An aerial photograph of Lunds Universitet in Sweden, showing a large campus with various buildings, a central pond with fountains, and a large bridge spanning a wide body of water in the background. The text is overlaid on a semi-transparent white box in the center of the image.

Kan förebyggande hälsoinsatser mot kardiometabol sjukdom underlättas genom att utläsa sjukdomsrisk och följsamhet till behandling i blodet?

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Precisionsmedicinskt Center Syd



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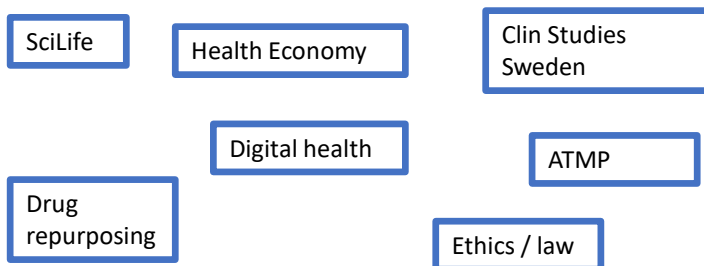
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KlinGen/patologi)
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Åsa Petersén (Rare dis)
Helena Elding Larsson (Pediatrik)
Olle Melander + Sophia Zachrisson (adjungerade)



Föreståndare: Olle Melander (Internmedicin)
Bitr Föreståndare: Sophia Zachrisson (Radiologi)

Admin + grant manager (100%)
Projektbidrag

STÖDFUNKTIONER:



ARBETSGRUPPER (PROJEKT + IMPLEMENTERING)

PRECISIONSPREVENTION

SAMARBETE MED
PRIMÄRVÅRDEN /
RIKTADE HÄLSOSAMTAL

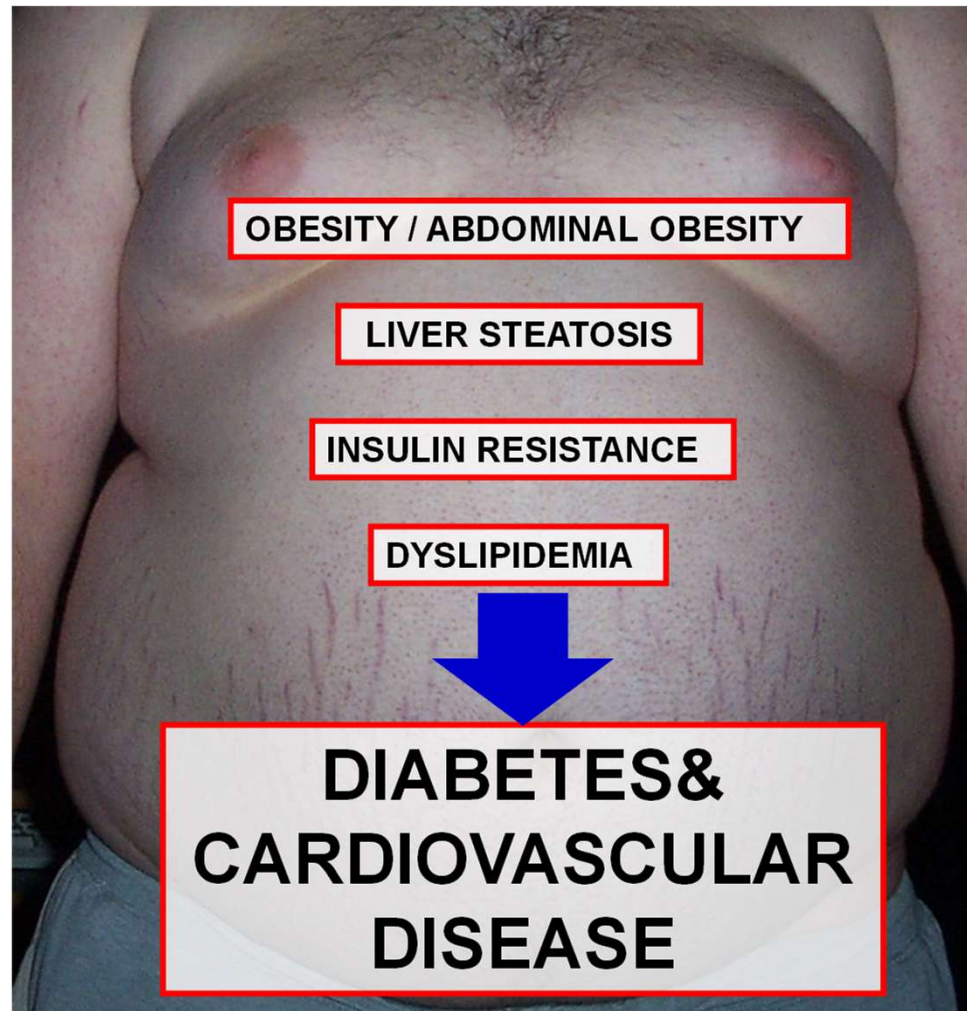
PRECISIONSMEDICINSKT CENTER SYD

Precisionsmedicinskt Center Syds uppgift är att utifrån hälso- och sjukvårdens behov driva:

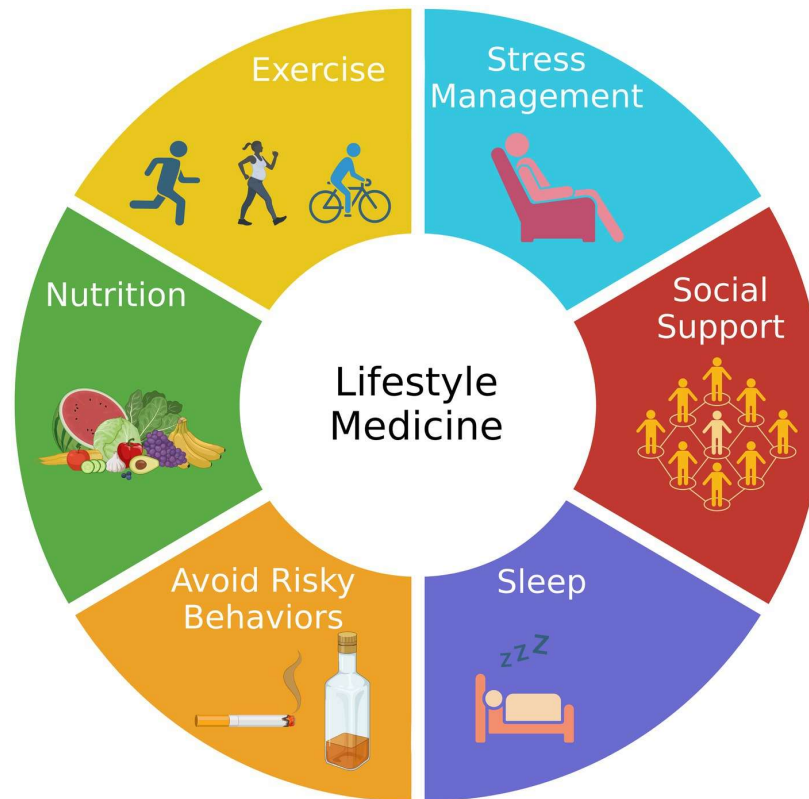
- (1) implementeringsnära PM-projekt (som har stor chans att gå vidare till #2)
- (2) implementera PM i hälso- och sjukvården



"CARDIOMETABOLIC DISEASE"



To know how to do \neq To do it



SEKUNDÄRPREVENTION



- *En kamp mot symptomen
 - *Inser allvaret
- motivation-fölsamhet

PRIMÄRPREVENTION



- *Inga symptom
 - *Inser inte allvaret
- sätt att mäta resultat av LIVSSTILS prevention

