

Reducing all-cause mortality as a treatment goal in all CKD patients

Feasible or not?

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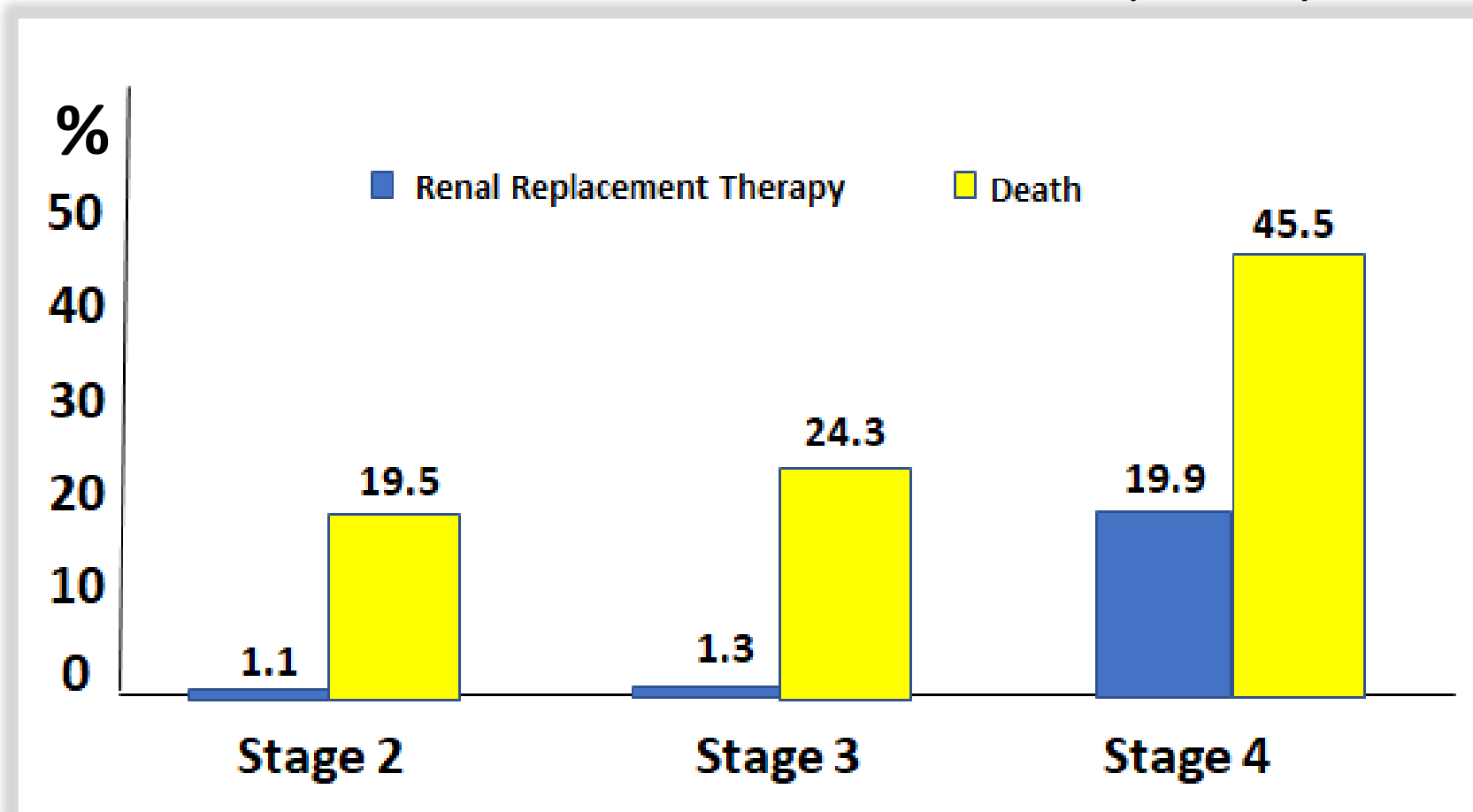
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- I have previously received honoraria from other companies (Amgen, Astellas, GSK, Genesis)

Longitudinal Follow-up and Outcomes Among a Population With Chronic Kidney Disease in a Large Managed Care Organization

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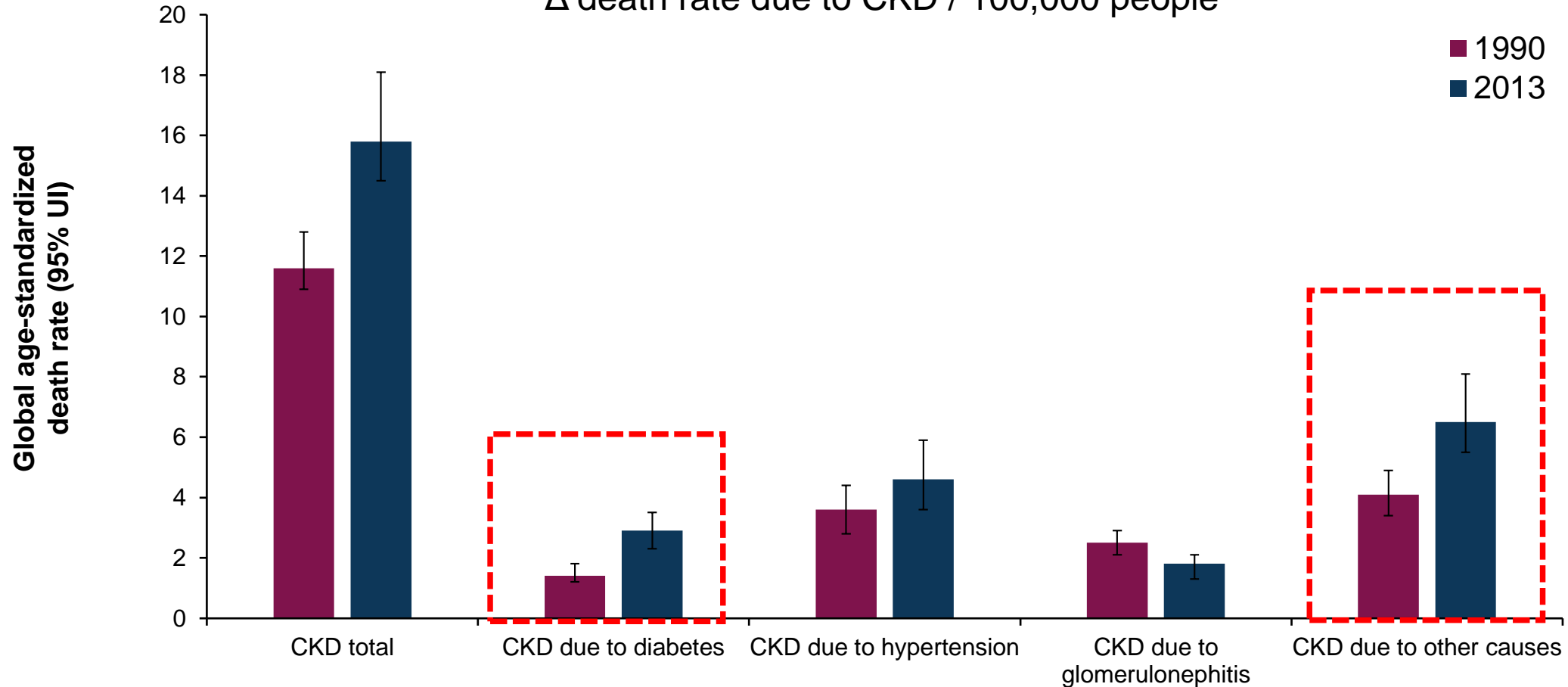
**5 year outcome follow up
(n=27,998)**



Mortality burden of CKD has been rising in the diabetic and in the non diabetic CKD population

1990 -2013

Δ death rate due to CKD / 100,000 people



Epidemiology of CKD

General population

843,6 Million
in 2017

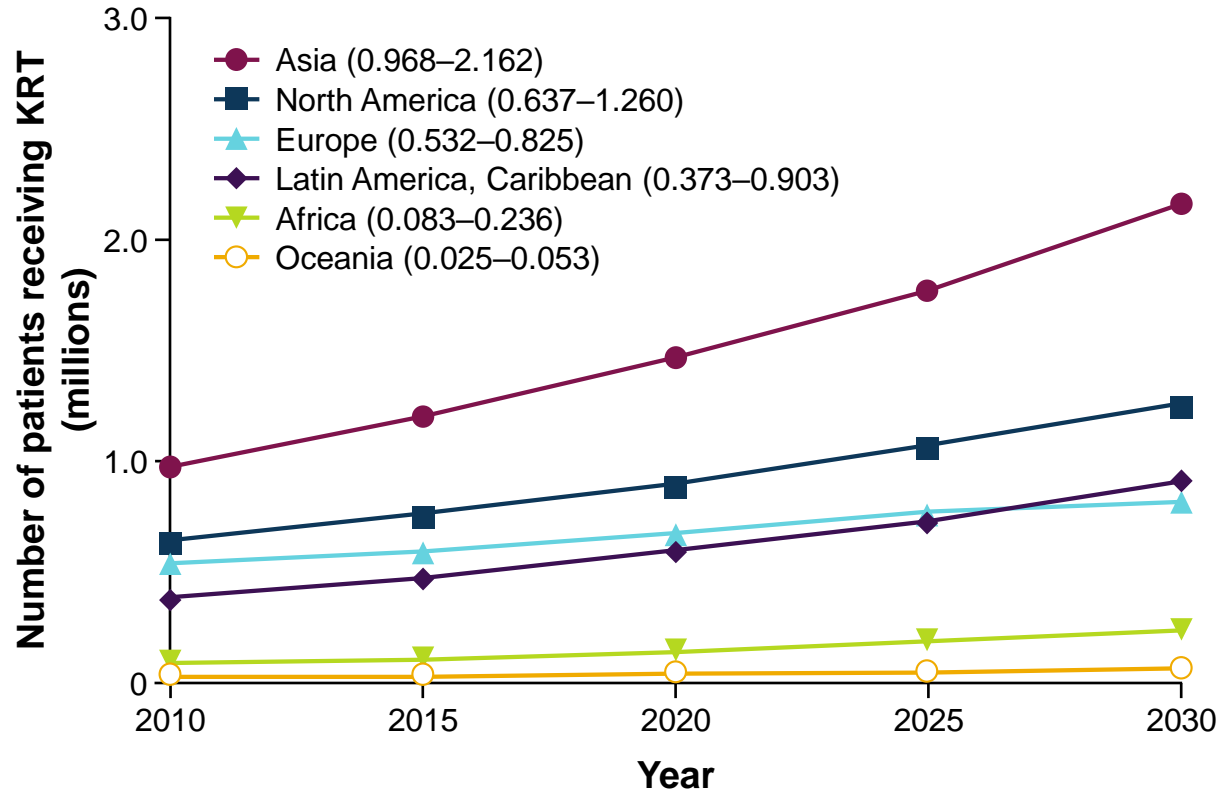
Approximately 1 in 10



These data should prompt major efforts to develop preventive and therapeutic measures

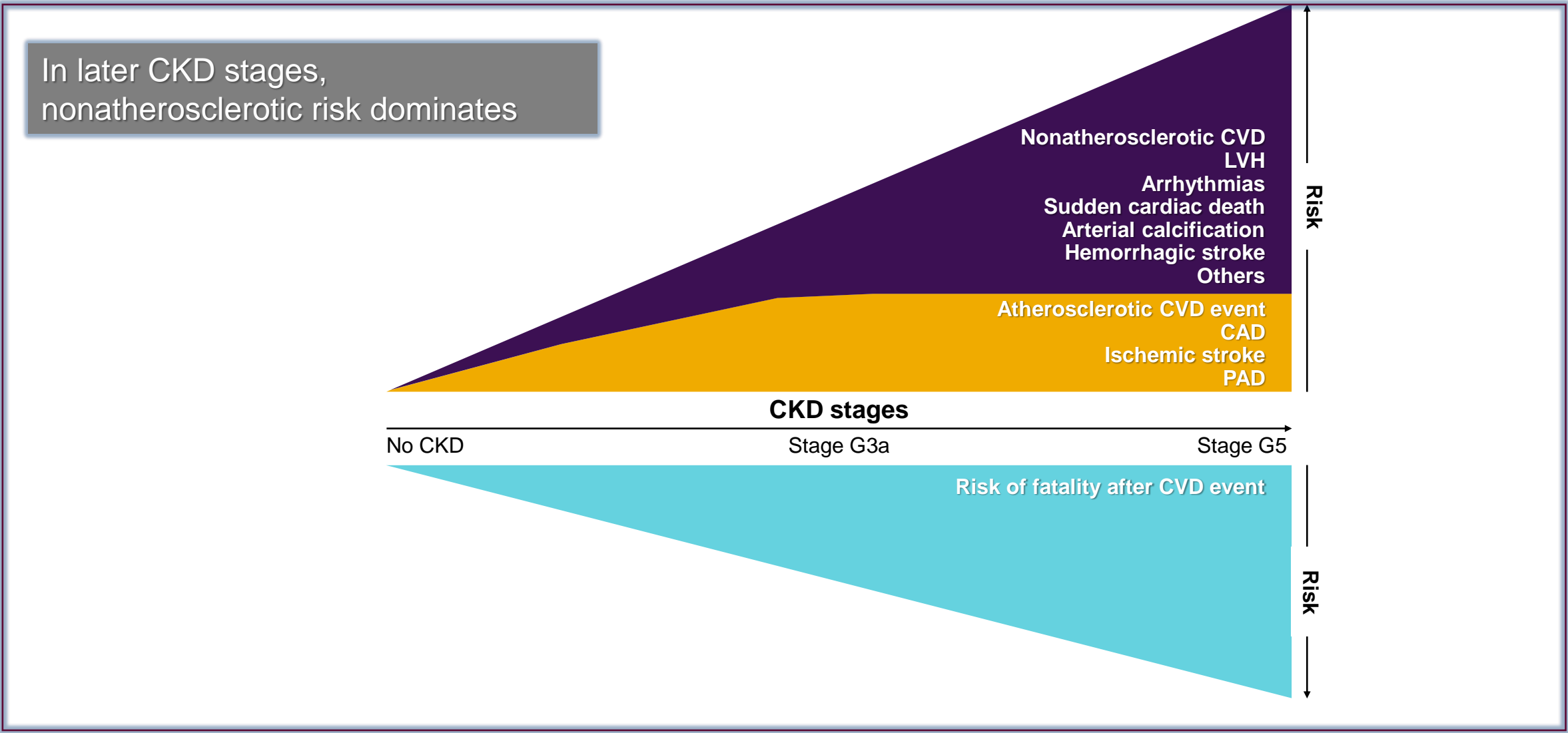
Rates of RRT and CKD mortality are projected to rise substantially on a global scale

RRT 2010 to 2030



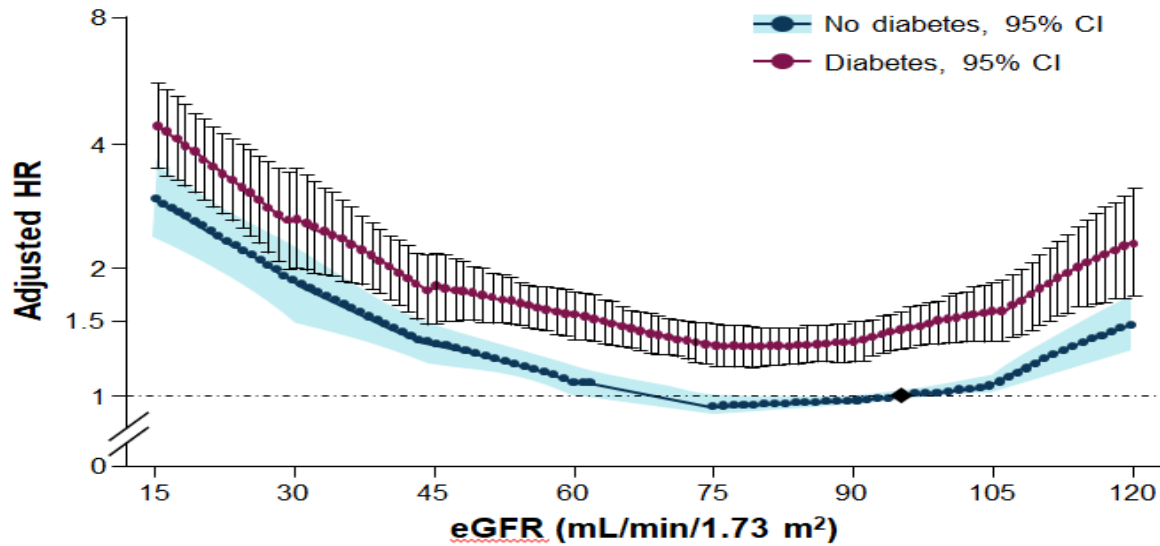
The number receiving RRT is estimated to increase to more than 5 million by 2030

Risk of CVD and CV mortality increase with progression of CKD

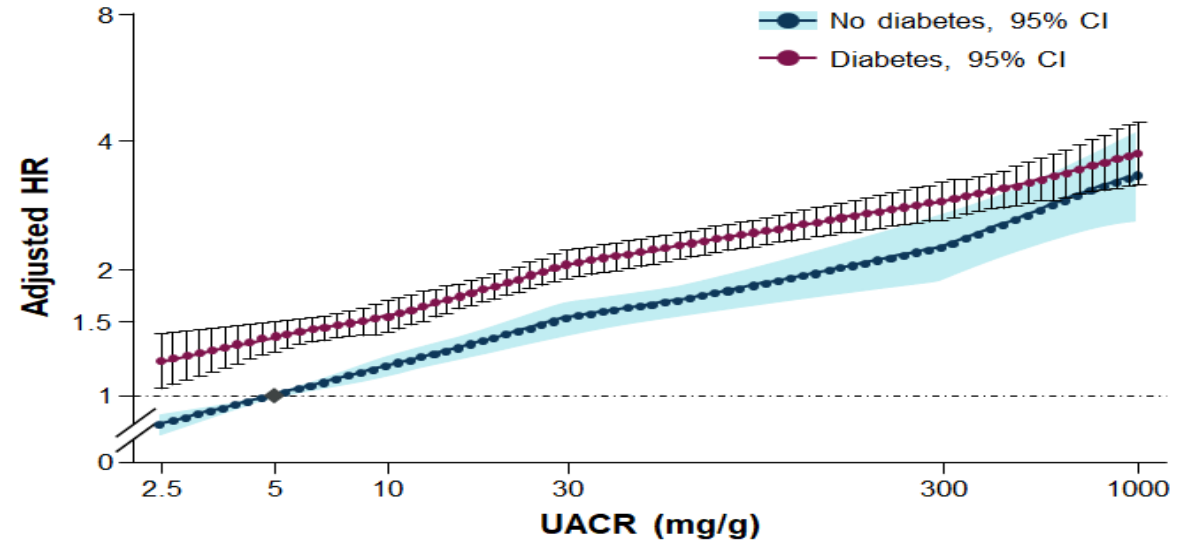


Reduced eGFR and albuminuria lead to increased risk for CV mortality

CV mortality risk in CKD in diabetics and non diabetics



Mortality risk based on UACR in diabetics and non diabetics



CV risks and mortality are elevated, regardless of CKD etiology

Hypertensive nephropathy



>3x

Greater risk of CV events and mortality



70% of patients received an ACE inhibitor/ARB

IgA nephropathy



53%

Increased mortality risk



74% of patients received an ACE inhibitor/ARB

Diabetic nephropathy



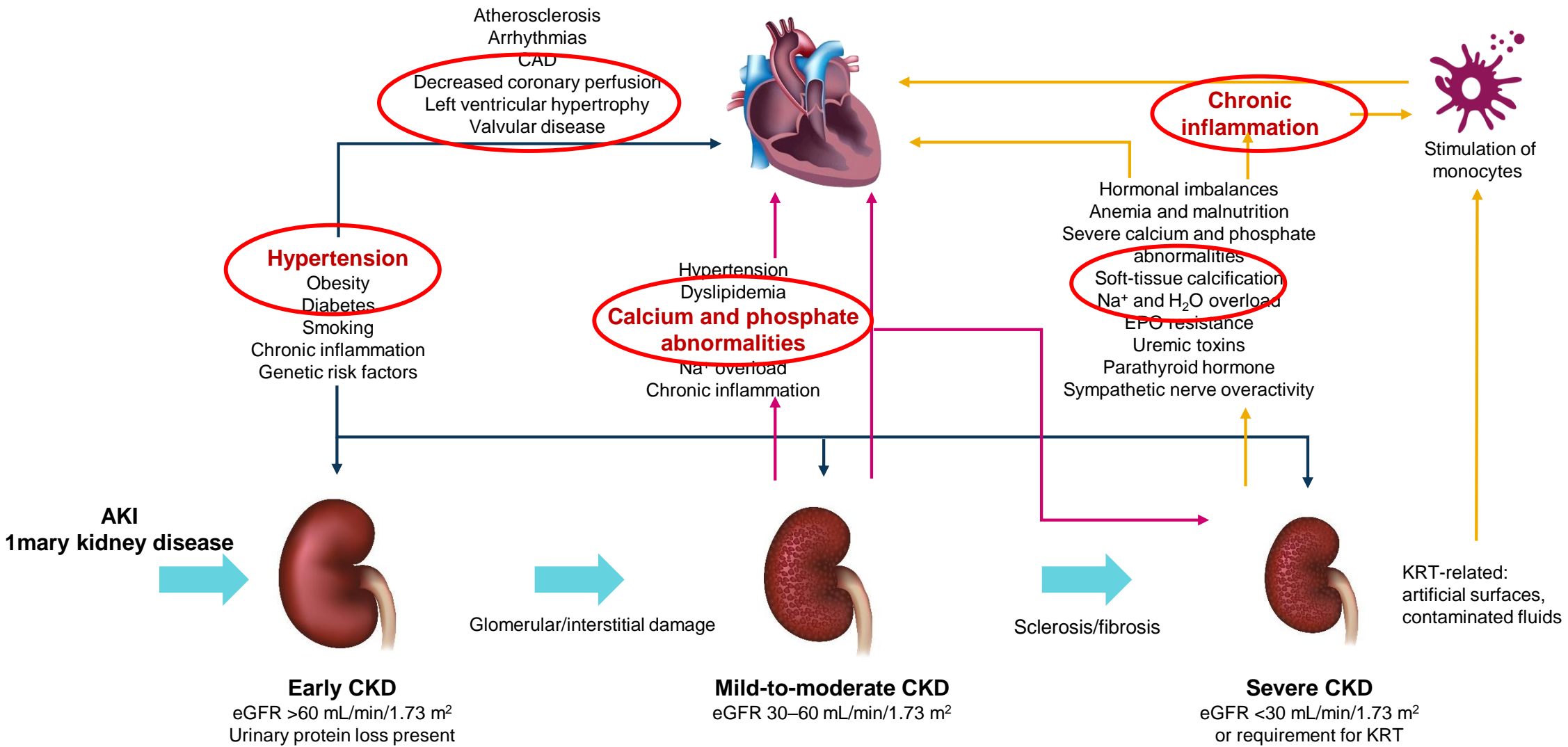
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Greater risk of CV events and mortality



76% of patients received an ACE inhibitor/ARB

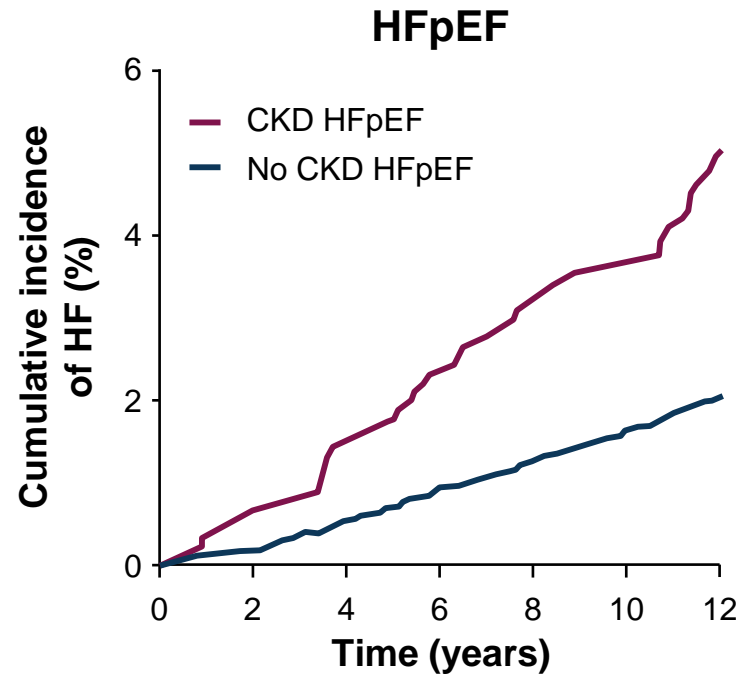
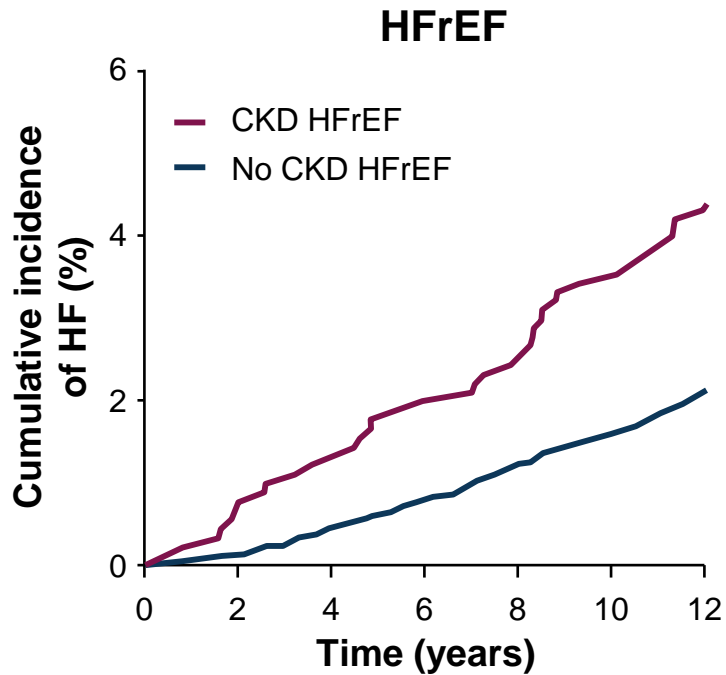
Pathophysiological interactions underlying cardiorenal disease



CKD and HF are interconnected: CKD is associated with increased risk of HF and conversely HF is associated with risk of eGFR decline

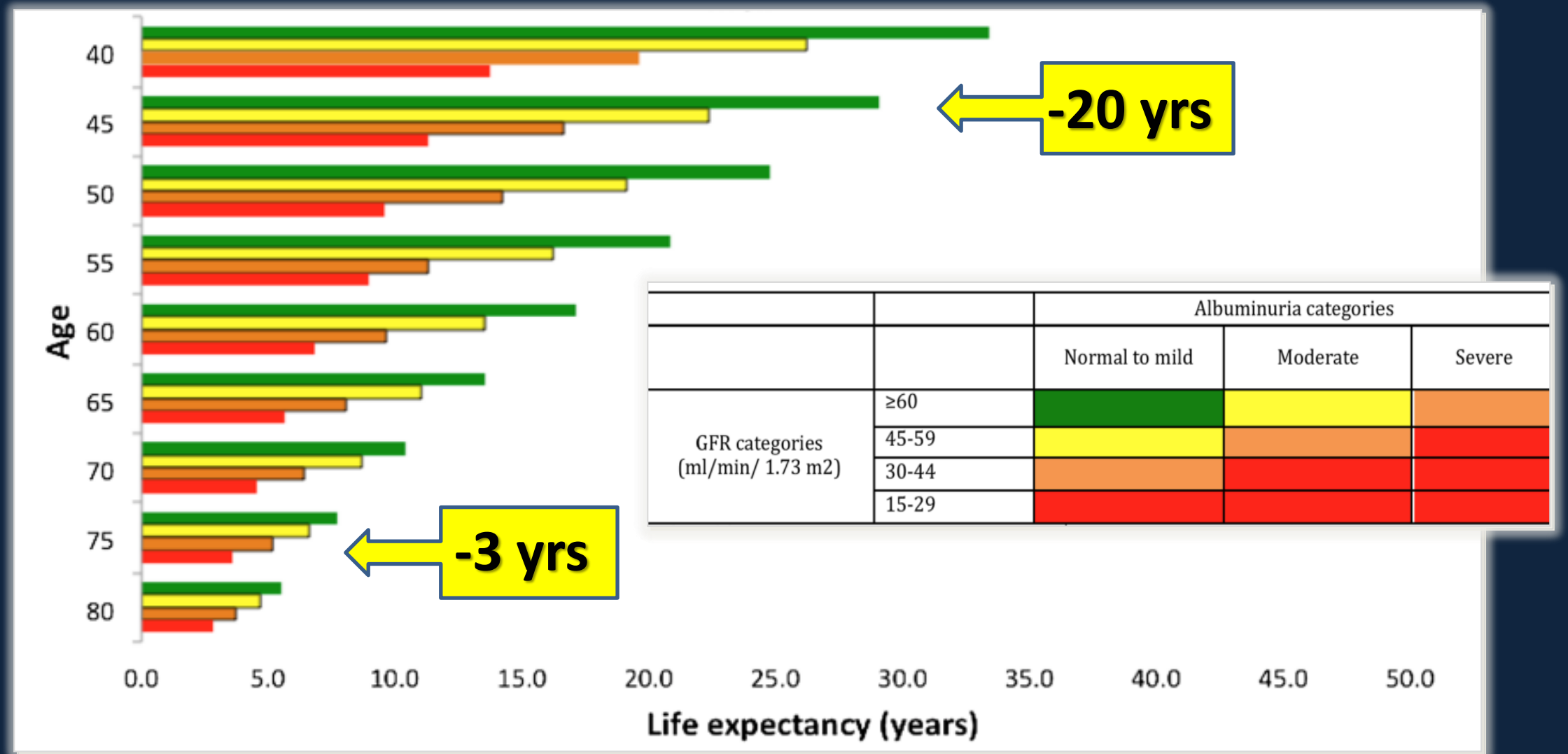
Incidences of HF are higher in those with CKD than those without

HF is associated with rapid decline in eGFR



CKD is associated with incident HF

Unmet need for effective treatment of CKD

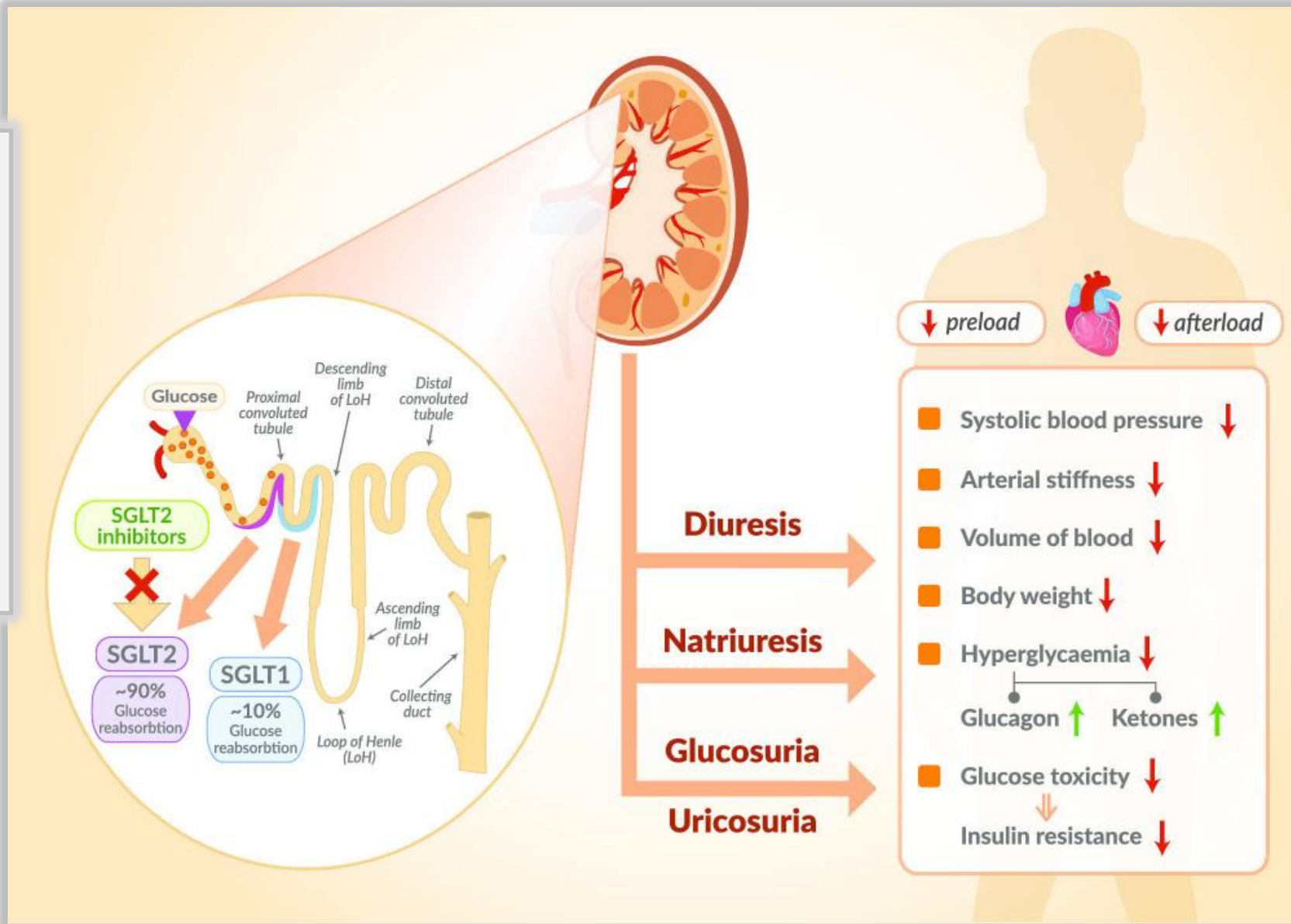


Mechanisms of action of SGLT2 inhibitors

- ↑ Sodium to distal nephron
- ↑ Afferent Vasoconstriction
- ↓ Intraglomerular P
- ↓ Glomerular hyperfiltration

- ↓ SNS activity
- ↓ Inflammation

- ↑ erythropoiesis
- ↓ O₂ needs



Overview of placebo-controlled clinical outcome trials assessing SGLT2 inhibitors (CVOTs)

National Kidney Foundation classification of CKD

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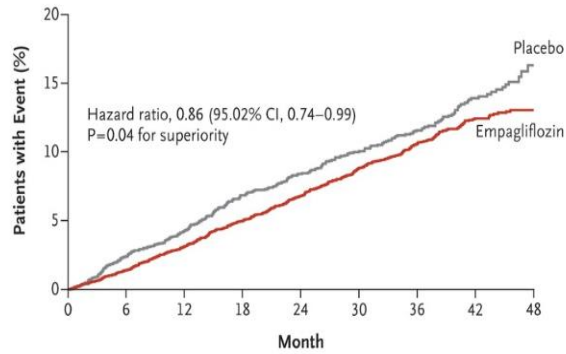
GFR Stages	G1	Normal or high	≥90
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	G3a	Mildly to moderately decreased	45-59
	G3b	Moderately to severely decreased	30-44
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	G5	Kidney failure	<15

**CANVAS
EMPA-REG
DECLARE TIMI**

3 point MACE (CV death, MI or stroke)

CVOTs: 3 point MACE (CV death, MI or stroke)
 combined end point of heart failure hospitalization or CV death

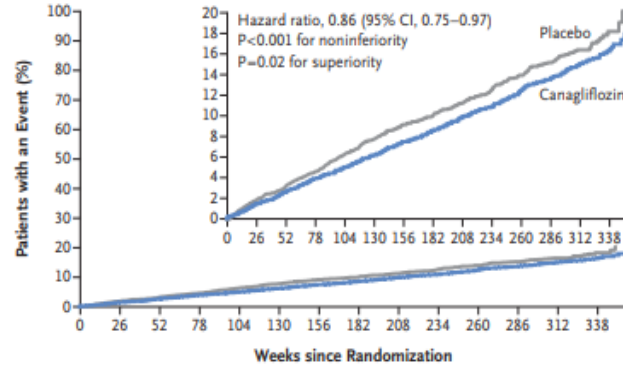
EMPA-REG OUTCOME
 Empagliflozin



No. at Risk	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48
Empagliflozin	4687	4580	4455	4328	3851	2821	2359	1534	370
Placebo	2333	2256	2194	2112	1875	1380	1161	741	166

N Engl J Med 2015;373:2117-2128

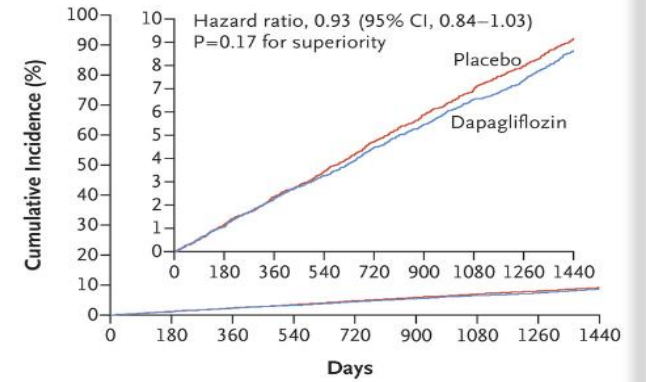
CANVAS program
 Canagliflozin



No. at Risk	0	26	52	78	104	130	156	182	208	234	260	286	312	338
Placebo	4347	4239	4153	4061	2942	1626	1240	1217	1187	1156	1120	1095	789	216
Canagliflozin	5795	5672	5566	5447	4343	2984	2555	2513	2460	2419	2363	2311	1661	448

N Engl J Med 2017;377:644-65

DECLARE TIMI
 Dapagliflozin



No. at Risk	0	180	360	540	720	900	1080	1260	1440
Placebo	8578	8433	8281	8129	7969	7805	7649	7137	5158
Dapagliflozin	8582	8466	8303	8166	8017	7873	7708	7237	5225

N Engl J Med 2019; 380:347-357

SGLT2i in non diabetic animals with kidney disease or risk factors for renal function decline

References	Design	Main outcomes	Conclusion
Zhang <i>et al.</i> [52]	53 Sprague Dawley rats were assigned to sham surgery + vehicle, sham surgery + DAPA or subtotal nephrectomy (SNx) + vehicle SNx + DAPA Treatment period: 12 weeks	DAPA versus vehicle: no change in SBP, 24-h proteinuria excretion, and GFR; no effect on glomerulosclerosis, tubulointerstitial fibrosis and TGF- β 1 mRNA overexpression	No renoprotective effects in a non-diabetic rat model, representing glomerular hyperfiltration
Ma <i>et al.</i> [53]	20 C57BL/6N mice were assigned to high oxalate diet + vehicle or high oxalate diet + EMPA	EMPA versus vehicle: no effect on calcium oxalate crystal deposition; no effect on GFR decline, plasma creatinine and BUN; no effect on tubulointerstitial inflammation and	No renoprotective effects in a non-diabetic mouse model with progressive CKD due to tubulointerstitial
Cassis <i>et al.</i> [54]	Unilateral nephrectomy was performed and C57BL/6N mice were assigned to control group ($n = 12$), bovine serum albumin (BSA) injections + vehicle ($n = 9$), BSA + DAPA ($n = 8$) or BSA + lisinopril ($n = 8$) Treatment period: 23 days	DAPA and lisinopril reduced SBP. No effects on BW and mGFR decline. DAPA and lisinopril reduced UACR by 63 and 72%, respectively. DAPA attenuated glomerular lesions, macrophage infiltration and podocyte loss. DAPA limited cytoskeletal remodelling <i>in vitro</i>	DAPA reduced proteinuria, glomerular lesions and limited podocyte loss in non-diabetic proteinuric mice
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Jaikumkao <i>et al.</i> [56]	Obese Wistar rats were assigned to control group ($n = 6$), high-fat diet (HFD) ($n = 6$), HFD + metformin ($n = 6$) or HFD + DAPA ($n = 6$) Treatment period: 4 weeks	DAPA reduced renal hyperfiltration, microalbuminuria and expression of antioxidant enzyme superoxide dismutase, increased antioxidant glutathione, suppressed markers of inflammation and fibrosis and suppressed the expression of endoplasmic reticulum stress and renal pro-apoptotic proteins	DAPA decreased renal hyperfiltration, microalbuminuria and markers for renal inflammation, tubulointerstitial fibrosis and apoptosis in a prediabetic rat model

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DAPA-CKD: Dapagliflozin in Patients With Chronic Kidney Disease^{1,2}



Objective

To assess whether treatment with dapagliflozin, compared with placebo, reduced the risk of renal and CV events in patients with CKD with or without T2D, and who were receiving standard of care including a stable dose of an ACEi or ARB

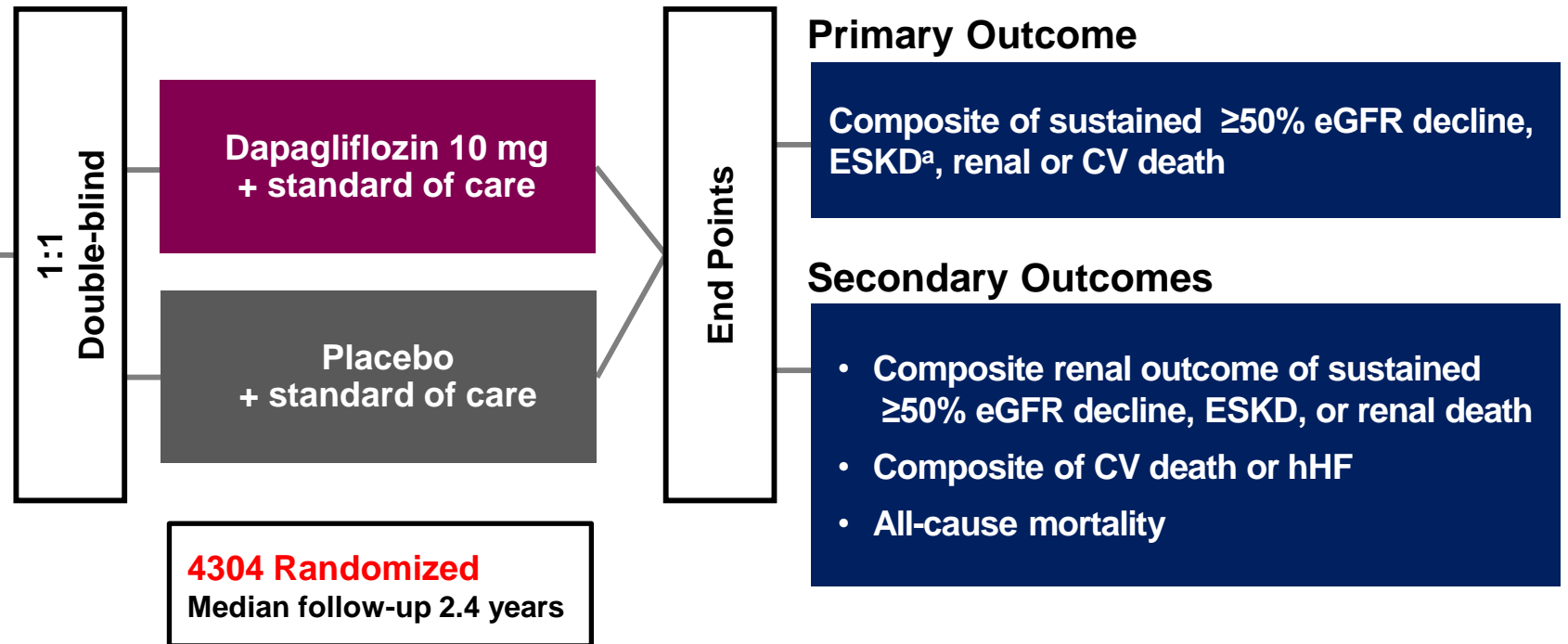
Key Inclusion Criteria

- ≥18 years of age
- eGFR 25-75 mL/min/1.73m²
- UACR 200- 5000 mg/g
- Stable dose of ACEi/ARB for ≥4 weeks
- With and without T2D

Key Exclusion Criteria

- T1D
- Polycystic kidney disease, lupus nephritis, ANCA-associated vasculitis
- Immunosuppressive therapy ≤6 months prior to enrollment

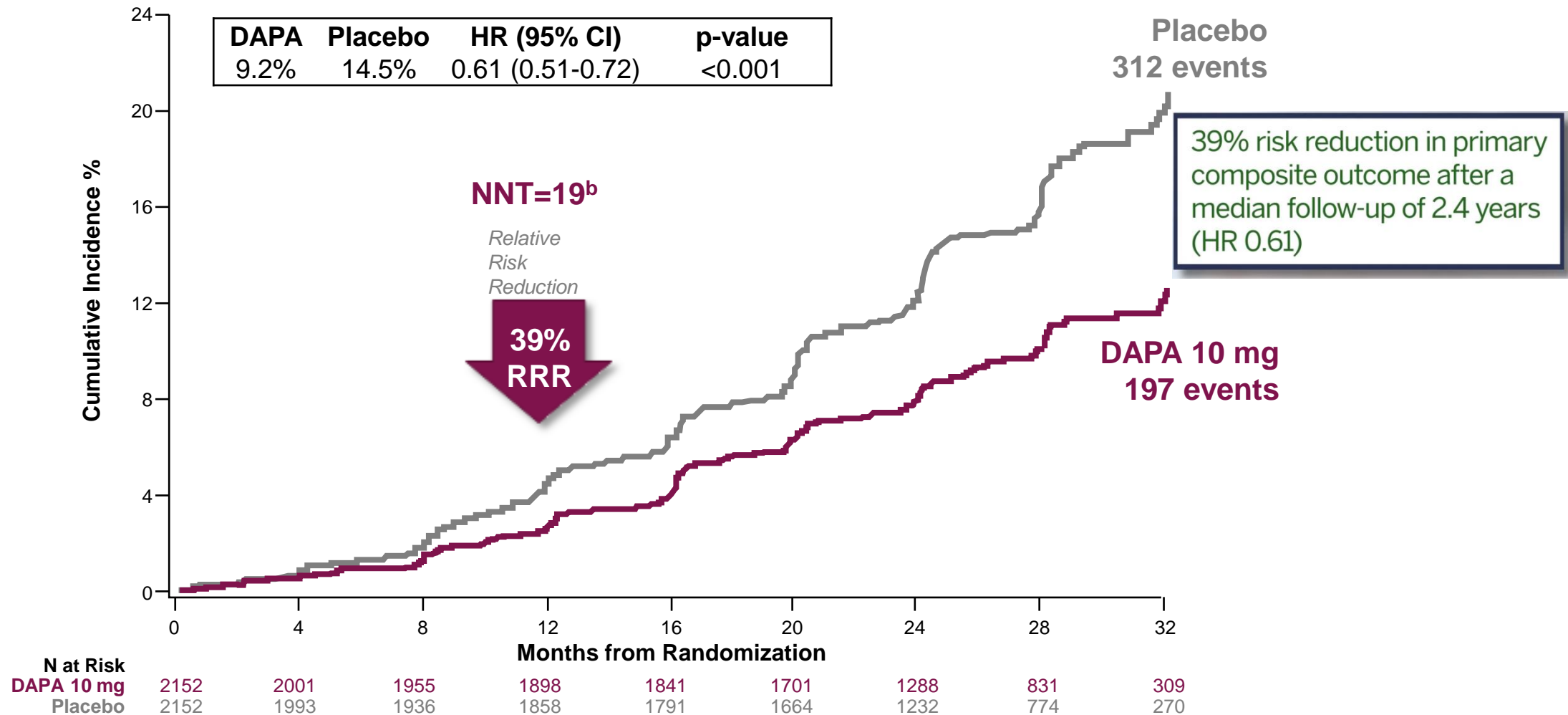
multinational, multicenter, randomized, double-blind, parallel-group, placebo-controlled



median follow-up was 2.4 years.²

1/3 of pnts did NOT have T2DM

Primary Composite Outcome: Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, renal or CV Death



1. Heerspink HJL et al. N Engl J Med. 2020; 383:1436-1446; 2. Wheeler DC et al, Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol 2021; 9:22-31

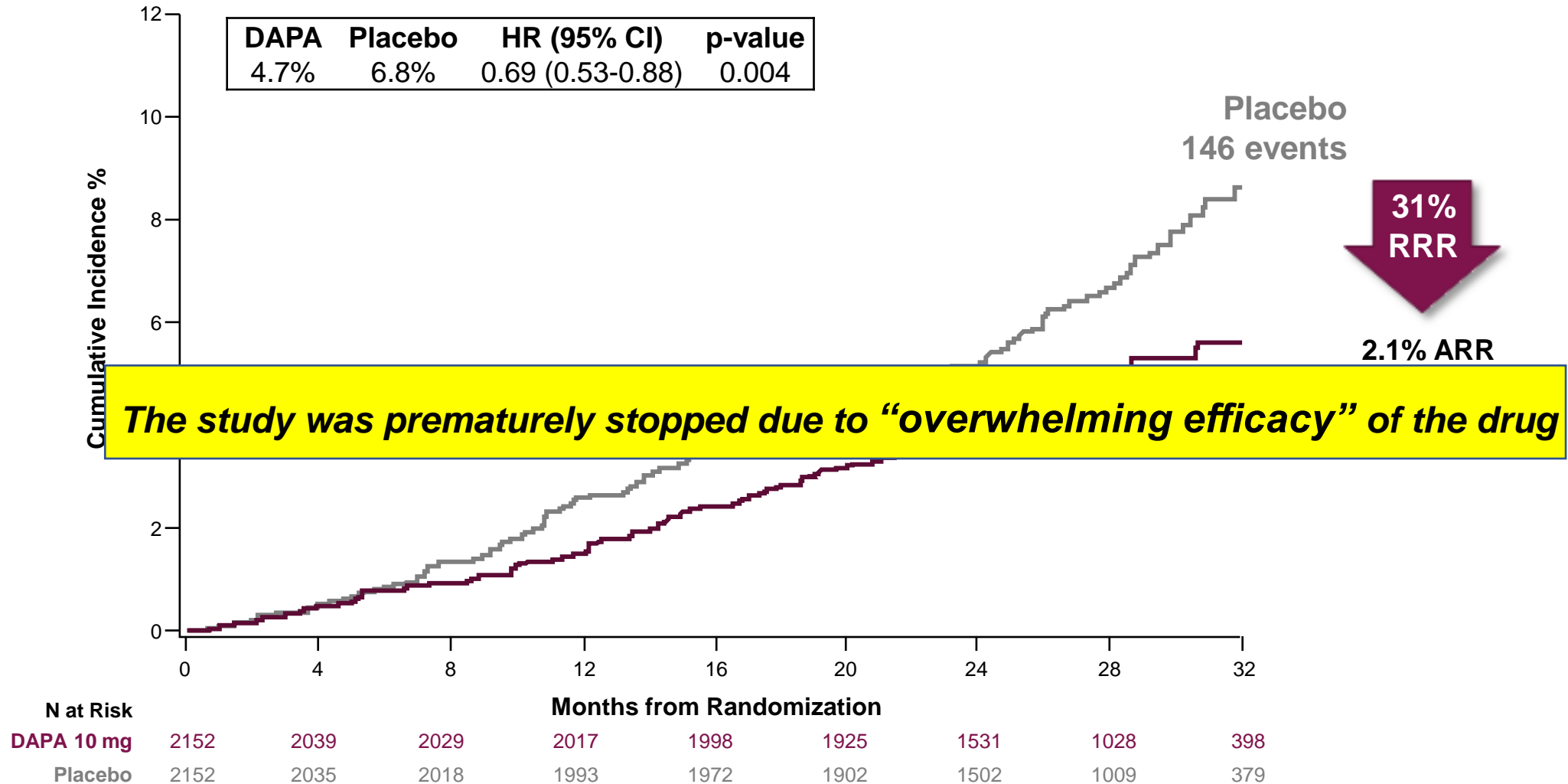
Primary Composite Outcome: (Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, renal or CV Death) Stable treatment benefit across subgroups

HR (95% CI)	Number of Events		HR	95% CI	p-value Interaction ²	
	DAPA 10 mg (n=2152)	Placebo (n=2152)				
Composite of $\geq 50\%$ eGFR Decline, ESKD, or Renal or CV Death						
All Patients		197	312	0.61	(0.51, 0.72)	
T2D at Baseline					0.24 ²	
Yes		152	229	0.64	(0.52, 0.79)	
No		45	83	0.50	(0.35, 0.72)	
UACR (mg/g) at Baseline						
≤ 1000		44	84	0.54	(0.37, 0.77)	
> 1000		153	228	0.62	(0.50, 0.76)	
eGFR (mL/min/1.73m²) at Baseline						
< 45		152	217	0.63	(0.51, 0.78)	
≥ 45		45	95	0.49	(0.34, 0.69)	

0.13 0.50 1.00 1.25

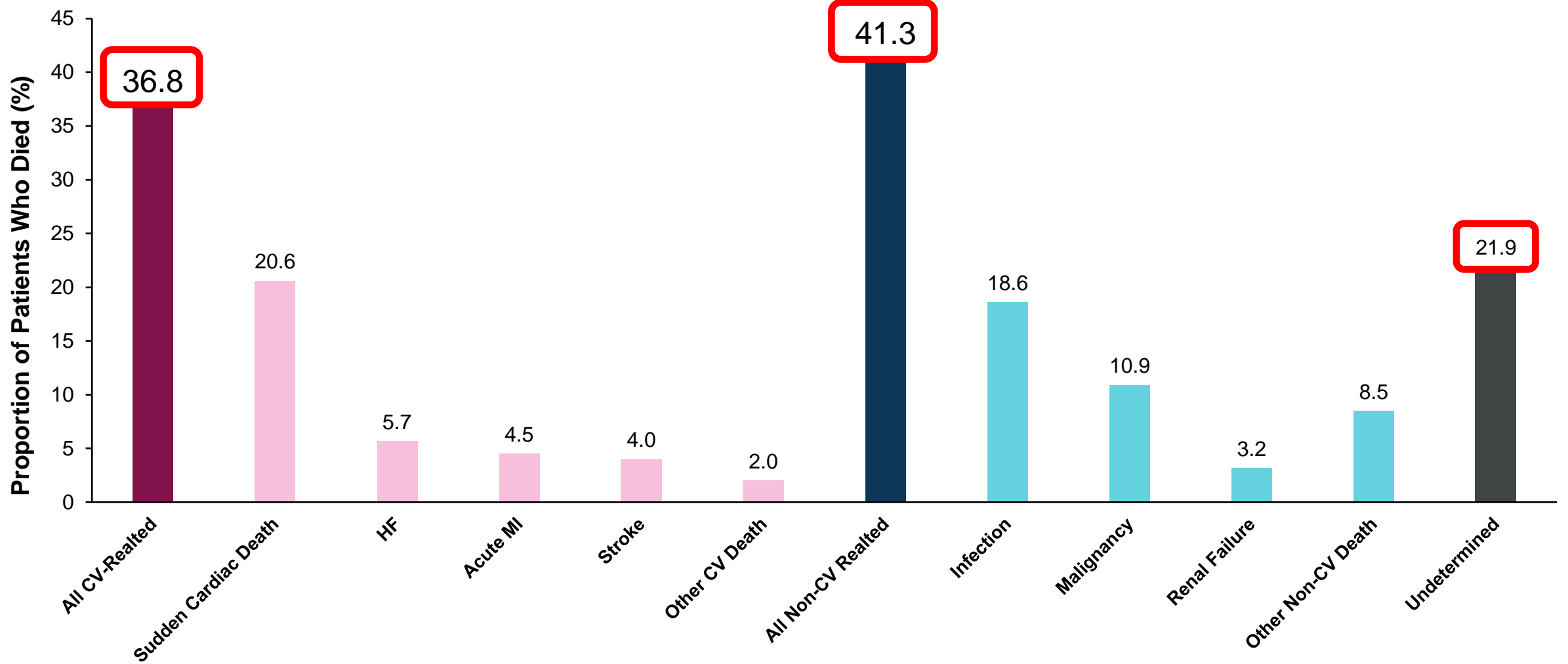
DAPA 10 mg Better Placebo Better

Secondary Outcome: All-cause Mortality

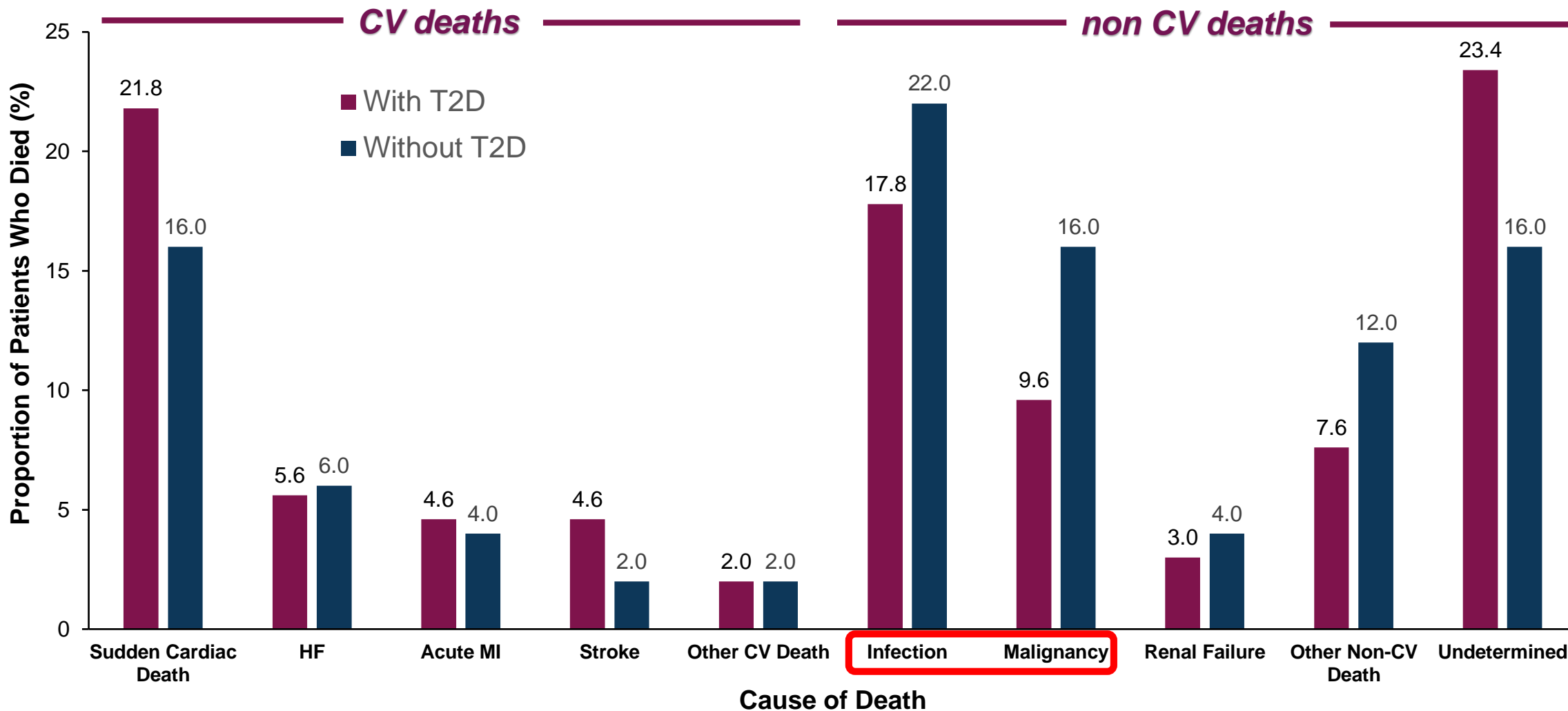


Main Causes of Death in DAPA-CKD

247 (5.7%) participants died



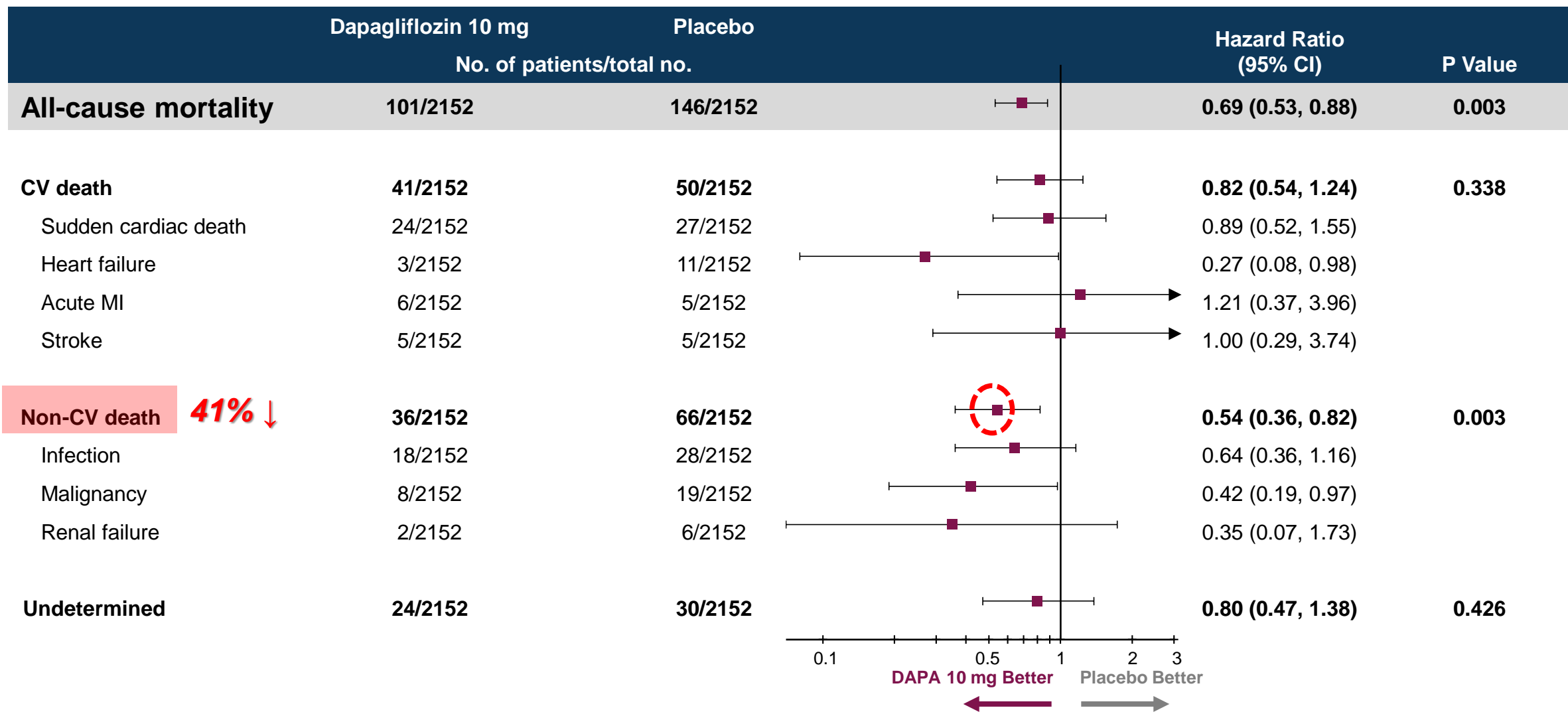
Main Causes of Death in diabetic and non diabetic population of DAPA-CKD



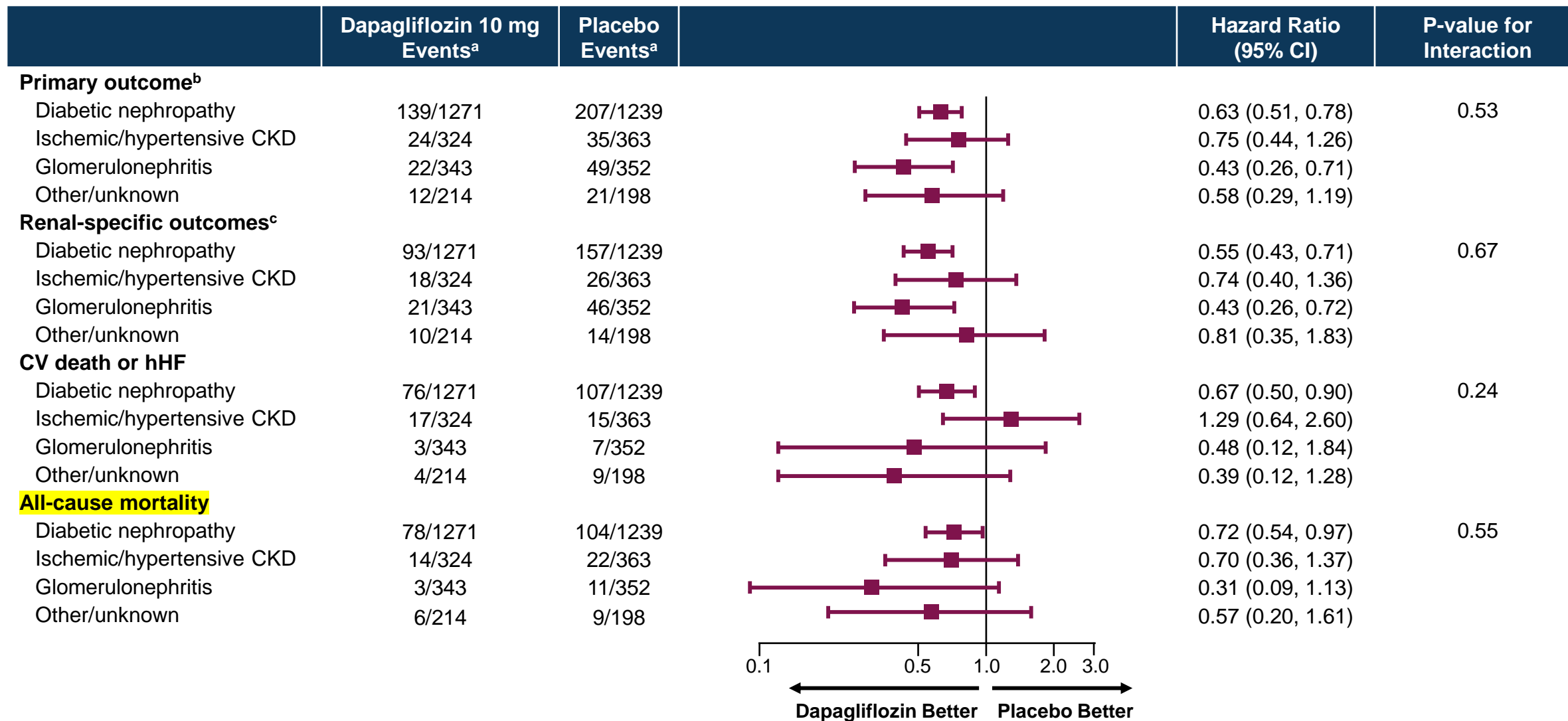
All-Cause Mortality in Patients Who Did and Did Not Reach Chronic Dialysis

	Dapagliflozin		Placebo		Total	
	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)
Overall mortality	101/2152 (4.7)	2.2	146/2152 (6.8)	3.1	247/4304 (5.7)	2.6
Without chronic dialysis, n	2084		2053		4137	
All-cause mortality	89 (4.3)	1.9	121 (5.9)	2.6	210 (5.1)	2.2
With chronic dialysis, n	68		99		167	
All-cause mortality	12 (17.6)	8.6	25 (25.3)	13.4	37 (22.2)	11.4

Dapagliflozin significantly prolonged survival in patients with CKD with and without T2DM

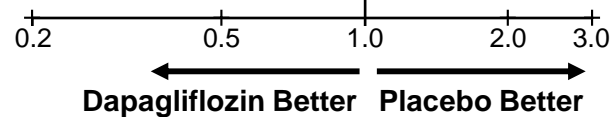


Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Underlying Cause of Kidney Disease

