

# Medical Management of Obese Renal Failure Patients awaiting Transplantation

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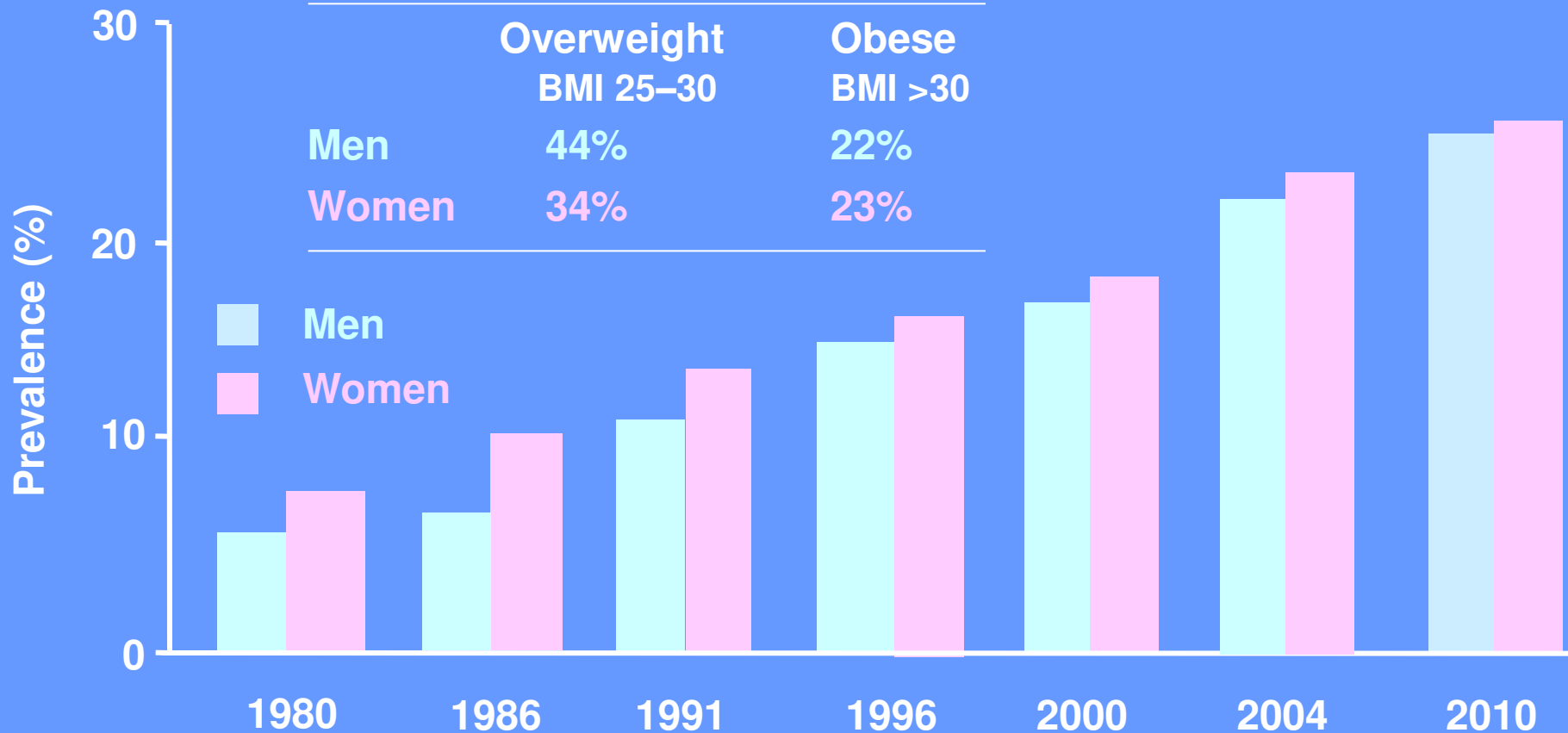
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# Prevalence of adult obesity (BMI >30) in England

## England 2004



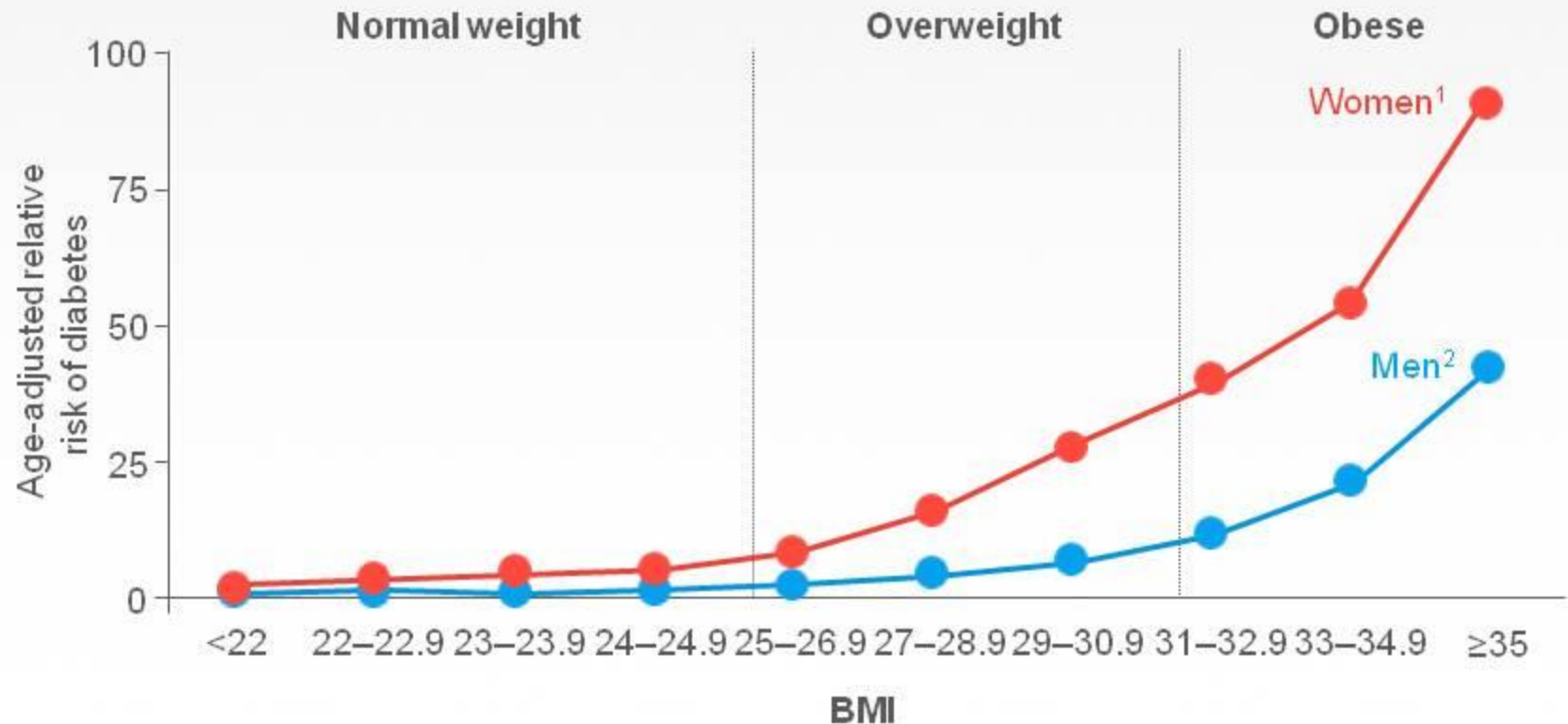
**% overweight has stayed approx constant since 1993 (M~44%, F~33%)**

