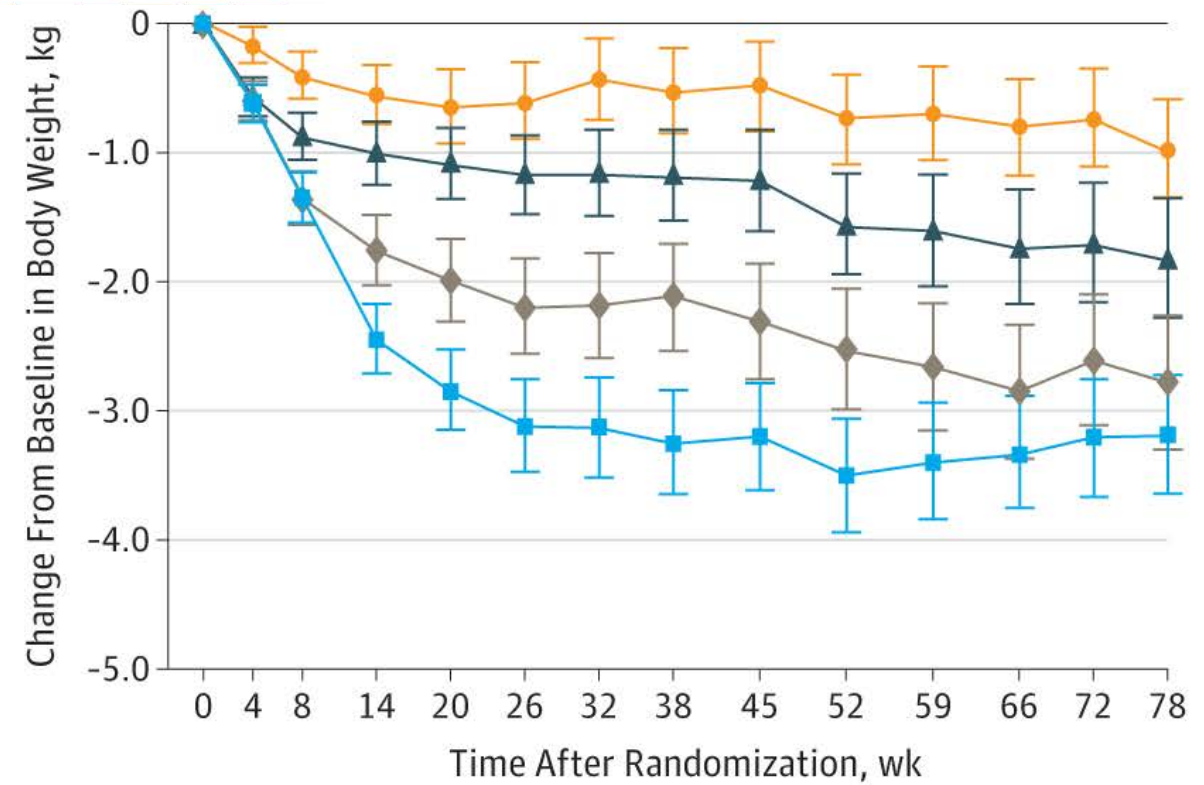


Oral Semaglutide Decreases both HbA1c and Body Weight in T2DM

Observed HbA_{1c} (%)

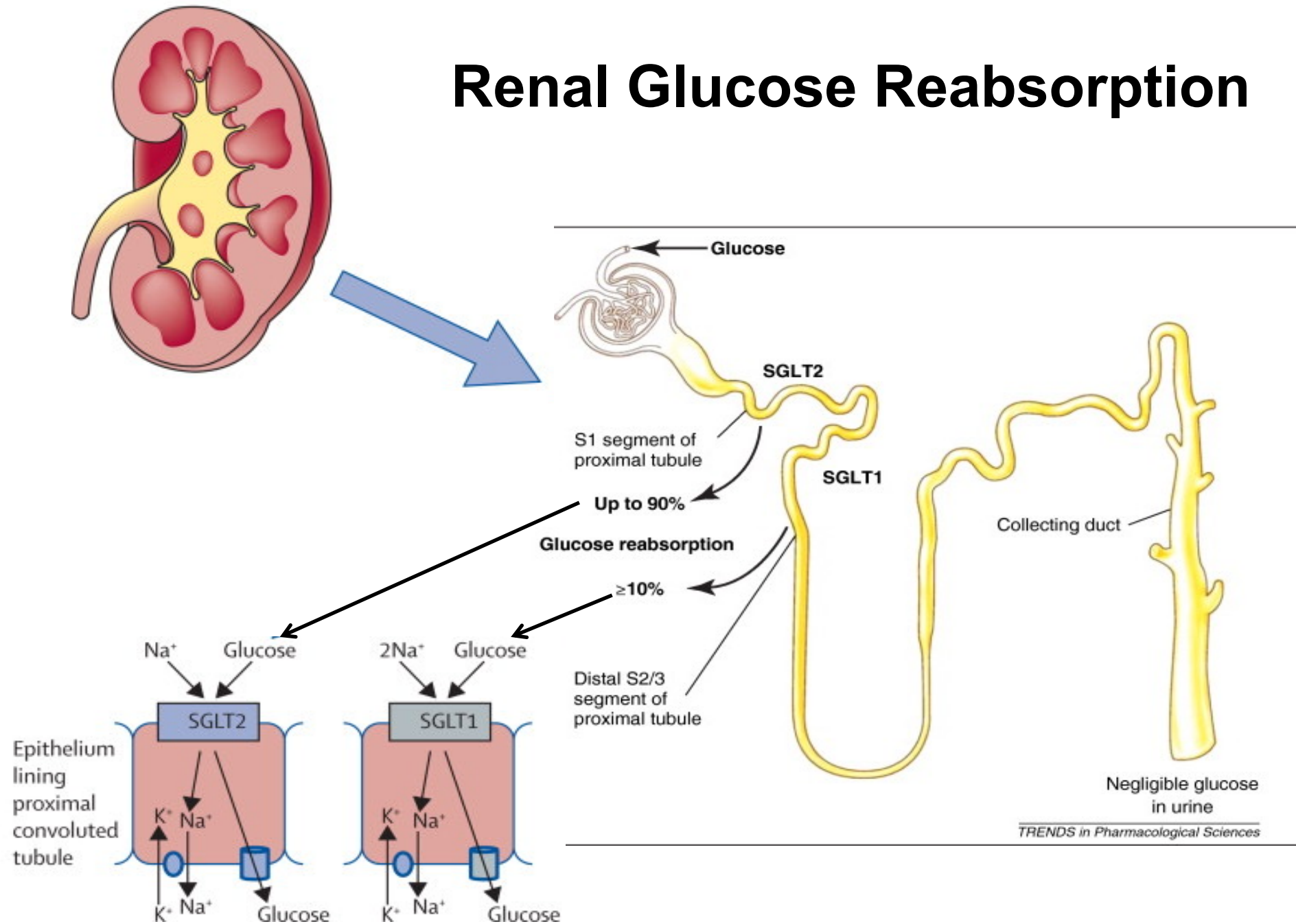


Change in Weight (kg)



SGLT2 Inhibitors

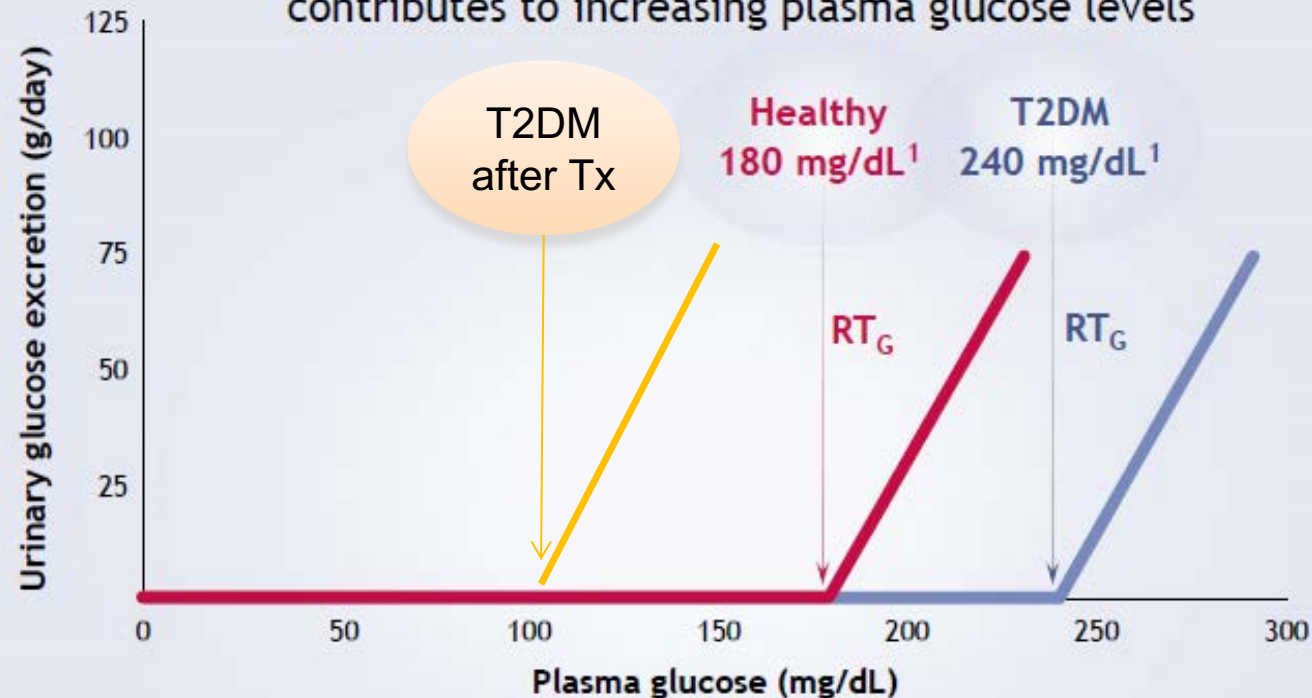
Renal Glucose Reabsorption



Renal Glucose Reabsorption

Renal Threshold for Glucose Excretion (RT_G) Is Increased in T2DM

Renal glucose reabsorption is increased in T2DM, which contributes to increasing plasma glucose levels

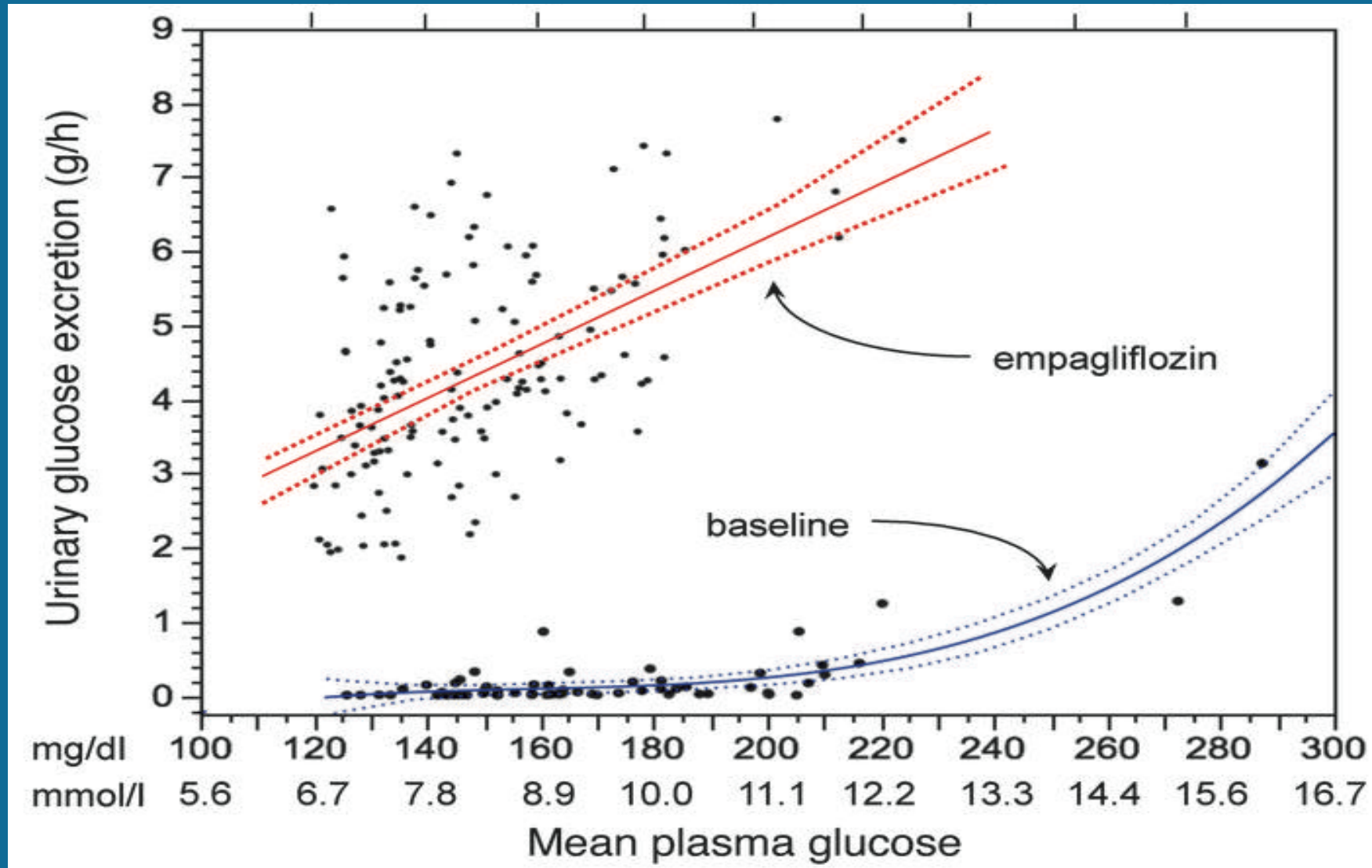


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T2DM = type 2 diabetes mellitus.

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Effects of SGLT2 Inhibitors on GLUCOSE EXCRETION RATES



SGLT2 Inhibitors

- Induce glycosuria by decreasing renal T_m for glucose
- Lowers blood glucose through insulin-independent mechanism
- Lowers blood pressure and body weight, but increases LDL-c
- Watch for genital infections and dehydration, and DKA
- Avoid if eGFR < 30-60 ml/min

Name	Dose	Specificity
Canagliflozin	100, 300 mg/day	SGLT2 and low SGLT1
Dapagliflozin	5, 10 mg/day	SGLT2
Empagliflozin	10, 25 mg/day	SGLT2
Ertagliflozin	5, 15 mg/day	SGLT2

Principle 4

Evolving Pharmacotherapy:

select diabetes medications based on the risk or presence of

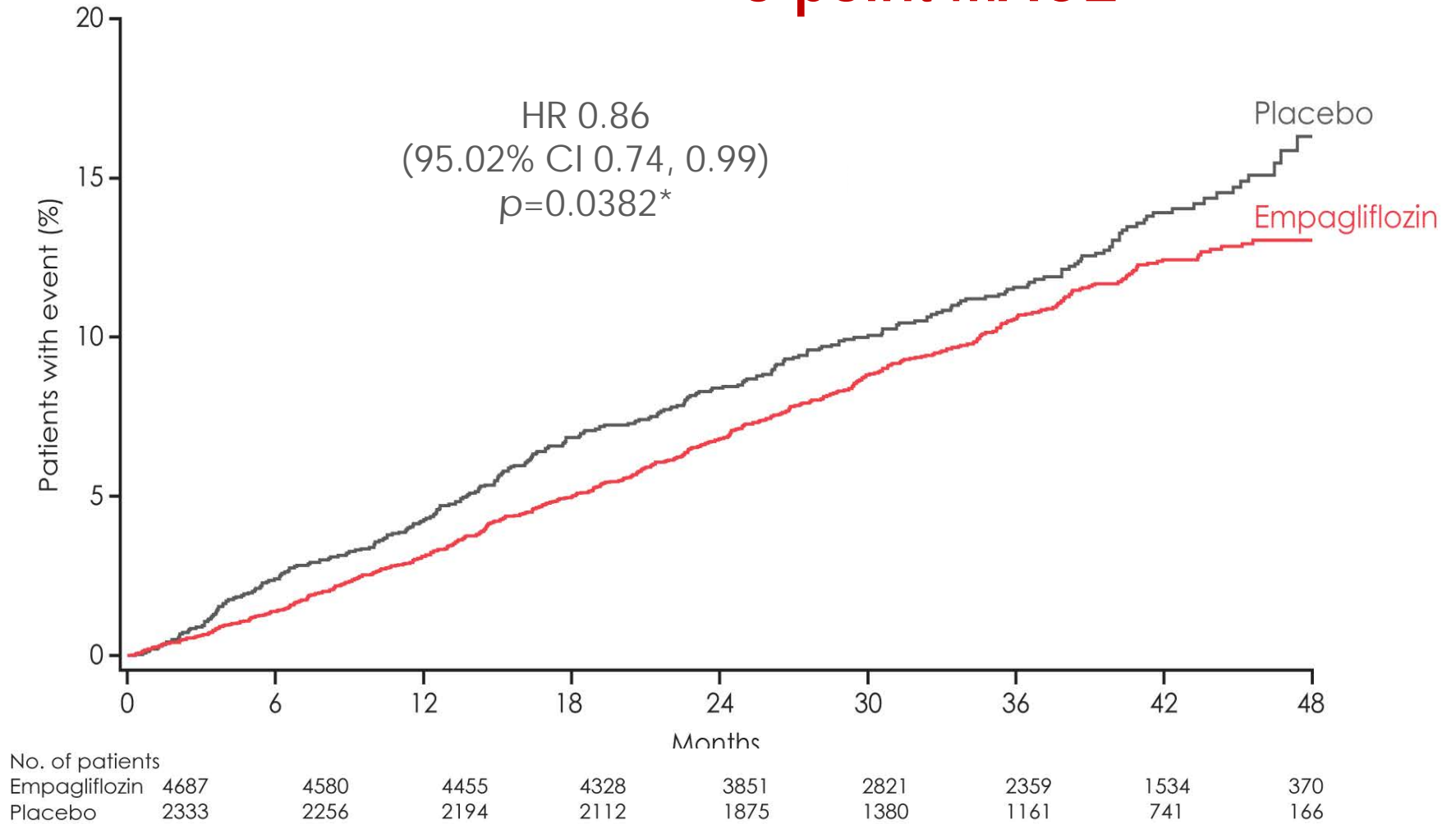
- CVD
- Stroke
- CHF
- Renal Decline

Empagliflozin

Primary outcome: 3-point MACE

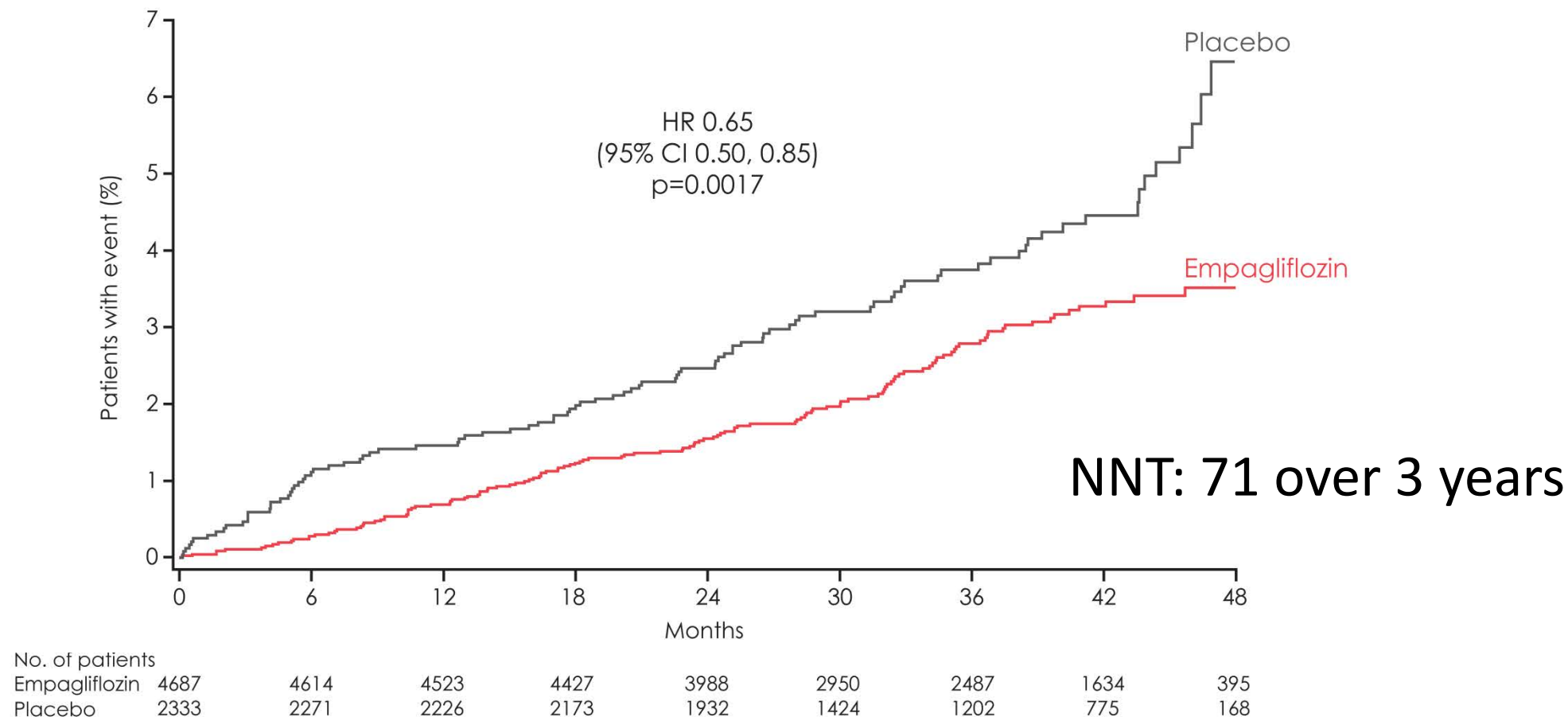
MACE

- CV death
- Non-lethal MI
- Non-lethal stroke



EMPA-REG - Empagliflozin

Hospitalization for heart failure, secondary outcome

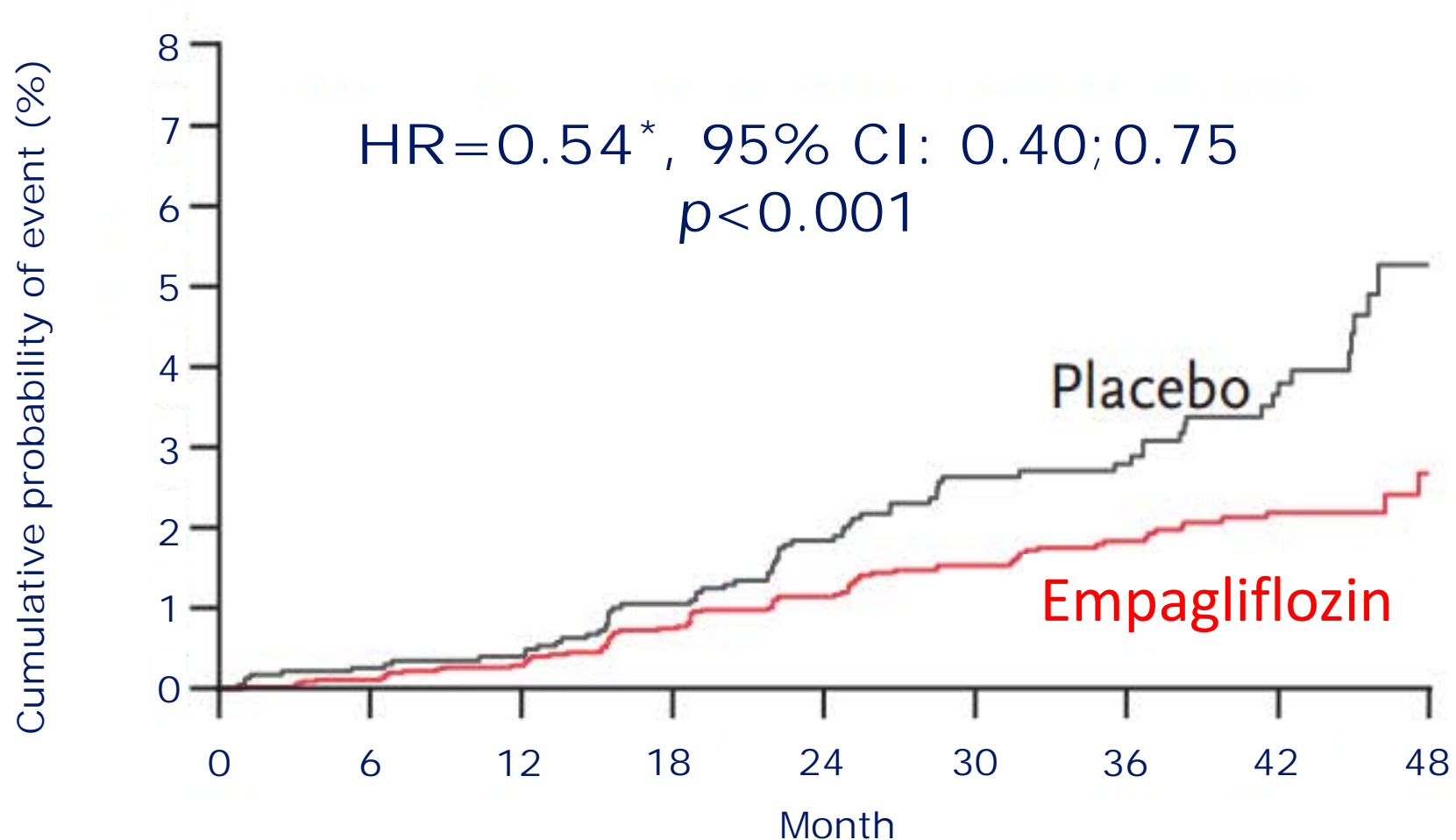


Cumulative incidence function. HR, hazard ratio

EMPA-REG - Empagliflozin

Time to first renal event (secondary outcome)

Doubling of the serum creatinine level, the initiation of renal-replacement therapy, or death from renal disease



*CI, confidence interval; HR, hazard ratio

SGLT2 inhibitors: CVOTs

DRUG	TRIAL	MACE	CV Death	Non-fatal MI	Non-fatal Stroke	% with CVD	Hospital for CHF	Renal Outcome
Empagliflozin	EMPA-REG	0.86 (.74-.99)	✓	-	-	99	0.65 (.55-.79)	0.61 (.53-.70)
Canagliflozin	CANVAS	0.86 (.67-.91)	-	-	-	66	0.78 (.67-.91)	0.60 (.47-.77)
Canagliflozin	CREDENCE	0.80 (.67-.95)	✓			50	0.69 (.57-.83)	0.70 (.59-.83)
Dapagliflozin	DECLARE-TIMI 58	NI	-	-	-	41	0.83 * (.73-.95)	0.53 (.43-.66)
Empagliflozin	EMPEROR-Reduced		NI				0.69 * (.59-.81)	0.50 (.32-.77)
Ertugliflozin	VERTIS	NI	-	-	-		0.70 (.54-.90)	NI

* = with and without diabetes

NI - = non-inferior

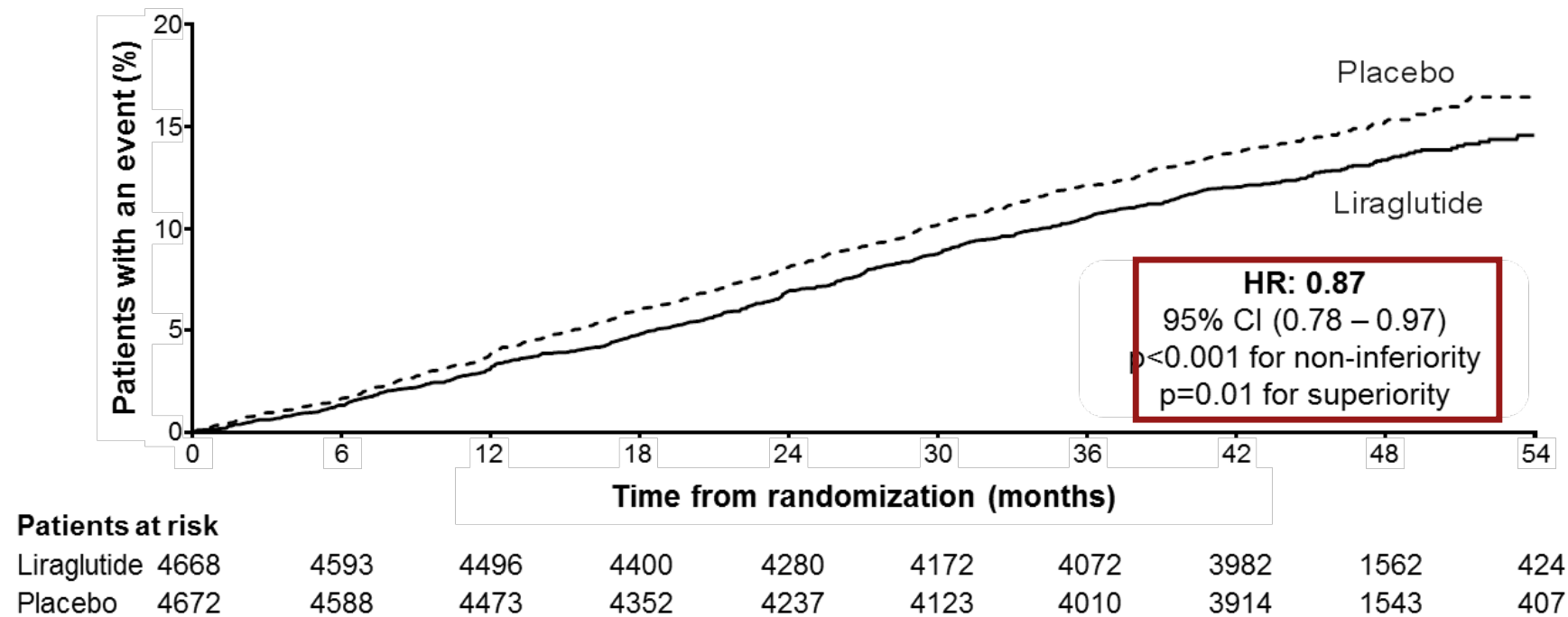
All studies show superiority for dual outcome CV death or hospital for CHF)

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LEADER Trial: Liraglutide in patients with T2DM

MACE Outcome:

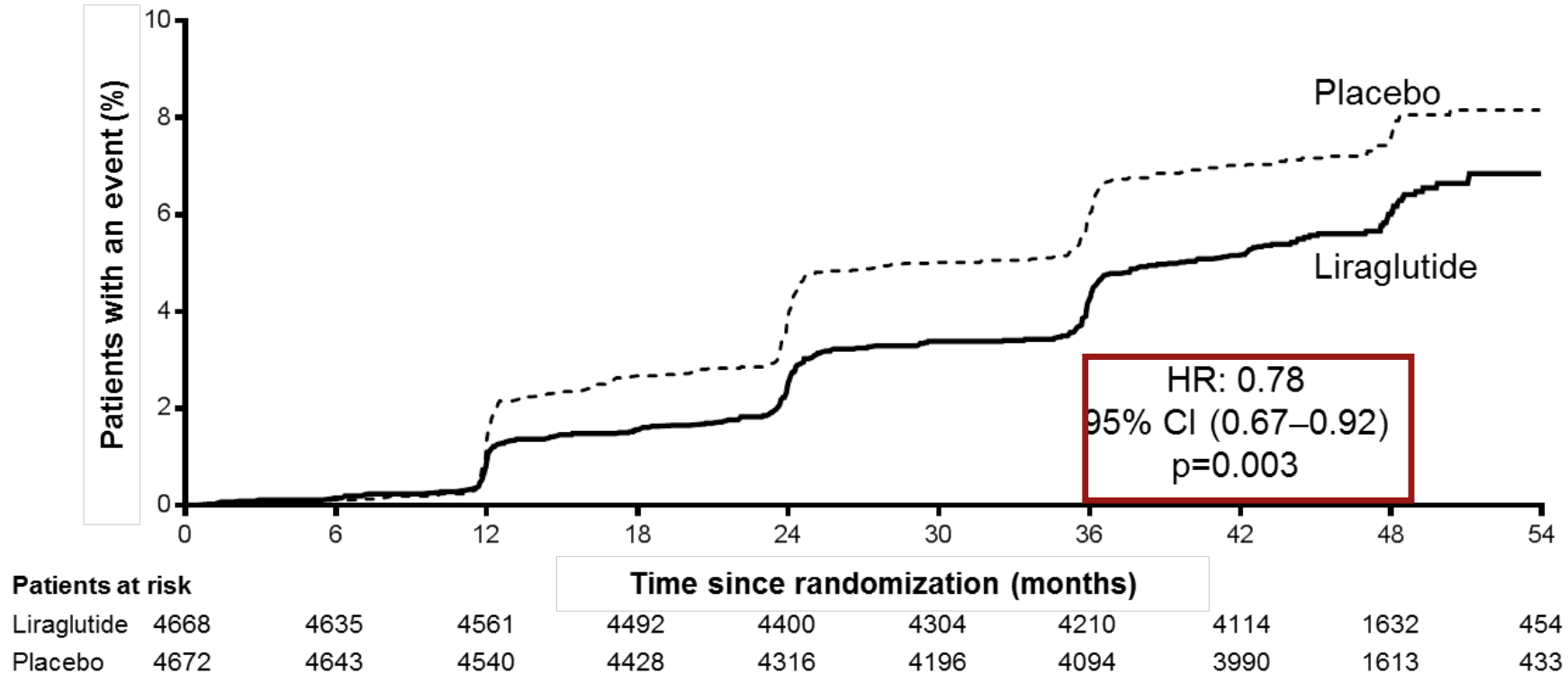
CV death, non-fatal myocardial infarction, or non-fatal stroke



The primary composite outcome in the time-to-event analysis was the first occurrence of death from cardiovascular causes, non-fatal myocardial infarction, or non-fatal stroke. The cumulative incidences were estimated with the use of the Kaplan–Meier method, and the hazard ratios with the use of the Cox proportional-hazard regression model. The data analyses are truncated at 54 months, because less than 10% of the patients had an observation time beyond 54 months. CI: confidence interval; CV: cardiovascular; HR: hazard ratio.