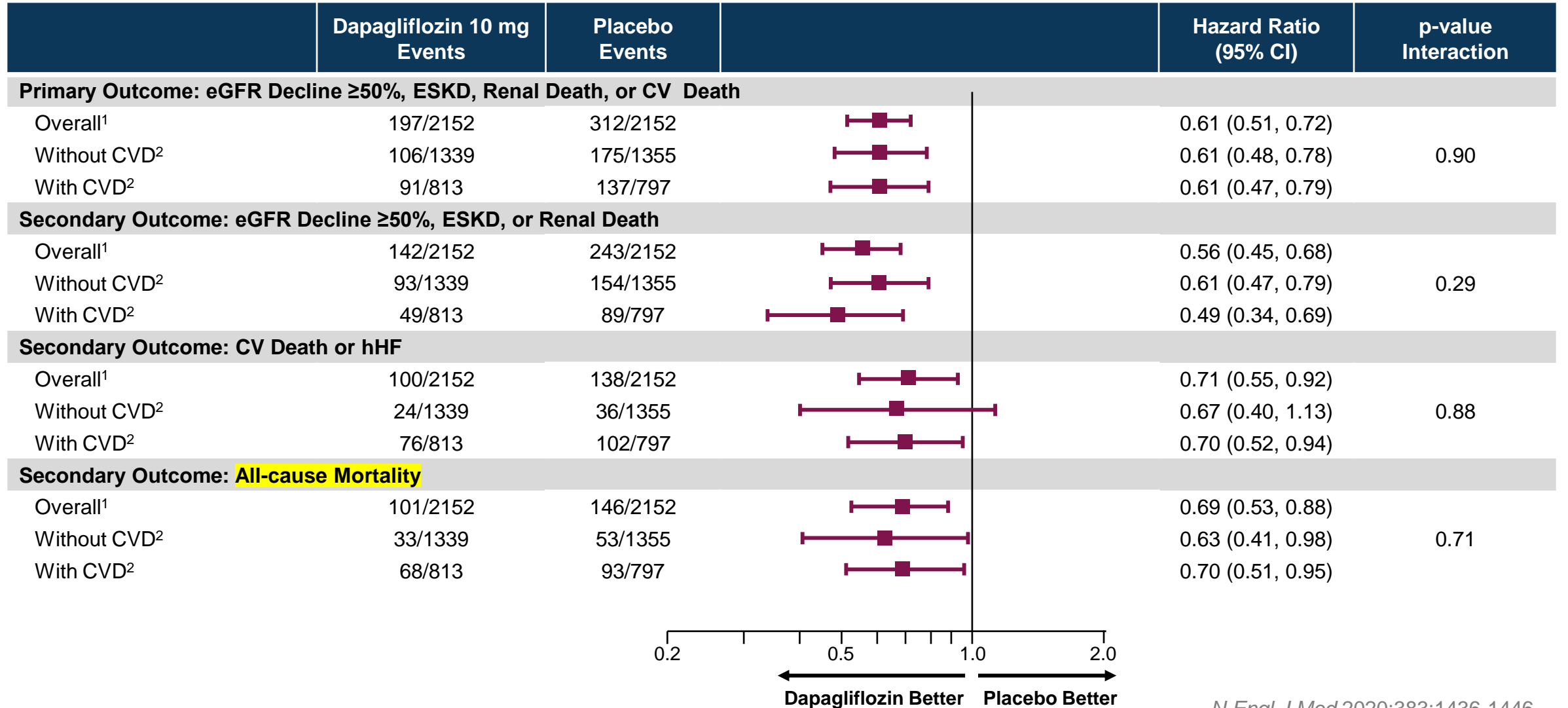


Secondary Outcomes According to CKD Stage

	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Dapagliflozin	Placebo		Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P-value for Interaction
	No. of patients/ total no.		Events/100 patient-years				
Kidney composite outcome: ≥50% eGFR decline, ESKD, or kidney death							
Overall	142/2152	243/2152	3.3	5.8		0.56 (0.45, 0.68)	
Stage 4	49/293	73/331	9.2	12.5		0.71 (0.49, 1.02)	0.13
Stage 2/3	93/1859	170/1821	2.5	4.7		0.51 (0.40, 0.66)	
CV death or heart failure hospitalization							
Overall	100/2152	138/2152	2.2	3.0		0.71 (0.55, 0.92)	
Stage 4	18/293	24/331	2.9	3.6		0.83 (0.45, 1.53)	0.63
Stage 2/3	82/1859	114/1821	2.0	2.9		0.69 (0.52, 0.92)	
All-cause death							
Overall	101/2152	146/2152	2.2	3.1		0.69 (0.53, 0.88)	
Stage 4	19/293	31/331	3.0	4.6		0.68 (0.39, 1.21)	0.95
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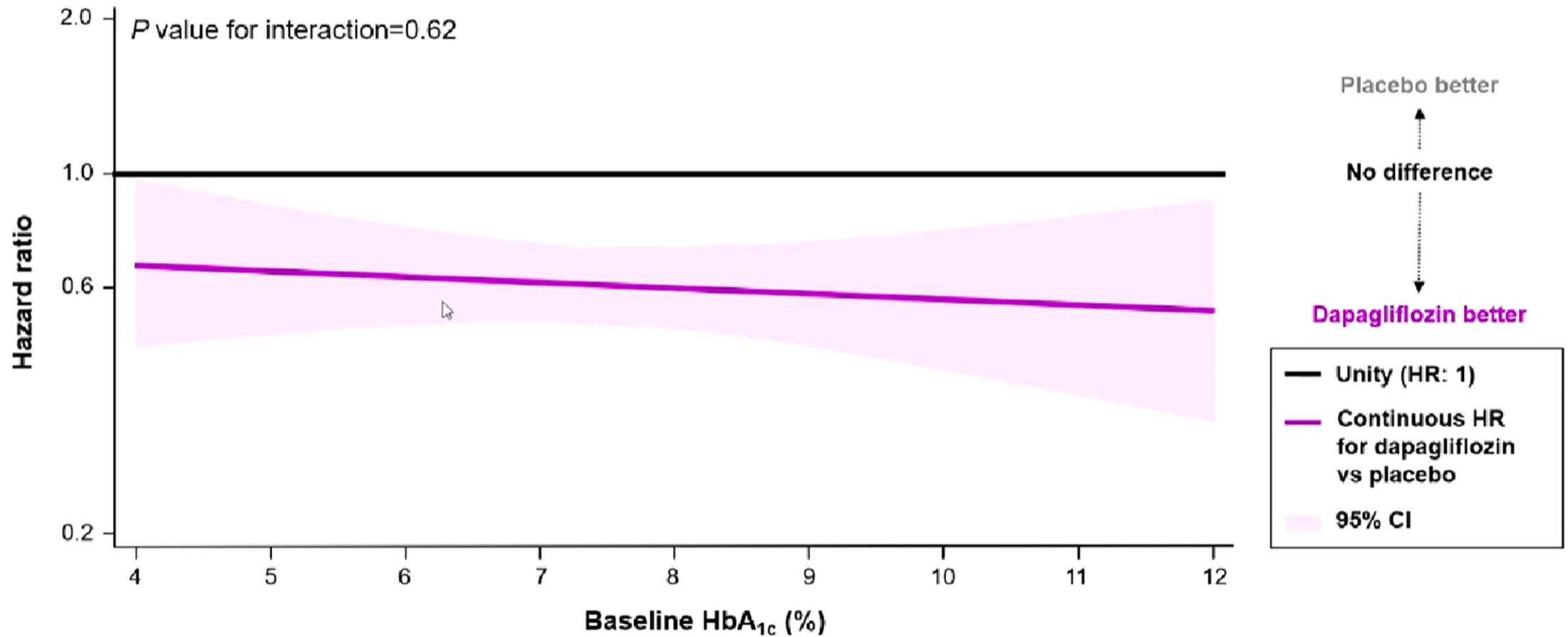
Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Baseline CVD



Primary and Secondary outcomes of DAPA CKD

Primary	HR (95% CI)	P value	
1. eGFR \geq 50%, ESKD, or death from renal causes or CV causes	0.61 (0.51, 0.72)	<0.001	✓ 39% ↓RRR
Secondary			
2. eGFR decline \geq 50%, ESKD, or death from renal causes	0.56 (0.45, 0.68)	<0.001	✓ 44% ↓RRR
3. Composite of CV death or hHF	0.71 (0.55, 0.92)	0.009	✓ 29% ↓RRR
4. Death from any cause <i>A signal not been seen in other trials</i>	0.69 (0.53, 0.88)	0.004	✓ 31% ↓RRR

DAPA CKD: Benefit of dapagliflozin on the primary outcome across a range of HbA1C

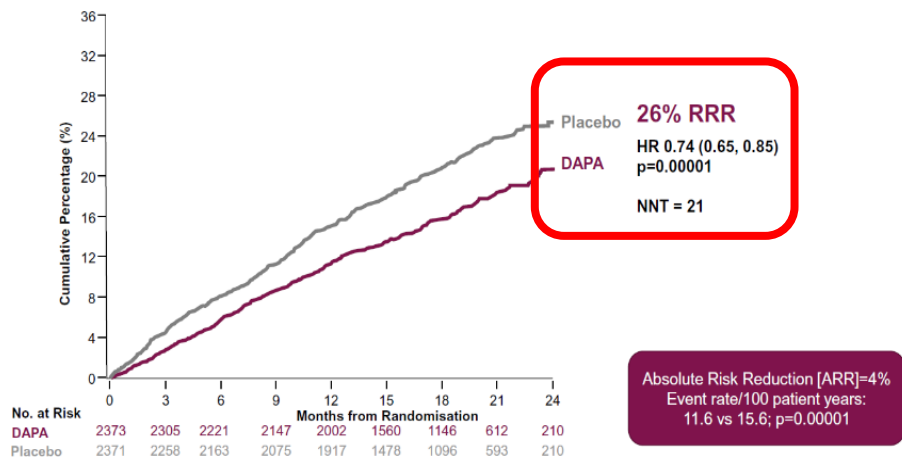


DAPA-HF trial

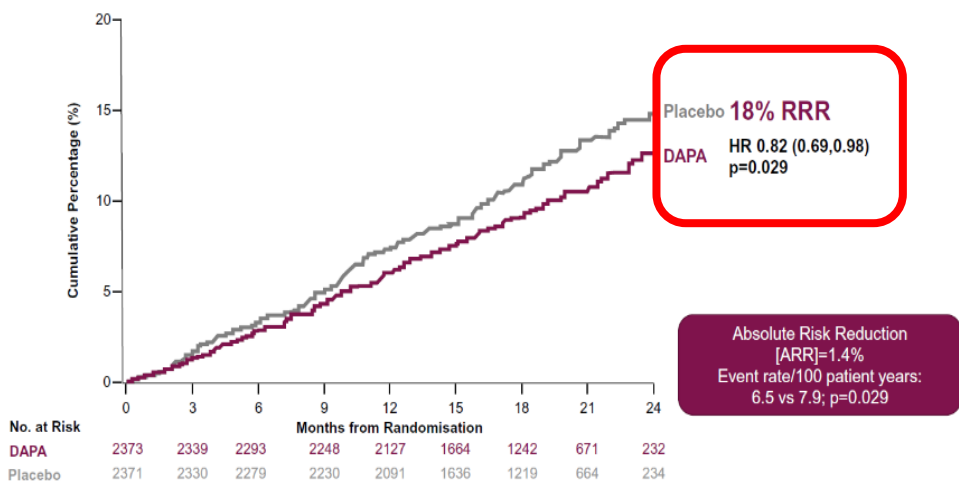
Dapagliflozin in Patients with Heart Failure and Reduced Ejection Fraction

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Primary Endpoint: CV Death or hHF or an Urgent HF Visit



Component of Primary Endpoint: Cardiovascular Death



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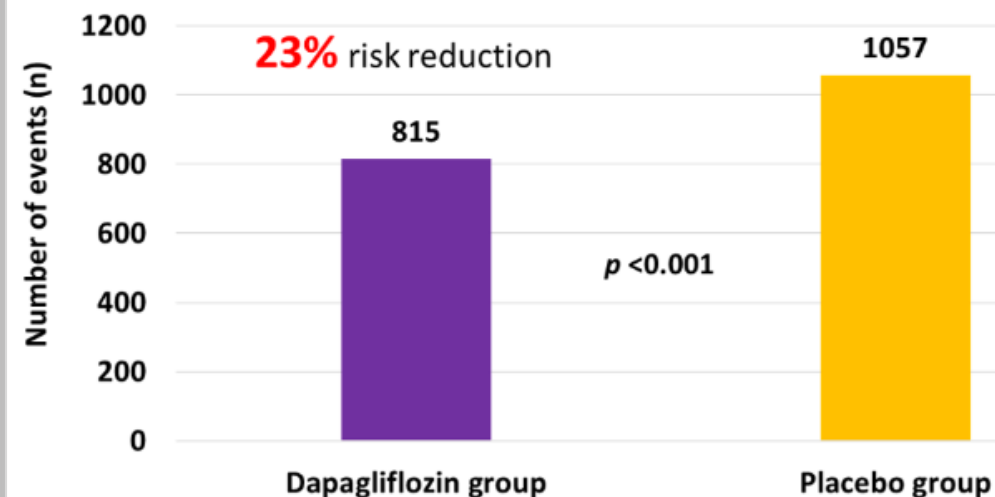
DELIVER

Dapagliflozin in Heart Failure with Mildly Reduced or Preserved Ejection Fraction

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N=6263 NYHA II-IV EF>40

(c) Total number of worsening HF events and CV deaths



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How can SGLT2i also preserve kidney function in patients with kidney diseases due to causes other than diabetes mellitus?

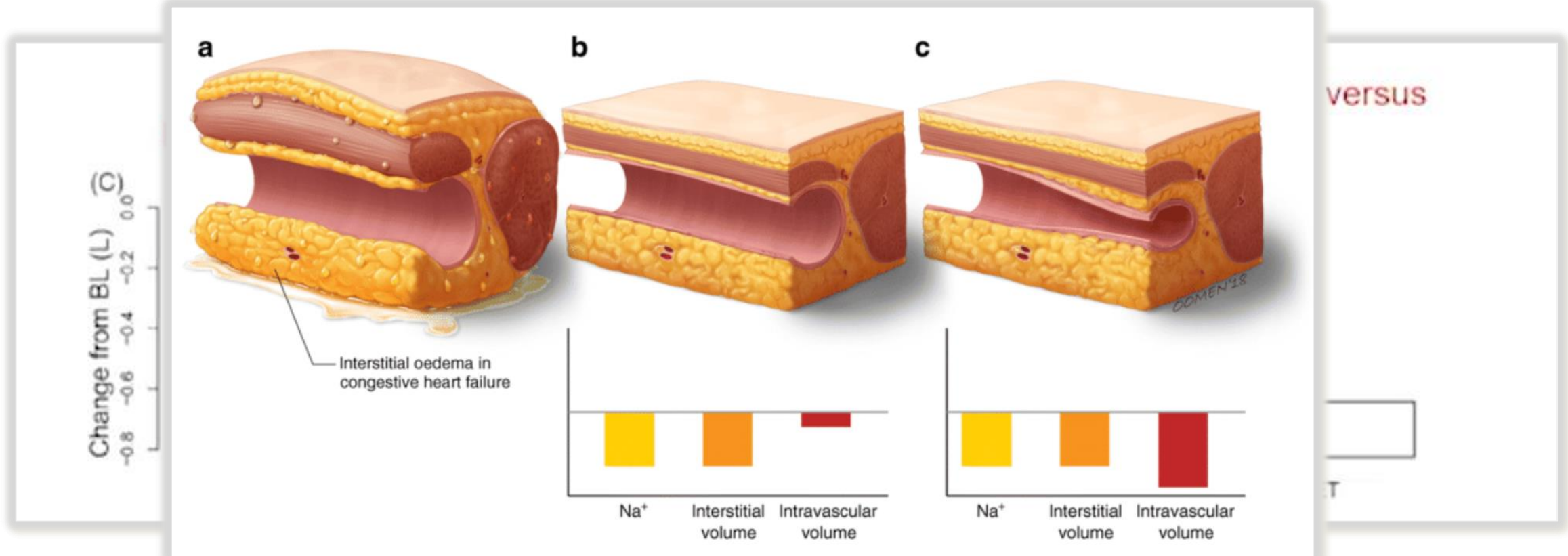
And how do you then explain its benefit in heart failure – seen in non-diabetic patients as well?

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There's no tubuloglomerular feedback involved in the Frank-Starling curve

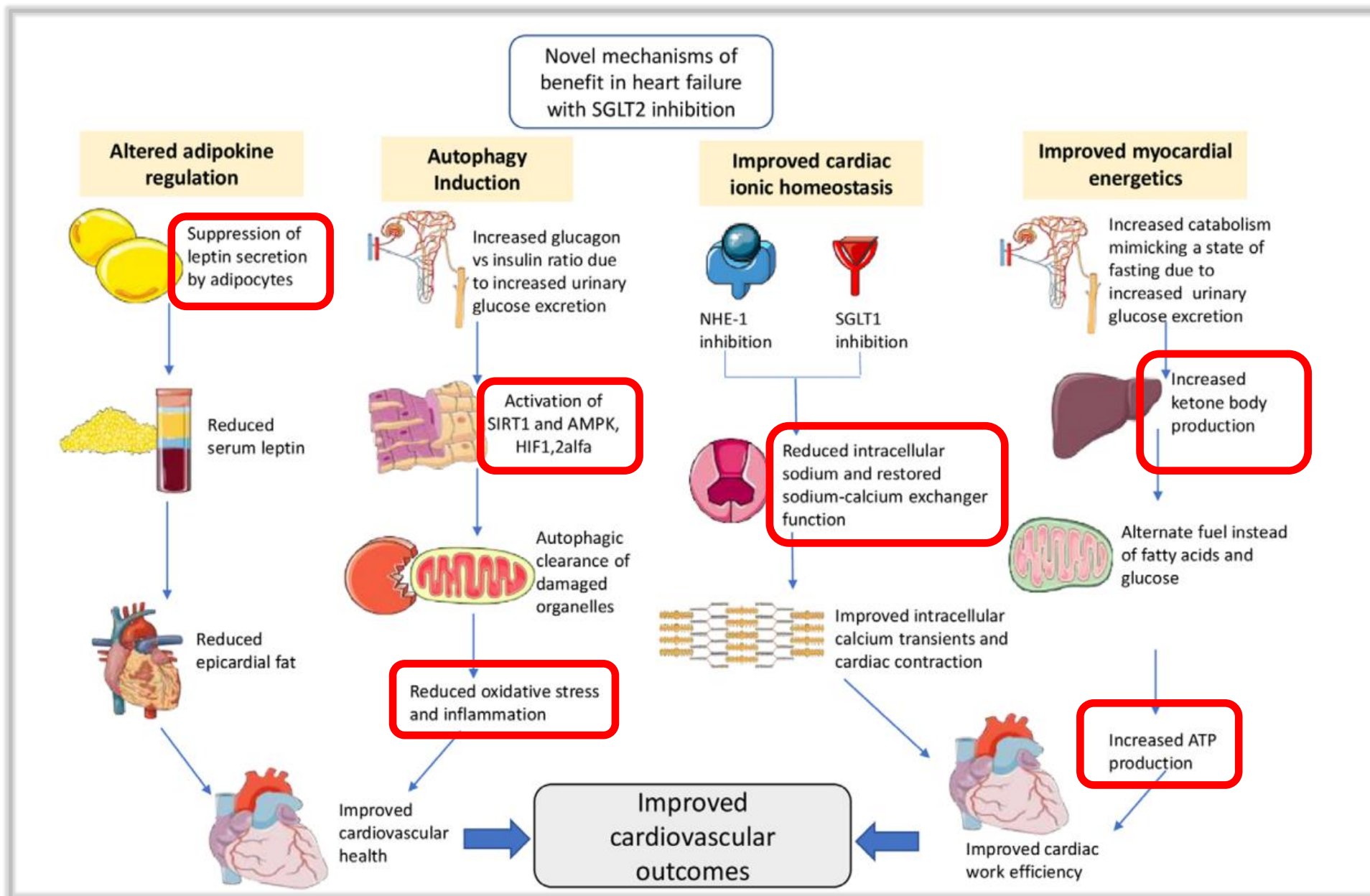
If it's merely the natriuretic effect at play – why don't we see those kinds of benefits with other natriuretics?

SGLT2 inhibitors vs diuretics: Differential regulation of interstitial vs intravascular compartment

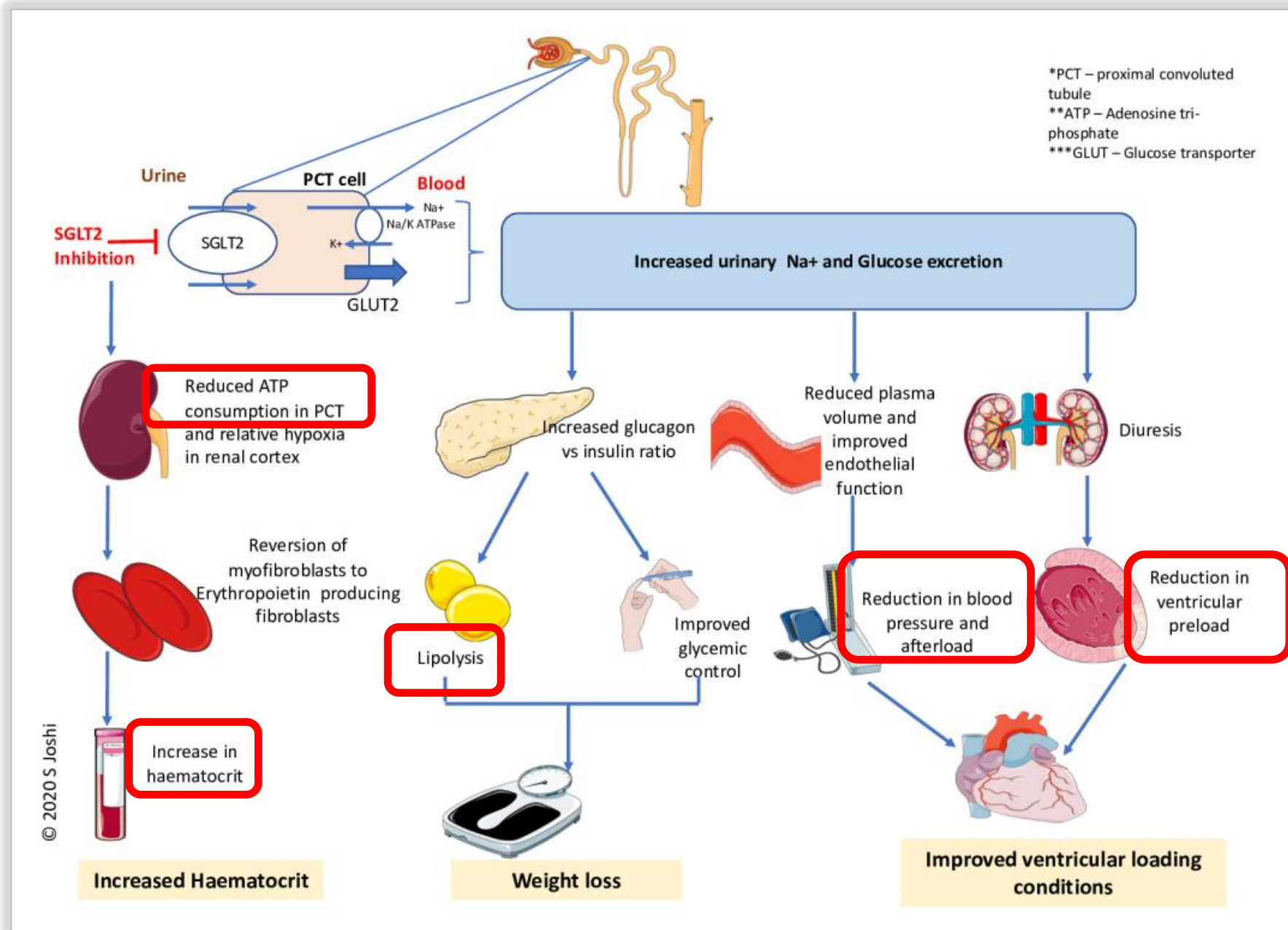


This may limit the reflex neurohumoral stimulation that occurs in response to intravascular volume contraction with traditional diuretics

Novel mechanisms of cardioprotective benefit with SGLT2 inhibition



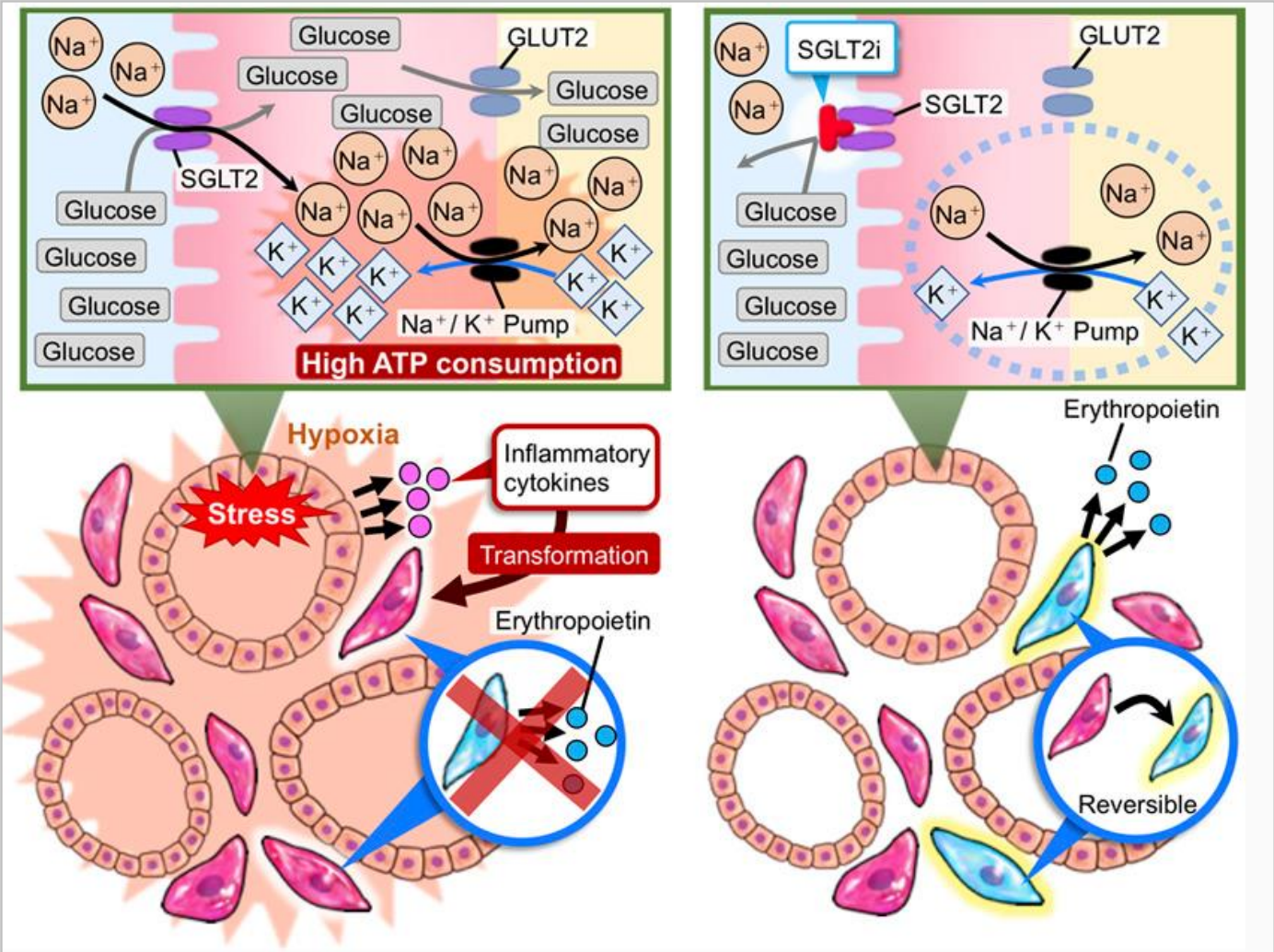
Mechanisms of action of SGLT2 inhibitors



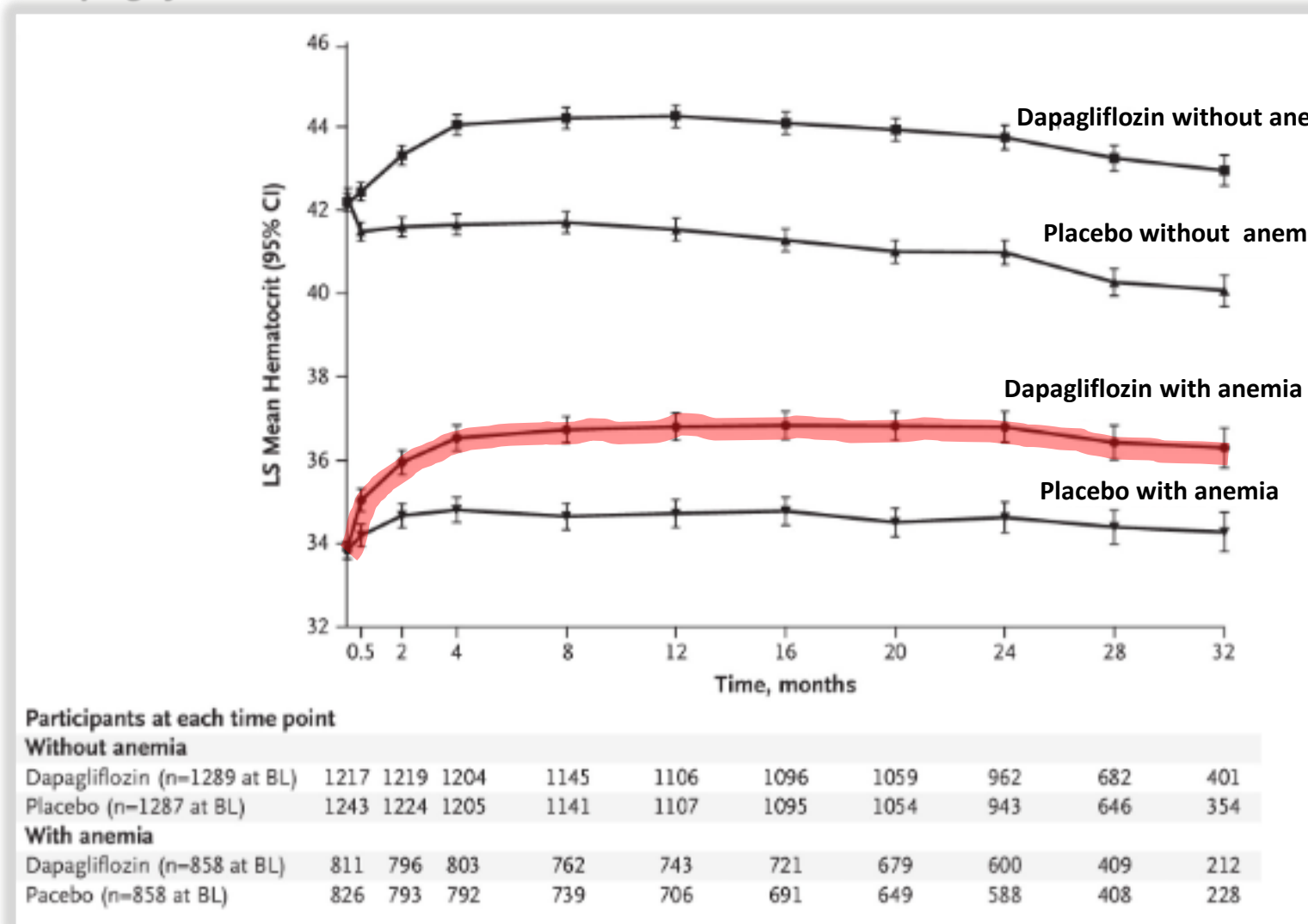
Possible mechanism by which SGLT2i increase erythropoietin production

Diabetes mellitus

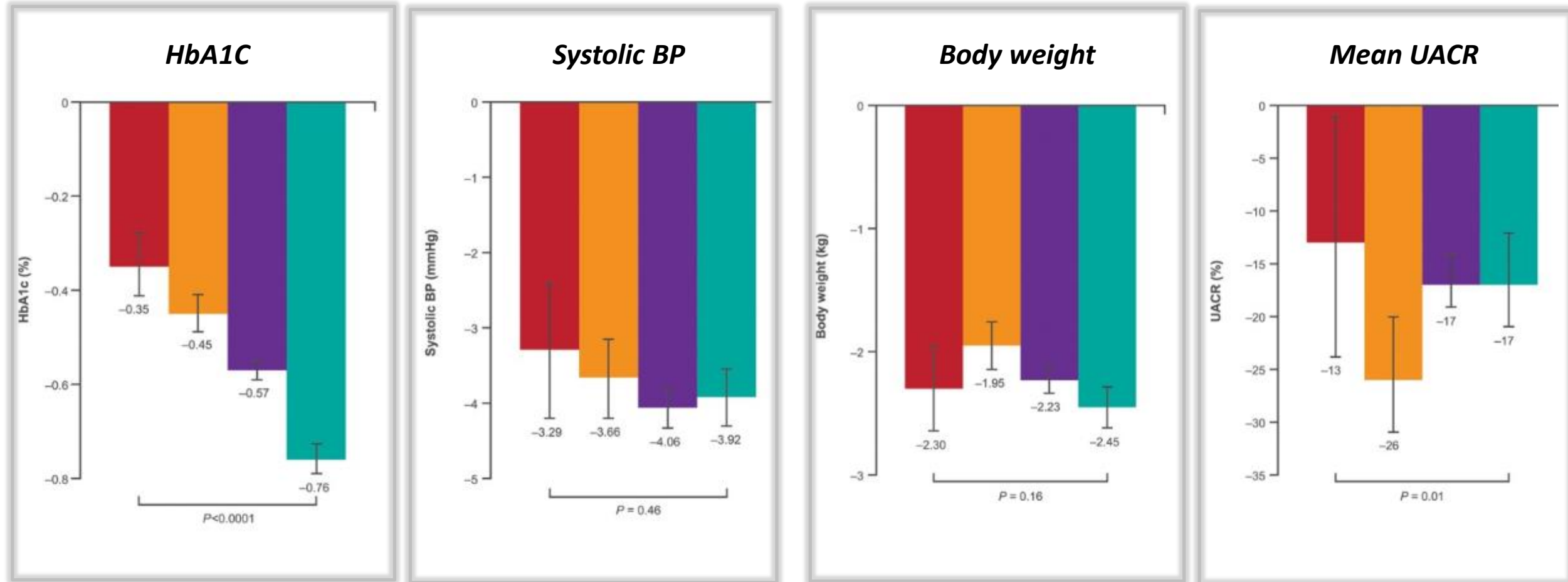
Diabetes mellitus + SGLT2i



Placebo → 29.4% anemia was corrected
Dapagliflozin → 53.3% anemia was corrected



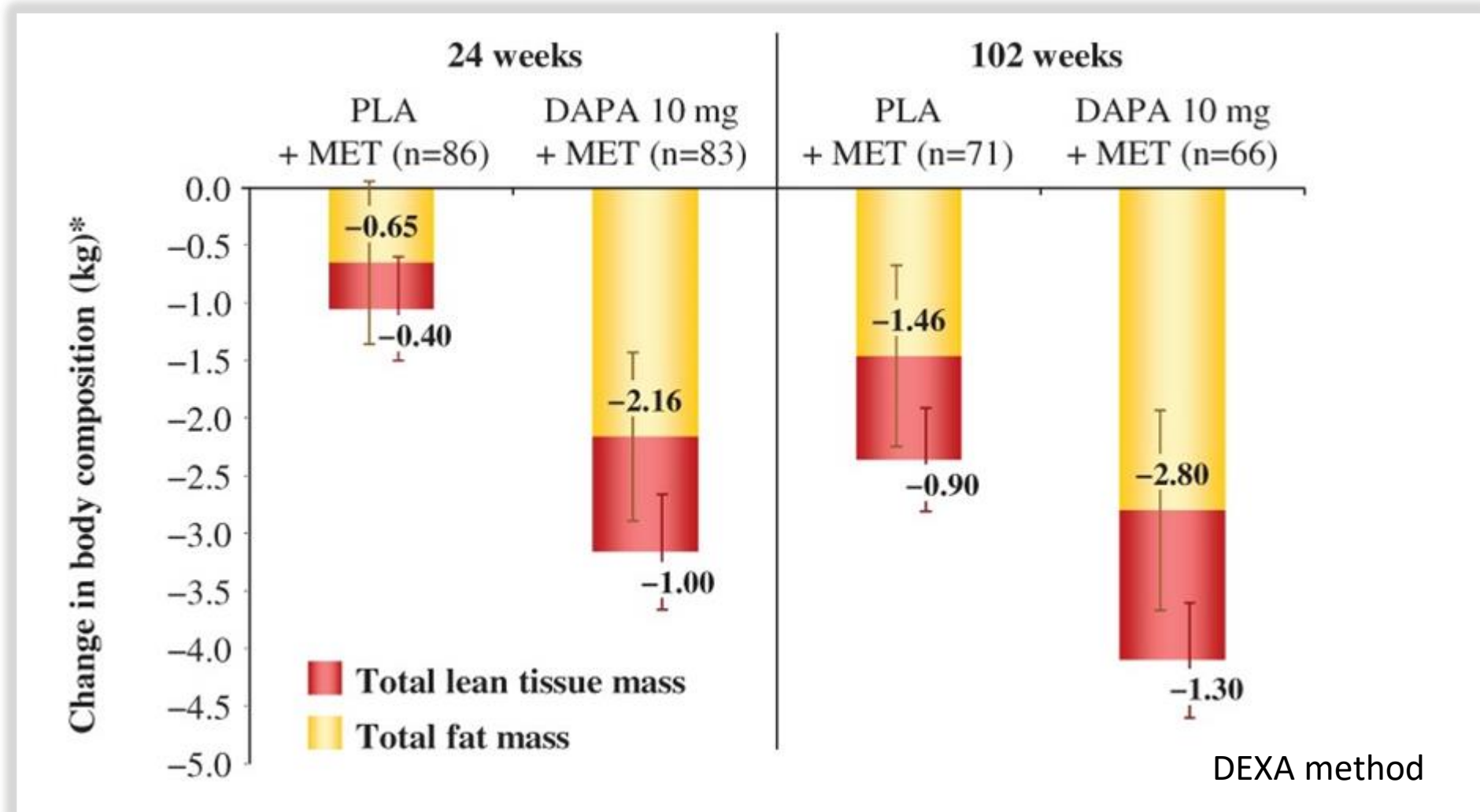
Changes in parameters with canagliflozin compared to placebo in participants with different levels of kidney function

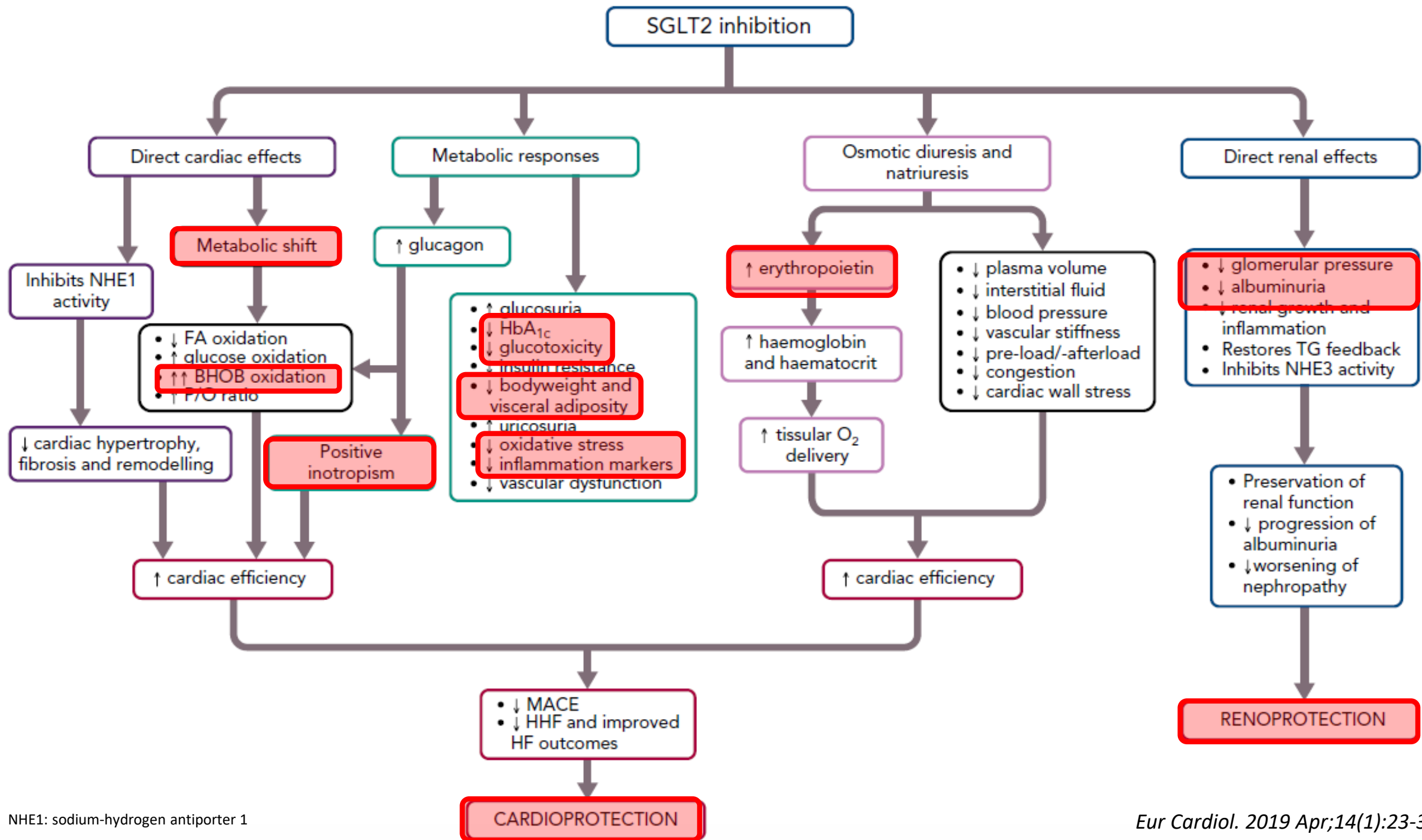


■ eGFR <45 mL/min/1.73 m² ■ eGFR 45-60 mL/min/1.73 m² ■ eGFR 60-90 mL/min/1.73 m² ■ eGFR ≥90 mL/min/1.73 m²

Dapagliflozin reduces weight and body fat mass over 2 years in patients with T2DM

randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study (NCT00855166)





2023 KDIGO CKD Guideline: SGLT2 Inhibitors in CKD

Preview presented at the 60th ERA Congress June 15-18 2023

- Recommendation 3.6.1: We recommend treating patients with **type 2 diabetes** (T2D), CKD, and an **eGFR ≥ 20 ml/min per 1.73 m² with an SGLT2i** (1A).
- Recommendation 3.6.2: We recommend treating adults with CKD and heart failure or eGFR ≥ 20 ml/min per 1.73 m² with urine albumin-to-creatinine ratio (ACR) ≥ 200 mg/g with an SGLT2i (1A).

Unmet needs....

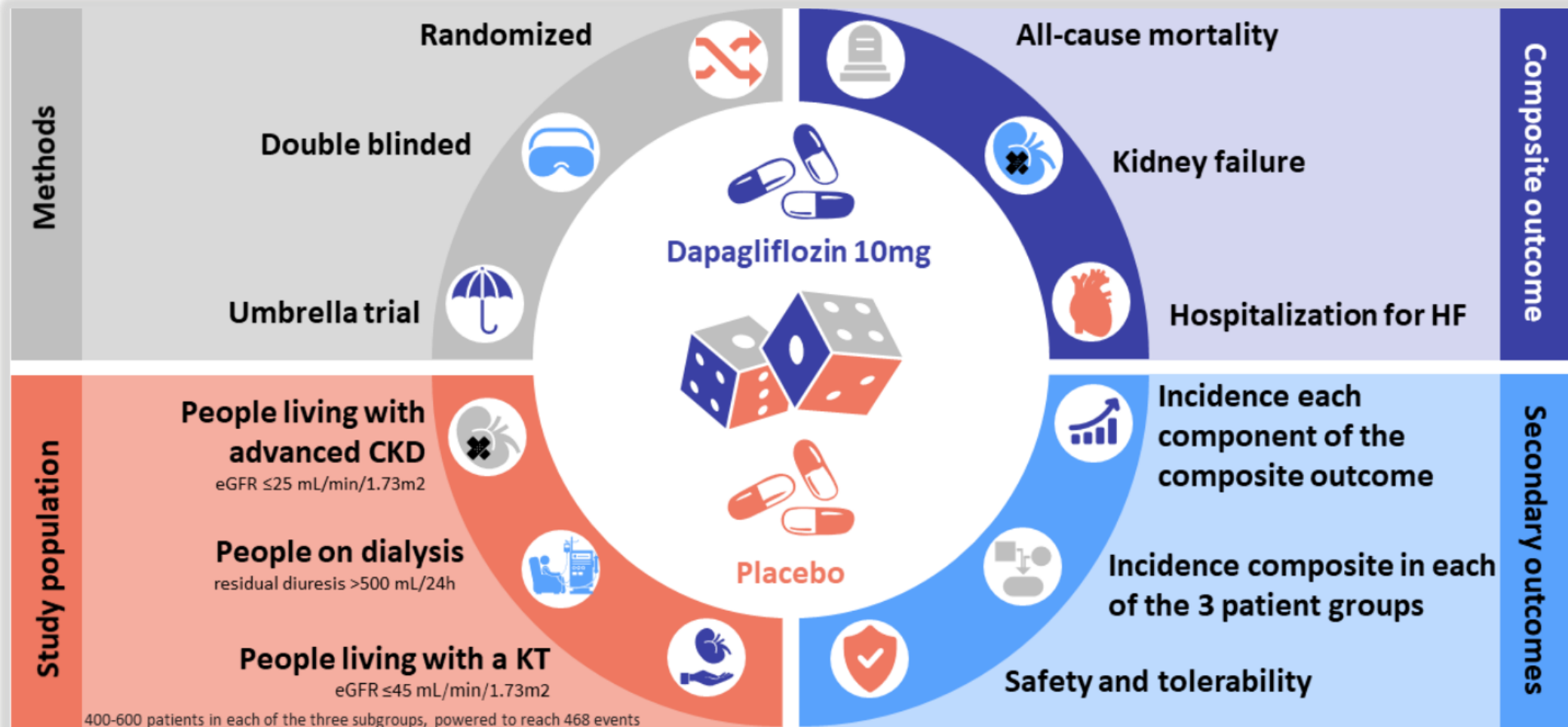
- ✓ at present unclear whether SGLT2 inhibition will be effective in preventing clinically relevant outcomes and be sufficiently safe in patients with severe CKD that are not included in the present label

The RENAL LIFECYCLE Trial: Not just another FLOZIN trial

- Dapagliflozin 10 mg versus placebo
- At least 1500 patients
 - (1) an eGFR , 25 ml/min per 1.73 m²
 - (2) dialysis patients with residual diuresis > 500 ml/24-hour
 - (3) kidney transplant recipients with an eGFR ≤ 45 ml/min per 1.73 m²
- 1mary end point is a composite end point of kidney failure, heart failure hospitalization, or all-cause mortality
- Completion: in 4 years



The RENAL LIFESTYLE TRIAL (NCT05374291) : RCT to assess the effect of Dapagliflozin on renal and cardiovascular outcomes in people living with severe CKD



Completion in 4 years

DAPA-CKD (Dapagliflozin) :

- 1. Reduction in risk of all-cause mortality in CKD (mainly in the non CV events)***
- 2. Improvement in kidney disease outcomes, being equally effective in diabetic and in the nondiabetic CKD patients***

***“The young physician starts life with 20 drugs for each disease,
and the old physician ends life with one drug for 20 diseases.”***

Sir William Osler

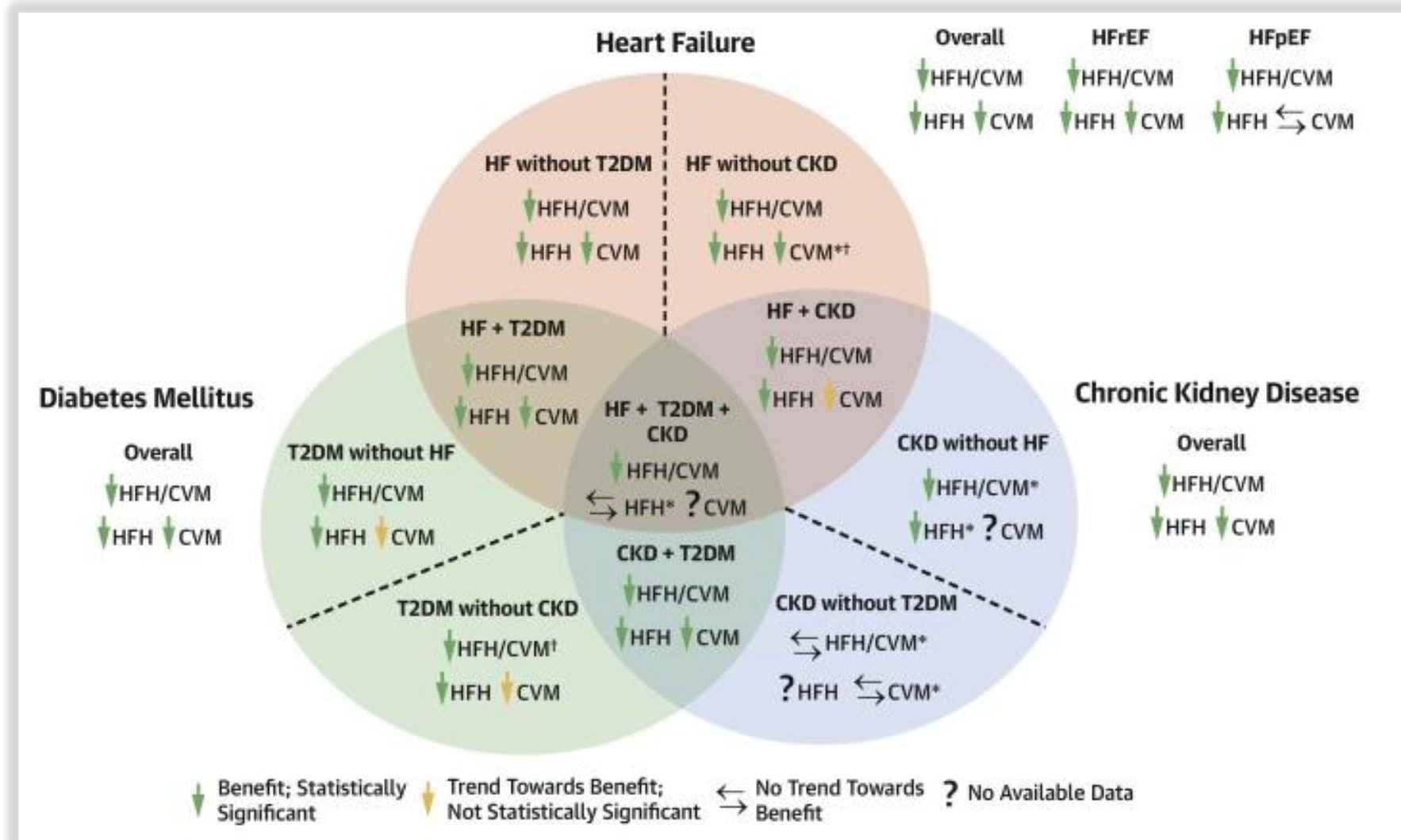
one of the "Big Four" founding professors of Johns Hopkins Hospital

How low can we go for GFR with respect to initiating SGLT2i?

	EMPAREG	CREDENCE	DAPA CKD	EMPA-KIDNEY	RENAL LIFESTYLE
		30	↓ 25	↓ 20	↓ RRT

- $< 20 \text{ ml/min/1.73m}^2 \rightarrow$ similar concerns as starting RAS blockade in CKD 4 or 5
- Is it too late? It might be too late for kidney disease - but will starting these drugs at low GFR still help with heart failure and CV benefit?
- Both in CREDENCE and in DAPA-CKD, the drugs were continued all the way down to dialysis - and hence this practice definitely has support. There is no need to stop at a GFR threshold once they are started.

Effect of SGLT2 Inhibitors on Cardiovascular Outcomes Across Various Patient Populations



Recent results in diabetic and nondiabetic experimental acute myocardial infarction disease models

- ↓ Cardiomyocyte NHE-1
- ↑ Mitochondrial Ca²⁺
- ↓ Transient SGLT2 expression in ischemic heart
- ↓ Adverse remodeling
- ↓ Left ventricular mass
- ↑ Filling conditions

Possible direct cardiac protection



Cardiovascular protection

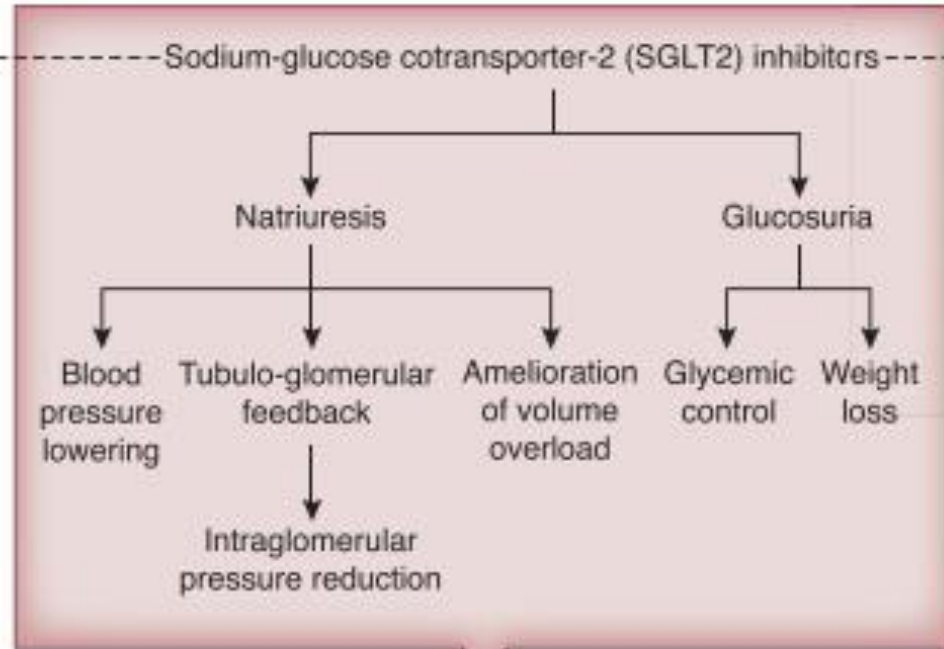
Recent results in nondiabetic experimental chronic kidney disease models

- ↓ Oxidative stress
- ↓ Fibrosis induction
- ↓ Local inflammation
- ↓ Tubular senescence
- ↓ Glomerular damage

Possible direct kidney protection



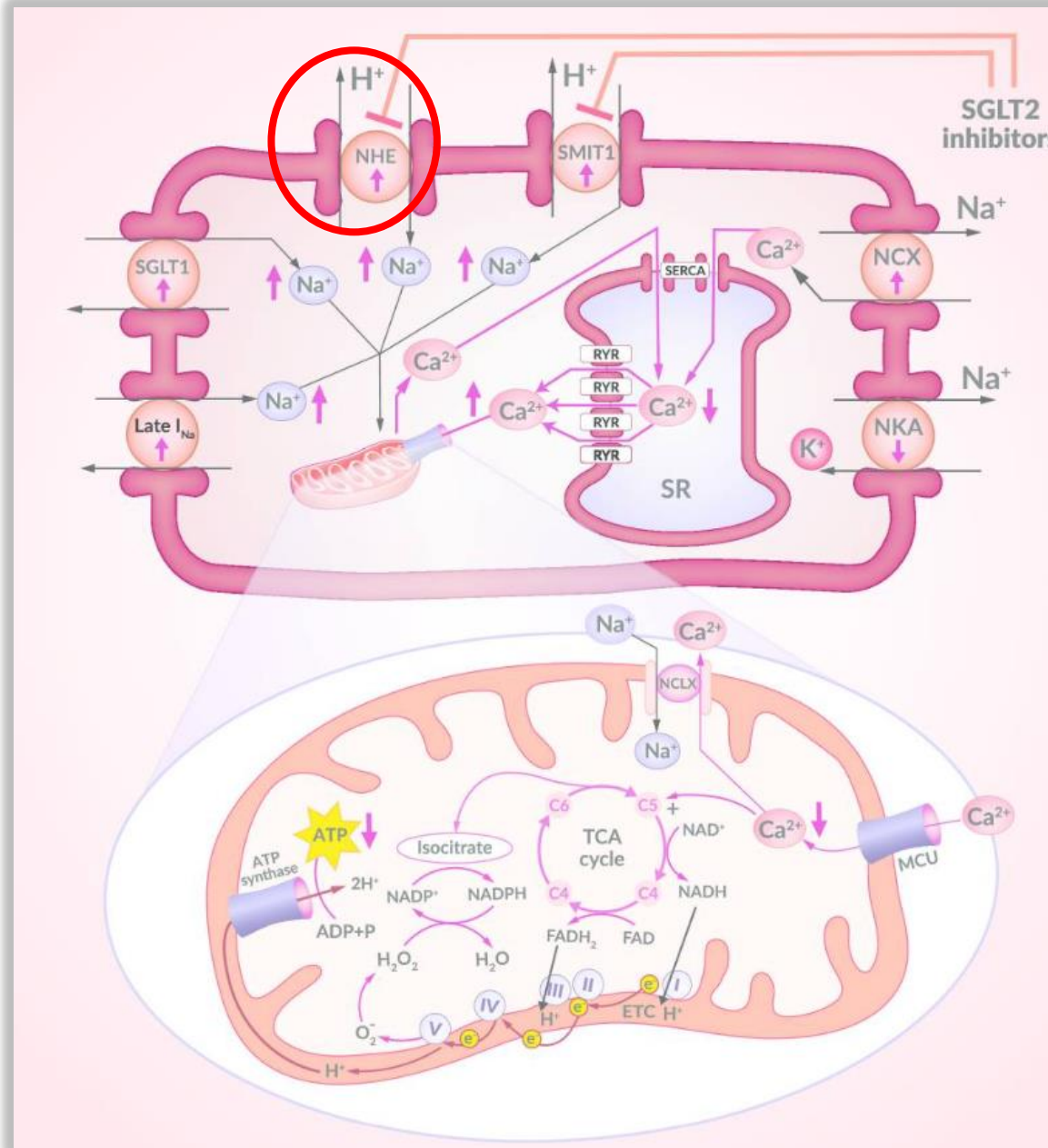
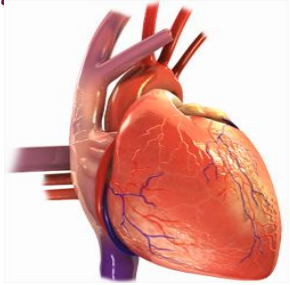
Kidney protection

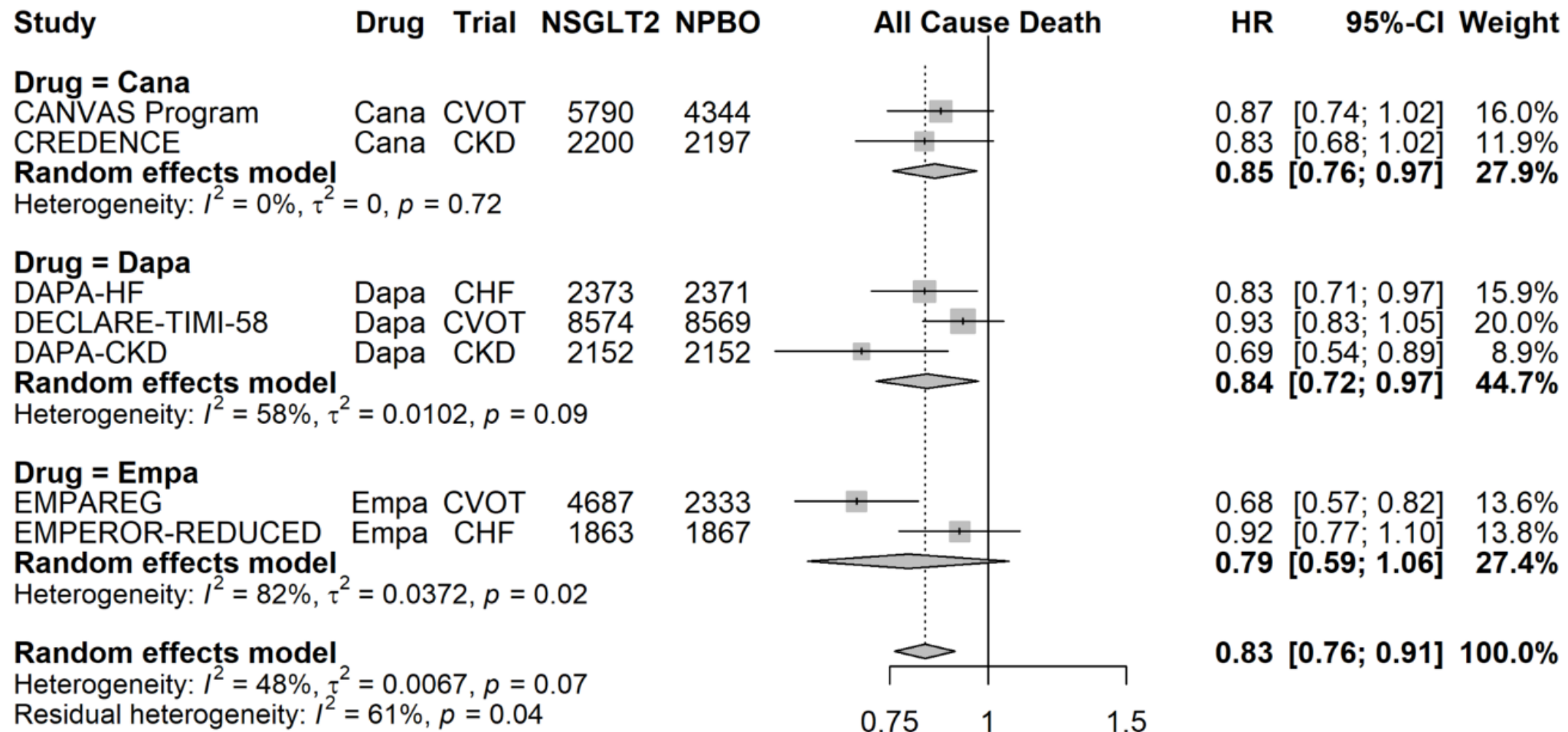


Tubular SGLT2 related effects

Tubular SGLT2 related effects

SGLT2i reduce the influx of sodium into cardiomyocyte increase during HF





DELIVER: Dapagliflozin in Heart Failure with Mildly Reduced and Preserved Ejection Fraction

Purpose:

To evaluate whether SGLT2 inhibitors (dapagliflozin) are effective in patients with heart failure and more than 40% left ventricular ejection fraction.

Trial Design: This was an international, multicenter, parallel-group, event-driven, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study. N=6,263 patients with heart failure and a left ventricular ejection fraction of more than 40% were randomized in a 1:1 ratio to receive either dapagliflozin 10 mg or placebo.

Primary Endpoint: Time-to-event analysis of a composite of worsening heart failure (defined as unplanned hospitalization for heart failure or an urgent visit for heart failure) or cardiovascular death [over a median of 2.3 years].

Other Endpoints: Total number of worsening heart failure events and cardiovascular death, death from any cause, and change in total symptoms score of KCCQ at 8 months.

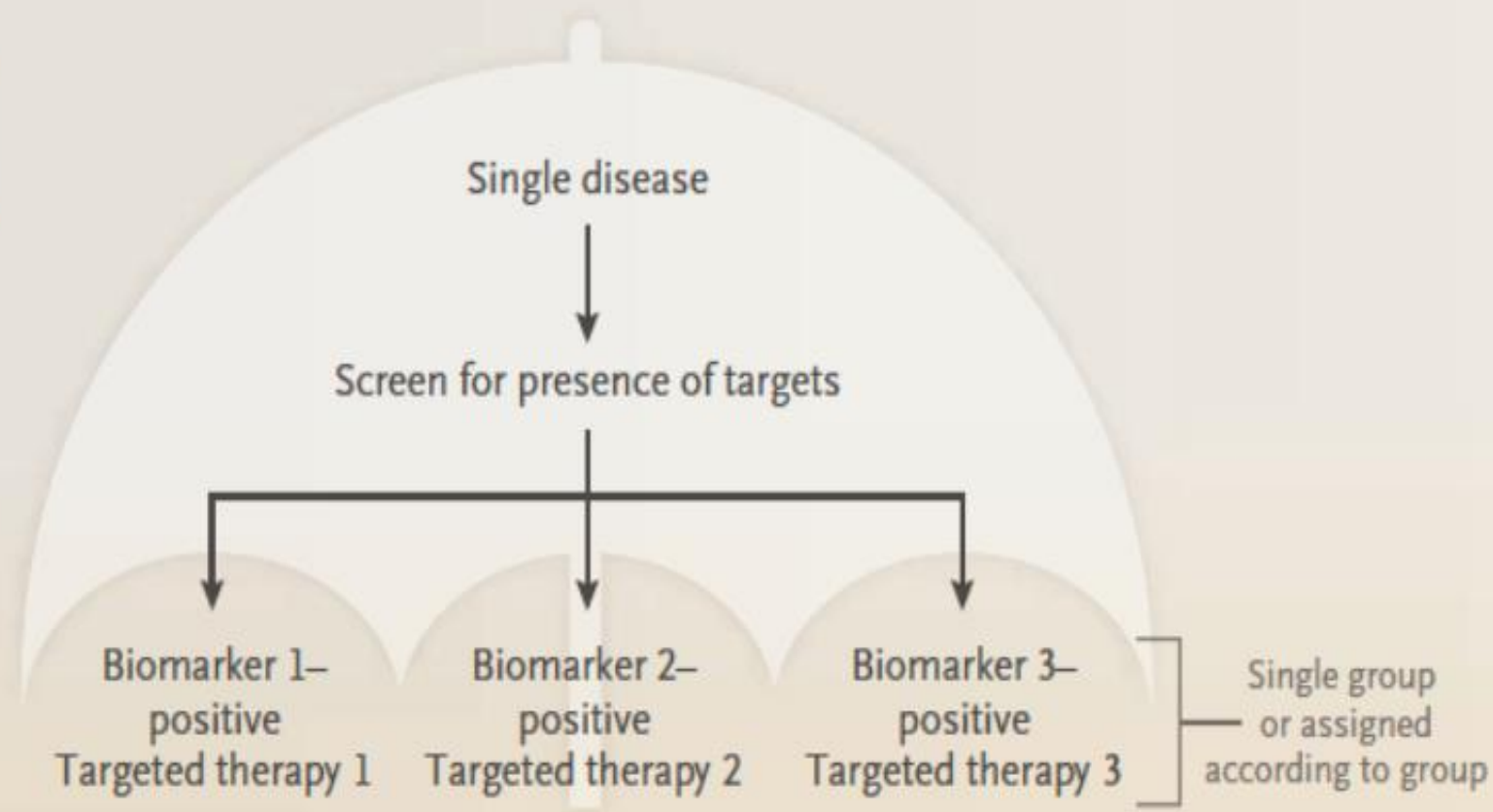
Results	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	P-value
Primary Composite Outcome – no.(%): Time to first occurrence of: 1) CV death; 2) Hospitalization for HF; 3) Urgent visit for HF	512 (16.4)	610 (19.5)	< 0.001
Total # of worsening HF events + Death	815	1057	< 0.001
Death from any cause – no. (%)	497 (15.9)	526 (16.8)	NA
Change in total symptom score of KCCQ at 8 months	Win ratio, 1.11; 95% CI, 1.03-1.21; P=0.009		
Results: Among individuals with heart failure and a mildly reduced or preserved ejection fraction, dapagliflozin reduced the combined risk of worsening heart failure or cardiovascular death.			

Results reflect the data available at the time of presentation.





