
Diabetes and Weight gain

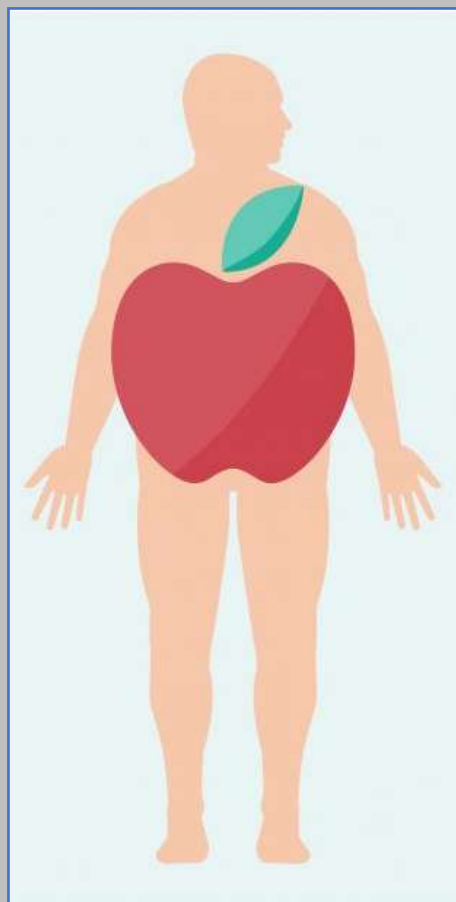
Key Comorbidities in Aging HIV+ Subjects

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Obesity is common, with rising prevalence in PLHIV

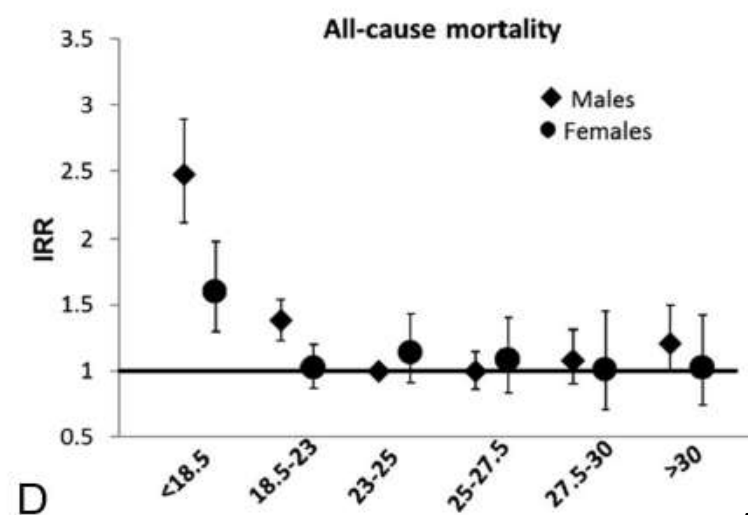
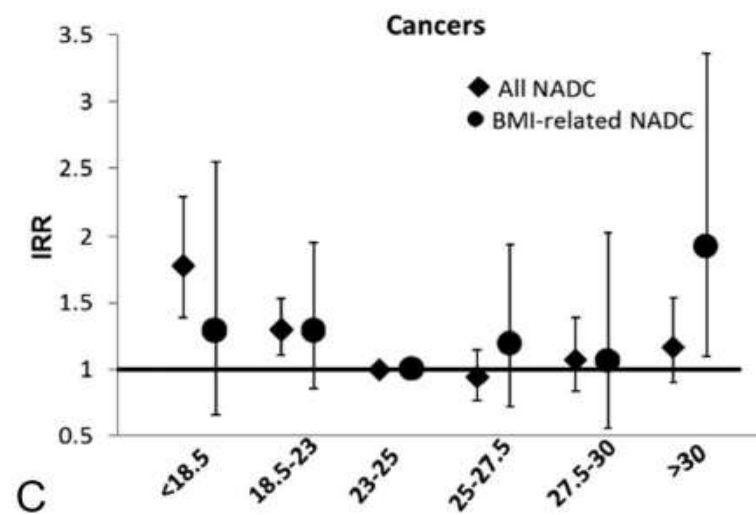
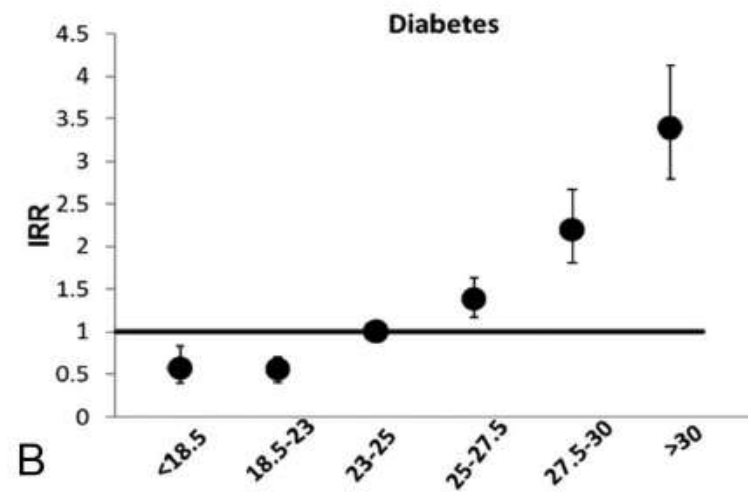
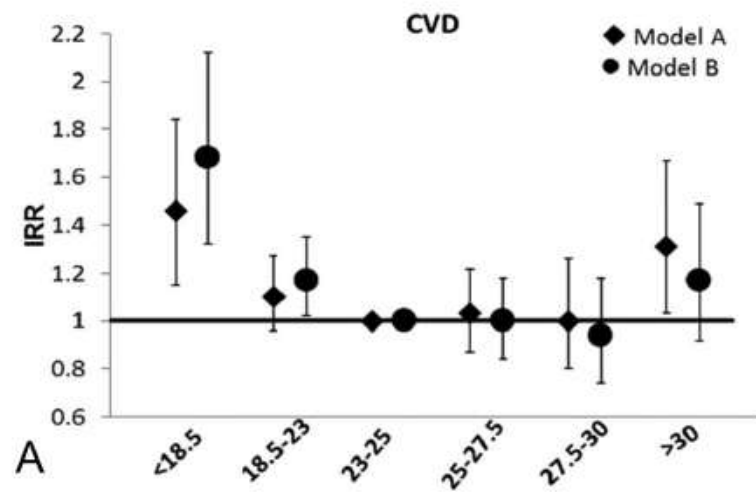


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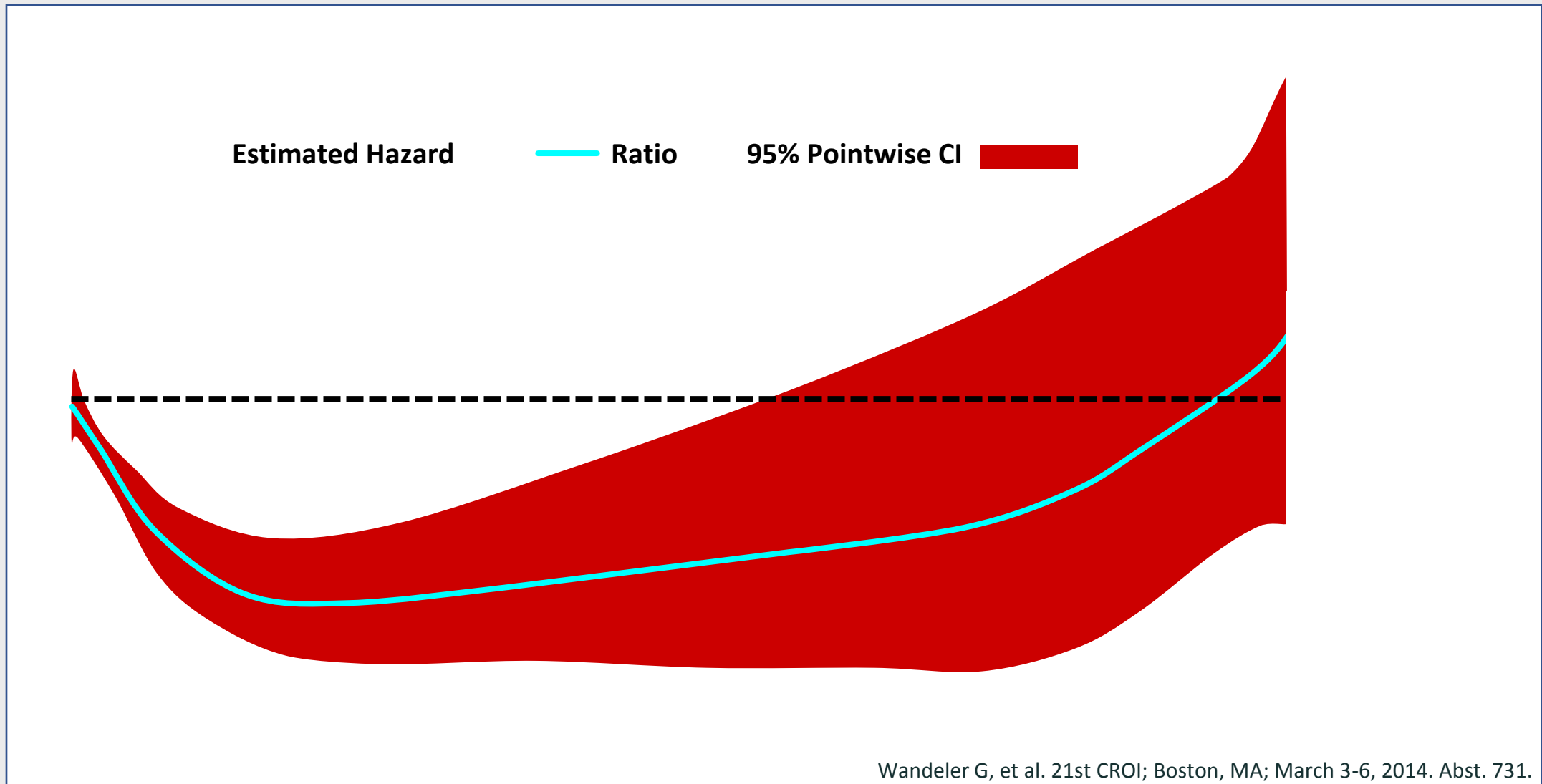
27% of PLHIV in low- and middle- income countries are overweight/obese