***Obesity causes ~30,000 premature deaths annually; 18 million lost working days in 1998***

***Cost to the nation (including the NHS) > £2.5 billion***

# Diabetes and obesity are closely interlinked

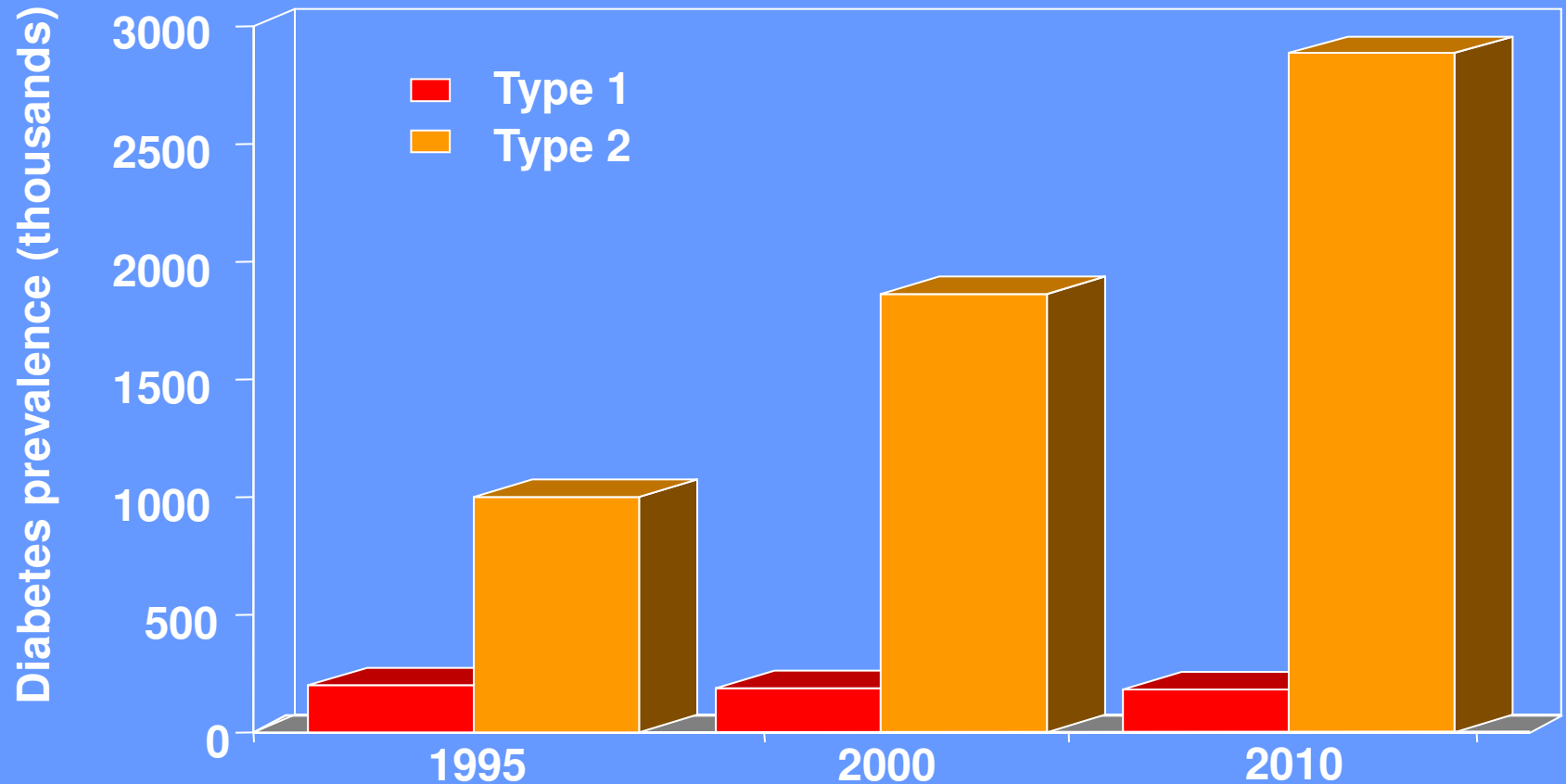
Relationship between BMI and risk of type 2 diabetes



BMI, body mass index.

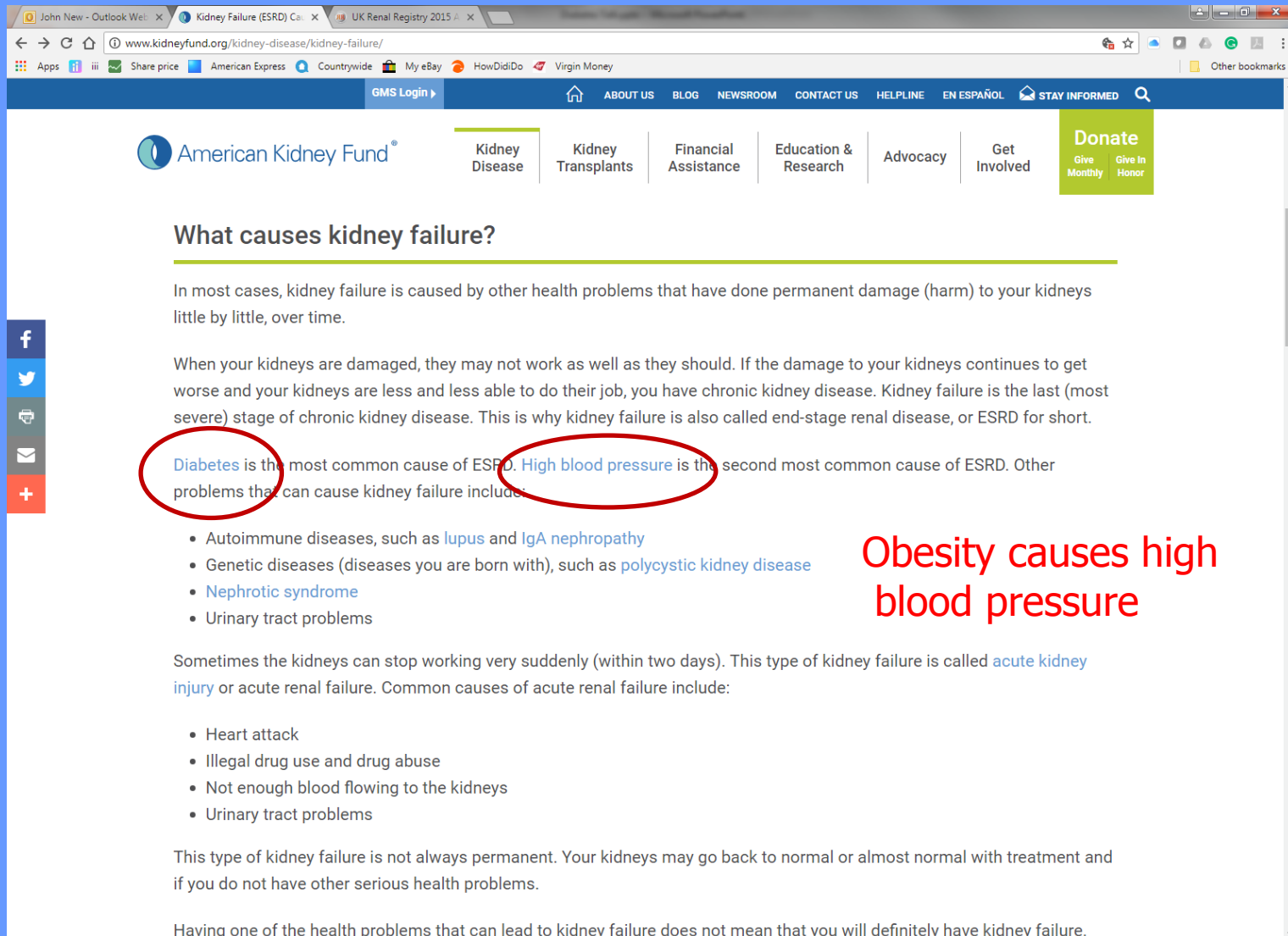
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# Prevalence DM in UK





# Diabetes, Obesity & Renal Failure



The screenshot shows the American Kidney Fund website. The main navigation bar includes links for 'ABOUT US', 'BLOG', 'NEWSROOM', 'CONTACT US', 'HELPLINE', 'EN ESPAÑOL', and 'STAY INFORMED'. A 'Donate' button is also present. The page title is 'What causes kidney failure?'. The text explains that kidney failure is often caused by other health problems like diabetes and high blood pressure. A list of causes for chronic kidney disease is provided, including autoimmune diseases, genetic diseases, nephrotic syndrome, and urinary tract problems. A note mentions that sometimes kidneys can stop working suddenly, leading to acute kidney injury. A list of causes for acute renal failure is also provided, including heart attack, illegal drug use, and not enough blood flowing to the kidneys. The page concludes by stating that having one of these health problems does not mean you will definitely have kidney failure.

**What causes kidney failure?**

In most cases, kidney failure is caused by other health problems that have done permanent damage (harm) to your kidneys little by little, over time.

When your kidneys are damaged, they may not work as well as they should. If the damage to your kidneys continues to get worse and your kidneys are less and less able to do their job, you have chronic kidney disease. Kidney failure is the last (most severe) stage of chronic kidney disease. This is why kidney failure is also called end-stage renal disease, or ESRD for short.