VIKTEN AV ATT FÖLJA UPP OCH JUSTERA





GENETIC SUSCEPTIBILITY TO CARDIOMETABOLIC DISEASE

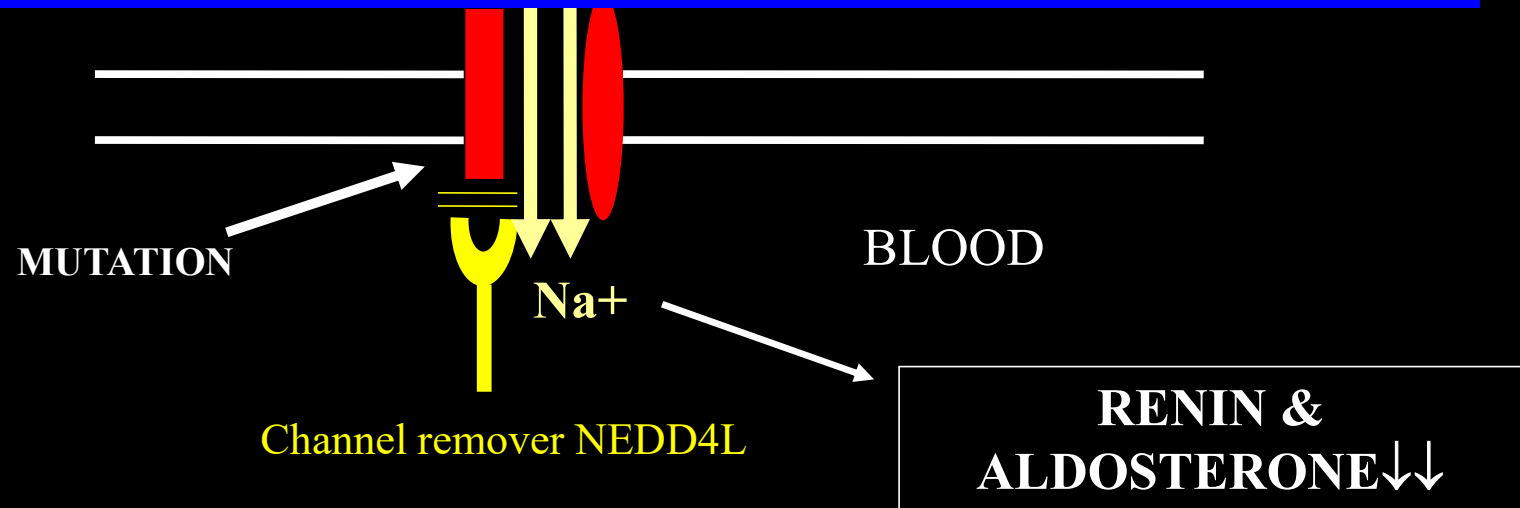
= USED TO BE SURVIVAL GENES

= SENSITIVITY TO CURRENT LIFESTYLE

= CAN BE ELIMINATED WITH LIFESTYLE CHANGE

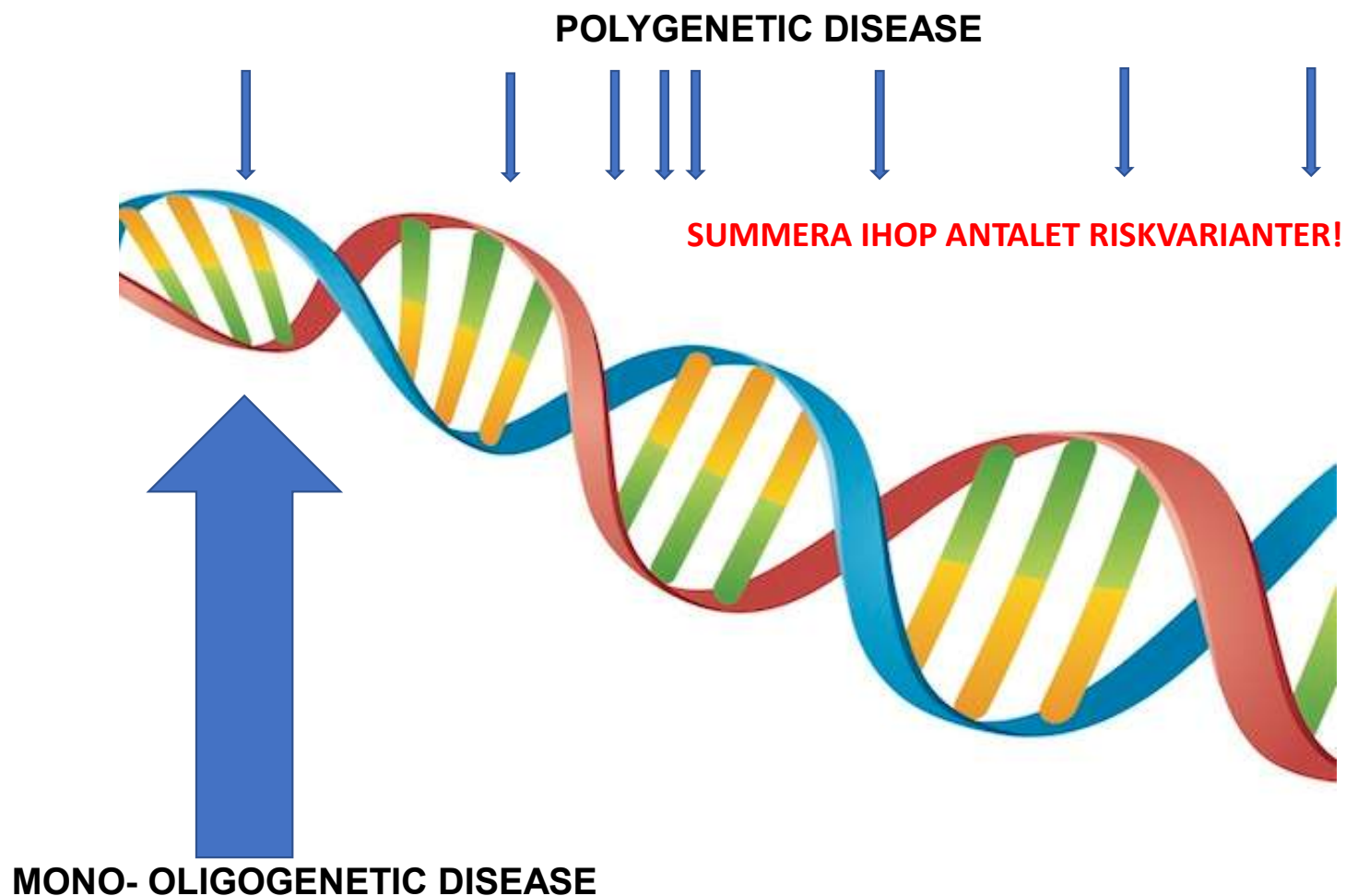
Severe salt sensitive **MONOGENIC** hypertension (**LIDDLE'S SYNDROME**=
(2 familial cases in MDC- pedigree extended 5 cases)

A 100% GENETIC DISEASE CAN BE COMPLETELY PREVENTED WITH A 100% ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION!

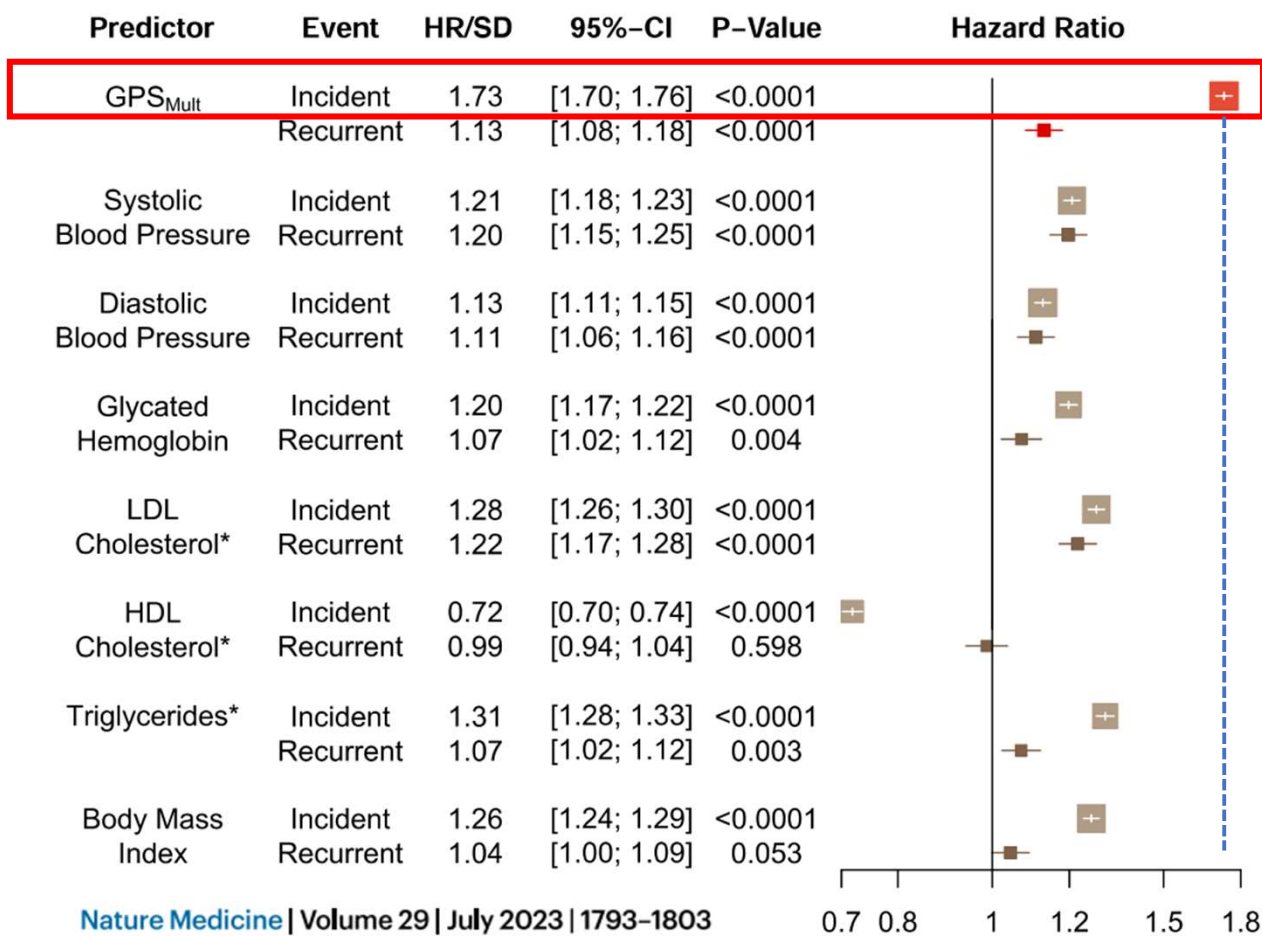


Melander et al. Hypertension 1998

GENETIC RISK OF CORONARY ARTERY DISEASE (CAD) IS REVERSIBLE (=HJÄRTINFARKT ELLER REVASKULARISERING)

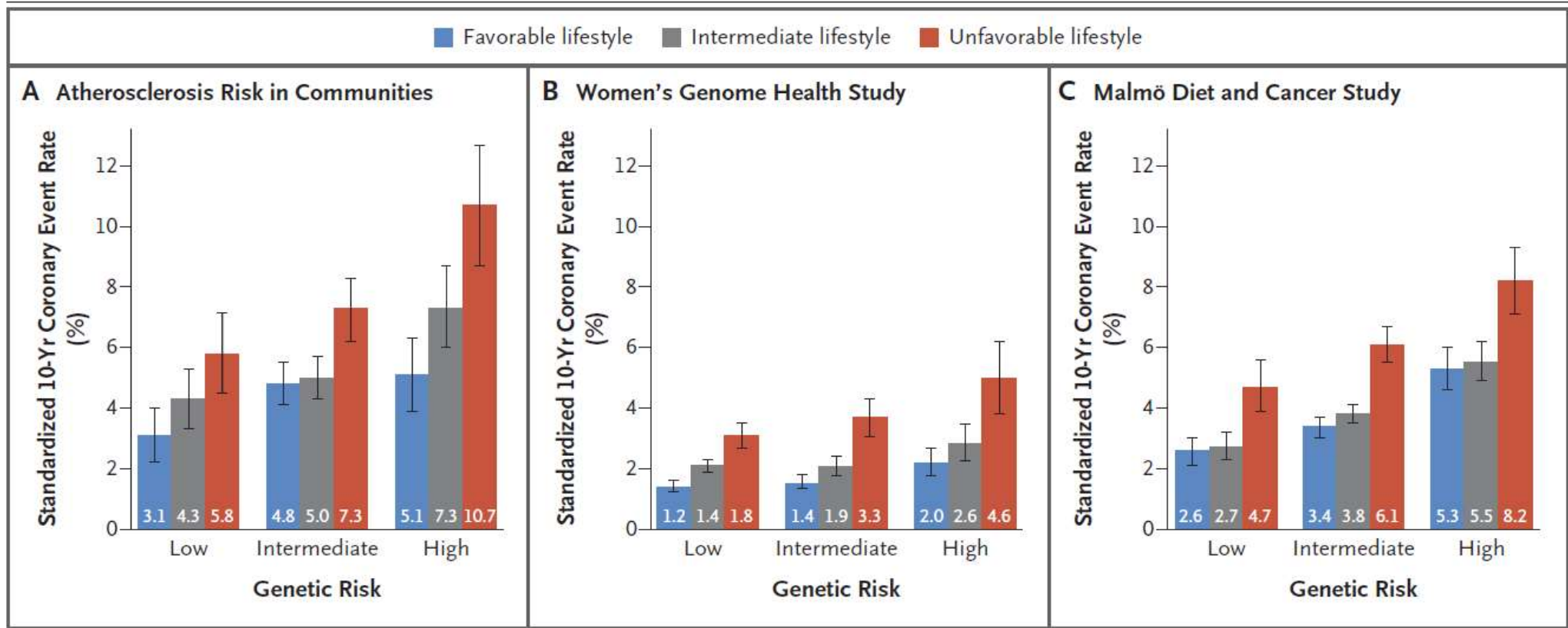


Polygenetisk risk för CAD är starkare än samtliga traditionella riskfaktorer (TRFs)
 Polygenetisk risk för CAD kan inte fångas upp med familjehistoria och mätning av TRFs
 Polygenetisk risk för CAD identifierar "dolda högriskindivider"



GENTERAPI??