Risk factor	Pooled prevalence estimate (%)
Hypertension ^a	21.2
Hypercholesterolemia ^b	22.2
Elevated low-density lipoprotein ^c	23.2
Hypertriglyceridemia ^d	27.2
Low high-density lipoprotein ^e	52.3
Dyslipidemia ^f	72.5
Overweight ^g	21.0
Obese ^h	7.8
Overweight/obese ⁱ	27.3
Depression ^j	24.4

“U-shaped” relationship between BMI and poor outcomes in PLHIV



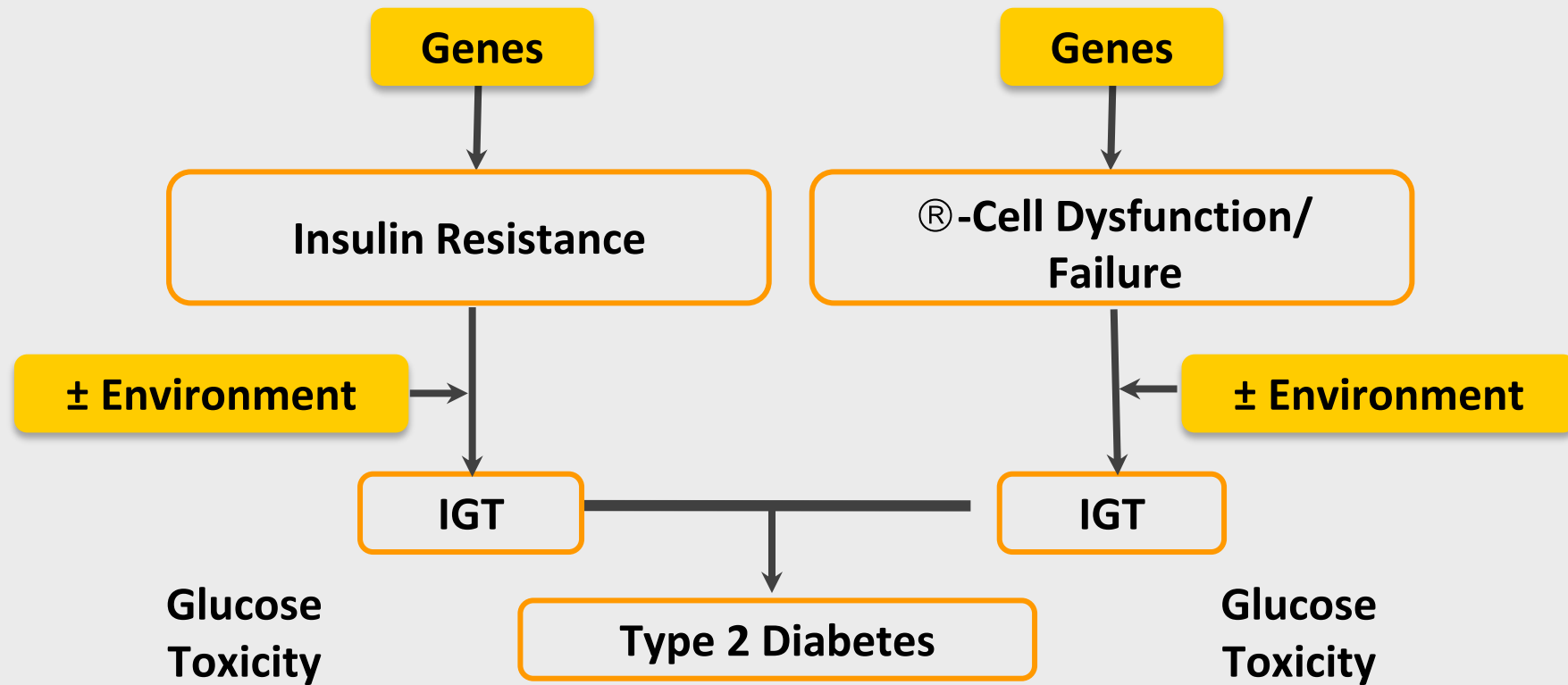
Alcohol is MI protective in Swiss HIV cohort



Insulin Resistance and Diabetes Mellitus in HIV Infection

Type 2 diabetes

Two Principal Defects

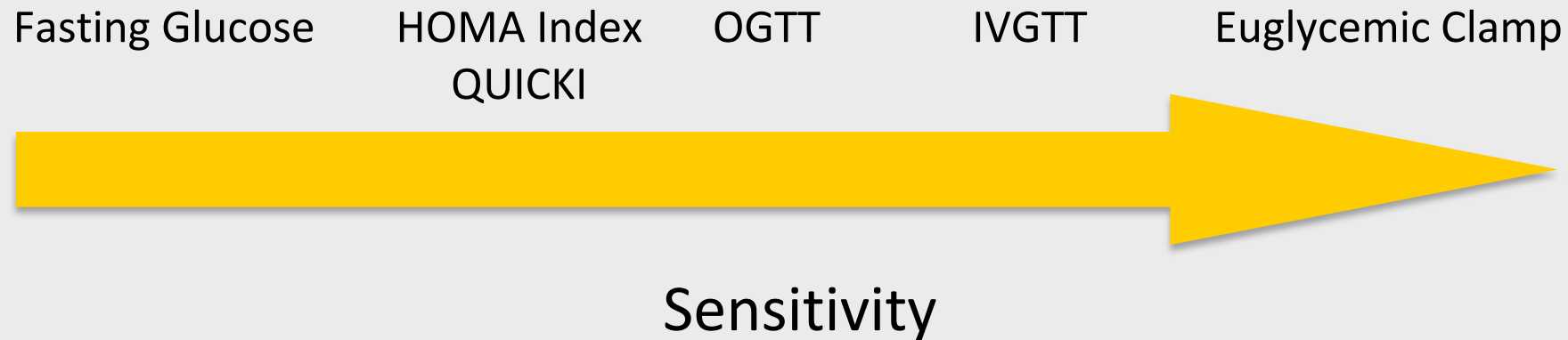


IGT = impaired glucose tolerance.