Diabetes is the most common cause of ESRD. High blood pressure is the second most common cause of ESRD. Other problems that can cause kidney failure include:

- Autoimmune diseases, such as lupus and IgA nephropathy
- Genetic diseases (diseases you are born with), such as polycystic kidney disease
- Nephrotic syndrome
- Urinary tract problems

Sometimes the kidneys can stop working very suddenly (within two days). This type of kidney failure is called acute kidney injury or acute renal failure. Common causes of acute renal failure include:

- Heart attack
- Illegal drug use and drug abuse
- Not enough blood flowing to the kidneys
- Urinary tract problems

This type of kidney failure is not always permanent. Your kidneys may go back to normal or almost normal with treatment and if you do not have other serious health problems.

Having one of the health problems that can lead to kidney failure does not mean that you will definitely have kidney failure.

**Obesity causes high blood pressure**

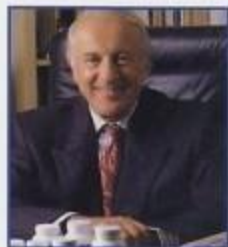
# Management of Obesity

- Difficult



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**CRAB PRESS-UP**

**FLORIDA BEACH DIET**

# Management of Obesity

- Difficult
  - Exercise
  - Energy restriction
  - Pharmacological
  - Bariatric Surgery

# 1 Kg fat



=



X 13 = 9000  
Cals

=



X 50



=

70 kg = 130 km

100 kg = 90 km

# Difficulties with weight loss in people awaiting transplant

- Fluid retention masks weight loss
  - Need careful assessment of dry weight
  - Fluid retention, SOB, poor motivation
- Low calorie diets difficult to maintain protein and nutritional intake
- Medications – steroids,
- People on insulin tendency to hypos
  - Reduce fast acting, maintain on slow acting

# Advantages of weight loss in people awaiting transplant

- Very Motivated
- Longer term maintenance of weight not as important



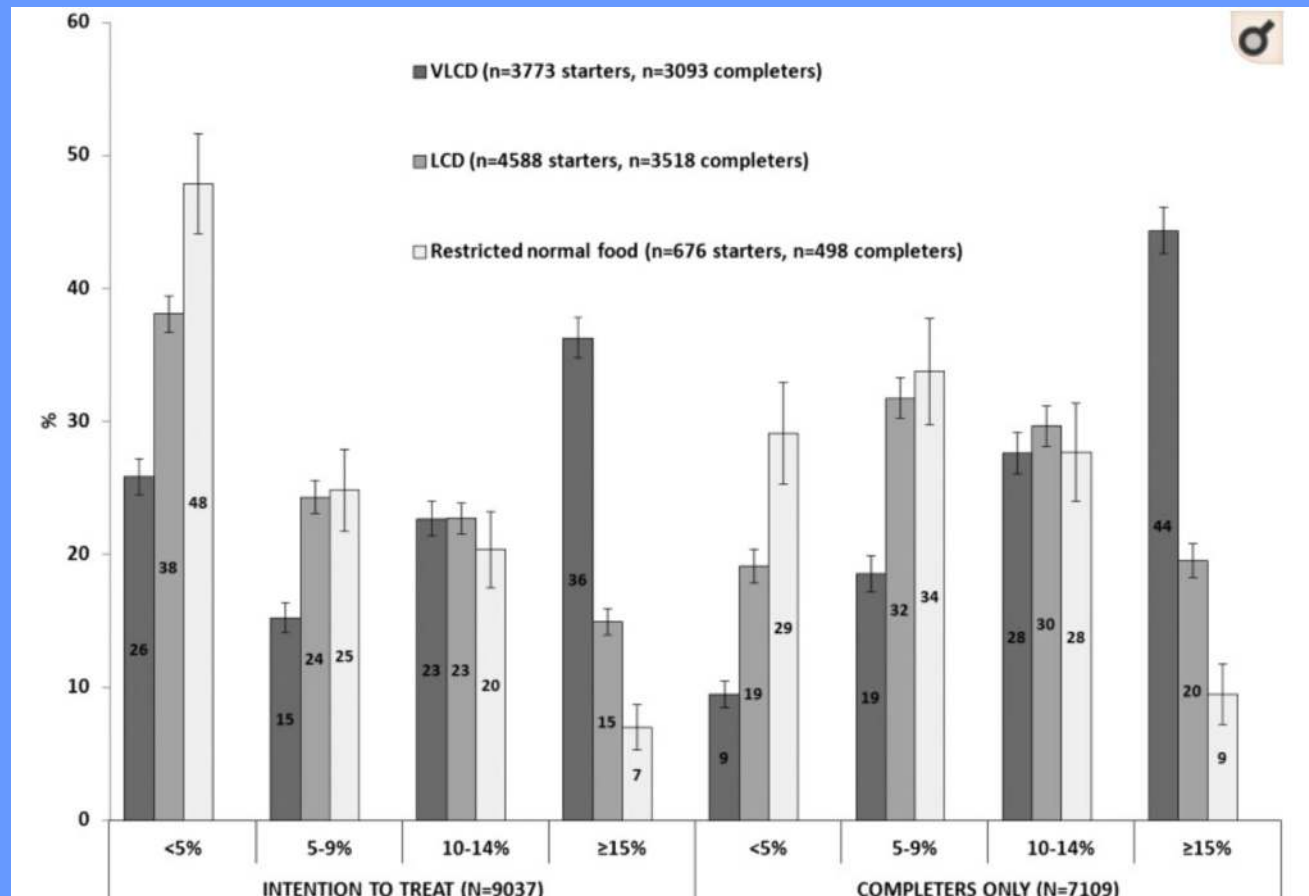
# Diet, Orlistat, GLP1 & SGLT2

- Orlistat
  - Licensed for obesity
- GLP1
  - Liraglutide - licensed for obesity
  - diabetes and non diabetes
- SGLT2 inhibitors
  - Not licensed for obesity
  - Only suitable for people with diabetes
- If no weight loss 4 weeks unlikely to succeed

# Low Calorie Diets

- Traditional diet  
500 Cal per day restriction
- LCD      1500-1800-kcal/day restricted  
normal-food diet
- VLCD    500 – 800 Cal per day allowance

# Low Calorie Diets

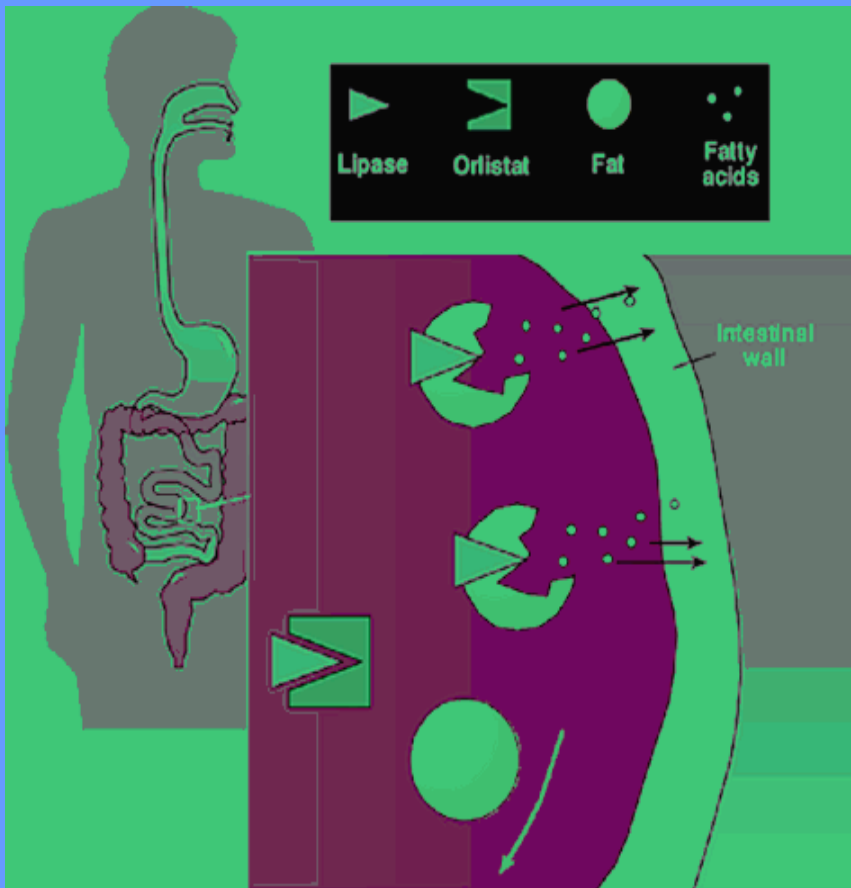


Categories of percentage weight loss at 1 y in a commercial weight-loss program including a VLCD, an LCD, or a restricted normal-food diet.