Genetic Risk, Adherence to a Healthy Lifestyle, and Coronary Disease



N Engl J Med (Nov 2016)

Genetic risk, coronary heart disease events, and the clinical benefit of statin therapy: an analysis of primary and secondary prevention trials

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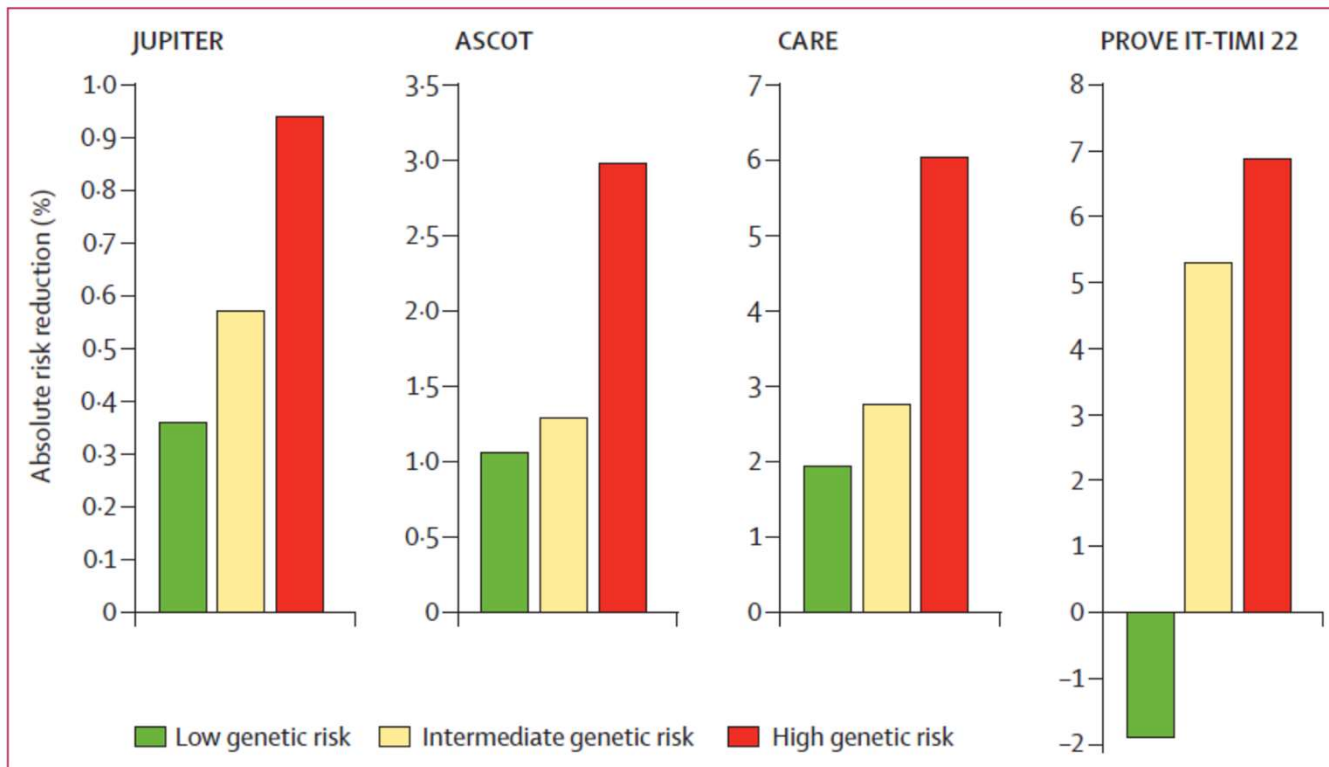


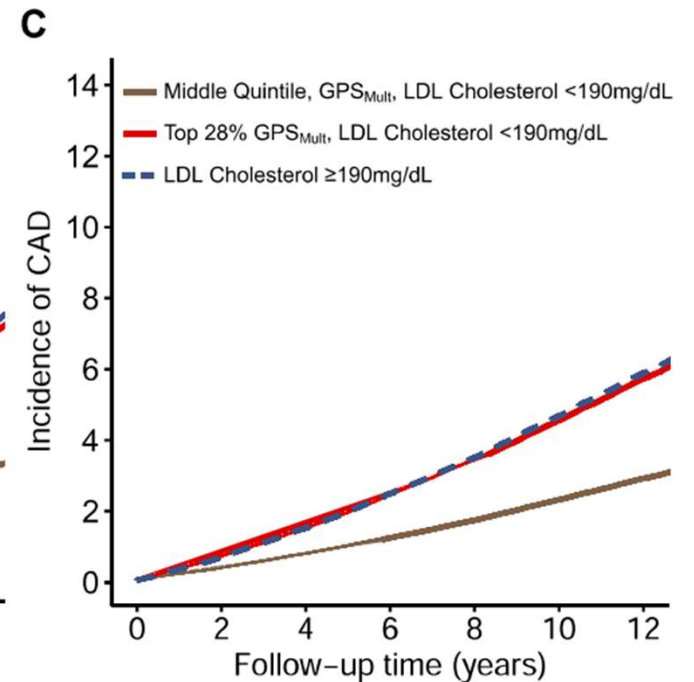
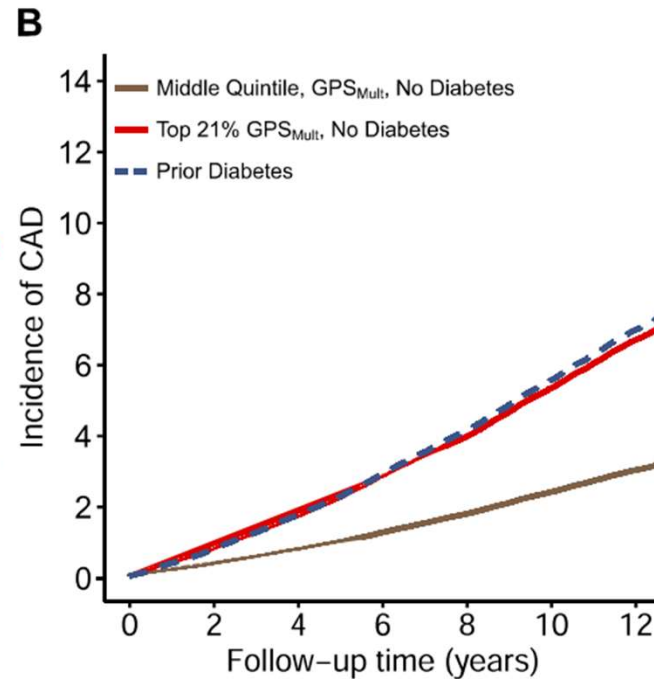
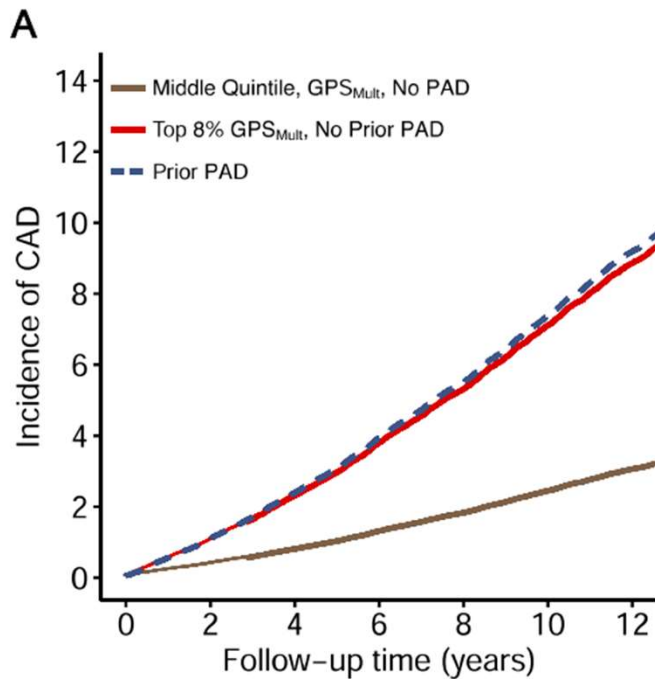
Figure 3: Absolute risk reductions of coronary heart disease events with statin therapy across genetic risk score categories

Mätning av polygenetisk risk för CAD identifierar 20% av befolkningen med "dold risk" (oavsett ålder)

8% of population has same CAD risk as PAD

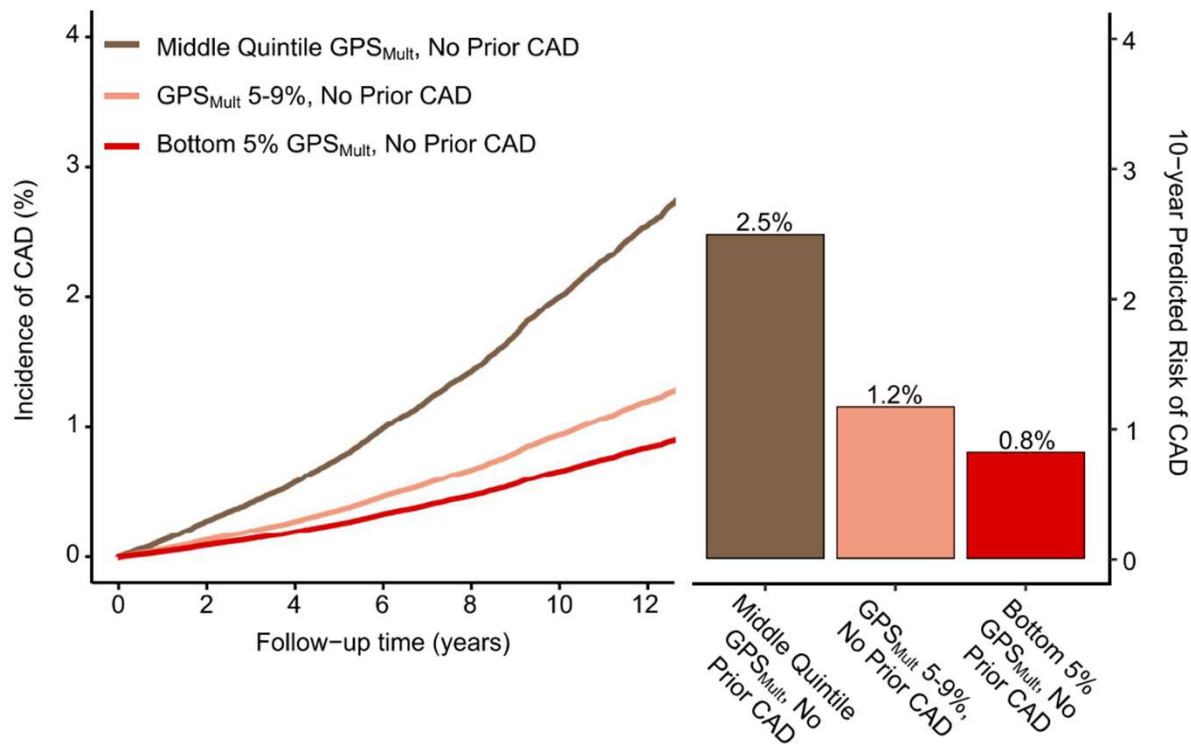
21% of population has same risk as type 2 diabetes