Major risk factors for type 2 diabetes mellitus

- First Degree relative with type 2 diabetes
- Obesity (>20% over ideal body weight)
- Race/Ethnicity (Hispanics, African, Native Americans, Asian, Pacific Islanders)
- Age > 45 years
- Prior impaired fasting glucose or impaired glucose tolerance
- Hypertension
- Dyslipidemia
- History of gestational diabetes or large-for-gestational-age baby (>9 lbs)

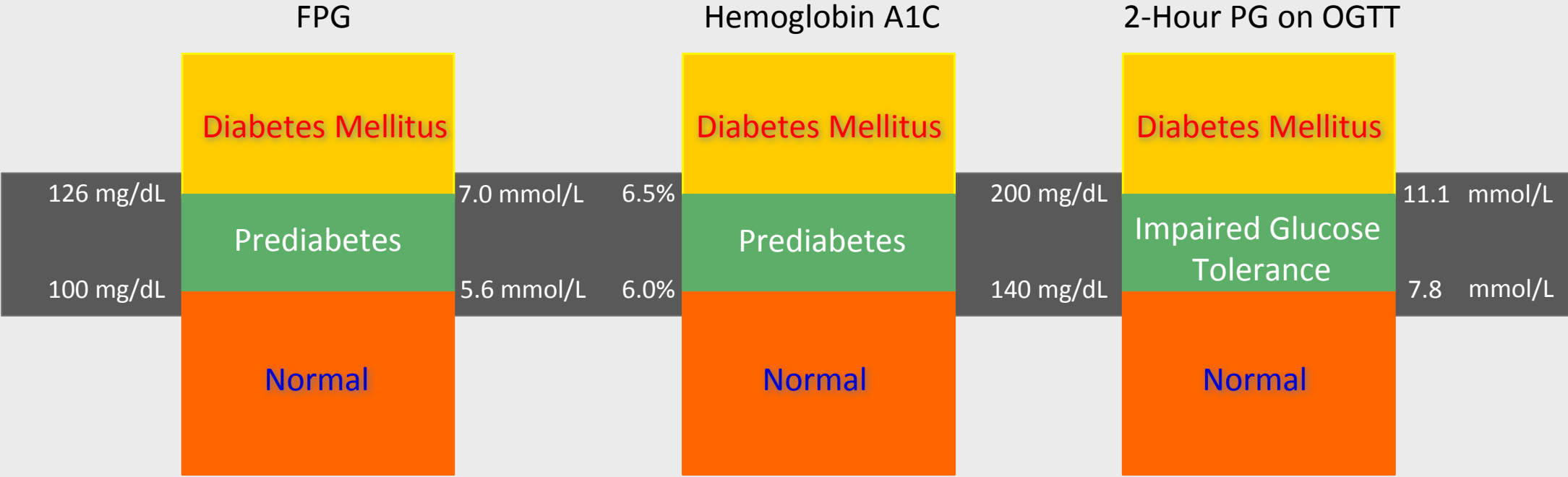
Clinical evaluation of glucose metabolism



HbA1c

- Caution with low MCV e.g. Sick cell
- Caution with high MCV e.g. ABC
- Fructosamine is alternative

Diagnostic criteria for glycemc abnormalities



To convert mg/dL to mmol/L multiply mg/dl by 0.055

FPG=Fasting plasma glucose, PG=Plasma glucose, OGTT=Oral glucose tolerance test

Insulin resistance, DM and HIV

Classical type 2 diabetes risk factors

- Obesity (abdominal)
- Physical inactivity
- Genetic
 - Family history
 - Race
- Older age
- Dyslipidemia

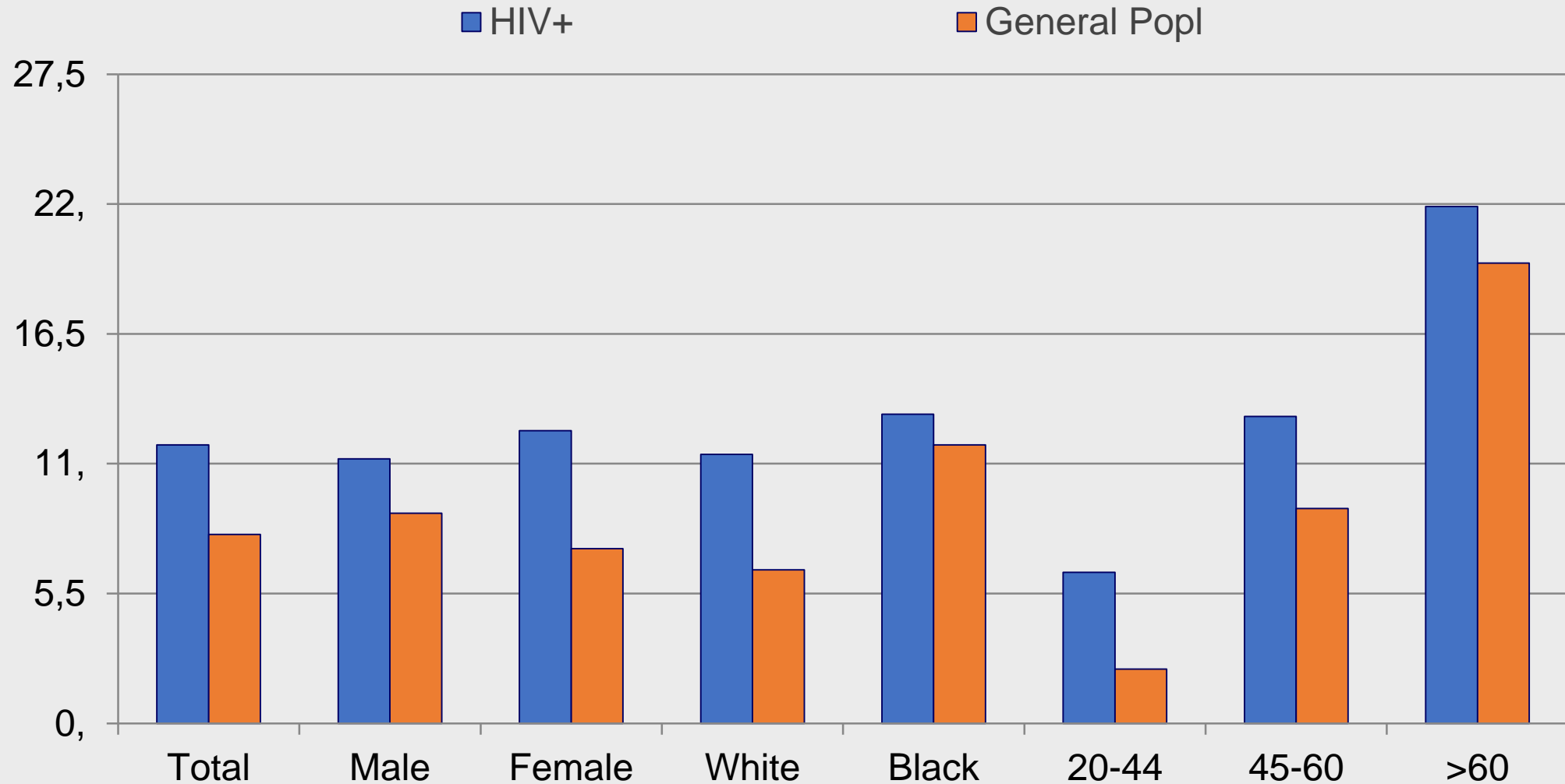
HIV-associated risk factors

- NRTI Mitochondrial Toxicity
- PI and GLUT inhibition
- Dyslipidemia
- Peripheral lipoatrophy
- Increased liver or muscle fat
- Inflammatory cytokines
- Low testosterone
- HCV infection