LEADER Trial: Time to first renal event

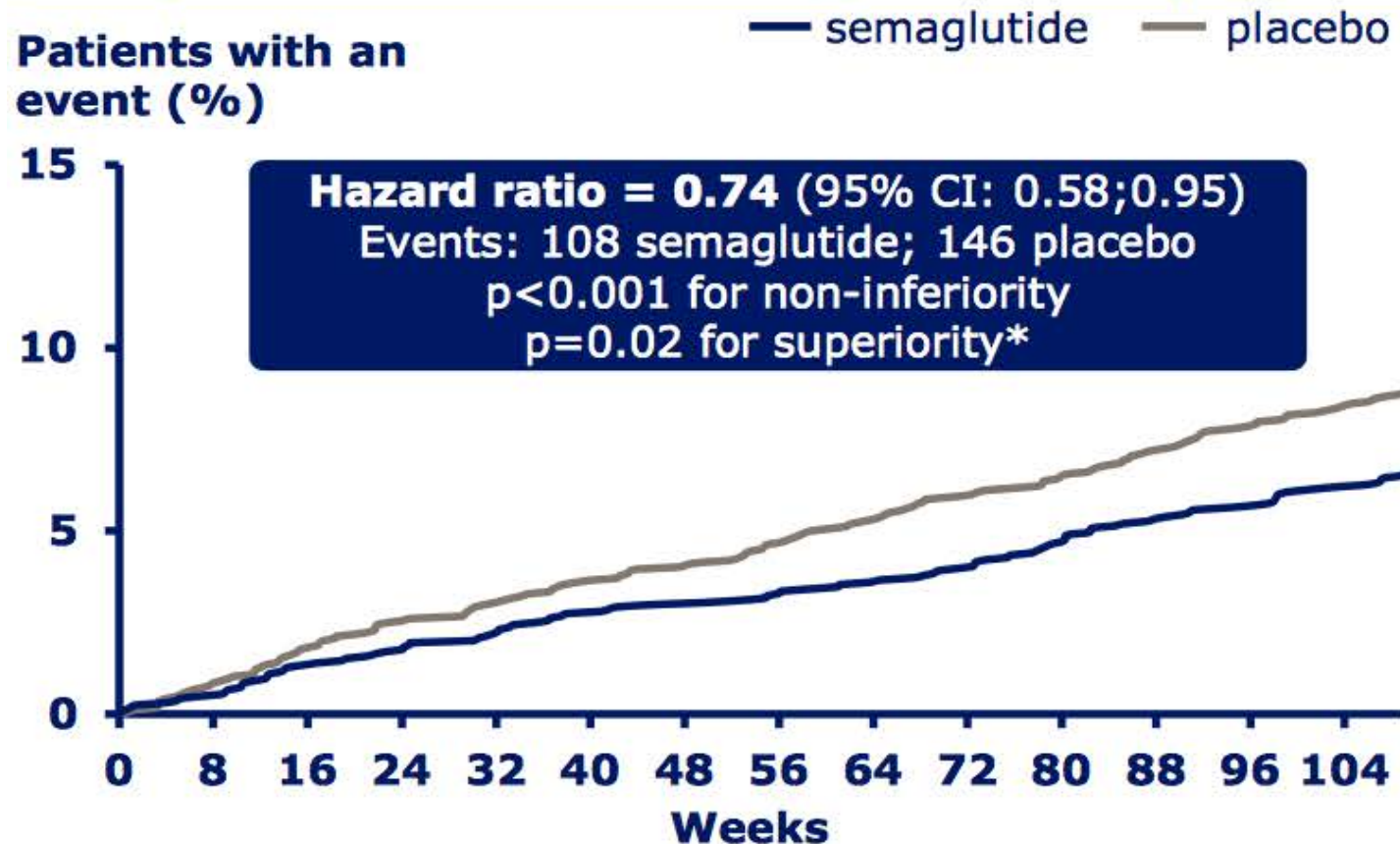
Macroalbuminuria, doubling of serum creatinine, ESRD, renal death



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SUSTAIN 6 Trial: Semaglutide in Patients with T2DM

Semaglutide demonstrated 26% reduction in composite CV outcome compared with placebo



Note: p-value is two-sided, pooled data reported for both semaglutide and placebo
MACE: Major adverse cardiovascular event; 3-point MACE comprises cardiovascular death, non-fatal myocardial infarction and non-fatal stroke; CI: Confidence interval

* No adjustment for multiple tests

Source: Marso SP, Bain SC, Consoli A, *et al.* Semaglutide and Cardiovascular Outcomes in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes. *The New England journal of medicine.* 2016

GLP-1 Receptor Agonists: CVOTs

DRUG	TRIAL	MACE	CV Death	Non-fatal MI	Non-fatal Stroke	% with CVD	Hospital for CHF	Renal Outcome
Lixisenatide	ELIXA	NI	-	-	-	100	NI	NS
Liraglutide	LEADER	0.87 (.78-.97)	✓	-	-	81	NI	0.78 (.67-.92)
Semaglutide	SUSTAIN-6	0.74 (.58-.95)	-	-	✓	83	NI	0.64 (.46-.88)
Exenatide	EXCEL	NI	-	-	-	73	NI	0.85 (.73-.98)
Albiglutide	HARMONY	0.78 (.68-.90)	-	✓	-	100	NI	
Dulaglutide	REWIND	0.88 (.79-.99)	-	-	✓	32	NI	0.85 (.77-.93)
Semaglutide (oral)	PIONEER 6	NI	-	-	-	85	NI	

NI – non-inferior

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GLYCEMIC CONTROL ALGORITHM

INDIVIDUALIZE GOALS

A1C ≤6.5%

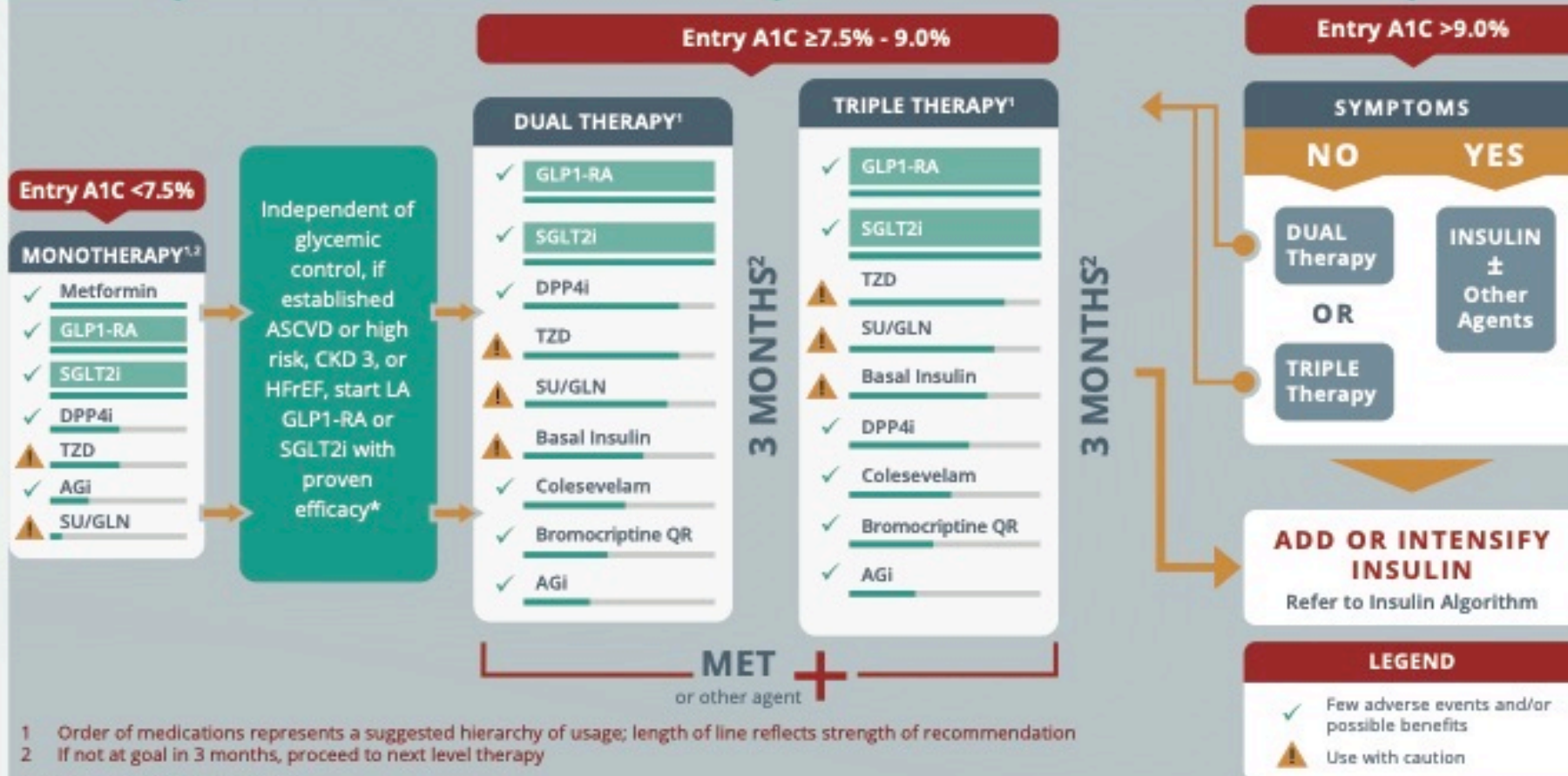
For patients without concurrent serious illness and at low hypoglycemic risk

A1C >6.5%

For patients with concurrent serious illness and at risk for hypoglycemia

LIFESTYLE THERAPY AND ONGOING GLUCOSE MONITORING (CGM preferred)

INDEPENDENT OF GLYCEMIC CONTROL, IF ESTABLISHED OR HIGH ASCVD RISK AND/OR CKD, RECOMMEND SGLT2i AND/OR LA GLP1-RA

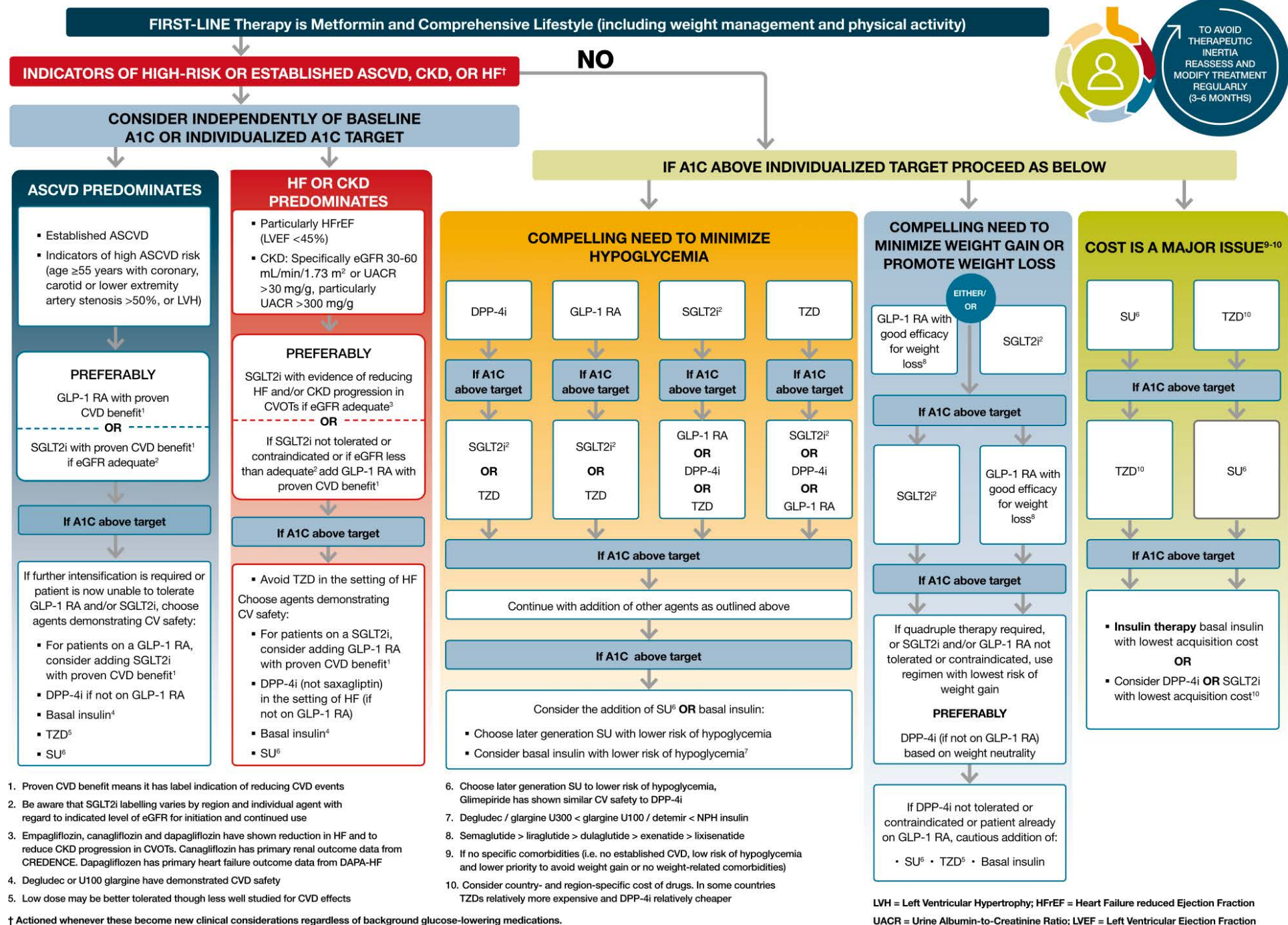


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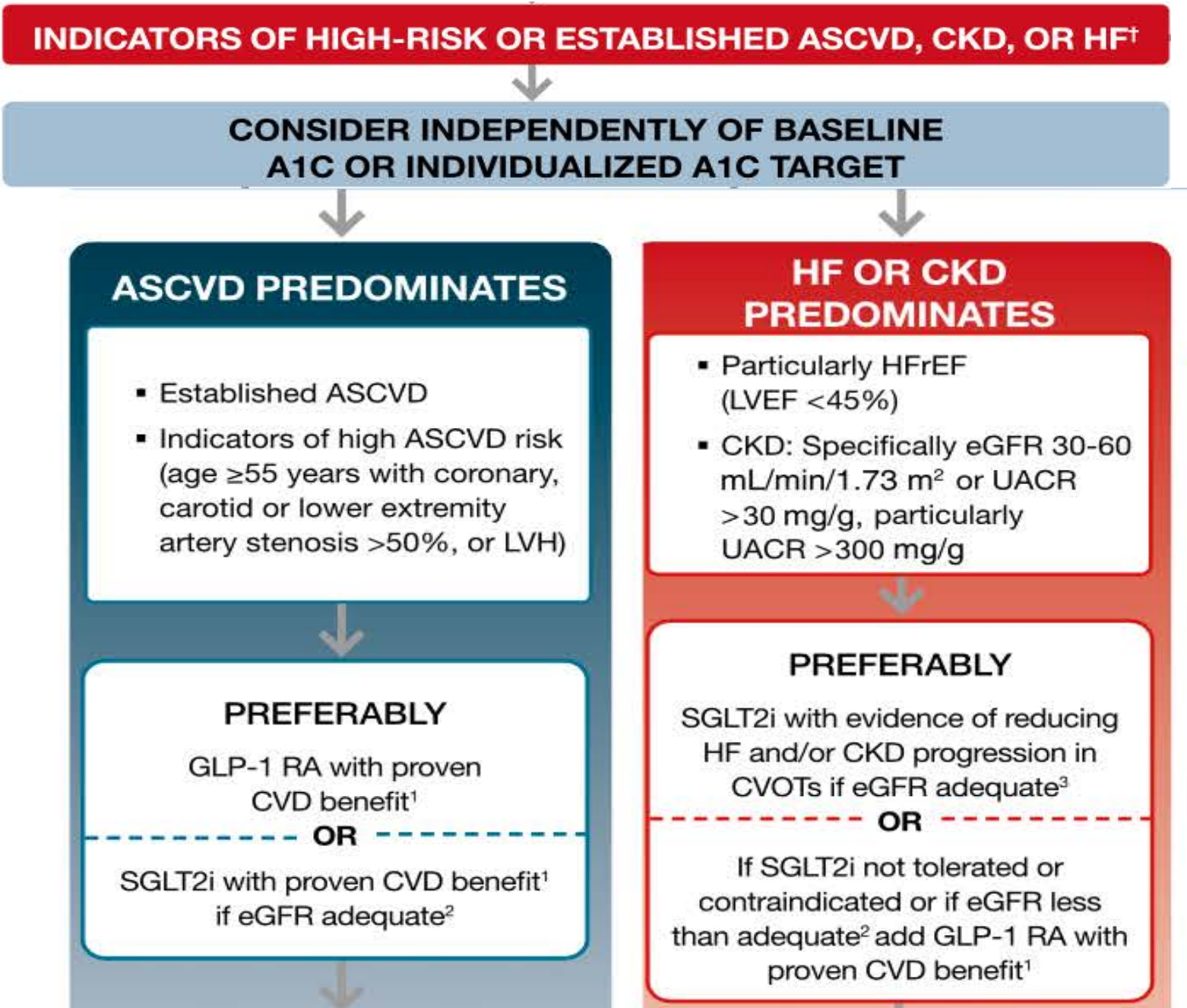
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ADA/EASD T2DM Algorithm



**ADA/EASD
T2DM
Algorithm**



American Diabetes Association. Pharmacologic approaches to glycemic treatment: Standards of Medical Care in Diabetes- 2020. Diabetes Care 2020;43(Suppl. 1):S98–S110