28% of population has same risk as familial hypercholesterolemia



20% OF POPULATION WITH SAME RISK AS TYPE 2 DIABETES: STATIN + INTENSE LIFE STYLE

Polygenetisk risk mätning identifierar lågriskindivider som inte har nytta av farmakologisk primärprevention (precisionsmedicin)



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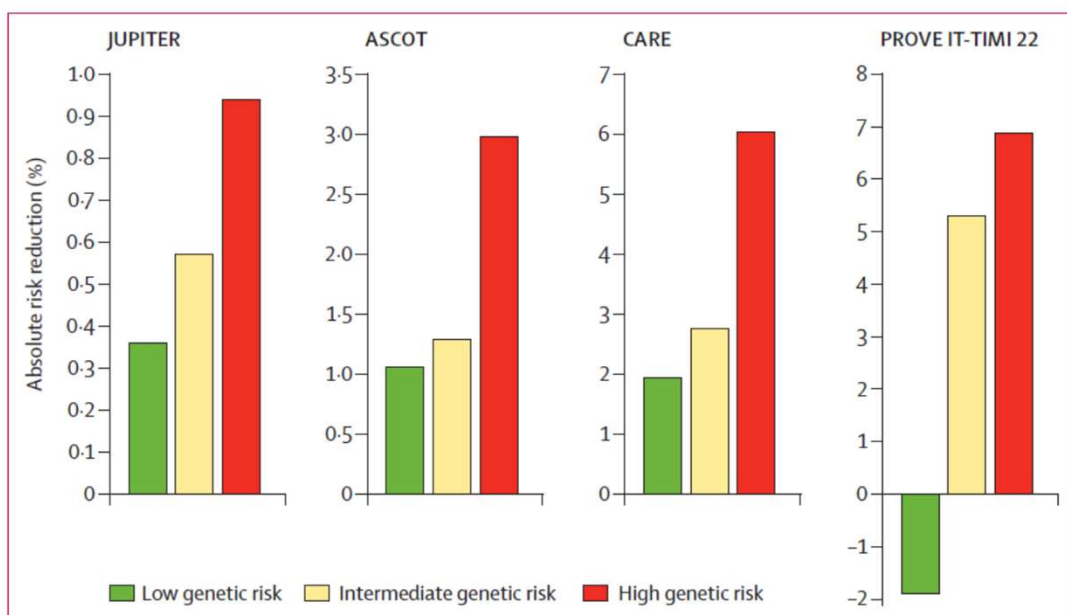


Figure 3: Absolute risk reductions of coronary heart disease events with statin therapy across genetic risk score categories

- *Kostnad av test: 250 kr en gång i livet
- *Genetisk högrisk: 20 mg rosuvastatin (3 kr per dygn)
- *Genetisk lågrisk: Avstå behandling (sparar pengar)

- *Hälsoekonomisk analys
- *Juridisk/Etisk analys
- *Infrastruktur för screening

Circulation

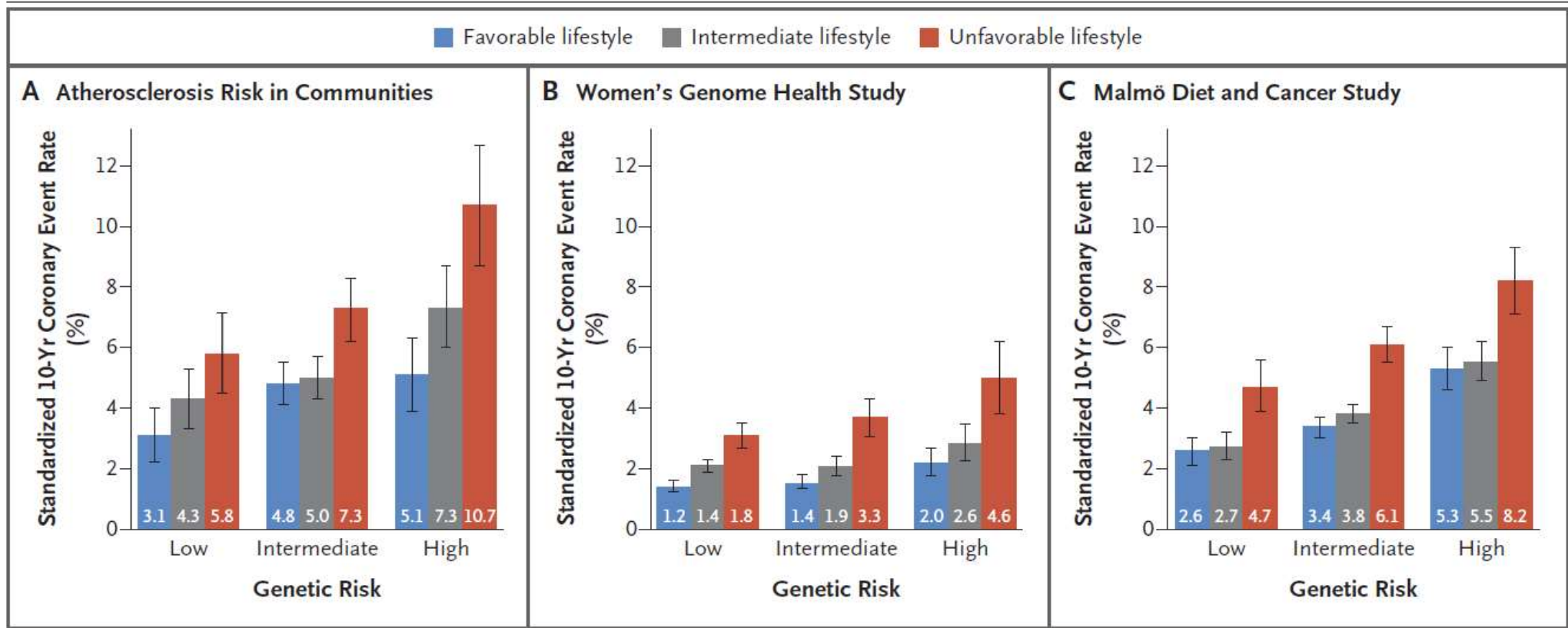
AHA SCIENTIFIC STATEMENT

Polygenic Risk Scores for Cardiovascular Disease: A Scientific Statement From the American Heart Association

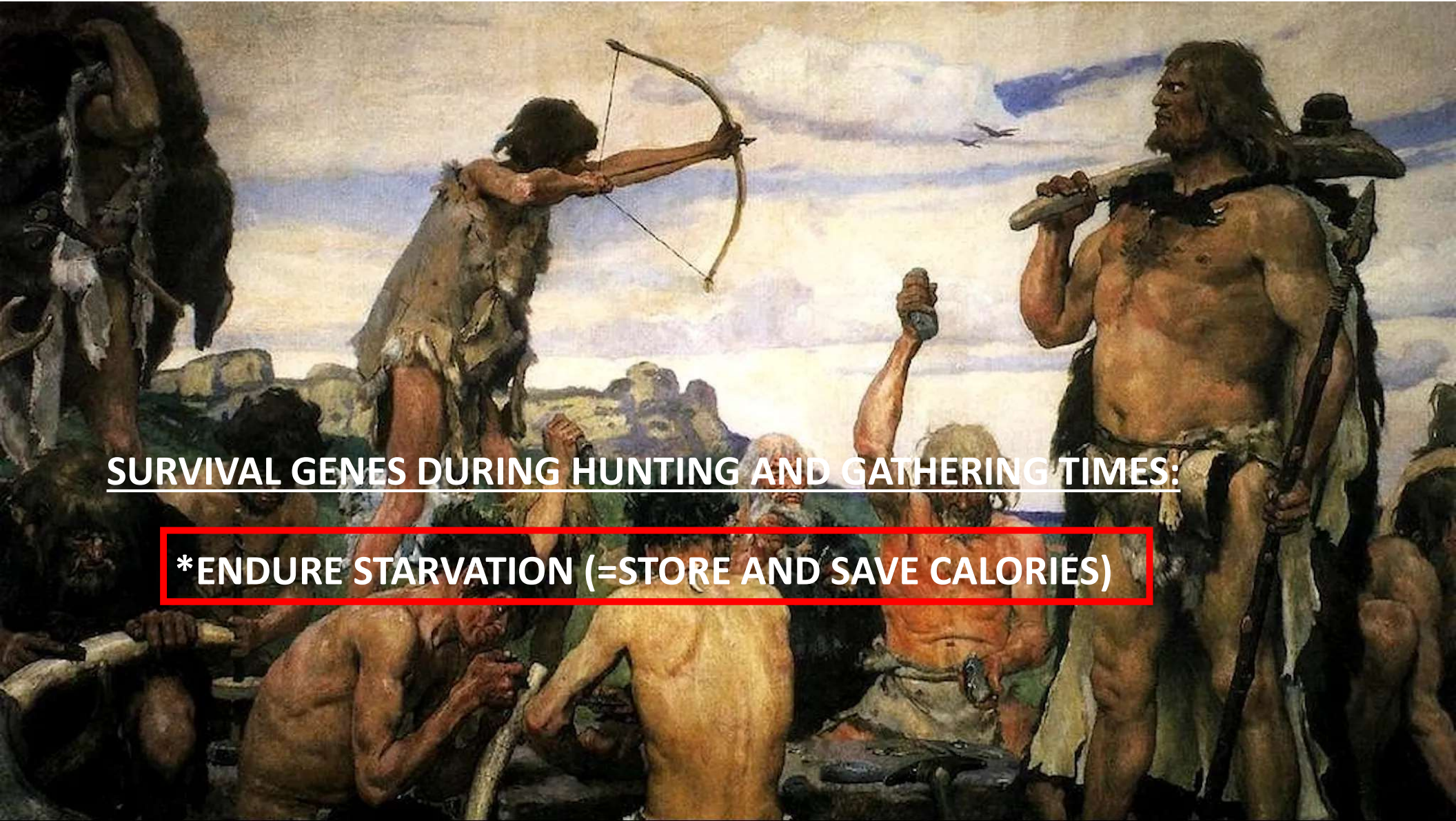
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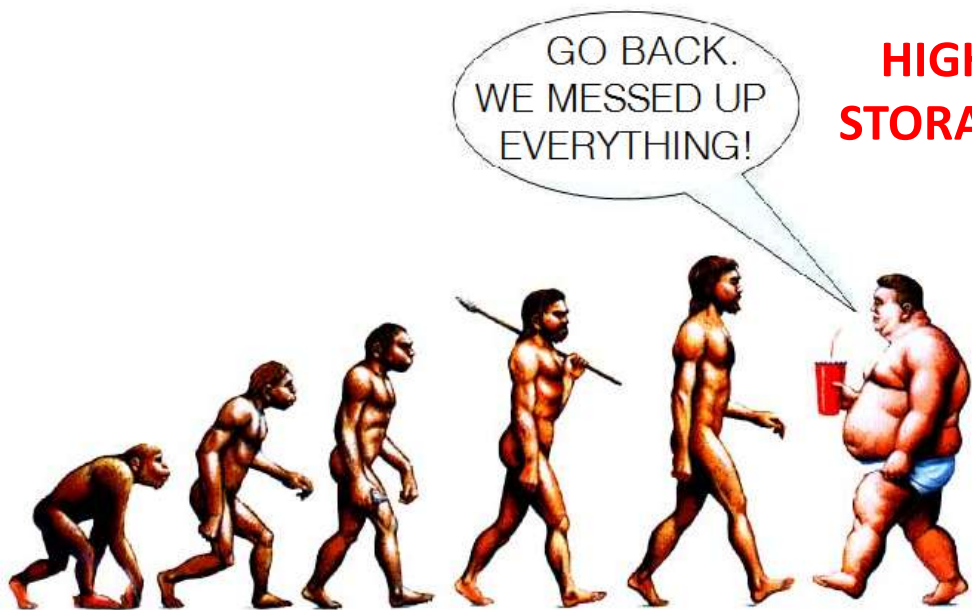