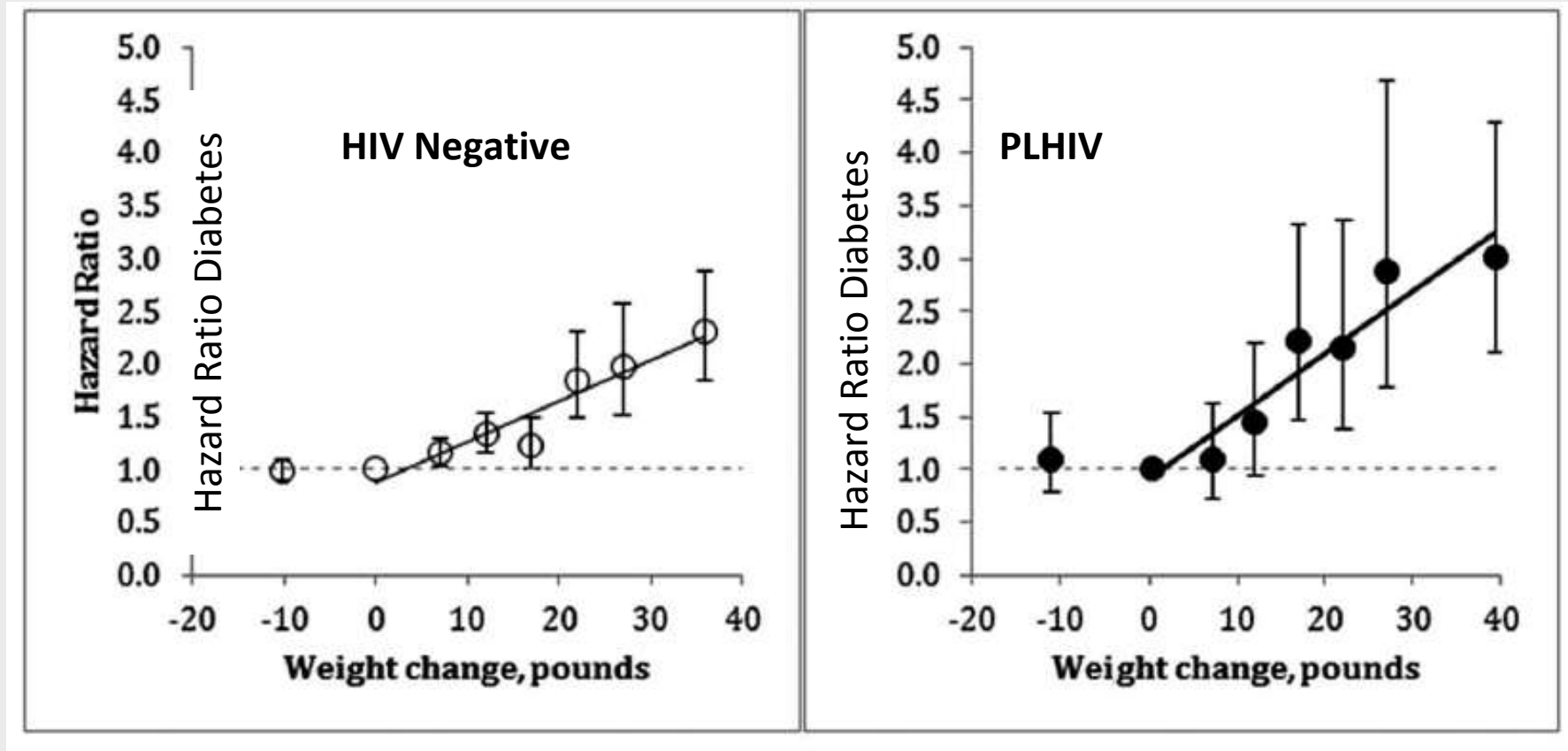


**Insulin
resistance**

Prevalence comparisons of diagnosed diabetes among HIV-infected adults and general US population adults, MMP and NHANES 2009, 2010

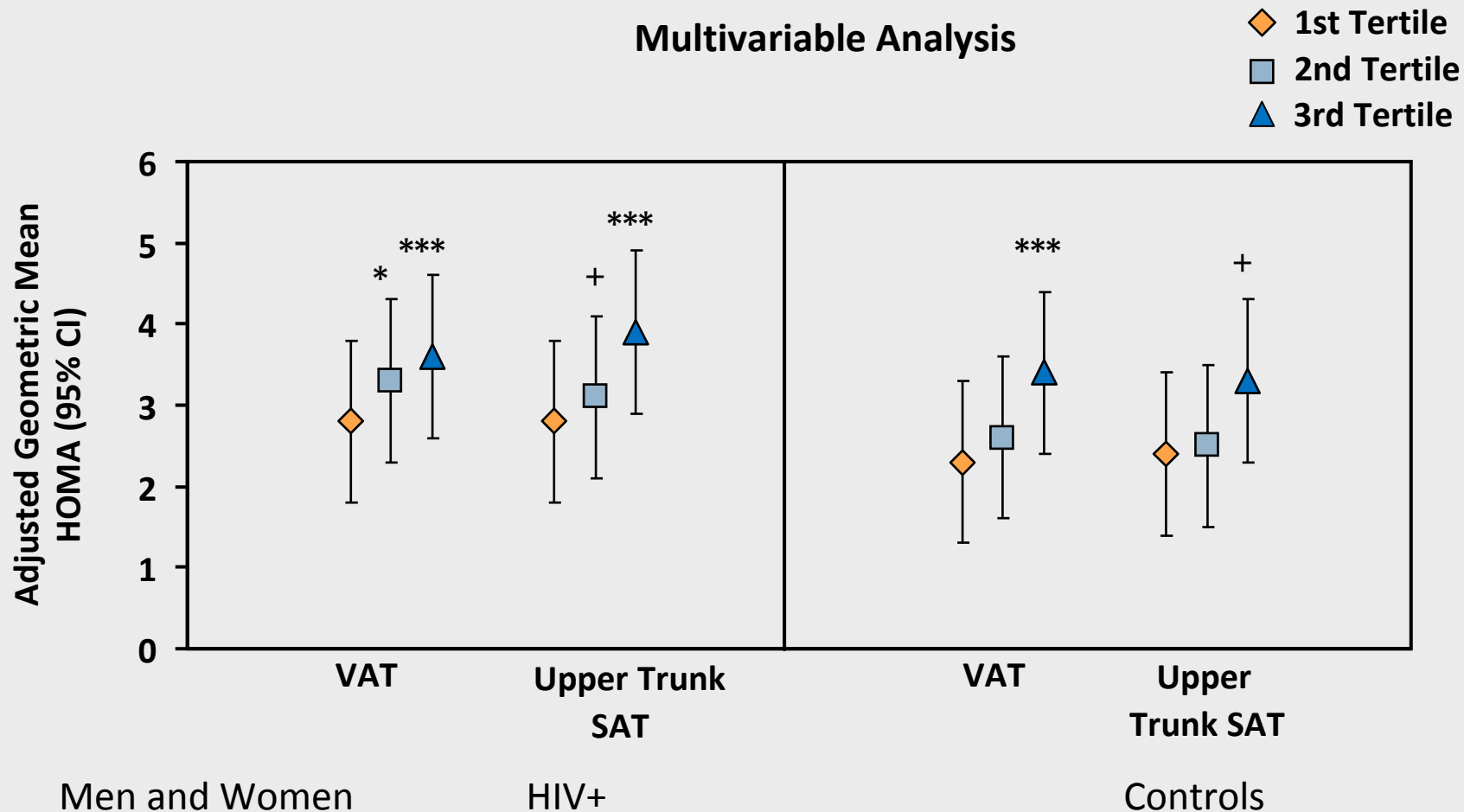


Weight gain in PLHIV is associated with higher risk for diabetes and CVD



Every 2.26 kg weight gained led to 14% increased risk for T2DM in PLHIV but only 8% in HIV negative

FRAM: VAT and upper trunk sat are associated with insulin resistance



Asterisks denote comparison with first tertile: *** $p < .0001$, ** $p < .001$, * $p < .01$, + $p < .05$

Comparisons in weight increase among ARVs

Prospective randomised clinical trial subsidy of ACTG5257

- 328 patients randomised to ATV/r, RAL or DRV/r1
 - at Week 96, increases in limb fat (13.4%), subcutaneous (19.9%) and visceral abdominal fat (25.8%), trunk fat (18%), and lean mass (1.8%) were apparent ($p < 0.001$ for changes within each arm)
 - changes for all fat and lean outcomes were not different between the PI arms or between the RAL and the combined PI arms

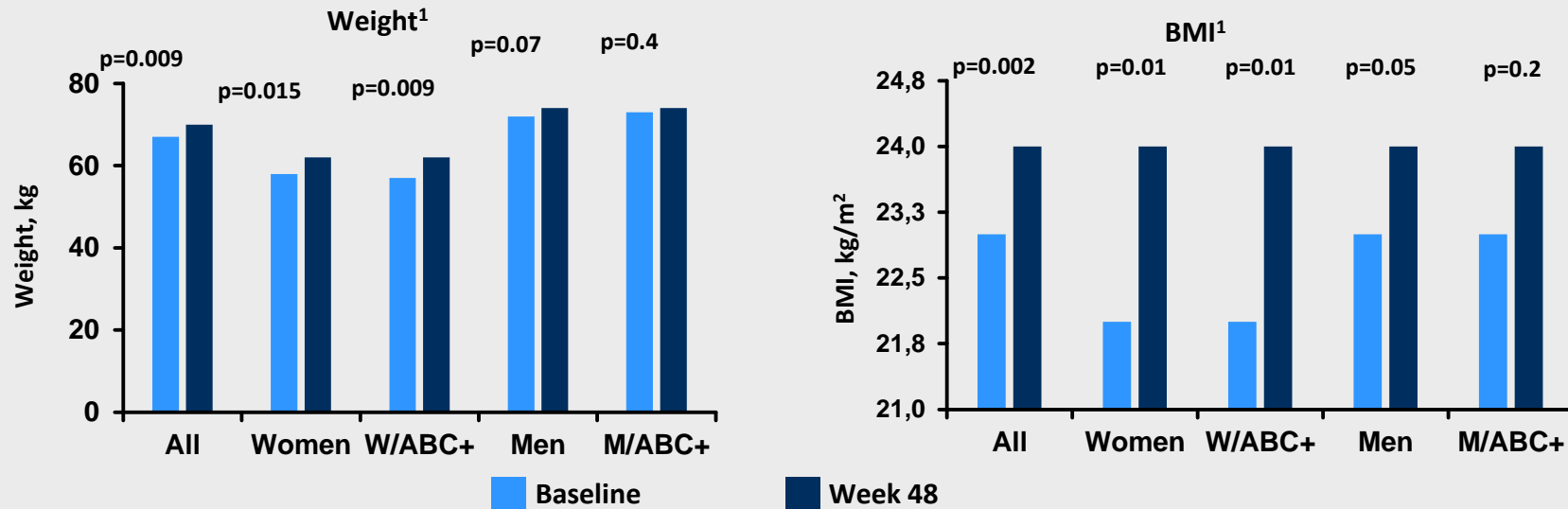
Retrospective analysis:

- Study ACTG A5257 (N=1,809 randomised to ATV/r, DRV/r or RAL)2
 - over 96 weeks, average weight increased by 3.8 kg and BMI by 1.3 kg/m²
 - odds of severe weight gain were significantly lower for ATV/r versus RAL (OR: 0.72 [95% CI: 0.53, 0.99]; $p=0.043$)
 - odds of severe BMI gain were significantly lower for DRV/r versus RAL (OR: 0.73 [95% CI: 0.53, 0.99]; $p=0.041$)

Weight increase on INI-based therapy versus baseline

Retrospective analysis:

- 462 patients on DTG-based combination therapy (≥ 6 months):¹
 - mean weight gain: 3 kg ($p=0.009$); mean BMI increase: 1 kg/m² ($p=0.002$) versus baseline
 - increases in weight and BMI were significant for women but not men
 - weight increase particularly significant for women receiving DTG/ABC/3TC, in whom weight increased from 57 to 62 kg ($p=0.009$) and BMI increased from 22 to 24 kg/m² ($p=0.01$)



Case series:

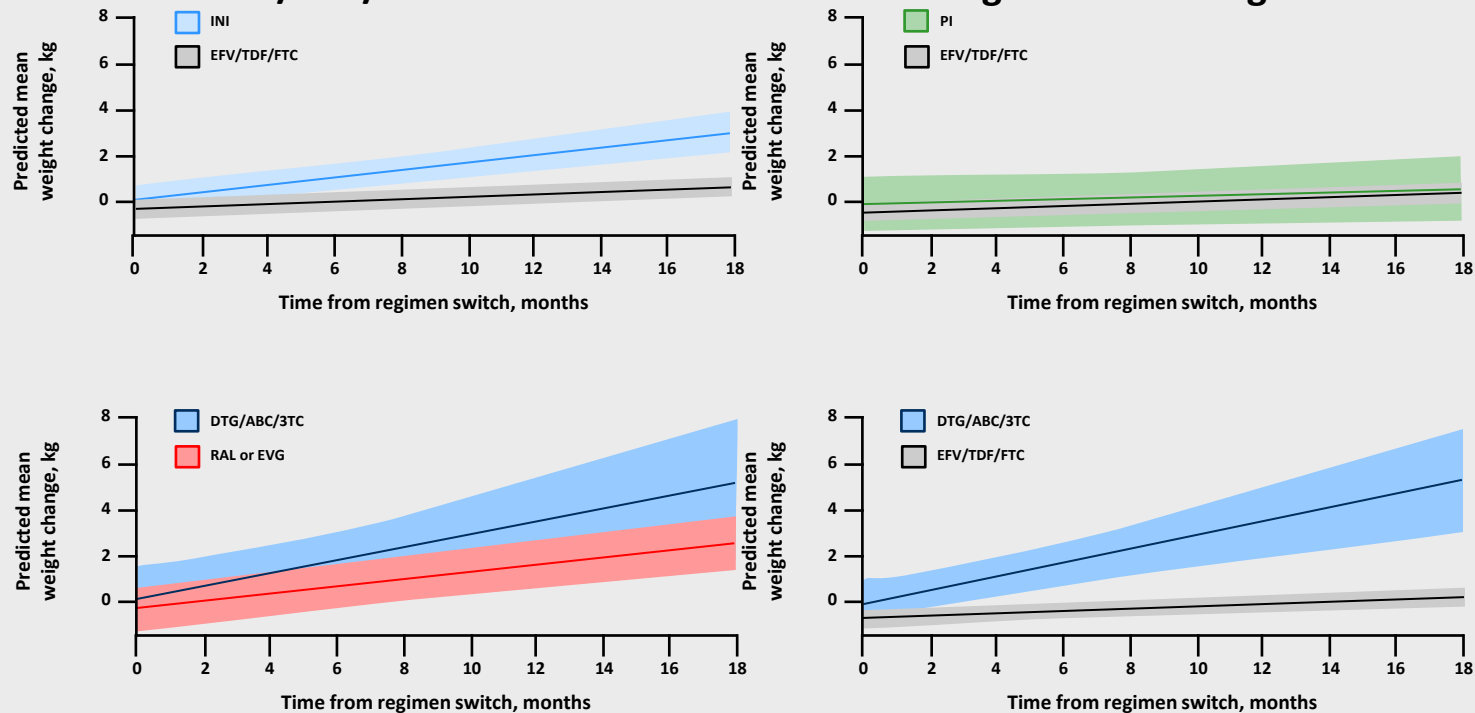
Five patients using DTG showed evidence of significant weight gain; in two cases weight gain was reversed on discontinuation of DTG²

Weight gain after switch from EFV/TDF/FTC to INI- or PI- regimens

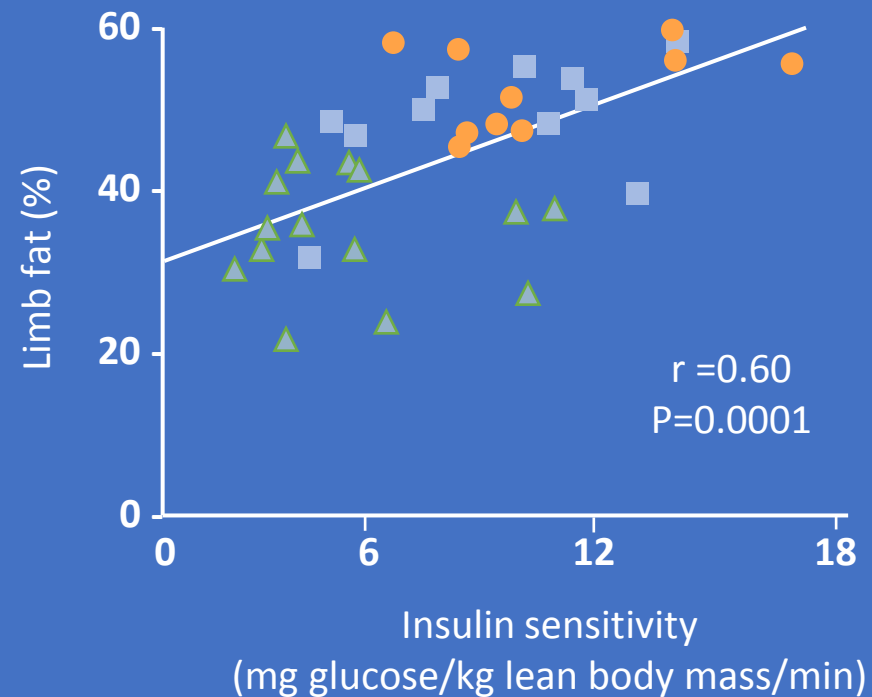
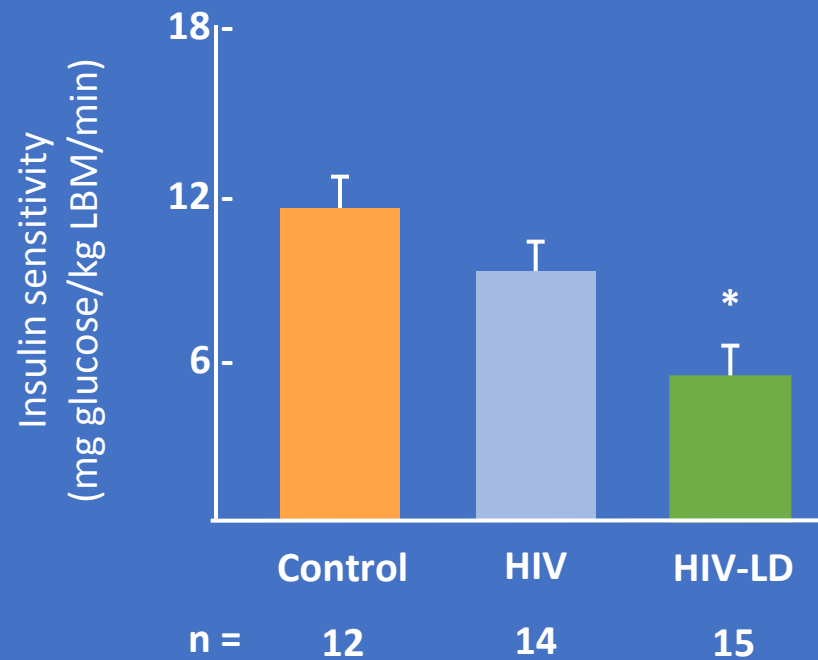
Retrospective analysis (n=495):

- Patients with sustained virologic suppression switched from EFV/TDF/FTC to an INI- or PI-containing regimen
 - patients who switched to an INI regimen gained a mean 2.9 kg at 18 months vs 0.9 kg in those continuing on EFV/TDF/FTC (p=0.003)
 - patients who switched to a PI regimen gained 0.7 kg (p=0.81)
- Amongst INI regimens, those who switched to DTG/ABC/3TC had gained the most weight at 18 months (5.3 kg, p=0.001 versus EFV/TDF/FTC)

Weight change at 18 months among patients remaining on EFV/TDF/FTC or RAL or EVG versus switching to another regimen