# Very Low Calorie Diets

- Short term weight loss is excellent
  - Longer term weight loss poor
- Ideal for motivated person
  - Transplant or joint replacement
- Used in conjunction with medications improve compliance
- Should be followed up with nutritional and psychological support

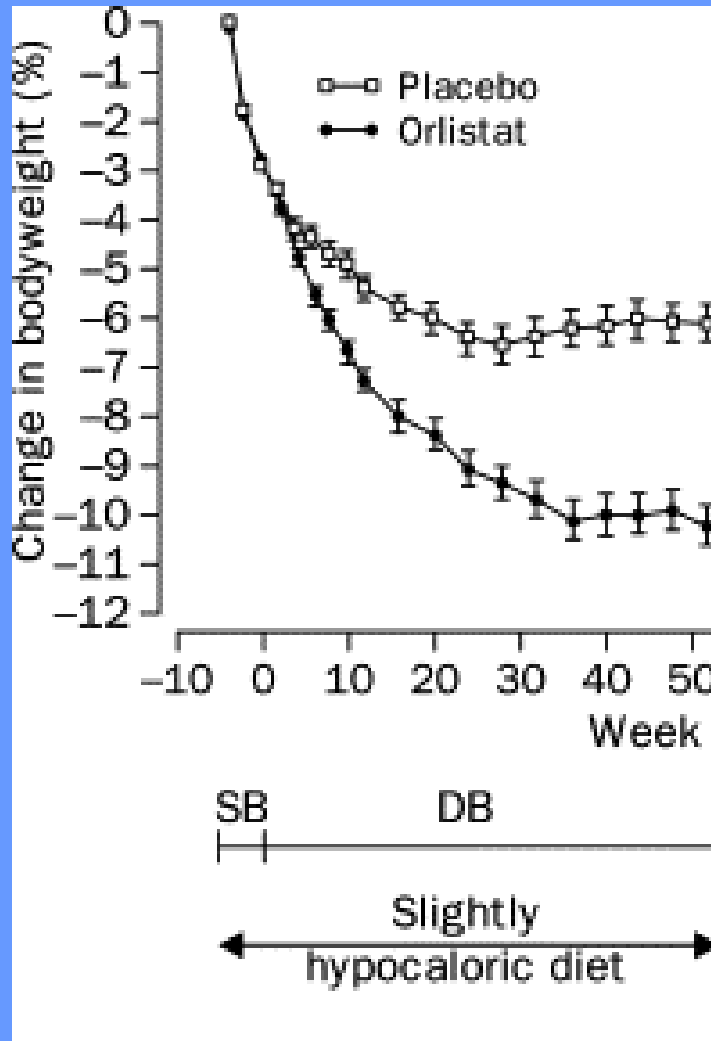
# Orlistat



- Inhibition of lipases blocks systemic absorption of fat
- Take with each meal
- Unabsorbed fat is excreted into faeces (up to one-third of ingested fat)
- Deterrent to eating fat
- Faecal urgency & leaking

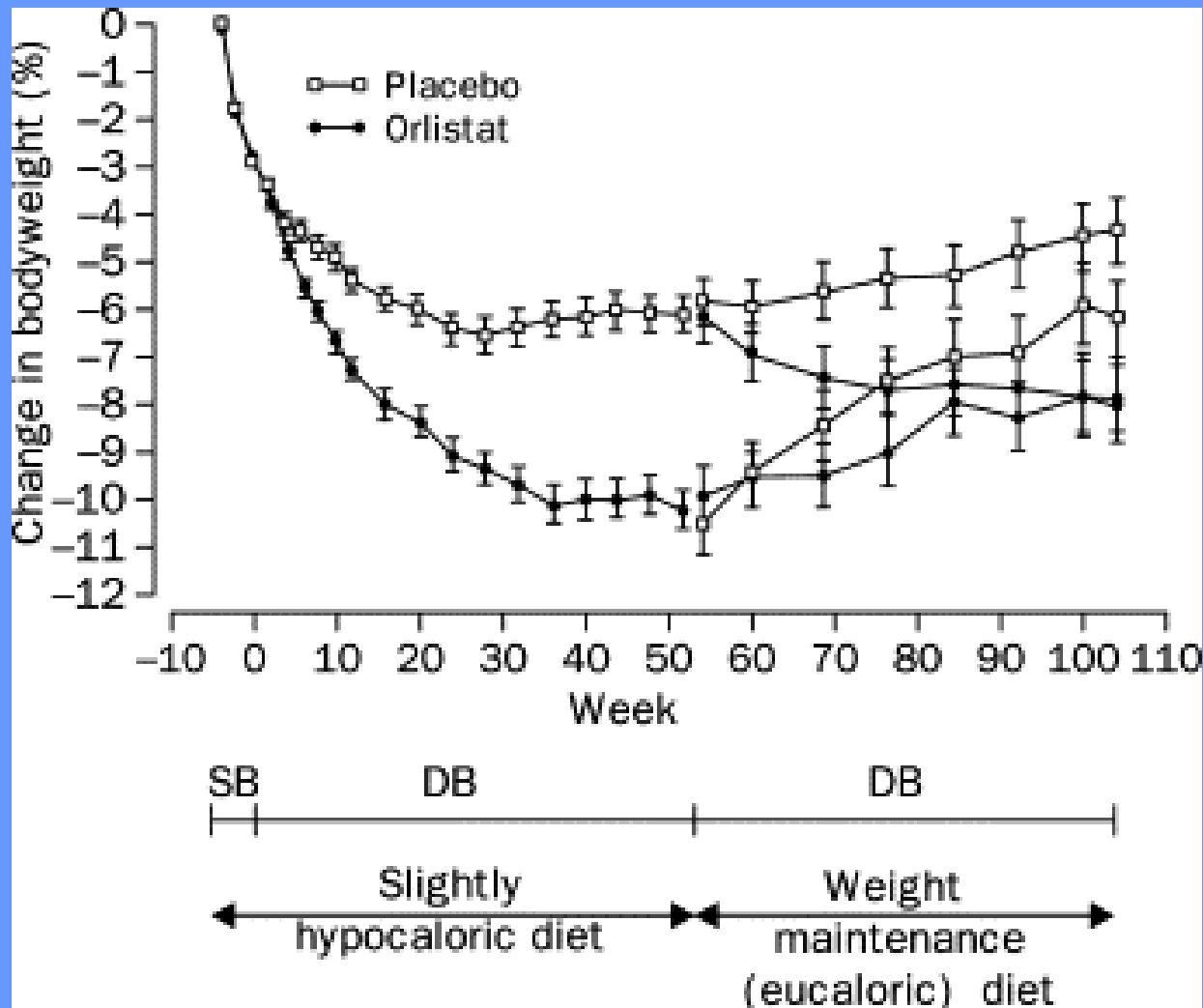


# Orlistat & Weight loss



Randomised placebo-controlled trial of orlistat for weight loss and prevention of weight regain in obese patients. Lars Sjöström Lancet

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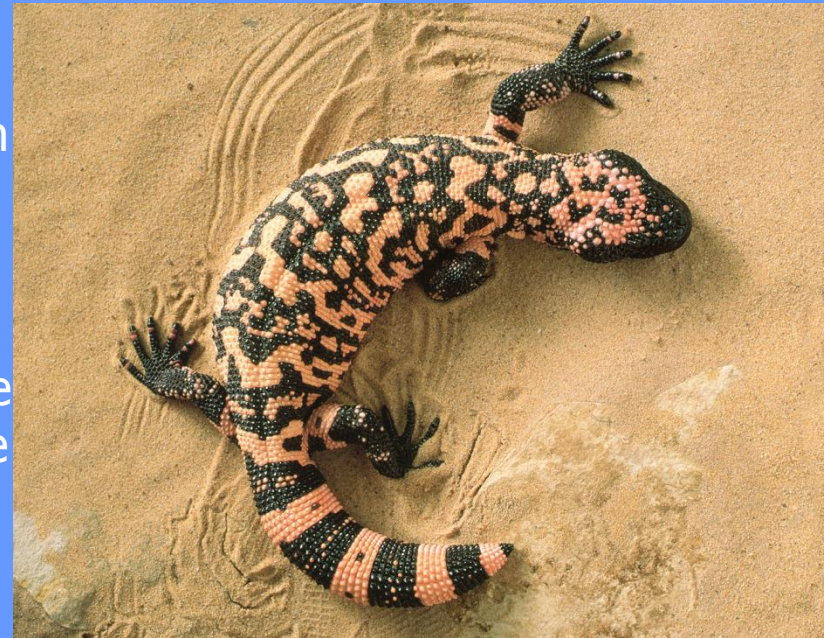
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# What is GLP1?