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SURVIVAL GENES DURING HUNTING AND GATHERING TIMES:

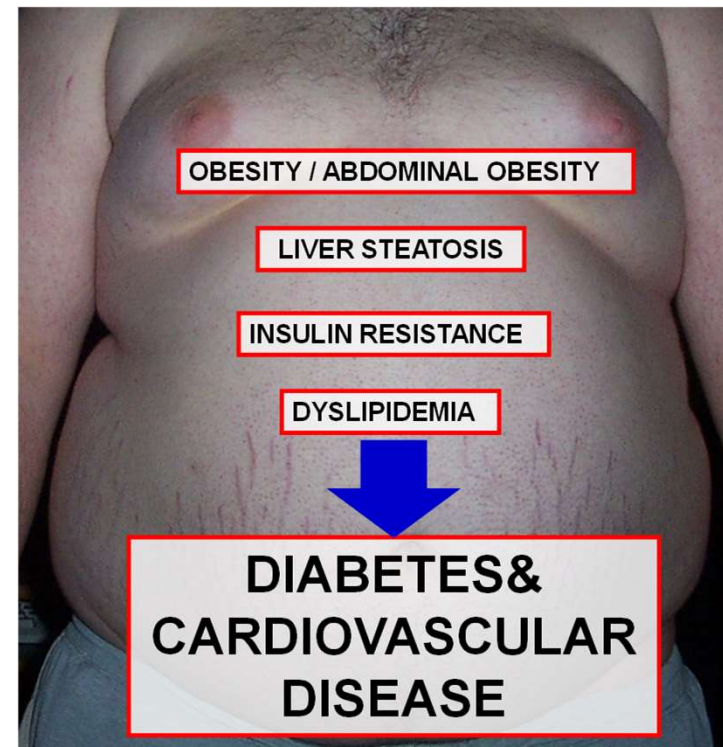
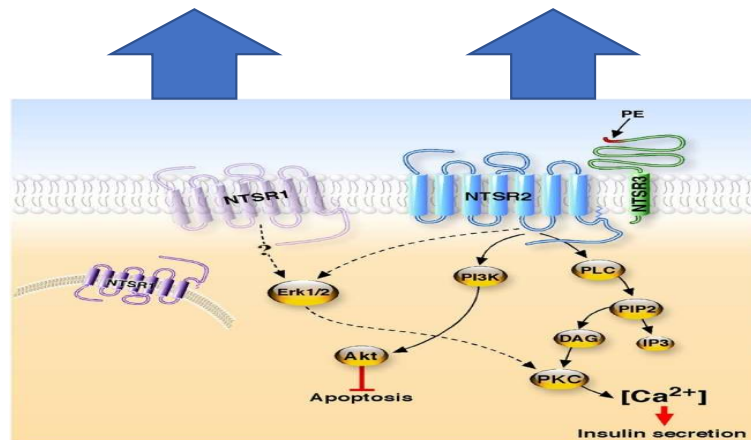
***ENDURE STARVATION (=STORE AND SAVE CALORIES)**



HIGH GUT SECRETION OF NEUROTENSIN LEADS TO STORAGE AND EFFECTIVE SAVING OF FAT IN THE LIVER

HIGH NEUROTENSIN: LIFE SAVER

HIGH NEUROTENSIN: KILLER

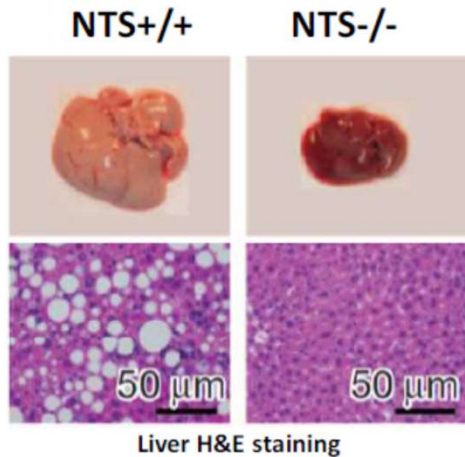


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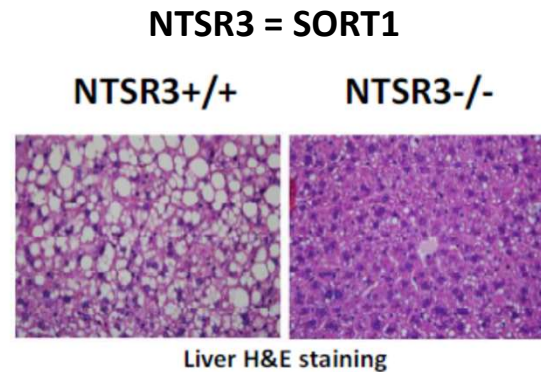
Neurotensin (NTS) promotes liver fat accumulation and development of diabetes and CVD

Mice lacking NTS do not develop hepatic steatosis



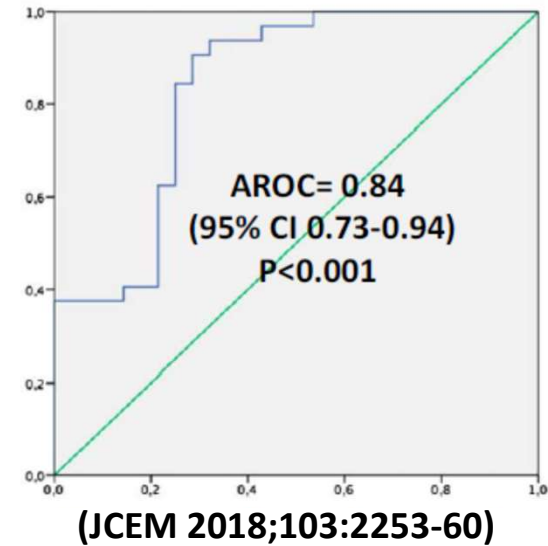
(Nature 2016;553:411-15)

Mice lacking the NTS receptor-3 (NTSR3) do not develop hepatic steatosis



(J Hepatol 2015;62:175-81)

High pro-NTS in humans predicts hepatic steatosis (NAFLD)



NTS > 150 pmol/L independently predicts risk for both diabetes and CVD

(JAMA 2012;308:1469-75)

(ATVB 2016;36:1692-97)

ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTION

Association of Plasma Proneurotensin With Incidence of Diabetes, Cardiovascular Disease, Breast Cancer, and Mortality

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NTSR1

G-coupled



NTSR2

G-coupled



NTSR3

**Not G-coupled
=SORT1**

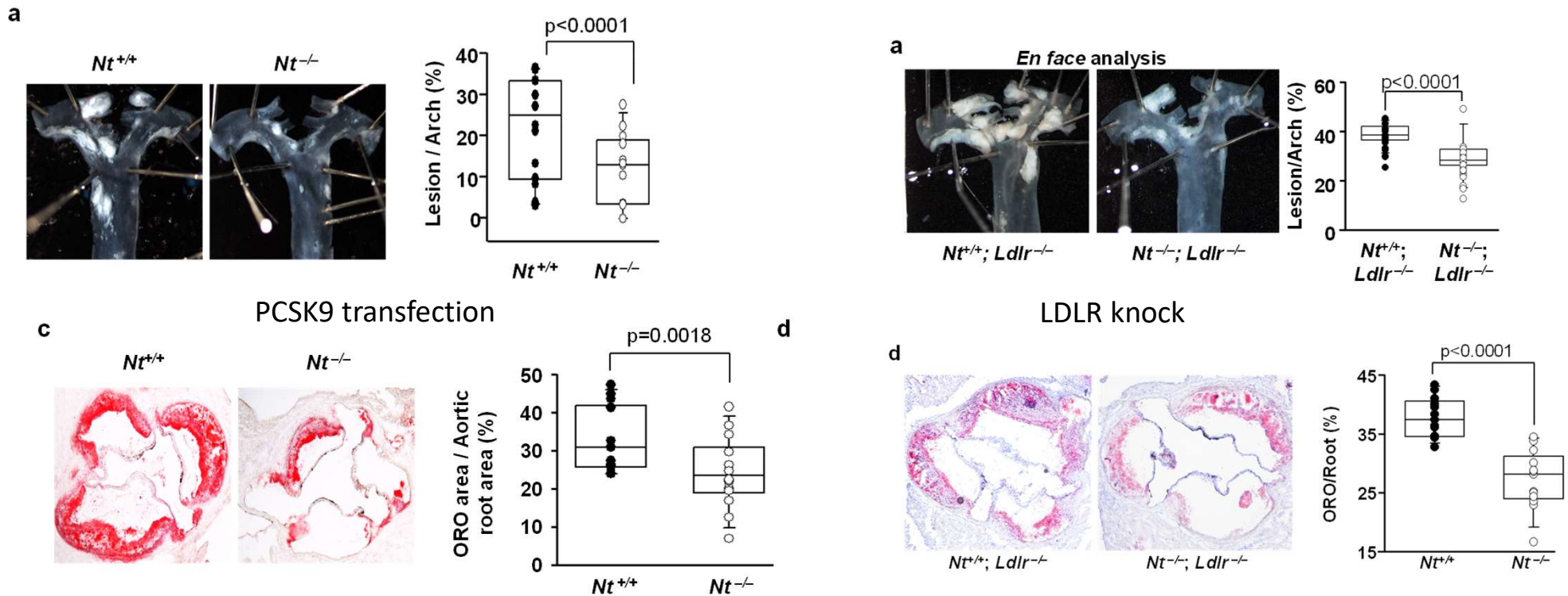
*GUT (N-CELLS) AND BRAIN

*FAT INTAKE TRIGGERS RELEASE

*CANCER INITIATION / GROWTH

JAMA 2012;308:1469-75

Mice without neurotensin are protected from atherosclerosis in two different athero models and humans with high pro-NT have increased progression of atherosclerosis