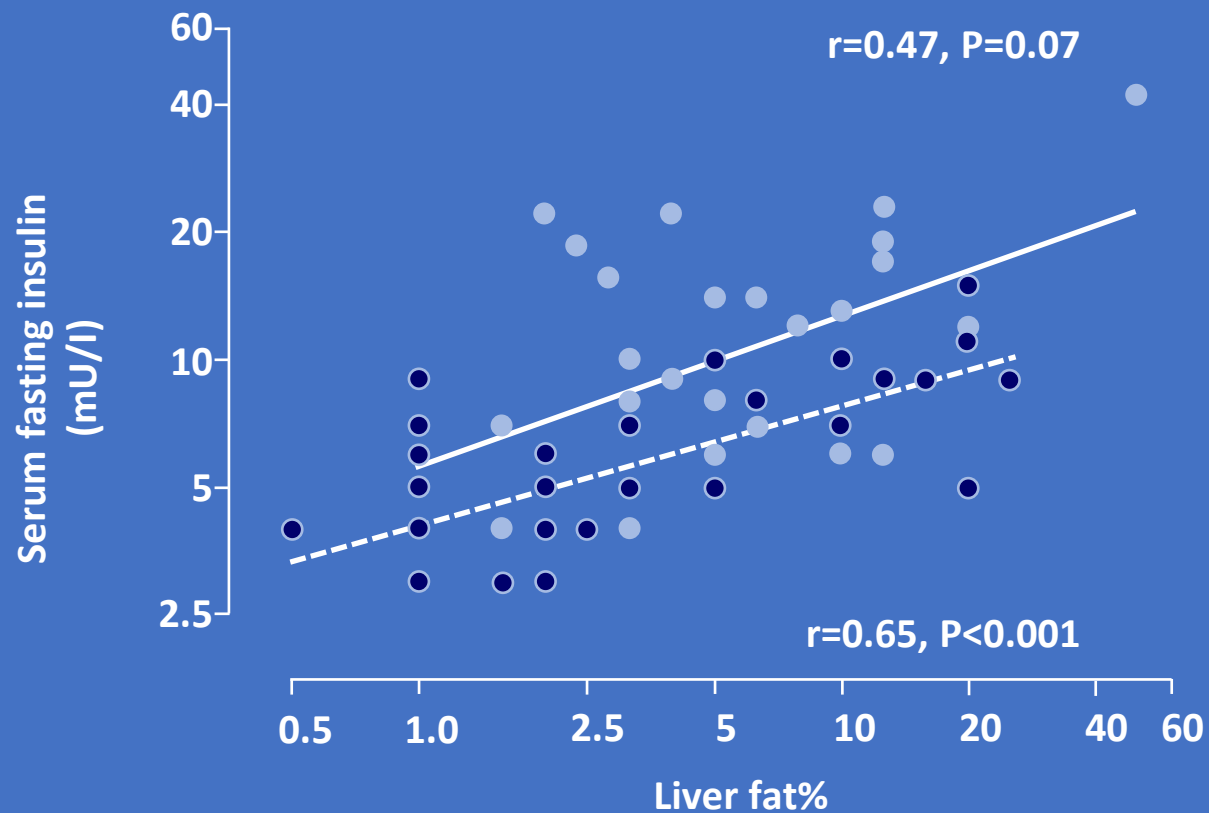
Association between limb fat and insulin resistance in lipodystrophy



* $p < 0.05$ compared with controls and HIV-infected groups

LBM: lean body mass

Hepatic insulin resistance is associated with hepatic steatosis



Liver fat content (evaluated by proton-MRS) was related to insulin resistance in HIV-LD (●) and control (●) subjects

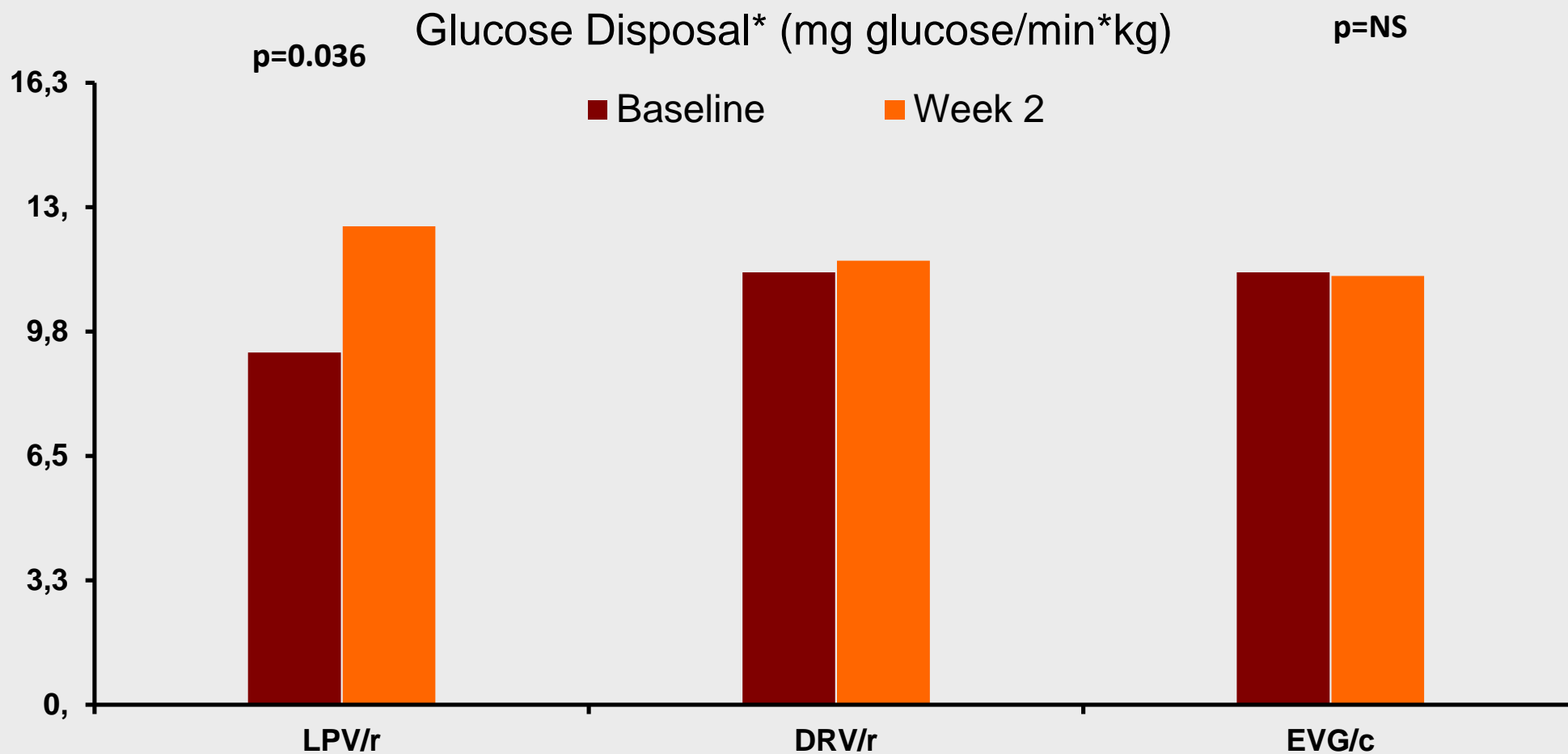
D:A:D Relationship Between Exposure to Individuals Drugs and Incidence of DM

The incidence of DM in D:A:D is 5.72 per 1000 PYFU

Cumulative Exposure	Relative Risk	95% CI	P Value
Stavudine (per year)	1.19	1.15–1.24	0.0001
Zidovudine (per year)	1.06	1.03–1.10	0.0004
Didanosine (per year)	1.06	1.02–1.11	0.01
Ritonavir (per year)	0.94	0.89–0.99	0.01
Nevirapine (per year)	0.89	0.84–0.95	0.0001