Umbrella trial



<https://www.cfrjournal.com/video-index/hfa-23-deliver-phase-iii-trial>

<https://pace-cme.org/2019/09/24/cardioprotective-mechanisms-of-sgl2-inhibitors-what-do-cardiologists-need-to-know/>

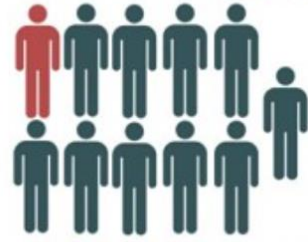
<http://www.nephjc.com/news/dapa-ckd>



International Diabetes Federation

Number of diabetics will rise to **642 million** by 2040

1 in 11 adults have **diabetes**



415 million worldwide

1 in 3 adult diabetics have **chronic kidney disease**



138 million

No current test that can predict diabetic kidney disease

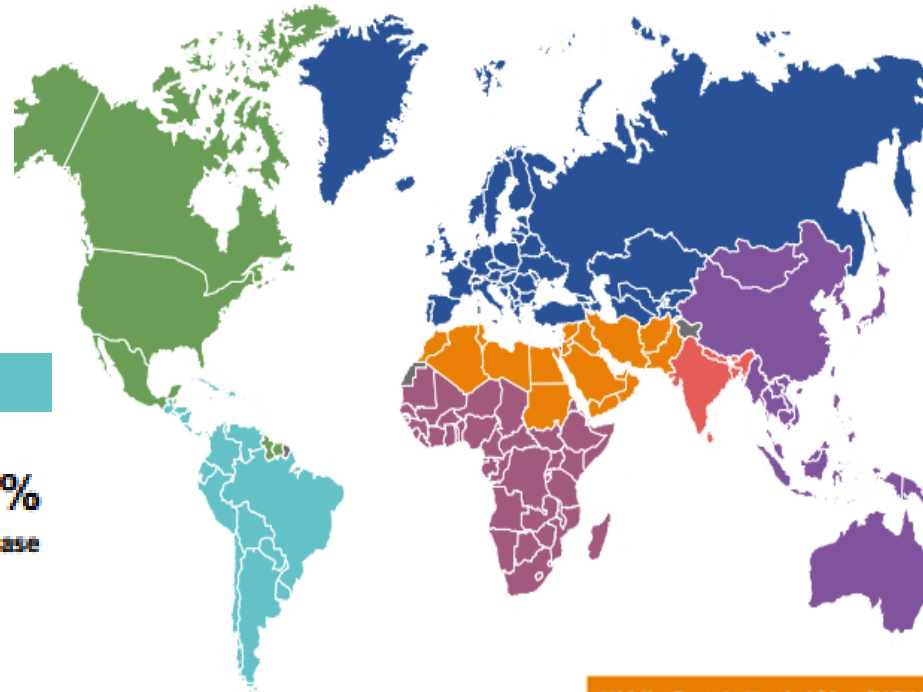
Kidney disease is one of the major complications of diabetes

North America & Caribbean (NAC)

2045	63 million
2030	57 million
2021	51 million



24% increase



Europe (EUR)

2045	69 million
2030	67 million
2021	61 million



13% increase

South-East Asia (SEA)

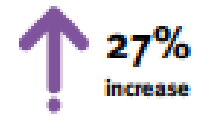
2045	152 million
2030	113 million
2021	90 million



68% increase

Western Pacific (WP)

2045	260 million
2030	238 million
2021	206 million



27% increase

South & Central America (SACA)

2045	49 million
2030	40 million
2021	32 million



50% increase

Africa (AFR)

2045	55 million
2030	33 million
2021	24 million



134% increase

Middle East & North Africa (MENA)

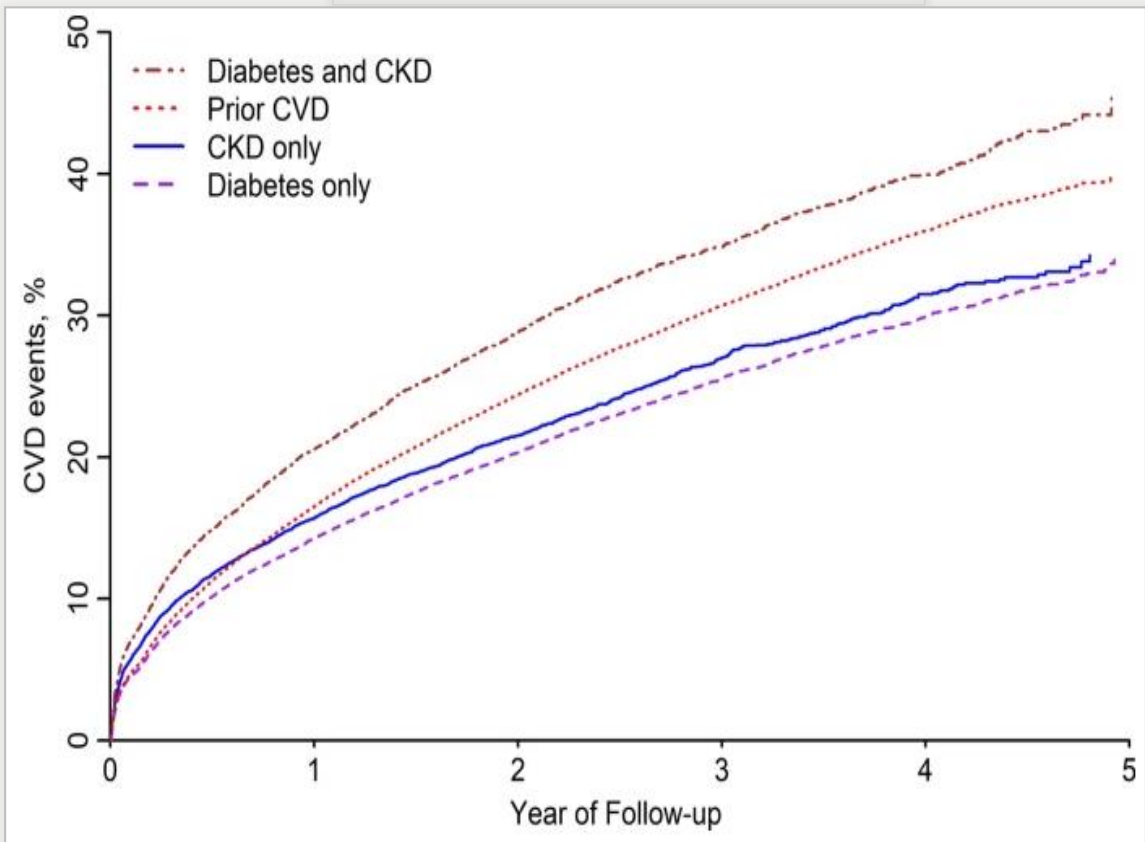
2045	136 million
2030	95 million
2021	73 million



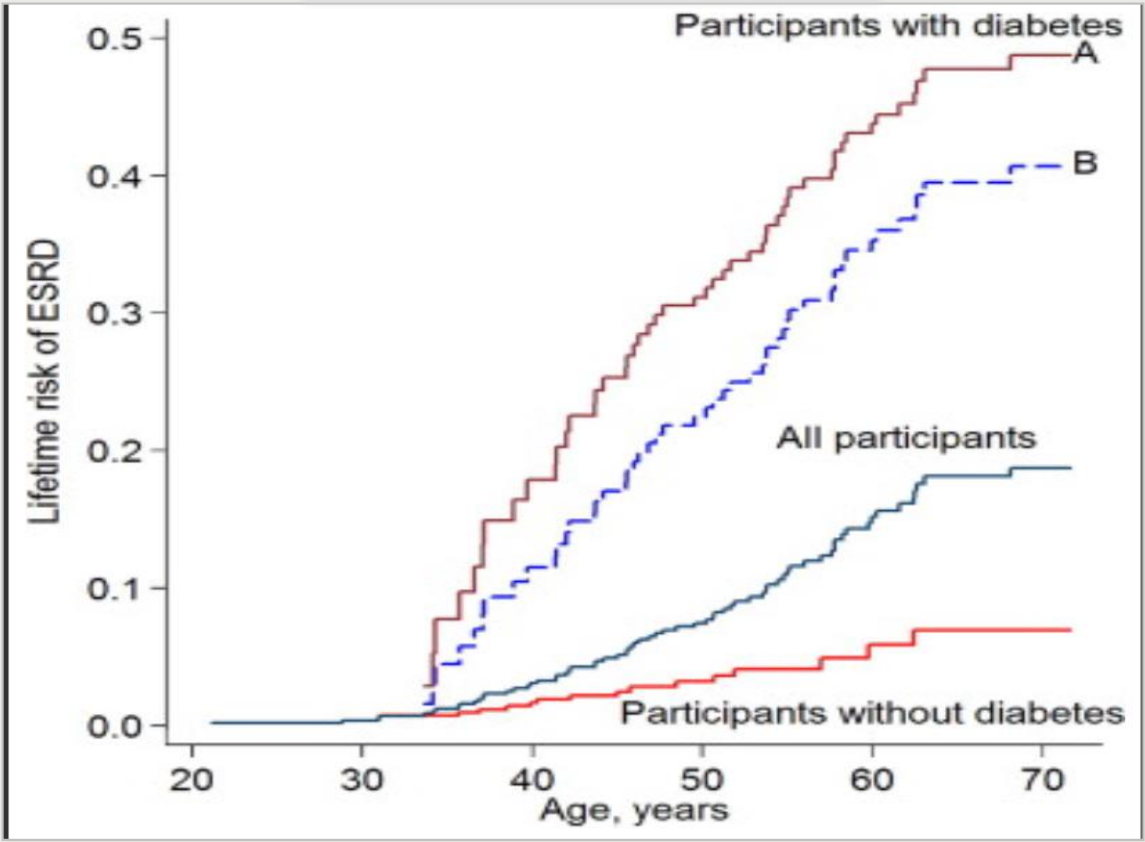
87% increase

Type II DM

↑ 2-3X risk for CVD



↑ 10X risk for ESKD

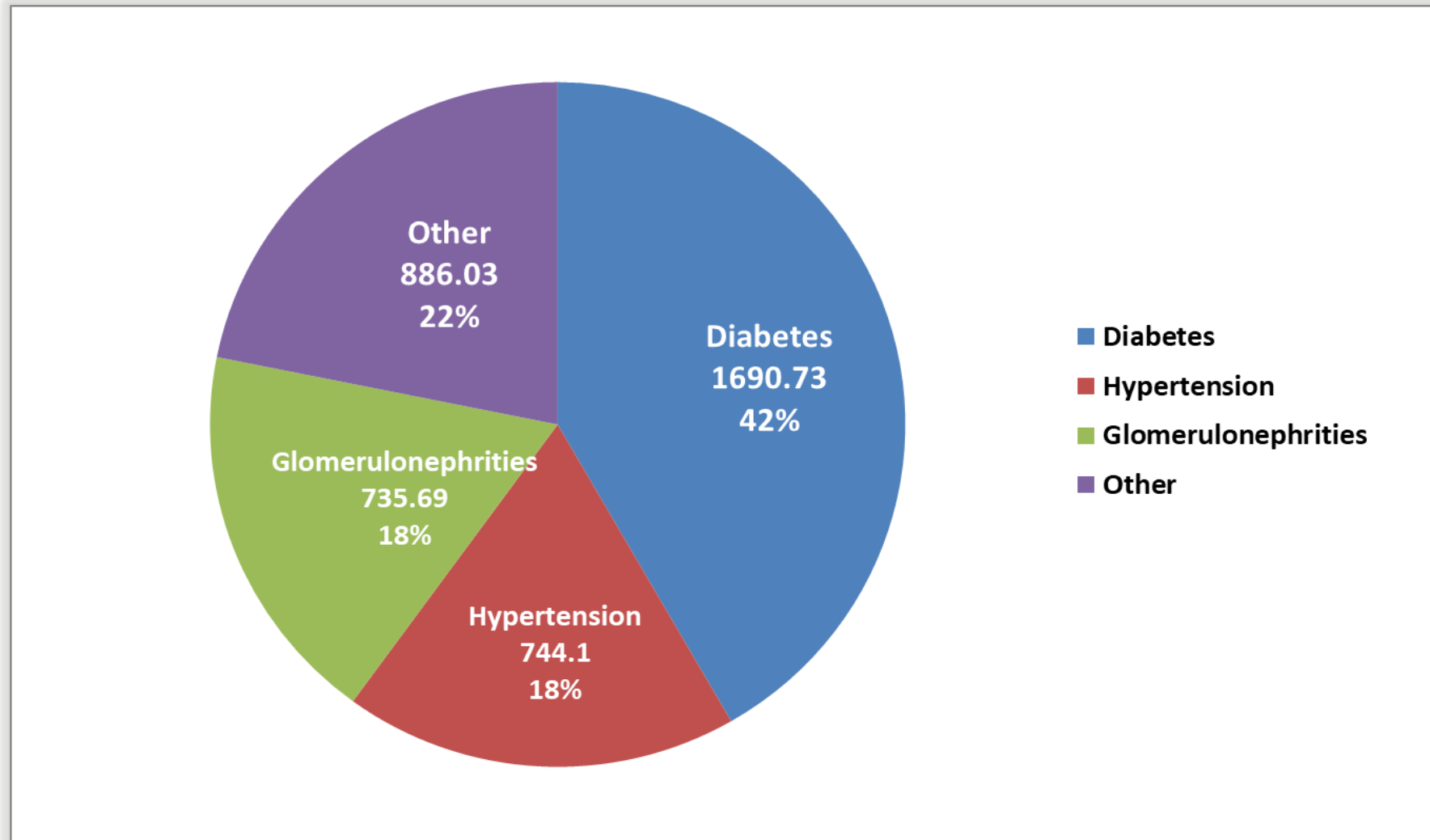


World J Diabetes 2016 October 15; 7(18): 449-461

Cardiovasc Diabetol. 2021 Mar 1;20(1):58

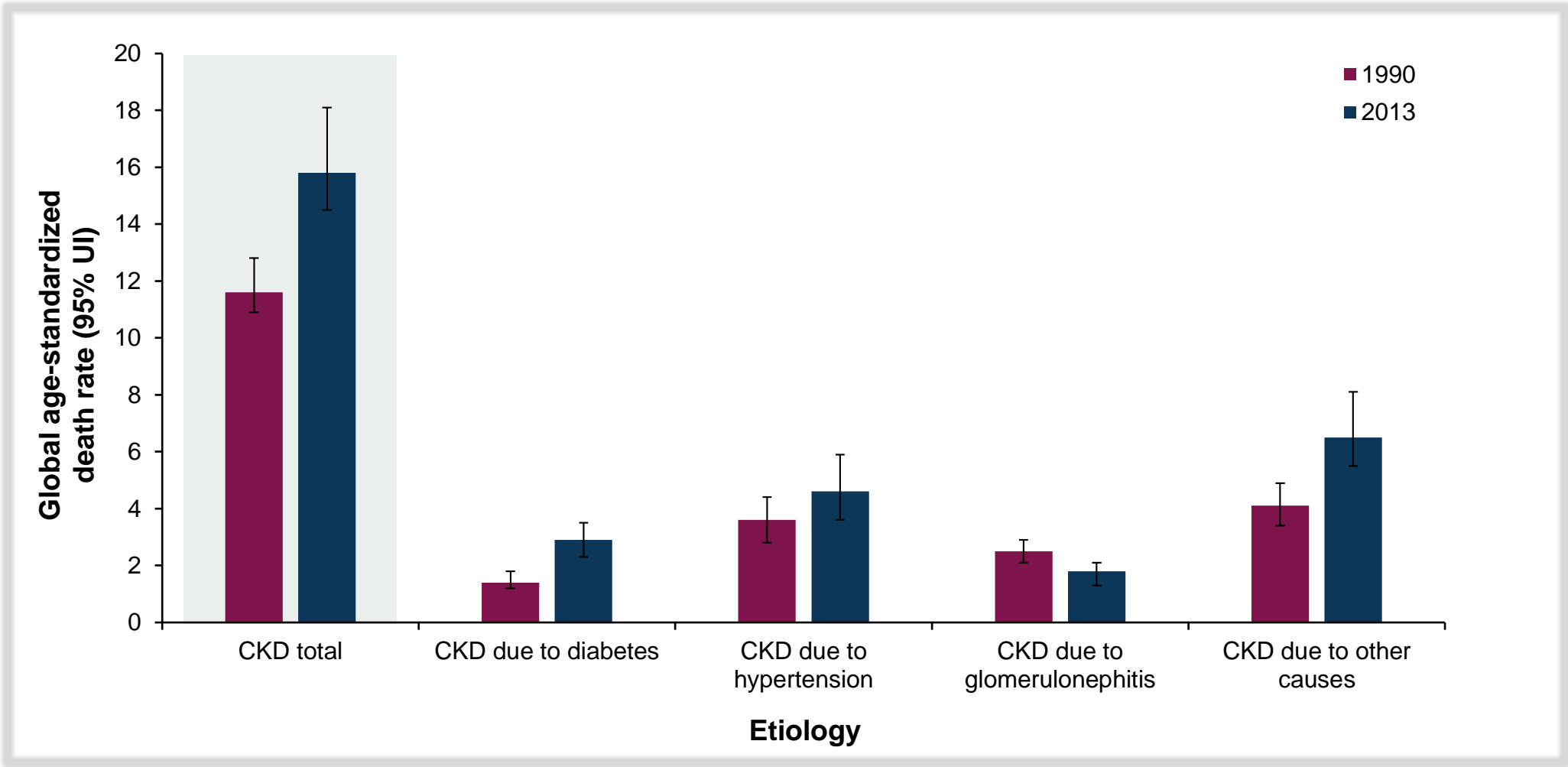
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Age-standardized global prevalence rate of CKD



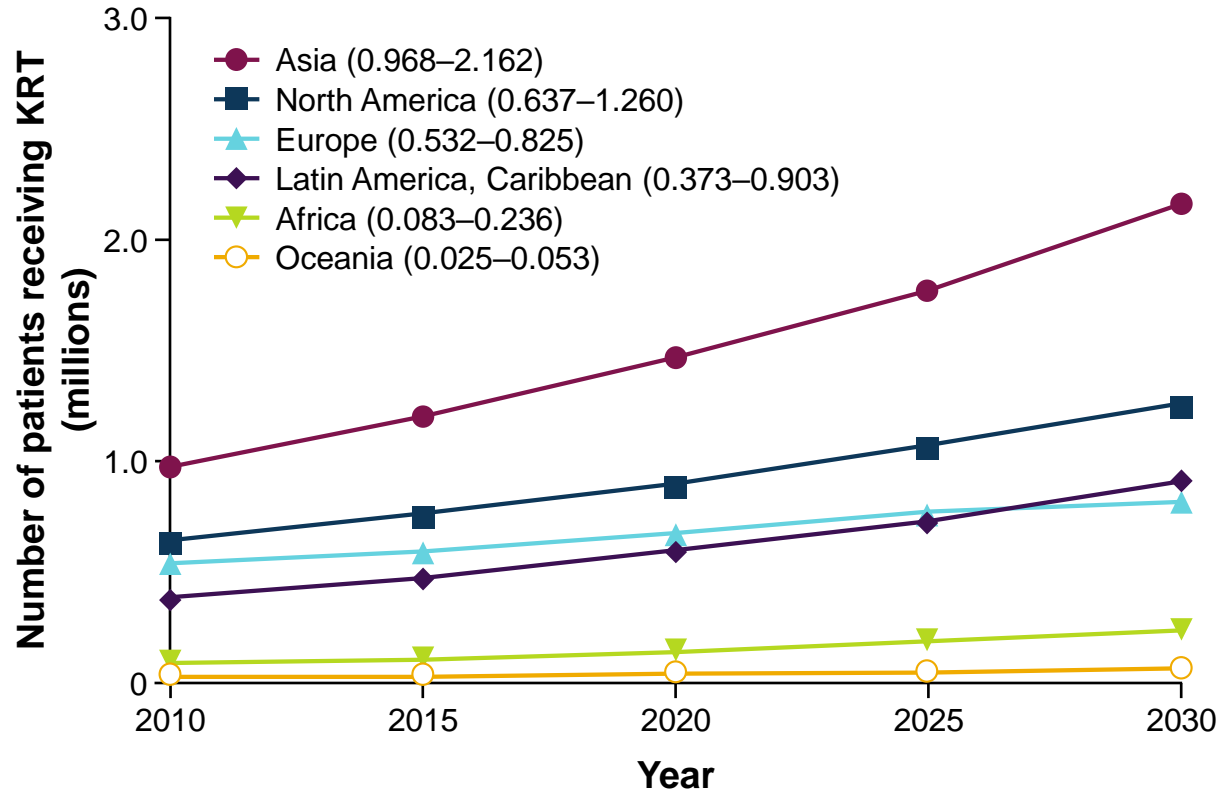
The mortality burden of CKD has been rising since 1990

Change in rate of death due to CKD per 100,000 people from 1990 to 2013



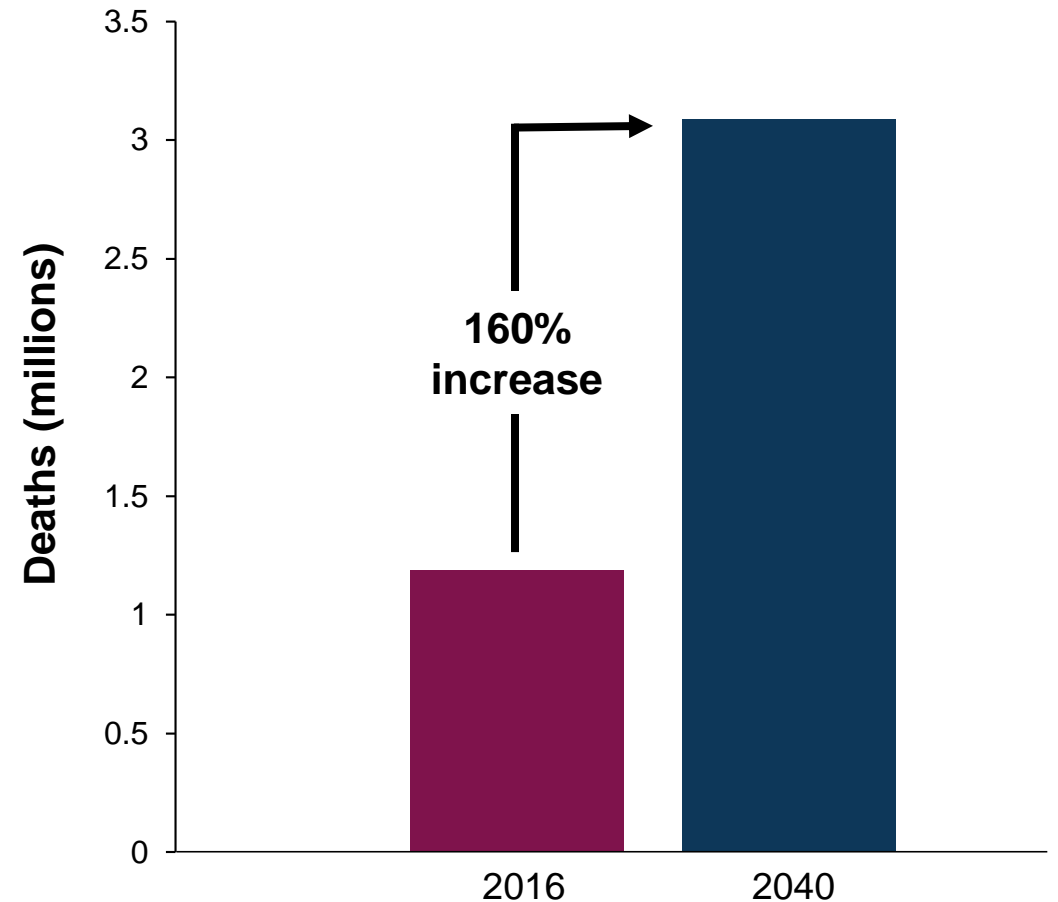
Furthermore, rates of KRT and mortality due to CKD are projected to rise substantially on a global scale

Estimated number of patients undergoing KRT from 2010 to 2030 worldwide¹



The number receiving KRT is estimated to increase to more than 5 million by 2030¹

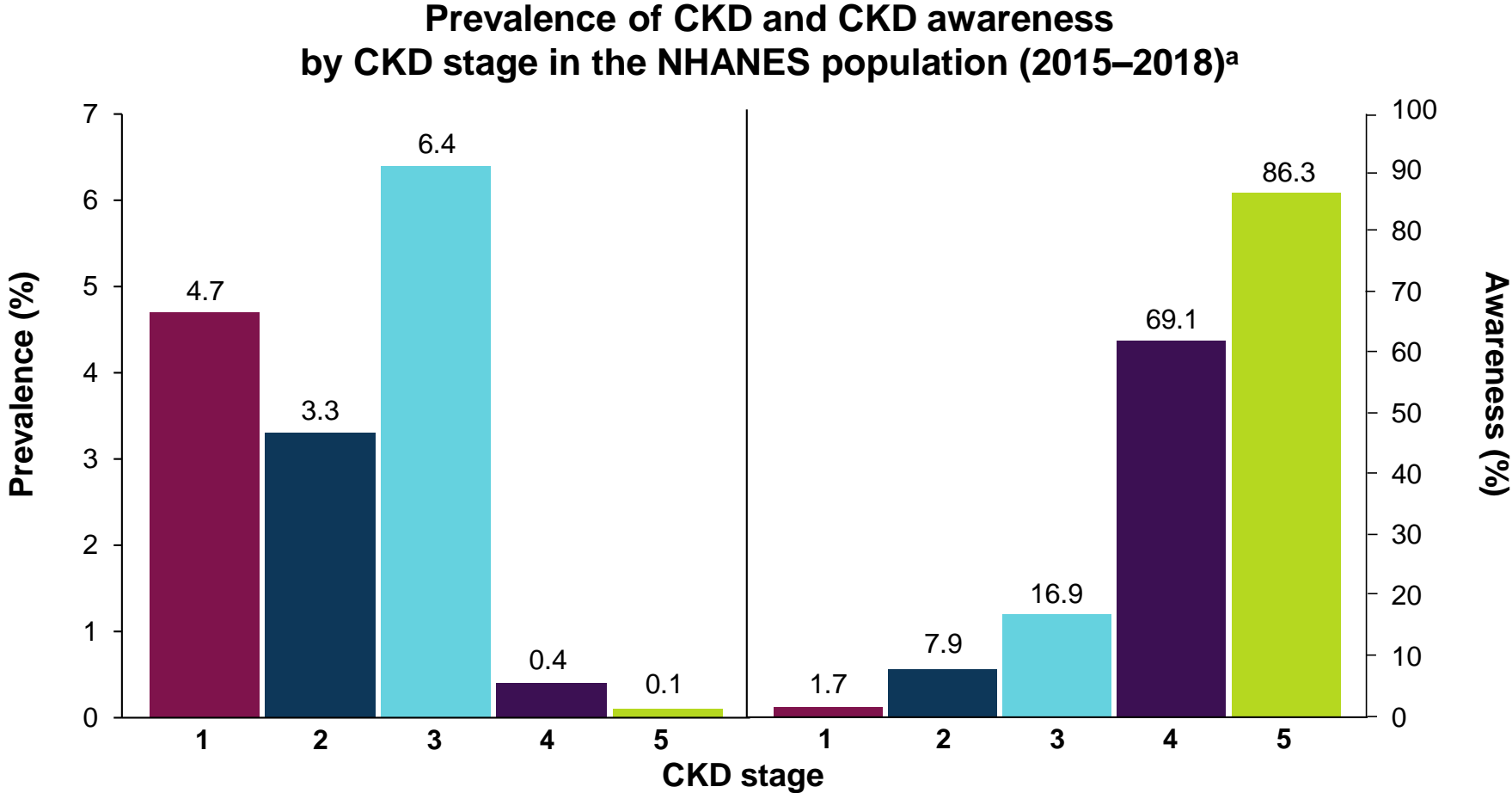
CKD deaths in 2016 and forecast for 2040²



CKD = chronic kidney disease; KRT = kidney replacement therapy.

1. Liyanage T et al. *Lancet*. 2015;385:1975–1982; 2. Foreman KJ et al. *Lancet*. 2018;392:2052–2090.

Among those diagnosed with CKD stages 1–3, the percentage of patients aware of their CKD is low

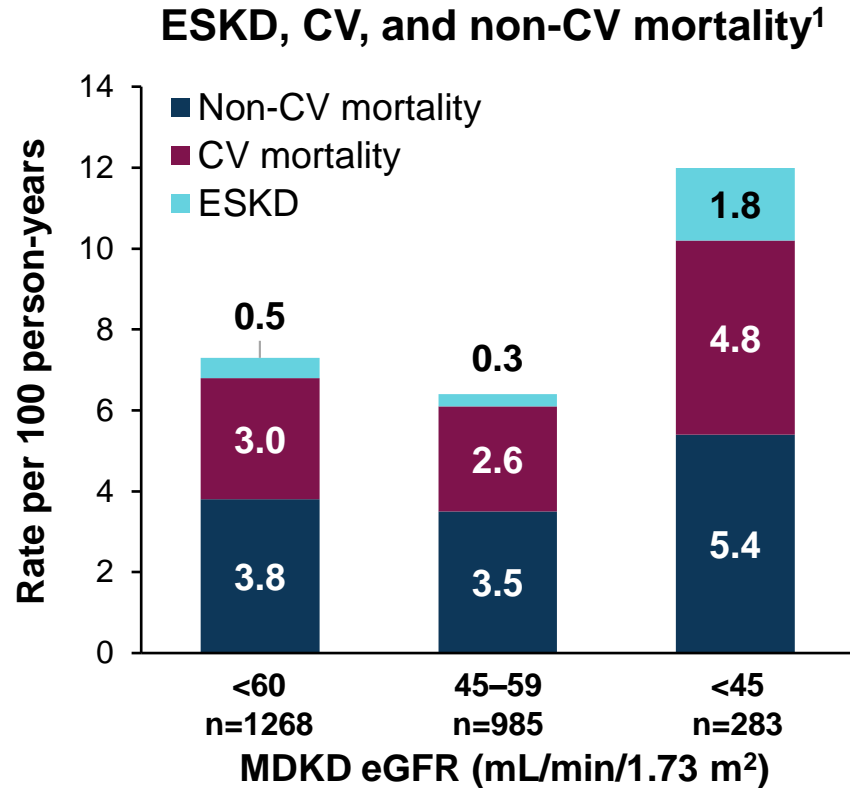


^aAwareness was assessed as those who reported being told that they had kidney disease.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; NHANES = National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey.

USRDS. 2020 Annual data report: CKD in the general population. <https://adr.usrds.org/2020/chronic-kidney-disease/1-ckd-in-the-general-population>.

Death is more likely than progression to ESKD in patients with CKD



Relative risk of CV mortality²
Categorical meta-analysis^a

Increasing kidney damage →

	ACR <10	ACR 10-29	ACR 30-299	ACR ≥300
eGFR > 105	0.9	1.3	2.3	2.1
eGFR 90-105	Ref ^b	1.5	1.7	3.7
eGFR 75-90	1.0	1.3	1.6	3.7
eGFR 60-75	1.1	1.4	2.0	4.1
eGFR 45-60	1.5	2.2	2.8	4.3
eGFR 30-45	2.2	2.7	3.4	5.2
eGFR 15-30	14	7.9	4.8	8.1

↓ Decreasing kidney function ↓

Leading causes of death in CKD:³

- CV events
- non-CV causes (e.g. cancer, infection)

Kidney decline is associated with increased risk of CV mortality

^aEach cell represents a pooled RR from a meta-analysis, colors reflect the ranking of adjusted RR. Bold numbers indicate statistical significance ($p < 0.05$); ^bIncidence rate of 4.5/1000 person-years. Results are adjusted for covariates and compared to the reference cell.

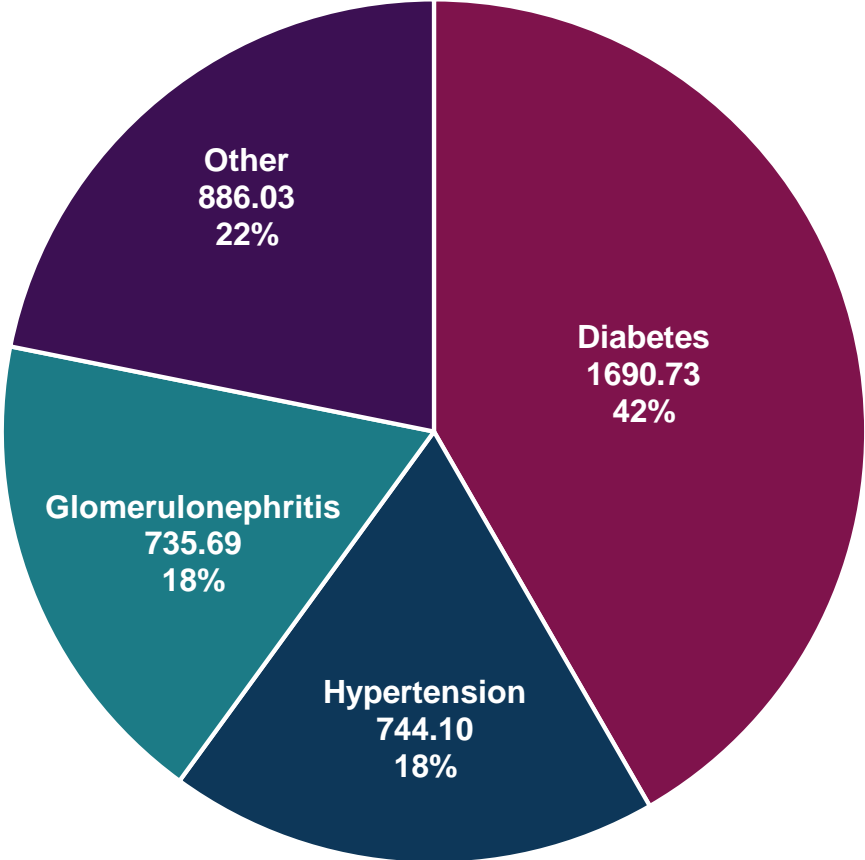
ACR = albumin:creatinine ratio; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; MDKD = modified diet in kidney disease; RR = risk reduction.

1. Dalrymple LS et al. *J Gen Intern Med.* 2010;26:379-385; 2. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int Suppl.* 2013;3:1-150; 3. Thompson S et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2015;26:2504-2511.

Disease pathology and progression

The causes of CKD are diverse, with diabetes and hypertension responsible for more than half of all cases

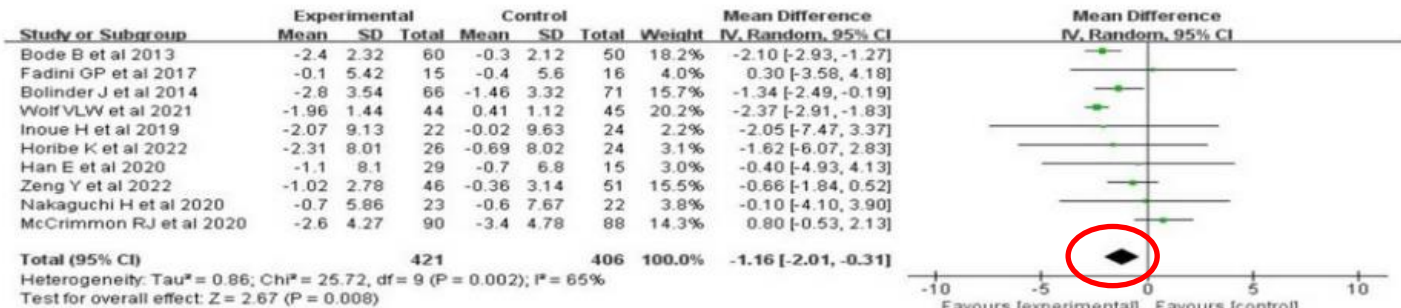
Age-standardized global prevalence rate of CKD by cause per 100,000 persons in 2016



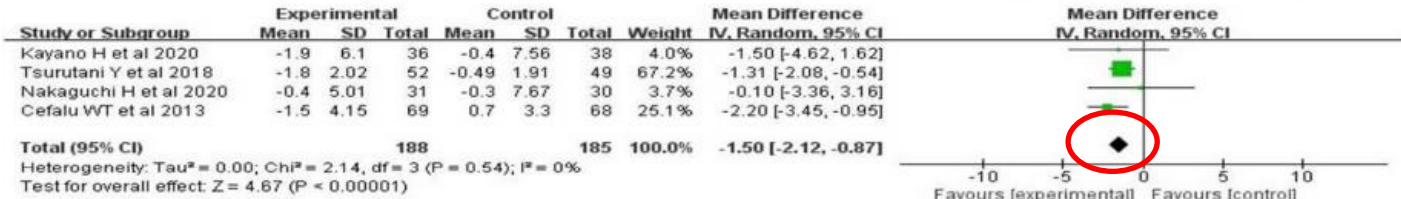
CKD = chronic kidney disease.
Xie Y et al. *Kidney Int.* 2018;94:567–581.

Effect of SGLT-2 inhibitors on body composition in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus: A meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials

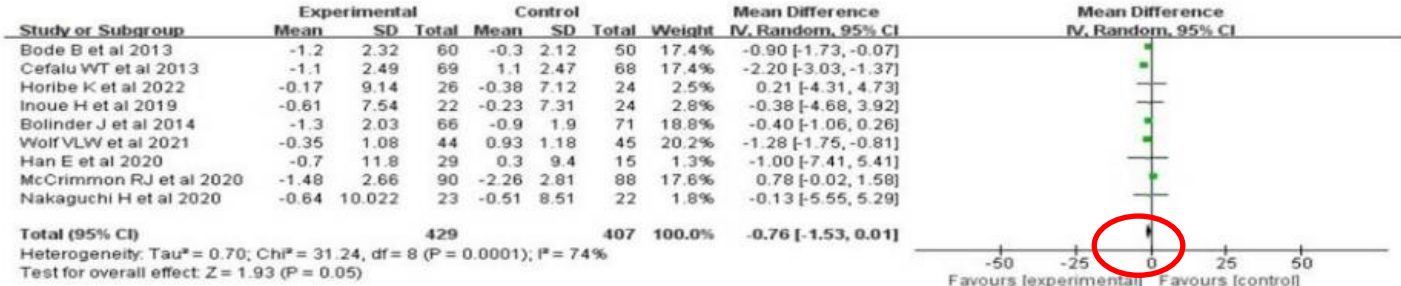
- 18 RTCs
- 1430 participants



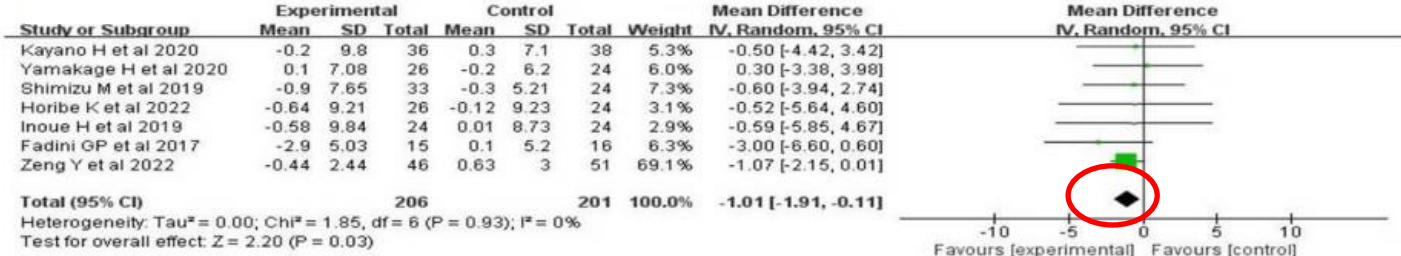
Fat mass



Percentage body fat



Lean mass

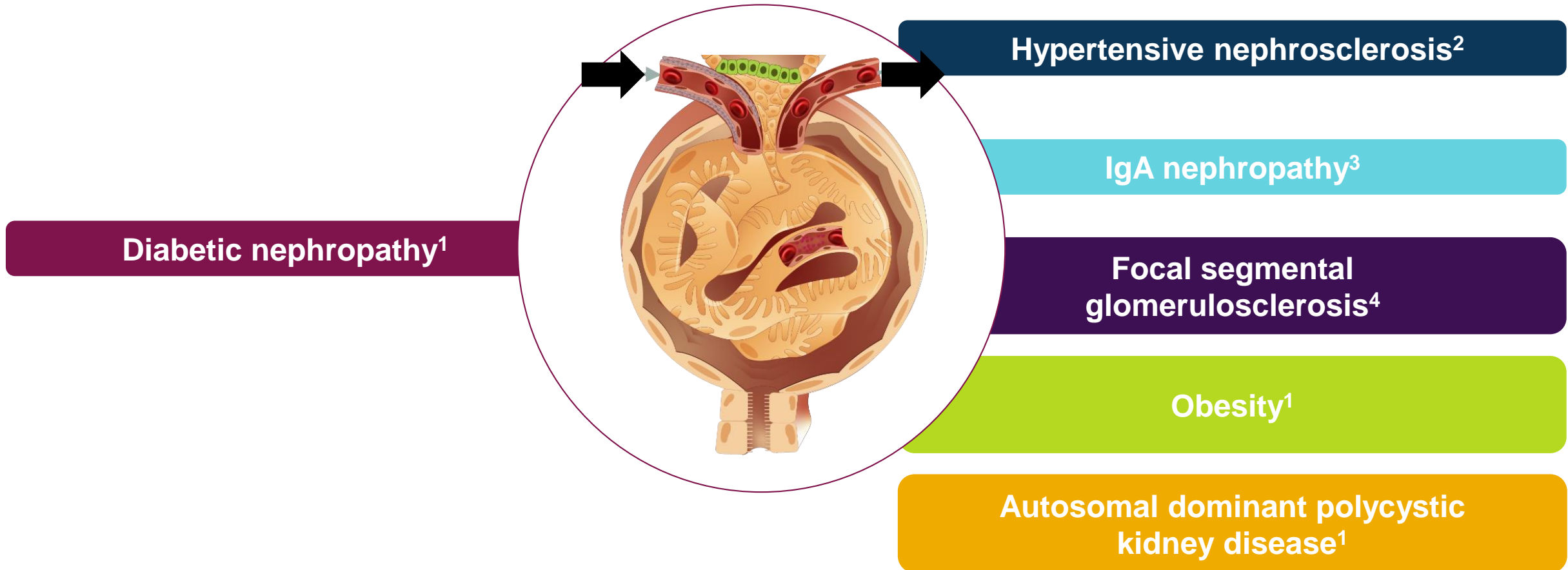


Skeletal muscle mass (→the risk of sarcopenia)

Kidney hyperfiltration is a common feature and driver of disease progression across CKD etiologies

Diabetes

Nondiabetes

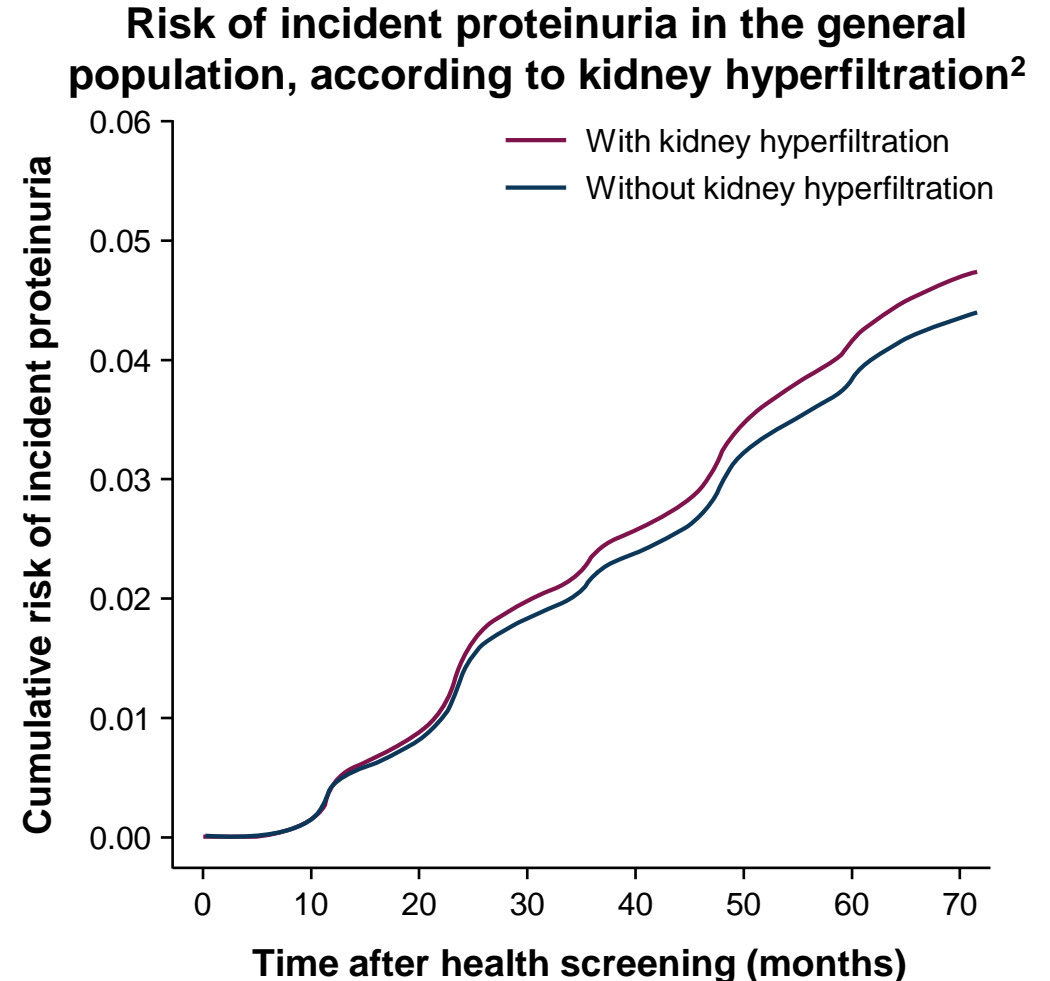
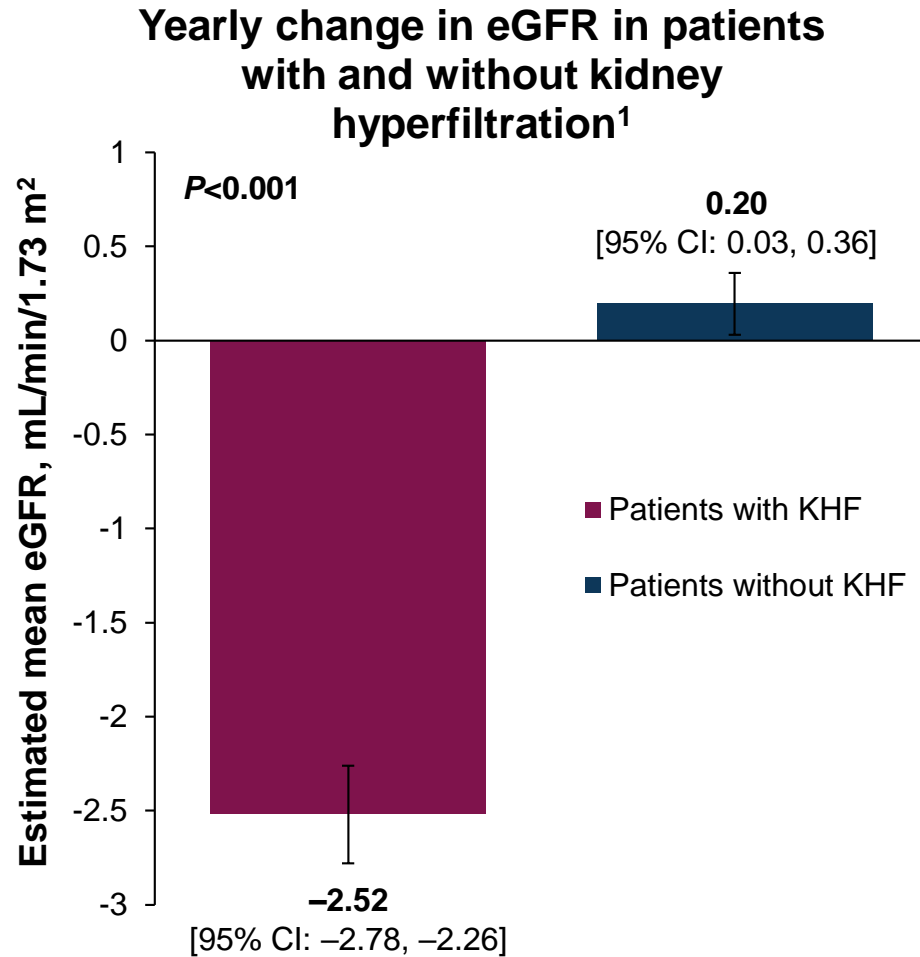


CKD = chronic kidney disease; FSGS = focal segmental glomerulosclerosis; IgA = immunoglobulin A.

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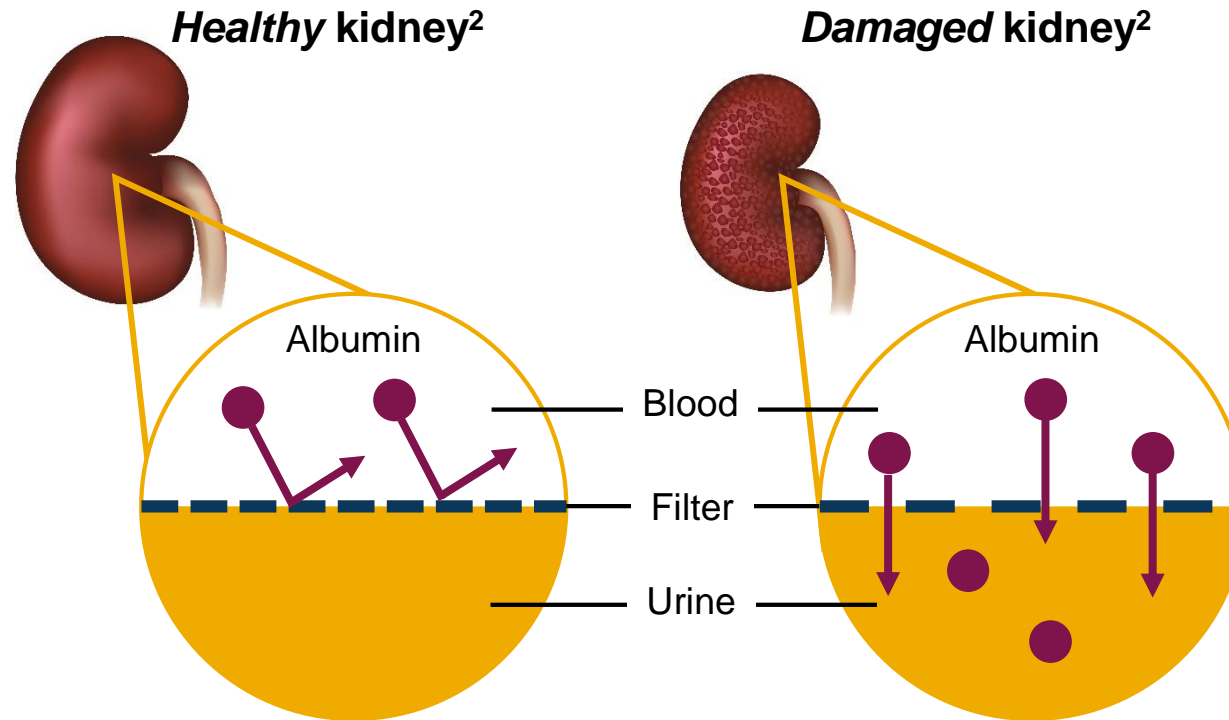
Kidney hyperfiltration drives eGFR decline and increases the risk of proteinuria



CI = confidence interval; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; KHF = kidney hyperfiltration.

1. Park M et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2015;26:1426–1433; 2. Lee SM et al. *PLoS One.* 2018;13:e0195784.

Damage to the glomerular filtration barrier leads to development of albuminuria¹



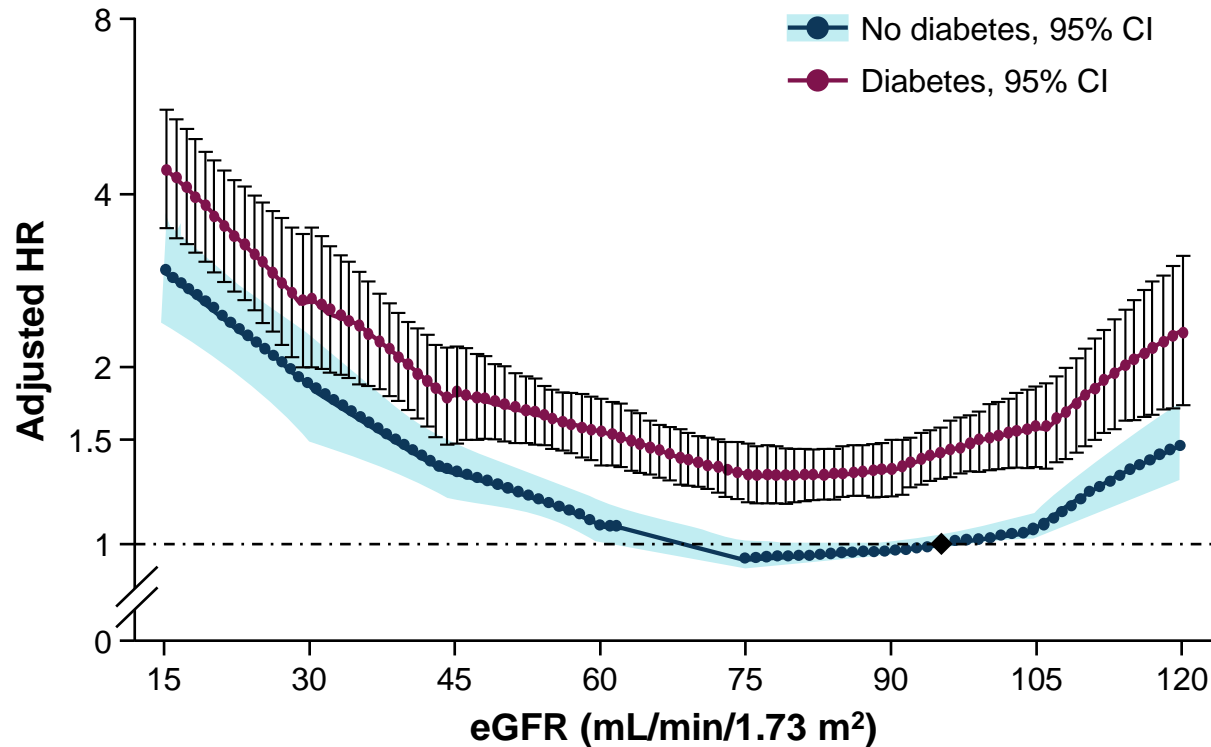
Albuminuria is a dynamic and fluctuating condition that may precede macroalbuminuria with structural changes^{3,4}

CKD = chronic kidney disease.

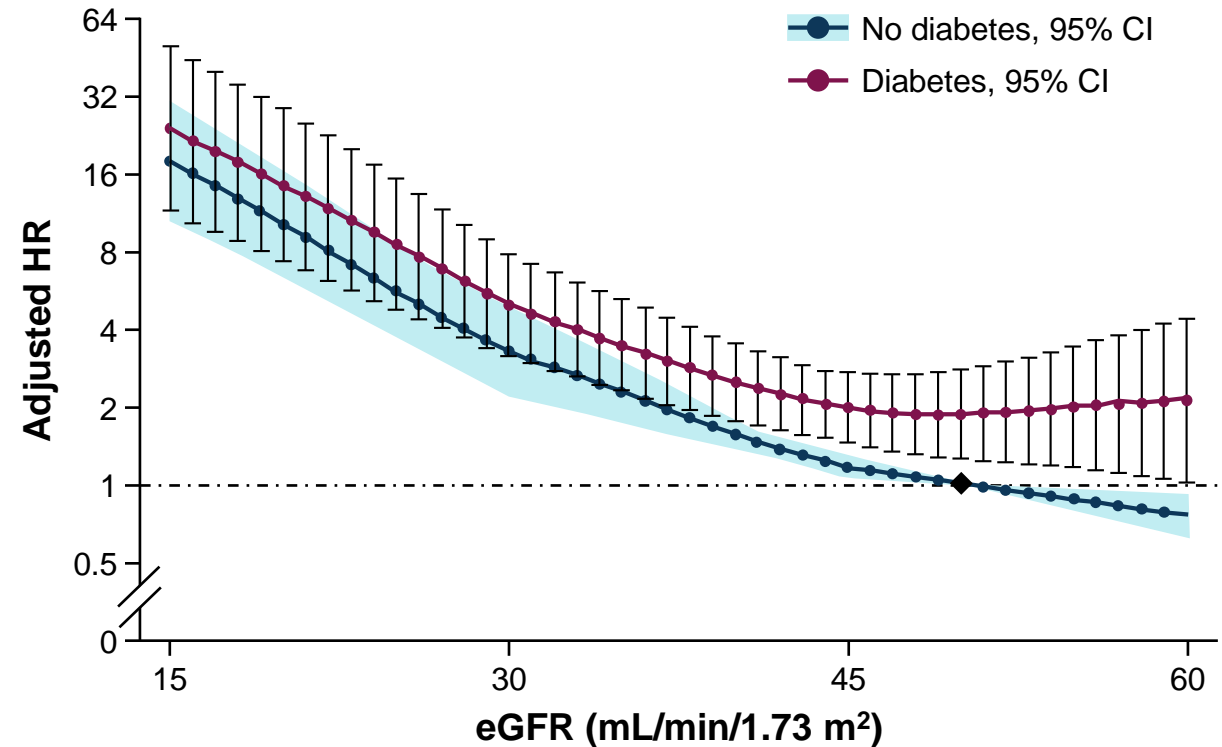
1. D'Amico G et al. *Kidney Int.* 2003;63:809–825; 2. Adapted from National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases. <https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/kidney-disease/chronic-kidney-disease-ckd/tests-diagnosis/albuminuria-albumin-urine>; 3. Gaede P et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2004;19:2784–2788; 4. Looker HC et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2019;30:1049–1059.

Declining eGFR is associated with an increased risk of progression to ESKD and mortality

Risk of all-cause mortality according to eGFR in individuals with and without diabetes^{a-c}



Risk of ESKD according to baseline eGFR in individuals with and without diabetes^{b-d}

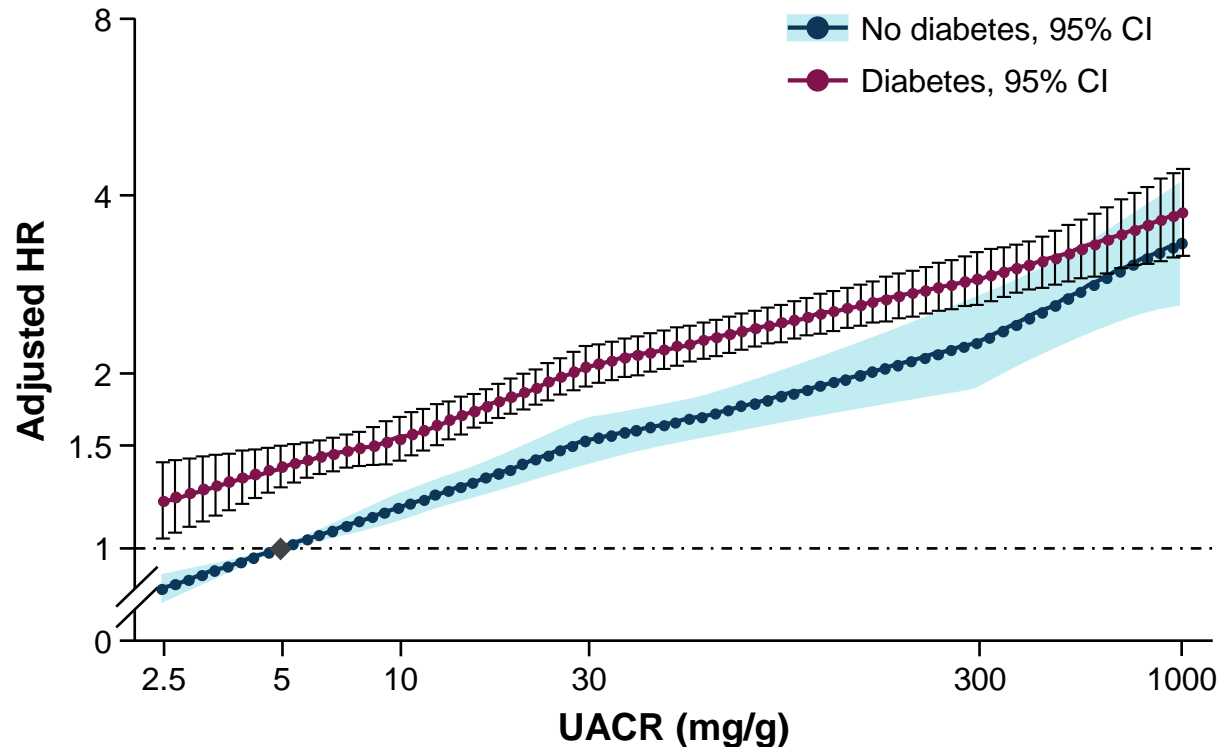


^aReference point: (diamond, eGFR of 95 mL/min/1.73 m² in the no diabetes group) for both individuals with and without diabetes to show the main effect of diabetes on risk; ^bHRs were adjusted for age, sex, race, smoking, history of CVD, serum total cholesterol concentration, BMI, and albuminuria (log UACR, log UPCR, or categorical dipstick proteinuria [negative, trace, 1+, ≥2+]); ^cBlue and purple circles denote $P < 0.05$ as compared with the reference (diamond); ^deGFR of 50 mL/min/1.73 m² used as the reference point (diamond) in diabetes and no diabetes groups.

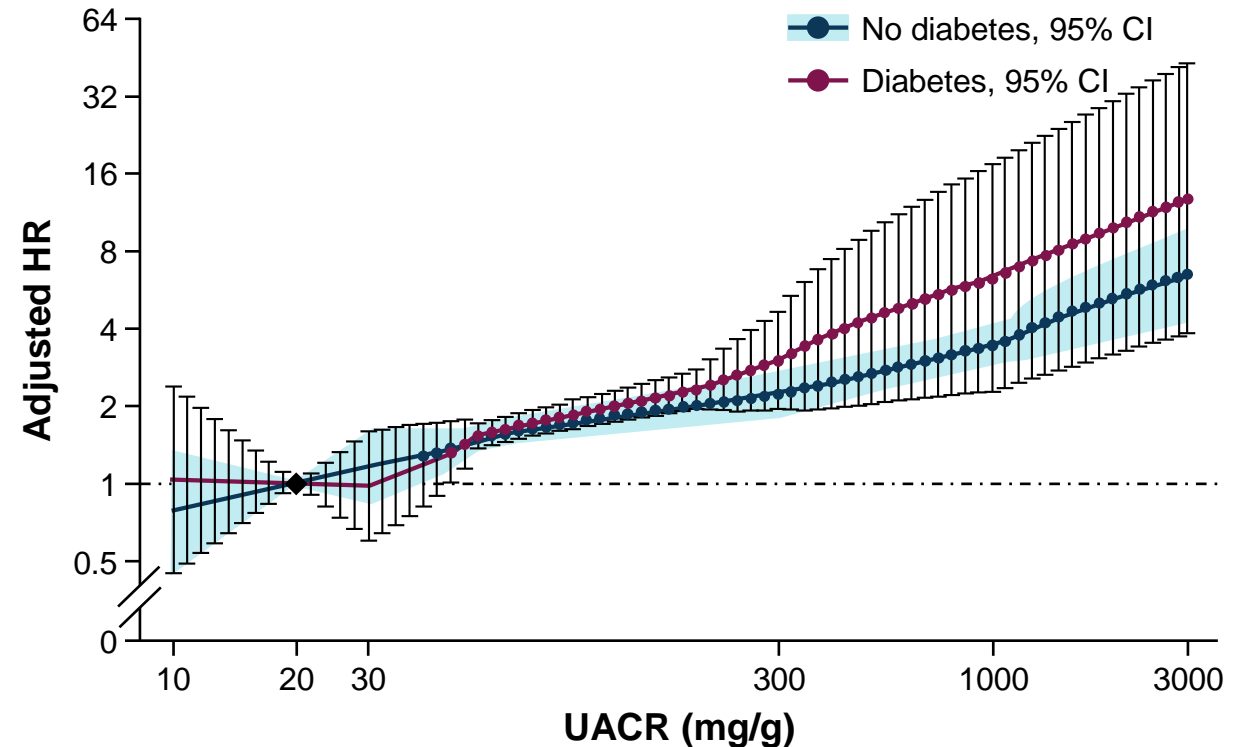
BMI = body mass index; CI = confidence interval; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HR = hazard ratio; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio; UPCR = urine protein:creatinine ratio.

...which is also the case with albuminuria

Risk of all-cause mortality according to UACR in individuals with and without diabetes^{a-c}



Risk for ESKD in populations with CKD, stratified by UACR and diabetes status^{b-e}



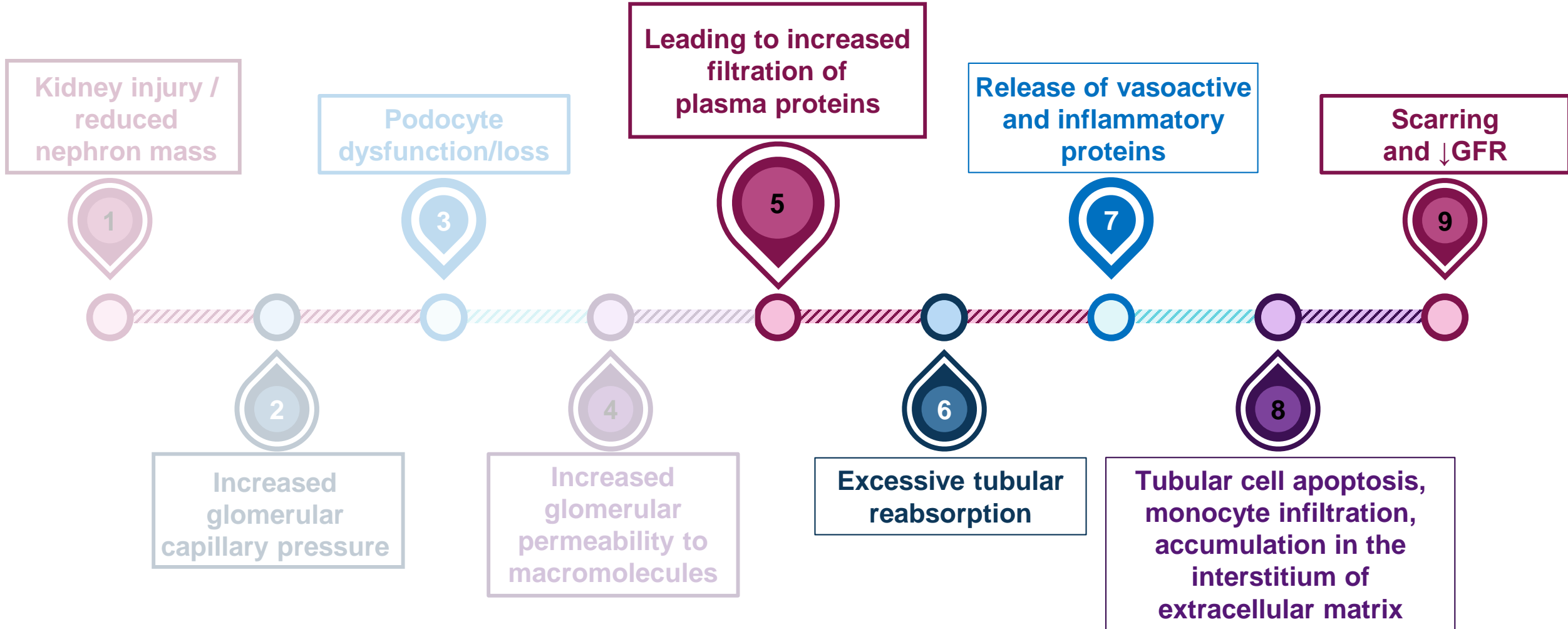
^aReference point (diamond) is UACR of 5 mg/g in the no diabetes group, for both individuals with and without hypertension, to show the main effect of diabetes on risk; ^bHRs were adjusted for age, sex, race, smoking, history of CVD, serum total cholesterol concentration, BMI, and eGFR; ^cBlue and purple circles denote $P < 0.05$ as compared with the reference (diamond); ^dCKD defined as eGFR of < 60 mL/min/1.73 m²; ^eReference point (diamond) is UACR of 20 mg/g.