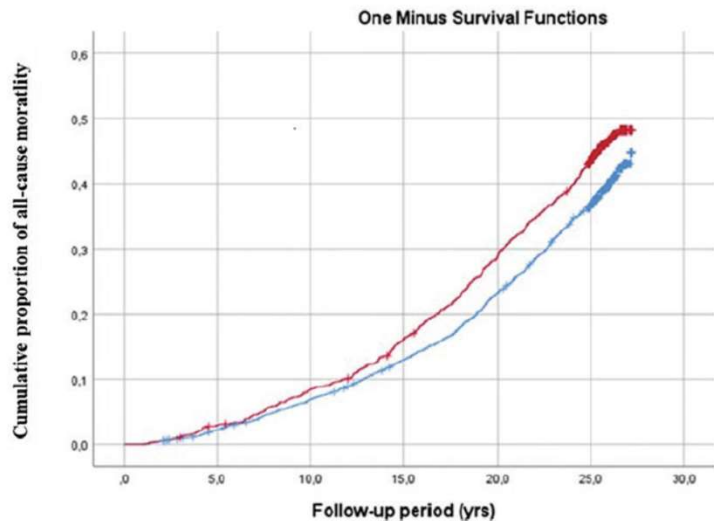
	N	Stand. β^{**}	95% CI**	P-value
IMT-bulb-max progression*	2135	0.055	0.014-0.096	0.009

Atherosclerosis, March 2024

Plasma Proneurotensin and Prediction of Cause-Specific Mortality in a Middle-aged Cohort During Long-term Follow-up

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Pro-NTS >150 pmol/L



	Fully adjusted ^a			P
	All participants	Quartile 1-3	Quartile 4	
All-cause mortality				
No./events No.	4478/1823	3365/1316	1113/507	
HR (95% CI)			1.20 (1.08-1.33)	.001
Cardiovascular diseases				
No./events No.	4478/562	3365/397	1113/165	
HR (95% CI)			1.30 (1.08-1.56)	.005
Gastrointestinal diseases				
No./events No.	4478/42	3365/24	1113/18	
HR (95% CI)			2.37 (1.28-4.39)	.006
Mental and behavioral diseases				
No./events No.	4478/89	3365/61	1113/28	
HR (95% CI)			1.56 (0.99-2.34)	.057

NEUROTENSIN (NTS) >150 pmol/L- 25% OF THE POPULATION “HYPERCONSERVES” FAT

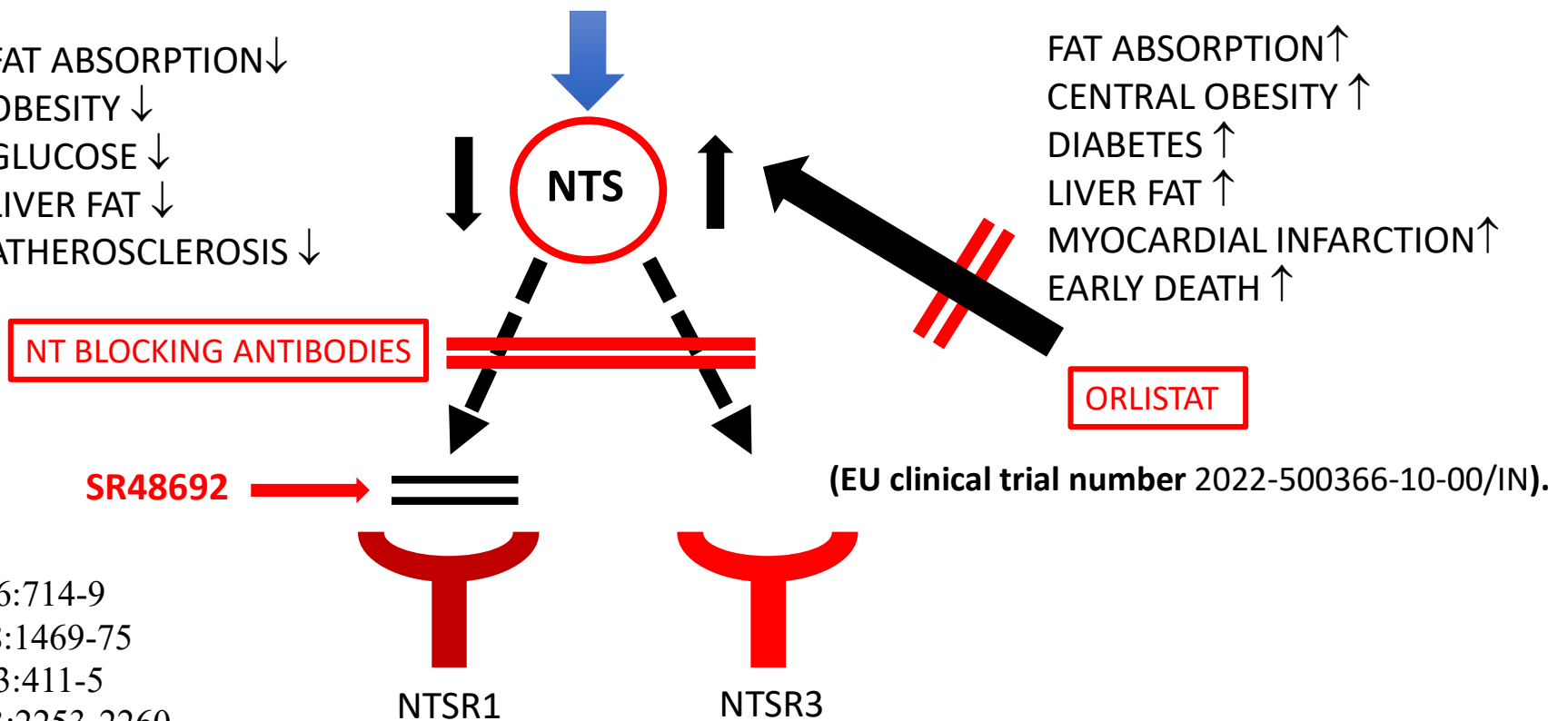
* GENETIC SURVIVAL ADVANTAGE DURING THE STONE AGE = HUGE DISADVANTAGE TODAY

ANIMAL MODELS WITHOUT NTS

FAT ABSORPTION ↓
OBESITY ↓
GLUCOSE ↓
LIVER FAT ↓
ATHEROSCLEROSIS ↓

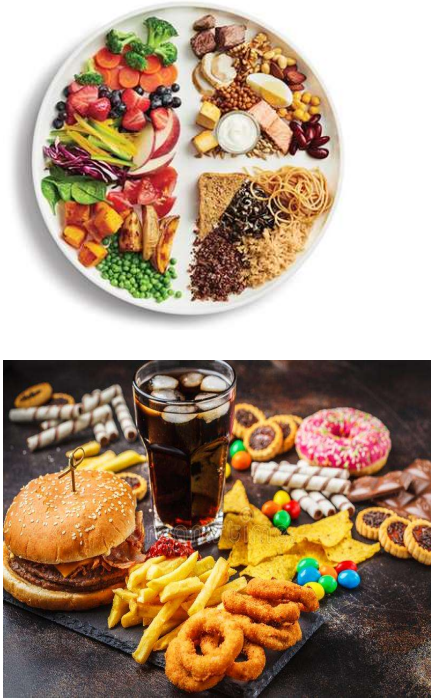
PEOPLE WITH HIGH NTS

FAT ABSORPTION ↑
CENTRAL OBESITY ↑
DIABETES ↑
LIVER FAT ↑
MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION ↑
EARLY DEATH ↑

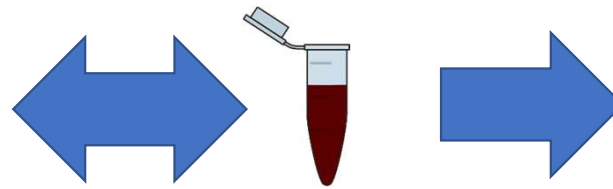


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HEALTHY DIET MEASURED IN BLOOD PREDICTS (LOW) CARDIMETABOLIC RISK (HCFP-BLOOD-FINGERPRINT)

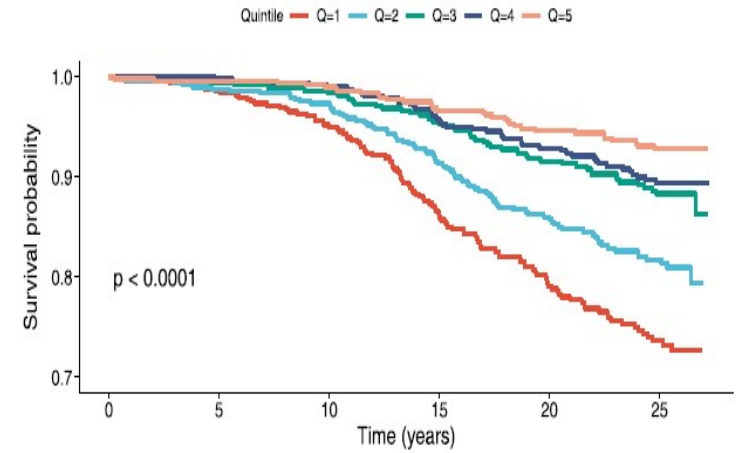


HCFP blood fingerprint

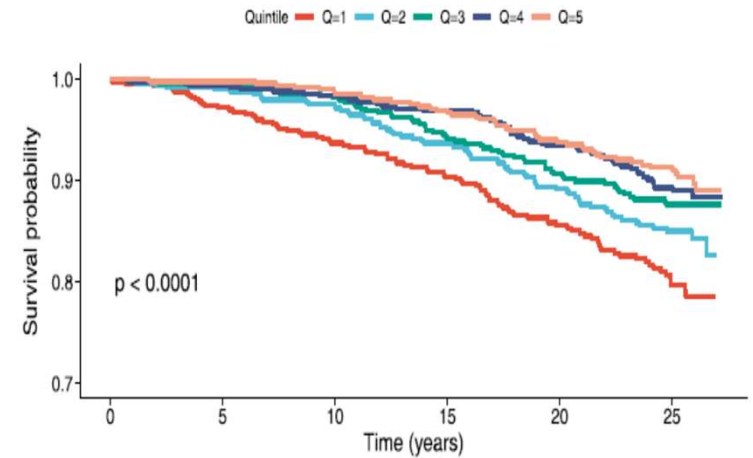


Eur J Nutr. 2019;58:1801-1814
BMC Med. 2022;20:122

Incident Diabetes



Incident Coronary Artery Disease



CILENTO-MALMÖ COMPARISON: SEARCH FOR PROTECTIVE DIET METABOLITES




Internal and Emergency Medicine
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s11739-020-02625-4>