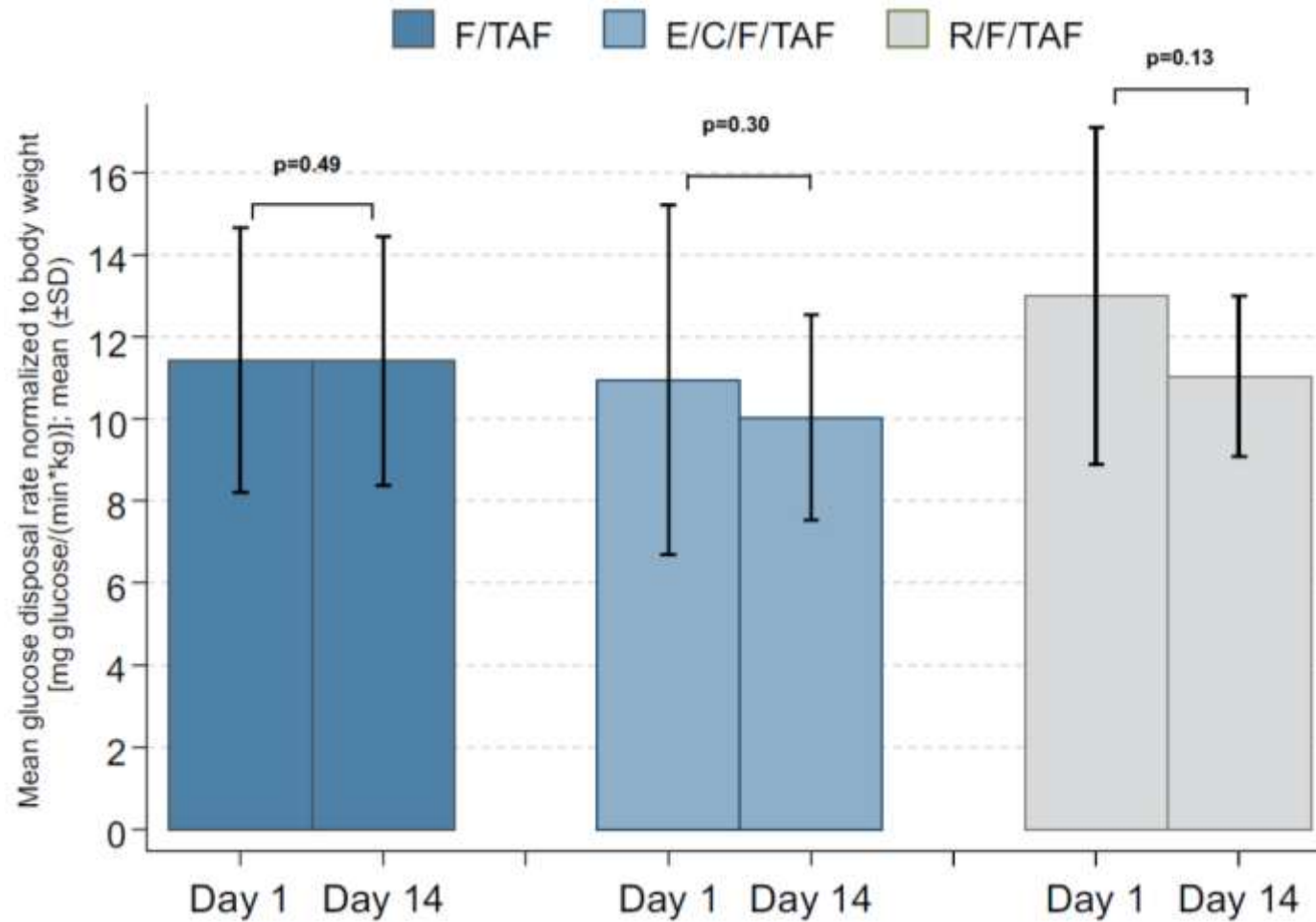
Adjusted for age, sex, BMI, race, smoking status, calendar year, and cohort.

Insulin Resistance with PI/r and EVG/c +TDF/FTC



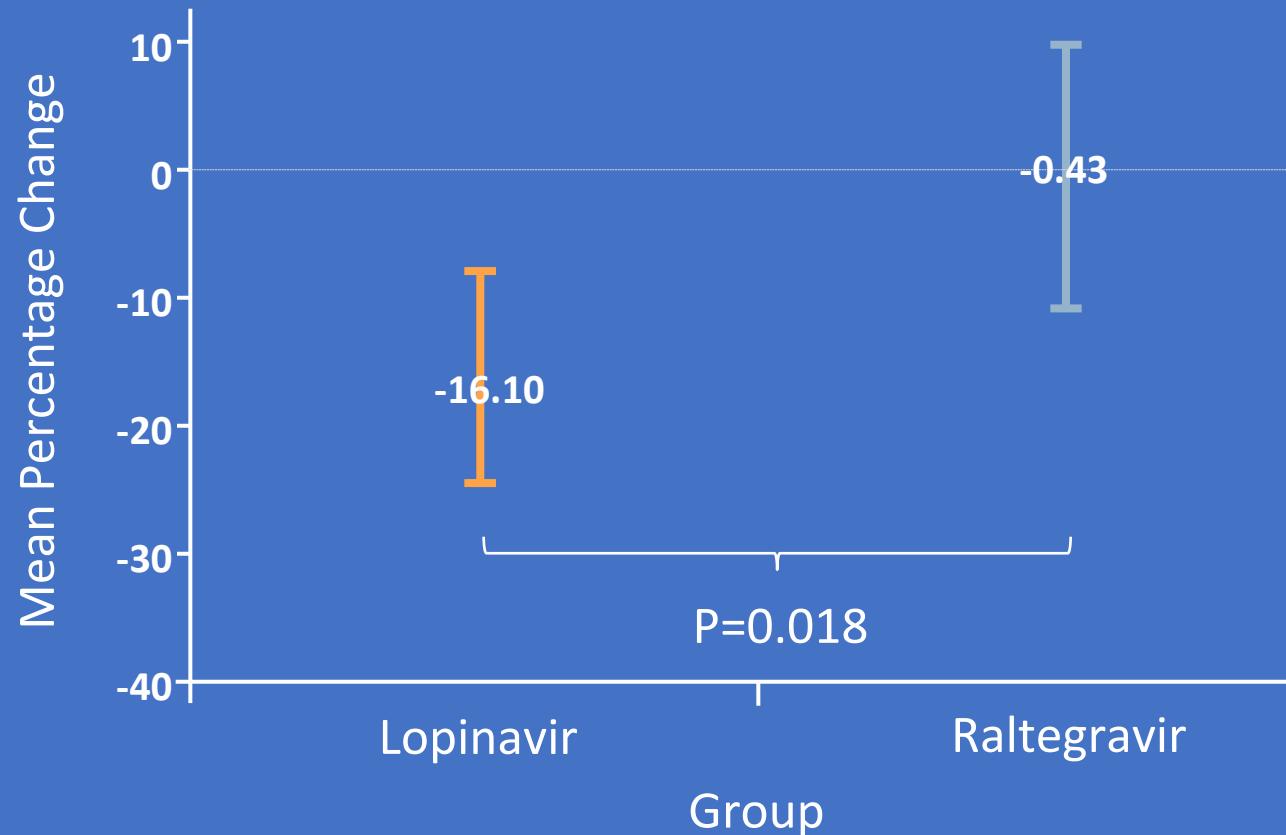
*Refers to glucose disposal following hyperinsulinemic euglycemic clamp before and 14 days after start of ART

Changes in BMI adjusted total glucose disposal (m) by TAF regimens



No Impact of Raltegravir vs. reduction in Insulin Sensitivity with LPV/r in Healthy Volunteers

Mean Percentage Change – Glucose Disposal Rate



Error bars: 95% CI. P - value obtained using independent t test assuming equal variance

ACTG5202/5224: Glucose disposal

Multivariate Analyses Examining Effects of Treatment and Clinical Characteristics on Change in Glucose and HOMA-IR Over 96 Weeks

		96-Week Glucose Change (mg/dL)	96-Week HOMA-IR Fold Change
Covariate	Reference	<i>P</i> -Value	<i>P</i> -Value
ABC/3TC	TDF/FTC	0.18	0.80
EFV	ATV/r	<0.001	0.61
Baseline HIV-1 RNA	Continuous (per 1 Log ₁₀ copies/ml higher)	0.047	0.023
96-week BMI Change	Continuous (per 1 kg/m ² higher)	0.005	

NNT to Harm with MI: ABC in D:A:D

Risk	Underlying 5 year risk (%)	5 year NNH	Underlying 10 year risk (%)	10 year NNH
Low (40 yo non-smoker with good lipids and BP)	0.1	1111	0.3	370
Smoker	0.4	277	1.5	92
Smoker and DM	1.1	101	3.1	35
Smoker and raised lipids	3.1	35	7.5	14
Previous CVD	5	22	10	14

NNT, number needed to harm; MI, myocardial infarction; ABC, abacavir; DM, diabetes mellitus; CVD, cardiovascular disease

Medical and Surgical Interventions Shown to Delay or Prevent T2D

Lifestyle modification should be used with all pharmacologic or surgical interventions.

Intervention	Follow-up Period	Reduction in Risk of T2D (<i>P</i> value vs placebo)
Antihyperglycemic agents		
Metformin ¹	2.8 years	31% (<i>P</i> <0.001)
Acarbose ²	3.3 years	25% (<i>P</i> =0.0015)
Pioglitazone ³	2.4 years	72% (<i>P</i> <0.001)
Rosiglitazone ⁴	3.0 years	60% (<i>P</i> <0.0001)
Weight loss interventions		
Orlistat ⁵	4 years	37% (<i>P</i> =0.0032)
Phentermine/topiramate ⁶	2 years	79% (<i>P</i> <0.05)
Bariatric surgery ⁷	10 years	75% (<i>P</i> <0.001)

T2D, type 2 diabetes.