- GLP 1 is an incretin hormone
  - Secreted by L cells in gut
  - Half life of 2 minutes (degraded by DPP4)
- Postprandial
  - Slows gastric emptying
  - Reduces appetite and food intake
  - Stimulates glucose dependent insulin secretion
  - Suppresses glucagon secretion decreased hepatic glucose production

# Exenatide

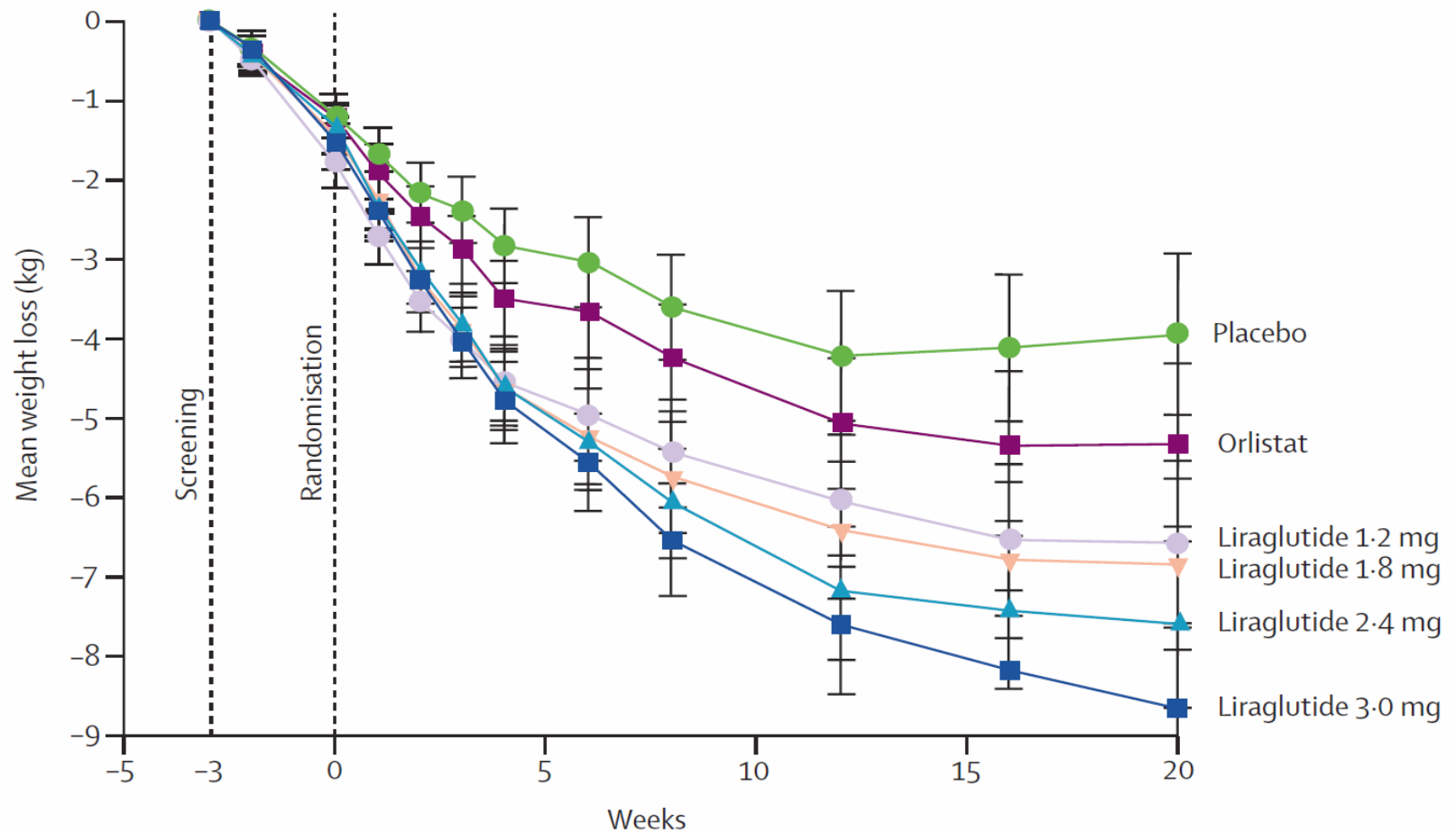
- Exenatide is a synthetic version of exendin-4
  - Isolated from the Gila monster lizard saliva
  - Shares over 50% similarity with human GLP-1
- Exenatide and GLP-1 bind to the GLP-1 receptor with equal affinity
  - Effects of exenatide when bound to the GLP-1 receptor are equivalent to native GLP-1
- Unlike native GLP-1, exenatide is not inactivated by the DPP4 enzyme, which means it remains active for longer
- Renal excretion – Avoid in Renal disease



# Liraglutide

- Once daily injection
- Licensed for treatment
  - T2DM
  - Obesity
  - eGFR >30
    - but not renally metabolised
    - Trials in dialysis patient's appear safe
- Nausea, gall stones, pancreatitis





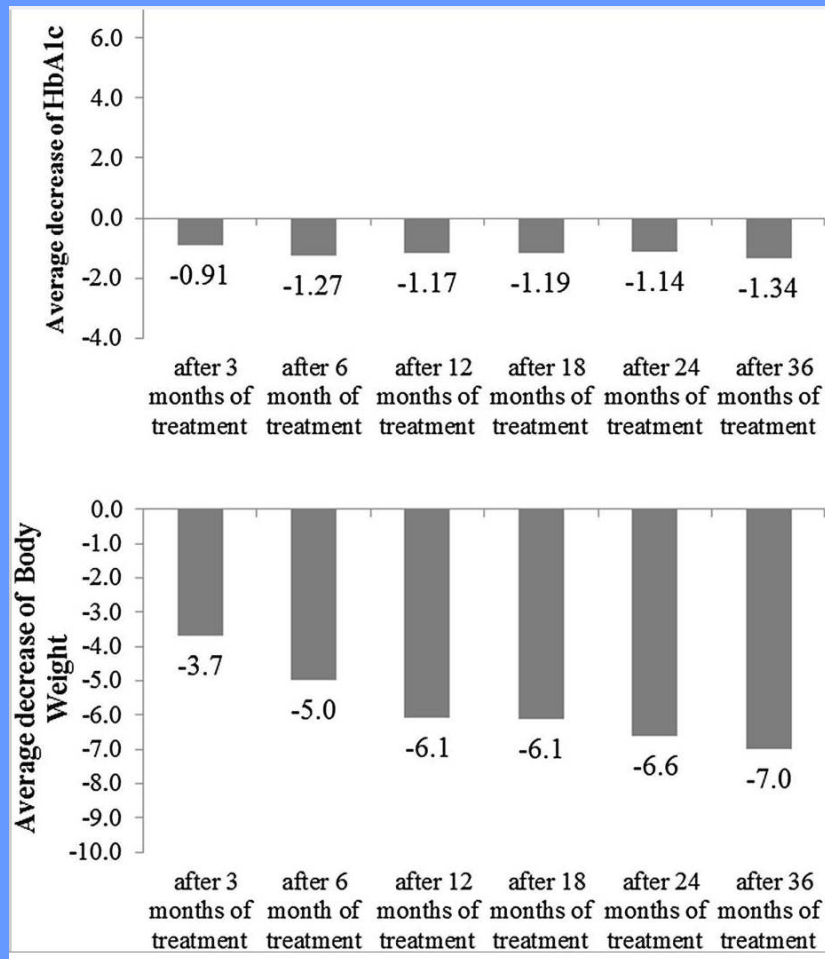
**Figure 2: Change in bodyweight**

	Placebo	Liraglutide				Orlistat
		1.2 mg	1.8 mg	2.4 mg	3.0 mg	
Weight (kg)	-4.1 (3.9)	-6.7 (4.0)	-7.1 (5.8)	-7.9 (5.0)	-9.1 (5.2)	-5.5 (4.3)
SBP (mm Hg)	-7.8 (15.0)	-12.8 (14.4)	-10.7 (13.6)	-14.7 (12.0)	-13.3 (13.2)	-9.3 (11.7)
DBP (mm Hg)	-4.8 (9.0)	-4.9 (8.8)	-4.9 (9.0)	-5.1 (8.0)	-7.1 (9.8)	-4.5 (8.0)

# Effects of liraglutide in the treatment of obesity: a randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled study