IM - ORIGINAL



Comparison of cardiovascular disease and cancer prevalence between Mediterranean and north European middle-aged populations (The Cilento on Ageing Outcomes Study and The Malmö Offspring Study)

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ENVIRONMENTAL EXCHANGE

N=60 (n=59)

1 week in Cilento

All meals local Cilento food

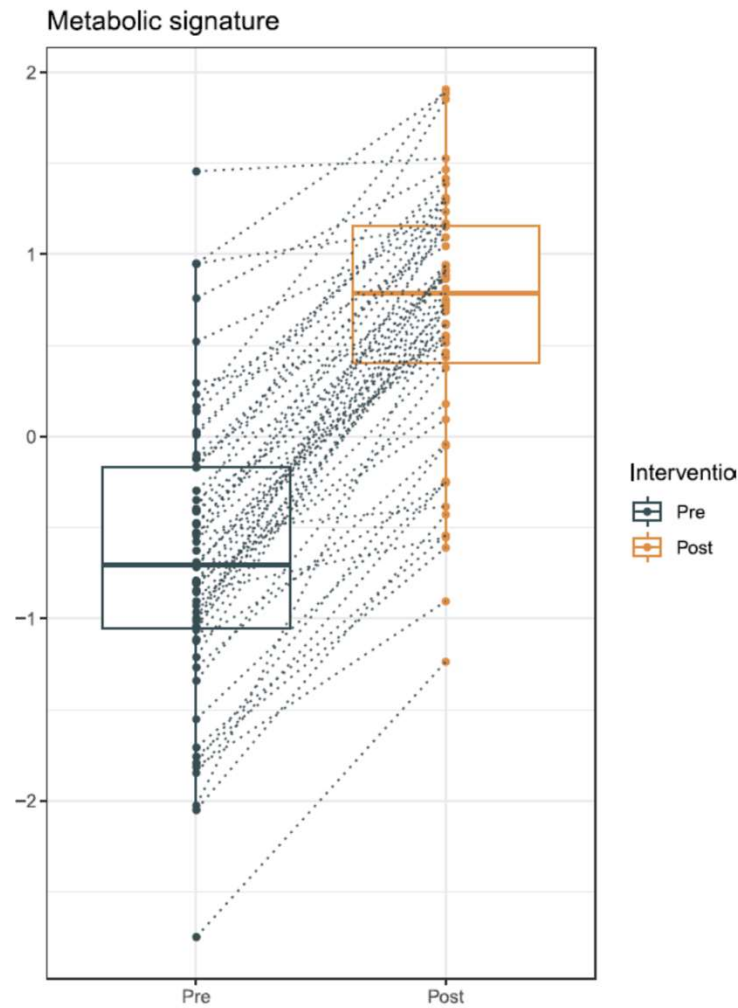
Malmö, Sweden



Cilento, Italy

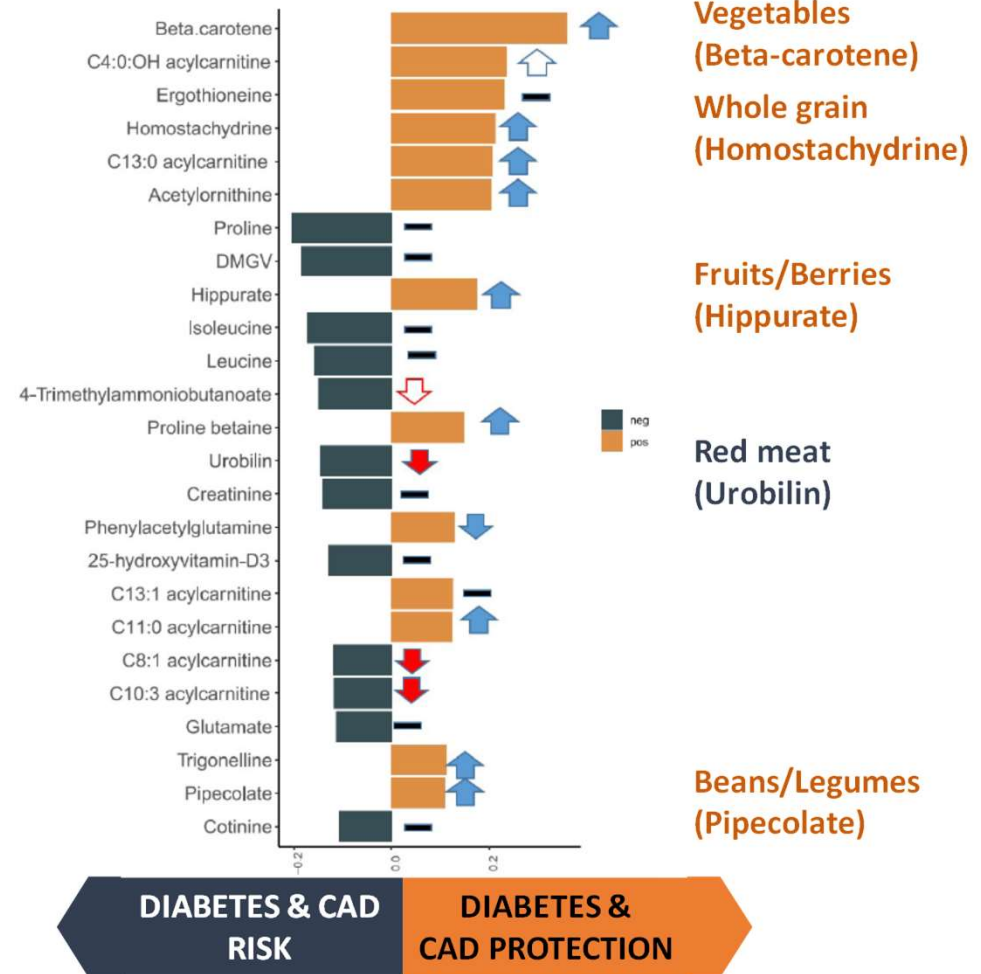


"HCFP blood fingerprint" improves 100% by 1 week Mediterranean diet ($P= 2 \times 10^{-21}$)



"Disease protective" metabolites ↑

"Disease risk" metabolites ↓



Nationellt vårdprogram levnadsvanor, kortversion

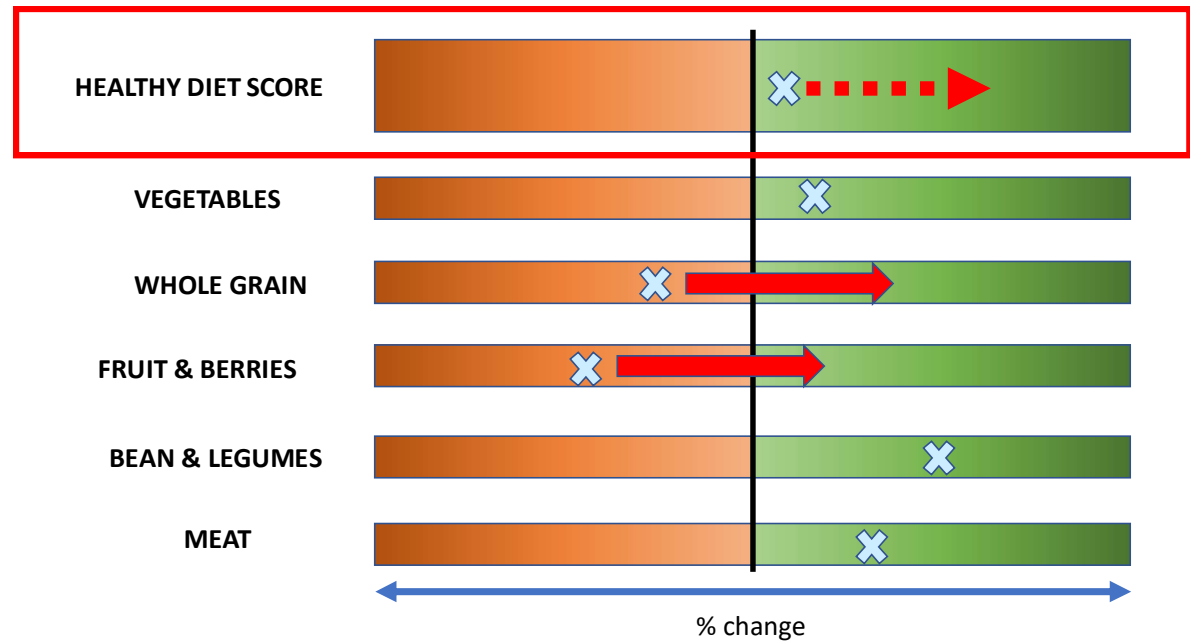
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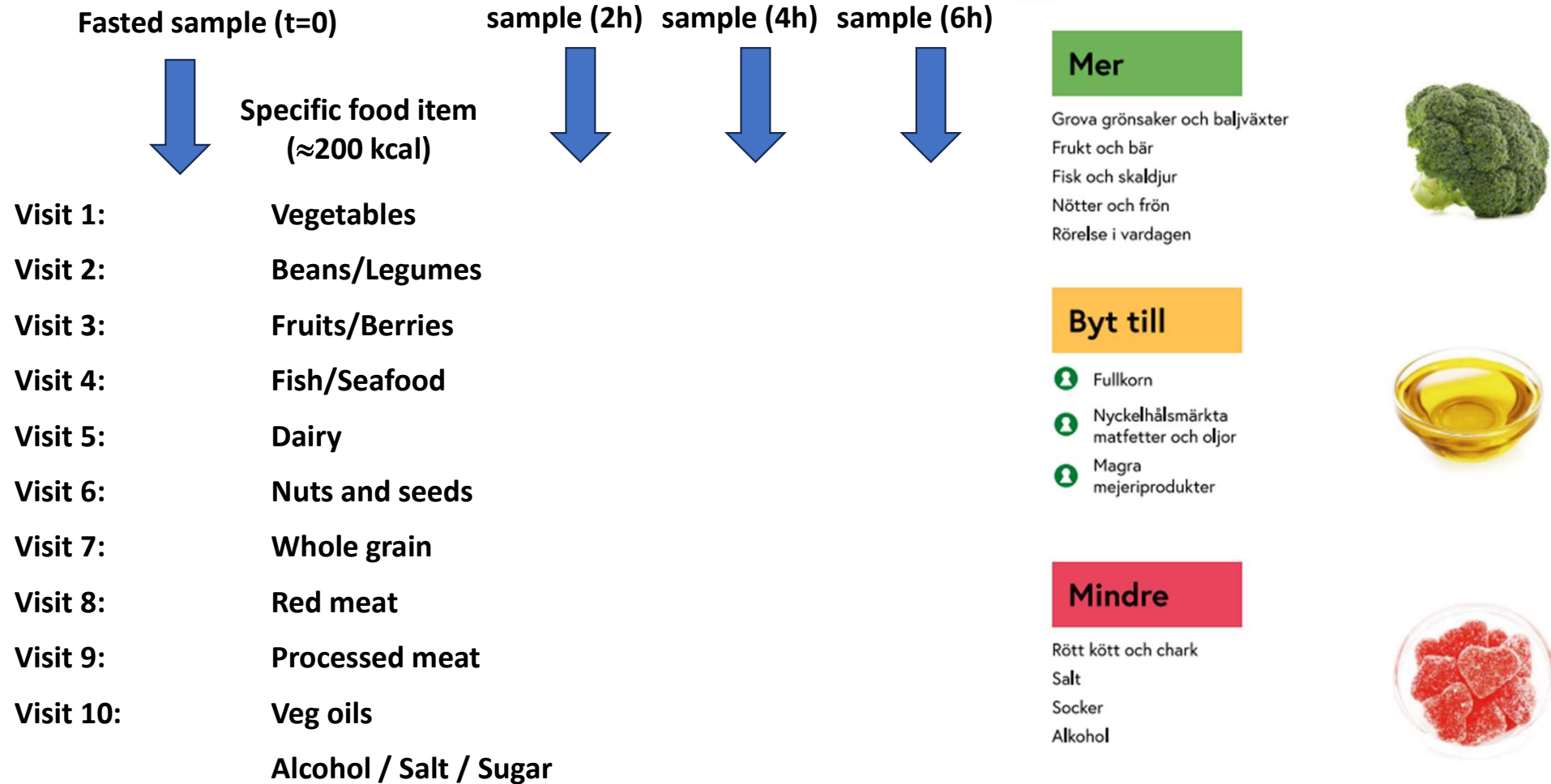
Alcohol - PEth