BMI = body mass index; CI = confidence interval; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HR = hazard ratio; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

Proteinuria plays a crucial pathogenic role in the loss of kidney function and also serves as a marker of kidney damage

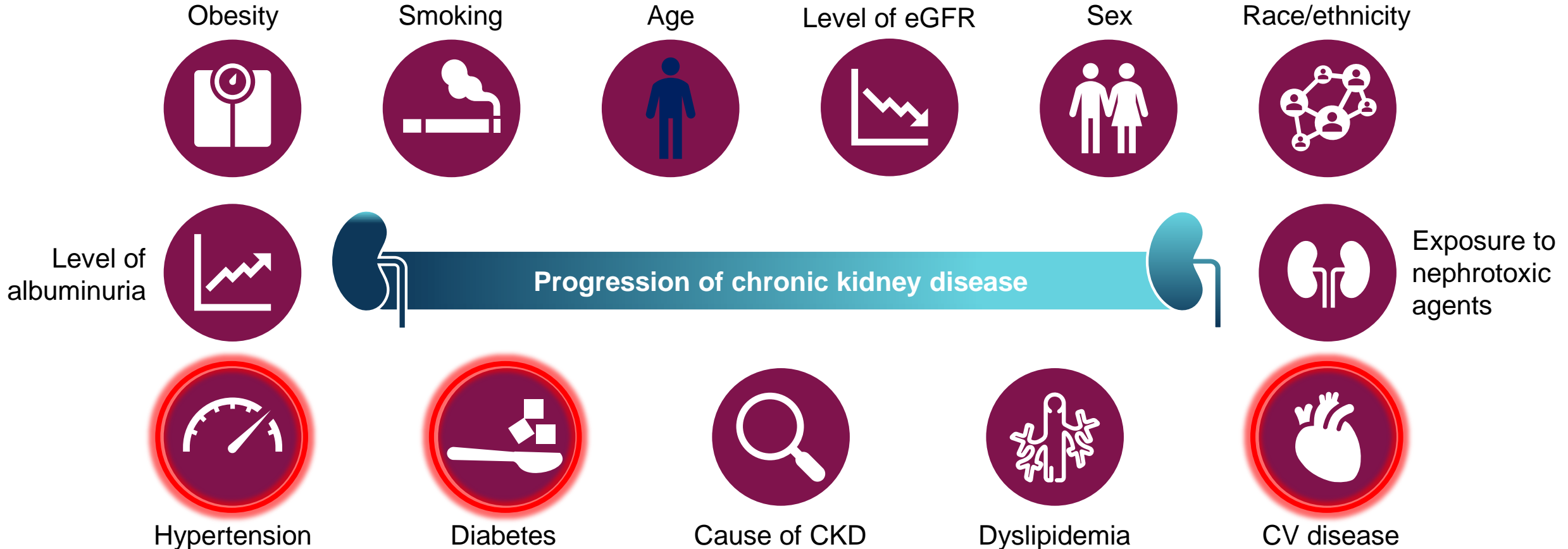
Proteinuria is a marker of kidney damage

Proteinuria is a driver of kidney decline



GFR = glomerular filtration rate.

Nonetheless, multiple factors affect the progression of kidney disease¹



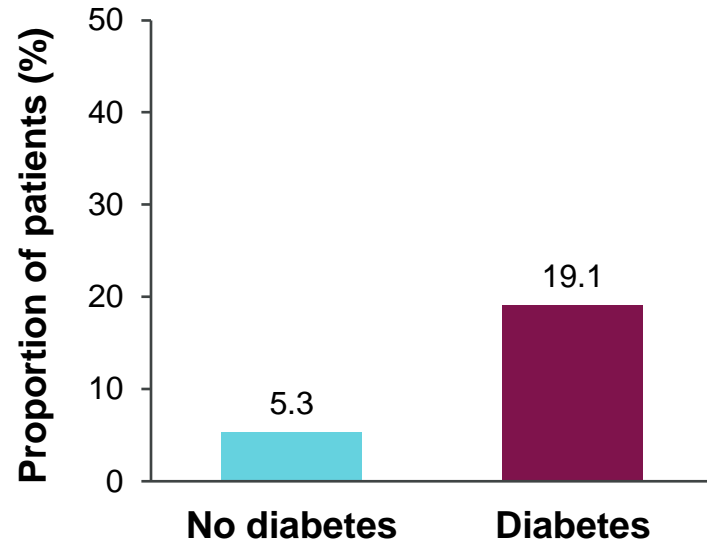
Screening for CKD in persons with hypertension, diabetes, or CVD should be prioritized and screening for CKD in other high-risk individuals should be individualized based on comorbidities, environmental exposures, or genetic risk factors²

CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate.

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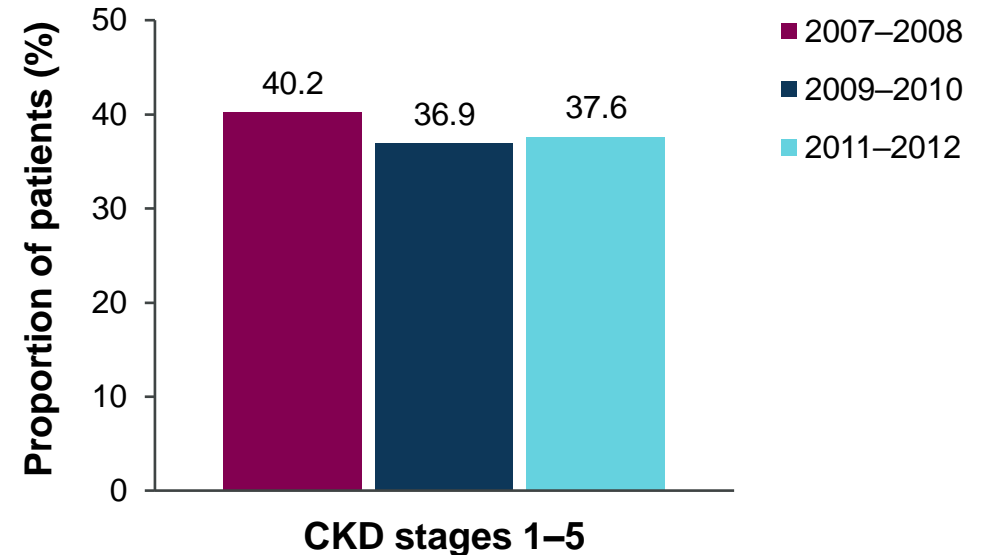
Diabetes is a strong risk factor for CKD

Prevalence of CKD stages 3–4^a
2011–2012



Prevalence of CKD is **three times higher** in patients with diabetes¹

Prevalence of CKD stages 1–5 in patients with T2D^b
2007–2012



The prevalence of CKD in patients with T2D has been **consistent over time**²

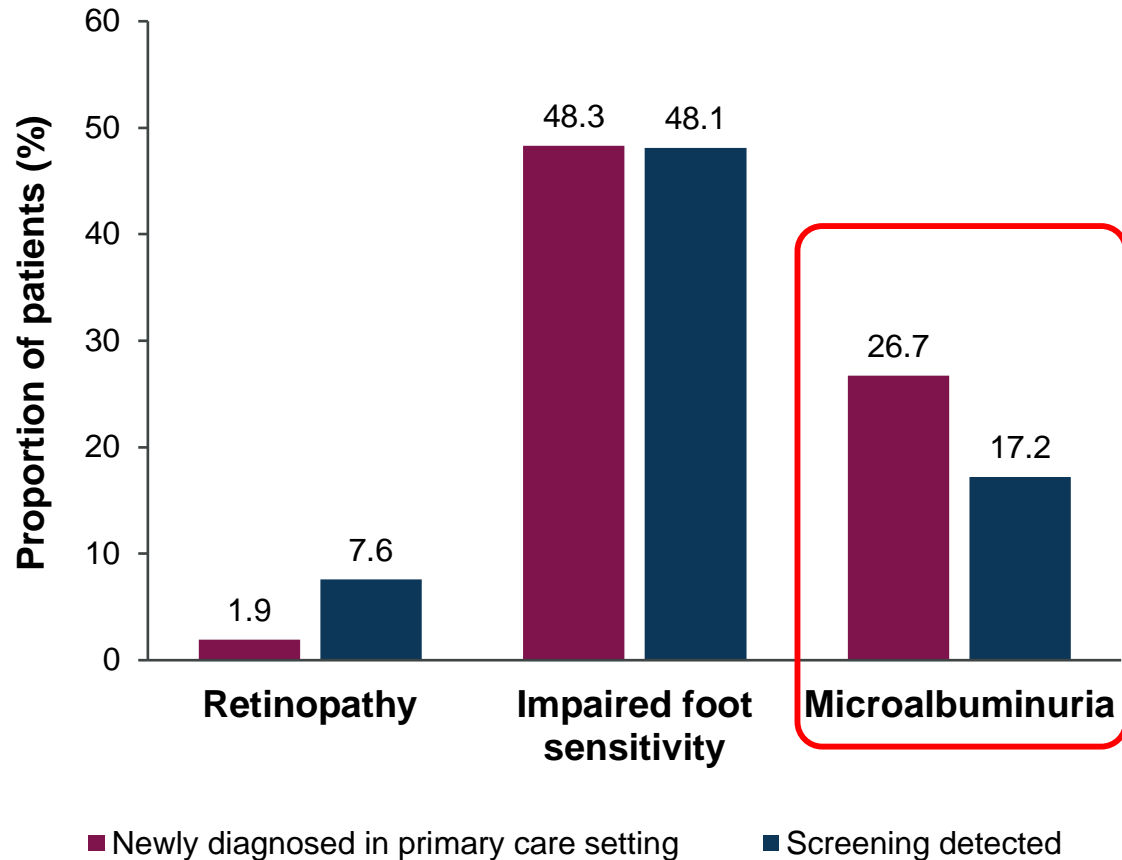
^aCKD was defined as eGFR of 15–59 mL/min/1.73 m² (stages 3–4); ^bCKD stages were defined as: stage 1, eGFR ≥90 mL/min/1.73 m² and UACR ≥30 mg/g; stage 2, eGFR 60–89 mL/min/1.73 m² and UACR ≥30 mg/g; stage 3a, eGFR 45–59 mL/min/1.73 m²; stage 3b, eGFR 30–44 mL/min/1.73 m²; stage 4, eGFR 15–29 mL/min/1.73 m²; stage 5, eGFR <15 mL/min/1.73 m².

CKD = chronic kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

1. Murphy D et al. *Ann Intern Med.* 2016;165:473–481; 2. Wu B et al. *BMJ Open Diabetes Res Care.* 2016;4:e000154.

Kidney complications occur early in T2D, highlighting the need for early management of kidney risk

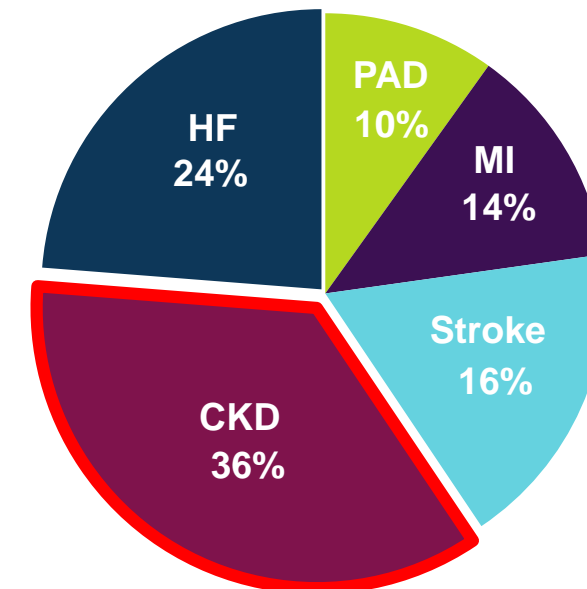
Prevalence of microvascular complications at time of T2D diagnosis¹



First comorbidity identified in CV-free patients with T2D²

137,081 patients (18% of total CV-free patient population)^a

Mean follow-up: 4.5 years



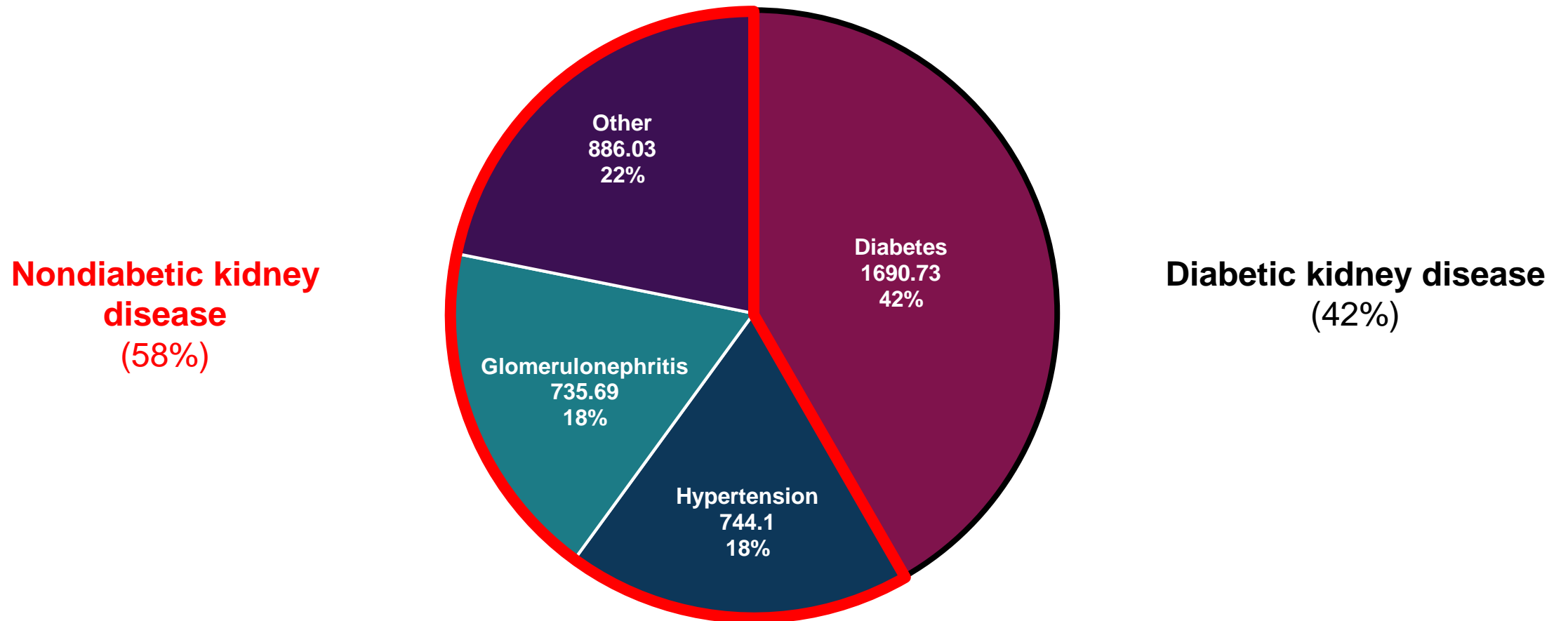
^aRetrospective analysis of data from >1.1 million patients with T2D including population data from England and the Netherlands, claims data from Germany and Japan, and full population data from Norway and Sweden.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; HF = heart failure; MI = myocardial infarction; PAD = peripheral artery disease; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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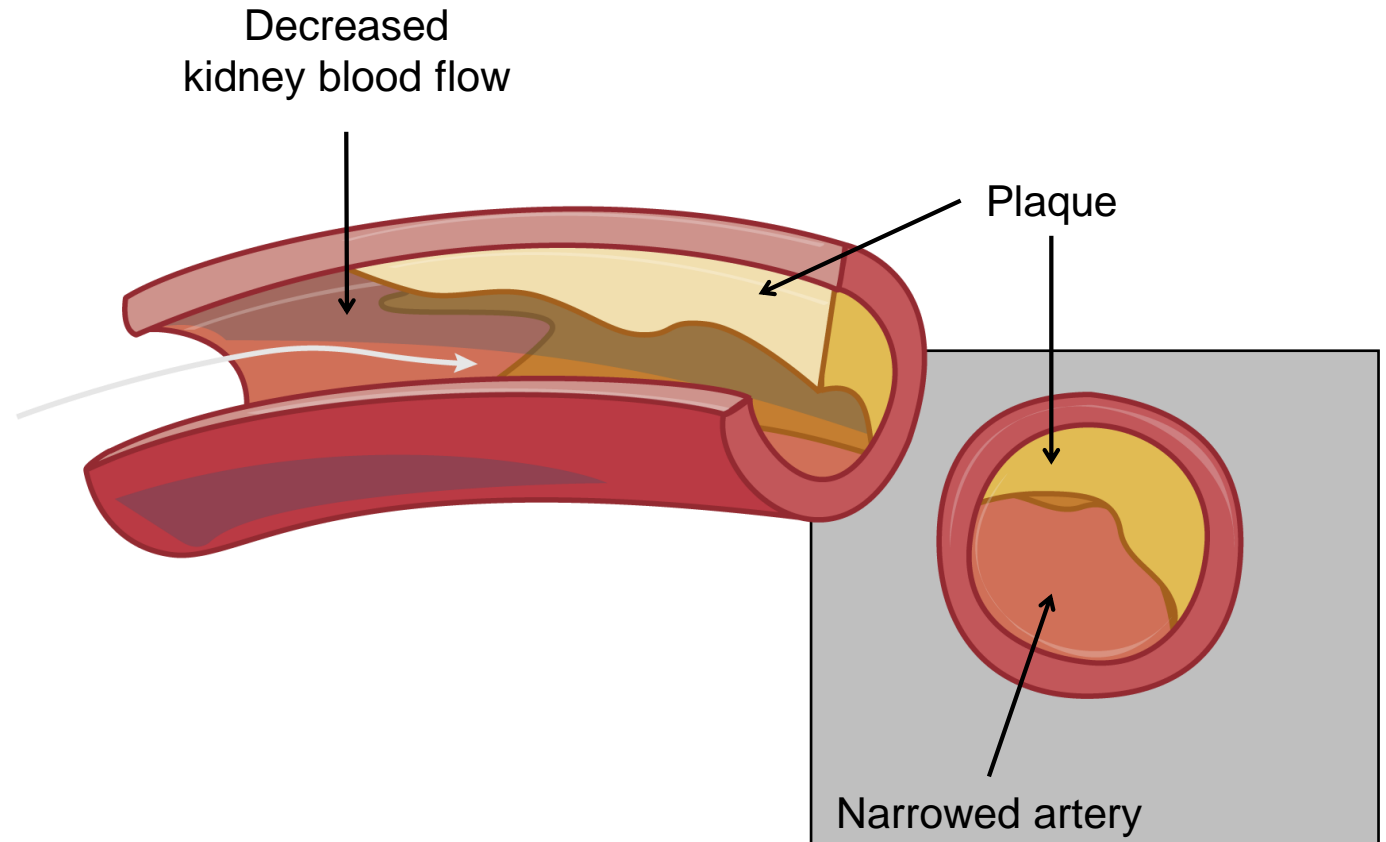
Nonetheless, the majority of CKD cases are nondiabetic

Age-standardized global prevalence rate of CKD
by cause per 100,000 persons in 2016



Hypertensive/ischemic CKD manifests following dysfunction in large vessels

- Namely kidney artery stenosis – involves the narrowing of kidney arteries, usually due to atherosclerosis¹
- Kidney artery stenosis results in reduction of kidney blood flow and GFR, and causes secondary hypertension via activation of RAAS^{1,2}

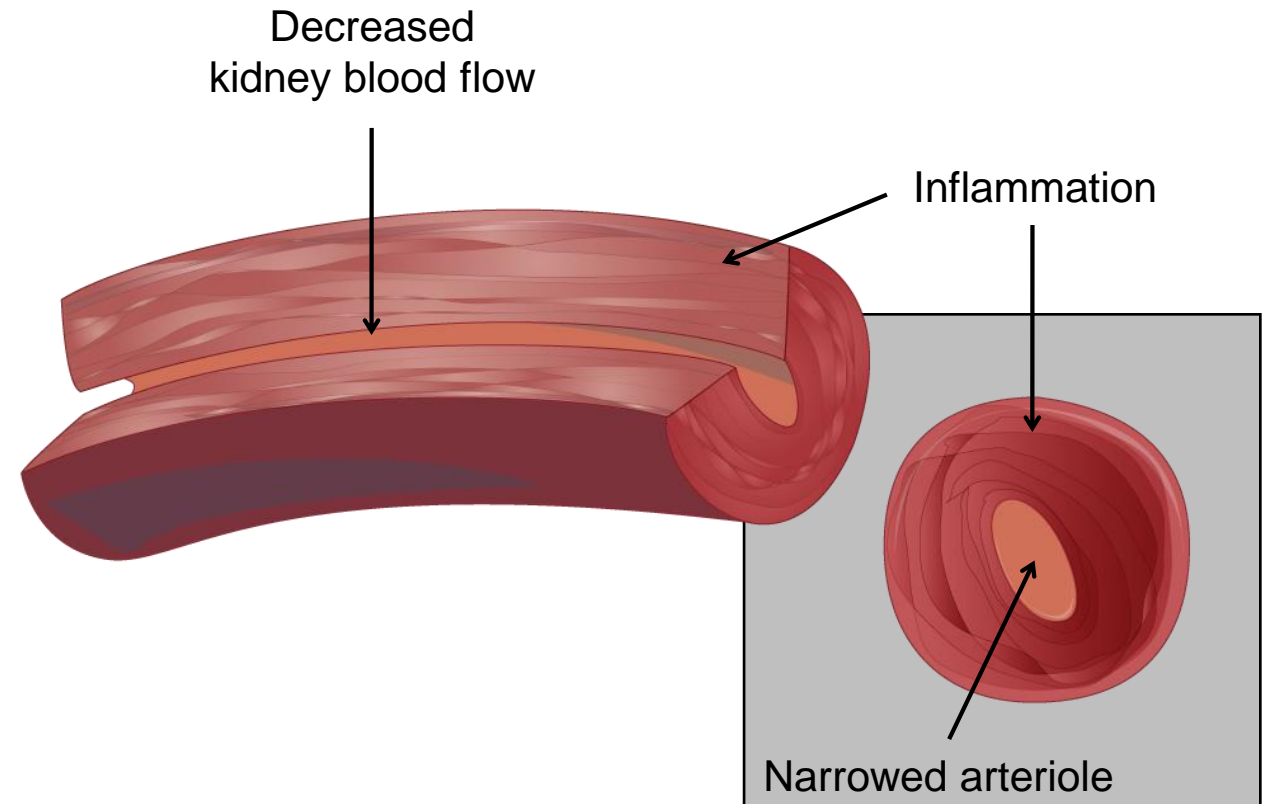


CKD = chronic kidney disease; GFR = glomerular filtration rate; RAAS = renin–angiotensin–aldosterone system.

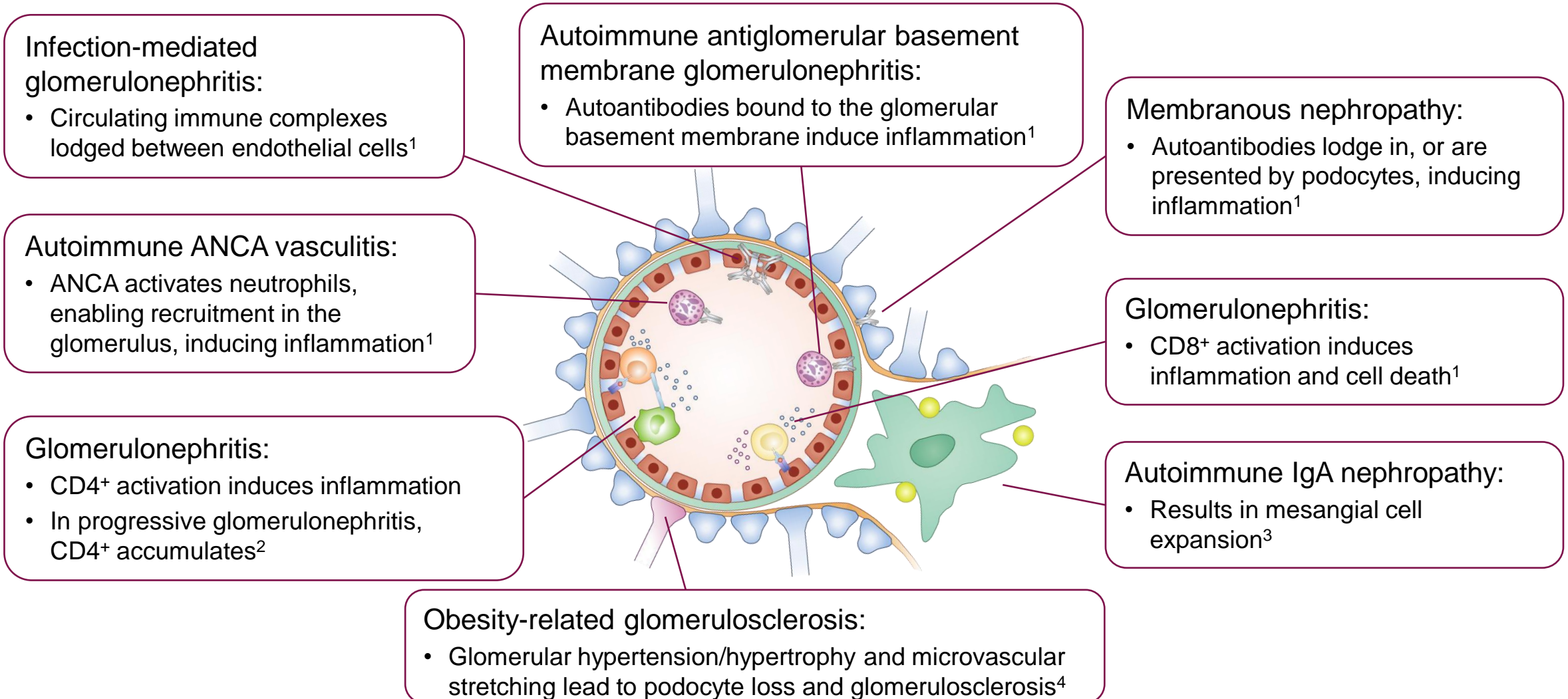
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Glomerulonephritis manifests following dysfunction in small vessels

Manifesting as glomerulonephritis, involves the induction of inflammatory responses and subsequent necrosis and fibrosis of glomerular epithelial cells; these diseases are classified as both vascular and glomerular NDKD



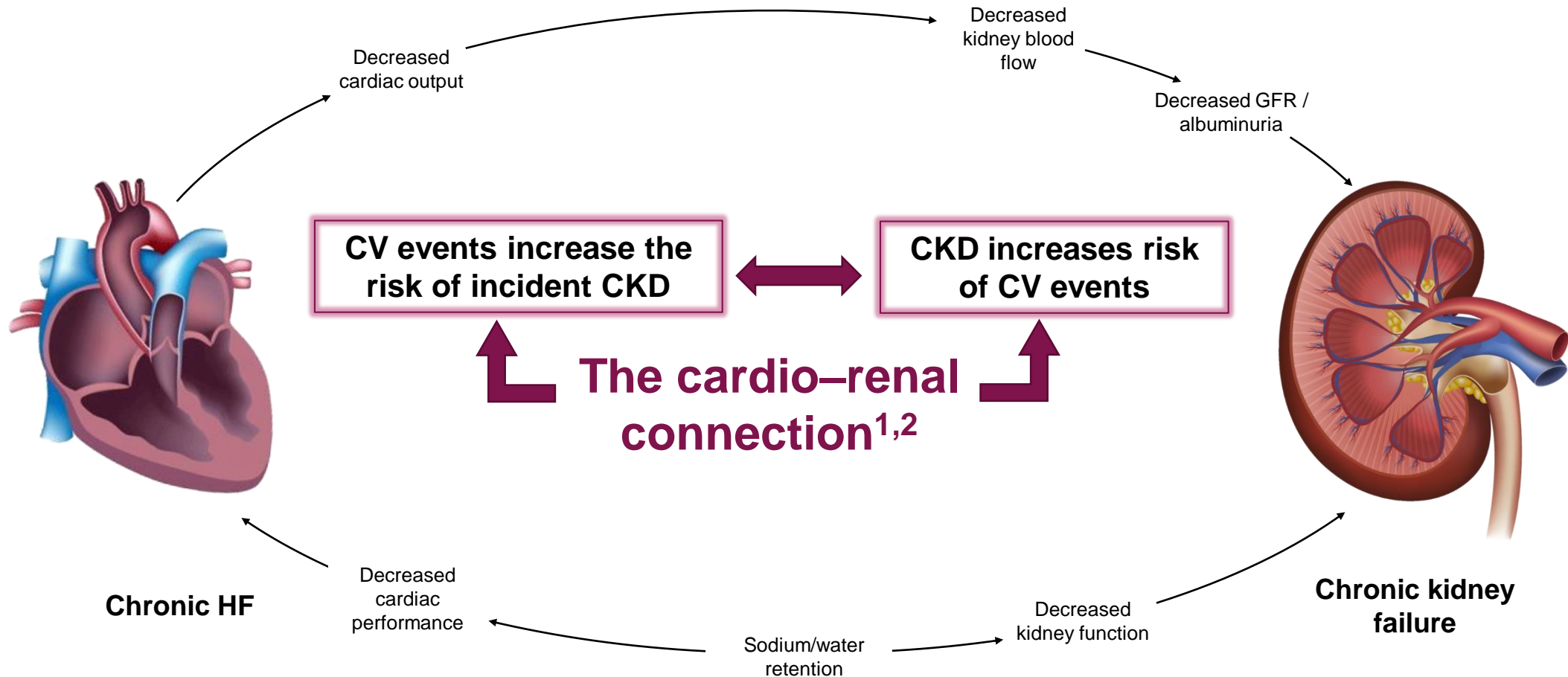
Glomerular NDKD develops from inflammatory responses caused by autoimmune disorders, systemic infection, malignancies, and obesity



ANCA = anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibody; CD = cluster of differentiation; IgA = immunoglobulin A; NDKD = nondiabetic kidney disease.

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There is a close and specific association between cardiac and kidney physiology

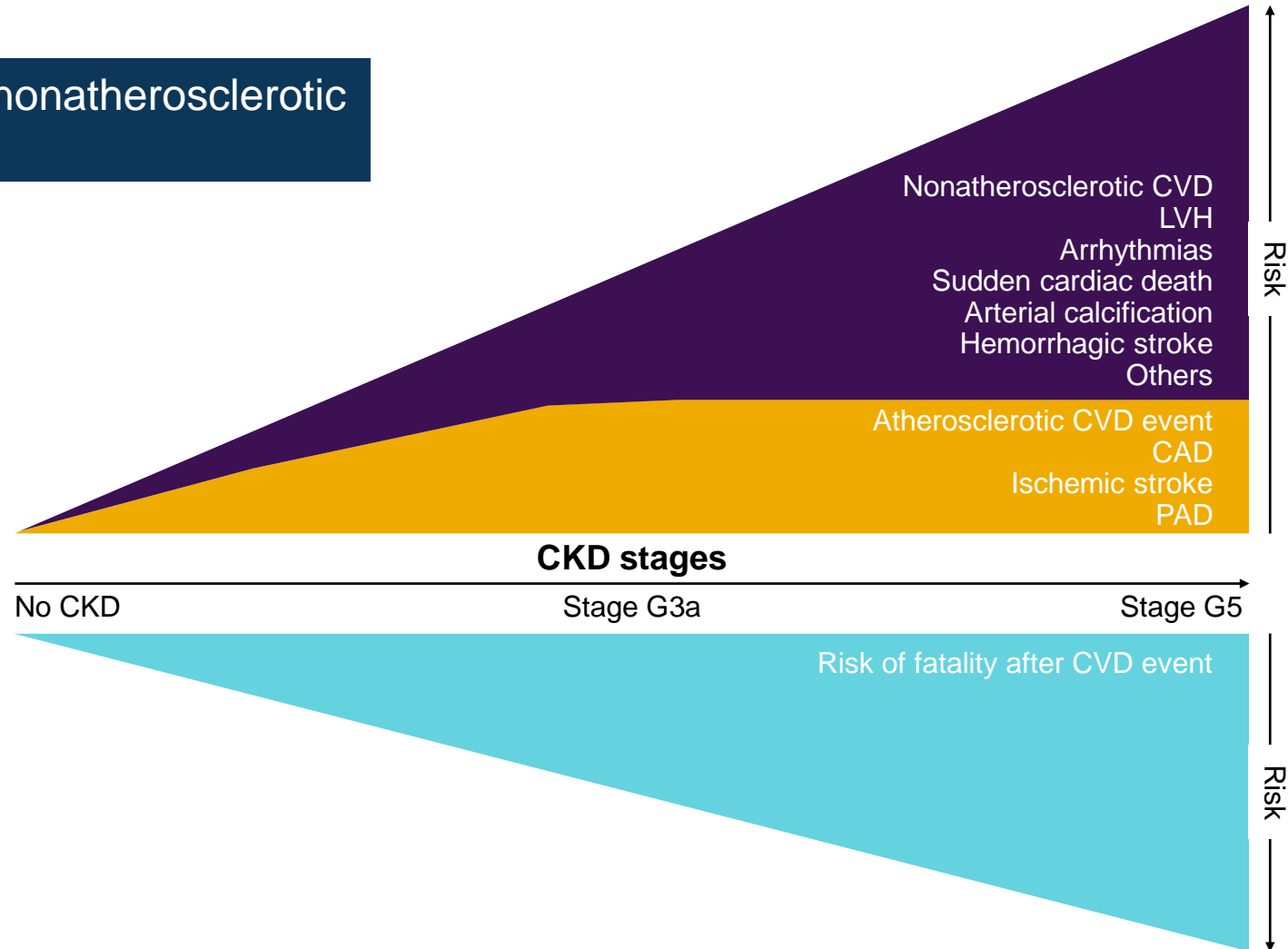


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Risk of CVD and CV mortality increase with progression of CKD

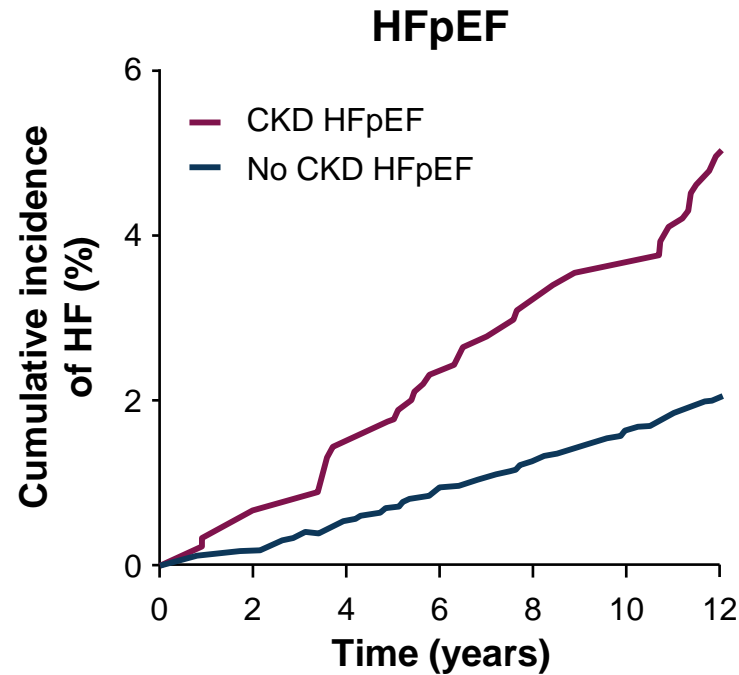
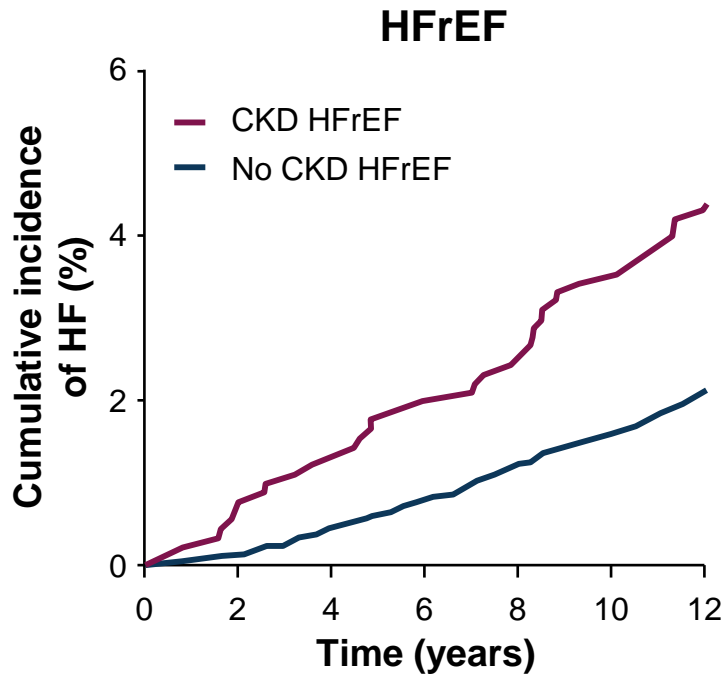
- In later CKD stages, nonatherosclerotic risk dominates



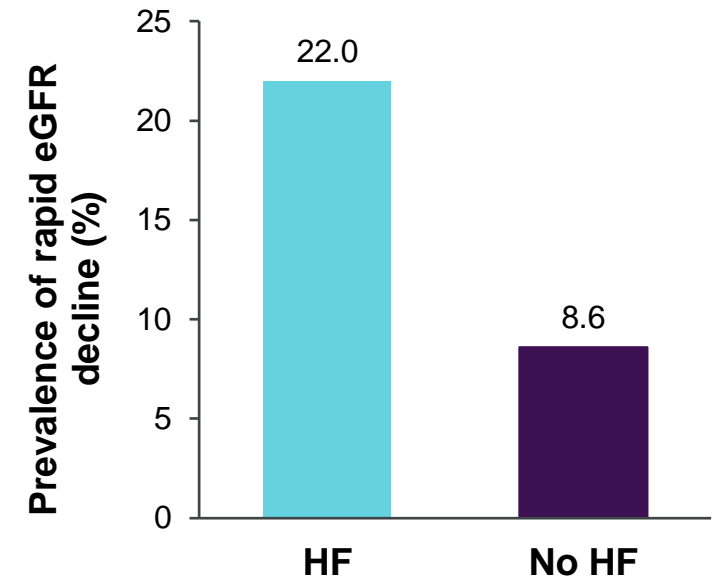
CAD = coronary artery disease; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; LVH = left ventricular hypertrophy; PAD = peripheral artery disease.

CKD and HF are interconnected: CKD is associated with increased risk of HF and conversely HF is associated with risk of eGFR decline

Incidences of HF are higher in those with CKD than those without¹



HF is associated with rapid decline in eGFR^{2,a}



CKD is associated with incident HF

HF is associated with the risk of kidney function decline

^aRapid rate of eGFR decline was defined as slopes steeper than $-5 \text{ mL/min/1.73 m}^2/\text{year}$.

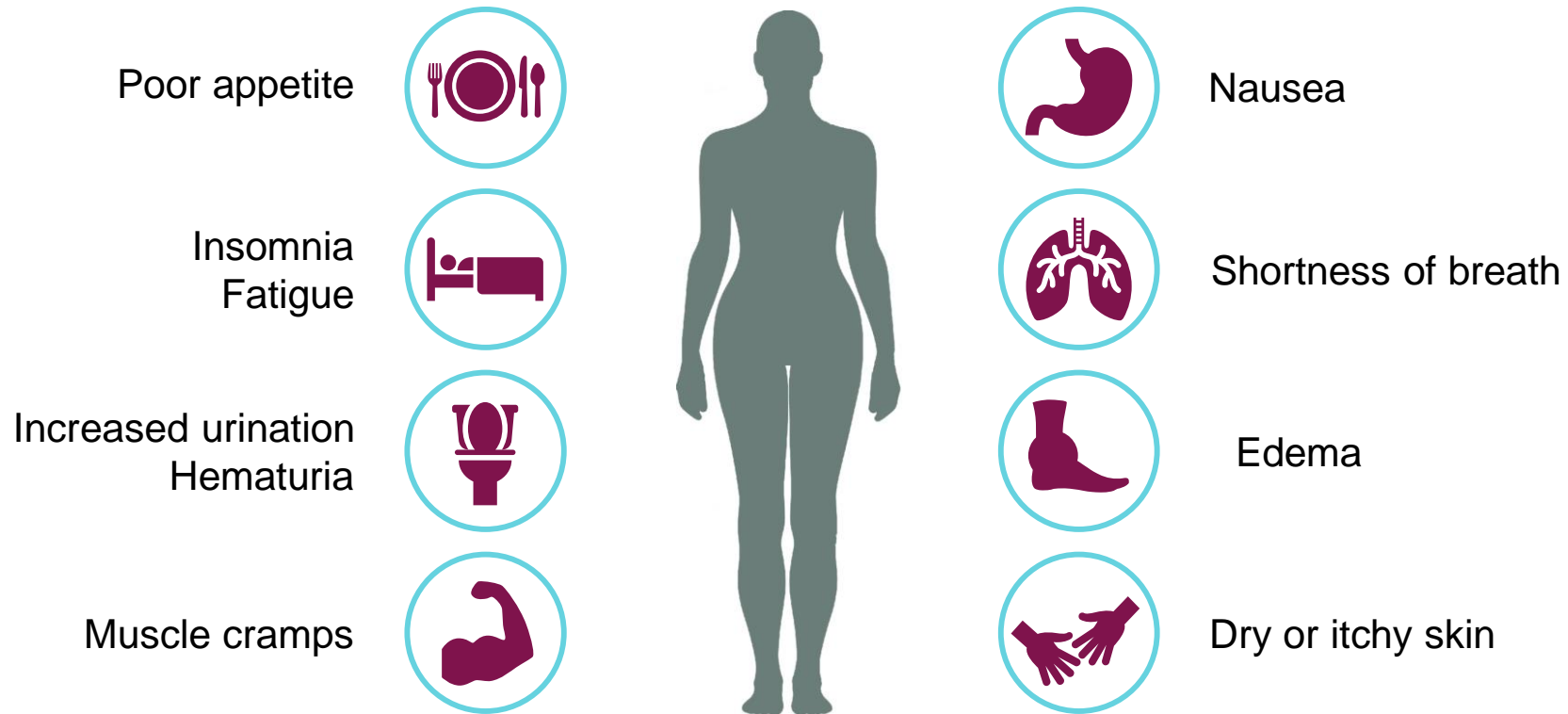
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1. Naylor M et al. *Eur J Heart Fail.* 2017;19:615–623; 2. George LK et al. *Circ Heart Fail.* 2017;10:e003825.

Screening and monitoring CKD



Signs and symptoms of CKD^{1,2}



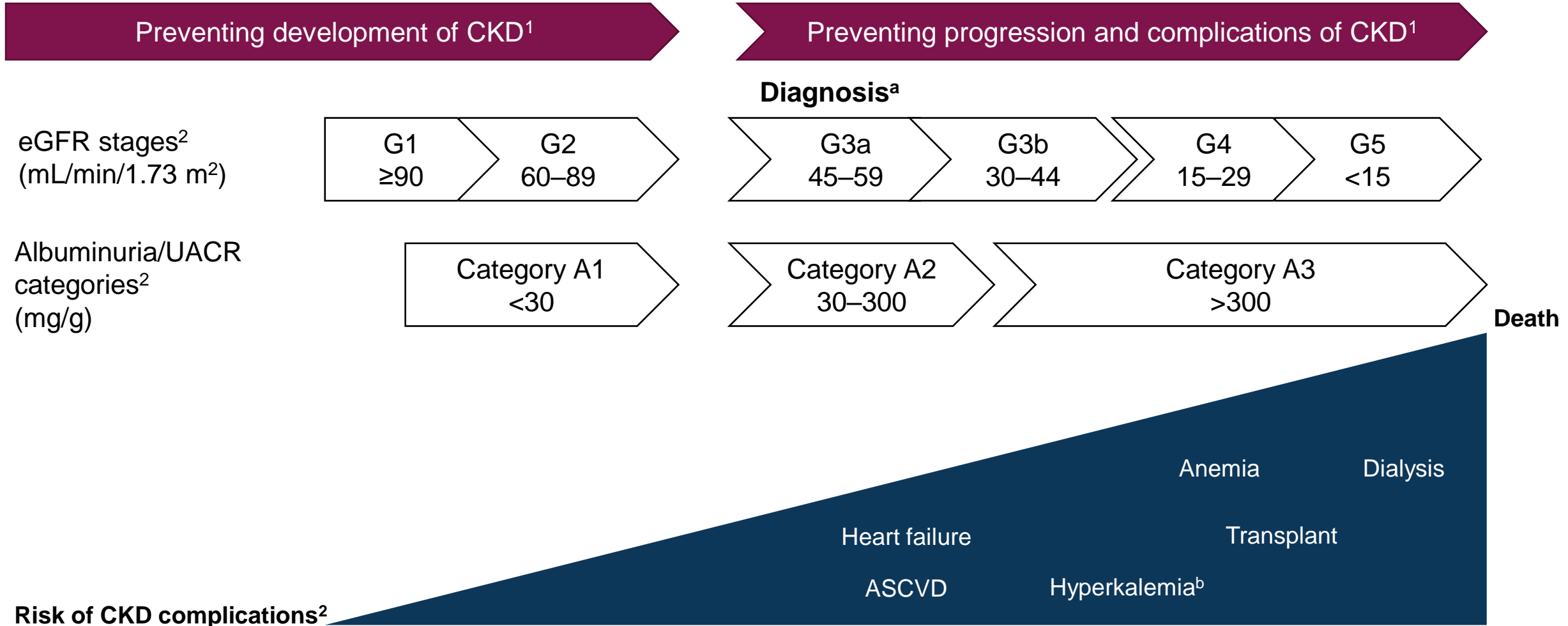
Early CKD can be asymptomatic

Identifying early stage CKD is often difficult

CKD = chronic kidney disease.

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CKD is associated with a variety of comorbidities, the prevalence and severity of which increase with worsening CKD



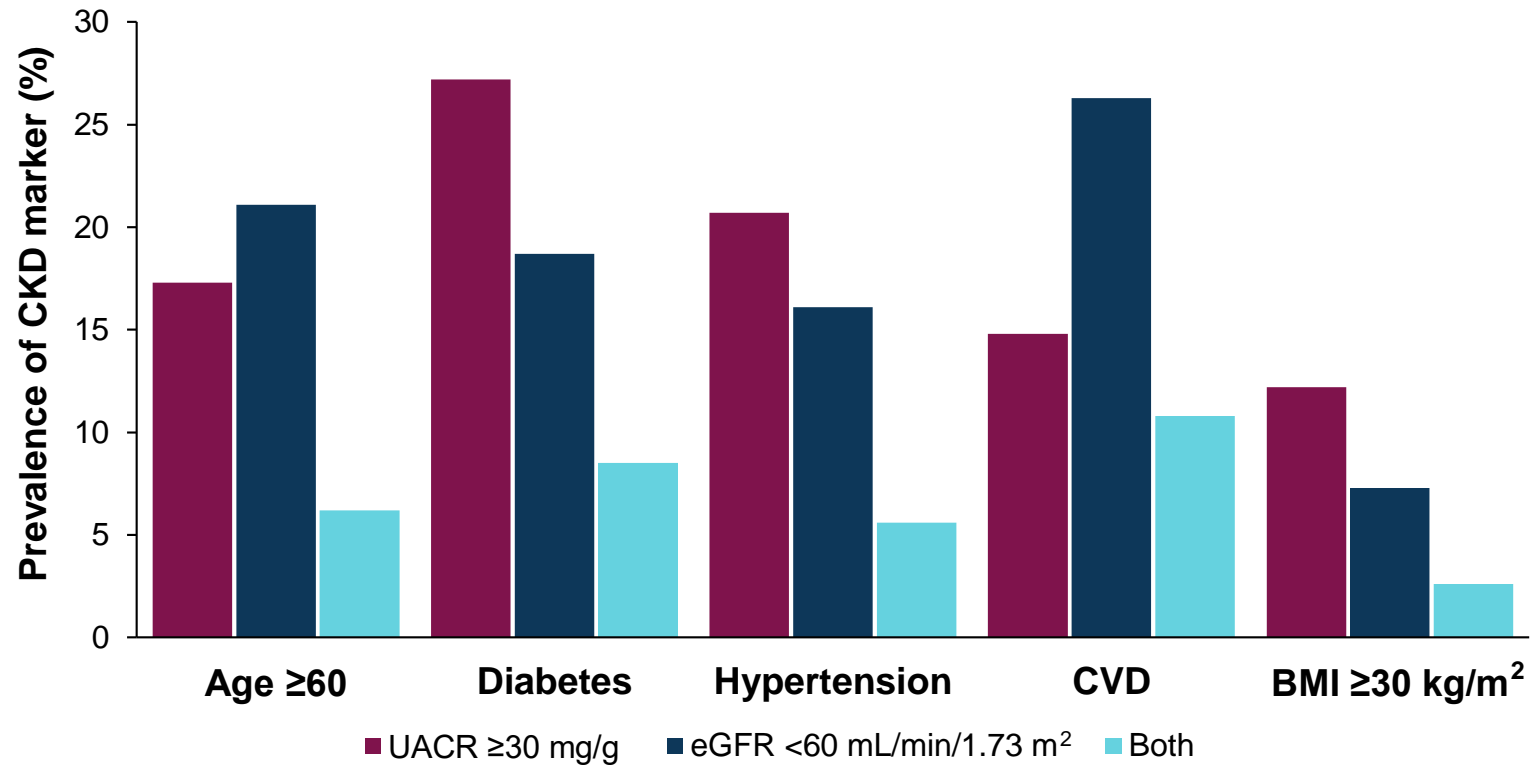
^aIn the absence of evidence of kidney damage, neither G1 nor G2 meet the criteria for CKD; ^bRisk particularly with lower eGFR when aldosterone antagonists are used in addition to an ACE inhibitor or ARB in patients with HF.

ACE = angiotensin-converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; ASCVD = atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease; CKD = chronic kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; HF = heart failure; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

1. Levey AS et al. *Am J Kidney Dis.* 2009;53:522–535; 2. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int Suppl.* 2013;3:1–150.

Urine albumin and estimated glomerular filtration rate are the two key markers for CKD

Distribution of CKD markers in patients with diabetes, hypertension, self-reported CVD, and obesity
NHANES 2013–2016



BMI = body mass index; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; NHANES = National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

However, eGFR measurements do not always lead to CKD diagnosis and UACR testing is underutilized¹⁻³

Electronic health records from 39 US healthcare organizations²

976,299 patients with eGFR <60 mL/min/1.73 m²

80.7%

received no UACR testing over three years

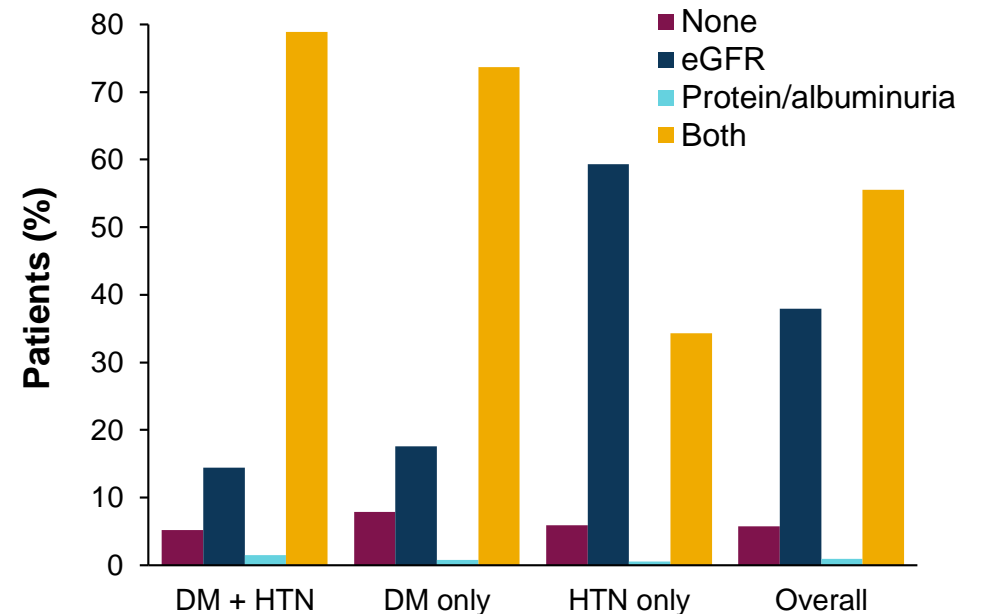
Primary care setting³

270,170 patients at risk of CKD due to DM, HTN, or both

Although **93.4%** of patients were tested for eGFR^a

Only **56.4%** of patients were tested for protein/albuminuria^b

Percentage of patients that received CKD testing by comorbidities³



Protein/albuminuria testing is lower in patients with hypertension compared with those with diabetes

^aPatients tested for eGFR includes those tested for eGFR only and those tested for both eGFR and protein/albuminuria; ^bPatients tested for protein/albuminuria includes those tested for protein/albuminuria only and those tested for both protein/albuminuria and eGFR.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; DM = diabetes mellitus; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; HTN = hypertension; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

1. Tuttle KR et al. *JAMA Netw Open*. 2019;2:e1918169; 2. Naranjo FS et al. *Kidney360*. 2021;2(3):415-424; 3. Bansal S et al. *Kidney360*. 2020;1:904-915.

Assessment of kidney function and damage

Ideal CKD screening should consist of a dual assessment of eGFR and UACR¹



Kidney function

- **Decreased eGFR**
 - eGFR <60 mL/min/1.73 m² (stage 3a–5)²
 - Addition of cystatin C measurement to creatinine measurement may enhance accuracy of eGFR assessment¹
 - Diagnostic confirmation and staging should ideally include both creatinine and cystatin C for accurate eGFR measurements¹



Kidney damage²

- **Albuminuria²**
 - AER ≥ 30 mg/24 h
 - UACR ≥ 30 mg/g [≥ 3 mg/mmol]
- Urine sediment abnormalities
- Electrolyte and other abnormalities due to tubular disorders
- Abnormalities detected by histology
- Structural abnormalities detected by imaging
- History of kidney transplantation

Diagnosis of CKD requires two abnormal measurements at least 3 months apart

AER = albumin excretion rate; CKD = chronic kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

1. Shlipak MG et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;99:34–47; 2. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int Suppl.* 2013;3:1–150.

Categories of kidney function and damage



GFR category	GFR (mL/min/1.73 m ²)	Kidney function
G1 ^a	≥90	Normal or high
G2 ^a	60–89	Mildly decreased ^b
G3a	45–59	Mildly to moderately decreased
G3b	30–44	Moderately to severely decreased
G4	15–29	Severely decreased
G5	<15	Kidney failure



Albuminuria category ^c	AER (mg/24 h)	ACR ^d (mg/mmol)	ACR ^d (mg/g)	Albumin in urine
A1	<30	<3	<30	Normal to mildly increased
A2	30–300	3–30	30–300	Moderately increased ^b
A3	>300	>30	>300	Severely increased ^e

CKD is classified based on cause, GFR category and albuminuria category

^aDoes not fulfill the criteria for CKD in the absence of evidence of kidney damage; ^bRelative to young adult level; ^cNote that where albuminuria measurement is not available, urine reagent strip results can be substituted; ^dApproximate equivalent; ^eIncluding nephrotic syndrome (albumin excretion usually >2200 mg/24 h [ACR >220 mg/g; >220 mg/mmol]).

ACR = albumin:creatinine ratio; AER = albumin excretion rate; CKD = chronic kidney disease; GFR = glomerular filtration rate.

Monitoring of CKD should increase as kidney function declines

Recommended frequency of monitoring
(number of times per year)
by GFR and albuminuria category¹

Green: low risk (if no other markers of kidney disease, no CKD)
Yellow: moderately increased risk
Orange: high risk
Red: very high risk

				Persistent albuminuria categories		
				Description and range		
				A1	A2	A3
				Normal to mildly increased <30 mg/g <3 mg/mmol	Moderately increased 30–300 mg/g 3–30 mg/mmol	Severely increased >300 mg/g >30 mg/mmol
GFR categories (mL/min/1.73 m ²) Description and range	G1	Normal or high	>90	1 if CKD	1	2
	G2	Mildly decreased	60–89	1 if CKD	1	2
	G3a	Mildly to moderately decreased	45–59	1	2	3
	G3b	Moderately to severely decrease	30–44	2	3	3
	G4	Severely decreased	15–29	3	3	4+
	G5	Kidney failure	<15	4+	4+	4+

Individuals with normal GFR, but with severely increased albuminuria (>300 mg/g), are still at risk for decline in renal function²

KDIGO recommends referral to a nephrologist for advanced CKD

CKD screening and risk stratification must consist of a dual assessment of eGFR and UACR³

CKD = chronic kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; GFR = glomerular filtration rate; KDIGO = Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes; UACR = urine albumin:creatinine ratio.

1. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int Supp.* 2013;3:1–150; 2. Perkins BA et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2007;18:1353–1361; 3. Shlipak MG et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;99:34–47.

Guidelines recommend routine screening and intervention for CKD in patients with cardiorenal–metabolic disease

KDIGO^{1,2}

- Persons with hypertension, diabetes, or CVD should be screened for CKD
- CKD screening should also be implemented in other high-risk individuals and populations based on comorbidities, environmental exposures, and genetic risk factors
- Initiation, frequency, and cessation of CKD screening should be individualized based on kidney and CV risk profiles and individual preference
- Public health policies should include screening of these high-risk populations

NICE³

- Test for CKD using eGFR_{creatinine}^a and ACR in people with:
 - Diabetes
 - Hypertension
 - Acute kidney injury
 - CVD (ischemic heart disease, chronic HF, peripheral or cerebral vascular disease)
 - Structural renal tract disease, recurrent renal calculi, or prostatic hypertrophy
 - Multisystem disease with possible kidney involvement, e.g. systemic lupus erythematosus
 - Family history of ESKD or hereditary kidney disease
 - Opportunistic detection of hematuria

American Diabetes Association⁴

- At least once yearly, assess urinary albumin (spot urinary ACR) and eGFR in patients with:
 - T1D with duration of ≥5 years
 - T2D
 - Comorbid hypertension

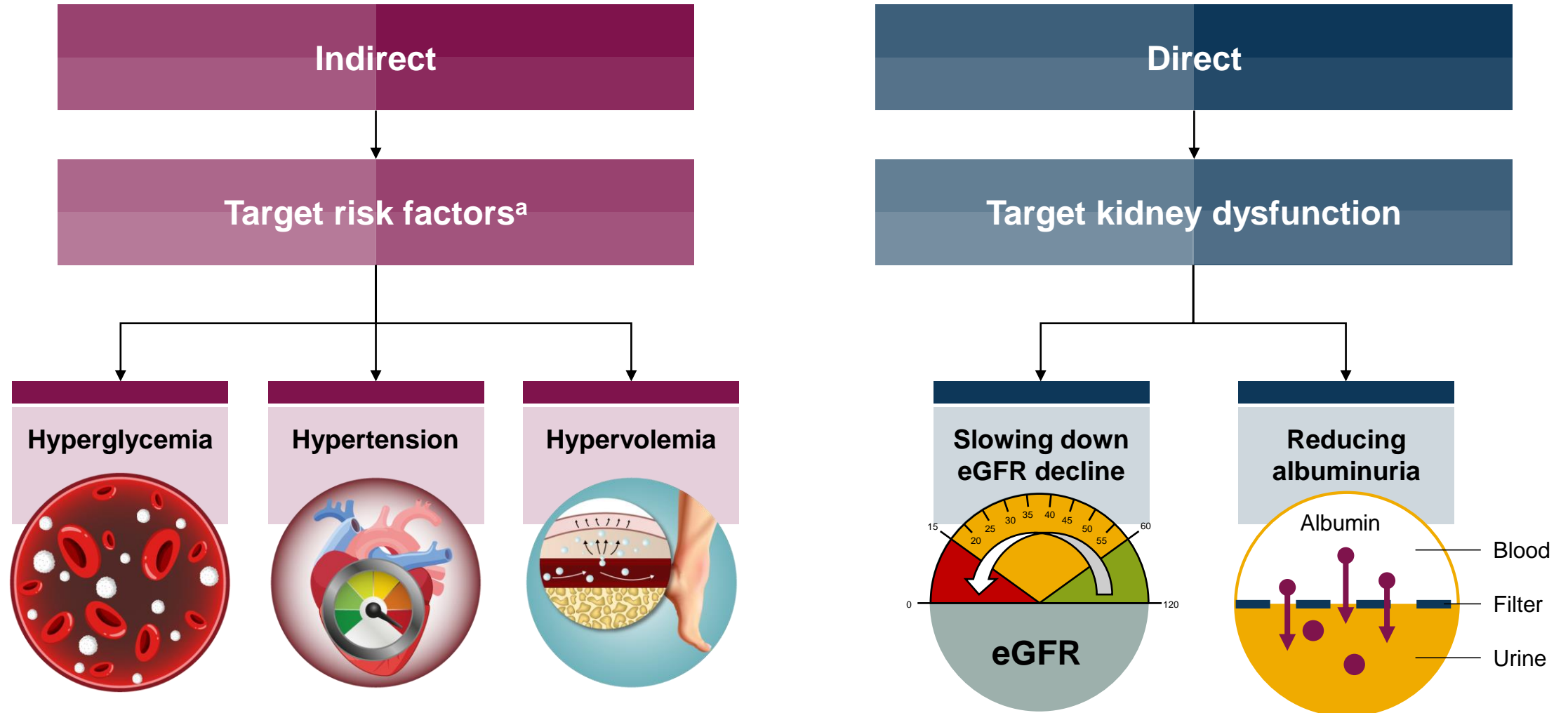
^aeGFR_{creatinine} refers to an eGFR calculated using the CKD-EPI creatinine equation, from a patient's serum creatinine, age, sex and race.⁵

ACR = albumin:creatinine ratio; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CKD-EPI = Chronic Kidney Disease Epidemiology Collaboration; CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HF = heart failure; KDIGO = Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes; NICE = UK National Institute for Health and Care Excellence; T1D = type 1 diabetes; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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Management of CKD

Effective treatment of CKD includes both direct and indirect approaches



^aThis is not an exhaustive list of treatable risk factors.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate.

Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int.* 2020;98:S1–S115.

According to the 2012 KDIGO CKD guideline, there are certain lifestyle modifications that are recommended for those with CKD

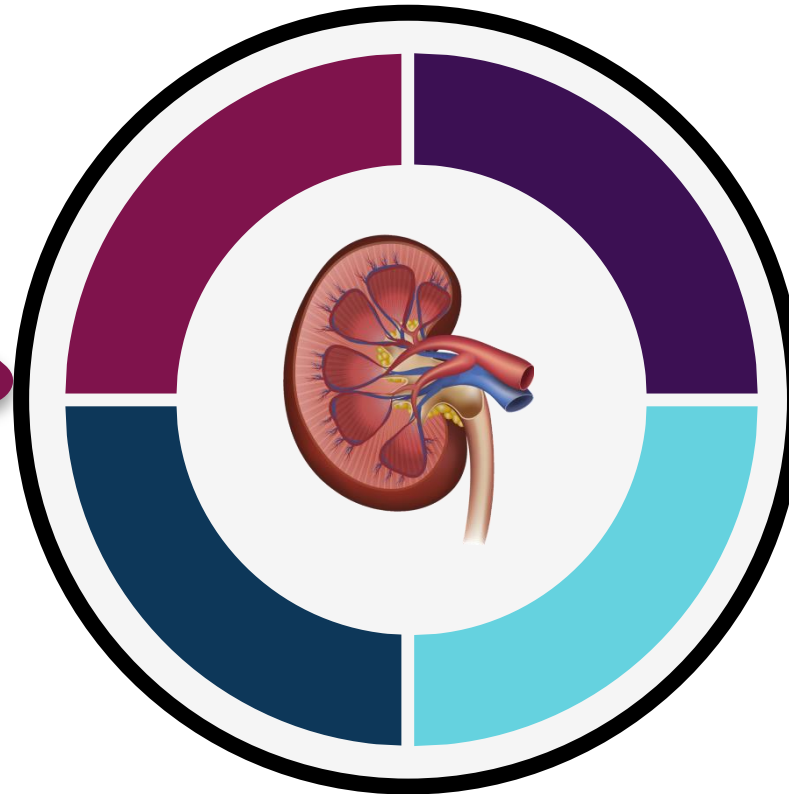
KDIGO recommend the following lifestyle modifications for those with CKD:

Protein intake

- Lower protein intake to 0.8 g/kg/day in adults with diabetes or without diabetes and eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m² with appropriate education
- Avoid high protein intake (>1.3 g/kg/day) in adults with CKD at risk of progression

Salt intake

Lower salt intake to less than 90 mmol (<2 g) per day of sodium (corresponding to 5 g of sodium chloride) in adults, unless contraindicated



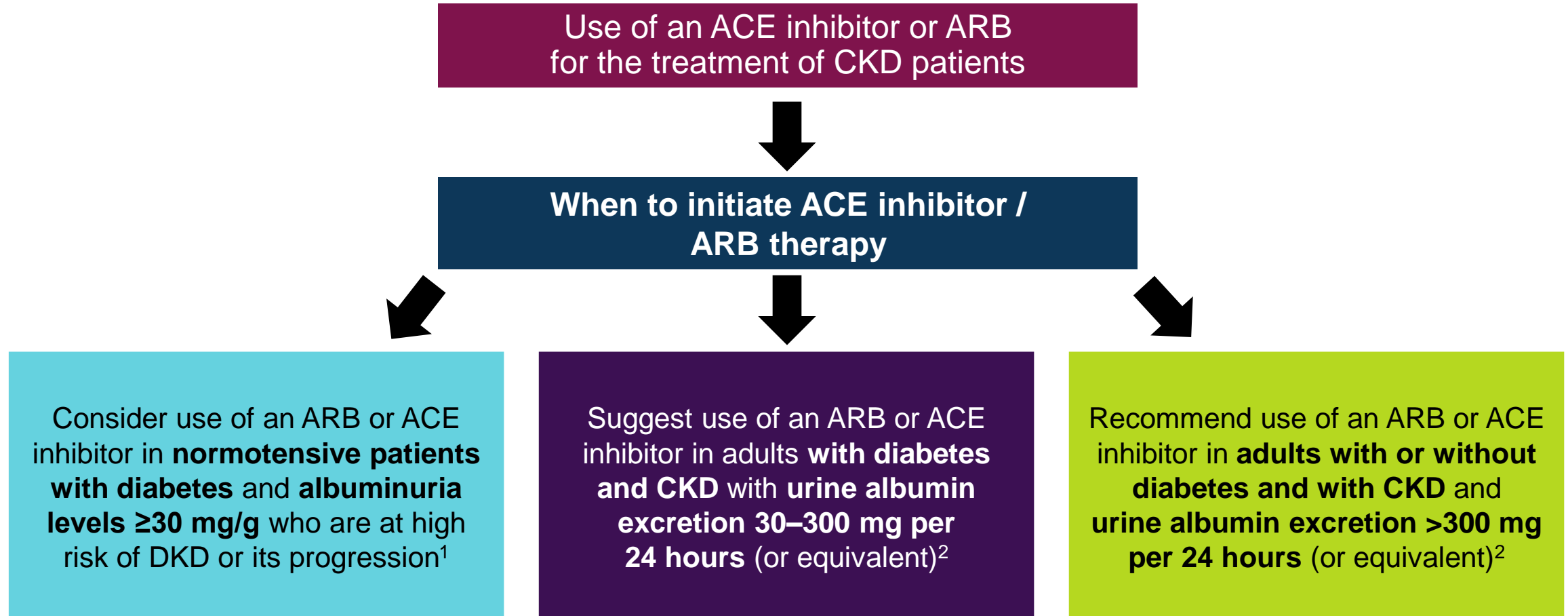
Lifestyle

Should be encouraged to undertake physical activity compatible with cardiovascular health and tolerance (aiming for at least 30 minutes 5 times per week), achieve a healthy weight (BMI 20–25, according to country-specific demographics) and stop smoking

Additional dietary advice

Should receive dietary advice and information in the context of an education program, tailored to severity of CKD and the need to intervene on salt, phosphate, potassium, and protein intake where indicated

KDIGO guidelines recommend the use of ACE inhibitors / ARBs in albuminuria patients irrespective of diabetes and BP status



ACE = angiotensin-converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; BP = blood pressure; CKD = chronic kidney disease; DKD = diabetic kidney disease; KDIGO = Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes.