- 20-week trial, with open-label orlistat
- 564 individuals
  - 18–65 yrs, BMI 30–40
  - 4 liraglutide: 1.2, 1.8, 2.4 or 3.0 mg OD
  - placebo
  - orlistat 120mg TDS
- 500 kcal per day energy-deficit diet & increased physical activity

# Longer term effects of liraglutide



Safety, tolerability and sustained weight loss over 2 years with the once-daily human GLP-1 analog, liraglutide

International Journal of Obesity 2012, 843–854

Changes in bodyweight and cardiometabolic risk factors between baseline and week 160

	Liraglutide 3.0 mg (n=1472)	Placebo (n=738)	Estimated treatment difference, liraglutide vs placebo (95% CI)*	p value
<b>Change in bodyweight</b>				
Percentage of bodyweight	-6.1% (7.3)	-1.9% (6.3)	-4.3 (-4.9 to -3.7)	<0.0001
Kg of bodyweight	-6.5 (8.1)	-2.0 (7.3)	-4.6 (-5.3 to -3.9)	<0.0001
Loss of ≥5% bodyweight (%)†	49.6%	23.7%	3.2 (2.6 to 3.9)	<0.0001
Loss of >10% bodyweight (%)†	24.8%	9.9%	3.1 (2.3 to 4.1)	<0.0001
Loss of >15% bodyweight (%)†	11.0%	3.1%	4.0 (2.6 to 6.3)	<0.0001
<b>Bodyweight-related endpoints</b>				
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	-2.4 (2.9)	-0.7 (2.6)	-1.7 (-1.9 to -1.4)	<0.0001
Waist circumference (cm)	-6.9 (8.3)	-3.4 (7.5)	-3.5 (-4.2 to -2.8)	<0.0001
Women (n=1110 vs 565)	-7.2 (8.3)	-3.1 (7.3)	-4.0 (-4.8 to -3.2)	<0.0001
Men (n=362 vs 173)	-5.9 (8.1)	-4.3 (8.0)	-1.9 (-3.4 to -0.5)	0.0080

3 years of liraglutide versus placebo for type 2 diabetes risk reduction and weight management in individuals with prediabetes: a randomised, double-blind trial

The Lancet Volume 389, Issue 10077, Pages 1399-1409 (April 2017)

# Mysimba

- centrally acting anti-obesity drug
  - naltrexone
  - bupropion
- Used to help stop smoking and opiate addiction
- Reduces the pleasure from eating

# Naltrexone plus bupropion

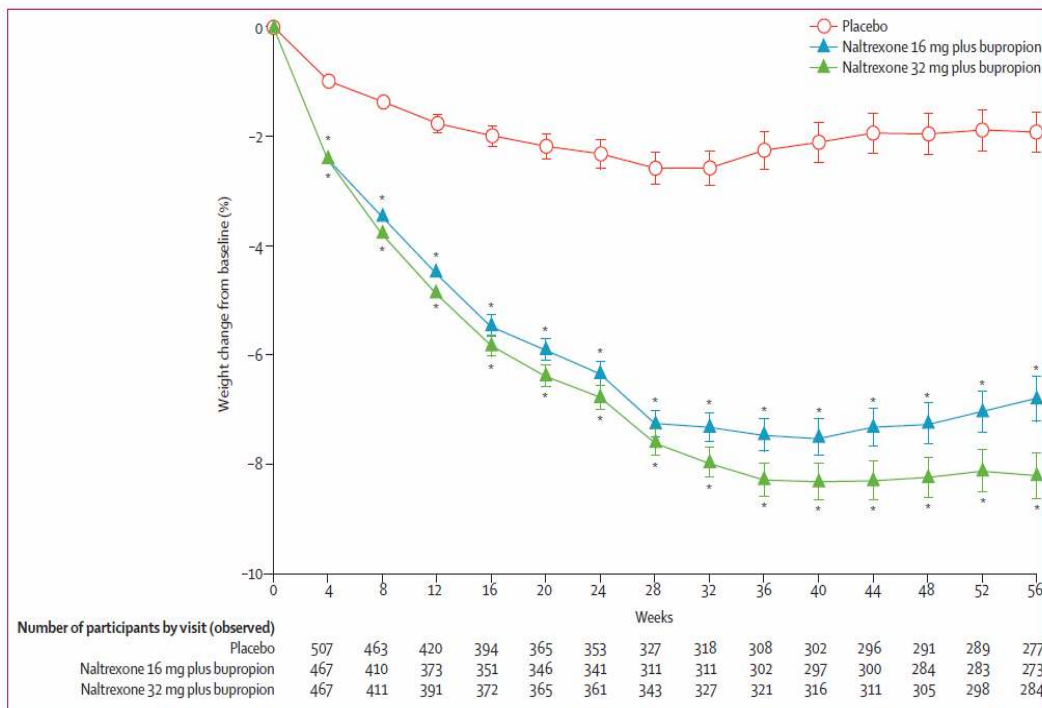


Figure 2: Change in bodyweight

Observed least squares mean (SE) percentage change from baseline in bodyweight and number of participants at each visit during 56 weeks. \*p<0.0001 compared with placebo.

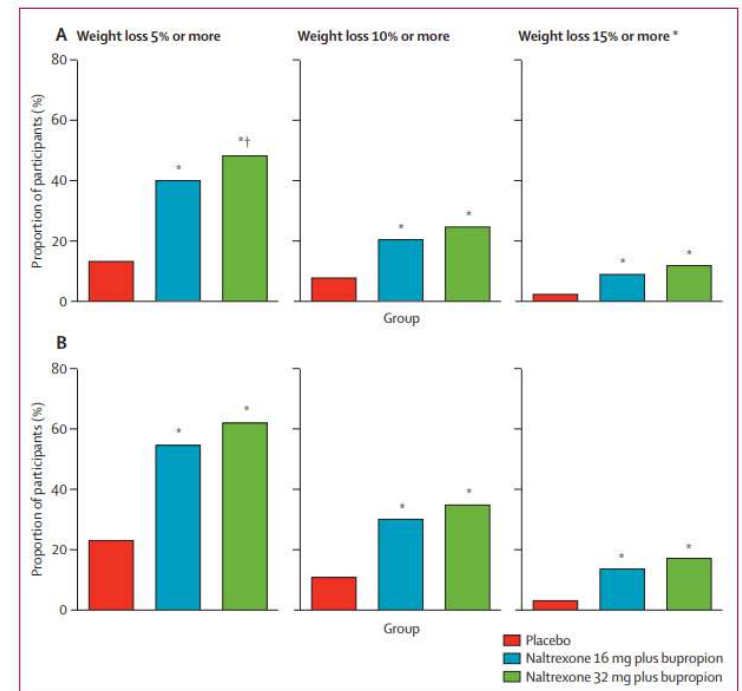


Figure 3: Proportion of participants who lost at least 5%, 10%, and 15% of baseline weight at week 56

(A) Primary analysis population. (B) Participants who completed 56 weeks of treatment. \*p<0.0001 compared with placebo. †p=0.0099 for naltrexone 32 mg plus bupropion compared with naltrexone 16 mg plus bupropion (exploratory analysis performed for primary analysis population only).

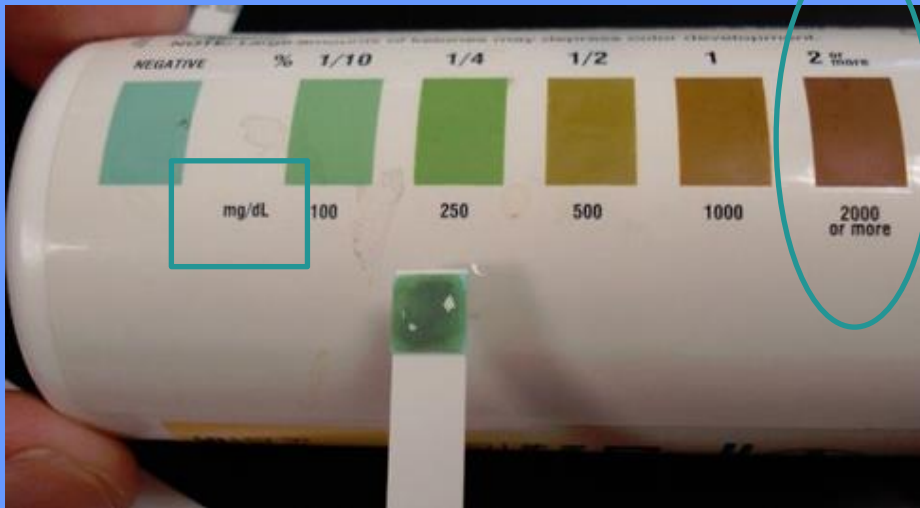
Effect of naltrexone plus bupropion on weight loss in overweight and obese adults (COR-I)  
Lancet 2010 p595-605



# Mysimba: Nice recommendation

- Naltrexone–bupropion is not recommended for managing overweight and obesity in adults alongside a reduced-calorie diet & increased physical activity.
- Clinical trial evidence shows that naltrexone–bupropion with lifestyle measures is more effective than lifestyle measures alone, but its long-term effectiveness is unknown.