Treatment algorithm in patients with T2DM and ASCVD or high/very high CV risk - drug naïve (1)

a) Type 2 DM - Drug naïve patients

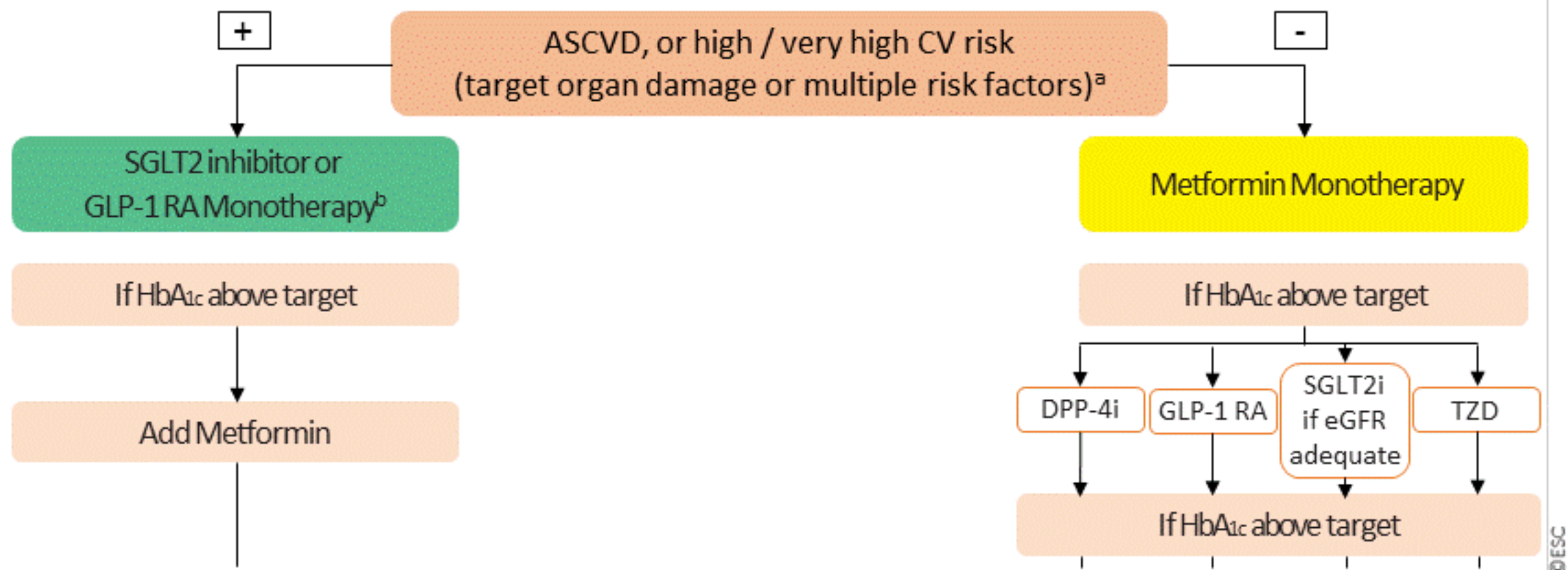


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of Type 2 Diabetes

Lifestyle Therapy

Complications-Centric Model
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Overweight/Obesity

Prediabetes Algorithm

ASCVD Risk Factor
Modifications Algorithm

Goals for Glycemic Control/
Glycemic Control Algorithm

Algorithm for Adding/
Intensifying Insulin

Profiles of Antidiabetic
Medications



ASCVD Risk Factor Modifications Algorithm



DYSLIPIDEMIA

LIFESTYLE THERAPY (Including Medically Assisted Weight Loss)

LIPID PANEL: Assess ASCVD Risk

STATIN THERAPY

If TG > 500 mg/dL, fibrates, Rx-grade omega-3 fatty acids, niacin

If statin-intolerant

Try alternate statin, lower statin
dose or frequency, or add nonstatin
LDL-C- lowering therapies

Repeat lipid panel;
assess adequacy,
tolerance of therapy

Intensify therapies to
attain goals according
to risk levels

RISK LEVELS

HIGH

VERY HIGH

EXTREME

LDL-C (mg/dL)

<100

<70

<55

Non-HDL-C (mg/dL)

<130

<100

<80

TG (mg/dL)

<150

<150

<150

Apo B (mg/dL)

<90

<80

<70

RISK LEVELS:

HIGH:
DM but no other major
risk and/or age <40

VERY HIGH:
DM + major ASCVD
risk(s) (HTN, Fam Hx,
low HDL-C, smoking,
CKD3,4)*

EXTREME:
DM plus established
clinical CVD

If not at desirable levels:

Intensify lifestyle therapy (weight loss, physical activity, dietary
changes) and glycemic control; consider additional therapy

To lower LDL-C:
To lower Non-HDL-C, TG:
To lower Apo B, LDL-P:
To lower LDL-C in FH:**

Intensify statin, add ezetimibe, PCSK9i, colesevelam, or niacin
Intensify statin and/or add Rx-grade OM3 fatty acid, fibrate, and/or niacin
Intensify statin and/or add ezetimibe, PCSK9i, colesevelam, and/or niacin
Statin + PCSK9i

Assess adequacy & tolerance of therapy with focused laboratory evaluations and patient follow-up

* EVEN MORE INTENSIVE THERAPY MIGHT BE WARRANTED

** FAMILIAL HYPERCHOLESTEROLEMIA

HYPERTENSION

**GOAL: SYSTOLIC <130,
DIASTOLIC <80 mm Hg**

ACEi
or
ARB

For initial blood pressure
>150/100 mm Hg:
DUAL THERAPY

ACEi
or
ARB

Calcium
Channel
Blocker ✓
+
β-blocker ✓
Thiazide ✓

If not at goal (2–3 months)

Add calcium channel blocker,
β-blocker or thiazide diuretic

If not at goal (2–3 months)

Add next agent from the above
group, repeat

If not at goal (2–3 months)

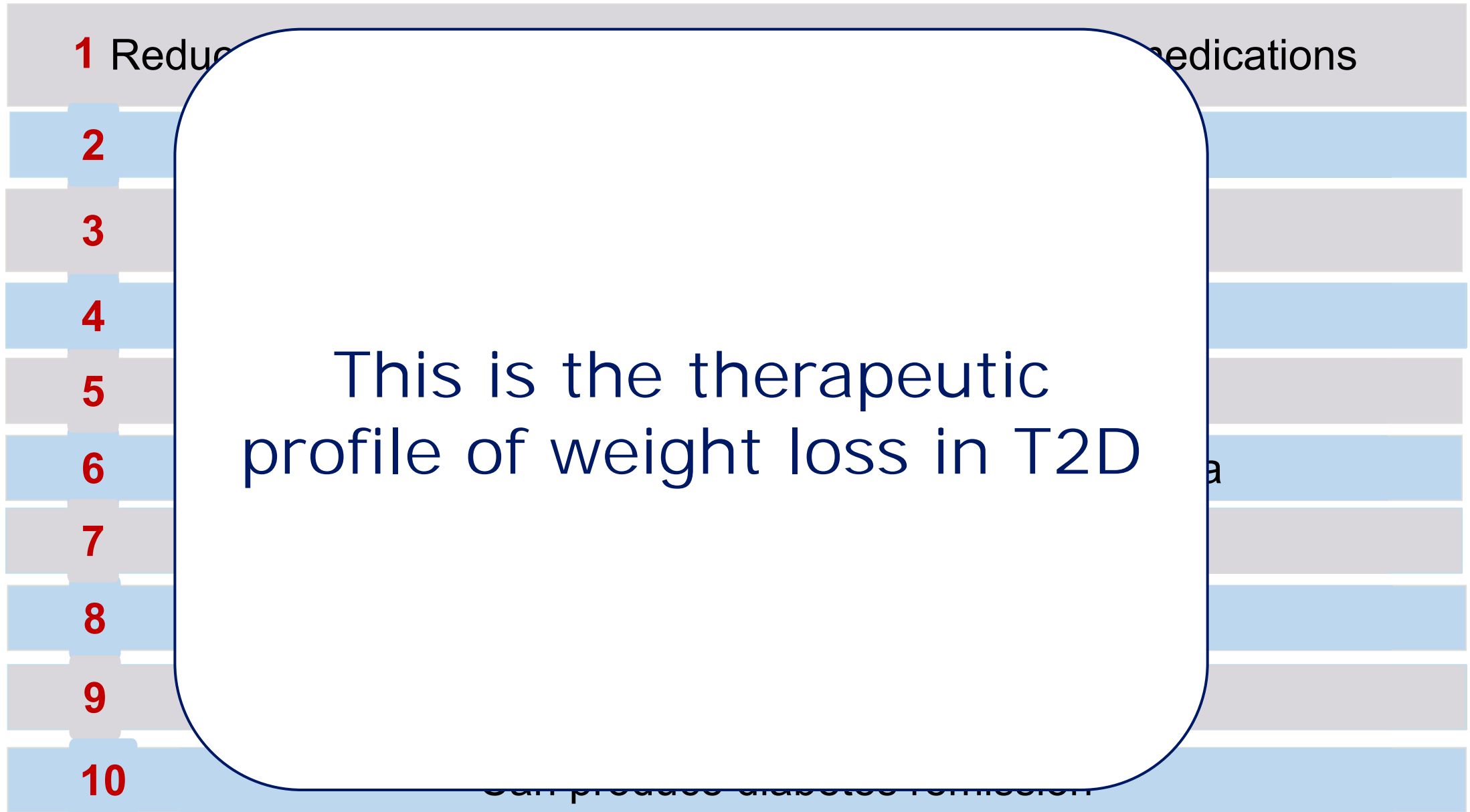
Additional choices (α-blockers,
central agents, vasodilators,
aldosterone antagonist)

Achievement of target blood
pressure is critical

Principle 5

Weight loss as a primary therapeutic modality for treating both Diabetes and Obesity: a transformation in care enabled by new tools

What if there was a treatment for T2D that:

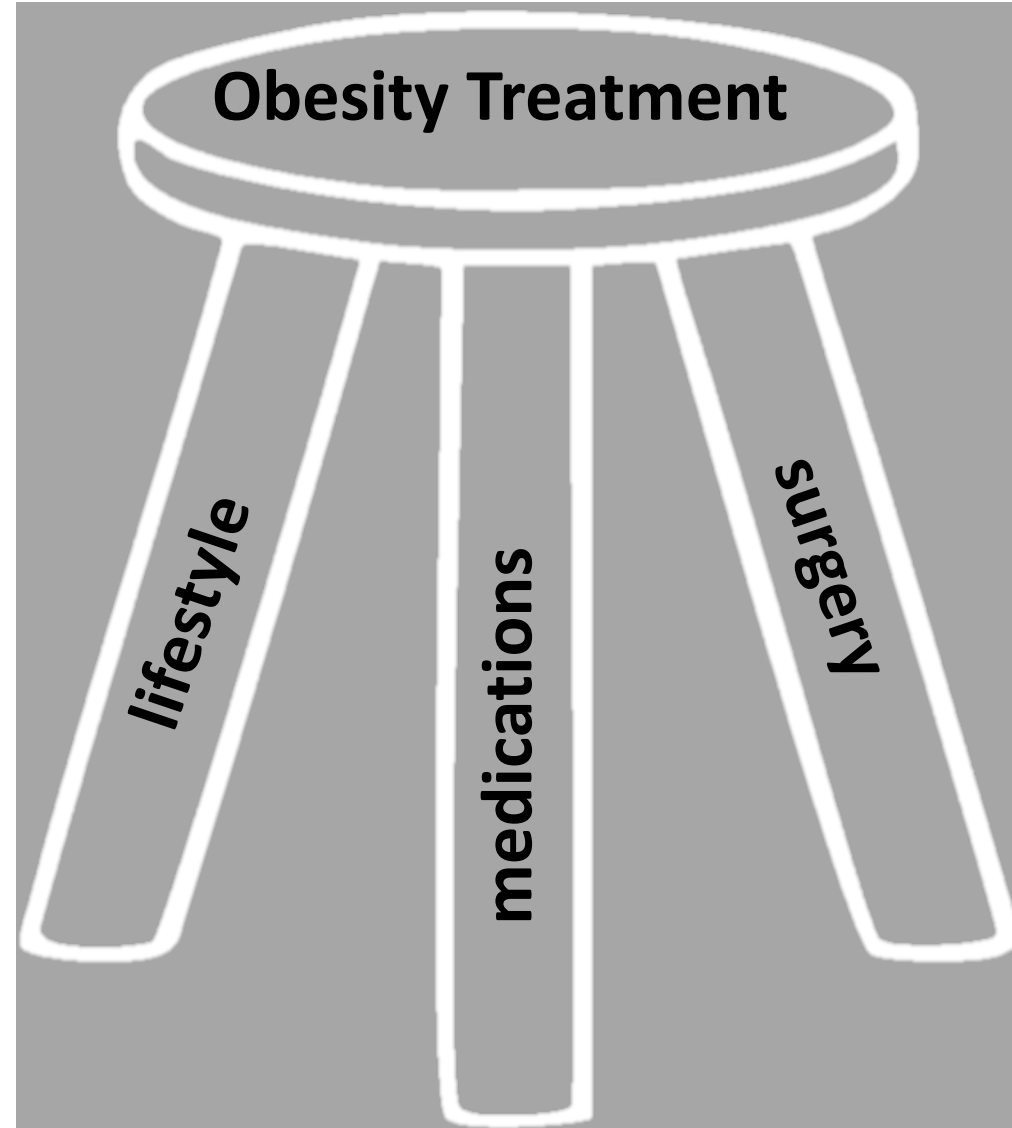


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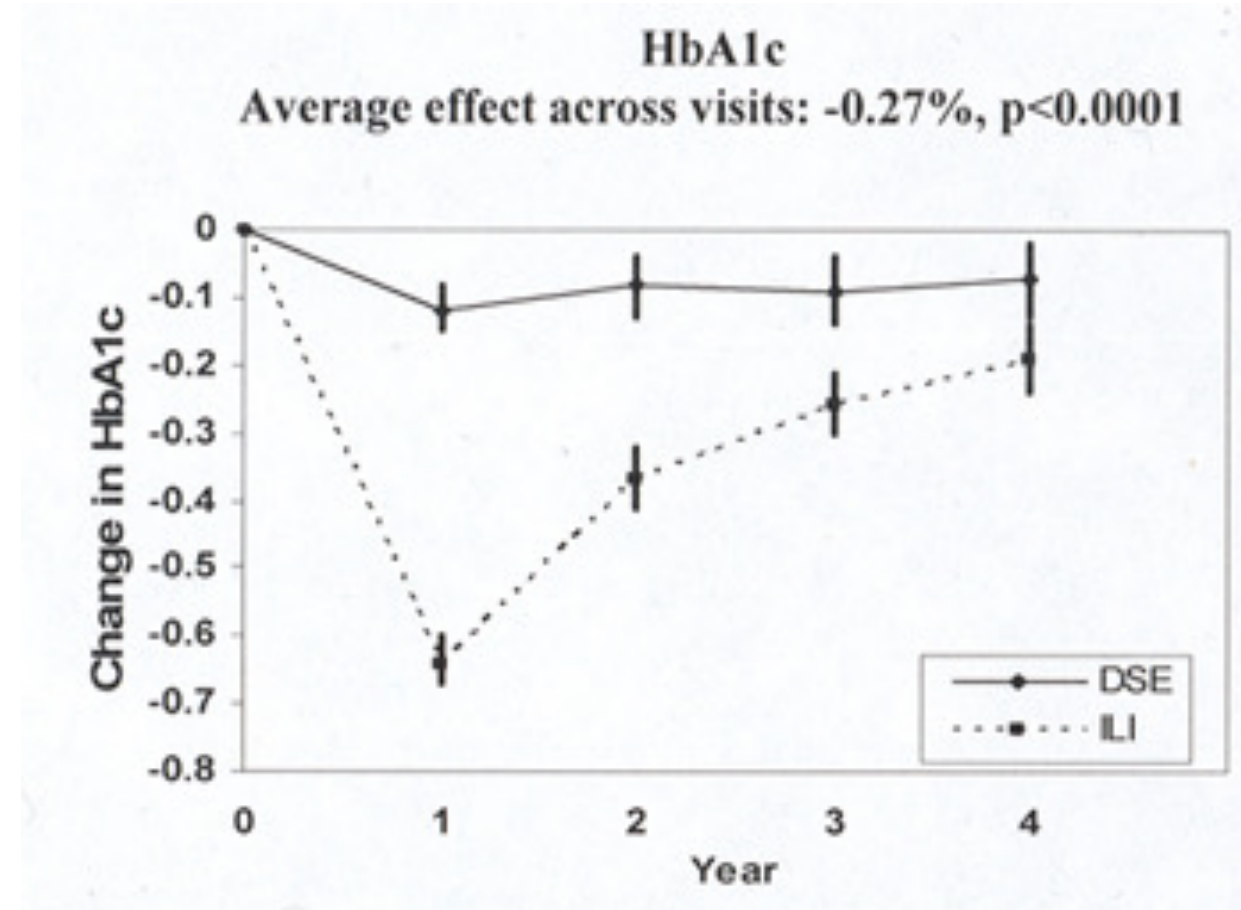
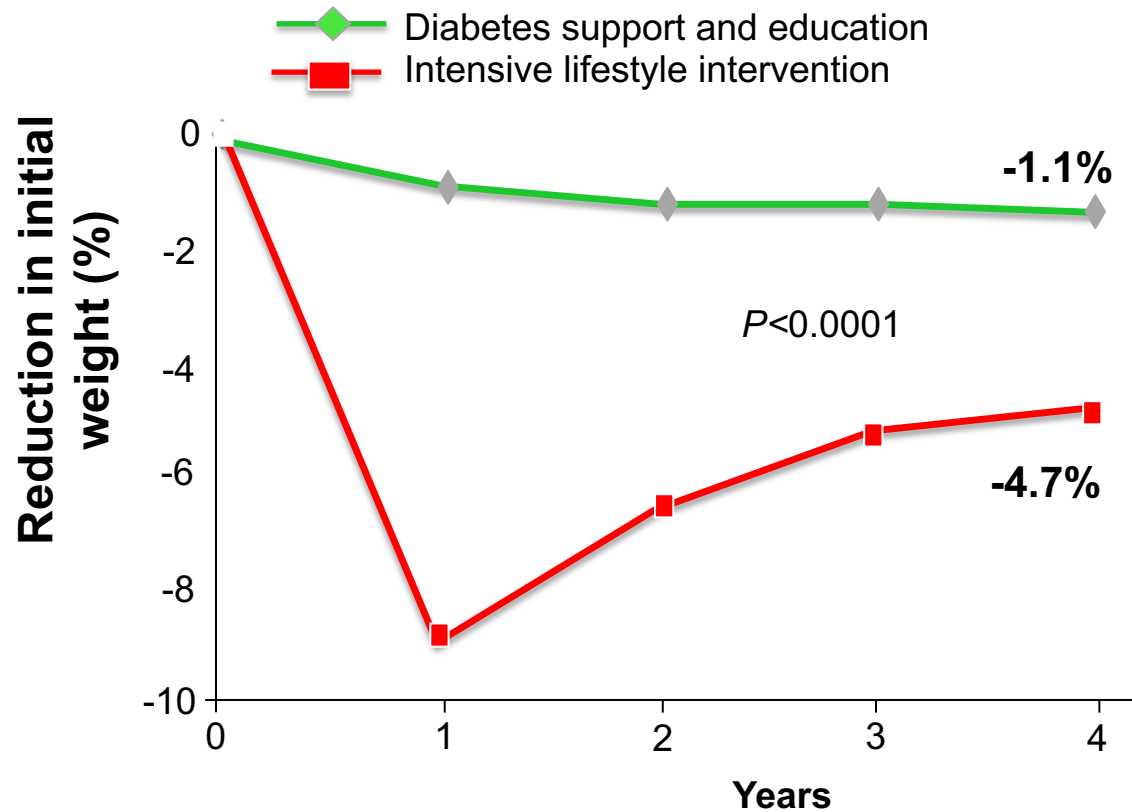
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Treatment Modalities for ABCD Patients



Intensive Intervention in T2DM: Weight Regain over 4 Years in Look AHEAD

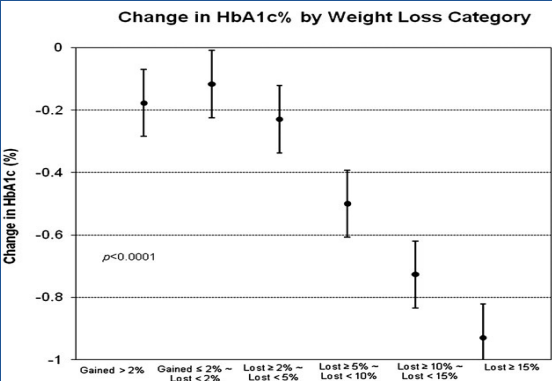
Look AHEAD Trial (N=5145)



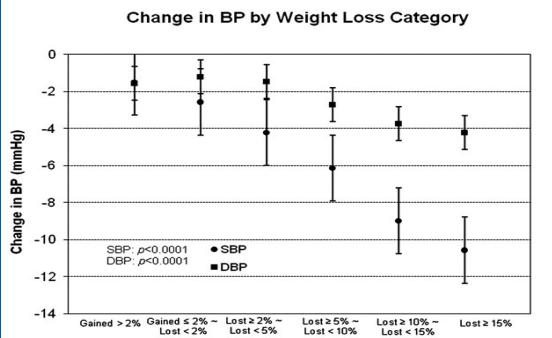
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Change in risk factors by weight loss categories for the Look AHEAD cohort.