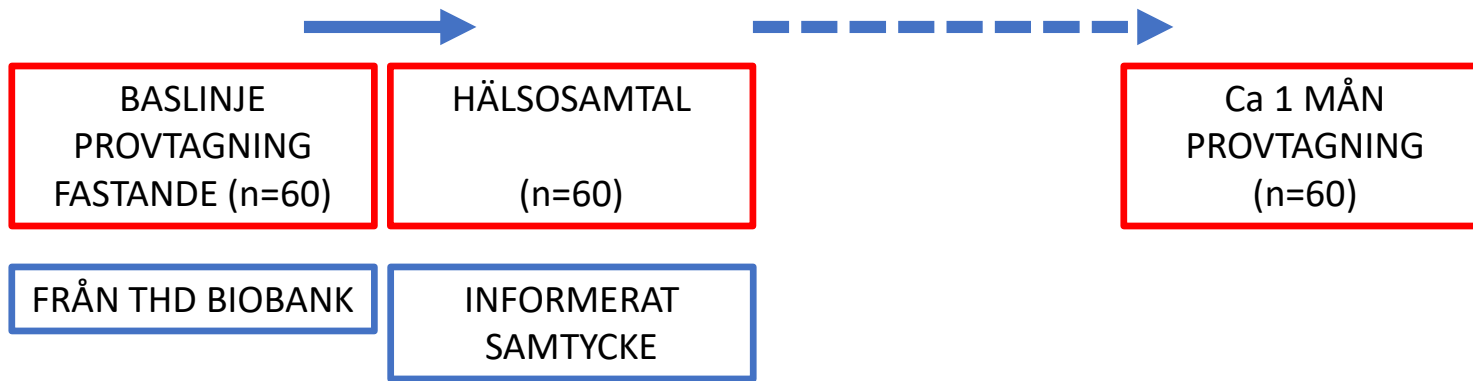


Tobacco - cotinine



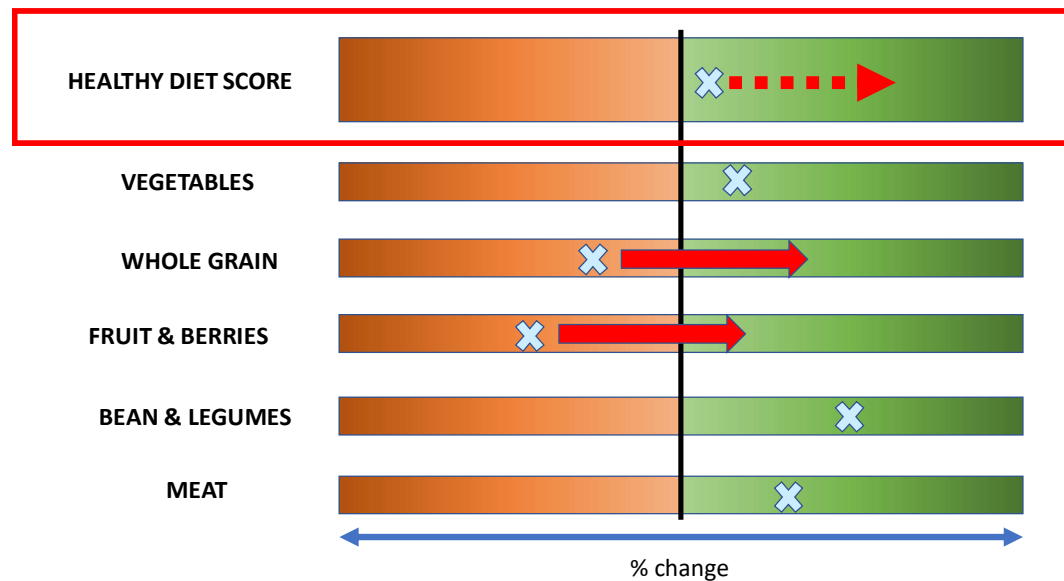
Understanding of metabolites that enters blood after specific food components which are to be increased or decreased according to Nordic Nutrition Guidelines 2023





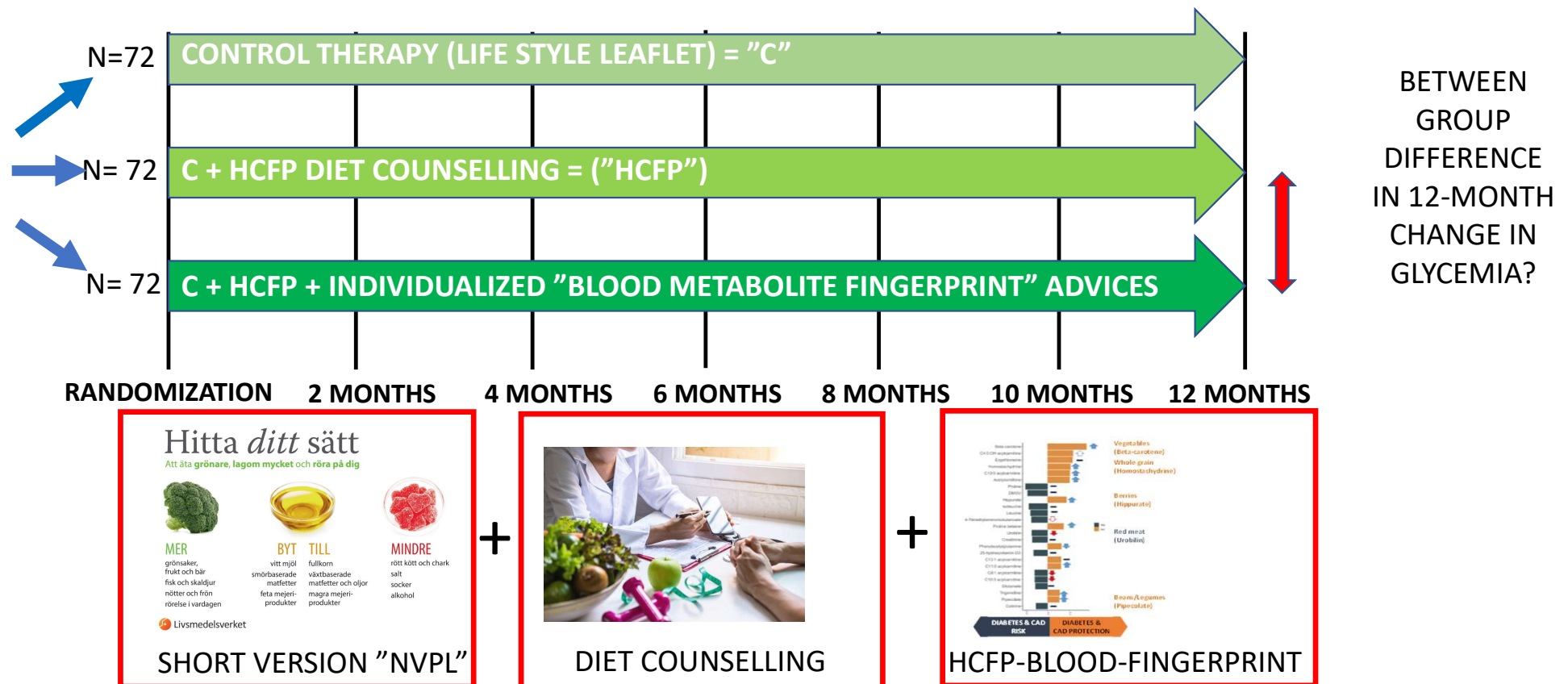
Vilken effekt har RHS på "kostrelaterade blodmetaboliter"?

Pilotstudie Vårdcentralen Granen, Malmö



BLOD-METABOLIT FÖRÄNDRINGAR AV HÄLSOSAMTAL?

Leder mätning av kostrelaterade blodmetaboliter vid riktade hälsosamtal till förbättrad följsamhet till kostråd?



PRECISIONS (PRIMÄR) PREVENTION-5 ÅRSVISION

Population: 1,420,000



*Mätning av **polygenetisk risk**:

20% statin + livsstil

10% behöver aldrig statin

*Mätning av **kostrelaterade metaboliter**:

Förbättra följsamhet till kostråd vid RHS

*Mätning av **behandlingsbar hormonell risk** (t.ex. neurotensin)

*VINSTER MED PREVENTION

VS ETIK, JURIDIK, KOSTNADER (hälsoekonomi)

Nya uppdrag?