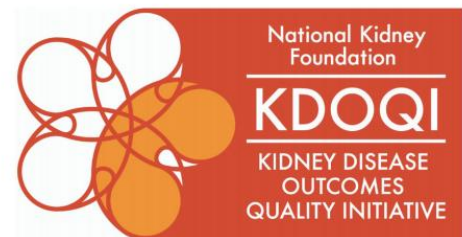
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Guidelines accept combination of ACE inhibitors/ARBs with β blockers and Ca^{2+} channel blockers, but caution against aldosterone antagonist add-ons



Coadministration of β blockers and calcium-channel blockers with ACE inhibitor or ARBs is acceptable¹

Due to the risk of hyperkalemia, aldosterone antagonists should be used with caution in CKD patients²⁻³



ACE = angiotensin-converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; CKD = chronic kidney disease; GFR = glomerular filtration rate.

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Summary



Summary

- The global burden of CKD continues to rise while diagnosis and patient awareness of the disease remains low^{1–2}
- Diabetes, hypertension, and glomerulonephritis are the most common singular causes of CKD³
- Patients with hypertension, diabetes, and CVD are considered to be high risk for CKD and should be screened using eGFR and UACR⁴
- Risk of CV events and mortality are elevated in patients with CKD, independent of diabetes status or CKD etiology^{5–7}
- The risk of mortality increases as CKD progresses, and is more likely than progression to ESKD^{7,8}
- Guidelines recommend multifactorial interventional approaches for the management of CKD patients, including glycemic, blood pressure, and lipid management⁹

CKD = chronic kidney disease; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate.

1. Foreman KJ et al. *Lancet*. 2018;392:2052–2090; 2. USRDS. 2020 Annual data report: CKD in the general population. <https://adr.usrds.org/2020/chronic-kidney-disease/1-ckd-in-the-general-population>; 3. Xie Y et al. *Kidney Int*. 2018;94:567–581; 4. Shlipak MG et al. *Kidney Int*. 2021;99:34–47; 5. Nakayama M et al. *Hypertens Res*. 2011;34(10):1106–1110; 6. Jarrick S et al. Article and online supplemental material. *J Am Soc Nephrol*. 2019;30(5):866–876; 7. Fox CS et al. *Lancet*. 2012;380:1662–1673; 8. Dalrymple LS et al. *J Gen Intern Med*. 2010;26:379–385; 9. Kidney Disease: Improving Global Outcomes. *Kidney Int*. 2020;98:S1–S115.



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DAPA-CKD: Study Design

DAPA-CKD: Dapagliflozin in Patients With Chronic Kidney Disease^{1,2}



Objective

To assess whether treatment with dapagliflozin, compared with placebo, reduced the risk of renal and CV events in patients with CKD with or without T2D, and who were receiving standard of care including a stable dose of an ACEi or ARB

Key Inclusion Criteria

- ≥18 years of age
- eGFR ≥25 to ≤75 mL/min/1.73m²
- UACR ≥200 to ≤5000 mg/g
- Stable dose of ACEi/ARB for ≥4 weeks
- With and without T2D

Key Exclusion Criteria

- T1D
- Polycystic kidney disease, lupus nephritis, ANCA-associated vasculitis
- Immunosuppressive therapy ≤6 months prior to enrollment

1:1
Double-blind

Dapagliflozin 10 mg
+ standard of care

Placebo
+ standard of care

4304 Randomized
Median follow-up 2.4 years

End Points

Primary Outcome

Composite of sustained ≥50% eGFR decline, ESKD^a, renal or CV death

Secondary Outcomes

- Composite of sustained ≥50% eGFR decline, ESKD, or renal death
- Composite of CV death or hHF
- All-cause mortality

^aESKD defined as the need for maintenance dialysis (peritoneal or hemodialysis) for more than 28 days, renal transplantation or sustained eGFR <15mL/min/1.73m² for at least 28 days.

ACEi = angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor; ANCA = anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibody; ARB = angiotensin-receptor blocker; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; T1D = type 1 diabetes; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Heerspink HJL et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant*. 2020;35:274–282; 2. Heerspink HJL et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2020; 383:1436-1446.



Countries Participating in DAPA-CKD^{1,2}

North America

Canada (n=280)
United States
(n=53)

Western Europe

Denmark (n=45)
Germany (n=138)
Spain (n=260)
Sweden (n=40)
UK (n=60)

Eastern Europe

Hungary (n=140)
Poland (n=103)
Russia (n=255)
Ukraine (n=192)

Asia

China (n=210)
India (n=201)
Japan (n=244)
Philippines (n=115)
South Korea (n=294)
Vietnam (n=282)

Latin America

Argentina
(n=235)
Brazil (n=302)
Mexico (n=154)
Peru (n=221)

21
Countries



386
Sites



4304
Participants



DAPA-CKD: Baseline Characteristics

Demographics and Baseline Characteristics

	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=2152)	Placebo (n=2152)
Age, years, mean	61.8	61.9
Gender, female, %	32.9	33.3
Race^a, %		
White	52.2	54.2
Black or African-American	4.8	4.0
Asian	34.8	33.4
Other	8.1	8.4
Weight, kg	81.5	82.0
Body mass index, kg/m²	29.4	29.6
Current smoker, %	13.2	14.0
Blood pressure, mmHg, mean		
Systolic blood pressure	136.7	137.4
Diastolic blood pressure	77.5	77.5
Hemoglobin, g/L	128.6	127.9
Serum potassium, mEq/L	4.6	4.6

^aRace was reported by the investigators; the designation 'other' includes Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander; American Indian or Alaska Native and Other.

BL = baseline.

Heerspink HJL et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2020; 383:1436-1446.

Renal Characteristics

	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=2152)	Placebo (n=2152)
eGFR, mL/min/1.73m², mean	43.2	43.0
eGFR ≥60 mL/min/1.73m ² , %	10.9	10.2
eGFR 45 to <60 mL/min/1.73m ² , %	30.0	31.7
eGFR 30 to <45 mL/min/1.73m ² , %	45.5	42.7
eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m ² , %	13.6	15.4
UACR, mg/g, median	965	934
UACR >1000 mg/g, %	48.7	47.9

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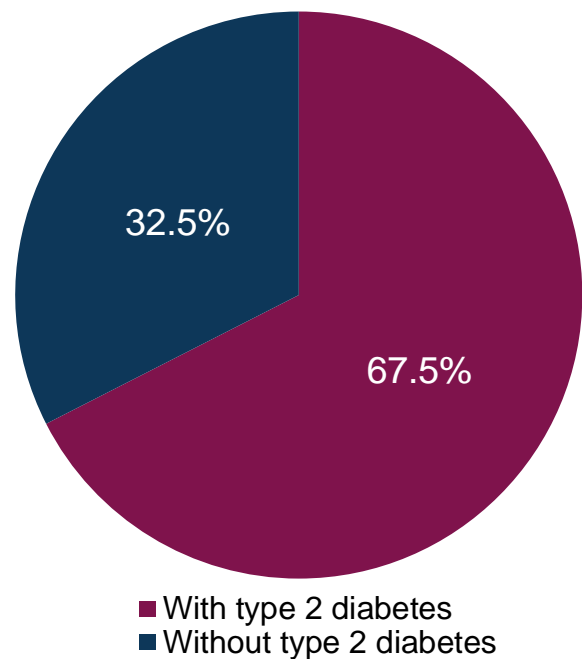
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Medical History and Baseline Medications

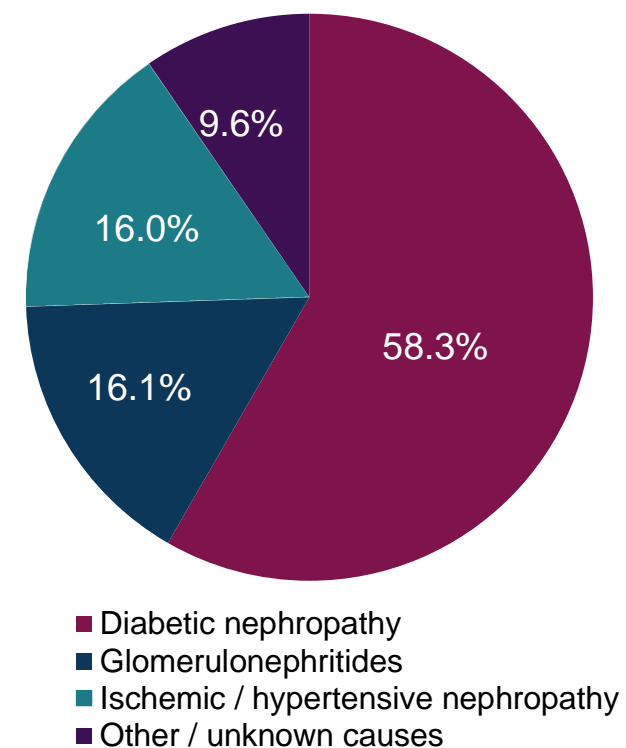
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=2152)	Placebo (n=2152)
Type 2 diabetes, %	67.6	67.4
CV disease, %	37.8	37.0
Heart failure, %	10.9	10.8
Prior medication, %		
ACEi	31.3	31.6
ARB	67.1	66.3
Diuretic	43.1	44.3
Statin	64.8	65.0

Diabetes Status and Investigator-reported Cause of Kidney Disease at Baseline

Diabetes Status

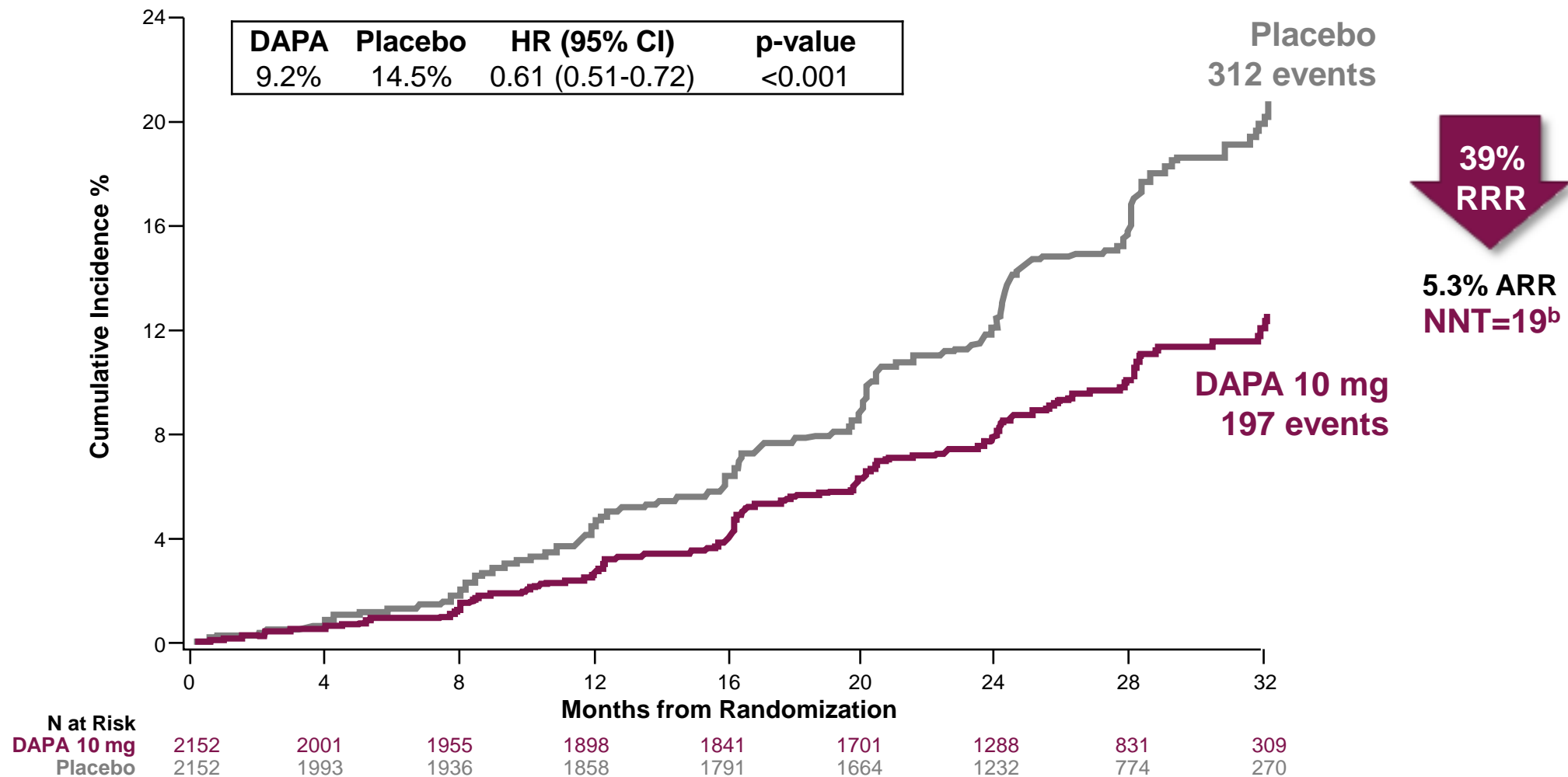


Investigator-reported Cause of Kidney Disease



DAPA-CKD: Primary Endpoint

Primary Composite Outcome: Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR Decline, ESKD, Renal or CV Death^{a,1}

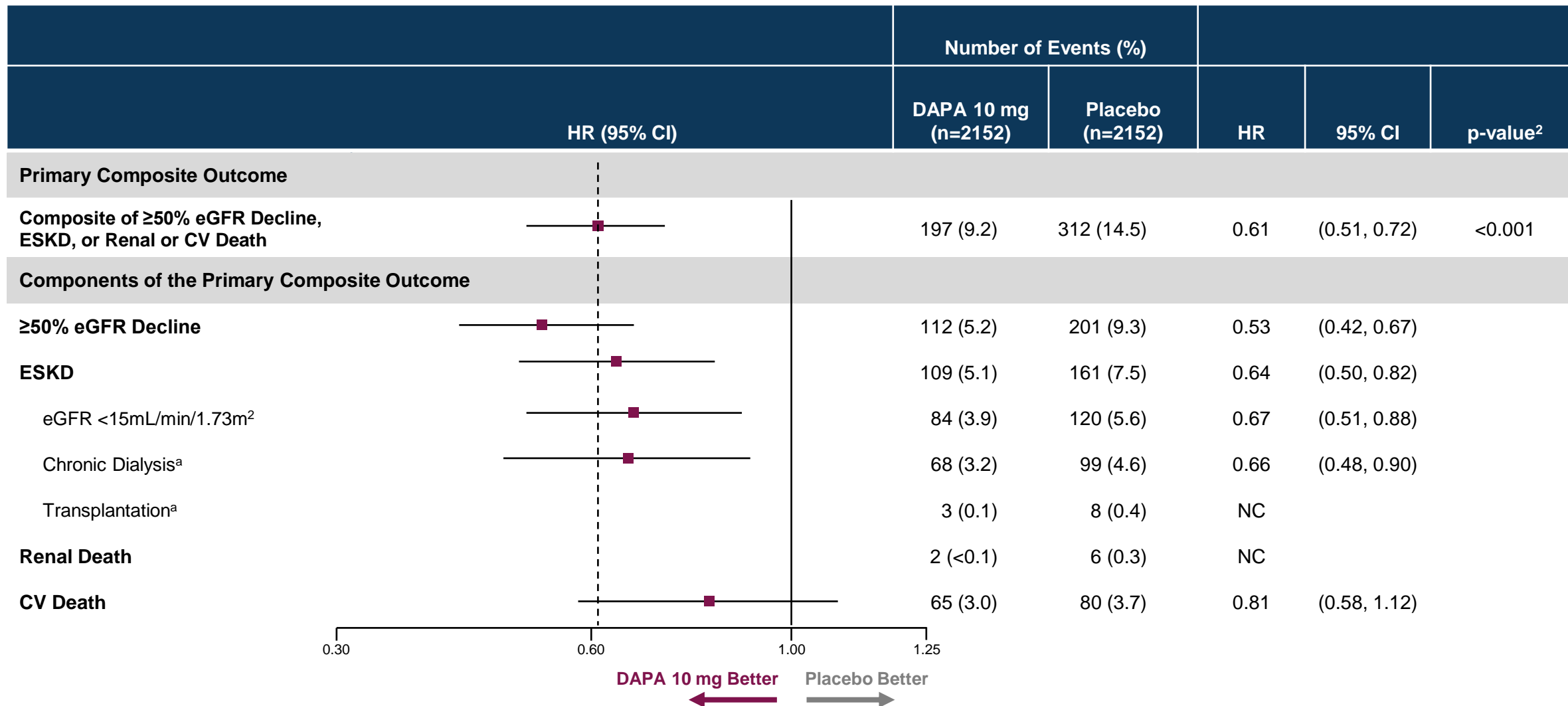


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ARR = absolute risk reduction; CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HR = hazard ratio; ; NNT = number needed to treat; RRR = relative risk reduction.

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Primary Composite Outcome: All Components Contributed to the Observed Treatment Effect¹

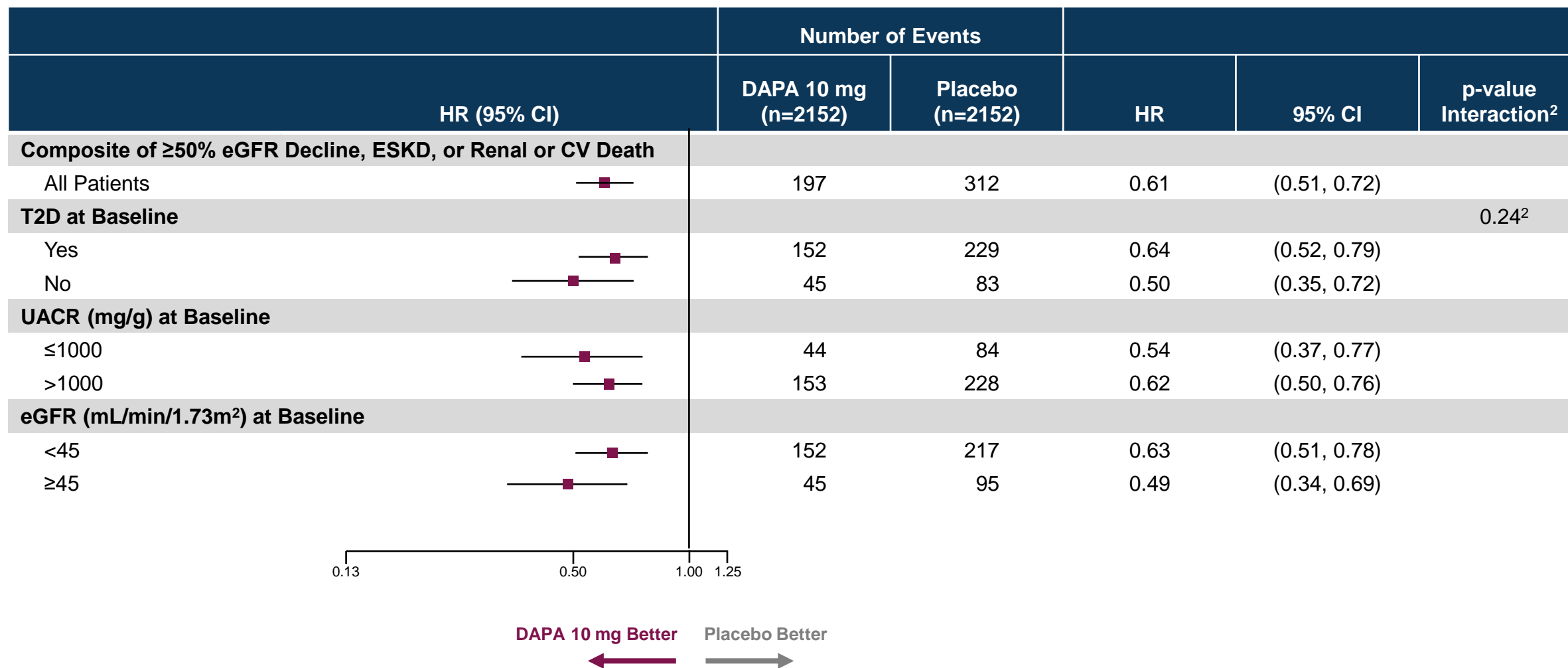


^aThere were 69 endpoint events for dapagliflozin and 100 endpoint events for placebo for the combined chronic dialysis and renal transplantation endpoint (HR 0.66; 95% CI 0.49, 0.90).

CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HR = hazard ratio; NC = not calculable.

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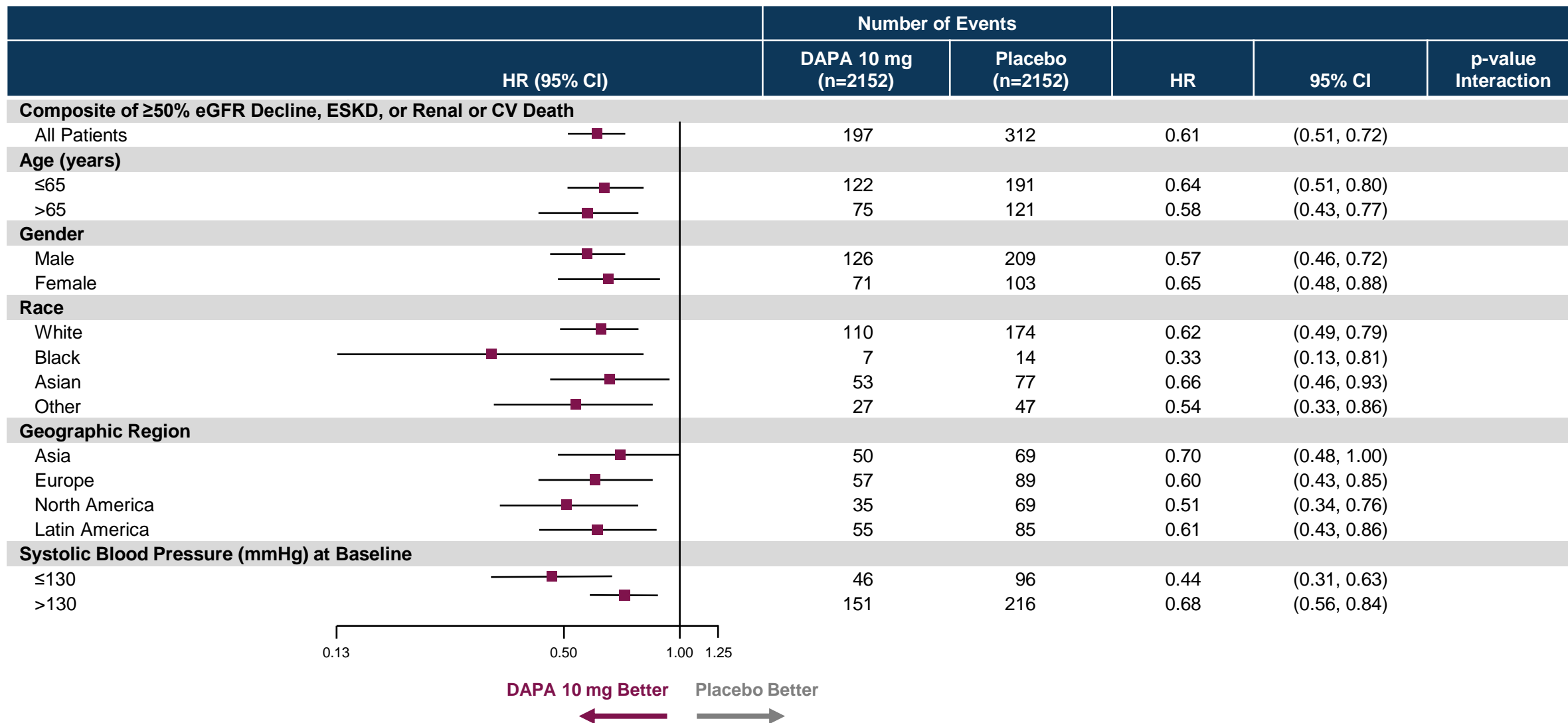
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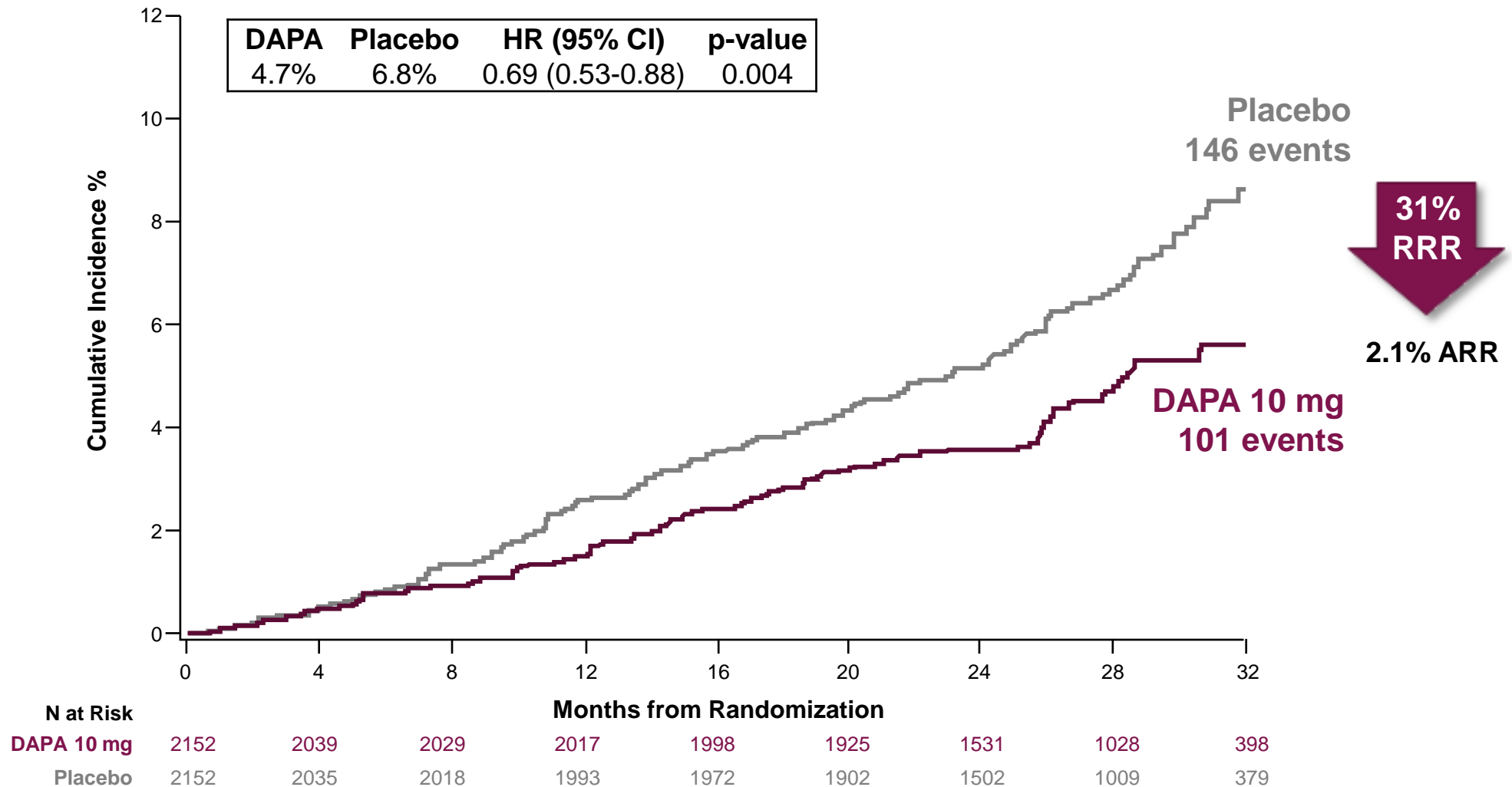


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DAPA-CKD: Secondary and Exploratory Endpoints

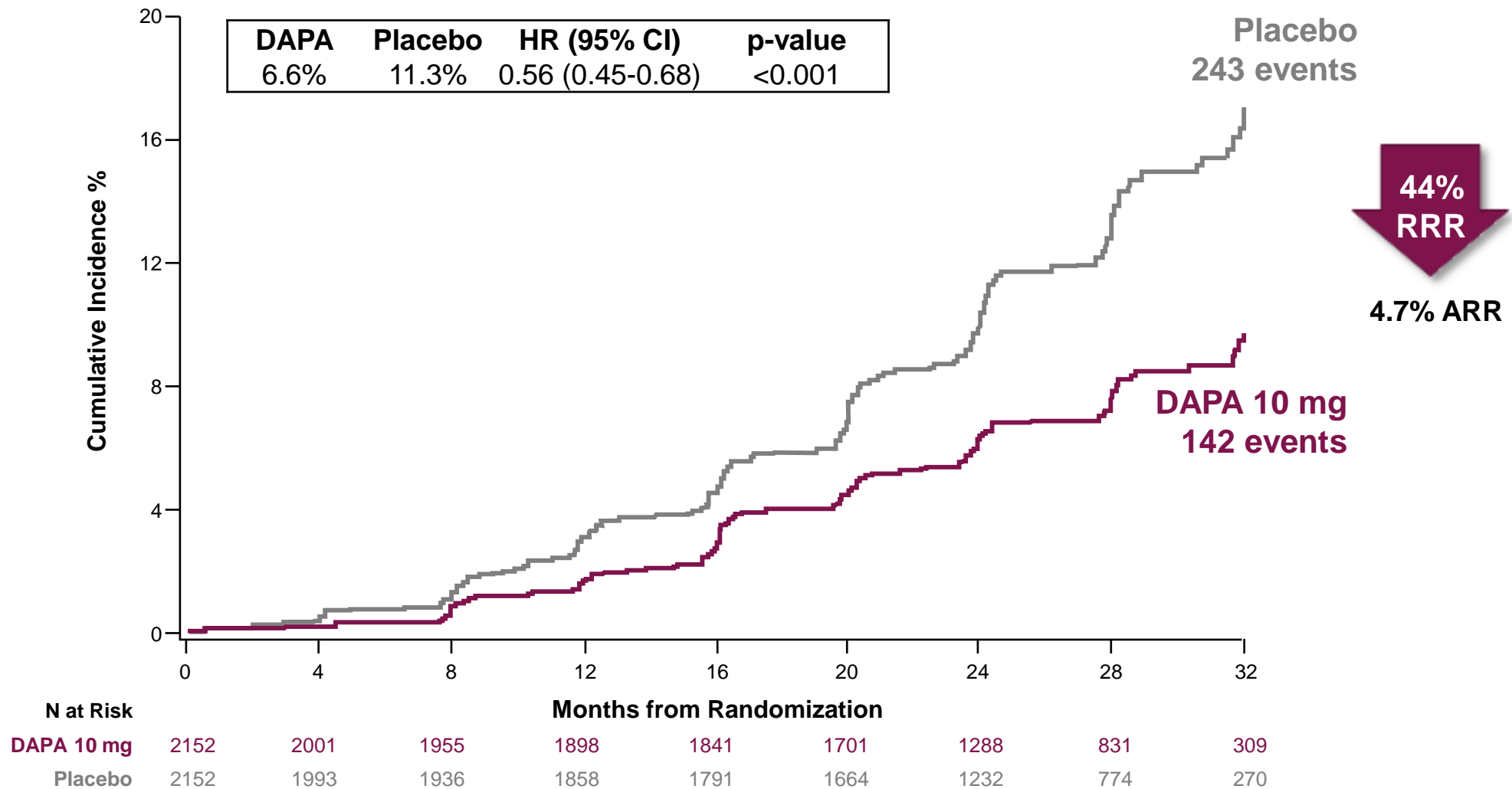
Secondary Outcome: All-cause Mortality^{1,2}



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Secondary Renal-Specific Composite Outcome: Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR Decline, ESKD, or Renal Death^{a,1}



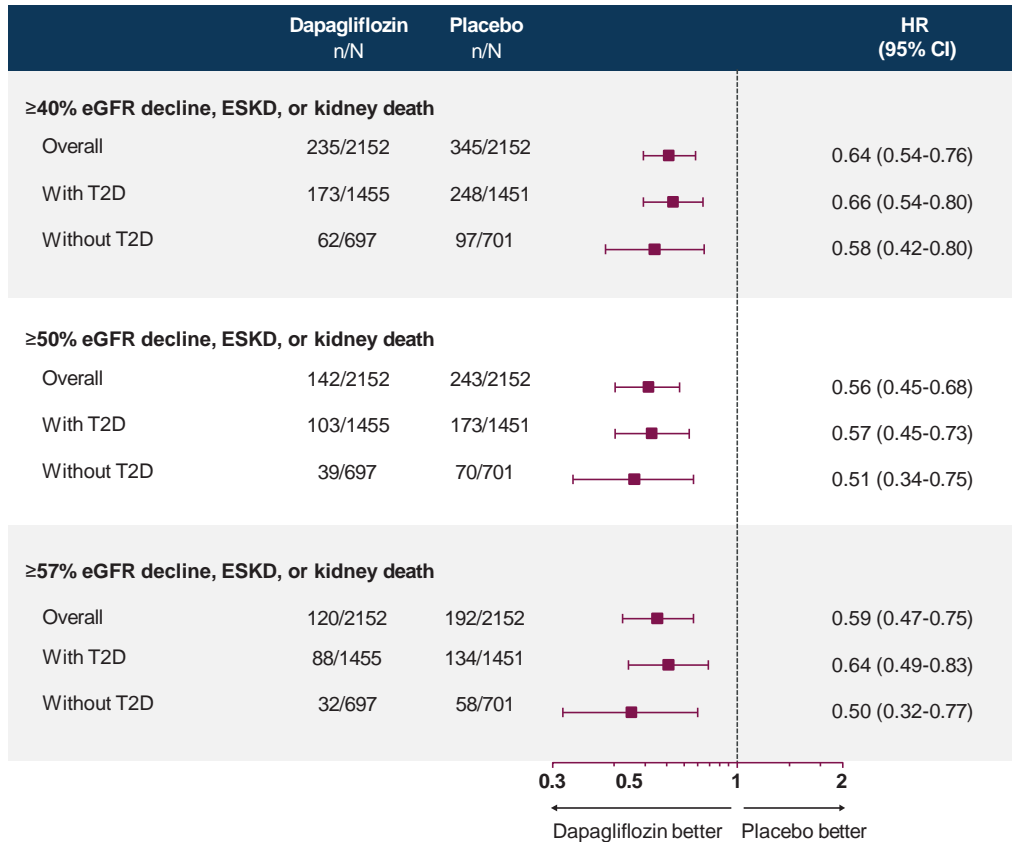
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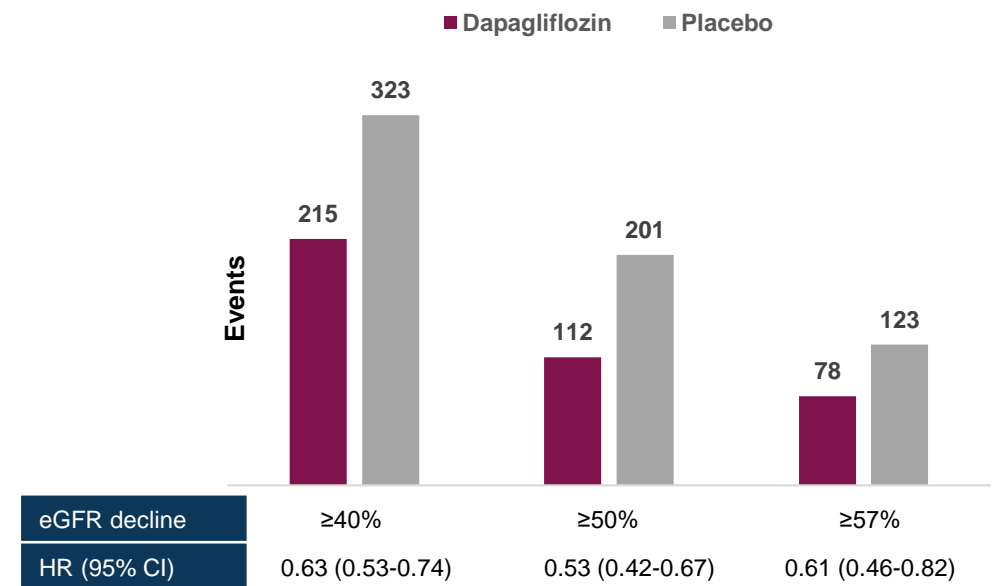
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Reductions in the Renal-Specific Outcome With Dapagliflozin Were Similar Across Different eGFR Thresholds

Renal-Specific Outcome Across Different eGFR Decline Thresholds



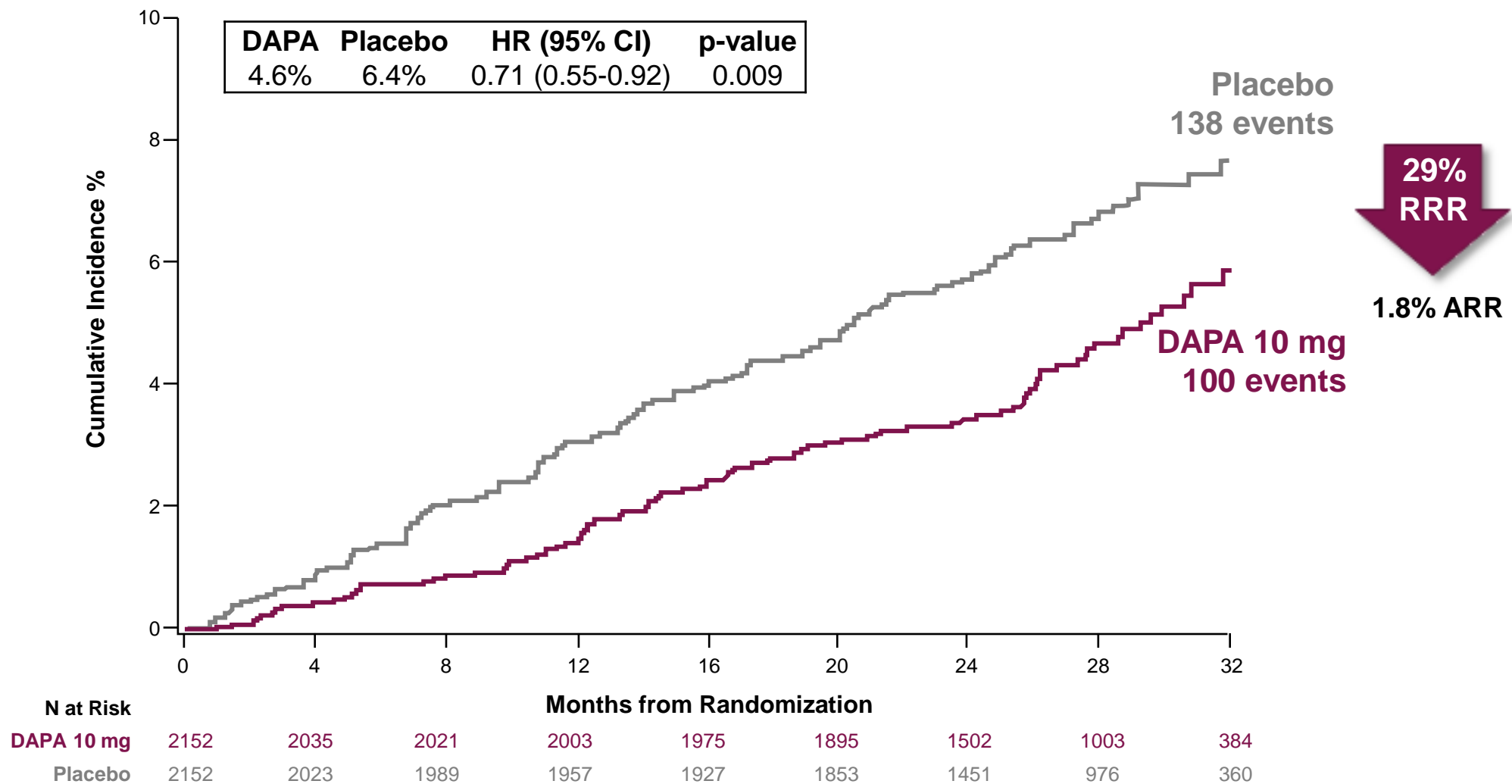
Events of eGFR Decline by Threshold



eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; HR = hazard ratio; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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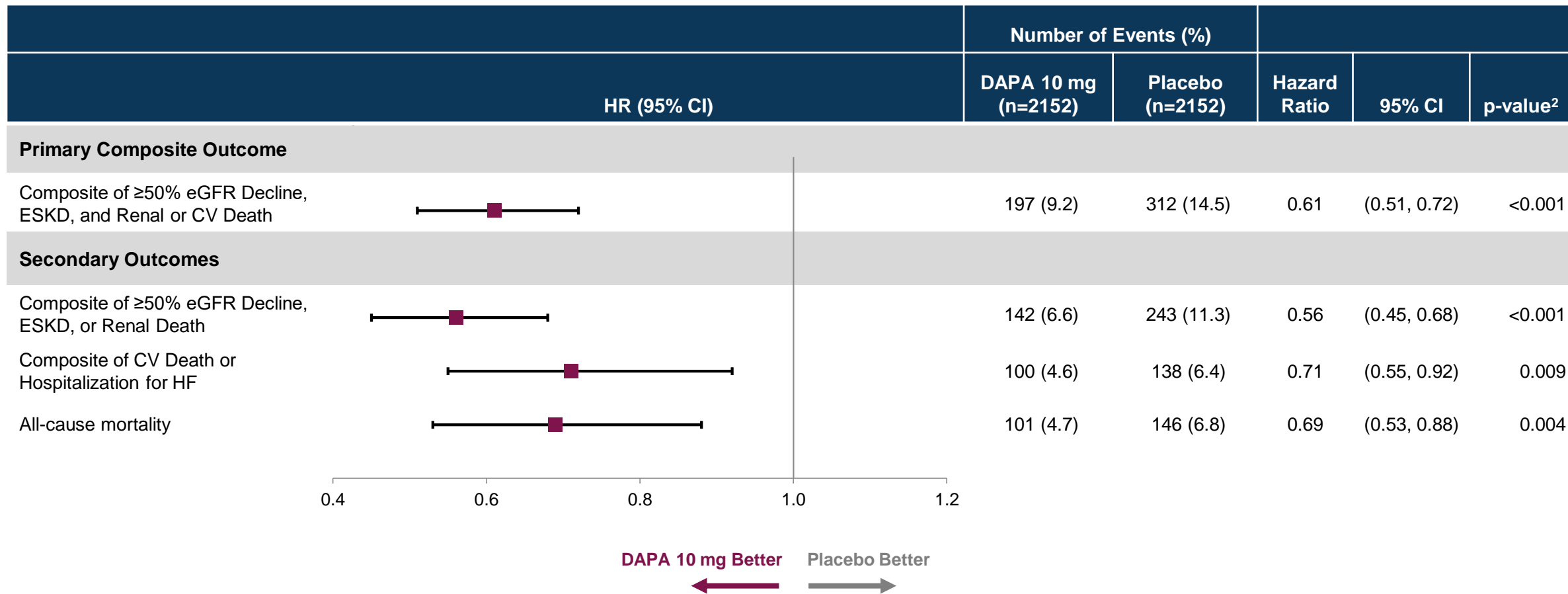
Secondary Composite Outcome: CV Death or Hospitalization for Heart Failure



ARR = absolute risk reduction; CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; HR = hazard ratio; RRR = relative risk reduction.

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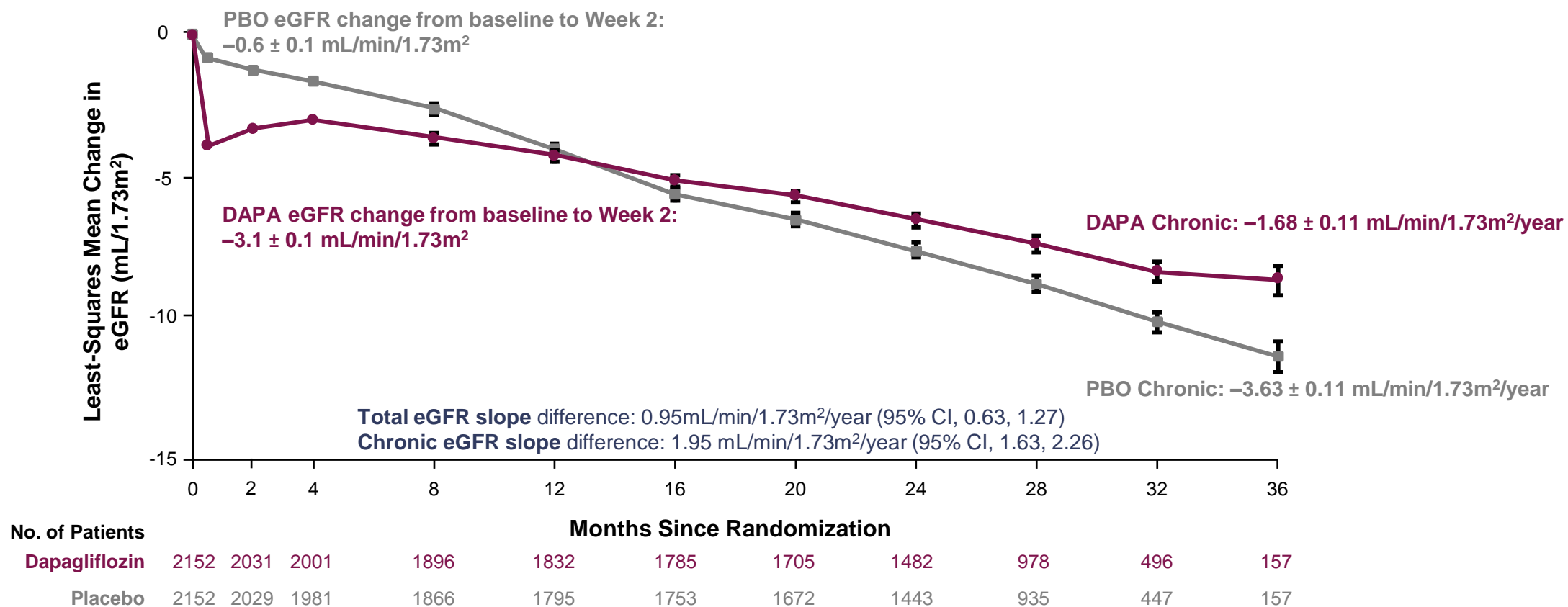
Statistical Significance Achieved for the Primary and All Secondary Outcomes^{1,2}



CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HF = heart failure.

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Change From Baseline in eGFR in the Overall Population^{1,2}



BL = baseline; CKD = chronic kidney disease; DAPA= dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; PBO = placebo.

1. Heerspink HJL et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2020; 383:1436-1446; 2. Heerspink HJL et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:743-754.

DAPA-CKD: Safety

Safety Outcomes¹

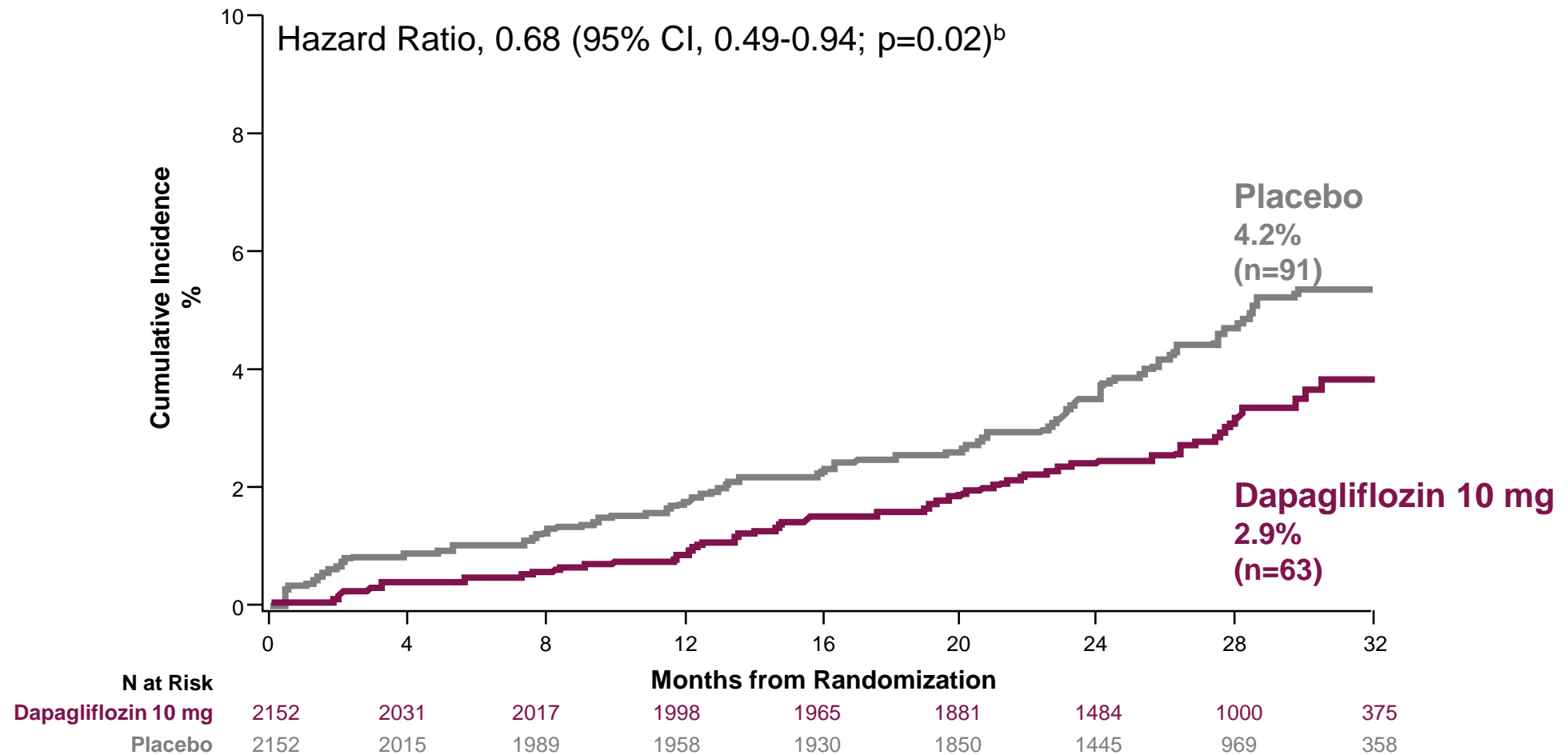
Safety Outcomes ^a , n (%)	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=2149)	Placebo (n=2149)	
Discontinuation of study drug	274 (12.7)	309 (14.4)	
Discontinuation due to adverse event	118 (5.5)	123 (5.7)	
Any serious adverse event	633 (29.5)	729 (33.9)	
Adverse events of interest			
Amputation ^b	35 (1.6)	39 (1.8)	
Any definite or probable diabetic ketoacidosis	0	2 (0.1)	
Fracture ^c	85 (4.0)	69 (3.2)	
Renal-related adverse event ^c	155 (7.2)	188 (8.7)	
Major hypoglycemia ^d	14 (0.7)	28 (1.3)	
Volume depletion ^c	127 (5.9)	90 (4.2)	
Serious adverse events of volume depletion	22 (1.0)	18 (0.8)	
Fournier's Gangrene	0	1(<0.1)	

^aSafety outcomes reported in participants on and off treatment; ^bSurgical or spontaneous/non-surgical amputation, excluding amputation due to trauma;

^cBased on pre-defined list of preferred terms; ^dAdverse events with the following criteria confirmed by the investigator: i) symptoms of severe impairment in consciousness or behavior, ii) need of external assistance, iii) intervention to treat hypoglycemia, iv) prompt recovery of acute symptoms following the intervention.

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Cumulative Incidence of AKI^a



^aPre-specified exploratory endpoint. Defined as doubling of serum creatinine since last central laboratory result. Referred to as “abrupt decline” in the publication;

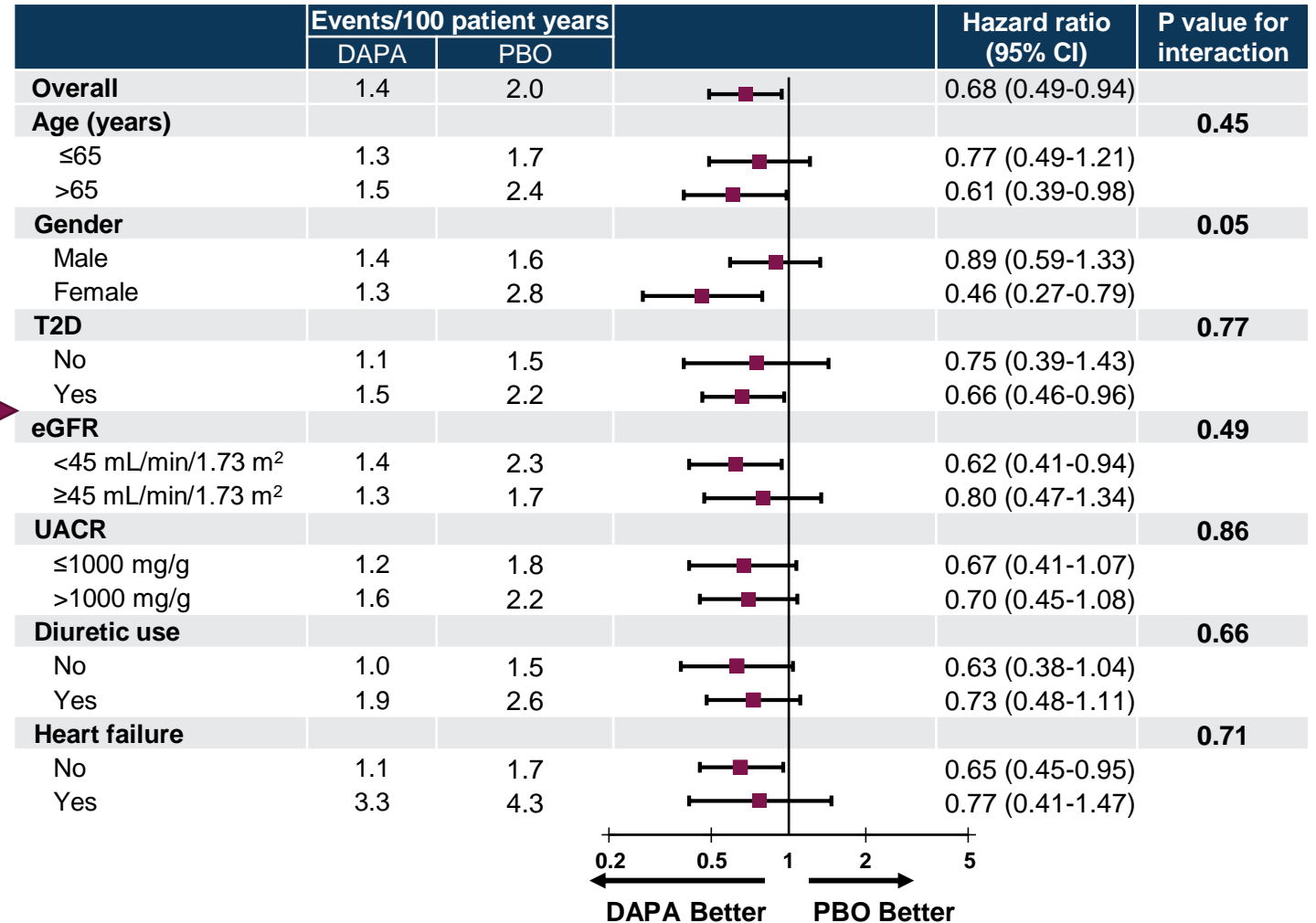
^bSubdistribution HR, 0.69; 95% CI, 0.50 to 0.95; p=0.02 using the Fine-Gray model which accounted for the competing risk of death.

AKI = acute kidney injury; CI = confidence interval.

Heerspink HJL et al. *Kidney Int.* 2022;101:174-184.

AKI by Baseline Subgroups^a

There was no heterogeneity in the effect of dapagliflozin on AKI based on age, diabetes status, baseline eGFR, degree of albuminuria, diuretic treatment, or presence of heart failure



^aPre-specified exploratory endpoint. Defined as doubling of serum creatinine since last central laboratory result.

AKI = acute kidney injury; CI = confidence interval; DAPA= dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; PBO = placebo; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

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DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

T2D Status

In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed according to baseline T2D status.¹

T2D = type 2 diabetes.

Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31

Demographics and Baseline Characteristics by Diabetes Status at Baseline (All Randomized Patients)

Characteristic ¹	Type 2 Diabetes		Without Type 2 Diabetes	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=1455)	Placebo (n=1451)	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=697)	Placebo (n=701)
Age (years), mean (SD)	64.1 (9.8)	64.7 (9.5)	56.9 (14.6)	56.0 (14.6)
Female sex, n (%)	494 (34)	471 (32)	215 (31)	245 (35)
Race, n (%)				
White	751 (52)	790 (54)	373 (54)	376 (54)
Black or African American	76 (5)	61 (4)	28 (4)	26 (4)
Asian	481 (33)	451 (31)	268 (38)	267 (38)
Other	147 (10)	149 (10)	28 (4)	32 (5)
Weight (kg), mean (SD)	83.2 (20.9)	83.8 (21.2)	77.9 (17.8)	78.3 (19.9)
BMI, kg/m ² , mean	30.3 ^{2,a}		27.9 ^{2,b}	
Current smoker, n (%)	195 (13)	200 (14)	88 (13)	101 (14)
Blood pressure (mmHg), mean (SD)				
Systolic	138.8 (17.6)	139.6 (17.1)	132.3 (16.4)	132.9 (16.9)
Diastolic	76.5 (10.4)	76.5 (9.9)	79.6 (10.9)	79.6 (10.8)
Hemoglobin (g/L), mean (SD)	126.3 (17.8)	125.6 (18.0)	133.4 (17.9)	132.7 (17.2)
Serum potassium (mmol/L), mean (SD)	4.7 (0.6)	4.7 (0.6)	4.6 (0.5)	4.6 (0.5)

^a n=2899; ^b n=1397.

BMI = body mass index; T2D = Type 2 diabetes.

1. Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31; 2. Wheeler DC et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2020;35:1700–1711.

Renal Characteristics by Diabetes Status at Baseline (All Randomized Patients)

Characteristic ¹	Type 2 Diabetes		Without Type 2 Diabetes	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=1455)	Placebo (n=1451)	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=697)	Placebo (n=701)
Serum creatinine, mg/dL, mean	1.6 ²		1.8 ²	
eGFR (mL/min/1.73m ²)	44.0 (12.6)	43.6 (12.6)	41.7 (11.5)	41.8 (11.9)
eGFR ≥60 mL/min/1.73m ² , n (%)	179 (12)	169 (12)	55 (8)	51 (7)
eGFR 45 to <60 mL/min/1.73m ² , n (%)	450 (31)	468 (32)	196 (28)	214 (31)
eGFR 30 to <45 mL/min/1.73m ² , n (%)	636 (44)	603 (42)	343 (49)	316 (45)
eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m ² , n (%)	190 (13)	211 (15)	103 (15)	120 (17)
UACR (mg/g), median (IQR)	1024.5 (472.5-2111.0)	1004.5 (493.3-2017.0)	870.5 (472.0-1533.5)	841.5 (458.5-1554.5)
UACR 30-300 mg/g (Stage A2), %	10.6 ²		9.7 ²	
UACR >300 mg/g (Stage A3), %	89.4 ²		90.3 ²	
UACR >1000 mg/g, n (%)	741 (51)	732 (50)	307 (44)	299 (43)

eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; IQR = interquartile range; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31; 2. Wheeler DC et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2020;35:1700–1711.

Medical History and Baseline Medications by Diabetes Status at Baseline (All Randomized Patients)

Characteristic ¹	Type 2 Diabetes		Without Type 2 Diabetes	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=1455)	Placebo (n=1451)	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=697)	Placebo (n=701)
HbA1c (%), mean (SD)	7.8 (1.7)	7.8 (1.6)	5.6 (0.4)	5.6 (0.4)
HbA1c (mmol/mol), mean (SD)	62 (18.6)	62 (17.5)	38 (4.4)	38 (4.4)
Obese (BMI ≥30 kg/m ²), %	49.4 ²		34.3 ²	
Hypertension, %	98.3 ²		90.5 ²	
Any history of CV disease, %	44.1 ²		23.5 ²	
Myocardial infarction, %	11.0 ²		5.1 ²	
Stroke, %	7.9 ²		4.9 ²	
Heart failure, n (%)	177 (12)	184 (13)	58 (8)	49 (7)
Prior medication, n (%)				
ACE inhibitor	451 (31)	443 (31)	222 (32)	238 (34)
ARB	984 (68)	974 (67)	460 (66)	452 (64)
Diuretic	718 (49)	747 (51)	210 (30)	207 (30)
Statin	1039 (71)	1043 (72)	356 (51)	356 (51)
Metformin (biguanides) ^c	629 (44)	613 (43)	-	-
SU derivative ^c	389 (27)	385 (27)	-	-
DPP4 inhibitor ^c	364 (25)	378 (26)	-	-
GLP-1 analog ^c	63 (4)	59 (4)	-	-
Insulin ^a	814 (56)	784 (54)	-	-

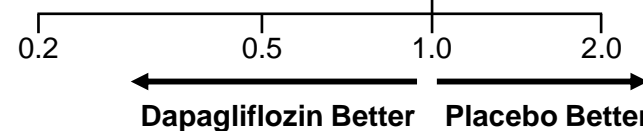
^aDapagliflozin n=1444; placebo n=1442.

ACE = angiotensin converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; BMI = body mass index; DPP4 = dipeptidyl peptidase-4; GLP-1 = glucagon-like peptide-1; HbA1c = glycated hemoglobin.

1. Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31; 2. Wheeler DC et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2020;35:1700–1711.

Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Diabetes Status

	Dapagliflozin 10 mg No. of patients with event/total no. patients	Placebo No. of patients with event/total no. patients	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P-value for Interaction
Primary outcome				0.24
Overall	197/2152	312/2152	0.61 (0.51, 0.72)	
With type 2 diabetes	152/1455	229/1451	0.64 (0.52, 0.79)	
Without type 2 diabetes	45/697	83/701	0.50 (0.35, 0.72)	
Renal-specific outcome				0.57
Overall	142/2152	243/2152	0.56 (0.45, 0.68)	
With type 2 diabetes	103/1455	173/1451	0.57 (0.45, 0.73)	
Without type 2 diabetes	39/697	70/701	0.51 (0.34, 0.75)	
CV death or hHF				0.78
Overall	100/2152	138/2152	0.71 (0.55, 0.92)	
With type 2 diabetes	85/1455	119/1451	0.70 (0.53, 0.92)	
Without type 2 diabetes	15/697	19/701	0.79 (0.40, 1.55)	
All-cause mortality				0.25
Overall	101/2152	146/2152	0.69 (0.53, 0.88)	
With type 2 diabetes	84/1455	113/1451	0.74 (0.56, 0.98)	
Without type 2 diabetes	17/697	33/701	0.52 (0.29, 0.93)	



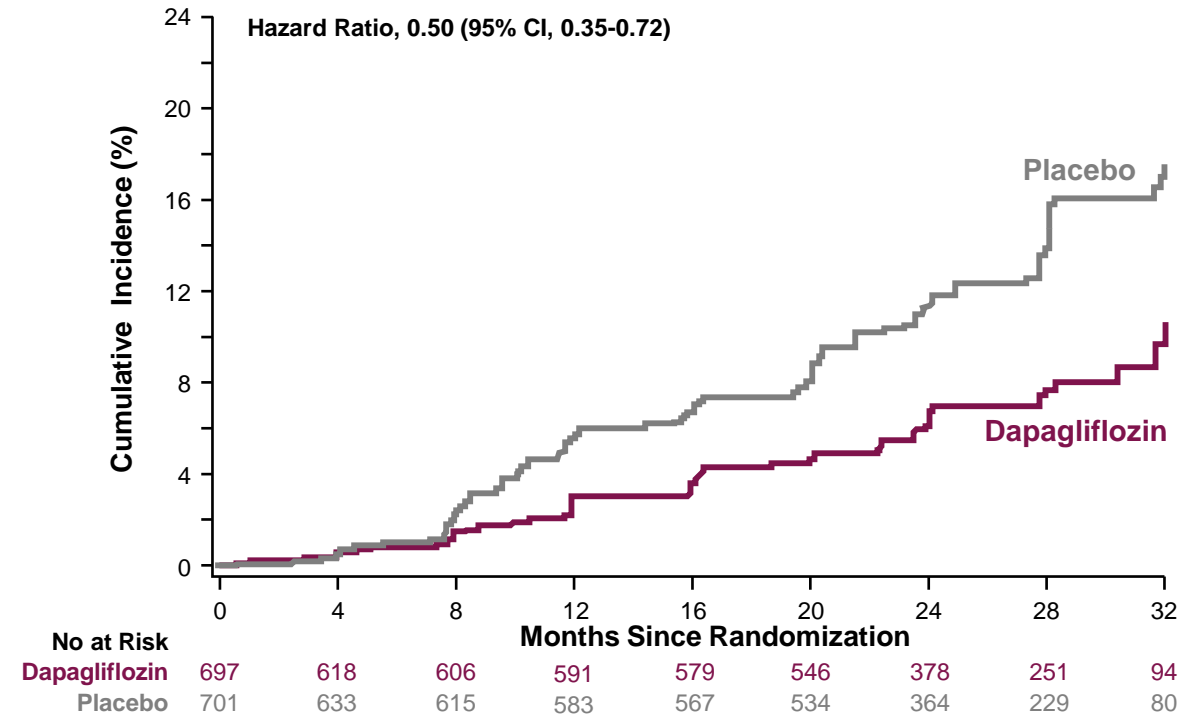
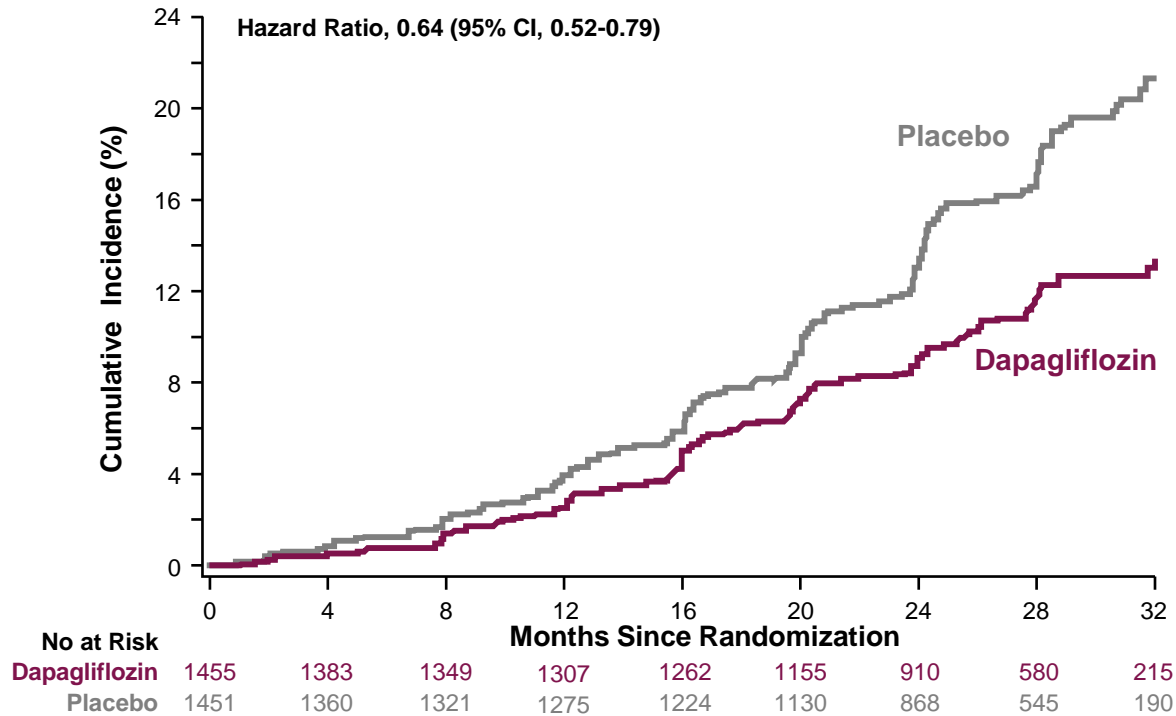
CV = cardiovascular; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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Primary Outcome (Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR Decline, ESKD, Renal or CV Death^a) by Diabetes Status

Patients With T2D

Patients Without T2D



p-interaction=0.24

^aESKD defined as the need for maintenance dialysis (peritoneal or hemodialysis) for at least 28 days and renal transplantation or sustained eGFR <15mL/min/1.73m² for at least 28 days. Renal death was defined as death due to ESKD when dialysis treatment was deliberately withheld for any reason.²

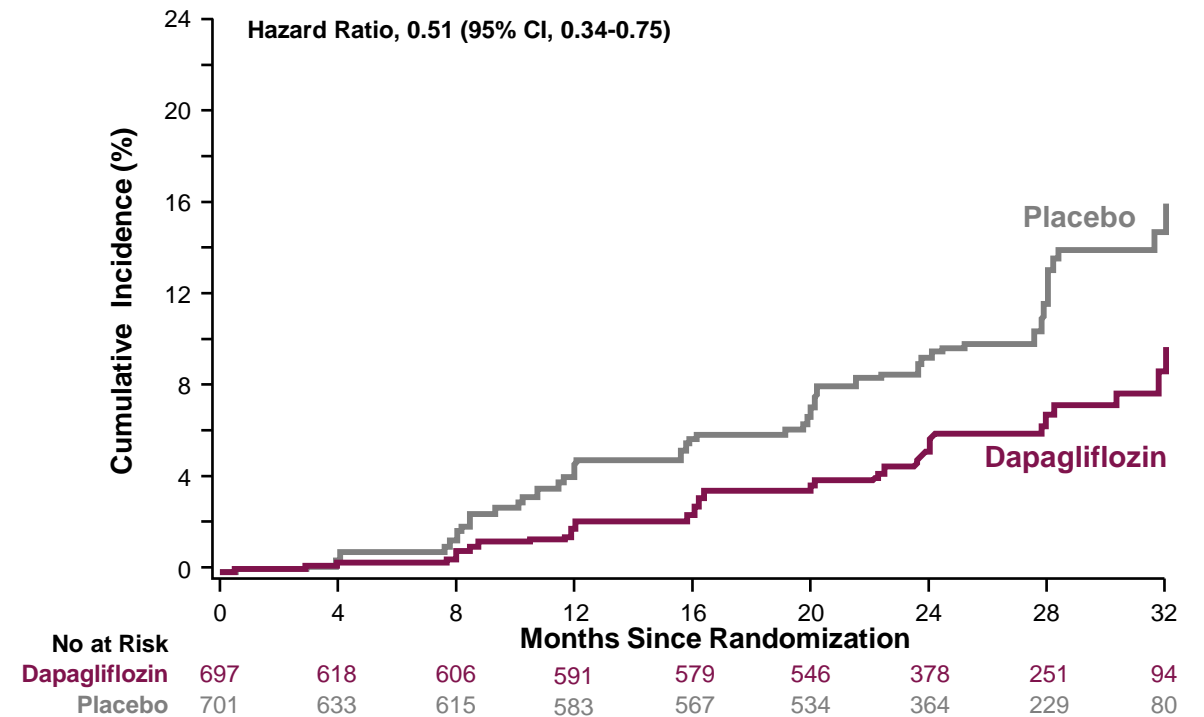
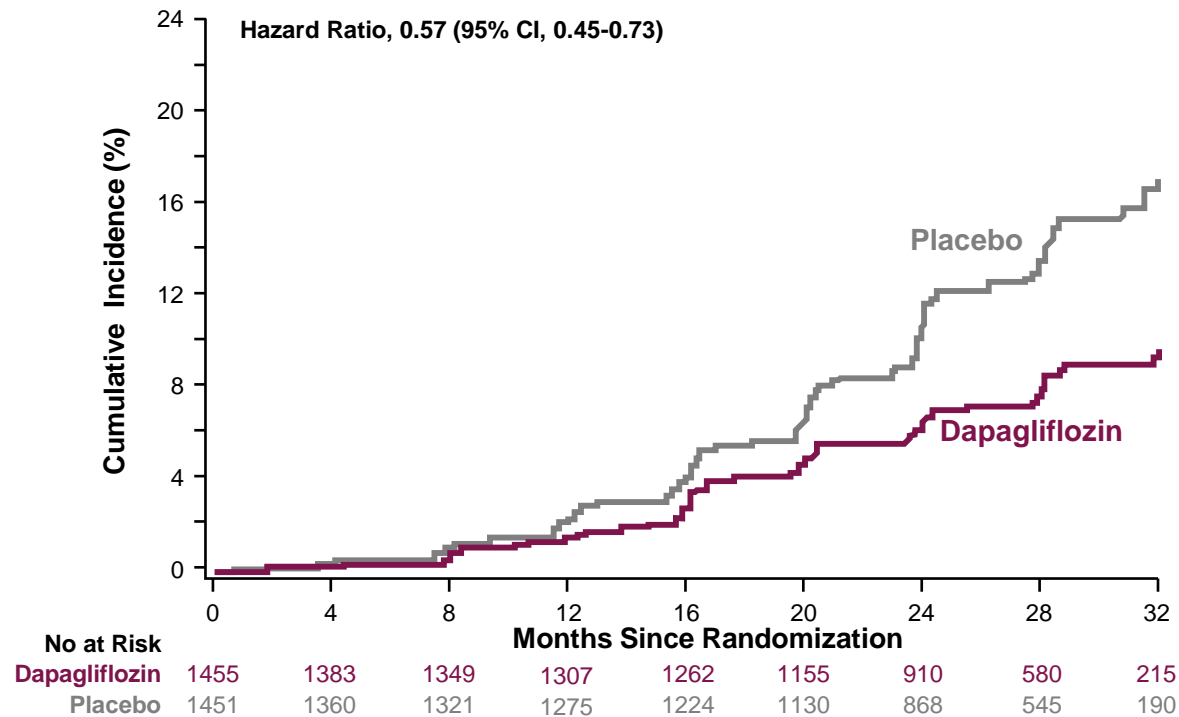
CV= cardiovascular; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

1. Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31; 2. Heerspink HJL et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2020;35:274–282.

Secondary Renal-Specific Composite Outcome (Sustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR Decline, ESKD, or Renal Death^a) by Diabetes Status

Patients With T2D

Patients Without T2D



p-interaction=0.57

^aESKD defined as the need for maintenance dialysis (peritoneal or hemodialysis) for at least 28 days and renal transplantation or sustained eGFR $< 15\text{mL}/\text{min}/1.73\text{m}^2$ for at least 28 days. Renal death was defined as death due to ESKD when dialysis treatment was deliberately withheld for any reason.²

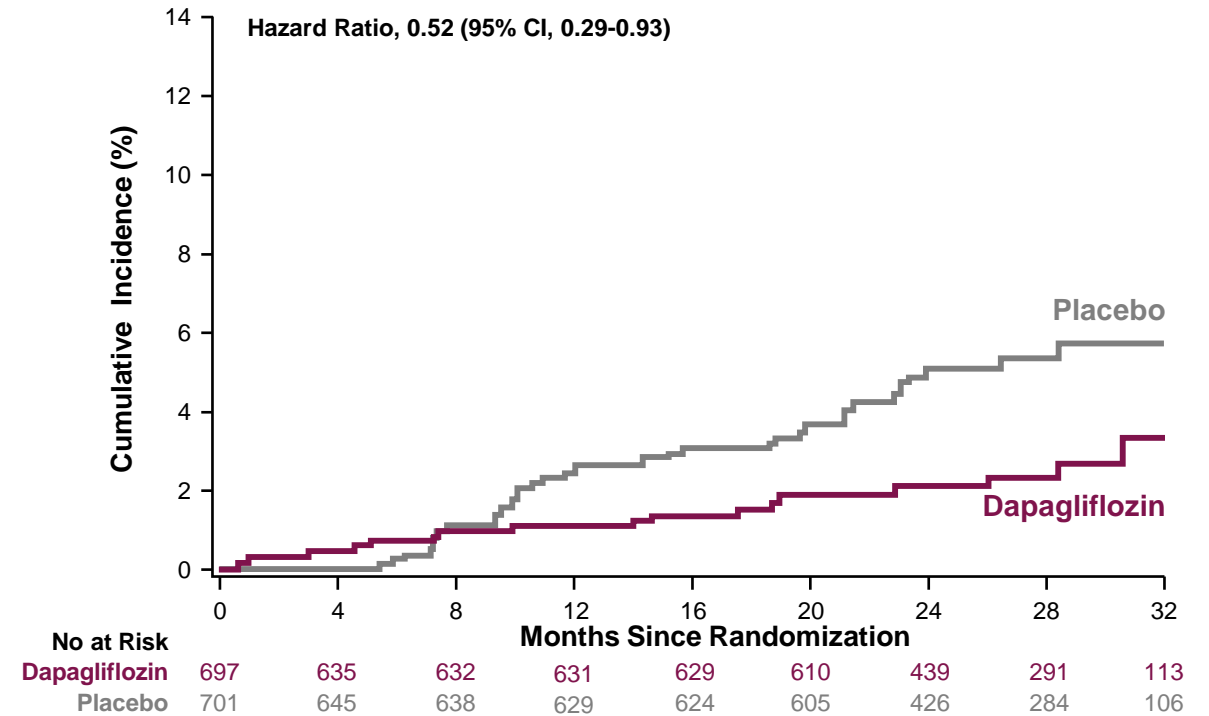
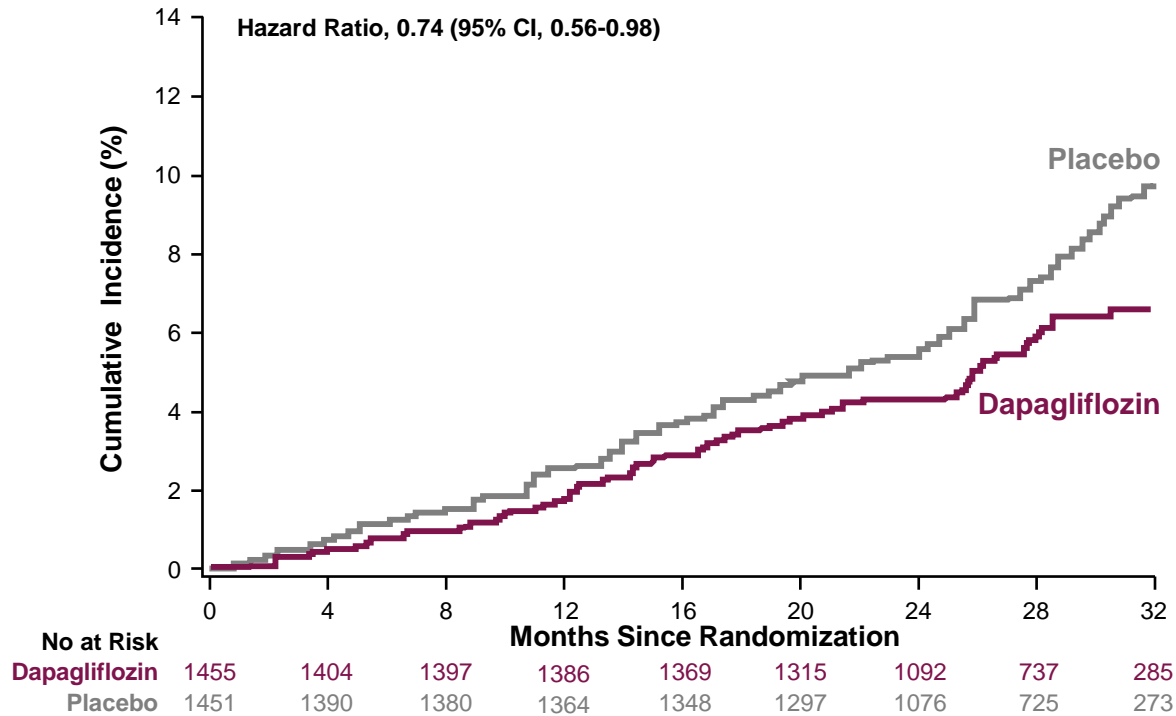
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Secondary Outcome (All-Cause Mortality) by Diabetes Status

Patients With T2D

Patients Without T2D



p-interaction=0.25

Safety by Diabetes Status

Safety outcomes ^a , %	With T2D			Without T2D			p-interaction
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=1453)	Placebo (n=1450)	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=696)	Placebo (n=699)	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	
Discontinuation due to AE	6	6	0.86 (0.63, 1.17)	5	4	1.26 (0.77, 2.09)	0.20
Any serious AE ^b	33	39	0.79 (0.68, 0.92)	22	24	0.88 (0.68, 1.12)	0.48
AE of special interest							
Amputation ^c	2	3	0.92 (0.57, 1.46)	0	<1%	NA	0.26
Any definite or probable DKA	0	<1%	NA	-	-	-	NA
Fracture ^d	4	4	1.28 (0.89, 1.87)	3	3	1.12 (0.59, 2.15)	0.72
Renal-related adverse event ^d	8	10	0.80 (0.62, 1.03)	5	6	0.85 (0.53, 1.35)	0.83
Major hypoglycemia ^e	1	2	0.49 (0.25, 0.93)	-	-	-	1.00
Volume depletion ^d	6	5	1.31 (0.96, 1.81)	5	3	1.90 (1.09, 3.41)	0.27

^aSafety analysis set; ^bIncludes death; ^cSurgical or spontaneous/non-surgical amputation, excluding amputation due to trauma; ^dBased on pre-defined list of preferred terms; ^eAE with the following criteria confirmed by the investigator: i) symptoms of severe impairment in consciousness or behavior, ii) need of external assistance, iii) intervention to treat hypoglycemia, iv) prompt recovery of acute symptoms following the intervention.

AE = adverse event; DKA = diabetic ketoacidosis; NA = not applicable; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

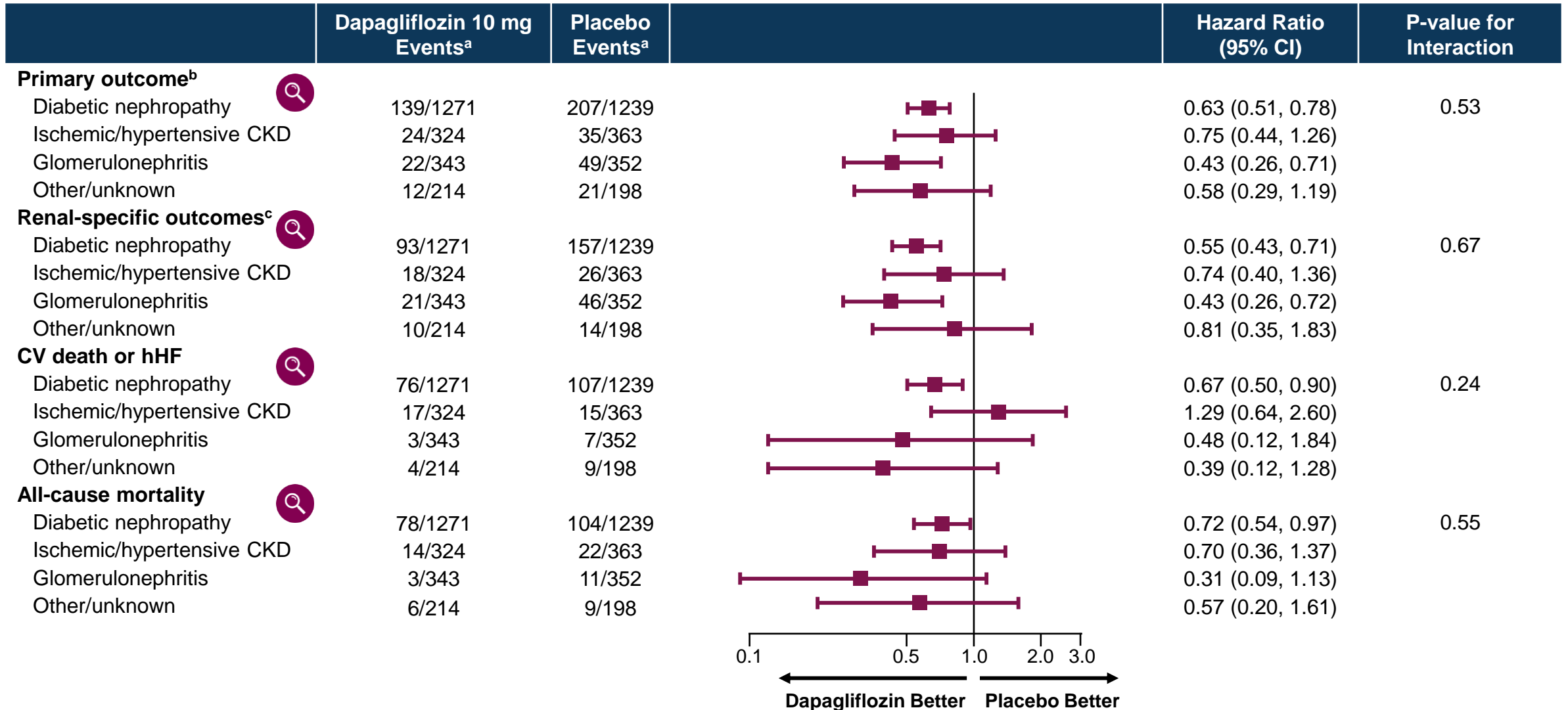
Etiology

In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed according to the underlying cause of kidney disease

Baseline Characteristics by Underlying Cause of Kidney Disease

Characteristic	Diabetic Nephropathy		Ischemic / Hypertensive CKD		Glomerulonephritis		Other / Unknown	
	DAPA (n=1271)	PBO (n=1239)	DAPA (n=324)	PBO (n=363)	DAPA (n=343)	PBO (n=352)	DAPA (n=214)	PBO (n=198)
Age, years, mean	64.2	65.0	64.2	63.1	51.9	51.7	59.6	58.4
Sex, female, %	34.2	33.0	26.9	27.5	34.1	38.9	32.7	35.4
Race, %								
White	51.7	54.6	54.6	54.5	48.1	50.0	58.4	58.6
Black or African American	5.2	4.0	7.7	8.0	1.7	0.9	3.3	3.0
Asian	32.2	30.1	32.1	30.0	47.2	46.6	34.6	36.4
Other	10.9	11.4	5.6	7.4	2.9	2.6	3.7	2.0
Weight, kg, mean	82.9	83.4	82.7	83.5	77.2	77.2	78.1	79.6
Blood pressure, mmHg, mean	139.1/76.4	139.8/76.2	137.9/79.6	139.5/79.5	128.8/79.0	128.6/78.2	133.9/78.6	134.6/80.7
eGFR, mL/min/1.73m ² , mean	44.2	43.5	42.0	42.0	42.9	42.8	40.2	41.7
UACR, mg/g, median	1056.0	1037.5	801.0	711.0	975.0	981.2	794.5	841.0

Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Underlying Cause of Kidney Disease



^aEvent data are numbers of patients with an outcome event/total patients; ^bSustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, renal or CV death; ^cSustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, or renal death; CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; Wheeler DC et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31.

Adverse Events by Kidney Disease Diagnosis at Baseline¹

Etiology, n	Dapagliflozin 10 mg (n=2149)	Placebo (n=2149)	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P-value for interaction
Diabetic nephropathy	1269	1239		
Hypertensive CKD	324	362		
Glomerulonephritis	343	351		
<i>IgA nephropathy</i> ²	137	133		
FSGS ³	45	58		
Other / Unknown	213	197		
Outcome, n (%)				
Discontinuation due to adverse event, n (%)				0.0352
Diabetic nephropathy	71 (5.6)	82 (6.6)	0.84 (0.60, 1.16)	
Hypertensive CKD	17 (5.2)	18 (5.0)	1.06 (0.53, 2.10)	
Glomerulonephritis	16 (4.7)	20 (5.7)	0.81 (0.41, 1.59)	
<i>IgA nephropathy</i> ²	6 (4.4)	7 (5.3)		
FSGS ³	3 (6.7)	3 (5.2)		
Other / Unknown	14 (6.6)	3 (1.5)	4.55 (1.46, 19.96)	
Any serious adverse event, n (%)^a				0.1363
Diabetic nephropathy	427 (33.6)	492 (39.7)	0.77 (0.65, 0.91)	
Hypertensive CKD	94 (29.0)	108 (29.8)	0.96 (0.69, 1.34)	
Glomerulonephritis	64 (18.7)	91 (25.9)	0.66 (0.46, 0.94)	
<i>IgA nephropathy</i> ²	22 (16.1)	34 (25.6)		
FSGS ³	9 (20.0)	16 (27.6)		
Other / Unknown	48 (22.5)	38 (19.3)	1.22 (0.76, 1.97)	

^aIncludes death.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; FSGS = focal segmental glomerulosclerosis; IgA = immunoglobulin A.

1. Wheeler DC et al. Article and supplementary appendix. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2021;9:22–31; 2. Wheeler DC et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;100:215-224; 3. Wheeler DC et al. Online ahead of print. *Nephrol Dial Transplant.* 2021.

DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

IgA Nephropathy

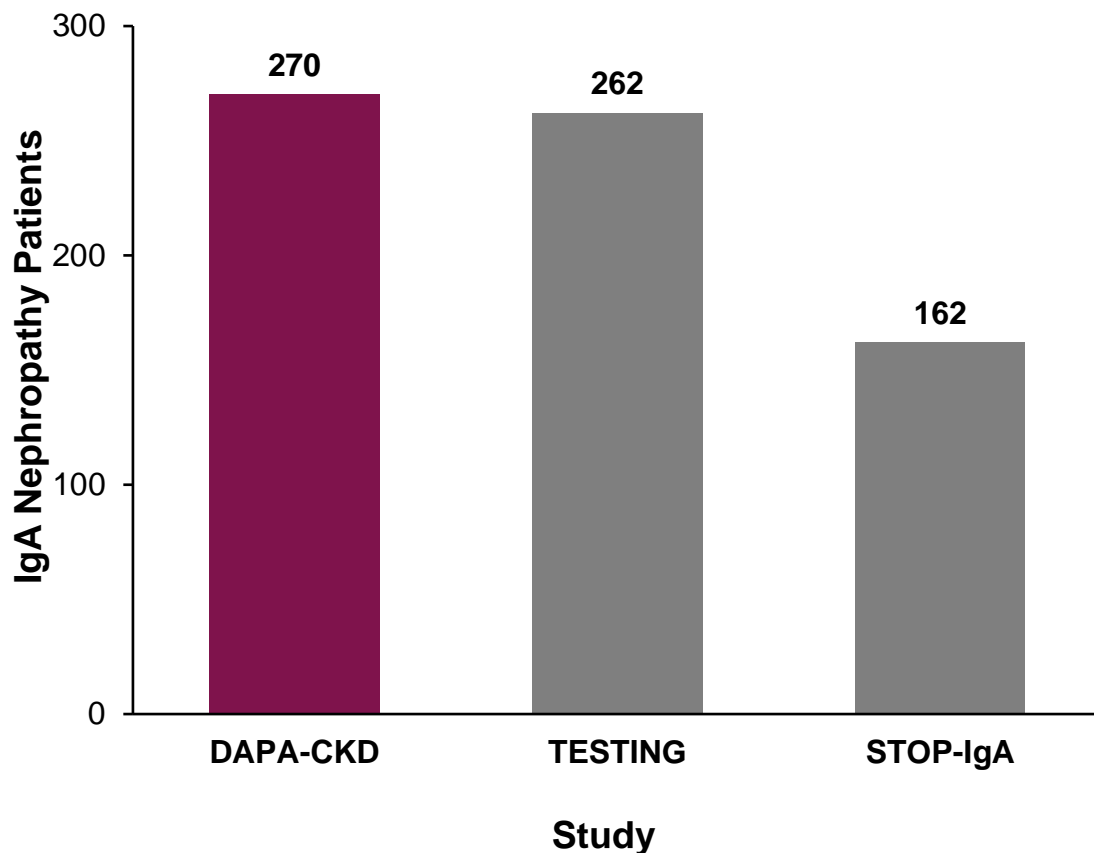
In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed in patients with CKD due to IgA Nephropathy

Baseline Characteristics in Patients with IgA Nephropathy

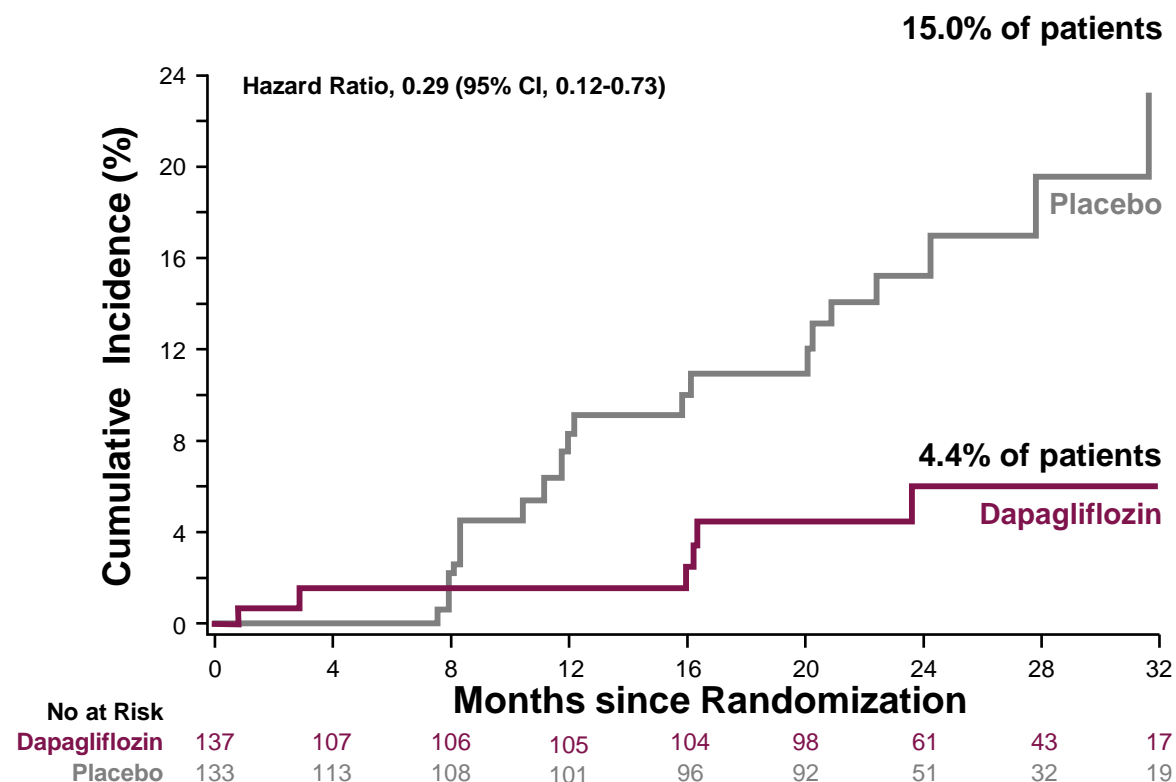
Characteristic	Dapagliflozin (n=137)	Placebo (n=133)	Total (n=270)
Age (years), mean (SD)	52.2 (13.1)	50.1 (13.1)	51.2 (13.1)
Female sex, n (%)	44 (32.1)	44 (33.1)	88 (32.6)
Race, n (%)			
White	54 (39.4)	54 (40.6)	108 (40.0)
Black	0 (0)	1 (0.8)	1 (0.4)
Asian	82 (59.9)	77 (57.9)	159 (58.9)
Other	1 (0.7)	1 (0.8)	2 (0.7)
Weight (kg), mean (SD)	75.1 (15.4)	78.7 (20.2)	76.8 (18.0)
Blood pressure (mmHg), mean (SD)			
Systolic	127.7 (16.2)	127.0 (13.9)	127.4 (15.1)
Diastolic	78.7 (11.8)	79.5 (10.1)	79.1 (11.0)
eGFR (mL/min/1.73m ²), mean (SD)	44.3 (12.4)	43.2 (12.0)	43.8 (12.2)
UACR (mg/g), median (Q1–Q3)	889.5 (557.5-1472.0)	902.5 (500.5-1633.0)	900 (539.6-1515.0)
Type 2 diabetes diagnosis, n (%)	24 (17.5)	14 (10.5)	38 (14.1)
IgA nephropathy confirmed by previous biopsy, n (%)	129 (94)	125 (94)	254 (94)

Further Exploring the Effect of Dapagliflozin by Causes Of Kidney Disease in DAPA-CKD – IgA Nephropathy

Number of participants with IgA nephropathy in clinical trials¹



Primary outcome in participants with IgA nephropathy^{2,3}



CKD = chronic kidney disease; IgA = immunoglobulin A

1. Wheeler DC et al. *Nephrol Dial Transplant*. 2020;35:1700–1711; 2. Wheeler DC et al. Article and supplementary appendix. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol*. 2021;9:22–31;

3. Wheeler DC et al. *Kidney Int*. 2021;100:215-224.

Key Endpoints in Patients with IgA Nephropathy

	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	p-value
	No. of patients/total no.	No. of patients/total no.	Events/100 patient-years	Events/100 patient-years		
Primary endpoint ^a	6/137	20/133	2.5	8.8	0.29 (0.12, 0.73)	0.005
Kidney-specific endpoint ^b	5/137	20/133	2.1	8.8	0.24 (0.09, 0.65)	0.002
ESKD ^c	5/137	16/133	2.1	6.9	0.30 (0.11, 0.83)	0.014
Composite endpoint of chronic dialysis, kidney transplant and kidney death	2/137	10/133	0.8	4.0	0.23 (0.05, 1.04)	NC

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Dapagliflozin Better ← → Placebo Better

^aComposite of sustained $\geq 50\%$ decline in eGFR, onset of ESKD, or death from a kidney or cardiovascular cause; ^bComposite of sustained $\geq 50\%$ decline in eGFR, onset of ESKD, or death from a kidney cause; ^cMaintenance dialysis for ≥ 28 days, kidney transplantation, or eGFR < 15 mL/min/1.73 m² confirmed by a second measurement after 28 days.

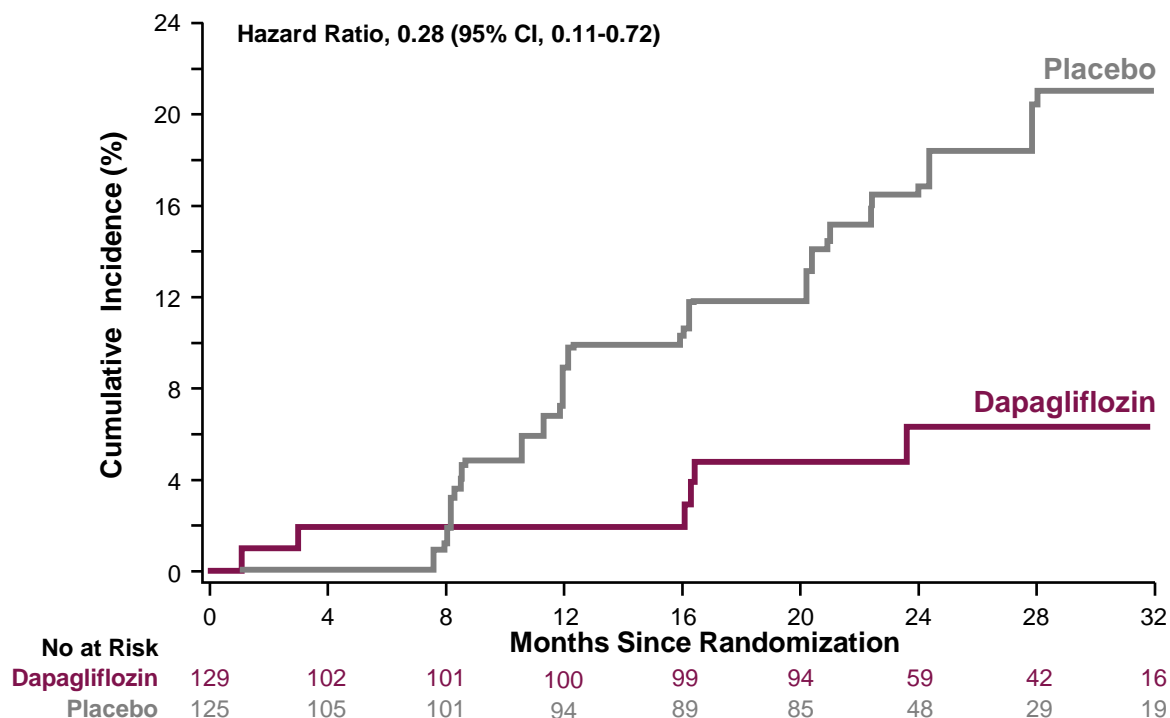
eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; IgA = immunoglobulin A.

Wheeler DC et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;100:215-224.

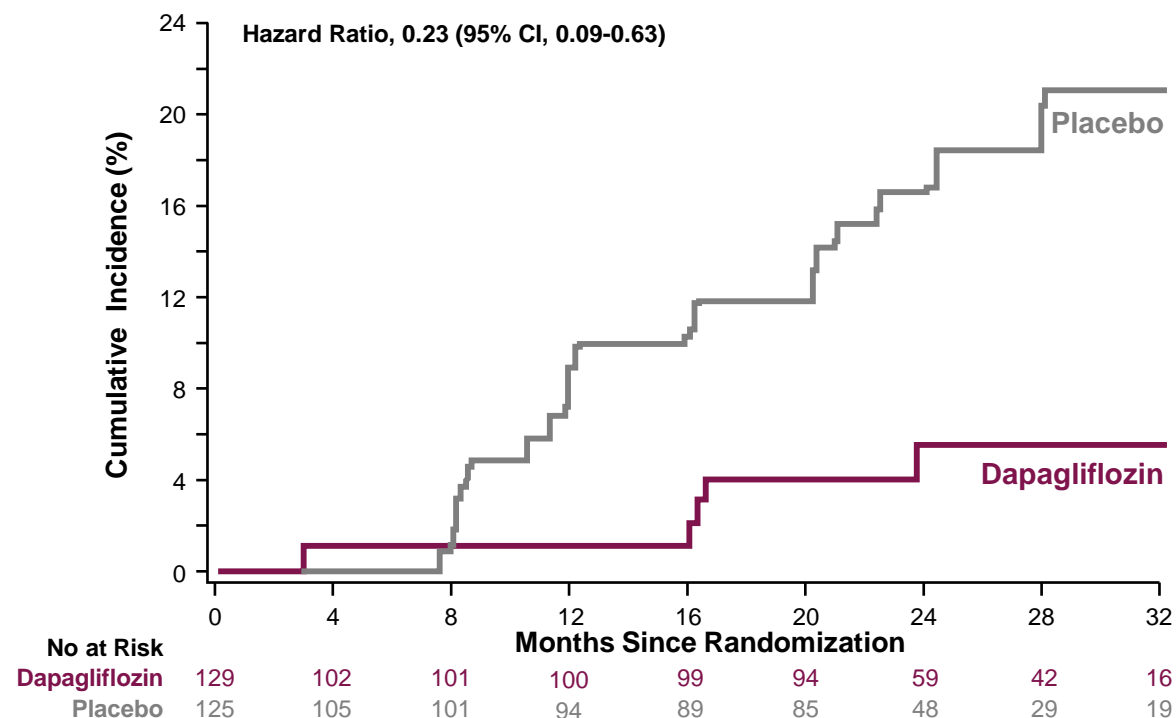
Outcomes in Patients with IgA Nephropathy Confirmed With a Biopsy

Diagnosis of IgA nephropathy was confirmed by previous biopsy in 254 (94%) patients

Primary Outcome^a



Kidney-specific Outcome^b

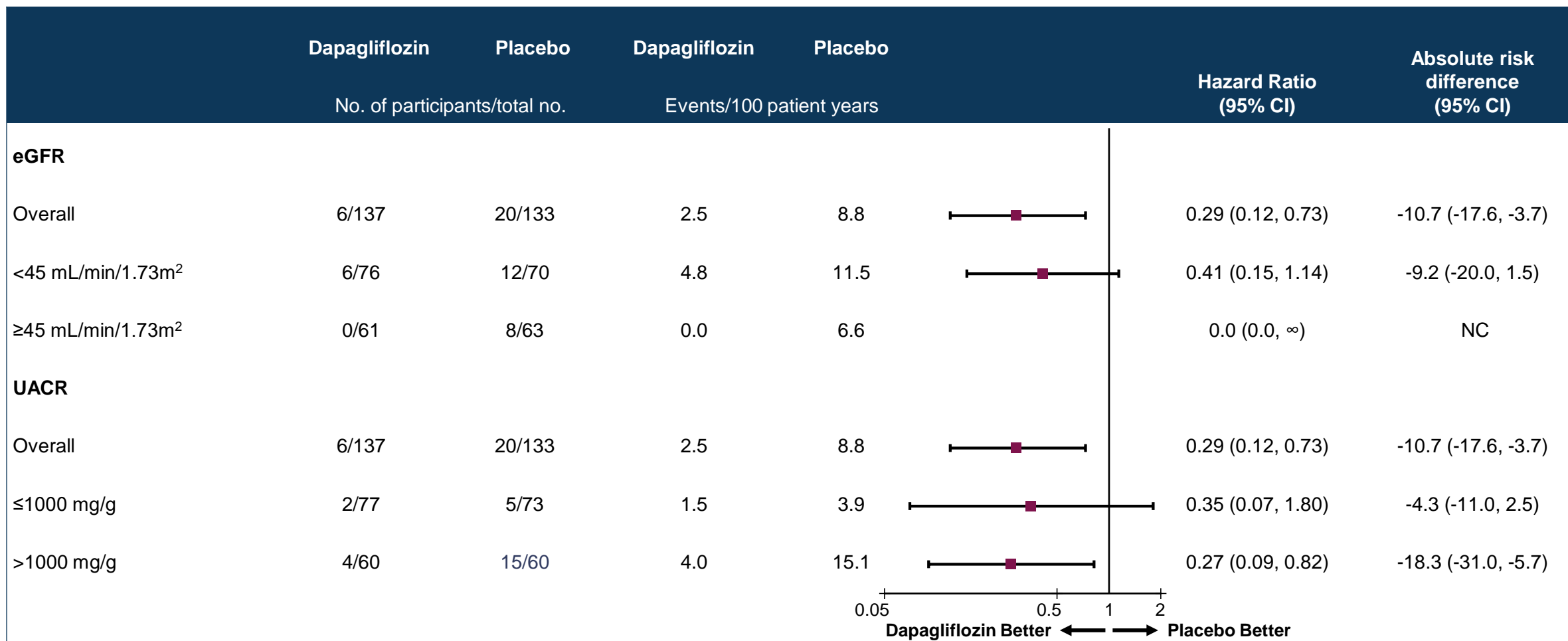


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eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; IgA = immunoglobulin A.

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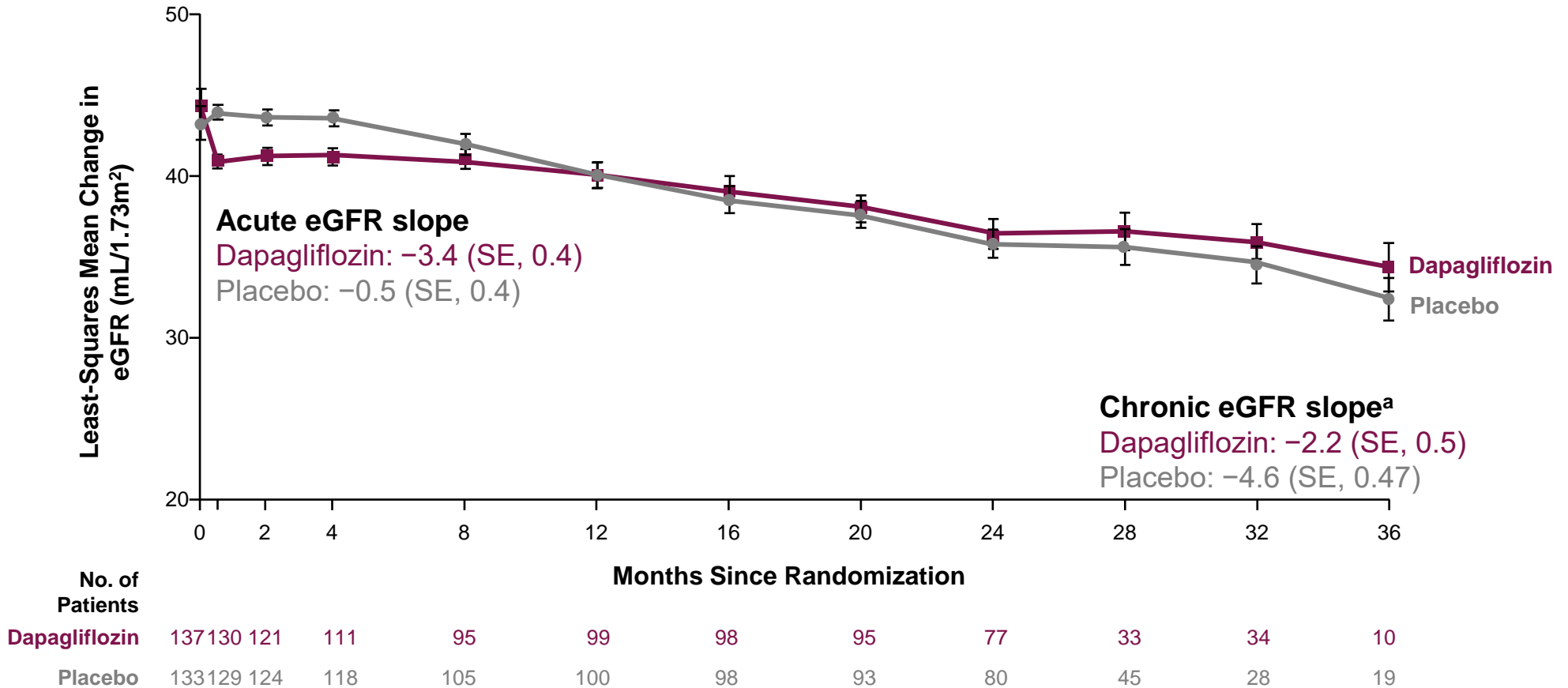
Primary composite endpoint by pre-specified baseline eGFR and UACR subgroups in patients with IgA nephropathy



eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; IgA = immunoglobulin A; NC = not calculable; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio

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Changes Over Time in eGFR Trajectory in Patients With IgA Nephropathy



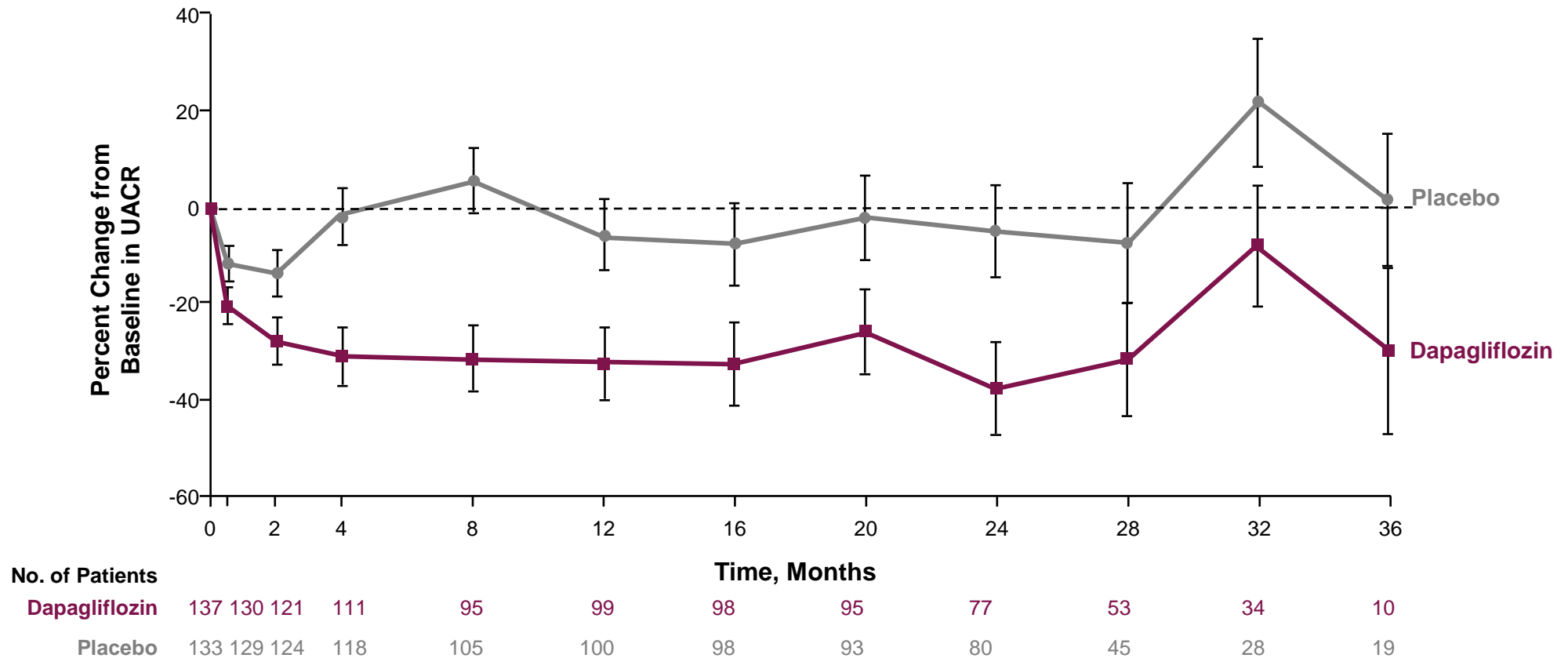
Error bars represent standard error.

^aChronic eGFR slope defined as annual mean change with DAPA vs PBO from week 2.

eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; IgA = immunoglobulin A; SE = standard error.

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Changes Over Time in UACR in Patients With IgA Nephropathy^a



Mean difference^b: -26 (95% CI, -37 to -14; p<0.001)

^aError bars represent standard error; ^bDapagliflozin versus placebo.

eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; IgA = immunoglobulin A; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Wheeler DC et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;100:215-224.

Safety outcomes

Safety outcomes	Dapagliflozin (n=137)	Placebo (n=133)
Adverse events leading to discontinuation of the study drug, n (%)	6 (4.4)	7 (5.3)
Serious adverse event, ^a n (%)	22 (16.1)	34 (25.6)

^aIncludes death.

IgA = immunoglobulin A.

Wheeler DC et al. *Kidney Int.* 2021;100:215-224.

DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

FSGS

In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed in patients with CKD due to FSGS

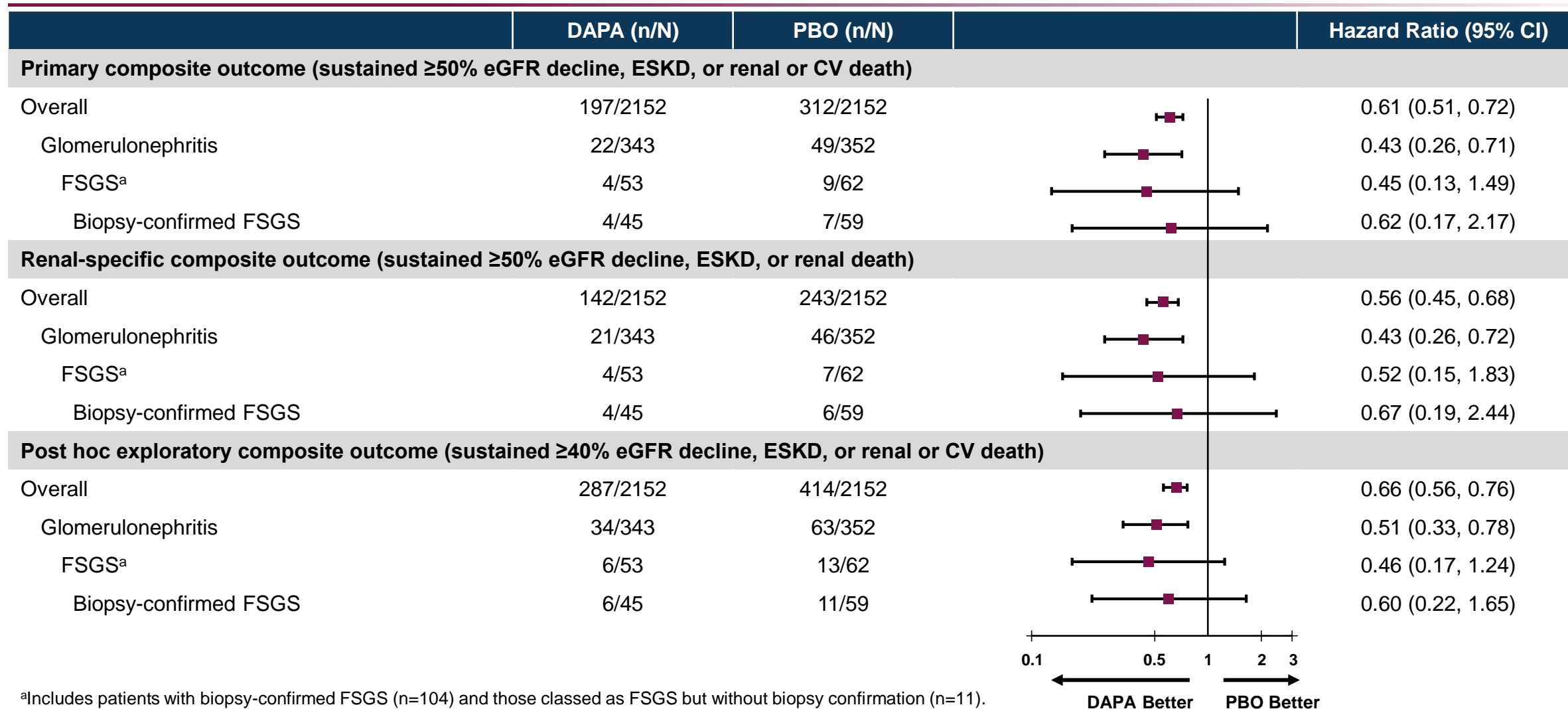
Baseline Characteristics in the Biopsy-Confirmed FSGS Subgroup

Characteristic	Dapagliflozin (n=45)	Placebo (n=59)	Total (n=104)
Age, years, mean	52.2	55.4	54.0
Sex, female, %	28.9	35.6	32.7
Race, %			
White	62.2	50.8	55.8
Black or African-American	11.1	3.4	6.7
Asian	17.8	37.3	28.8
Other	8.9	8.5	8.7
Weight, kg, mean	89.9	81.7	85.3
BMI, kg/m ² , mean	30.7	28.7	29.6
Blood pressure, mmHg, mean	127/76	129/76	128/76
eGFR, mL/min/1.73m ² , mean	40.3	43.2	41.9
UACR, mg/g, median	997	1410	1248
Type 2 diabetes, %	11.1	25.4	19.2
Prior medications, %			
ACE inhibitor	37.8	35.6	36.5
ARB	62.2	61.0	61.5

ACE = angiotensin-converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin-receptor blocker; BMI = body mass index; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; FSGS = focal segmental glomerulosclerosis; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Wheeler DC et al. Online ahead of print. *Nephrol Dial Transplant*. 2021.

Outcomes in Patients With FSGS



^aIncludes patients with biopsy-confirmed FSGS (n=104) and those classed as FSGS but without biopsy confirmation (n=11).

CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; FSGS = focal segmental glomerulosclerosis; PBO = placebo.

Wheeler, David C et al. "Safety and efficacy of dapagliflozin in patients with focal segmental glomerulosclerosis: a prespecified analysis of the dapagliflozin and prevention of adverse outcomes in chronic kidney disease (DAPA-CKD) trial." *Nephrology, dialysis, transplantation* : vol. 37,9 (2022): 1647-1656. doi:10.1093/ndt/gfab335

Safety Outcomes

Safety outcomes, n (%)	Dapagliflozin (n=45)	Placebo (n=58)
Adverse events leading to discontinuation of the study drug	3 (6.7)	3 (5.2)
Any serious adverse event ^a	9 (20.0)	16 (27.6)

- No cases of major hypoglycemia or diabetic ketoacidosis were reported.

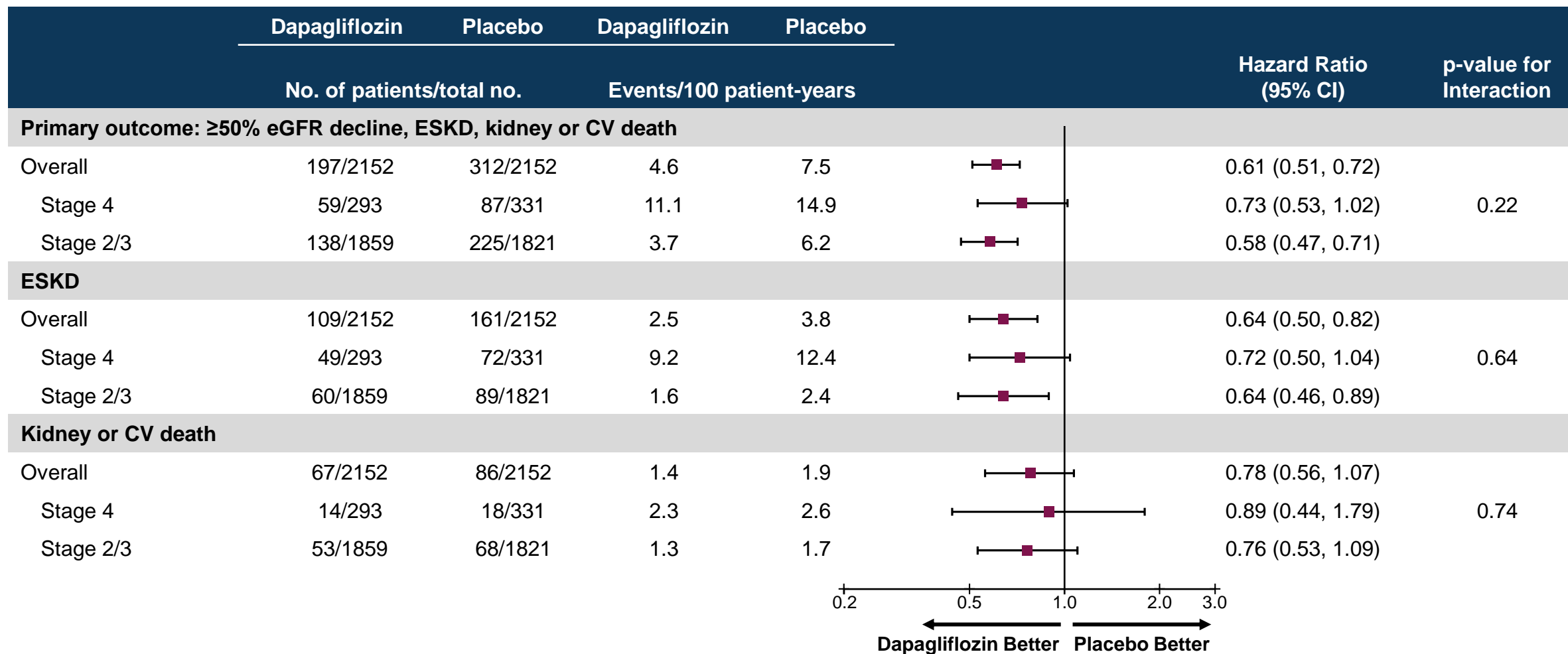
^aIncludes death.

DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

Stage 4 CKD

In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed by stage of CKD, including Stage 4 CKD (<30 ml/min/1.73m²)

Primary Outcome According to CKD Stage



NOTE: Stage 4 CKD = eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m²; Stage 2/3 CKD = eGFR ≥30 mL/min/1.73m²
 CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease.
 Chertow GM et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2021;32:2352-2361.

Secondary Outcomes According to CKD Stage

	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P-value for Interaction
	No. of patients/ total no.		Events/100 patient-years			
Kidney composite outcome: \geq50% eGFR decline, ESKD, or kidney death						
Overall	142/2152	243/2152	3.3	5.8	0.56 (0.45, 0.68)	
Stage 4	49/293	73/331	9.2	12.5	0.71 (0.49, 1.02)	0.13
Stage 2/3	93/1859	170/1821	2.5	4.7	0.51 (0.40, 0.66)	
CV death or heart failure hospitalization						
Overall	100/2152	138/2152	2.2	3.0	0.71 (0.55, 0.92)	
Stage 4	18/293	24/331	2.9	3.6	0.83 (0.45, 1.53)	0.63
Stage 2/3	82/1859	114/1821	2.0	2.9	0.69 (0.52, 0.92)	
All-cause death						
Overall	101/2152	146/2152	2.2	3.1	0.69 (0.53, 0.88)	
Stage 4	19/293	31/331	3.0	4.6	0.68 (0.39, 1.21)	0.95
Stage 2/3	82/1859	115/1821	2.0	2.9	0.69 (0.52, 0.92)	

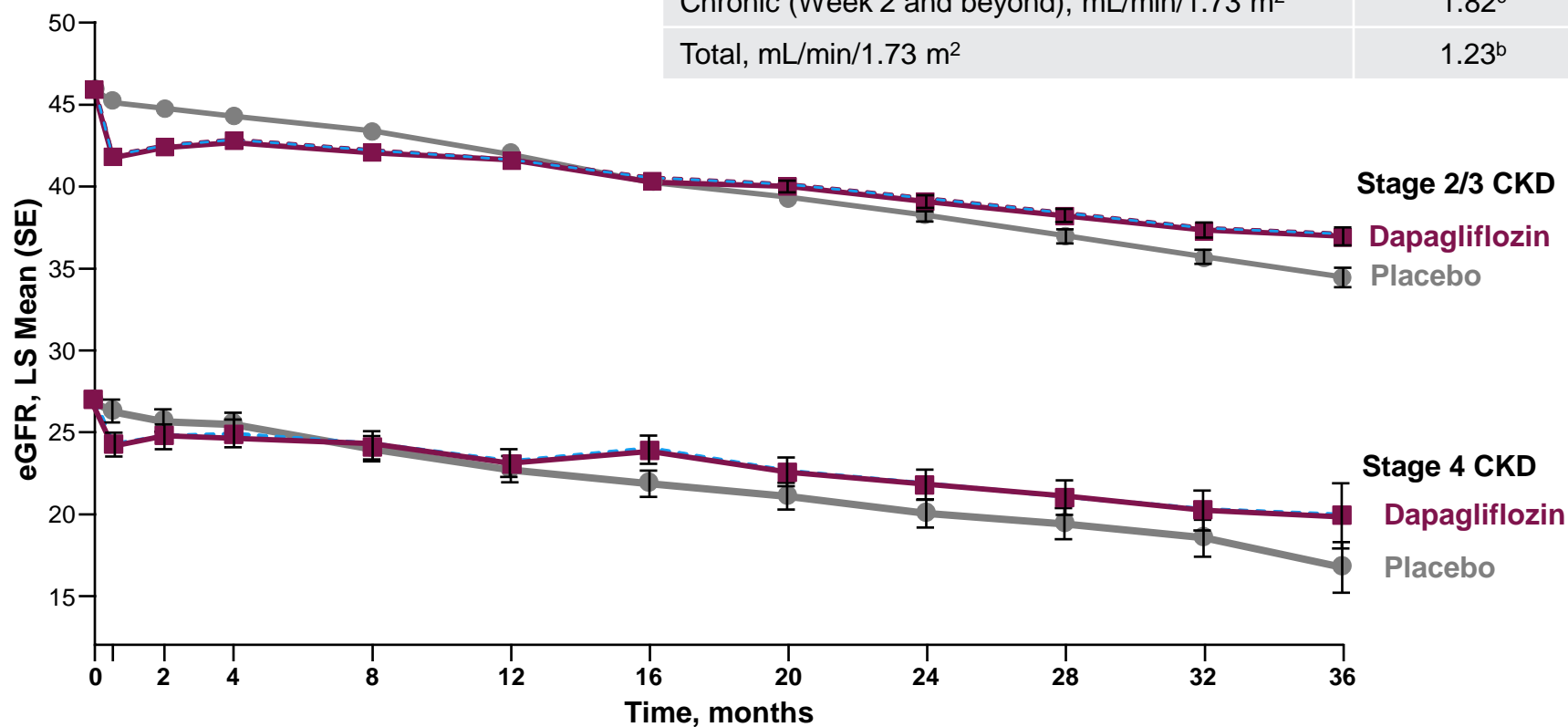
NOTE: Stage 4 CKD = eGFR $<$ 30 mL/min/1.73m²; Stage 2/3 CKD = eGFR \geq 30 mL/min/1.73m².

CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease.

Chertow GM et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2021;32:2352-2361.

eGFR Decline Over the Study by Baseline CKD Stage

Between-group slope difference ^a	Stage 4 CKD	Stage 2/3 CKD
Acute (2 weeks), mL/min/1.73 m ²	-1.42 ^b	-2.56
Chronic (Week 2 and beyond), mL/min/1.73 m ²	1.82 ^c	1.95
Total, mL/min/1.73 m ²	1.23 ^b	0.89



NOTE: Stage 4 CKD = eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m²; Stage 2/3 CKD = eGFR ≥30 mL/min/1.73m².

^aDapagliflozin vs placebo; ^bp=0.005 vs PBO; ^cp<0.0001 vs PBO.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; NA = not available; PBO = placebo.

Chertow GM et al. *J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2021;32:2352-2361.

Safety Outcomes According to CKD Stage

Safety outcomes	Stage 4 CKD			Stage 2/3 CKD			P-Interaction
	DAPA % (n/N)	PBO % (n/N)	OR (95% CI)	DAPA % (n/N)	PBO % (n/N)	OR (95% CI)	
Discontinuation due to adverse event	9.6 (28/293)	10.9 (36/331)	0.87 (0.51-1.45)	4.8 (90/1856)	4.8 (87/1818)	1.01 (0.75-1.37)	0.61
Any serious adverse event ^a	34.5 (101/293)	41.7 (138/331)	0.74 (0.53-1.02)	28.7 (532/1856)	32.5 (591/1818)	0.83 (0.72-0.96)	0.49
Adverse events of interest							
Amputation ^b	1.0 (3/293)	1.2 (4/331)	0.85 (0.17-3.87)	1.7 (32/1856)	1.9 (35/1818)	0.89 (0.55-1.45)	0.95
Any definite or probable DKA	0	0.3 (1/331)	NC	0	0.1 (1/1818)	NC	NC
Fracture ^c	3.8 (11/293)	4.5 (15/331)	0.82 (0.36-1.81)	4.0 (74/1856)	3.0 (54/1818)	1.36 (0.95-1.95)	0.26
Renal related adverse events	14.7 (43/293)	13.3 (44/331)	1.12 (0.71-1.77)	6.0 (112/1856)	7.9 (144/1818)	0.75 (0.58-0.96)	0.13
Major hypoglycaemia ^d	0.7 (2/293)	2.4 (8/331)	0.28 (0.04-1.12)	0.6 (12/1856)	1.1 (20/1818)	0.59 (0.28-1.18)	0.37
Volume depletion	4.8 (14/293)	4.5 (15/331)	1.06 (0.50-2.24)	6.1 (113/1856)	4.1 (75/1818)	1.51 (1.12-2.04)	0.39

NOTE: Stage 4 CKD = eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73m²; Stage 2/3 CKD = eGFR ≥30 mL/min/1.73m².

^aIncludes death; ^bSurgical or spontaneous/non-surgical amputation, excluding amputation due to trauma; ^cBased on pre-defined list of preferred terms; ^dAdverse event with the following criteria confirmed by the investigator: i) Symptoms of severe impairment in consciousness or behavior, ii) need of external assistance, iii) intervention to treat hypoglycemia, iv) prompt recovery of acute symptoms following the intervention.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; DAPA = dapagliflozin; DKA = diabetic ketoacidosis; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; NC = not calculated; PBO = placebo.

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DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

Baseline UACR

In a prespecified secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed for the primary and secondary outcomes stratified by UACR at baseline (≤ 1000 mg/g, >1000 to ≤ 3500 mg/g, >3500 mg/g)^{1,2}

UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Waijer SW et al. Article and supplementary material. *Diabetologia*. 2022;65(7):1085-1097;

Patient Characteristics by Baseline UACR

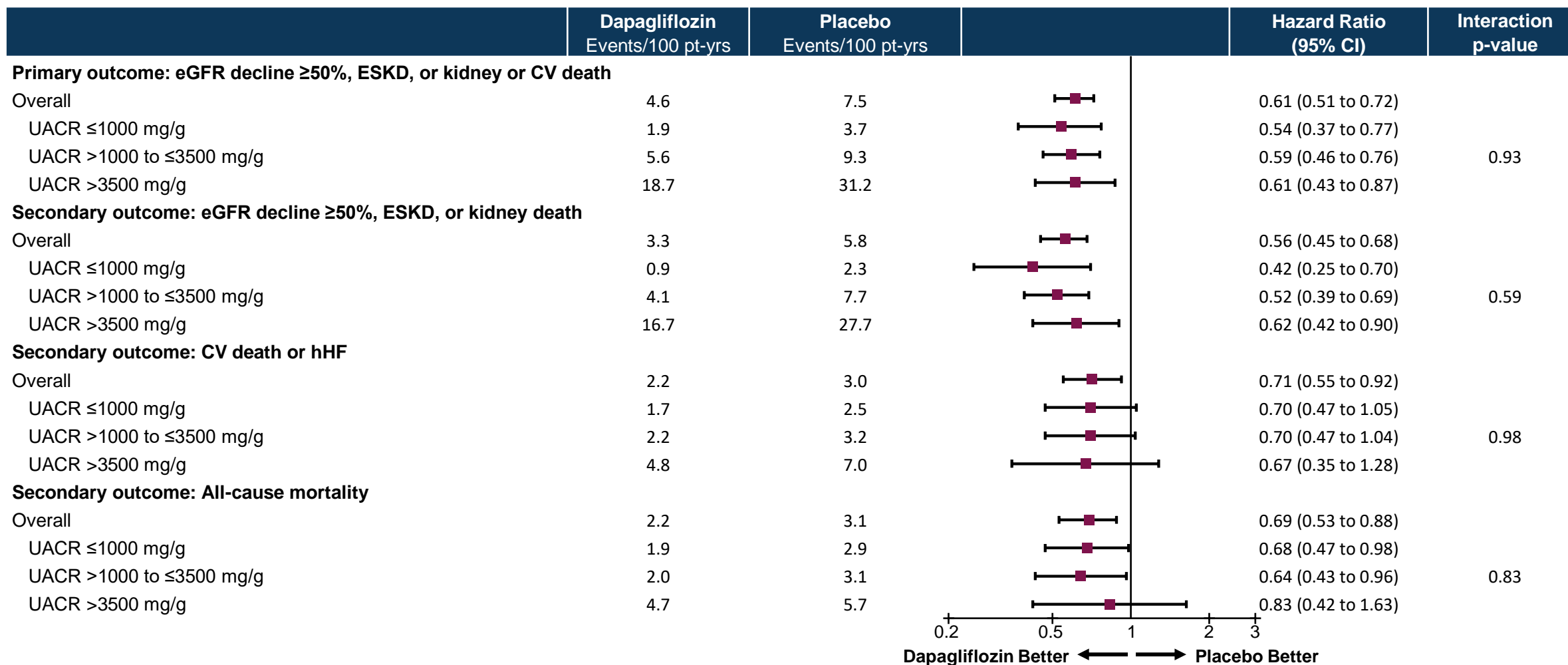
Characteristic	UACR Categories			p-value ^a
	≤1000 mg/g (n=2225)	>1000 to ≤3500 mg/g (n=1764)	>3500 mg/g (n=315)	
Mean age, years	62.7	61.0	60.1	<0.001
Female sex, %	32.5	32.9	38.4	0.11
Race, %				<0.001
White	55.6	51.9	43.5	
Black	4.7	4.2	3.8	
Asian	34.2	34.5	31.1	
Other	5.5	9.3	21.6	
Mean blood pressure, mmHg	134/76	139/79	145/80	<0.001
Mean eGFR, mL/min/1.73m ²	44.0	42.5	40.6	<0.001
Median UACR, mg/g	488	1744	4127	<0.001
Mean HbA1c, %	7.0	7.1	7.6	<0.001
Type 2 diabetes, %	64.4	68.2	85.4	<0.001
History of CVD, %	36.6	37.9	40.0	0.43

^aAcross the 3 strata of baseline UACR (≤113.0 mg/mmol [≤1000 mg/g], >113.0 to ≤395.5 mg/mmol [>1000 to ≤3500 mg/g] and >395.5 mg/mmol [>3500 mg/g]).

CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; HbA1c = glycated hemoglobin; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Wajjer SW et al. Article and supplementary material. *Diabetologia*. 2022;65(7):1085-1097.

Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Baseline UACR



CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; pt-yrs = patient-years; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Primary Composite Outcome^a in Patients With UACR ≤300 mg/g and >300 mg/g

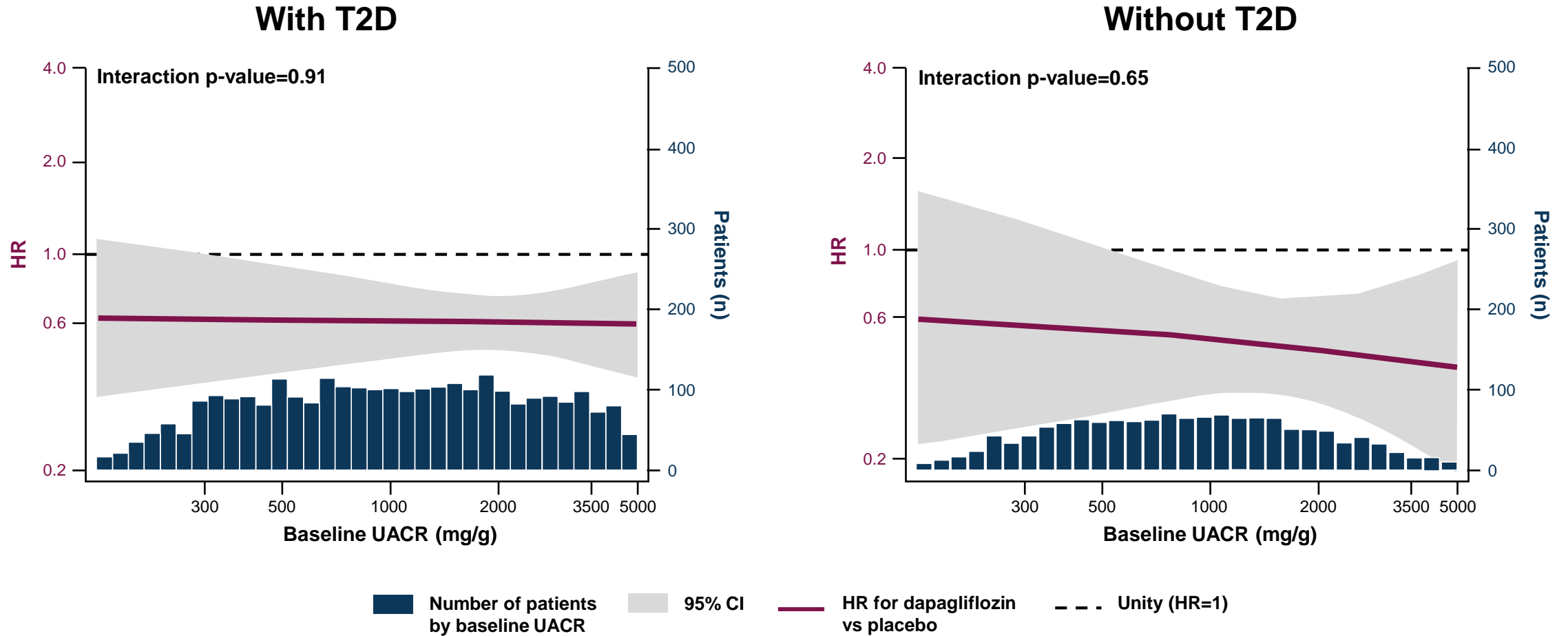
	n/N		Events/100 pt-yrs			Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	Interaction p-value
	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Dapagliflozin	Placebo			
Overall	197/2152	312/2152	4.6	7.5		0.61 (0.51, 0.72)	
UACR ≤300 mg/g	9/240	9/205	1.8	2.1		0.86 (0.34, 2.16)	0.38
UACR >300 mg/g	188/1912	303/1947	5.0	8.1		0.61 (0.51, 0.73)	

^aSustained ≥50% eGFR decline, ESKD, renal death, or CV death.

CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; pt-yrs = patient-years; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Wajner SW et al. Article and supplementary material. *Diabetologia*. 2022;65(7):1085-1097.

Primary Composite Outcome^a Across Baseline UACR Levels in Patients With and Without T2D



^aSustained $\geq 50\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, renal death, or CV death.

CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HR = hazard ratio; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

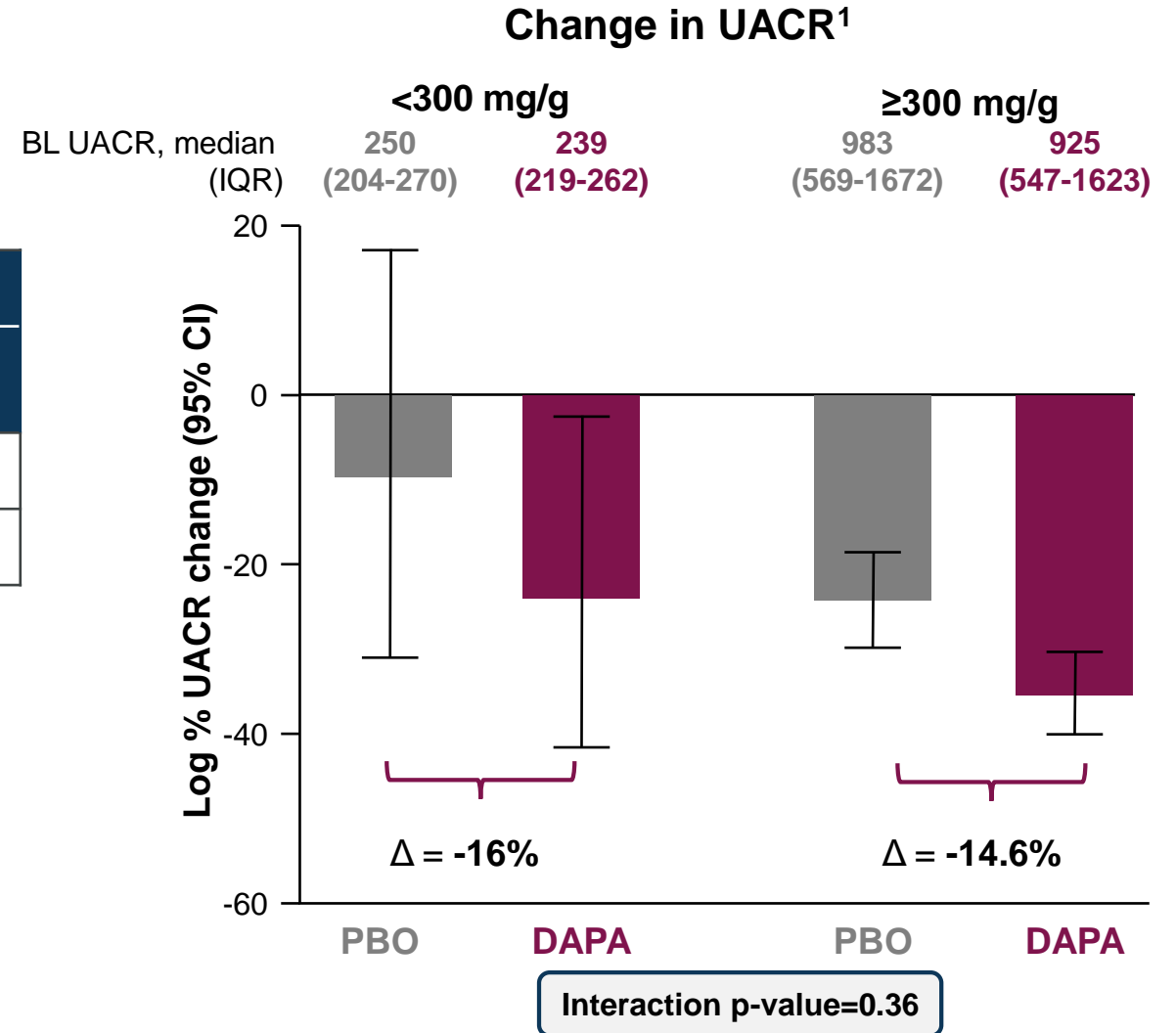
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Dapagliflozin Consistently Slowed eGFR Decline and Reduced UACR in Patients Without T2D Who Had UACR <300 mg/g

Attenuation of Chronic eGFR Decline With DAPA Versus PBO¹

UACR 30 to <300 mg/g (n=136)	UACR ≥300 mg/g (n=1262)
1.8 mL/min/1.73m ² /year	1.2 mL/min/1.73m ² /year
Interaction p-value=0.62	

In 24 patients without T2D who had UACR 30-200 mg/g, DAPA slowed chronic eGFR decline compared with PBO^{2,a}



^aDifference between DAPA and PBO in chronic eGFR slope of 1.41 mL/min/1.73m²/year.

Δ = difference between DAPA and PBO; BL = baseline; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; IQR = interquartile range; PBO = placebo;

T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Heerspink HJL et al. Online ahead of print. *Clin J Am Soc Nephrol.* 2022; 2. Heerspink HJL et al. Poster presented at: ASN Kidney Week; November 3-6, 2022; Orlando, FL. Poster SA-PO885.

Adverse Events by Baseline UACR

	Dapagliflozin (%)	Placebo (%)	Odds ratio (95% CI)	Interaction p-value
Discontinuation due to adverse event				
Overall	5.5	5.7	0.97 (0.74 to 1.26)	
UACR ≤1000 mg/g	5.0	4.5	1.12 (0.76 to 1.66)	
UACR >1000 to ≤3500 mg/g	5.3	6.1	0.87 (0.58 to 1.30)	0.48
UACR >3500 mg/g	9.6	12.8	0.71 (0.35 to 1.46)	
Any serious adverse event^a				
Overall	29.5	33.9	0.81 (0.72 to 0.93)	
UACR ≤1000 mg/g	25.8	30.7	0.78 (0.65 to 0.95)	
UACR >1000 to ≤3500 mg/g	31.7	35.5	0.85 (0.69 to 1.03)	0.79
UACR >3500 mg/g	42.2	48.6	0.77 (0.49 to 1.22)	

^aIncludes death

UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio

1. Waijer SW et al. *Diabetologia*. 2022;65(7):1085-1097;

DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

Baseline History of CVD

In a secondary analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo was assessed according to baseline history of CVD

Baseline Characteristics by Baseline CVD History

	Baseline cardiovascular disease (n= 1610)		No baseline cardiovascular disease (n=2694)	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg n = 813	Placebo n = 797	Dapagliflozin 10 mg n = 1339	Placebo n = 1355
Age – years	66.5	66.2	59	59.4
Male sex - no (%)	587 (72.2)	548 (68.8)	856 (63.9)	888 (65.5)
Race – no. (%)				
White	539 (66.3)	523 (65.6)	585 (43.7)	643 (47.5)
Black or African American	37 (4.6)	43 (5.4)	67 (5)	44 (3.2)
Asian	180 (22.1)	173 (21.7)	569 (42.5)	545 (40.2)
Other	57 (7.0)	58 (7.3)	118 (8.8)	123 (9.1)
Heart rate – beats/min = pulse	71.6	70.7	73.7	74.1
Systolic Blood Pressure – mmHg	138.8	139.7	135.5	136.1
HbA1c – %	7.4	7.4	6.9	6.8
Hemoglobin – g/dL	130.1	127.9	127.7	127.9
Current smoker – no. (%)	97 (11.9)	117 (14.7)	186 (13.9)	184 (13.6)
Body-mass index – Kg/m²	30.3	30.9	28.8	28.9
Obese (body-mass index ≥30 Kg/m²) – no. (%)	415 (51.0)	435 (54.6)	526 (39.3)	541 (39.9)
eGFR – ml/min/1.73m² of body-surface area	43.3	43.0	43.2	42.9
eGFR category				
≥60 ml/min/1.73m ² – no. (%)	94 (11.6)	88 (11.0)	140 (10.5)	132 (9.7)
45-59 ml/min/1.73m ² – no. (%)	233 (28.7)	254 (31.9)	413 (30.8)	428 (31.6)
30-44 ml/min/1.73m ² – no. (%)	388 (47.7)	322 (40.4)	591 (44.1)	597 (44.1)
<30 ml/min/1.73m ² – no. (%)	98 (12.1)	133 (16.7)	195 (14.6)	198 (14.6)
Median UACR (IQR) – mg/g	1012 (446-1956)	944 (473-1825)	937 (487-1856)	933 (488-1911)

CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; HbA1c = glycated hemoglobin; IQR = interquartile range; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

McMurray JJV et al. *Circulation*. 2021;143:438–448.

Baseline Medical History by Baseline CVD History

	Baseline cardiovascular disease, n (%) (n= 1610)		No baseline cardiovascular disease, n (%) (n=2694)	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg	Placebo	Dapagliflozin 10 mg	Placebo
	n = 813	n = 797	n = 1339	n = 1355
Any atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease	663 (81.5)	666 (83.6)	-	-
Hypertension	803 (98.8)	788 (98.9)	1262 (94.2)	1268 (93.6)
Heart failure	235 (28.9)	233 (29.2)	-	-
Atrial fibrillation or flutter	115 (14.1)	112 (14.1)	-	-
Angina	201 (24.7)	204 (25.6)	-	-
Myocardial infarction	185 (22.8)	207 (26.0)	-	-
Coronary artery bypass grafting	74 (9.1)	102 (12.8)	-	-
Percutaneous coronary intervention	145 (17.8)	149 (18.7)	-	-
Stroke	144 (17.7)	154 (19.3)	-	-
Transient ischemic attack	41 (5.0)	38 (4.8)	-	-
Peripheral artery disease	154 (18.9)	171 (21.5)	-	-
Amputation	59 (7.3)	50 (6.3)	36 (2.7)	36 (2.7)
Type 2 diabetes	640 (78.7)	641 (80.4)	815 (60.9)	810 (59.8)

CVD = cardiovascular disease.

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Baseline Therapy by Baseline CVD History

	Baseline cardiovascular disease (n= 1610)		No baseline cardiovascular disease (n=2694)	
	Dapagliflozin 10 mg n = 813	Placebo n = 797	Dapagliflozin 10 mg n = 1339	Placebo n = 1355
Device therapy – no (%)				
Implantable cardioverter-defibrillator	8 (1.0)	6 (0.8)	-	-
Cardiac resynchronization therapy	2 (0.2)	4 (0.5)	-	-
Pacemaker	27 (3.3)	28 (3.5)	-	-
Cardiovascular and renal medication – no (%)				
Beta-blocker	495 (60.9)	474 (59.5)	351 (26.2)	360 (26.6)
Diuretic	437 (53.8)	443 (55.6)	491 (36.7)	511 (37.7)
Mineralocorticoid receptor antagonist	65 (8.0)	74 (9.3)	44 (3.3)	46 (3.4)
ACE inhibitor, ARB or other RAS blocker	798 (98.2)	761 (95.5)	1296 (96.8)	1319 (97.3)
Antiplatelet	577 (71.0)	547 (68.6)	375 (28.0)	381 (28.1)
Statin	622 (76.5)	609 (76.4)	773 (57.7)	790 (58.3)
Other lipid lowering therapy	132 (16.2)	115 (14.4)	188 (14.0)	210 (15.5)
Glucose-lowering medication – no (%)				
Biguanide	272 (33.5)	274 (34.4)	362 (27.0)	342 (25.2)
Sulfonylurea	158 (19.4)	156 (19.6)	232 (17.3)	230 (17.0)
DPP-4 inhibitor	133 (16.4)	145 (18.2)	231 (17.3)	233 (17.2)
GLP-1 receptor agonist	30 (3.7)	23 (2.9)	33 (2.5)	36 (2.7)
Insulin	382 (47.0)	367 (46)	432 (32.3)	417 (30.8)

ACE = angiotensin converting enzyme; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; CVD = cardiovascular disease; DPP-4 = dipeptidyl peptidase-4; GLP-1 = glucagon like peptide-1; RAS = renin-angiotensin system.

McMurray JJV et al. *Circulation*. 2021;143:438–448.

Outcomes by Baseline CVD

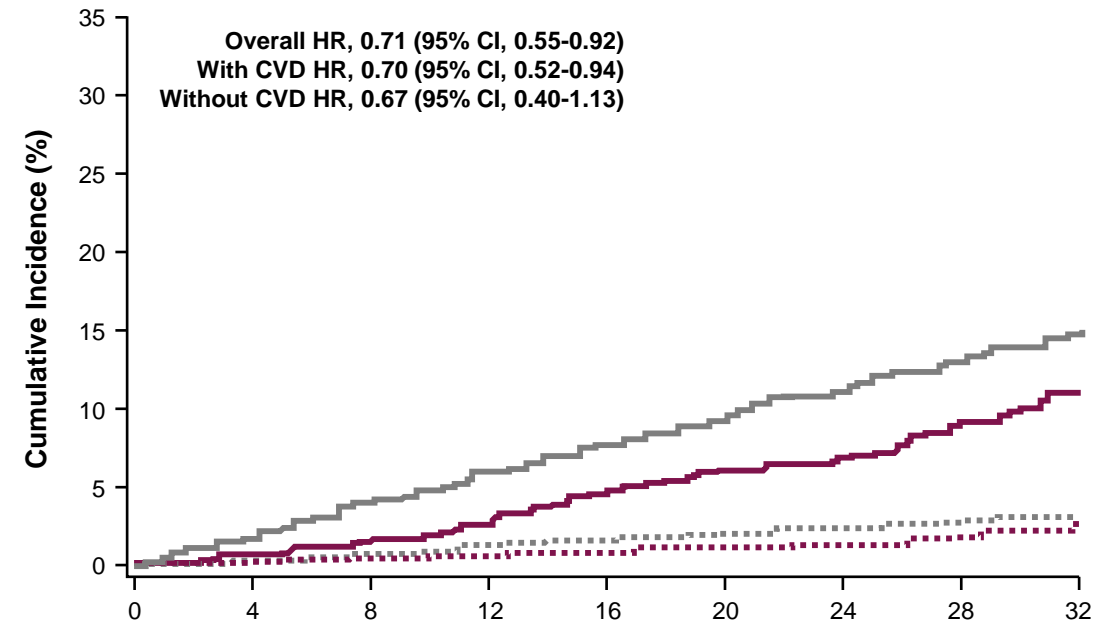
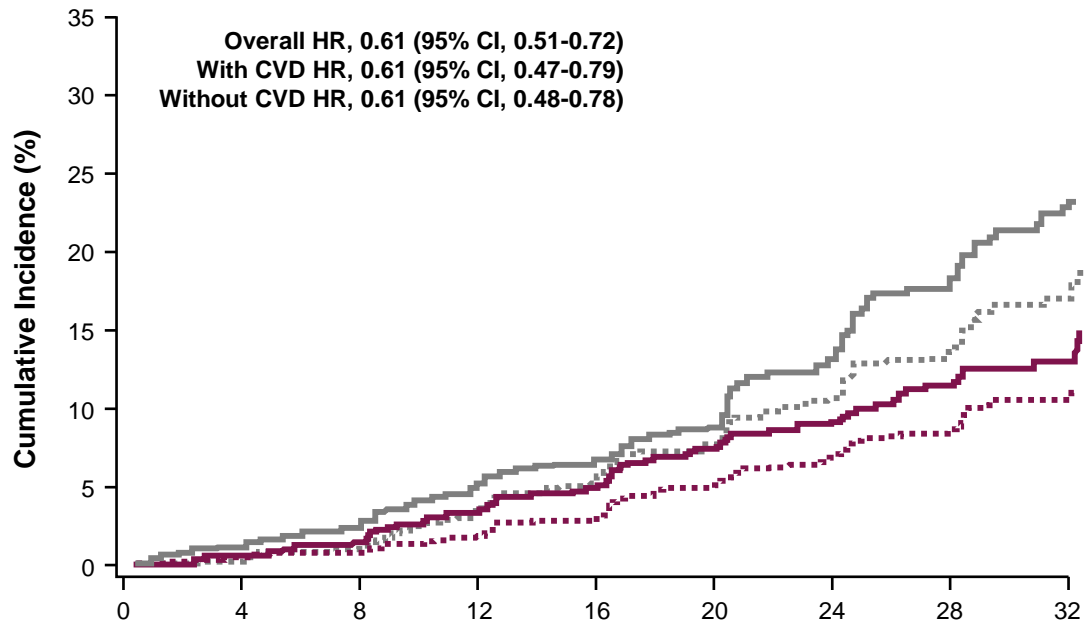
Primary Endpoint

eGFR Decline ≥50%, ESKD, Renal Death, or CV Death

Secondary Endpoint

hHF or CV Death

— Dapagliflozin CVD — Placebo CVD
 Dapagliflozin No CVD Placebo No CVD



No at Risk Months since Randomization

Dapagliflozin/CVD	813	780	760	736	710	650	510	326	124
Dapagliflozin/No CVD	1339	1221	1195	1162	1131	1051	778	505	185
Placebo/CVD	797	757	734	703	677	626	470	289	94
Placebo/No CVD	1355	1236	1202	1155	1114	1038	762	485	176

No at Risk Months since Randomization

Dapagliflozin/CVD	813	787	779	767	747	712	581	384	150
Dapagliflozin/No CVD	1339	1248	1242	1236	1228	1183	921	619	234
Placebo/CVD	797	761	740	721	703	671	531	366	124
Placebo/No CVD	1355	1262	1249	1236	1224	1182	920	610	236

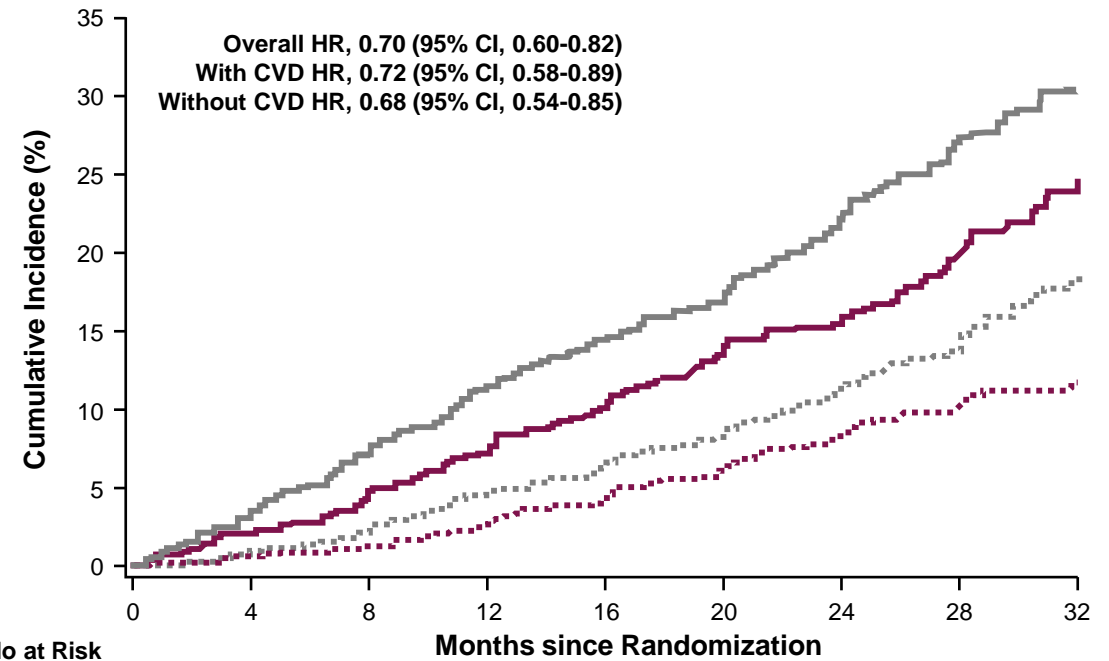
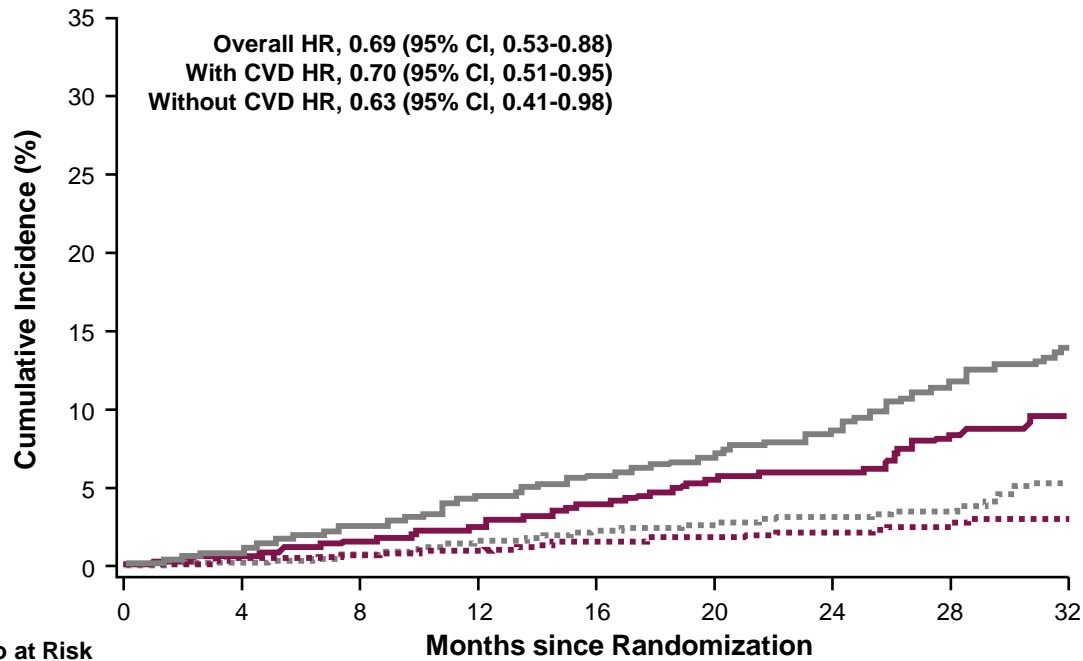
CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; HR = hazard ratio.

Outcomes by Baseline CVD

Secondary Endpoint
All-cause Mortality

Post Hoc Endpoint
MI, Stroke, hHF, ESKD, or Death

— Dapagliflozin CVD — Placebo CVD
 Dapagliflozin No CVD Placebo No CVD



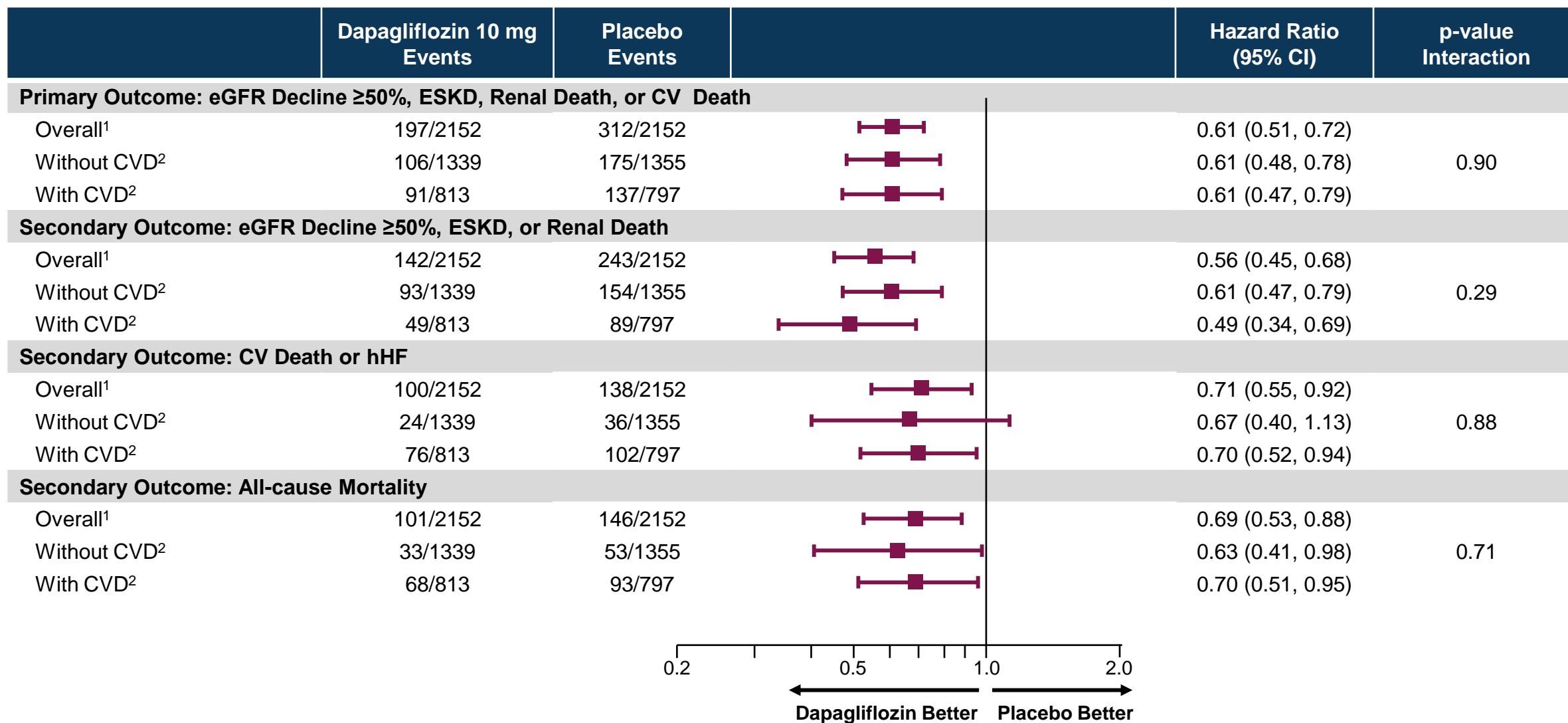
No at Risk	0	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32
Dapagliflozin/CV	813	790	783	776	764	731	600	403	160
Dapagliflozin/No CV	1339	1249	1246	1241	1234	1194	931	625	238
Placebo/CV	797	770	759	745	734	702	566	386	137
Placebo/No CV	1355	1265	1259	1248	1238	1200	936	623	242

No at Risk	0	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32
Dapagliflozin/CV	813	771	747	715	687	627	493	305	114
Dapagliflozin/No CV	1339	1219	1194	1158	1127	1050	776	504	187
Placebo/CV	797	743	706	669	637	595	448	276	84
Placebo/No CV	1355	1231	1195	1151	1119	1041	772	490	188

CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; HR = hazard ratio; MI = myocardial infarction.

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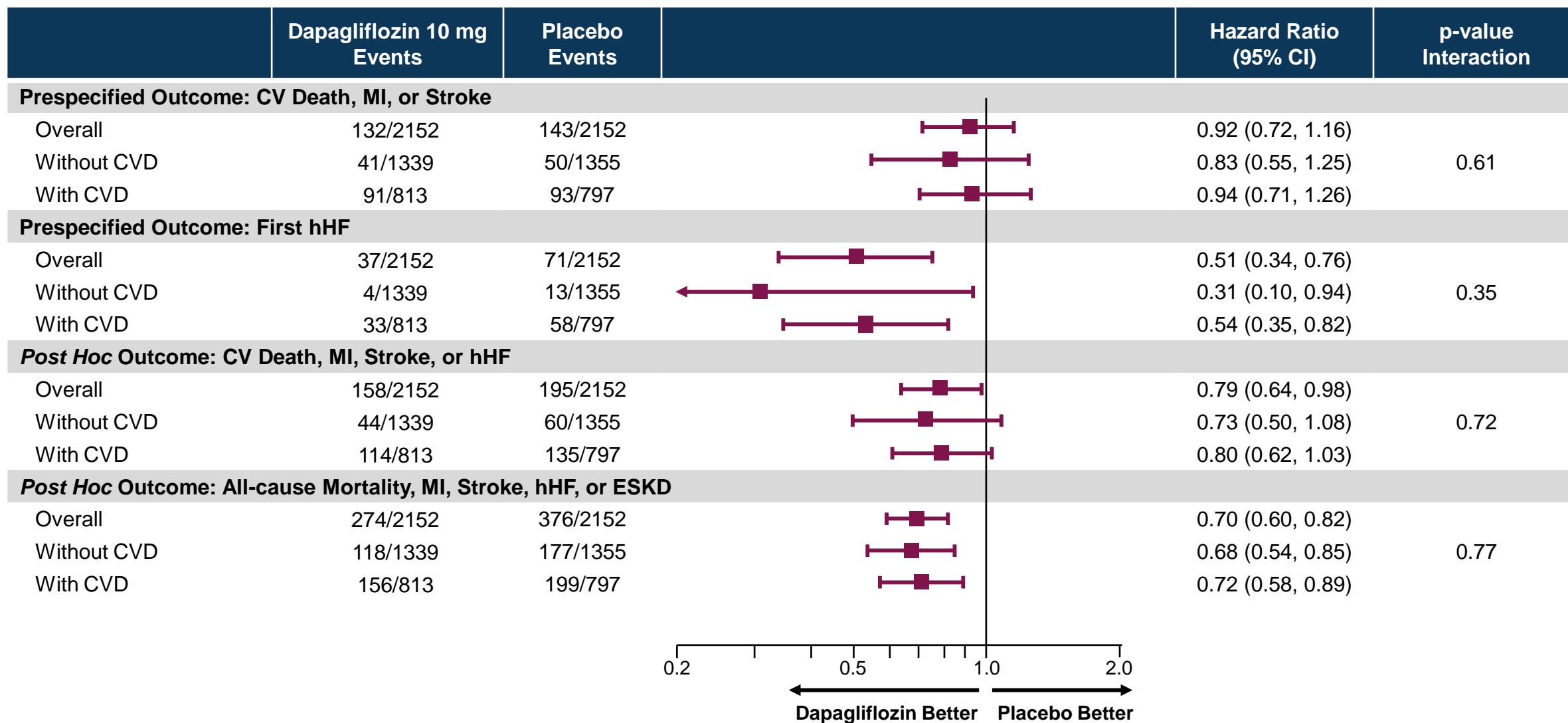
Primary and Secondary Outcomes by Baseline CVD



CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure.

1. Heerspink HJL. Et al. *N Engl J Med* 2020;383:1436-1446; 2. McMurray JJV et al. *Circulation*. 2021;143:438-448.

Prespecified and *Post Hoc* Exploratory Outcomes by CV Disease



CV = cardiovascular; CVD = cardiovascular disease; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; MI = myocardial infarction.

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Safety by Baseline CVD History

		Dapagliflozin 10 mg No CVD n = 1337 CVD n = 812 Number (%)	Placebo No CVD n = 1352 CVD n = 797 Number (%)	P value for interaction
Any serious AE	No CVD	287 (21.5)	371 (27.4)	0.09
	CVD	346 (42.6)	358 (44.9)	
AE leading to study drug discontinuation	No CVD	73 (5.5)	70 (5.2)	0.36
	CVD	45 (5.5)	53 (6.6)	
Amputation	No CVD	10 (0.7)	15 (1.1)	0.40
	CVD	25 (3.1)	24 (3.0)	
Fracture	No CVD	44 (3.3)	44 (3.3)	0.15
	CVD	41 (5.0)	25 (3.1)	
Renal adverse event	No CVD	76 (5.7)	99 (7.3)	0.61
	CVD	79 (9.7)	89 (11.2)	
Volume depletion	No CVD	75 (5.6)	46 (3.4)	0.20
	CVD	52 (6.4)	44 (5.5)	
Major hypoglycemia^a	No CVD	3 (0.2)	13 (1.0)	0.12
	CVD	11 (1.4)	15 (1.9)	

Definite or probable ketoacidosis occurred in 2 patients without CV disease randomly allocated to placebo; there were no cases of ketoacidosis in the dapagliflozin group.

^aThe following criteria were confirmed by the investigator: symptoms of severe impairment in consciousness or behavior, need of external assistance, intervention to treat hypoglycemia, and prompt recovery from acute symptoms after the intervention.

AE = adverse event; CVD = cardiovascular disease.

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DAPA-CKD Subgroup Analysis

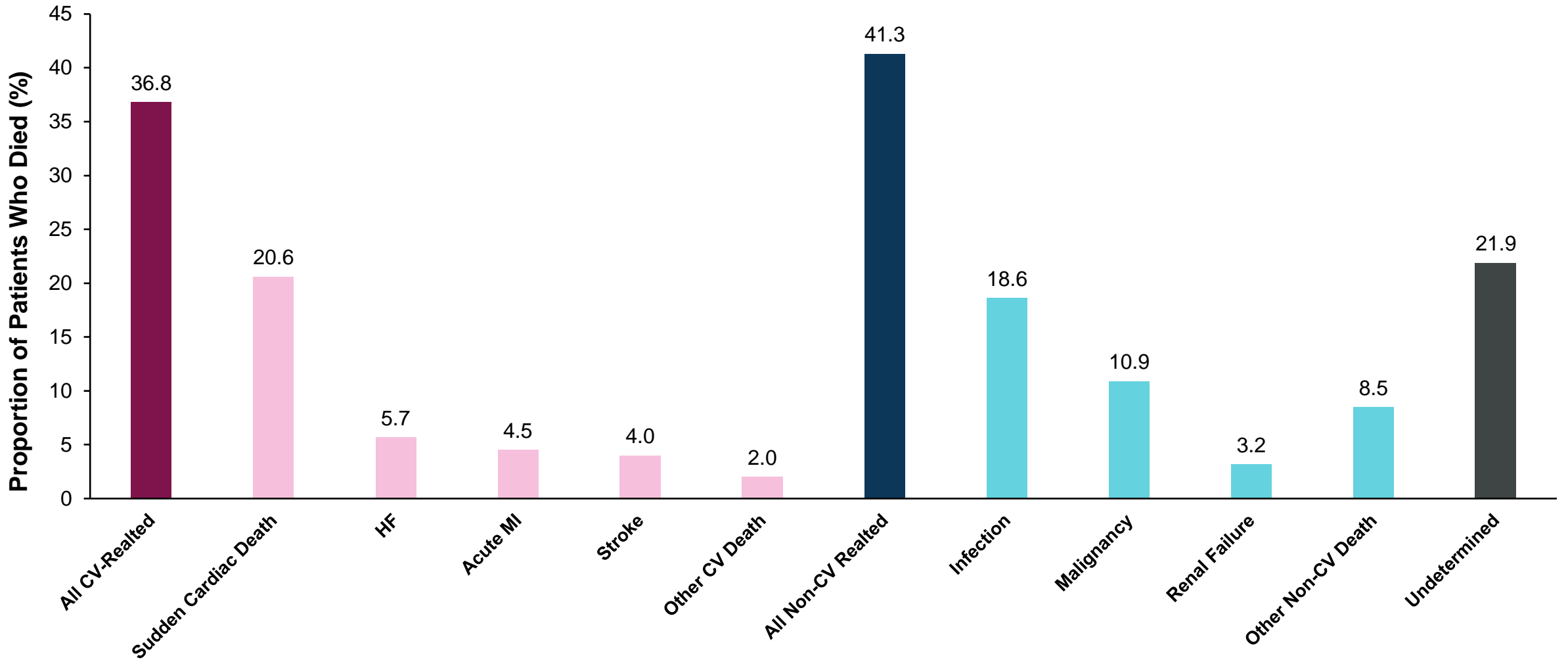
Causes of Mortality

A secondary analysis assessed the causes of death in DAPA-CKD patients, and assessed the effects of dapagliflozin on CV and non-CV causes of death in these patients

CV = cardiovascular.

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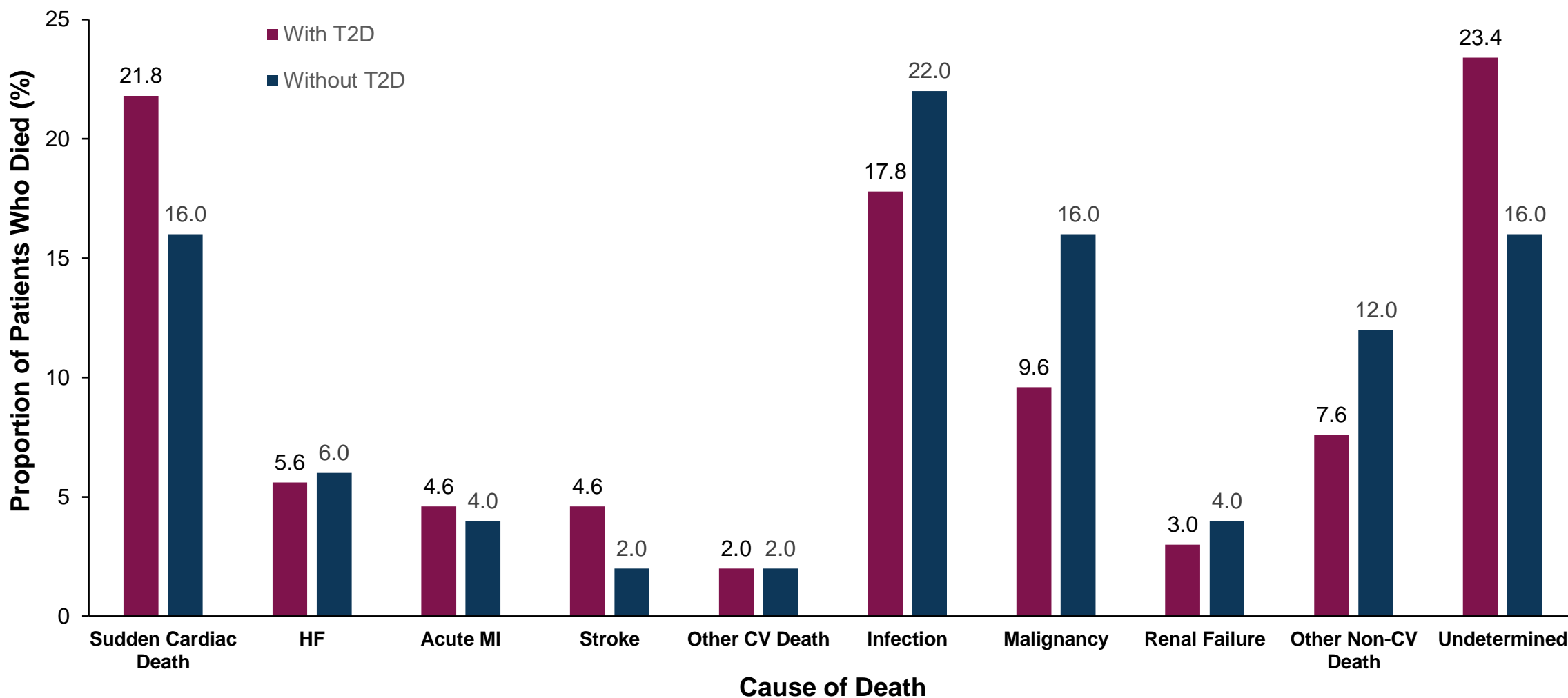
Main Causes of Death in DAPA-CKD



CV = cardiovascular; HF = heart failure; MI = myocardial infarction.

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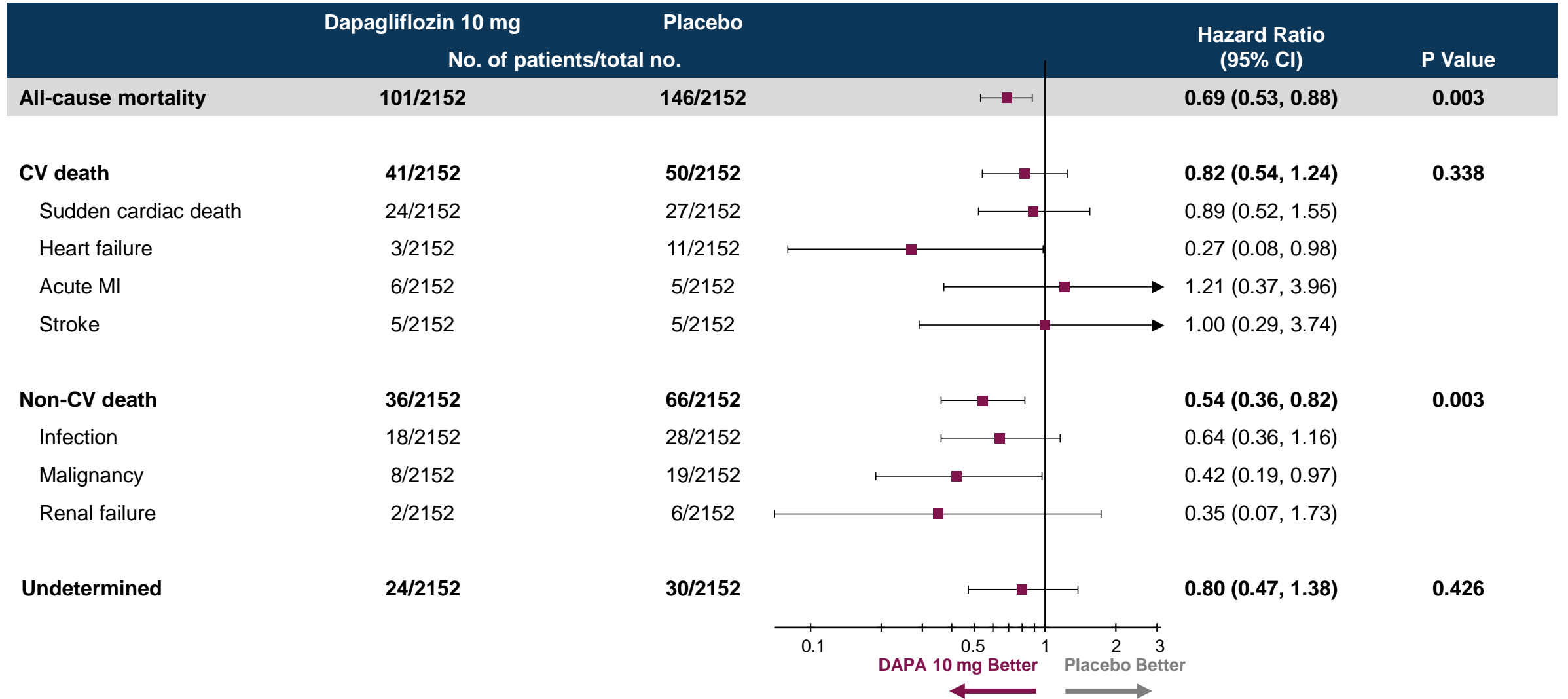
Main Causes of Death in DAPA-CKD by T2D Status



CV = cardiovascular; HF = heart failure; MI = myocardial infarction; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

Heerspink HJL et al. *Eur Heart J.* 2021;42:1216-1227.

Effect of Dapagliflozin on CV Death and Non-CV Death



CV = cardiovascular; DAPA= dapagliflozin; MI = myocardial infarction; No. = number.
 Heerspink HJL et al. *Eur Heart J.* 2021;42:1216-1227.

All-Cause Mortality in Patients Who Did and Did Not Reach Chronic Dialysis

	Dapagliflozin		Placebo		Total	
	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)	n (%)	Event rate (100 pt-yrs)
Overall mortality	101/2152 (4.7)	2.2	146/2152 (6.8)	3.1	247/4304 (5.7)	2.6
Without chronic dialysis, n	2084		2053		4137	
All-cause mortality	89 (4.3)	1.9	121 (5.9)	2.6	210 (5.1)	2.2
With chronic dialysis, n	68		99		167	
All-cause mortality	12 (17.6)	8.6	25 (25.3)	13.4	37 (22.2)	11.4

DAPA-CKD

Effect on Anemia

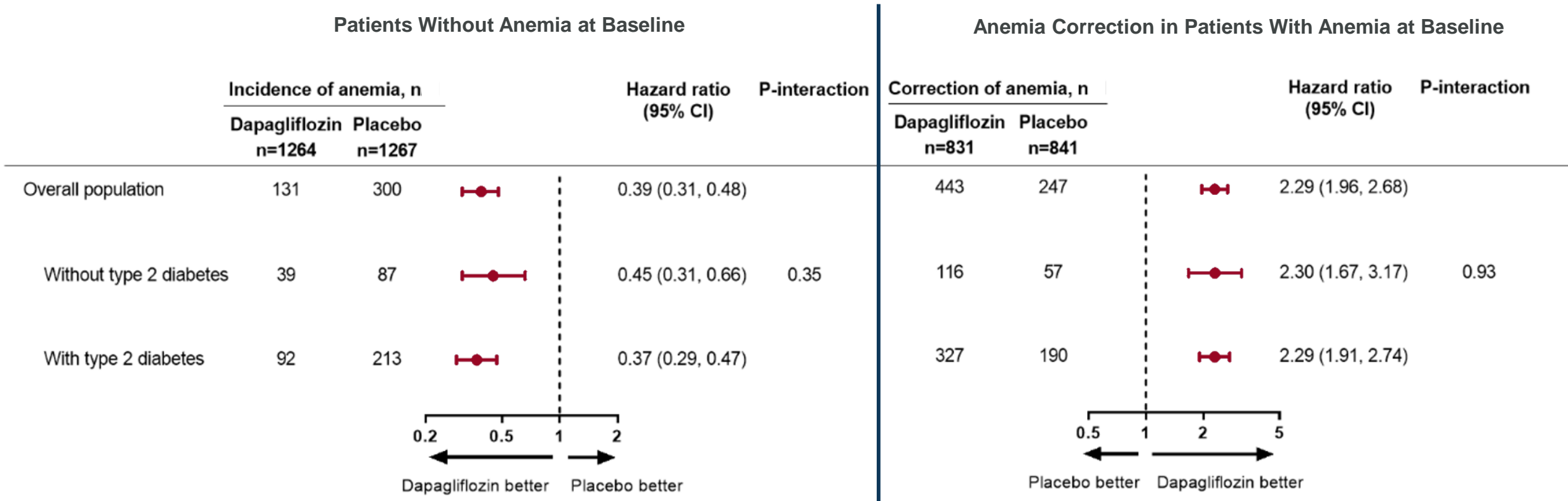
In a prespecified analysis from DAPA-CKD, the effect of dapagliflozin versus placebo on anemia was assessed in patients with CKD, with or without T2D

CKD = chronic kidney disease; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

Heerspink HJL et al. Presented at: ASN Kidney Week; November 3-6, 2022; Orlando, FL.



Effect of Dapagliflozin on Anemia



- **Dapagliflozin** significantly **increased** absolute **hematocrit by 2.3%** compared with placebo over a median follow-up of 2.4 years
- **Dapagliflozin consistently reduced** the risk of **renal and CV outcomes** in patients **with and without anemia** at baseline

Note: Anemia was defined as hematocrit levels <39% in males or <36% in females.

CV = cardiovascular.

Heerspink HJL et al. Presented at: ASN Kidney Week; November 3-6, 2022; Orlando, FL.

DAPA-CKD: Summary

Summary

- **DAPA-CKD¹**, the first dedicated renal outcomes trial to assess the efficacy and safety of an SGLT-2 inhibitor in patients with CKD with and without T2D, demonstrated:

39% RRR

for the primary composite endpoint (≥50% sustained decline in eGFR, ESKD, renal or CV death)

31% RRR

all-cause mortality

44% RRR

for the renal composite (≥50% sustained decline in eGFR, ESKD, or renal death)

29% RRR

for the composite of CV death or hospitalization for heart failure

- Consistent clinical benefits in patients with CKD across major subgroups including in patients **with and without T2D**, and by baseline eGFR and UACR categories
- Dapagliflozin was well-tolerated for the treatment of CKD (in patients with and without T2D) and data **confirm the known safety profile**
- **DAPA-CKD** builds upon the evidence for dapagliflozin in the prevention of hHF and worsening of renal disease in **DECLARE²** and reduction in the risk of worsening HF and CV death in **DAPA-HF³**

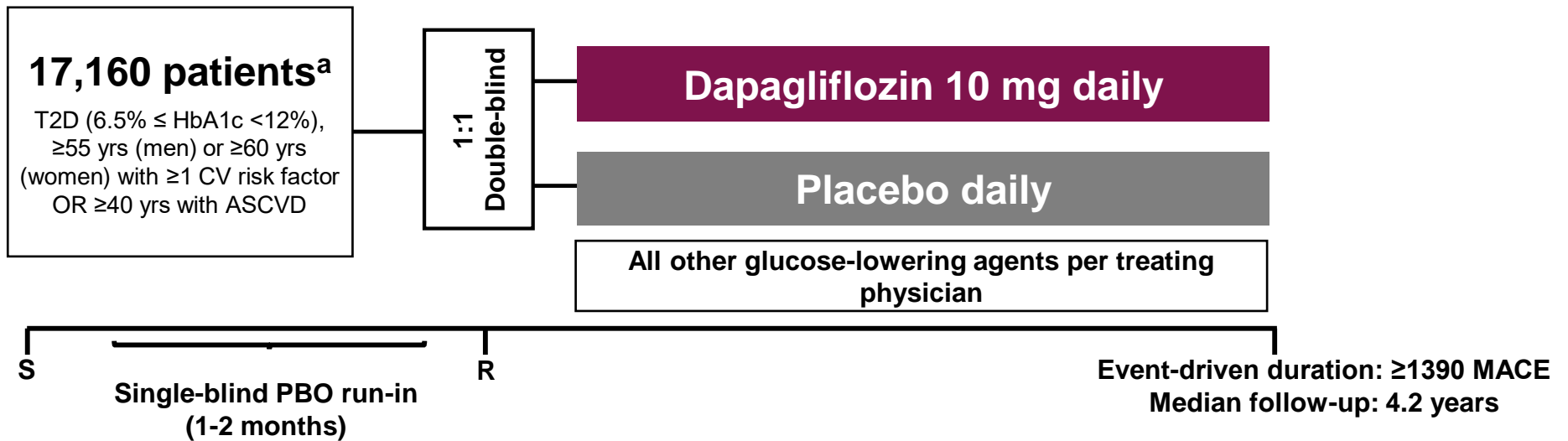
CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HF = heart failure; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; RRR = relative risk reduction; SGLT-2 = sodium glucose co-transporter 2; T2D = type 2 diabetes; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Heerspink HJL et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2020; 383:1436-1446. 2. Wiviott SD. et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2019;380:347-357. 3. McMurray JJV et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2019;381:1995-2008.

DECLARE-TIMI 58: Study Design and Baseline Renal Characteristics

A Multinational, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled, Phase IIIb Cardiovascular Outcomes Trial

Study Design^{1,2,3,4}

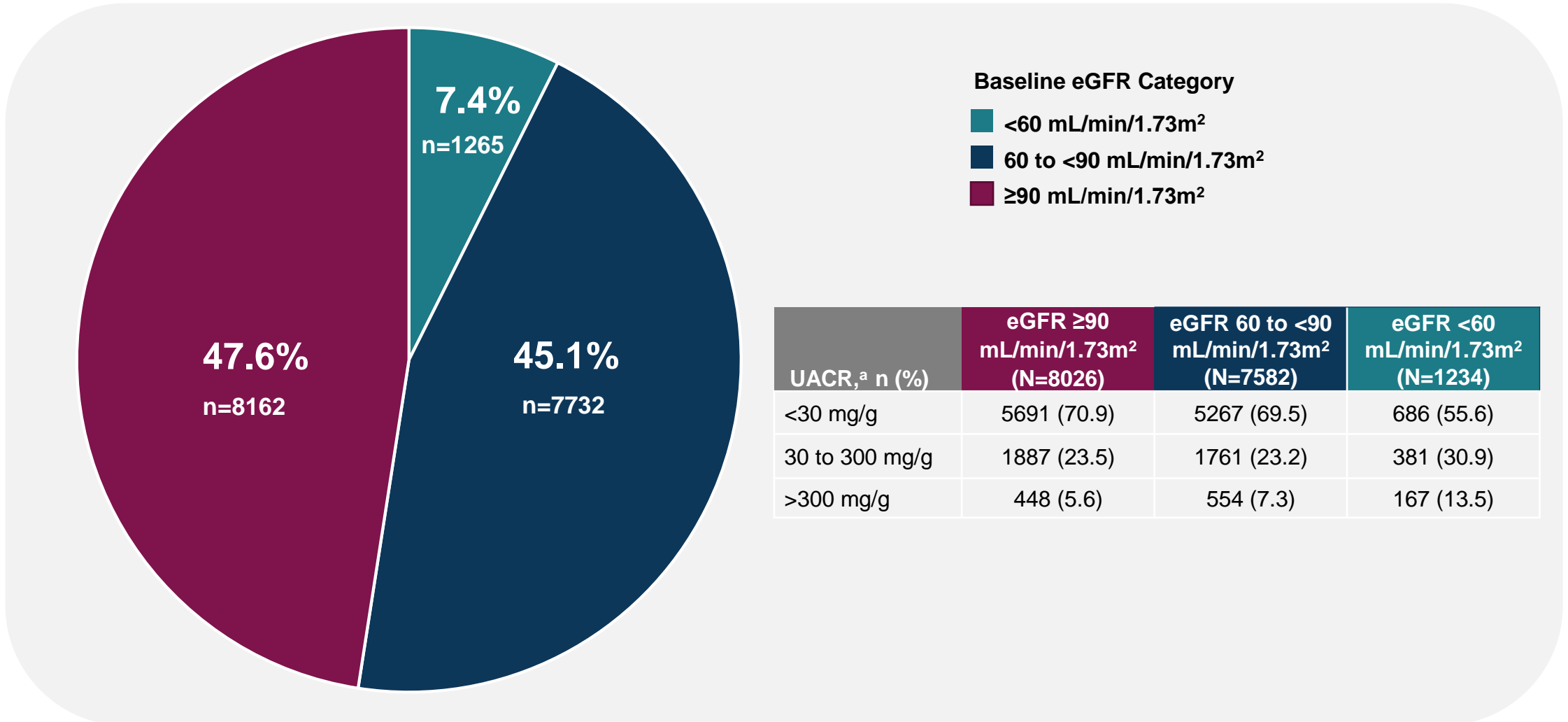


<p>Primary safety endpoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Composite of CV death, nonfatal MI, or nonfatal ischemic stroke (MACE) <p>Primary efficacy endpoints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MACE • Composite of hospitalization for heart failure or CV death 	<p>Secondary endpoints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renal composite endpoint (sustained $\geq 40\%$ decrease in eGFR to eGFR < 60 mL/min/1.73 m² and/or ESKD and/or renal or CV death) • All-cause mortality 	<p>Prespecified exploratory renal endpoints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renal-specific composite endpoint (sustained $\geq 40\%$ decrease in eGFR to eGFR < 60 mL/min/1.73 m² and/or ESKD and/or renal death) • Development of new onset albuminuria • Development of new onset macroalbuminuria • Regression of albuminuria 	<p>Additional safety endpoints</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malignancies^b (eg, bladder cancer) • Liver events^b • DKA events^b • Amputations • Fractures
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^aA total of 17,190 patients were randomized; however, 30 patients were excluded from all analyses because of significant good clinical practice violations at a single site for a different trial; ^bBlinded adjudication of events. ASCVD = atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease; CV = cardiovascular; DKA = diabetic ketoacidosis; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HbA1c = glycated hemoglobin; MACE = major adverse cardiovascular events; MI = myocardial infarction; PBO = placebo; R = randomization; S = screening; T2D = type 2 diabetes; yrs = years.

1. Raz I et al. *Diabetes Obes Metab*. 2018;20:1102-1110; 2. Wiviott SD et al. *Am Heart J*. 2018;200:83-89; 3. Wiviott SD et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2019;380:347-357; 4. Wiviott SD et al. Protocol. *N Engl J Med*. 2019;380:347-357.

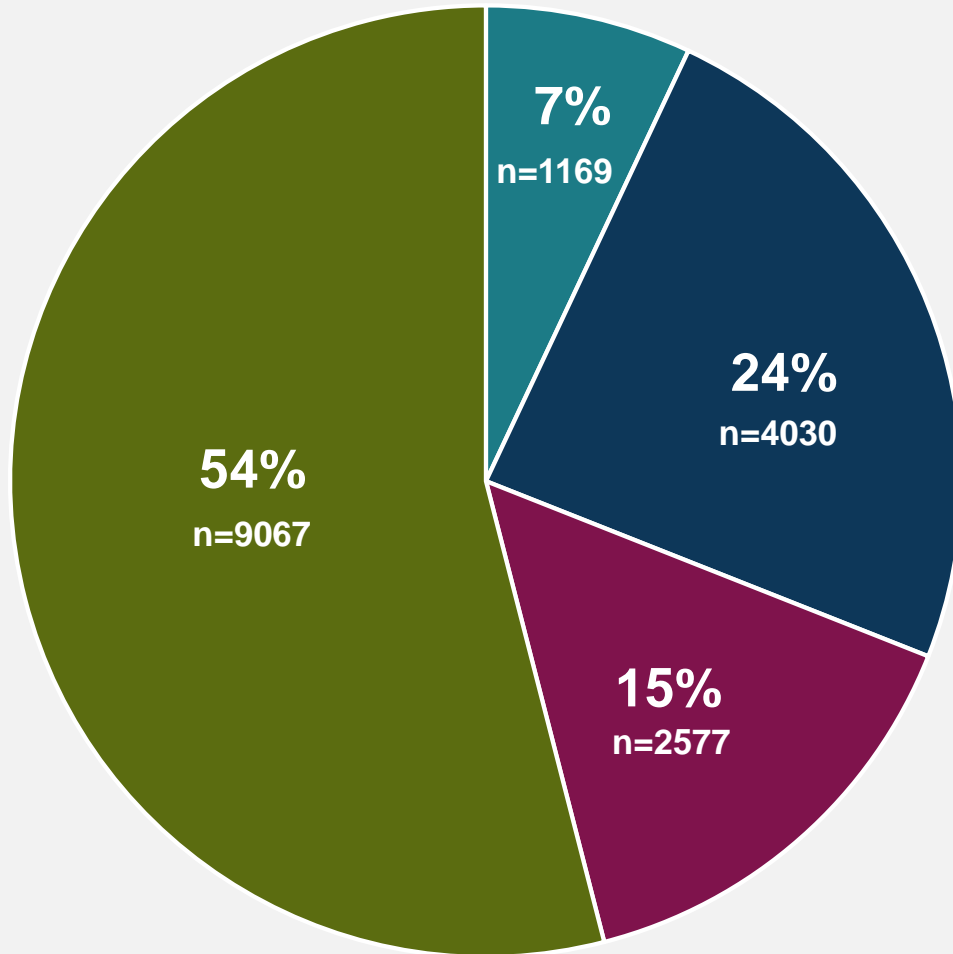
Distribution of eGFR Categories Among the Overall Population



^aUACR was not measured at baseline for all patients, so N values are smaller for UACR group than for the overall population
 eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate based on Chronic Kidney Disease Epidemiology Collaboration equation; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.
 Mosenson O et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2019;7(8):606-617.



Distribution of UACR Categories Among the Overall Population



Baseline UACR Category

- >300 mg/g
- ≥30 to ≤300 mg/g
- >15 to <30 mg/g
- ≤15 mg/g

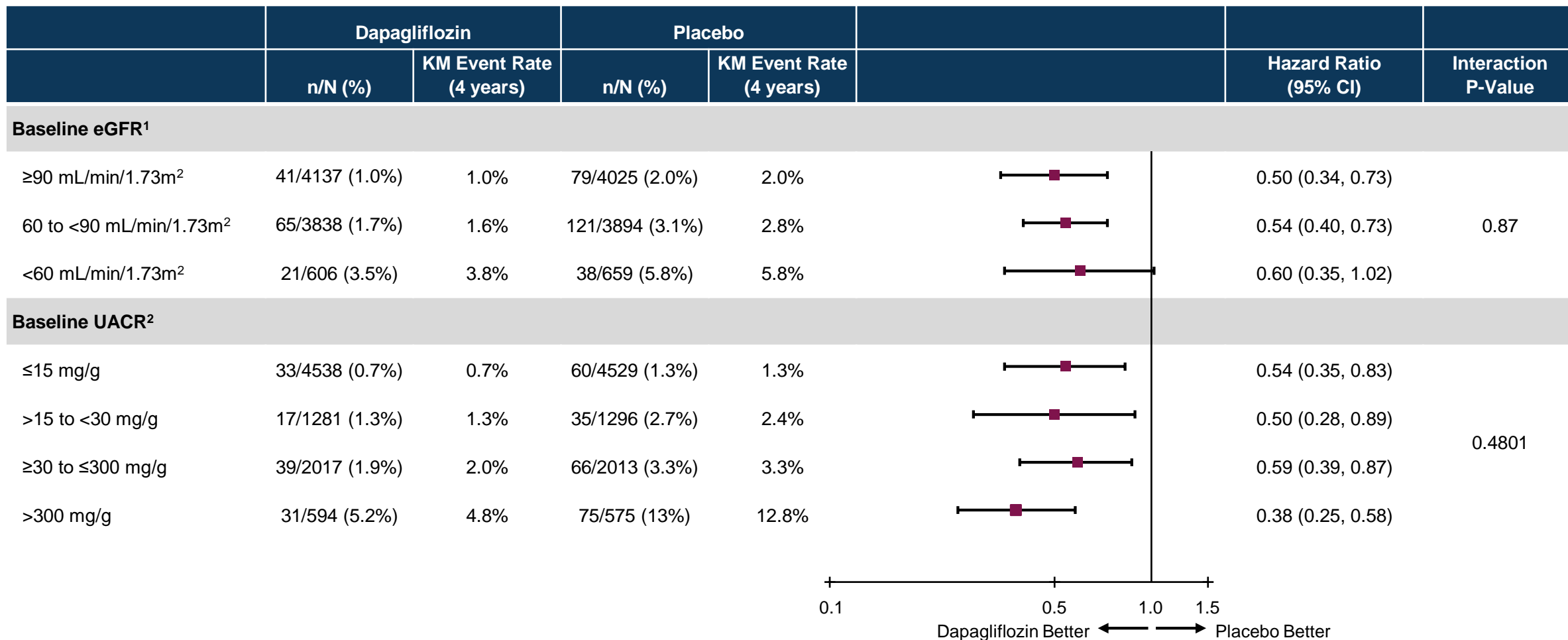
eGFR, n (%)	UACR ≤15 mg/g (N=9067)	UACR >15 to <30 mg/g (N=2577)	UACR ≥30 to ≤300 mg/g (N=4030)	UACR >300 mg/g (N=1169)
<60 mL/min/1.73 m ²	508 (5.6)	178 (6.9)	381 (9.5)	167 (14.3)
60 to <90 mL/min/1.73 m ²	4156 (45.8)	1111 (43.1)	1761 (43.7)	554 (47.4)
≥90 mL/min/1.73 m ²	4403 (48.6)	1288 (50.0)	1887 (46.8)	448 (38.3)

eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate based on Chronic Kidney Disease Epidemiology Collaboration equation; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2021;44(8):1805-1815.