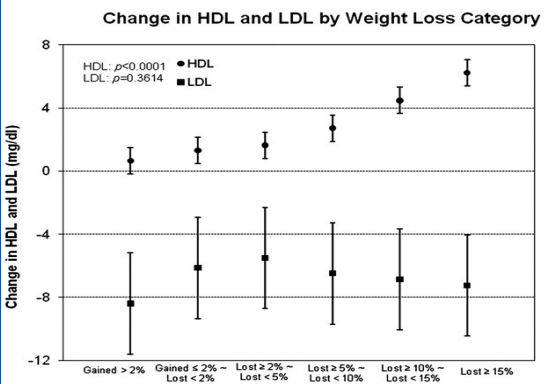
HbA1c
(Δ%)



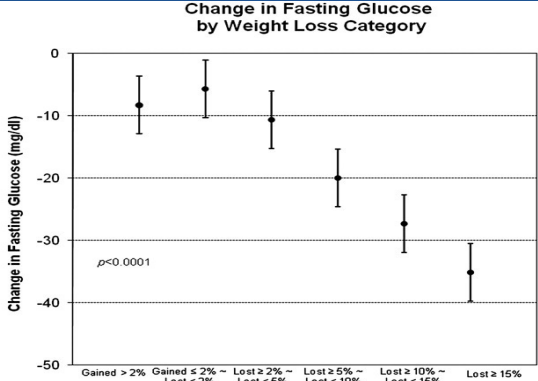
DBP and SBP
(Δ mmHg)



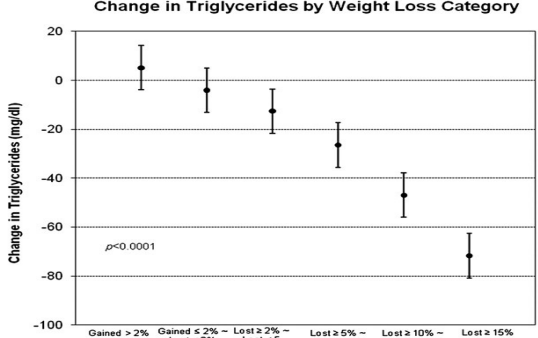
HDL and LDL
(Δ mg/dl)



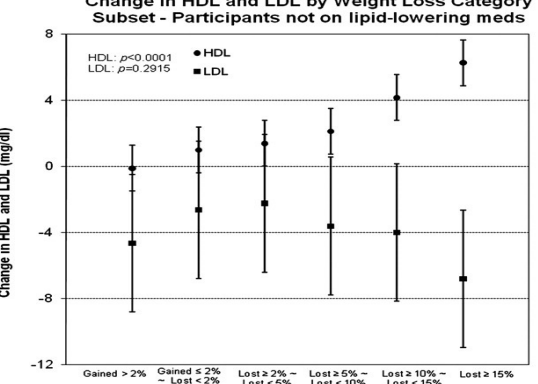
Fasting
Glucose
(Δ mg/dl)



Triglycerides
(Δ mg/dl)



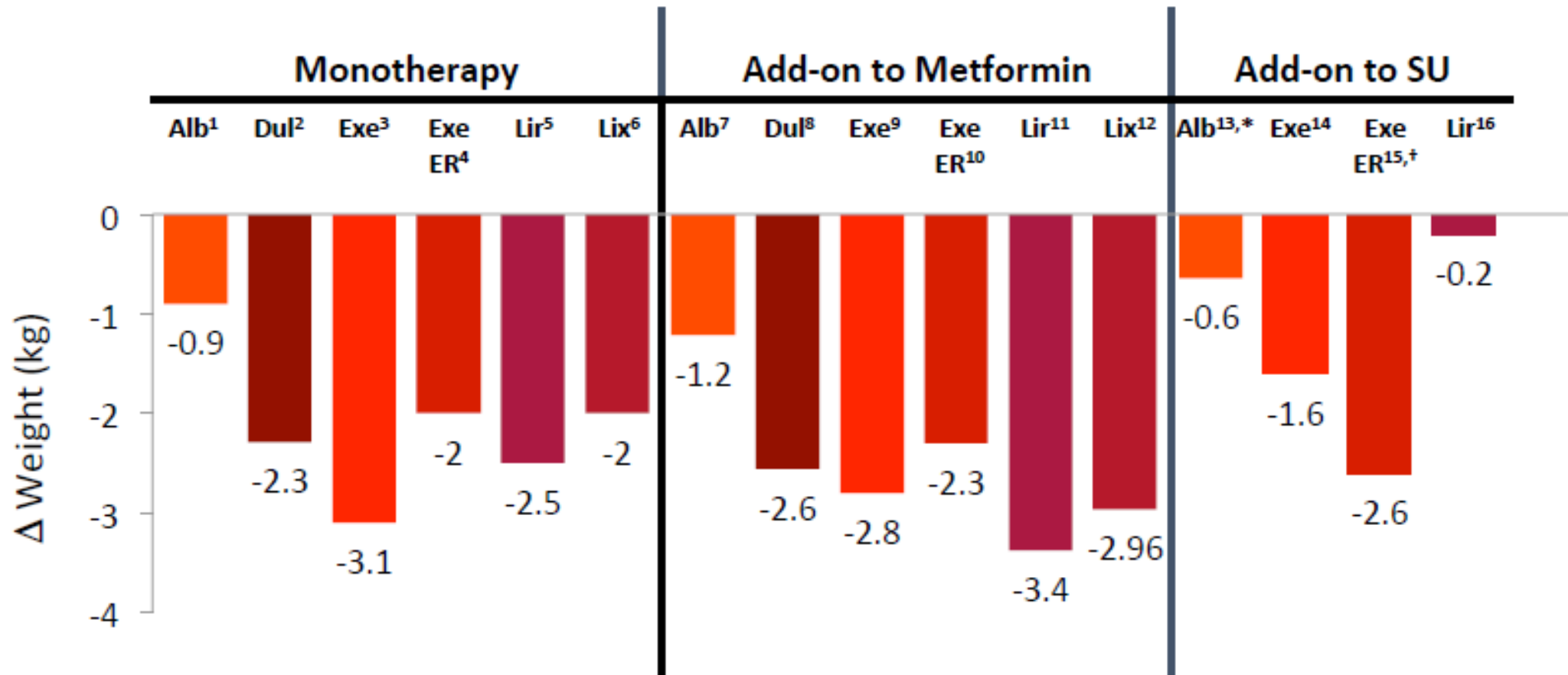
HDL and LDL
no lipid meds
(Δ mg/dl)



Weight Loss Categories
+>2%
+2% to -2%
-2% to -5%
-5% to -10%
-10% to -15%
->15%

Effects of GLP-1 Agonists on Weight in T2DM

Absolute change from baseline; No head-to-head comparisons



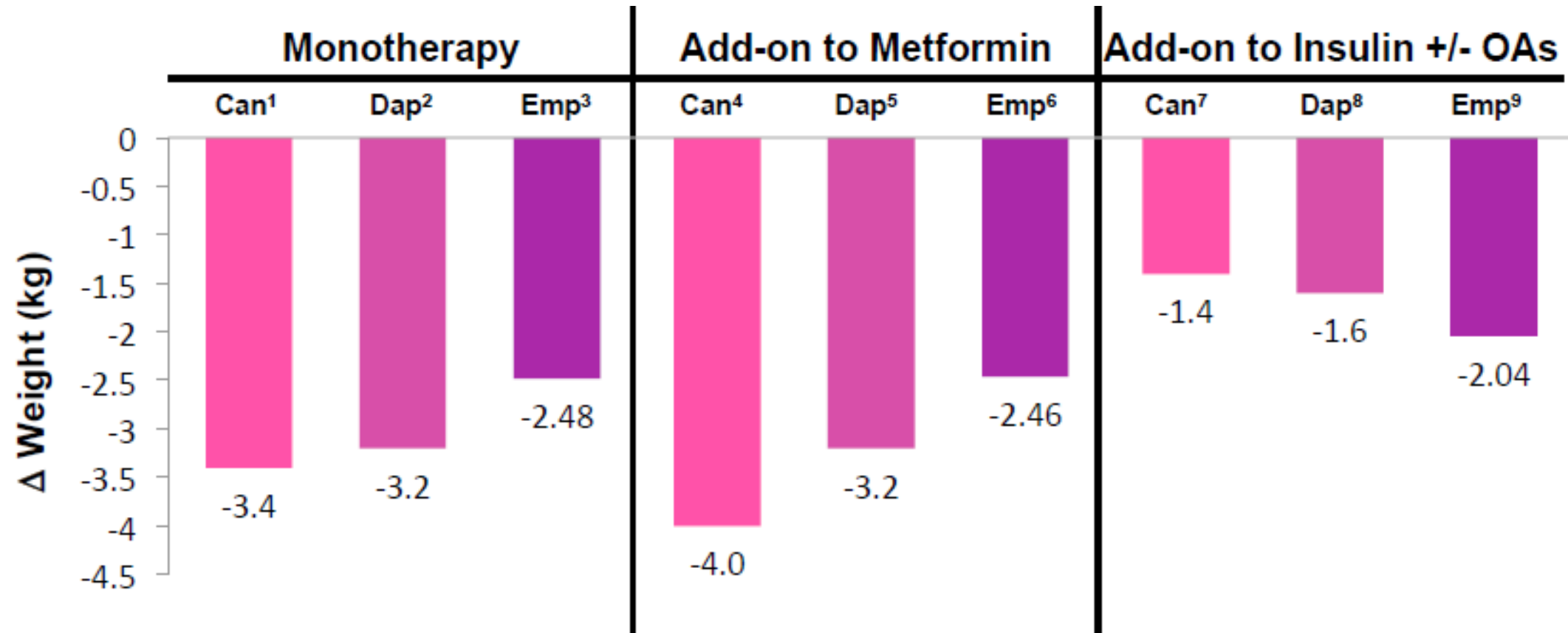
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Effects of SGLT2 Inhibitors on Body Weight in T2DM

Absolute change from baseline in kg; No head-to-head comparisons



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Weight Loss Required to Ameliorate ABCD/Obesity Complications

COMPLICATION	% Weight Loss	Notes	References
Diabetes Prevention	7% to 10%	Maximum benefit 10%	DPP (Knowler et al, Lancet 2009) SEQUEL (Garvey et al, Diab Care 2013)
Hypertension	5% to >15%	BP still decreasing >15% in T2D	Look AHEAD (Wing et al, Diab Care 2011)
Dyslipidemia	5% to >15%	TG still decreasing at >15% in T2D	Look AHEAD (Wing et al, Diab Care 2011)
HbA1c	5% to >15%	HbA1c still decreasing at >15% in T2D	Look AHEAD (Wing et al, Diab Care 2011)
CVD and Mortality	>10-15%	Based on bariatric surgery literature and sub-analysis of Look AHEAD trial	Adams et al, NEJM 2007; Arterburn et al, JAMA 2015; Benotti et al, JAHA 2017; Kwok et al, Internat J Cardiol 2014; Look AHEAD, Lancet Diabet Endocrinol 2016
NAFLD	>10%	Improves steatosis, inflammation, fibrosis	Assy et al, Gut 2007; Pomrat et al, Hepatol 2010; Liu et al, Obes Surg 2007; Barker et al, Am J Gastroenterol 2006
Sleep Apnea (AHI)	≥10%	Little or no benefit at ≤ 5%	Sleep AHEAD (Foster et al, Arch Int Med 2009); Winslow et al, Sleep 2012
Osteoarthritis	5-10%	Improves symptoms and joint stress mechanics	Christensen et al, Ann Rheum Dis 2007; Felson et al, Ann Int Med 1992; Aaboe et al, Osteoarthritis Cartilage 2011

DPP=Diabetes Prevention Program; NAFLD= non-alcoholic fatty liver disease; AHI=apnea hypopnea index; BP=blood pressure; TG=triglycerides