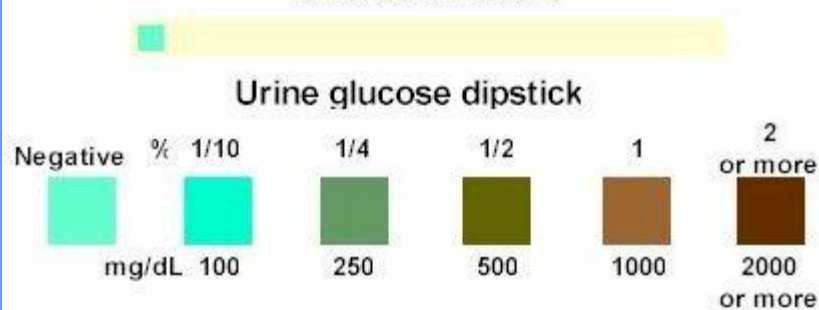
# Treatment of T2DM and weight



Glycosuria if  $> 10$  mmol/L

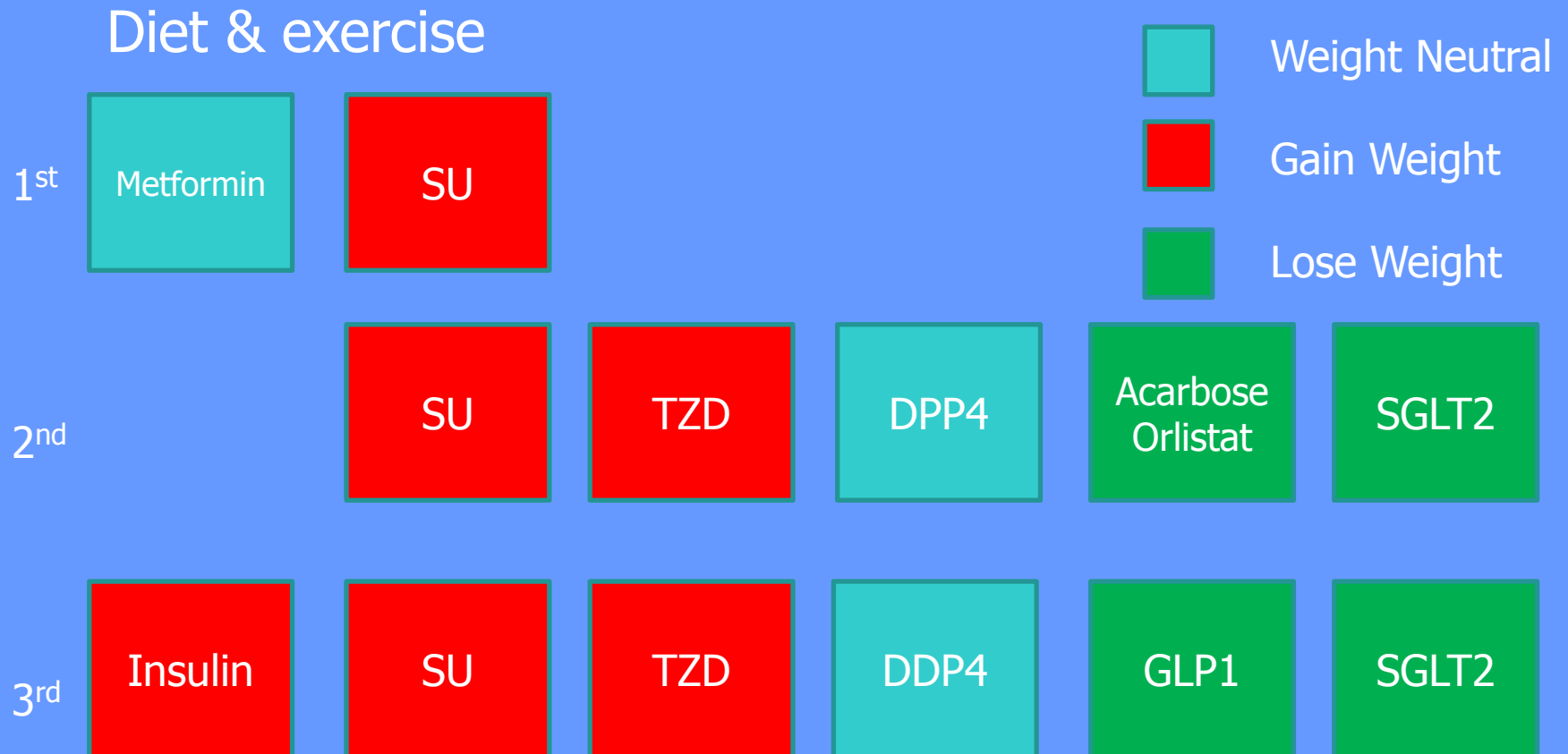
May lose 50gm glucose  
200 calories  
More than a can of pop