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Interventions for pre-DM & DM

- Diet & Exercise, weight reduction, Smoking cessation
- Pharmacological
 - First line in most cases: Metformin starting at 500-750mg bd
 - Secondline:
 - GLP-1 receptor agonists (exenatide, liraglutide, lixisenatide, albiglutide, dulaglutide, semaglutide. Caution: pancreatitis
 - SGLT-2 canagliflozin, dapagliflozin, and empagliflozin Caution: glycosuria
 - Others:
 - Sulfonylureas: gliclazide
 - Thiazolidinediones (glitazones): rosiglitazone or pioglitazone
 - Gliptins (DPP-4 inhibitors)
 - Insulin
- ARB or ACE inhibitor for renal protection
- Statin and other lipid lowering agents
- Anticoagulant
- Modification of ART

What happens after DM diagnosis?

New Medication

- Dietary changes
- Metformin
- Statin
- Antihypertensive (ARB or ACE)
- ?anticoagulant

New Monitoring

- Blood sugar
- HBa1c
- Urinary albumin, ACR, eGFR
- BP
- Retinal screens
- Neuropathy screens
- Podiatry

Poster Sessions – Abstract P052

The effect of dolutegravir on the pharmacokinetics of metformin in healthy subjects

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Conclusions: Co-administration of DTG and metformin was well tolerated, yet significantly increased metformin plasma exposure; effects were DTG dose dependent. Though metformin has a wide therapeutic index and alone is not associated with hypoglycemia, close monitoring is recommended when co-administering metformin and DTG. Dose adjustments of metformin may be considered.

Table 1. Statistical comparison of metformin PK parameters with and without dolutegravir

Plasma Metformin PK Parameter	GLS mean	Metformin + DTG (Period 2)	GLS mean ratio (90% CI)
	Metformin Alone (Period 1)		Metformin + DTG vs. Metformin Alone
Cohort 1 (DTG 50 mg QD)	n = 15	n = 14	
C _{max} (µg/mL)	0.932	1.55	1.66 (1.53, 1.81)
AUC(0-τ) (hr*µg/mL)	6.83	12.2	1.79 (1.65, 1.93)
Cohort 2 (DTG 50 mg BID)	n = 15	n = 14	
C _{max} (µg/mL)	0.845	1.878	2.11 (1.91, 2.33)
AUC(0-τ) (hr*µg/mL)	6.49	15.9	2.45 (2.25, 2.66)

Blood pressure treatment target <130, <80

- Employ therapeutic lifestyle modification
 - DASH or other low-salt diet combined with Physical activity
- Select antihypertensive medications based on BP-lowering effects and ability to slow progression of nephropathy and retinopathy
 - ACE inhibitors or ARBs
- Add additional agents when needed to achieve blood pressure targets
 - Calcium channel antagonists
 - Diuretics preferably Indapamide
 - Combined α/β -adrenergic blockers
 - β -adrenergic blockers
 - Do not combine ACE inhibitors with ARBs

Statin use

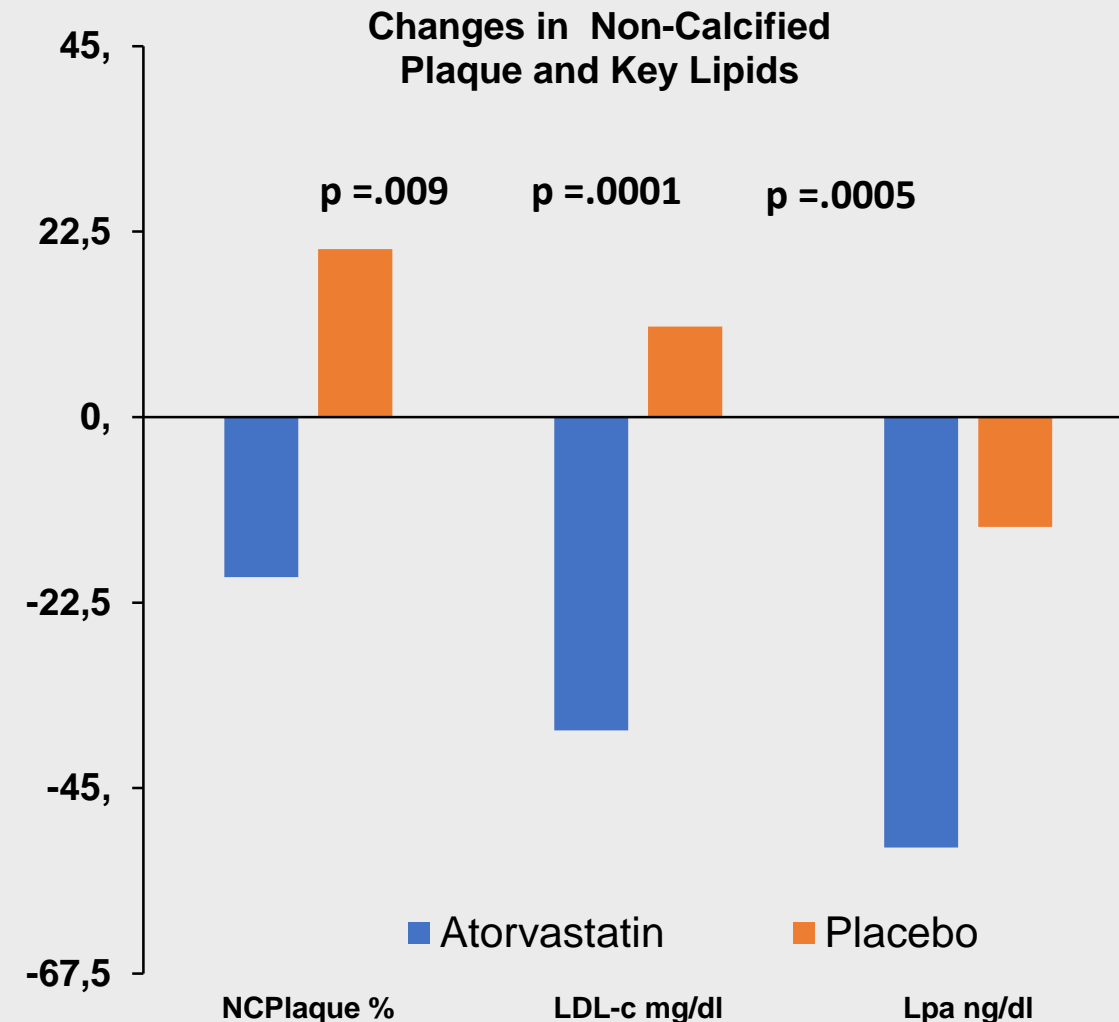
- Should be universally considered
- LDL-C target: <70 mg/dL or 3 mmol/l—for DMs
- Atorvastatin, Rosuvastatin and Pitavastatin
- Watch for ART interactions
- Use a statin regardless of LDL-C level in patients with diabetes who meet the following criteria:
 - >40 years of age
 - ≥1 major ASCVD risk factor
 - Hypertension
 - Family history of CVD
 - Low HDL-C
 - Smoking

Antiplatelet Agents

- Consider aspirin therapy (75–162 mg/day, weight based)
 - Meta-analysis suggests no/limited benefit in DMs
 - Greater benefits may exist in those who have at least one additional major risk factor
 - Known vascular disease, retinopathy or nephropathy
 - Family history of CVD
 - Hypertension
 - Smoking
 - Dyslipidemia
 - Albuminuria

Atorvastatin vs Pbo for Non-Ca++ coronary plaques

- 40 HIV-infected pts with subclinical coronary atherosclerosis and low density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol <130mg/dL
- Coronary atherosclerotic plaque as assessed by coronary computed tomography angiography
- Statin therapy was well-tolerated, with low incidence of clinical adverse events or laboratory abnormalities



Assessment of Diabetic Nephropathy

- Annual assessments
 - Serum creatinine to determine eGFR
 - Urine Albumin/Creatinine ratio
- Begin annual screening
 - 5 years after diagnosis of T1D if diagnosed before age 30 years
 - At diagnosis of T2D or T1D in patients diagnosed after age 30 years
- HIV:
 - Caution with DTG, RPV, /r and /c regards effects on eGFR
 - Caution with TDF re renal effects on eGFR and tubular proteins incl albumin
 - Caution with ABC, DRV, LPV due to CV risk in high risk patients
 - Caution with ATV/r and /c due to kidney stones

Key points

- Diet, exercise, & education: foundation of any T2DM therapy program.
- Metformin remains the optimal first-line drug.
- After metformin, data are limited. Combination therapy with 1-2 other oral / injectable agents is reasonable.
- Many patients will require insulin therapy alone or in combination with other agents to maintain BG control.
- Comprehensive CV risk reduction is a major focus of therapy.
- ART choices affect glucose, lipids, CV and renal outcomes