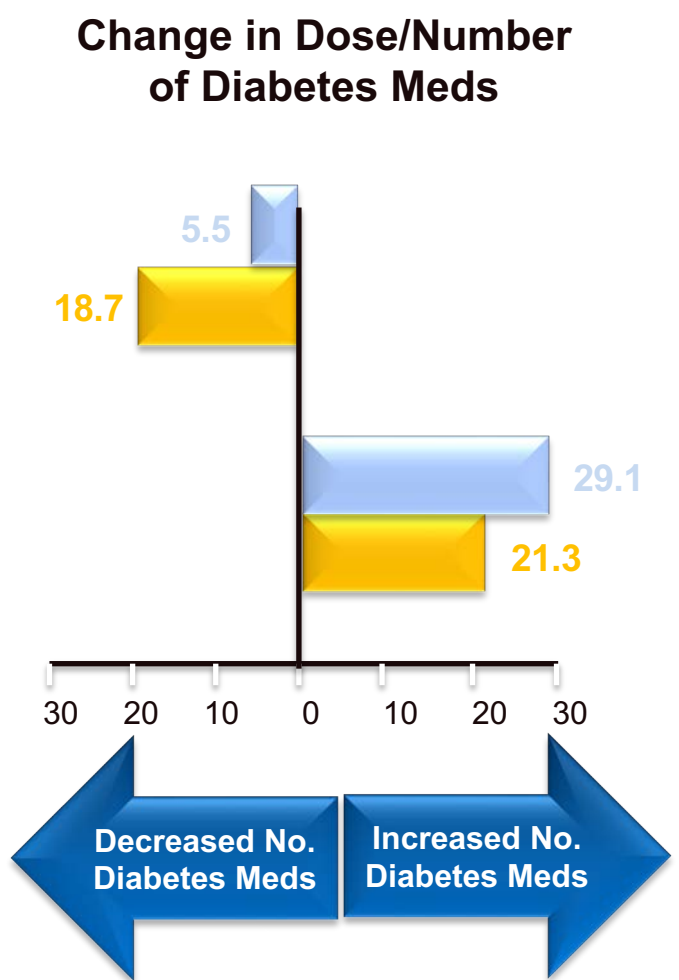
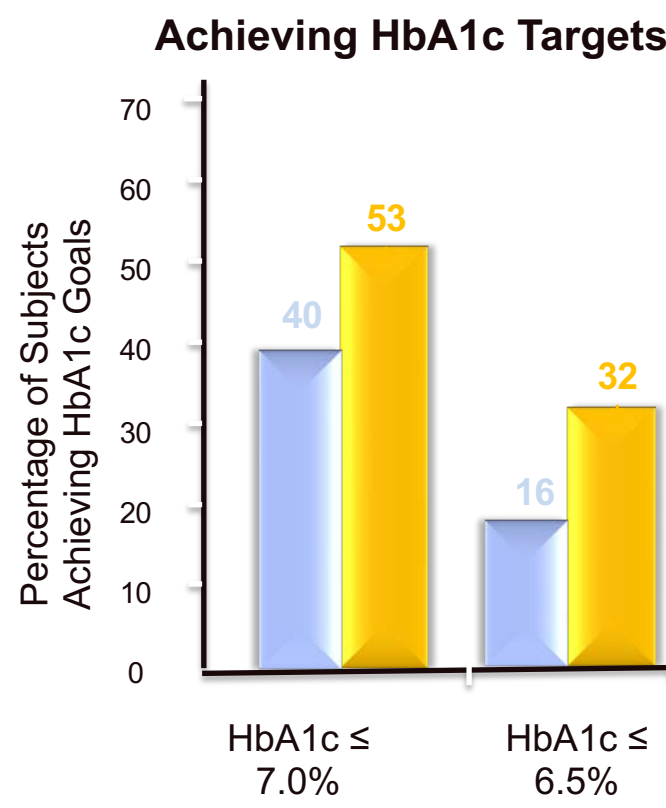
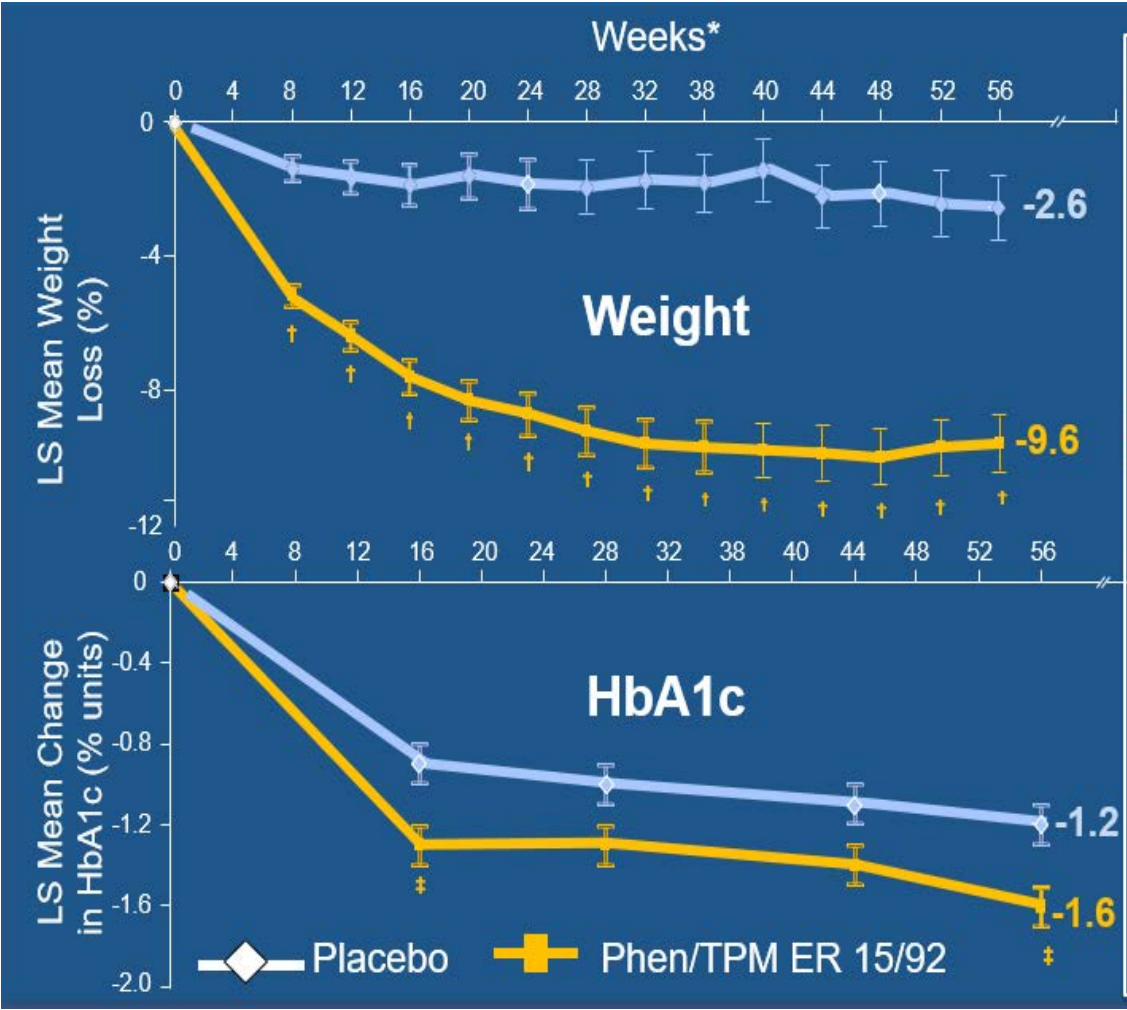
Obesity Pharmacotherapy

Agents	Action	Approval
<i>Previously available</i>		
Phentermine	• Sympathomimetic	• 1959
Orlistat	• GI lipase inhibitor	• 1997
<i>Recently Approved</i>		
Phentermine/ Topiramate ER	• Sympathomimetic/Anticonvulsant (GABA receptor modulation?)	• Approved, Summer 2012
Naltrexone ER/ Bupropion ER	• Dopamine/noradrenaline reuptake inhibitor/Opioid receptor antagonist	• Approved, September 2014
Liraglutide 3 mg	• GLP-1 receptor agonist	• Approved, December 2014
Semaglutide 2.4 mg/week	• GLP-1 receptor agonist	• Approved, June, 2021
Tirzepatide 15 mg/week	• GLP-1 / GIP receptor dual agonist	• Approved, May, 2022 for T2D

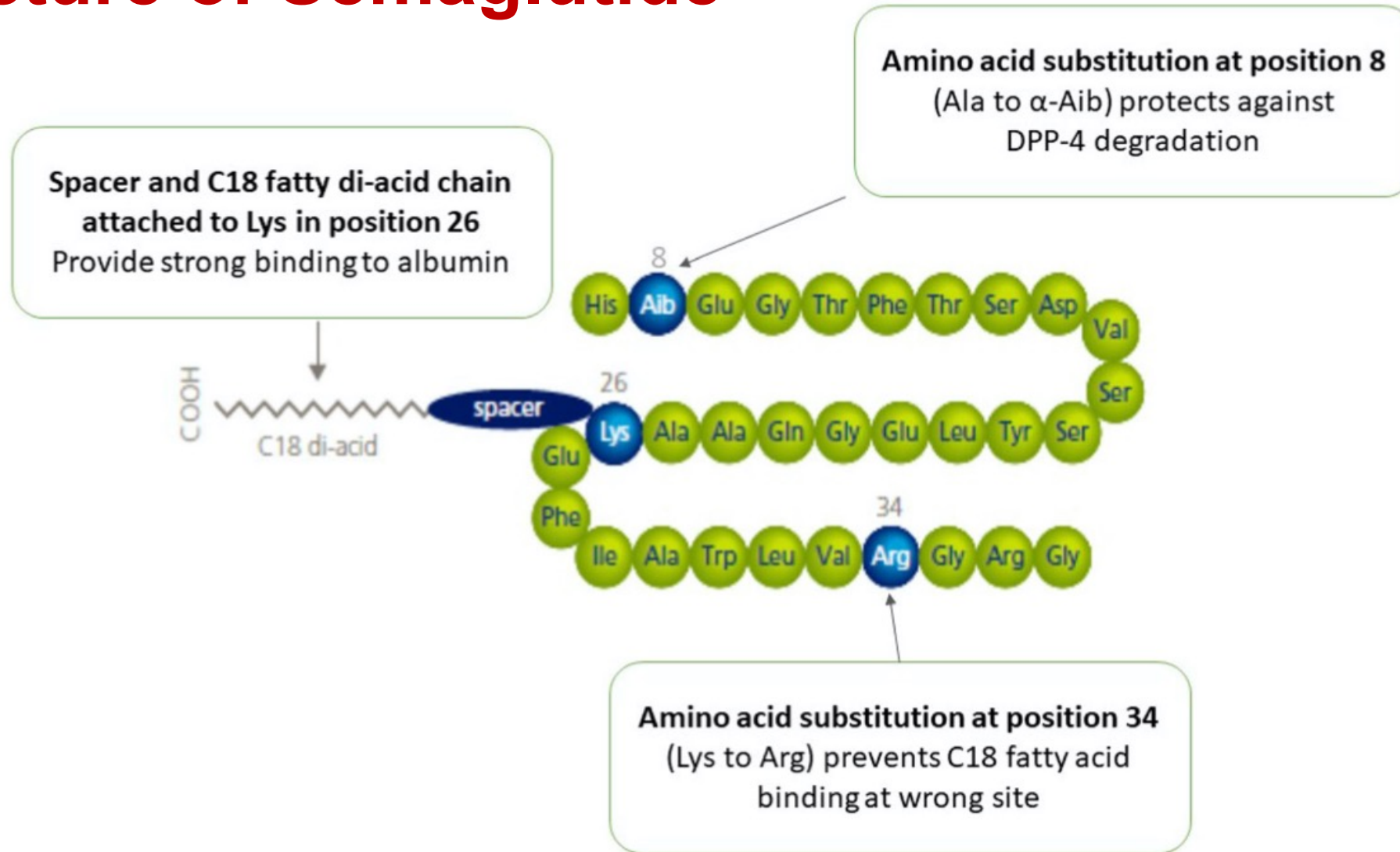
Treatment of Obesity with Phentermine/Topiramate ER in T2DM

Garvey WT, et al. Diabetes Care 2014; 37(12):3309-3316

- Placebo (n=55)
- PHEN/TPM ER 15/92 (n=75)



Structure of Semaglutide



Completed trials in the phase 3 STEP program

STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4
Weight management	Weight management in T2D	Weight management with IBT	Sustained weight management
Overweight or obesity without T2D 68-week trial plus ongoing extension Semaglutide 2.4 mg vs placebo	Overweight or obesity with T2D 68-week trial Semaglutide 2.4 mg vs placebo and vs semaglutide 1.0 mg	Overweight or obesity without T2D 68-week trial Semaglutide 2.4 mg vs placebo, both with IBT (diet*, increased physical activity, and counseling sessions)	Overweight or obesity without T2D 68-week trial 20-week semaglutide run-in for all, then continued semaglutide 2.4 mg vs switch to placebo

In STEP 1, 3, and 4, participants were required to have a baseline BMI ≥ 27 kg/m² with ≥ 1 weight-related comorbidity (not T2D), or a baseline BMI ≥ 30 kg/m². In STEP 2, participants were required to have a baseline BMI ≥ 27 kg/m² and T2D. All treatment was given subcutaneously once weekly as adjunct to lifestyle intervention.

*A low-calorie, meal-replacement diet for the first 8 weeks, followed by a reduced calorie diet for the rest of the trial.

BMI, body mass index; IBT, intensive behavioral therapy; STEP, Semaglutide Treatment Effect in People with obesity; T2D, type 2 diabetes.

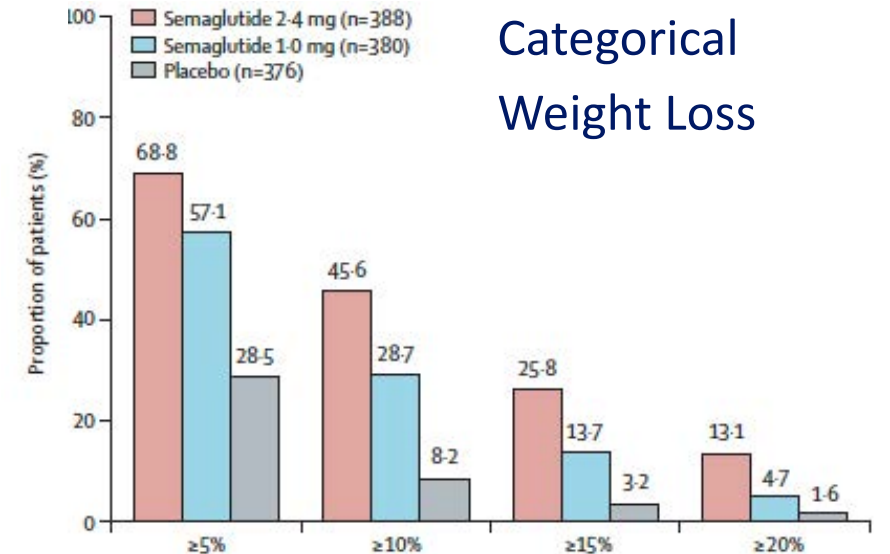
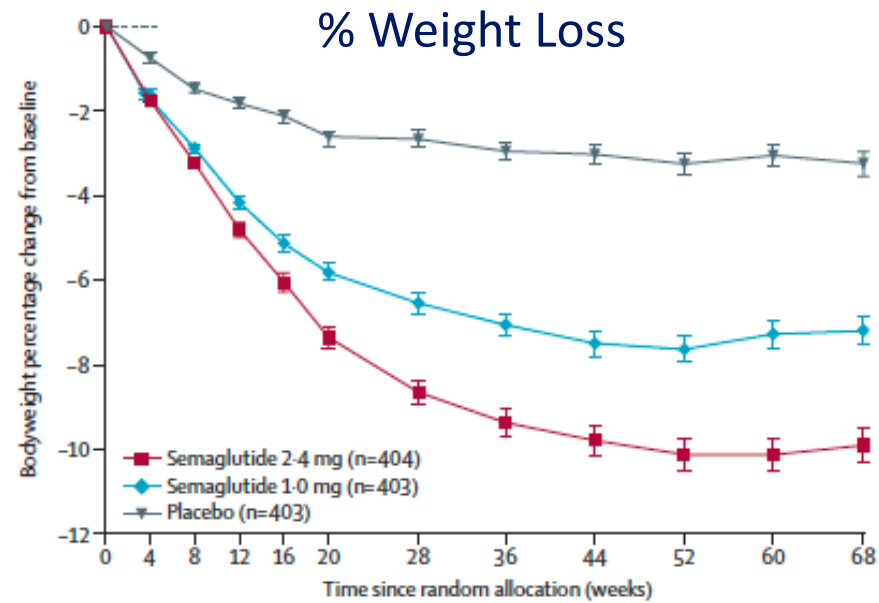
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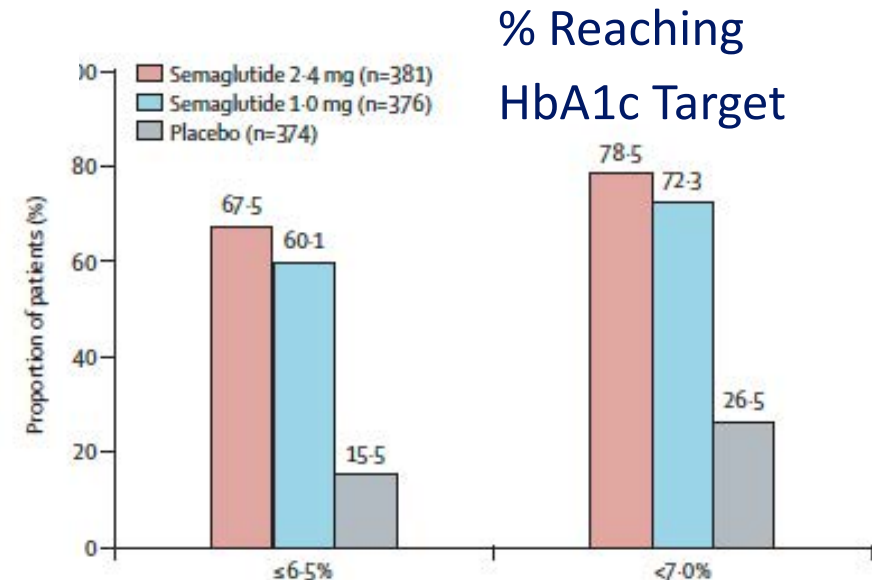
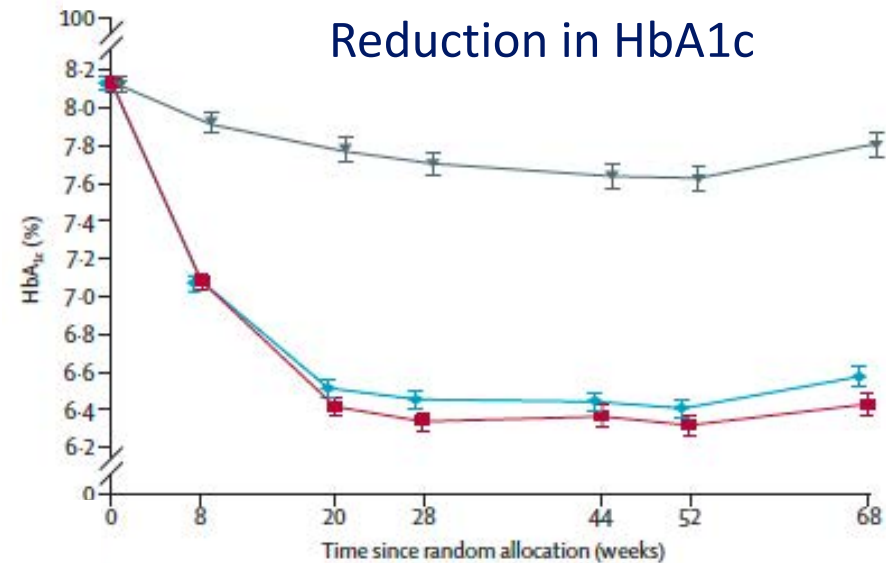
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STEP 2 Trial: Once Weekly Semaglutide Reduces Weight and HbA1c in T2D