Example Diastix urine glucose test strip and color chart

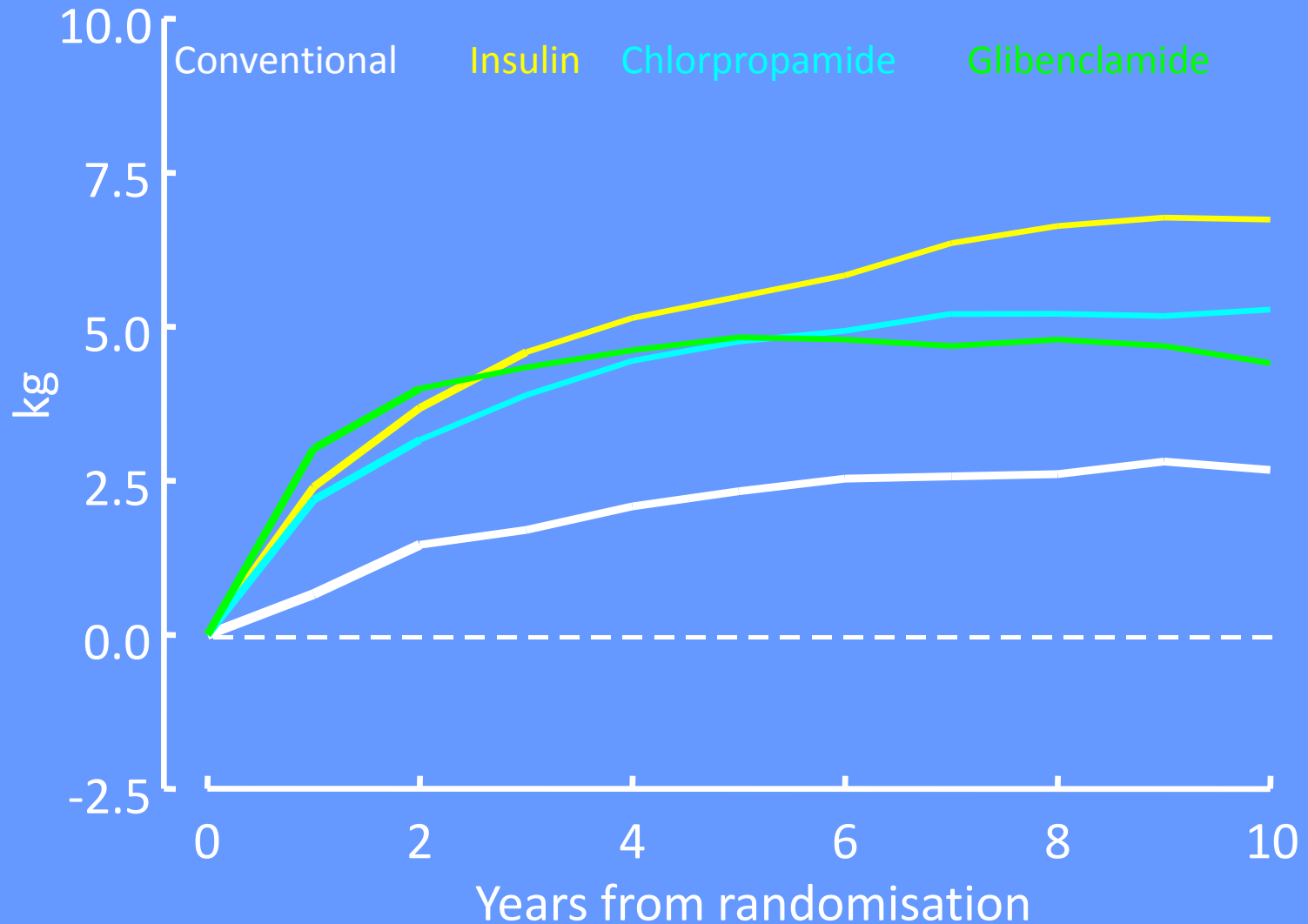


20 grams glucose per litre

# Treatment of Type 2 Diabetes



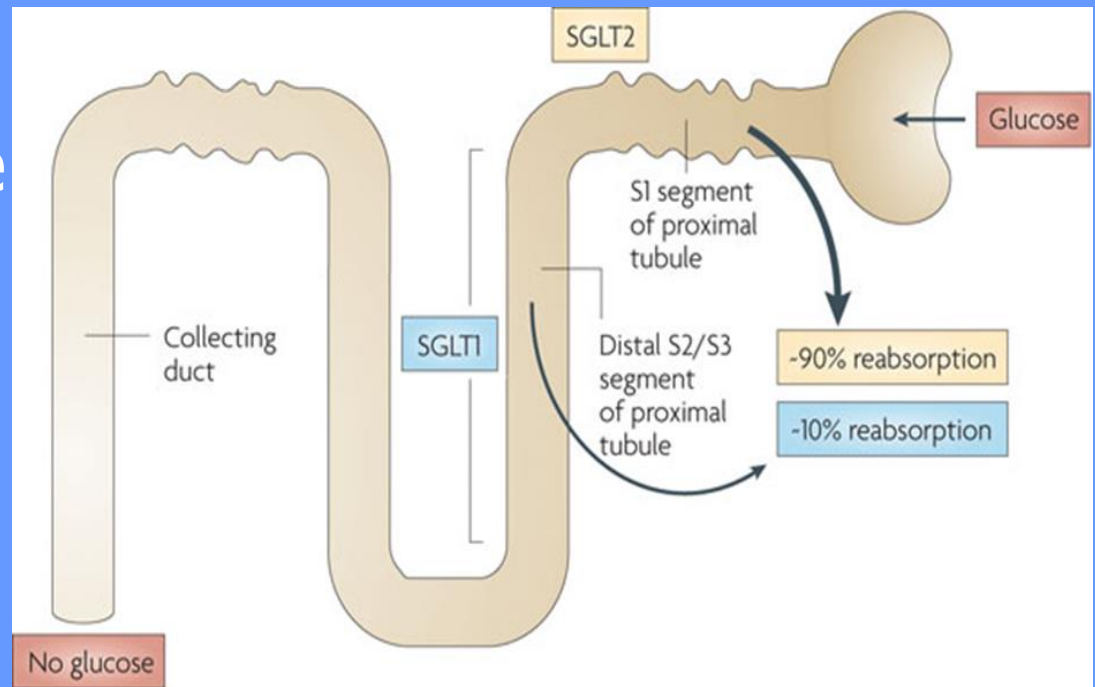
# UKPDS: change in weight



# Sodium Glucose Transporter 2

## Inhibitors- SGLT2

- Kidney filters about 180g glucose per day
- With normal glucose levels
  - 90% reabsorbed by SGLT2
  - 10% reabsorbed by SGLT1



# SGLT 2 Inhibitors

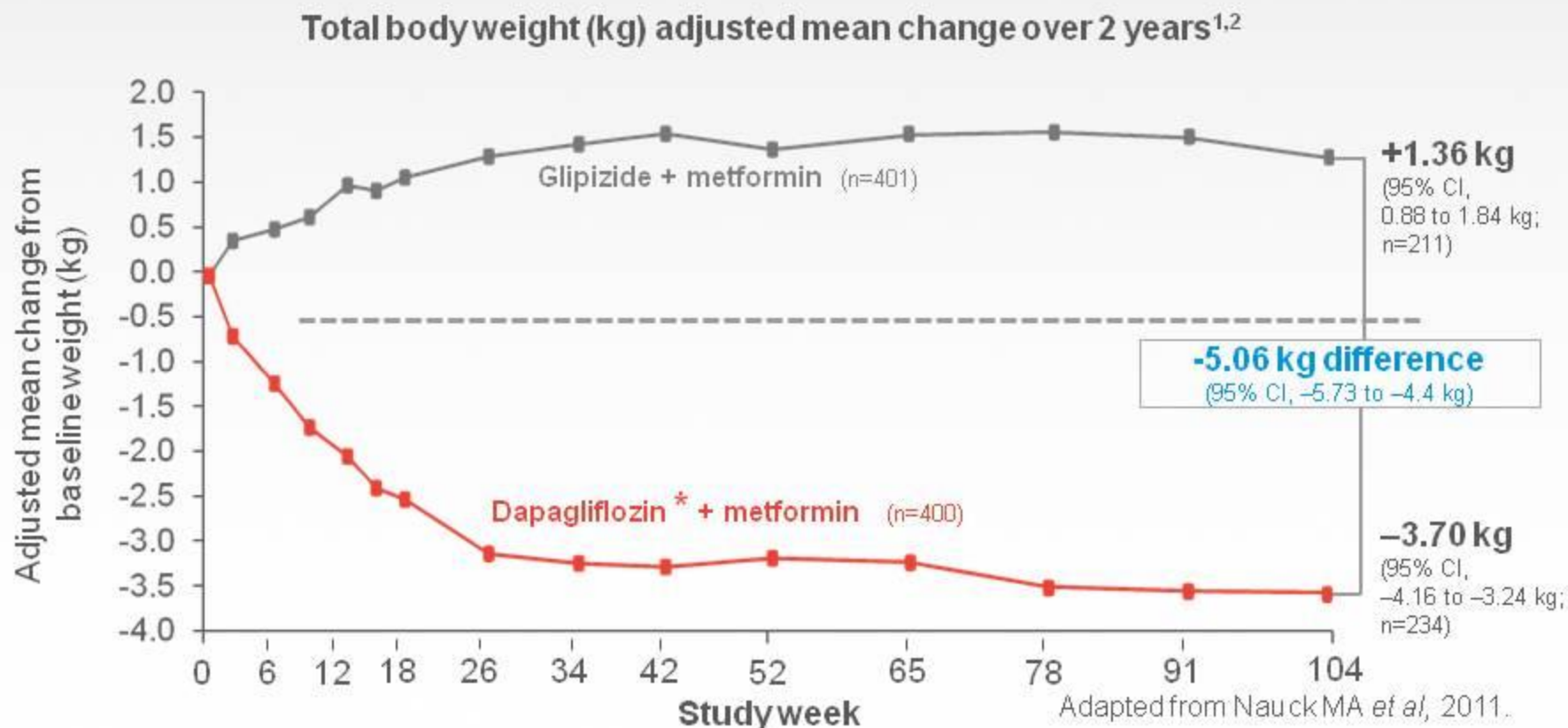
## Pros

- Action independent of insulin
  - No hypoglycaemia
- Result in Glycosuria
  - Typically 70g Glucose per day (250 cals)
- May prevent renal impairment

## Cons

- Increased risk UTI & Thrush
- Increased urine output
- Risk ketoacidosis
- If less renal function, less glucose lost in urine

# Dapagliflozin: Secondary benefit of weight loss compared with a sulphonylurea



\*Dapagliflozin dose was up-titrated to a maximum of 10mg (achieved in 87% of patients) over an 18-week period based on glycaemic response and tolerability

Data are adjusted mean change from baseline and 95% CI derived from a repeated measures mixed model. This was an exploratory endpoint from a long-term follow-up study. Weight loss in the initial 52 week study was a key secondary endpoint and was measured using LOCF analysis. Results at 52 weeks were -3.22 kg in the dapagliflozin arm (baseline weight 88.4 kg) and +1.44 kg in the SU arm (baseline weight 87.6 kg).

1. Nauck MA *et al*. *Diabetes Care* 2011;34:2015–2022.

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# Medical Tx: long term outcomes

- Disappointing
  - Maintaining weight loss difficult
- Long term treatment helps
  - Expensive
  - Motivation
- Psychological treatment / CBT
  - Improves weight loss
  - Very little access

# Summary

- Weight loss is hard
- For people with diabetes consider medications
- Medical therapies are
  - OK for 10-15% weight loss in short term
  - Less reliable longer term
  - Expensive
- Bariatric surgery very effective

Thank You

Any Questions?