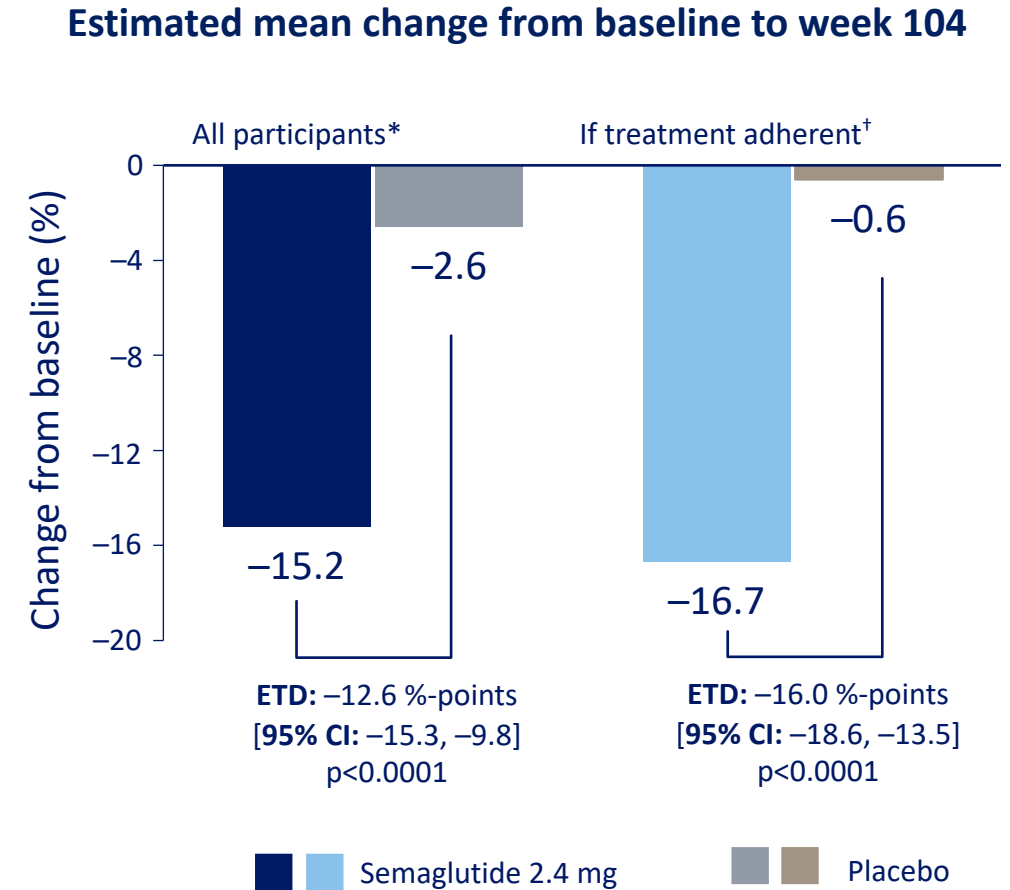
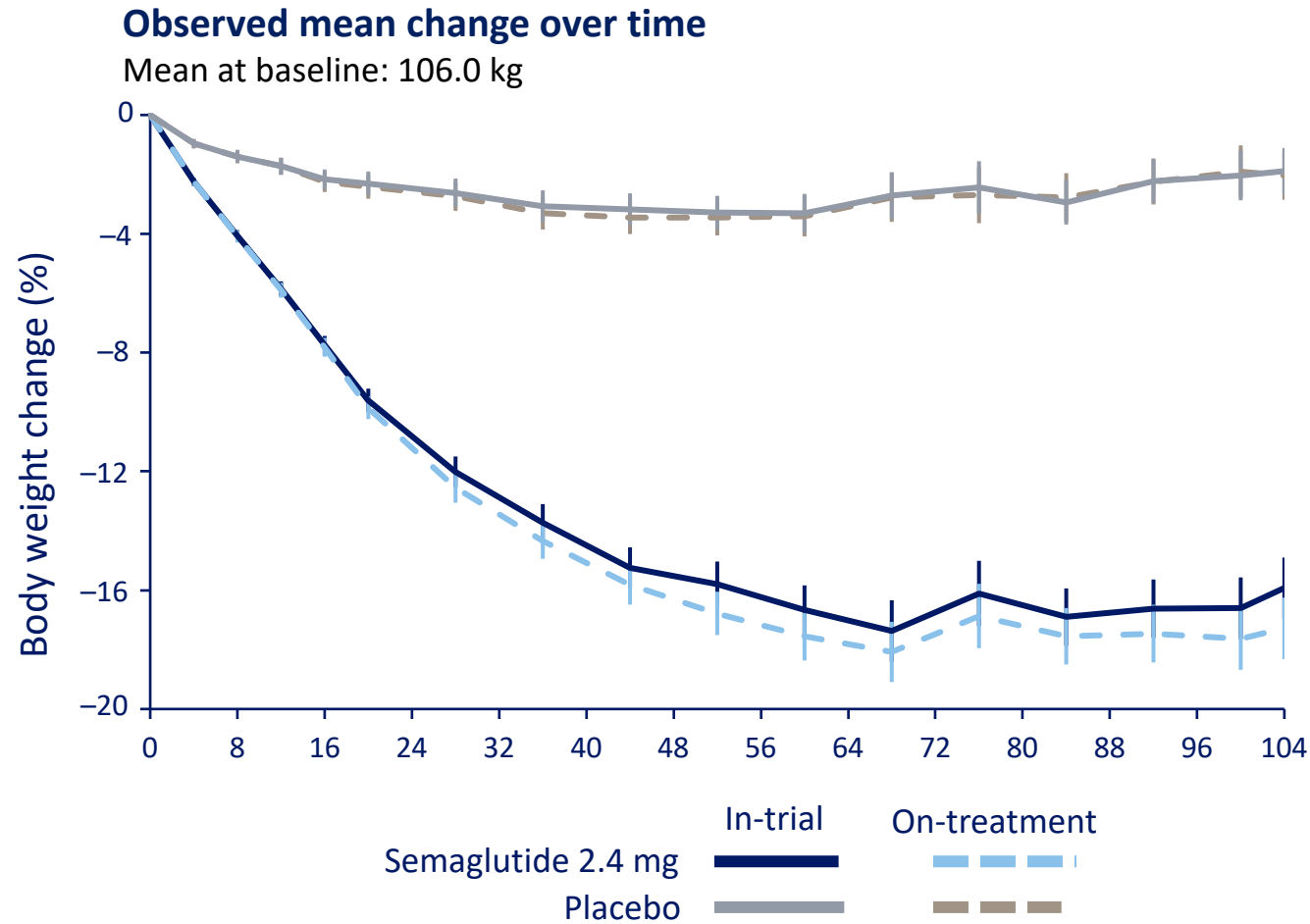


Semaglutide 2.4 mg (n=388)
 Semaglutide 1.0 mg (n=380)
 Placebo (n=376)



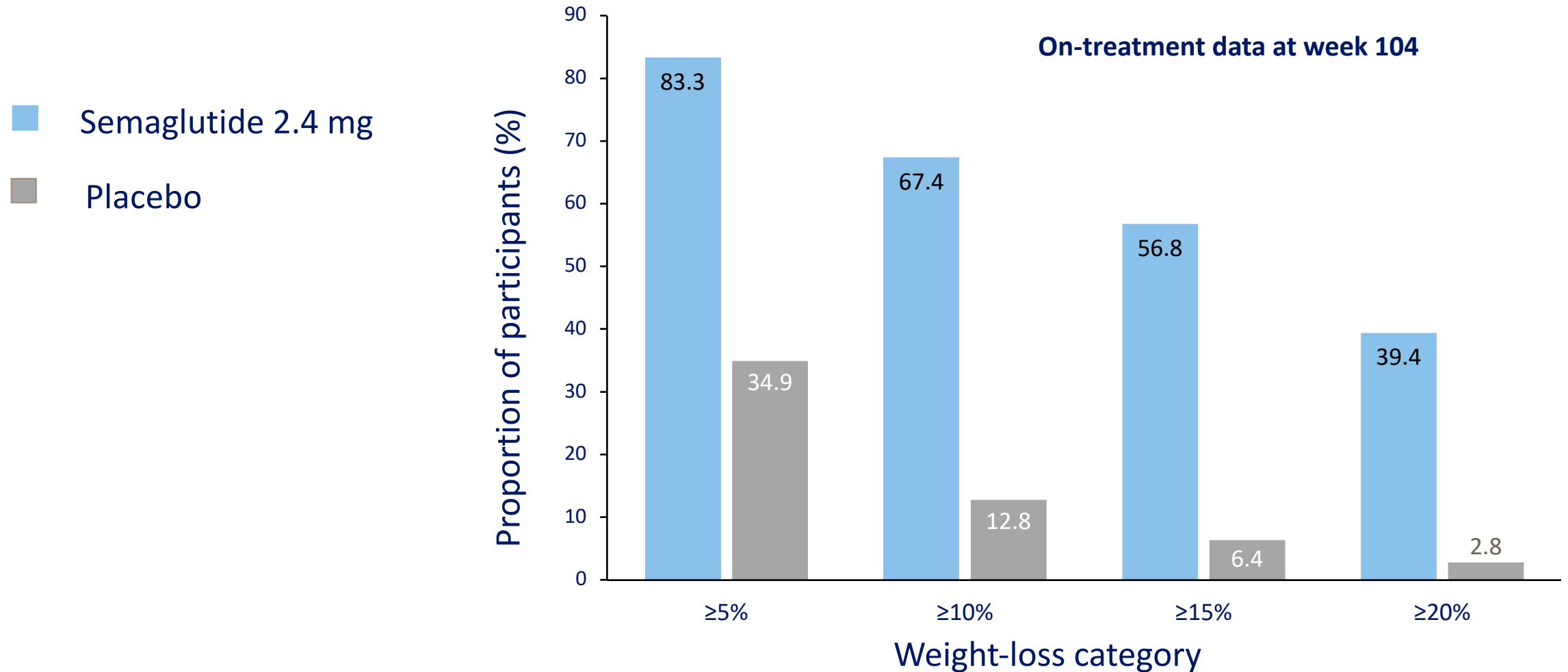
Two Year Efficacy of Semaglutide 2.4 mg in the STEP 5 Trial:

Change in body weight over 2 years (%)



*Treatment policy estimand (assesses treatment effect regardless of treatment discontinuation or rescue intervention); [†]Trial product estimand (assesses treatment effect if trial product was taken as intended). CI, confidence interval; ETD, estimated treatment difference.

Two Year Efficacy of Semaglutide 2.4 mg in the STEP 5 Trial: Categorical Weight Loss (%)



Garvey WT, et al. Two-year effect of semaglutide 2.4 mg vs placebo in adults with overweight or obesity (STEP 5). 39th Annual Meeting (virtual) of ObesityWeek 2021, November 1-5, 2021.

Rationale for Unimolecular Multi Hormonal Agonists in Obesity

Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 (GLP-1)

1. Produces weight loss via CNS effects to suppress appetite
2. Augments insulin secretory responses for glycemic control

Glucagon

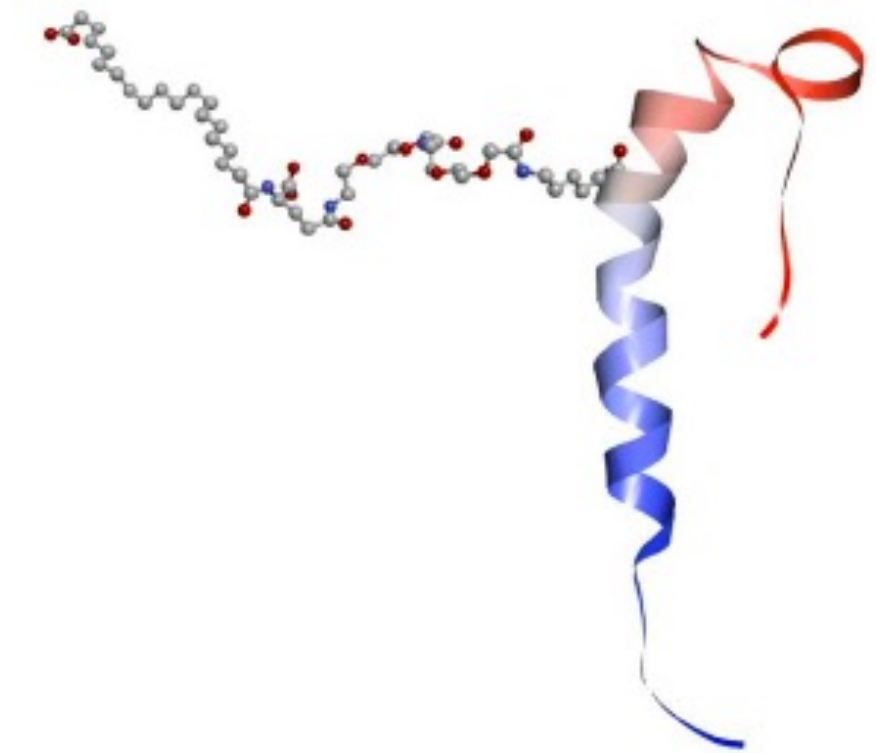
1. Counterintuitive since raises glucose, increases HGO, and is elevated in T2DM
2. Thermogenic and lipolytic

Gastric Inhibitory Peptide (GIP)

1. GIP agonism and antagonism both justified in literature.
2. Can amplify effects of GLP-1, and is insulinotropic
3. GIPR KO in rodents and blocking Ab in primates are protective against obesity

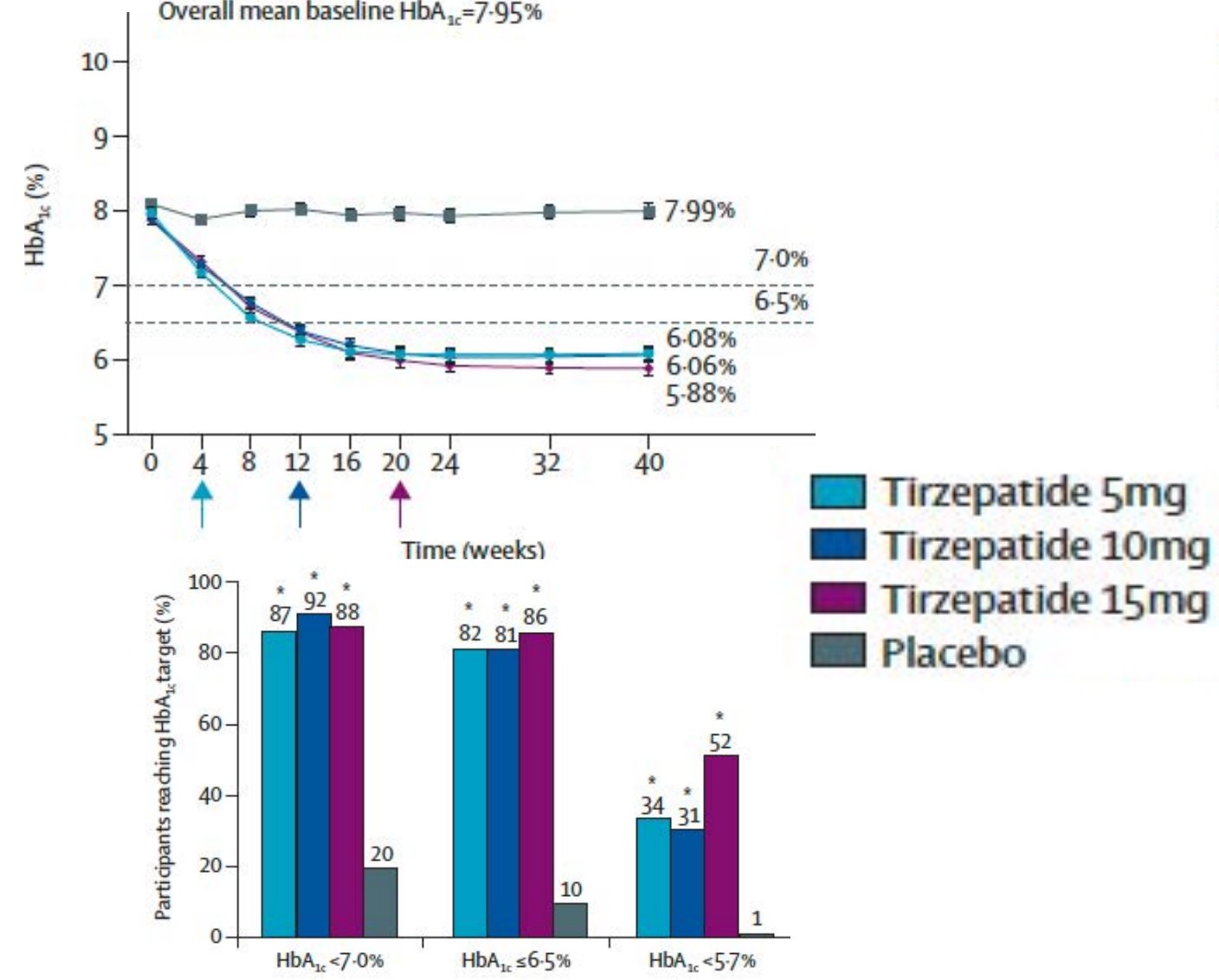
Tirzepatide: A New Medication Approved for T2D and in Development for Obesity

- 39 AA peptide engineered to bind to both GLP-1 and GIP receptors
- Includes a C20 fatty acid moiety that allows binding to albumin
- Mean half life of 5 days allows weekly subcutaneous dosing
- Plasma levels not affected by hepatic or renal impairment
- Increases insulin secretion and insulin sensitivity and produces weight loss

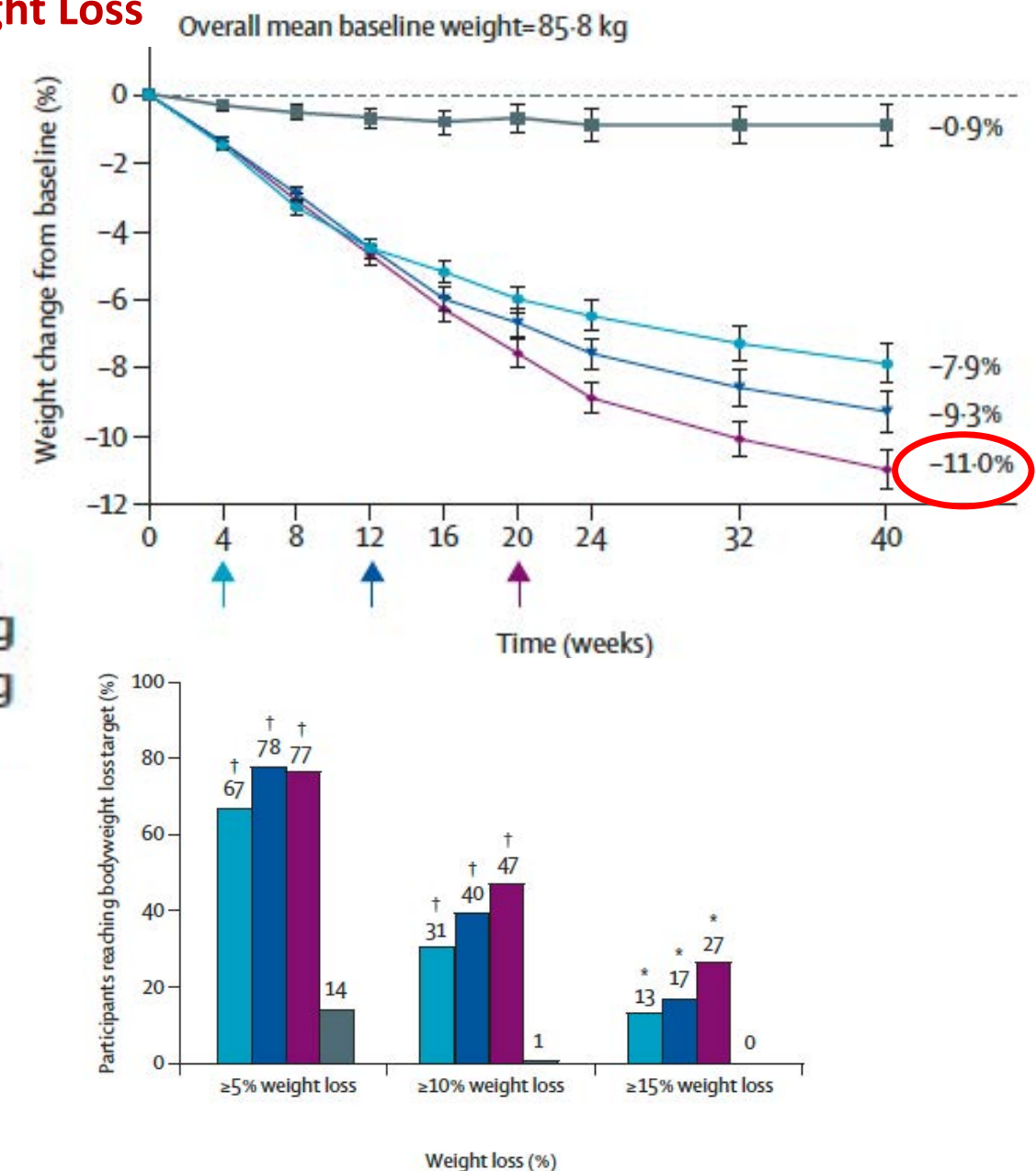


Tirzepatide (GLP-1/GIP Agonist) in Patients with T2D and Obesity: Surpass 1

HbA1c

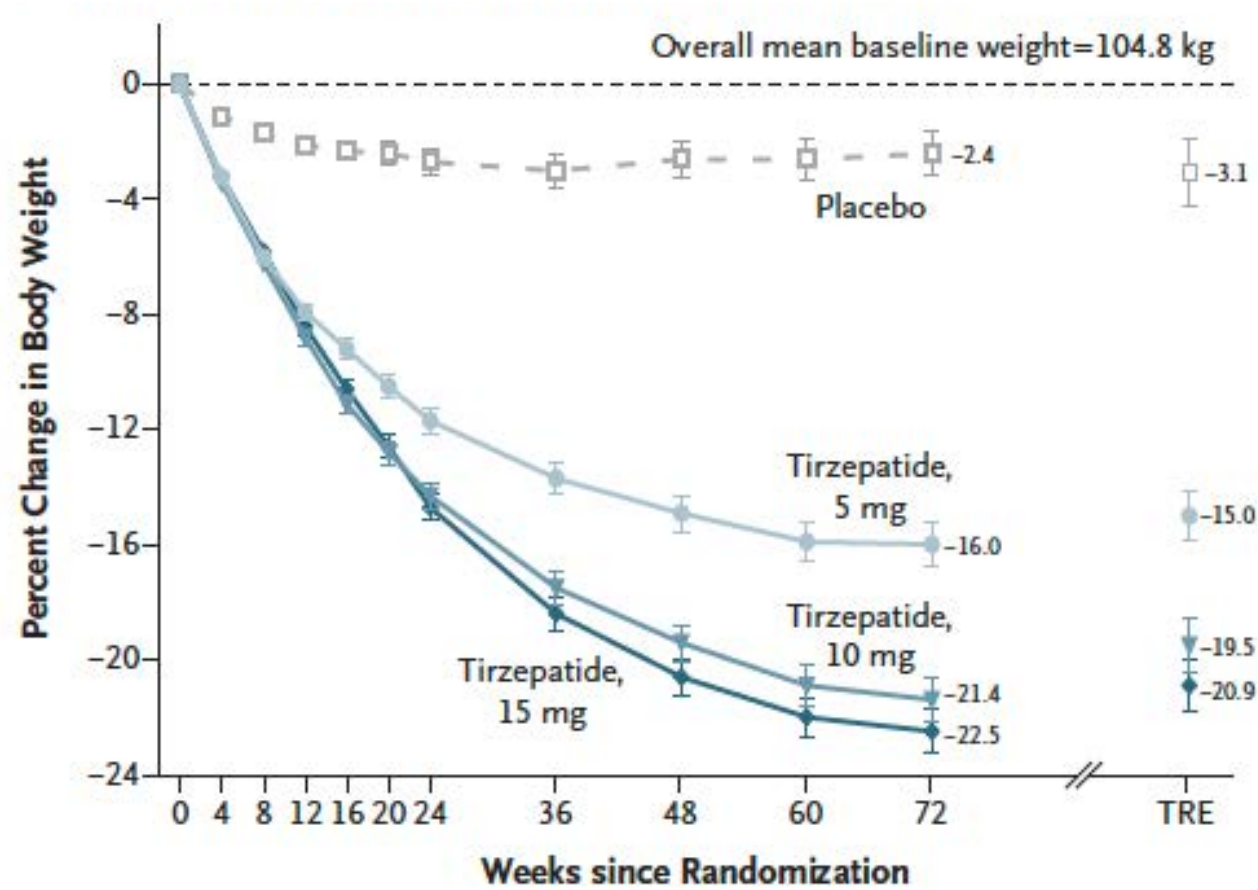


% Weight Loss

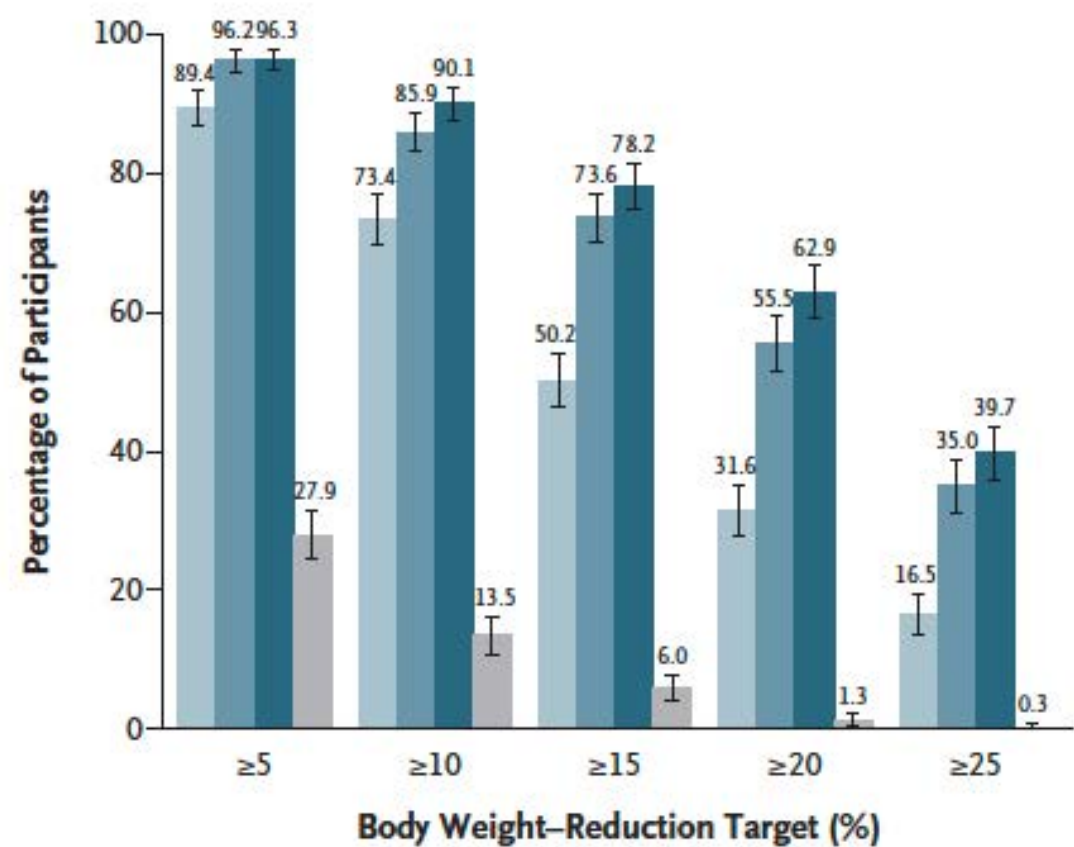


Tirzepatide (GLP-1/GIP Agonist) in Patients with Obesity: Surmount 1

% Change in Body Weight by Week
(efficacy estimand)

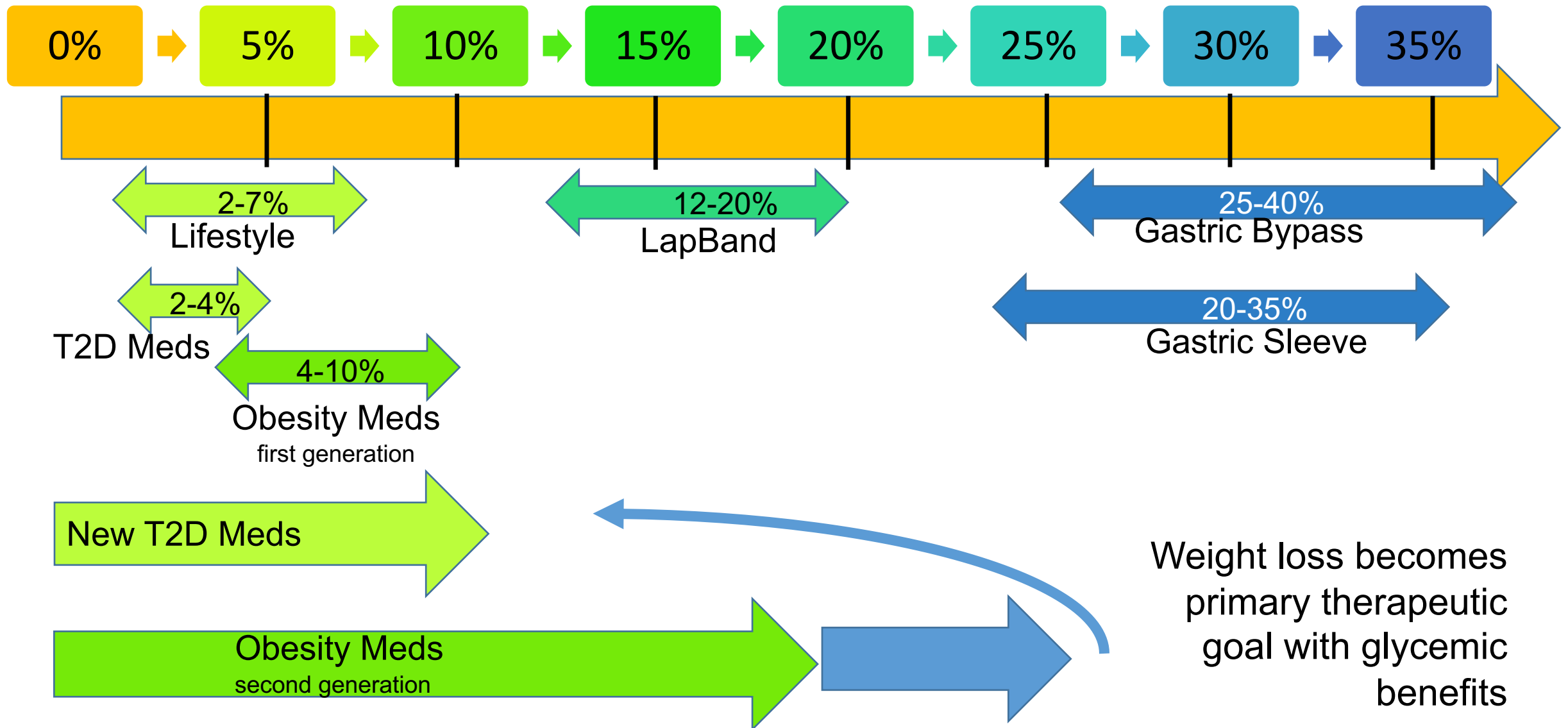


Categorical Weight Loss: % Meeting Weight Reduction Targets (efficacy estimand)

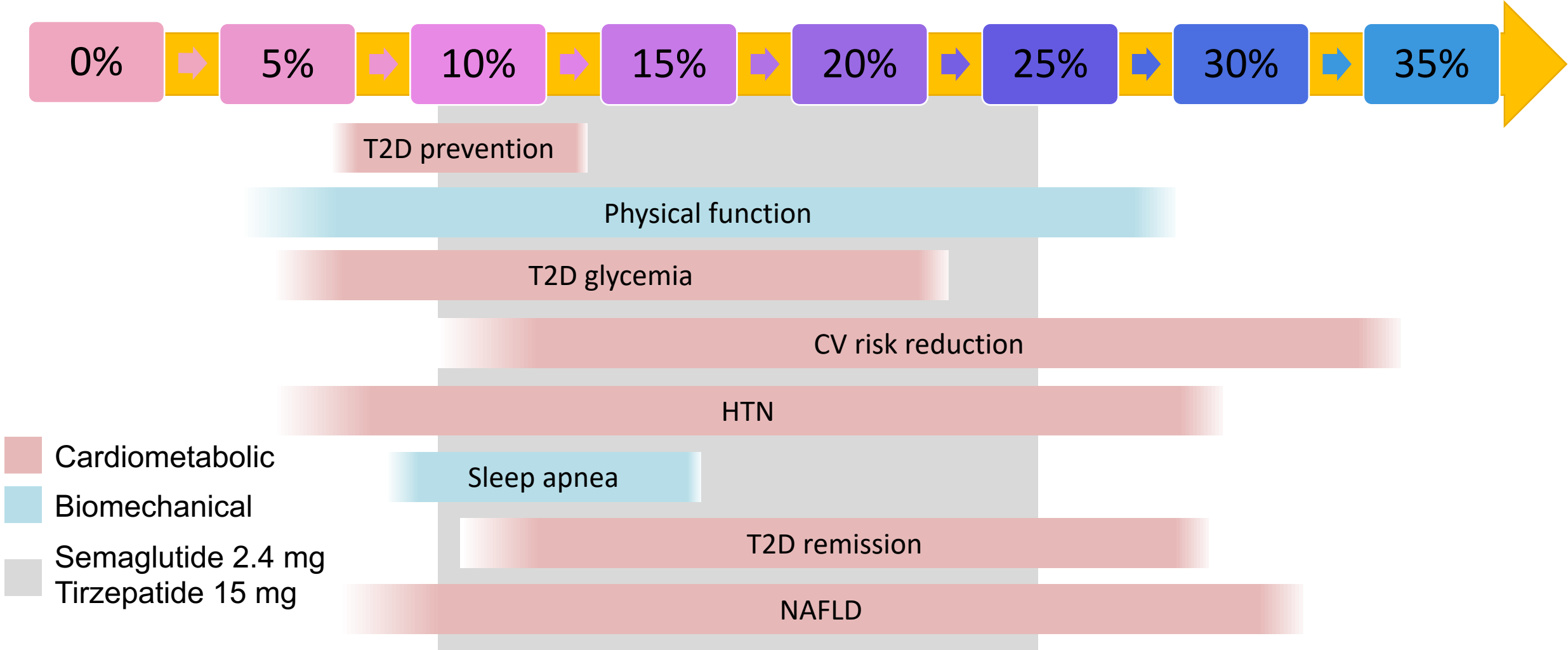


■ Tirzepatide, 5 mg ■ Tirzepatide, 10 mg ■ Tirzepatide, 15 mg ■ Placebo

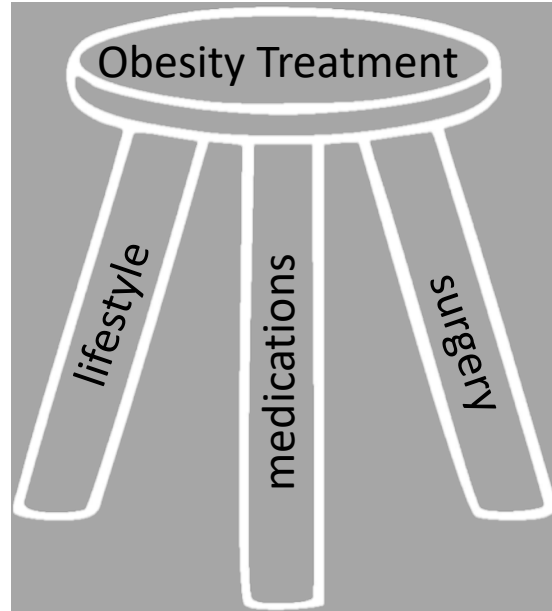
Weight Loss Therapies: Range of Efficacy



New medications: treating ABCD/Obesity to target



Evolution of Diabetes Therapy



**If you want to help patients with T2DM and
overweight/obesity -
Get Serious about Weight Loss Therapy**

THANK YOU