DECLARE-TIMI 58: Outcomes by eGFR or UACR

Benefit of Dapagliflozin on the Renal-specific Outcome^a Was Consistent Regardless of Baseline eGFR or UACR



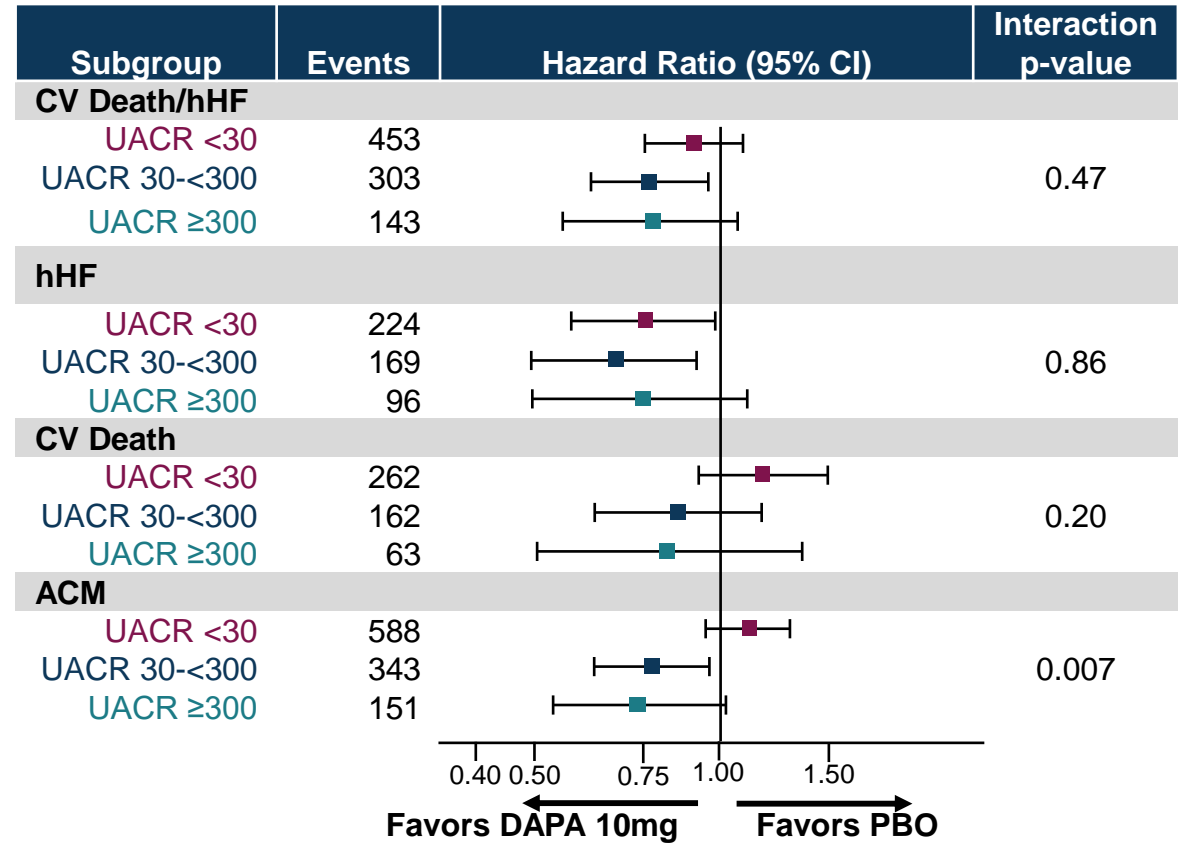
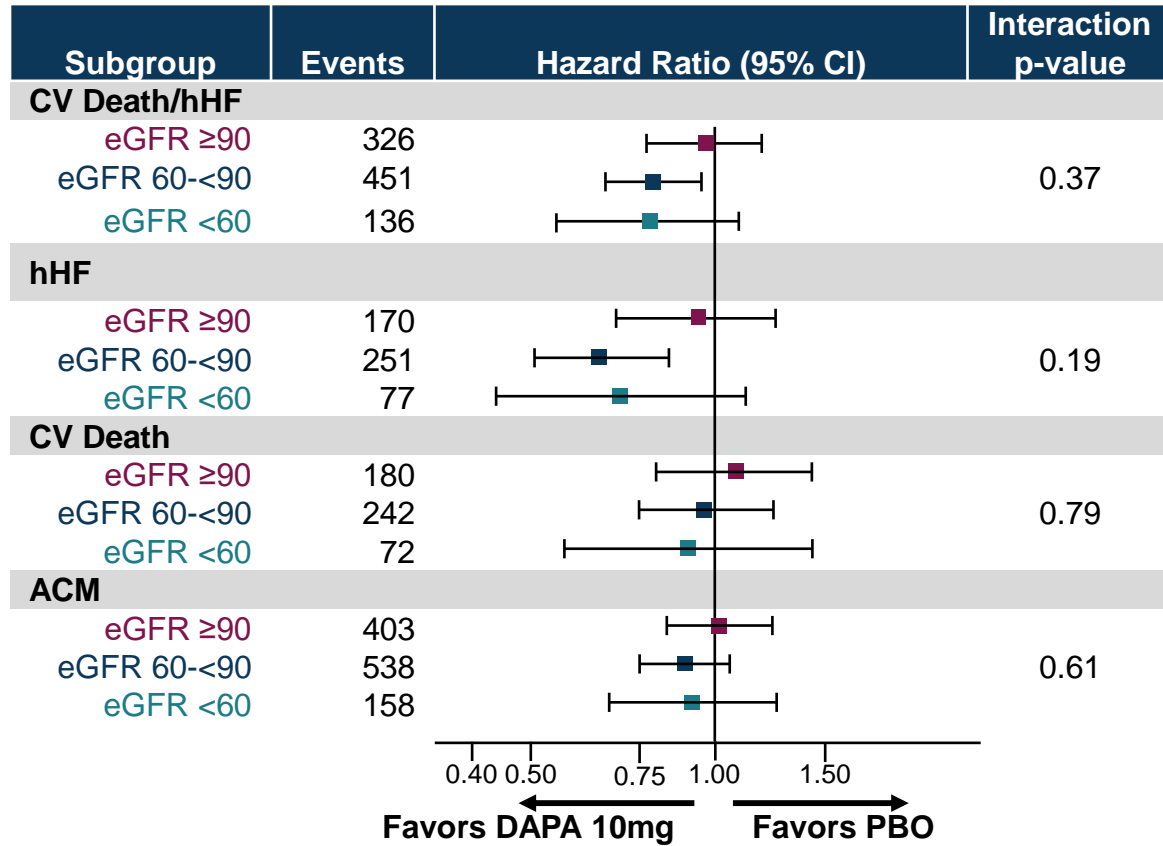
^aPrespecified exploratory composite outcome (≥40% eGFR decline, ESKD, or renal death).

eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; KM = Kaplan-Meier; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

1. Mosenzon O et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2019;7(8):606-617; 2. Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care.* 2021;44(8):1805-1815.



Effect of Dapagliflozin on Additional Outcomes Was Generally Consistent Regardless of Baseline eGFR or UACR



ACM = all-cause mortality; CV = cardiovascular; DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; PBO = placebo; UACR = urinary albumin-to creatinine ratio.

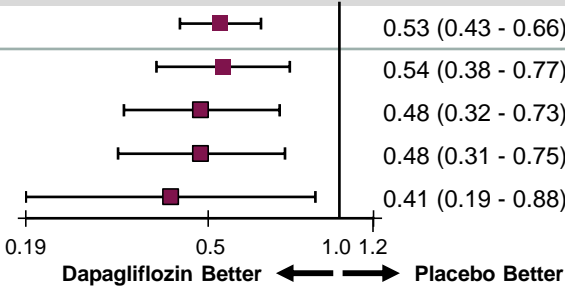
DECLARE-TIMI 58: Outcomes by KDIGO Risk Category



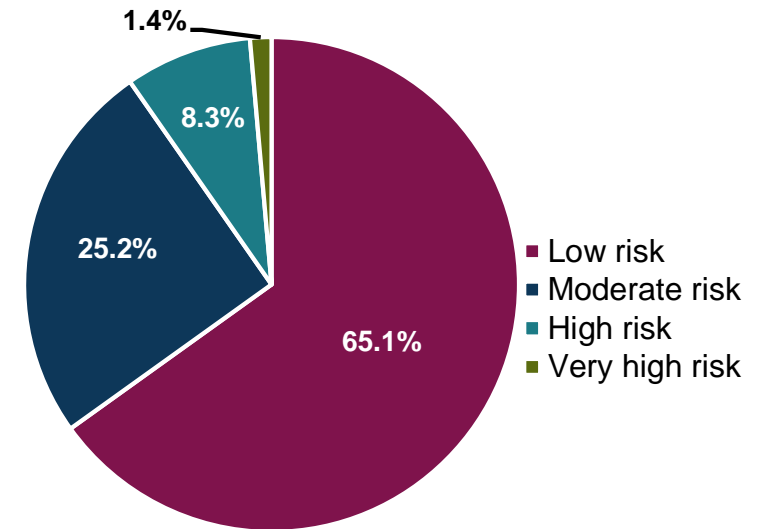
Dapagliflozin Prevented Diabetic Kidney Disease in Patients With Low KDIGO Risk

Dapagliflozin consistently reduced the risk of the renal-specific outcome^a across KDIGO risk categories^b

	Dapagliflozin		Placebo		Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	Interaction p-value
	n/N (%)	KM, %	n/N (%)	KM, %		
Renal-specific composite outcome^a						
Overall	127/8582 (1.5)	1.5	238/8578 (2.8)	2.6	0.53 (0.43 - 0.66)	0.9681
Low risk	46/5485 (0.8)	0.8	85/5473 (1.6)	1.4	0.54 (0.38 - 0.77)	
Moderate risk	34/2124 (1.6)	1.6	69/2119 (3.3)	3.3	0.48 (0.32 - 0.73)	
High risk	30/706 (4.2)	3.9	60/697 (8.6)	8.5	0.48 (0.31 - 0.75)	
Very high risk	10/114 (8.8)	9.9	22/124 (17.7)	18.1	0.41 (0.19 - 0.88)	



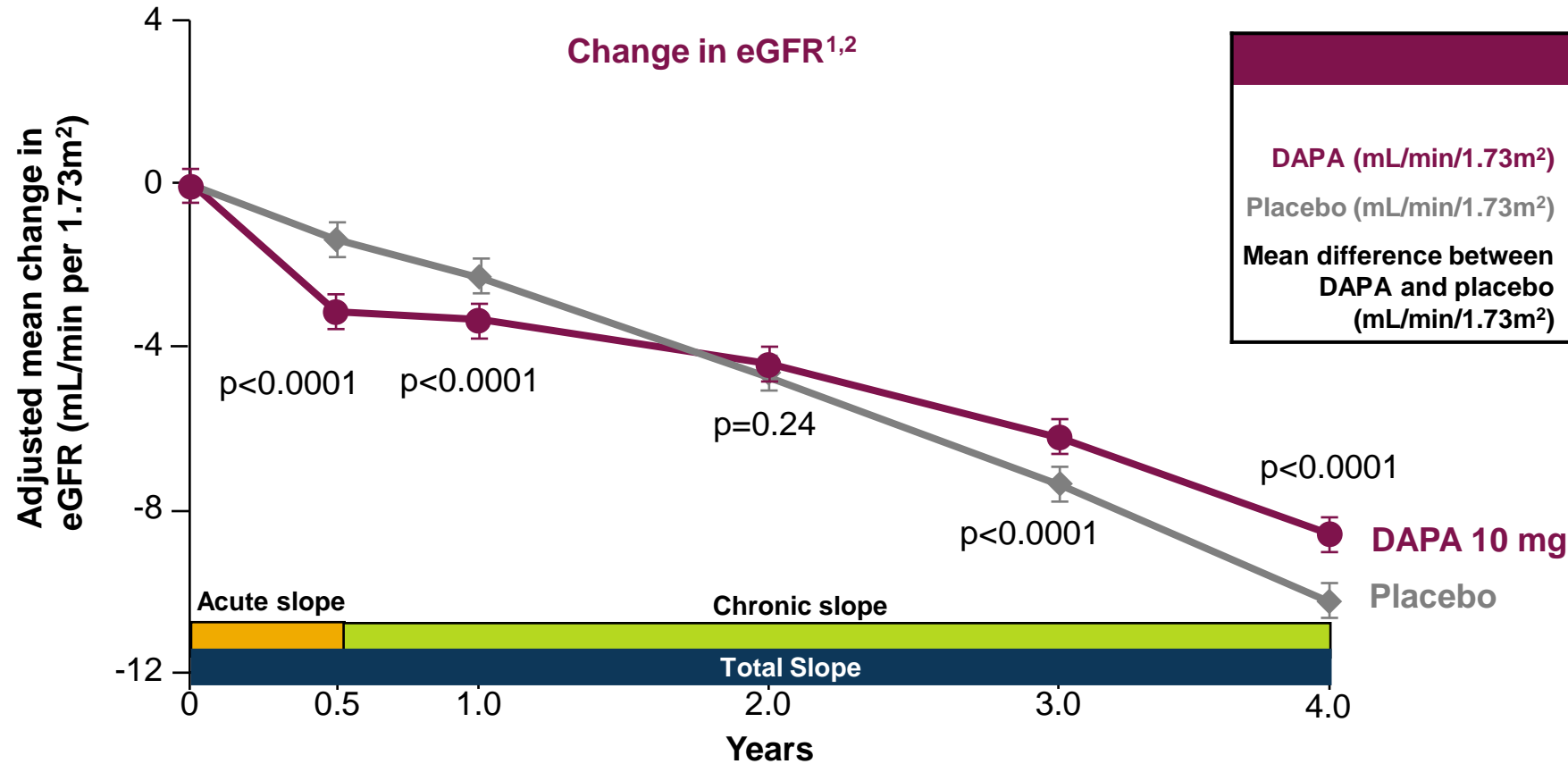
Patient Distribution by KDIGO Risk Category^b



^aComposite of $\geq 40\%$ eGFR decline, ESKD, or renal death; ^bLow risk = eGFR ≥ 60 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR < 30 mg/g. Moderate risk = eGFR 45 to < 60 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR < 30 mg/g; or eGFR ≥ 60 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR 30–300 mg/g. High risk = eGFR 30 to < 45 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR < 30 mg/g; or eGFR 45 to < 60 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR > 30 -300 mg/g. Very high risk = eGFR < 30 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR < 30 mg/g; or eGFR < 45 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR 30-300 mg/g; or eGFR < 60 mL/min/1.73m² and UACR > 30 mg/g. eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; KDIGO = Kidney Disease Improving Global Outcomes; KM = Kaplan-Meier; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

DECLARE-TIMI 58: Effect on eGFR

Change in eGFR Over Time



	Mean eGFR Slopes ²		
	Acute	Chronic	Total
DAPA (mL/min/1.73m ²)	-2.99/6 mo	-1.54/y	-1.78/y
Placebo (mL/min/1.73m ²)	-1.15/6 mo	-2.55/y	-2.44/y
Mean difference between DAPA and placebo (mL/min/1.73m ²)	NA	1.01/y p<0.0001	0.66/y p<0.0001

Sample Size	0	0.5	1.0	2.0	3.0	4.0
Placebo	8578	8223	7884	7316	6800	5770
DAPA 10 mg	8581	8273	7978	7513	7098	6050

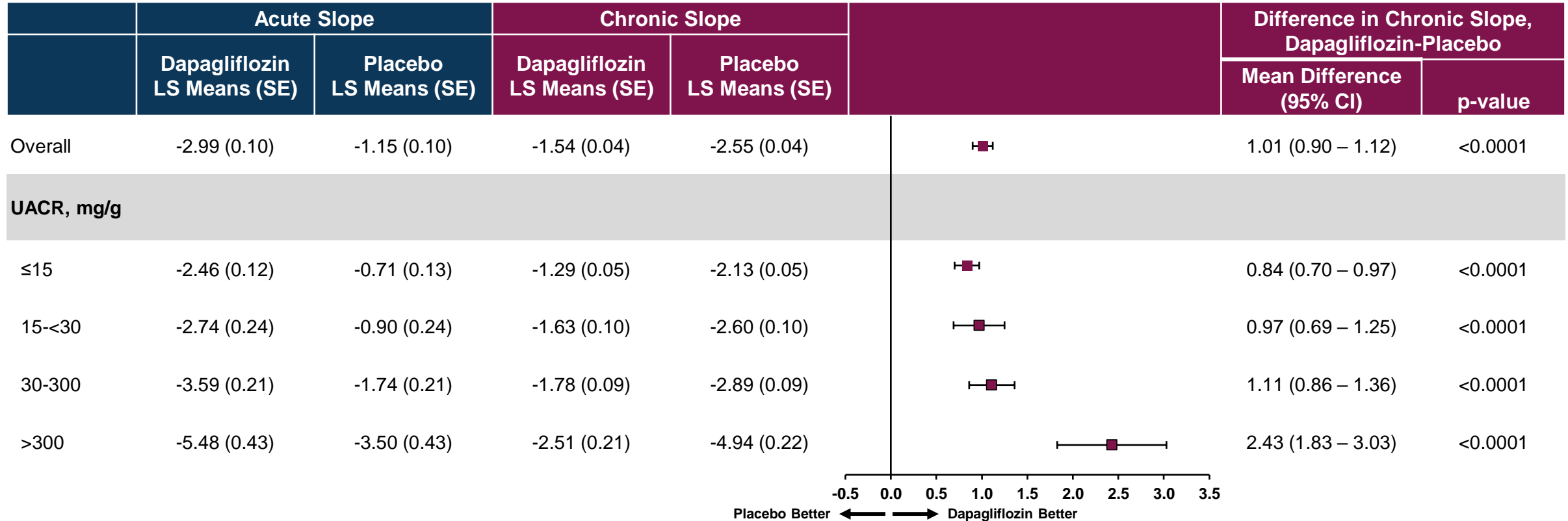
eGFR was calculated with the Chronic Kidney Disease Epidemiology Collaboration equation; total (baseline to 4 years) and chronic slopes (6 months to 4 years) are presented annually, and acute slope (baseline to 6 months) is presented by 6 months.²

DAPA = dapagliflozin; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; mo = months; NA = not available; y = year.

1. Mosenzon O et al. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol.* 2019;7(8):606-617; 2. Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care.* 2022;45(10):2350-2359.



Acute and Chronic eGFR Slopes by Baseline UACR

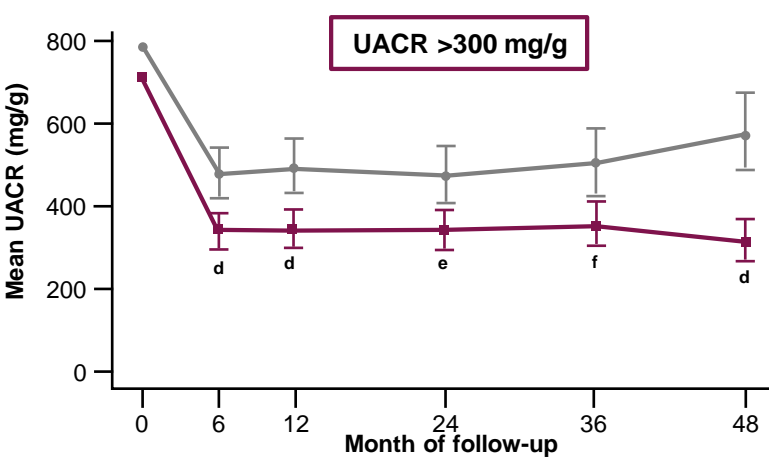
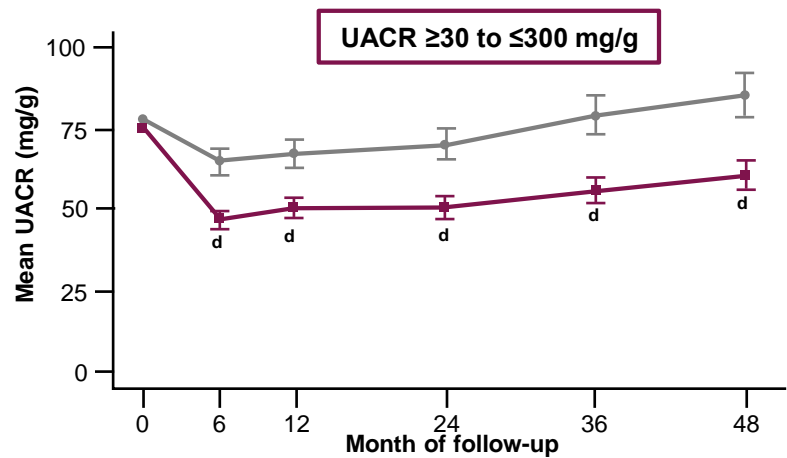
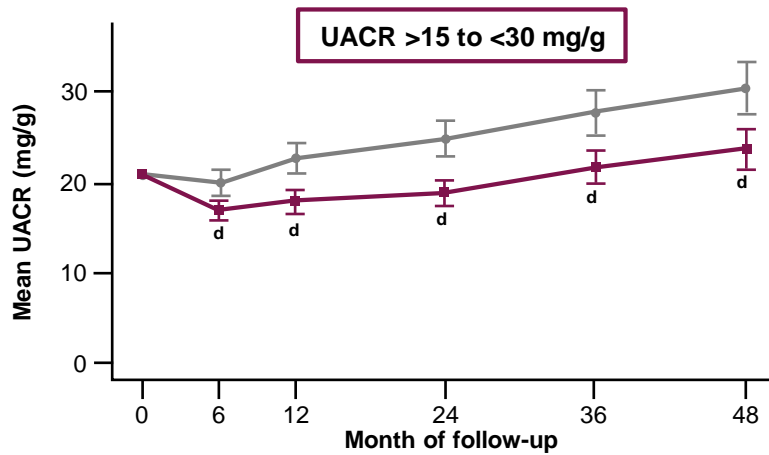
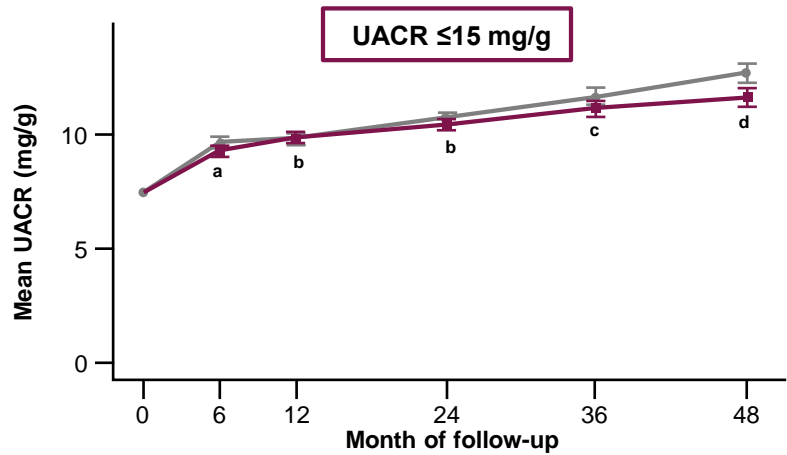


eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; LS = least square; SE = standard error; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2022;45(10):2350-2359.

DECLARE-TIMI 58: Effect on Albuminuria

Effect of Dapagliflozin on UACR by Baseline UACR



Mean UACR was significantly lower with DAPA compared with PBO at 4 years in all baseline UACR subgroups

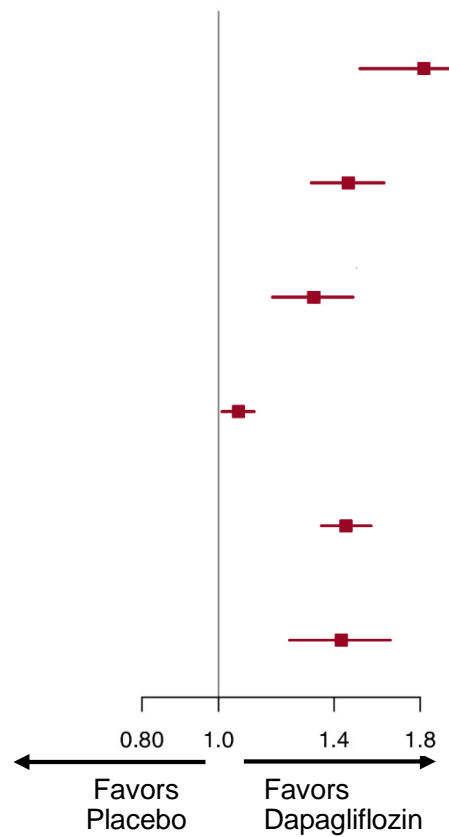
Note: Shown are point estimates and 95% confidence intervals of geometric mean back-transformed to the original scale. ^ap=0.0033; ^bp>0.05; ^cp=0.0140; ^dp<0.0001; ^ep=0.0001; ^fp=0.0004.

DAPA= dapagliflozin; PBO = placebo; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2021;44(8):1805-1815.

Improvement in UACR Category from Baseline

	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	Cox p-value
	n/N (%)	n/N (%)		
UACR to ≤300 in patients with >300 at BL	282/594 (47.5)	175/575 (30.4)	1.82 (1.51, 2.20)	<0.0001
UACR to <30 in patients with 30 to 300 at BL	774/2017 (38.4)	576/2013 (28.6)	1.46 (1.31, 1.62)	<0.0001
UACR to ≤15 in patients with >15 to <30 at BL	618/1281 (48.2)	507/1296 (39.1)	1.32 (1.17, 1.48)	<0.0001
Stable UACR at ≤15 in patients with ≤15 at BL	3660/4538 (80.7)	3543/4529 (78.2)	1.06 (1.01, 1.11)	0.0195
UACR of at least 1-step improvement in patients with >15 at BL	1674/3892 (43.0)	1258/3884 (32.4)	1.45 (1.35, 1.56)	<0.0001
UACR of 2-step improvement in patients with ≥30 at BL	422/2611 (16.2)	301/2588 (11.6)	1.43 (1.23, 1.65)	<0.0001



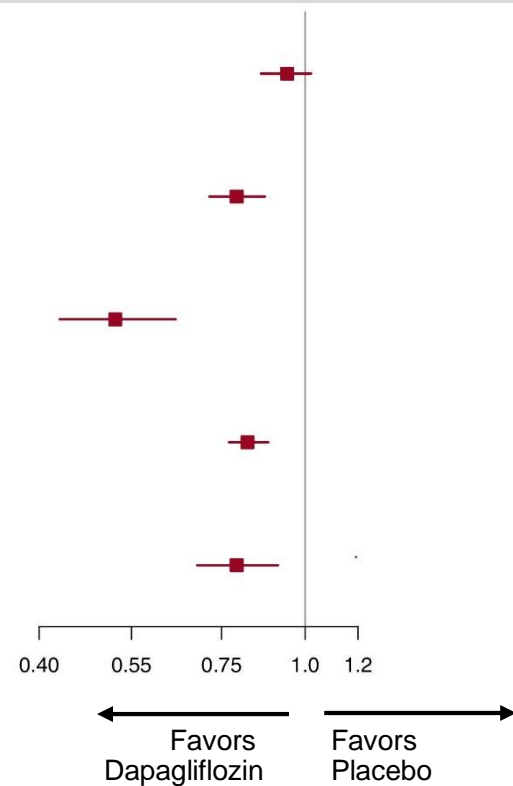
UACR measured as mg/g.

BL = baseline; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2021;44(8):1805-1815.

Deterioration In UACR Category from Baseline

	Dapagliflozin	Placebo	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	Cox p-value
	n/N (%)	n/N (%)		
UACR to >15 in patients with ≤15 at BL	1078/4538 (23.8)	1137/4529 (25.1)	0.94 (0.86, 1.02)	0.1319
UACR to ≥30 in patients with <30 at BL	772/5819 (13.3)	959/5825 (16.5)	0.79 (0.72, 0.87)	<0.0001
UACR to >300 in patients with 30 to 300 at BL	156/2017 (7.7)	284/2013 (14.1)	0.52 (0.43, 0.64)	<0.0001
UACR of at least 1-step deterioration in patients with ≤300 at BL	1630/7836 (20.8)	1931/7838 (24.6)	0.82 (0.77, 0.88)	<0.0001
UACR 2-step deterioration in patients with <30 at BL	385/5819 (6.6)	481/5825 (8.3)	0.79 (0.69, 0.91)	0.0007



UACR measured as mg/g.

BL = baseline; UACR = urinary albumin-to-creatinine ratio.

Mosenzon O et al. *Diabetes Care*. 2021;44(8):1805-1815.

DECLARE-TIMI 58: Safety

AEs of Special Interest and Other Safety Events

Adverse Event	DAPA 10 mg (N=8574)	Placebo (N=8569)
	n (%)	
Malignancy	481 (5.6)	486 (5.7)
Bladder cancer	26 (0.3)	45 (0.5)
Hepatic event	82 (1.0)	87 (1.0)
Major hypoglycaemia	58 (0.7)	83 (1.0)
Fracture	457 (5.3)	440 (5.1)
Acute kidney injury	125 (1.5)	175 (2.0)
Symptoms of volume depletion	213 (2.5)	207 (2.4)
Hypersensitivity reaction	32 (0.4)	36 (0.4)
Urinary tract infection	127 (1.5)	133 (1.6)
Genital infection*	76 (0.9)	9 (0.1)
Diabetic ketoacidosis event	27 (0.3)	12 (0.1)
Amputation	123 (1.4)	113 (1.3)
Fournier's Gangrene	1 (0.01)	5 (0.06)

*leading to discontinuation of the trial regimen or considered to be serious AE

DAPA = dapagliflozin

Wiviott SD et al. *N Engl J Med.* 2019;380(4):347-357.

Cardiorenal and Mortality Benefits of Dapagliflozin Extend to Patients With CKD



Patient Population	T2D	HFrEF with or without T2D	HFmrEF/HFpEF with or without T2D	CKD with or without T2D
Mean eGFR	85 mL/min/1.73 m ²	66 mL/min/1.73 m ²	61 mL/min/1.73 m ²	43 mL/min/1.73 m ²
Primary Endpoint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> hHF or CV death 0.83 (0.73, 0.95) p=0.005 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CV death or worsening HF^a 0.74 (0.65, 0.85) p<0.001 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CV death or worsening HF^a 0.82 (0.73, 0.92) p<0.001 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≥50% eGFR decline, ESKD, or renal or CV death 0.61 (0.51, 0.72) p<0.001
Key Secondary Endpoints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> eGFR decrease ≥40% to <60, ESKD or renal death 0.53 (0.43, 0.66) p<0.0001^b 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All-cause mortality 0.83 (0.71, 0.97) p=0.022^c 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total^d worsening HF^a and CV death 0.77 (0.67, 0.89) p<0.001 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All-cause mortality 0.69 (0.53, 0.88) p=0.004 CV death or hHF 0.71 (0.55, 0.92) p=0.009

Pre-specified patient-level pooled analysis of DAPA-HF and DELIVER
N = 11,007⁸

Primary Endpoint	CV death 0.86 (0.76, 0.97) p=0.01
Additional Endpoints	All-cause mortality 0.90 (0.82, 0.99) p=0.03
	CV death or hHF 0.78 (0.72, 0.86) p<0.001

Benefit was consistent across the full range of LVEF

- Renal
- CV
- Mortality

^aIncludes hHF or urgent HF visit; ^bBecause the trial met only one of its dual primary composite outcomes for superiority (CV death or hospital admission for heart failure), all other analyses of additional outcomes should be considered hypothesis generating only; ^cNominal p-value; ^dFirst or recurrent.

CKD = chronic kidney disease; CV = cardiovascular; eGFR = estimated glomerular filtration rate; ESKD = end-stage kidney disease; HF = heart failure; HFmrEF = heart failure with mildly reduced ejection fraction; HFpEF = heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; HFrEF = heart failure with reduced ejection fraction; hHF = hospitalization for heart failure; LVEF = left ventricular ejection fraction; T2D = type 2 diabetes.

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Περίληψη Χαρακτηριστικών Προϊόντος

4. ΚΛΙΝΙΚΕΣ ΠΛΗΡΟΦΟΡΙΕΣ

4.1 Θεραπευτικές ενδείξεις

Σακχαρώδης διαβήτης τύπου 2

- Το Forxiga ενδείκνυται για χρήση σε ενήλικες και παιδιά ηλικίας 10 ετών και άνω για τη θεραπεία του ανεπαρκώς ελεγχόμενου σακχαρώδη διαβήτη τύπου 2 ως συμπληρωματική θεραπεία στη διαίτα και την άσκηση
- ως μονοθεραπεία, όταν η μετφορμίνη θεωρείται ακατάλληλη λόγω δυσανεξίας.
 - επιπρόσθετα με άλλα φαρμακευτικά προϊόντα για τη θεραπεία του διαβήτη τύπου 2.

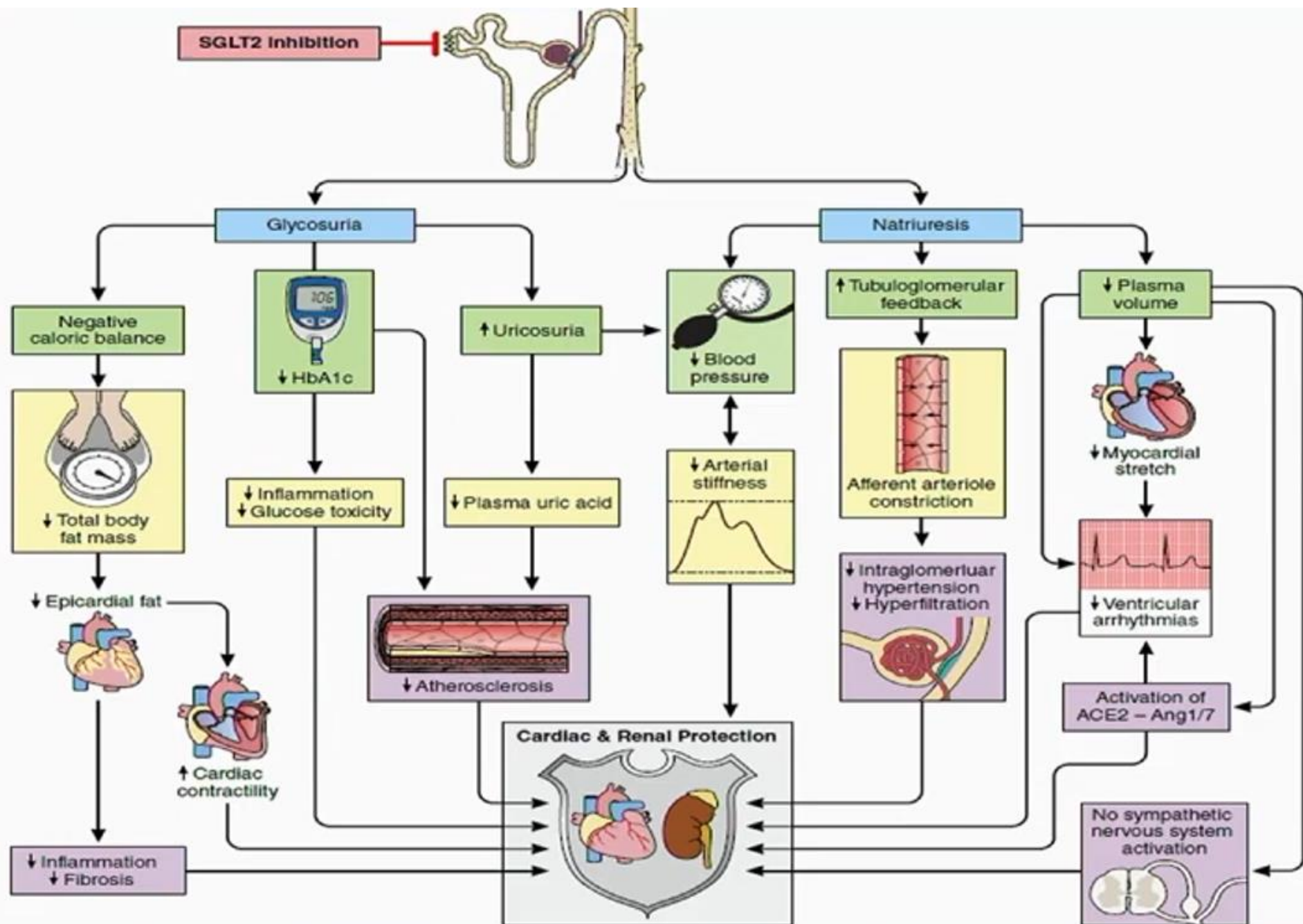
Για τα αποτελέσματα των μελετών σε σχέση με τον συνδυασμό των θεραπειών, τις επιδράσεις στον γλυκαιμικό έλεγχο, τα καρδιαγγειακά και νεφρικά συμβάντα και τους πληθυσμούς που μελετήθηκαν, βλέπε παραγράφους 4.4, 4.5 και 5.1.

Καρδιακή ανεπάρκεια

Το Forxiga ενδείκνυται για χρήση σε ενήλικες ασθενείς για τη θεραπεία της συμπτωματικής χρόνιας καρδιακής ανεπάρκειας

Χρόνια νεφρική νόσος

Το Forxiga ενδείκνυται για χρήση σε ενήλικες ασθενείς για τη θεραπεία της χρόνιας νεφρικής νόσου



SGLT2i trials in CKD with or without DM

Double-blind, Placebo-controlled,
Multicentric RCT
(N=4401)

Inclusion:
Type 2 DM
eGFR: ≥ 30 - 90
and UACR: >300 - ≤ 5000 mg/g
Median follow up -2.62 yrs

Canagliflozin VS placebo

CREDENCE

2019

Composite of ESKD, 2 X S.cr , or kidney
related or CV death
HR 0.70; (0.59 to 0.82)

CV death, MI, or stroke- HR 0.80, (0.67 -0.95)
Hospitalization for heart failure
HR 0.61; (0.47 to 0.80)

Double-blind, Placebo-controlled,
Multicentric RCT
(N=4304)

Inclusion:
With or without DM
eGFR: ≥ 25 -75 and
UACR: ≥ 200 - ≤ 5000 mg/g
Median follow up -2.4 yrs

Dapagliflozin VS placebo

DAPA-CKD

2020

Composite of sustained decline in eGFR of
at least 50%, ESKD, or death from renal
causes-HR 0.56; (0.45 to 0.68)

Composite of death from CV causes or
hospitalization for heart failure
HR 0.71; (0.55 to 0.92)

Double-blind, Placebo-controlled,
Multicentric parallel group RCT
(N=5000)

Inclusion:
With or without DM
eGFR: ≥ 20 -45 or
eGFR ≥ 45 to <90 with UACR ≥ 200
mg/g

Empagliflozin VS placebo

EMPA-KIDNEY

Results awaited

2022

Primary outcomes: Kidney disease
progression (defined as ESKD, a sustained
decline in eGFR to <10 mL/min/1.73m²,
renal death, or a sustained decline of $\geq 40\%$
in eGFR or CV death

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Dapagliflozin and Cardiovascular Outcomes in Type 2 Diabetes

S.D. Wiviott, I. Raz, M.P. Bonaca, O. Mosenzon, E.T. Kato, A. Cahn, M.G. Silverman, T.A. Zelniker, J.F. Kuder, S.A. Murphy, D.L. Bhatt, L.A. Leiter, D.K. McGuire, J.P.H. Wilding, C.T. Ruff, I.A.M. Gause-Nilsson, M. Fredriksson, P.A. Johansson, A.-M. Langkilde, and M.S. Sabatine, for the DECLARE-TIMI 58 Investigators*

DECLARE-TIMI 58 trial

CKD=9.2%

17.169 ΣΔ2

≥55 ετών (άνδρες) ή ≥ 60 ετών

≥ 1 ΚΔ παράγοντα κινδύνου

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≥40 ετών με εγκατεστημένη ΚΔ νόσο

60%

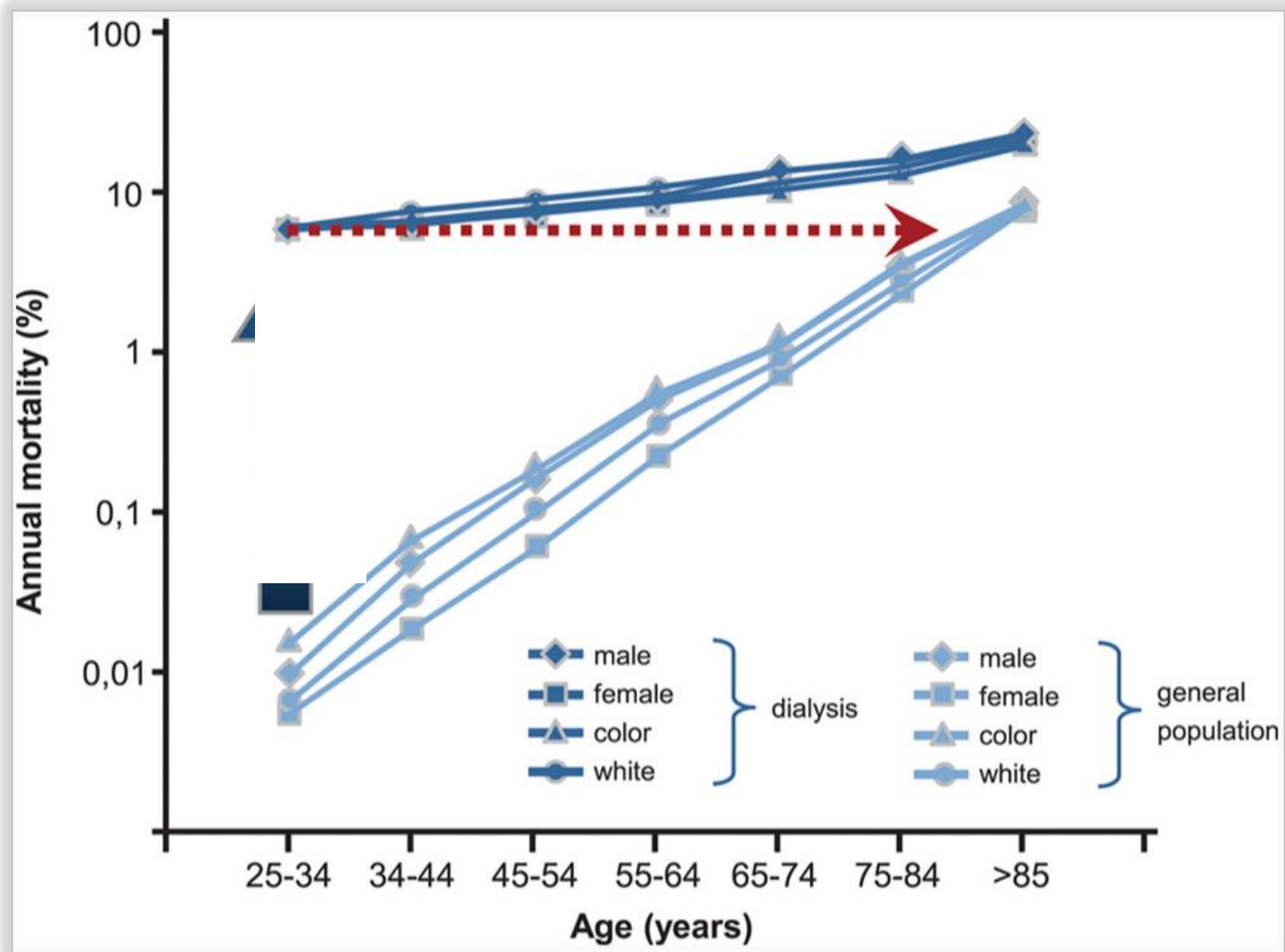
Έκβαση	Dapagliflozin 10mg (N=8582)	Placebo (N=8.578)	HR (95% CI)
≥40% μείωση του eGFR <60ml/min/1.73m ² , ΤΣΧΝΝ, ή θάνατος από νεφρικά αίτια, %	1,5	2,8	0,53 (0,43 0,66)

47%

Progression of CKD by GFR and Albuminuria Categories				Albuminuria categories		
				Description and range		
				A1	A2	A3
				Normal to mildly increased	Moderately increased	Severely increased
				<30 mg/g <3 mg/mmol	30-299 mg/g 3-29 mg/mol	≥300 mg/g ≥30 mg/mmol
GFR categories (ml/min/1.73m ²) Description and range	G1	Normal to high	≥90			
	G2	Mildly decreased	60-90			
	G3a	Mildly to moderately decreased	45-59			
	G3b	Moderately to severely decreased	30-44			
	G4	Severely decreased	15-29			
	G5	Kidney failure	15			

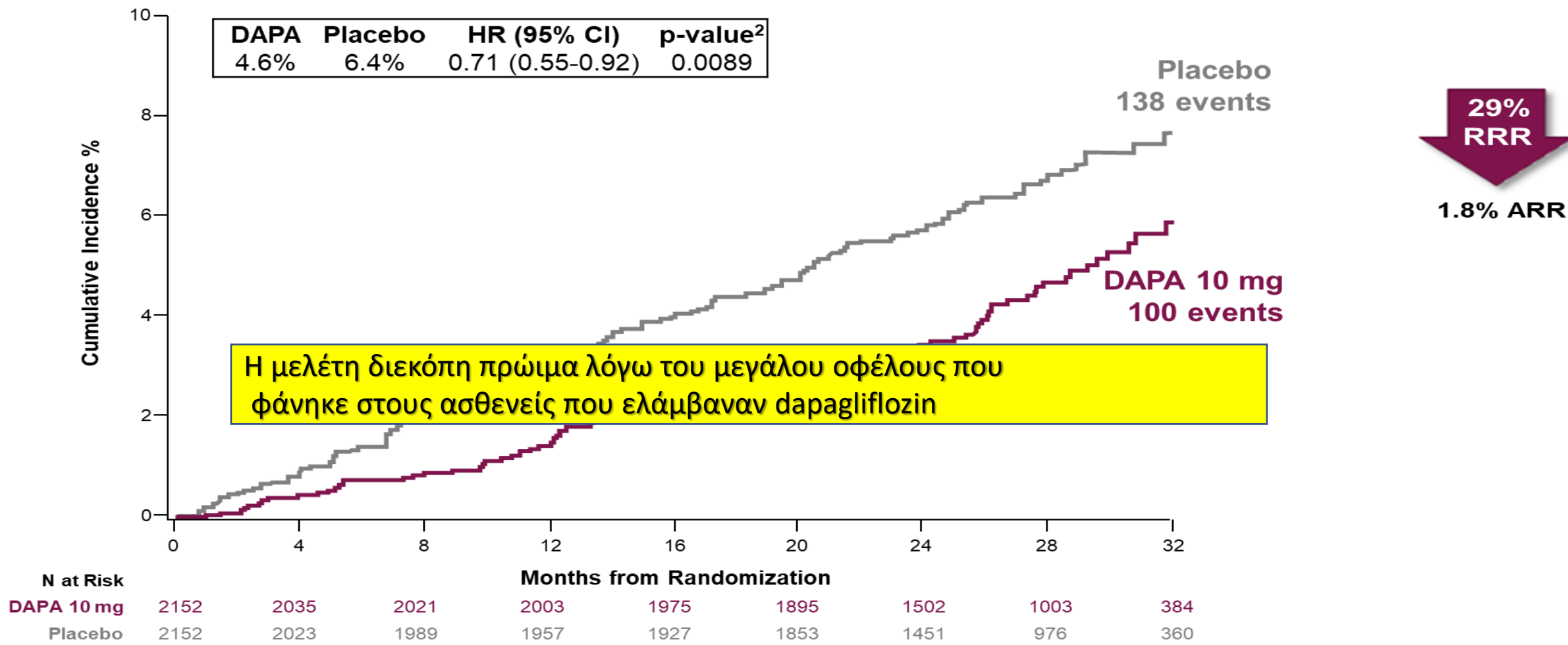
Green: low risk (if no other markers of kidney diseases, no CKD); Yellow: moderately increased risk; Orange: high risk; Red, very high risk

Cardiovascular mortality in the general population and in patients with end-stage kidney disease

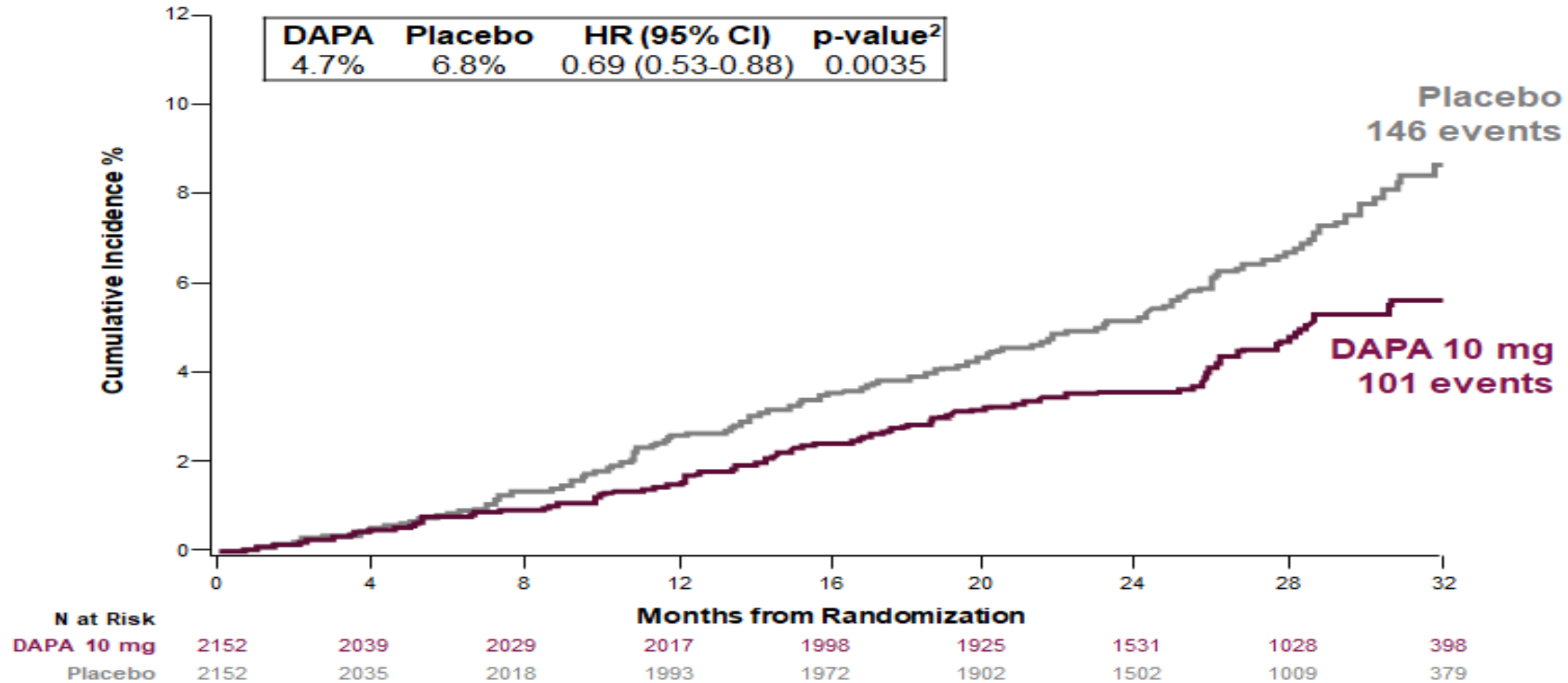


Epidemiology and burden of CKD

Σύνθετο δευτερεύον καταληκτικό σημείο: ΚΑ θάνατος ή νοσηλεία για καρδιακή ανεπάρκεια



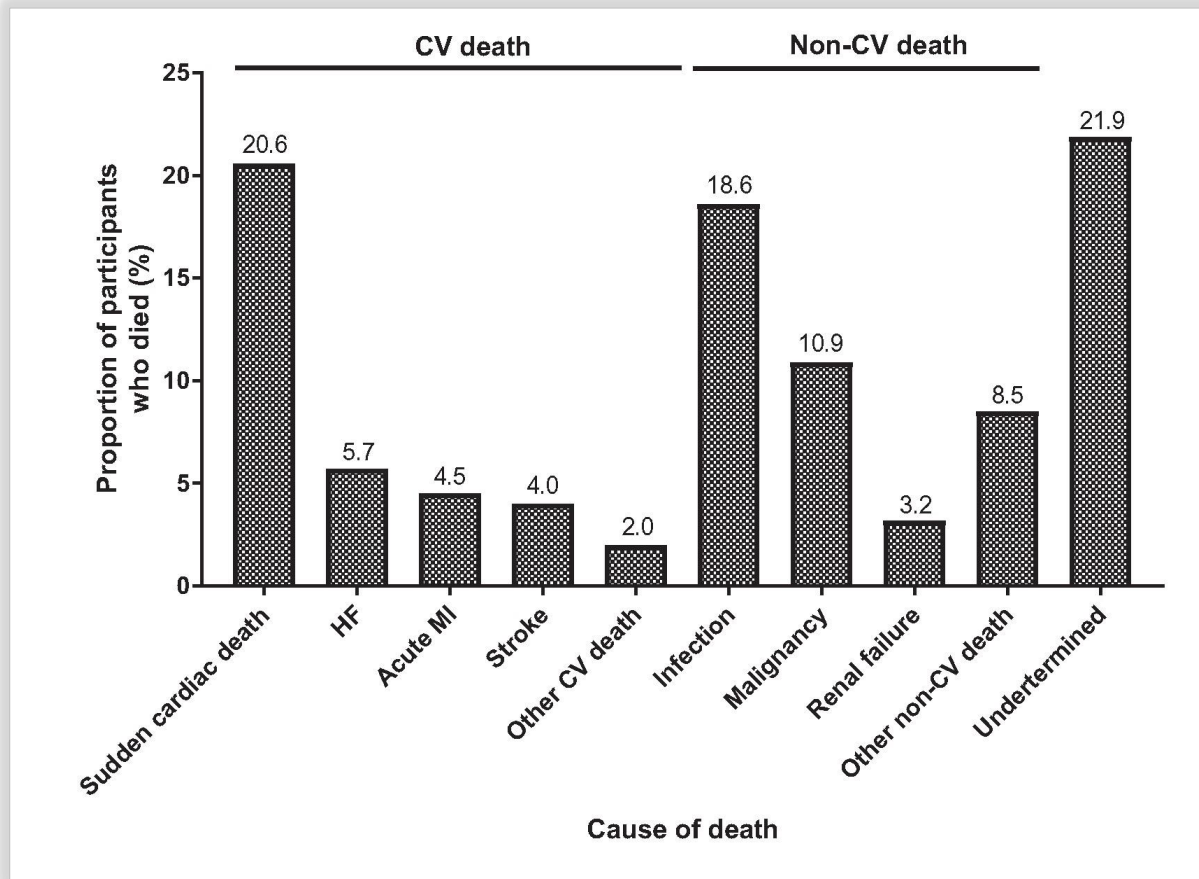
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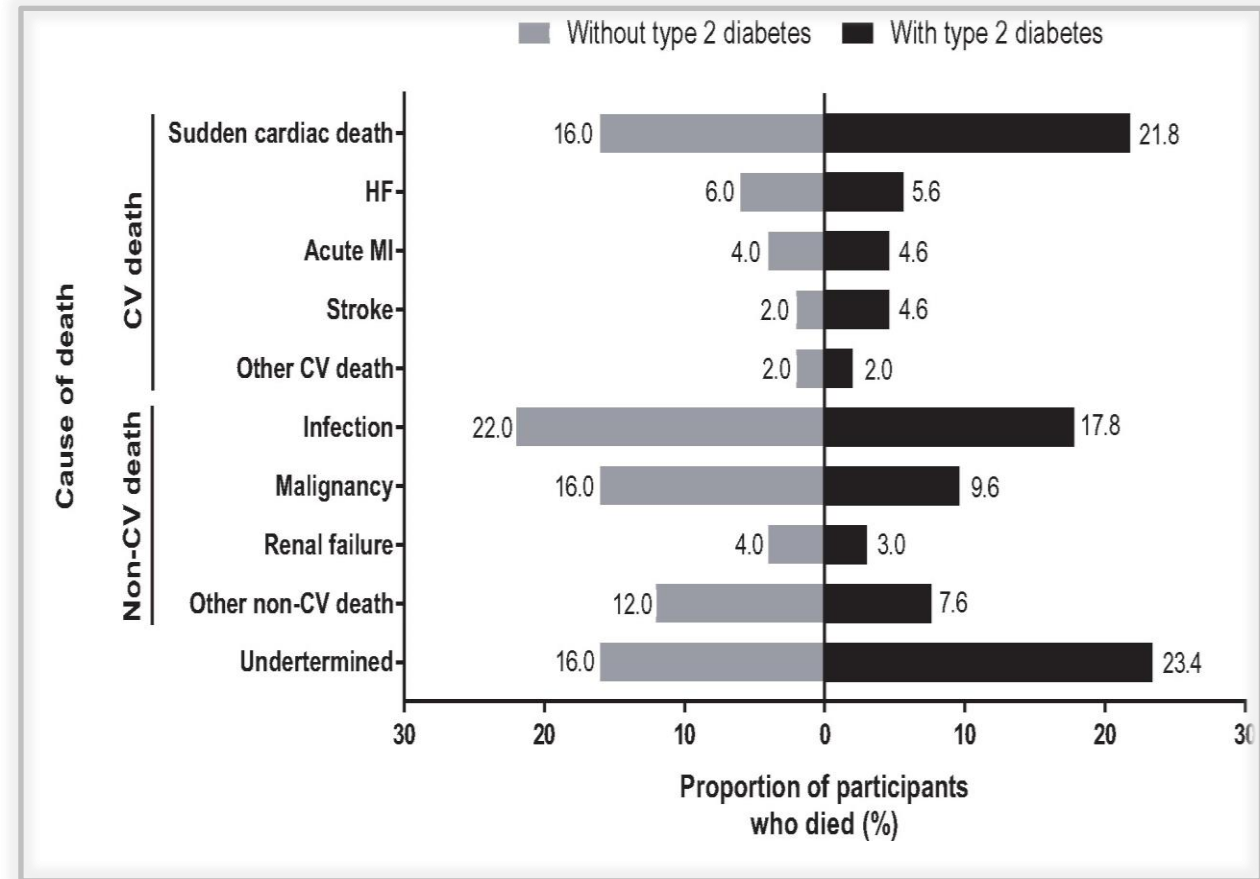
Ketone hypothesis

DAPA CKD trial

Cause of death in the overall population



Cause of death in patients with or without Type 2 diabetes



Could dapagliflozin improve kidney and cardiovascular outcomes in patients with CKD?



Conclusion: Among patients with chronic kidney disease, the risk of any composite kidney or cardiovascular outcomes or death was significantly lower with dapagliflozin than with placebo.

N Engl J Med 2020; 383:1436-1446



Double-blind, Placebo-controlled,
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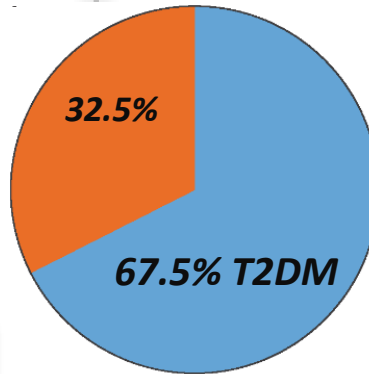
Dapagliflozin VS placebo

DAPA-CKD

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Composite of death from CV causes or
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HR 0.71; (0.55 to 0.92)



N=2906

Double-blind, Placebo-controlled,
Multicentric parallel group RCT
(N=5000)

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mg/g





Empagliflozin VS placebo

EMPA-KIDNEY

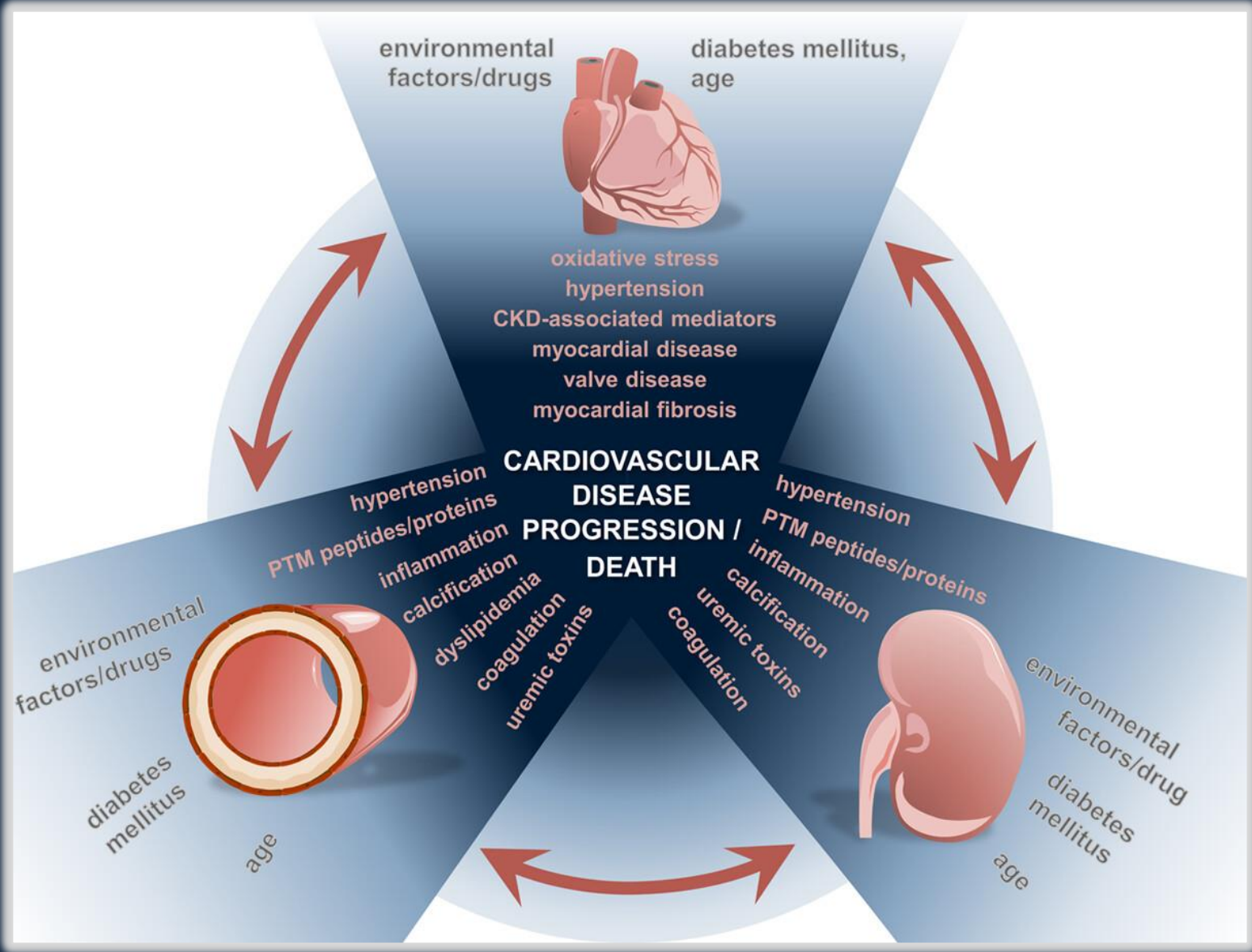
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Effects of dapagliflozin on mortality in patients with chronic kidney disease: a pre-specified analysis from the DAPA-CKD randomized controlled trial

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Interaction of cardiovascular and chronic kidney disease

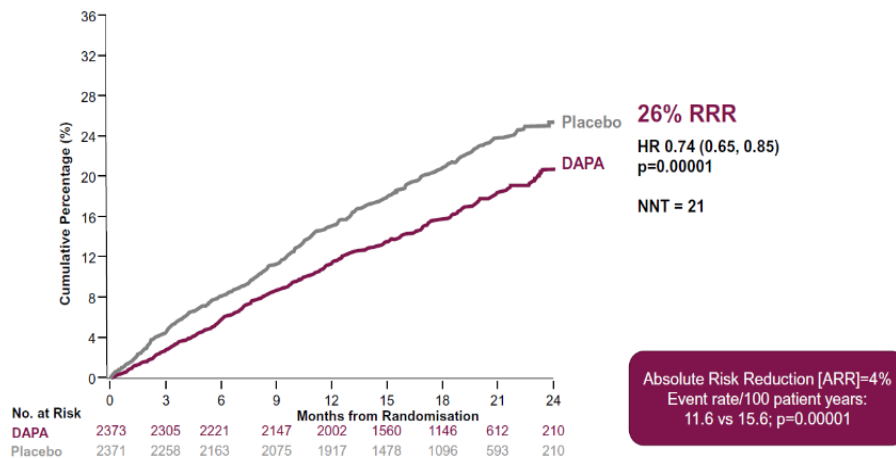


DAPA-HF trial

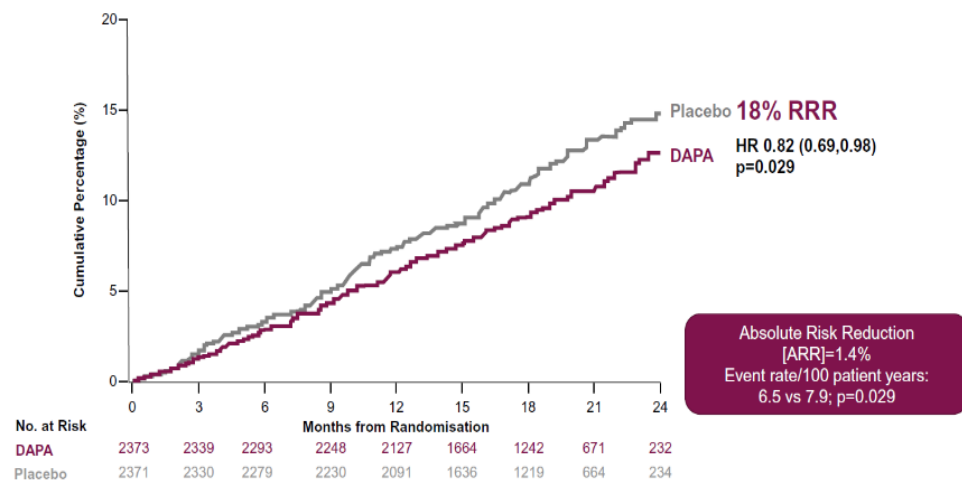
Dapagliflozin in Patients with Heart Failure and Reduced Ejection Fraction

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Primary Endpoint: CV Death or hHF or an Urgent HF Visit



Component of Primary Endpoint: Cardiovascular Death



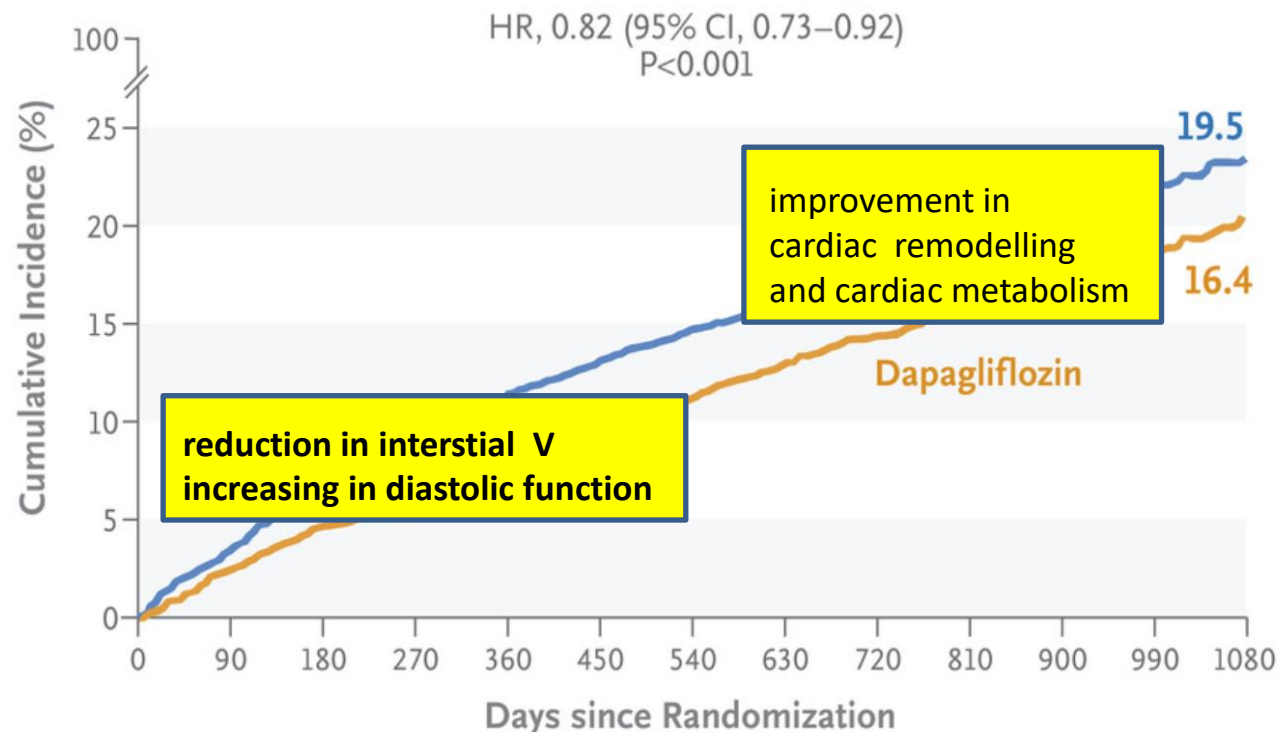
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DELIVER

Dapagliflozin in Heart Failure with Mildly Reduced or Preserved Ejection Fraction

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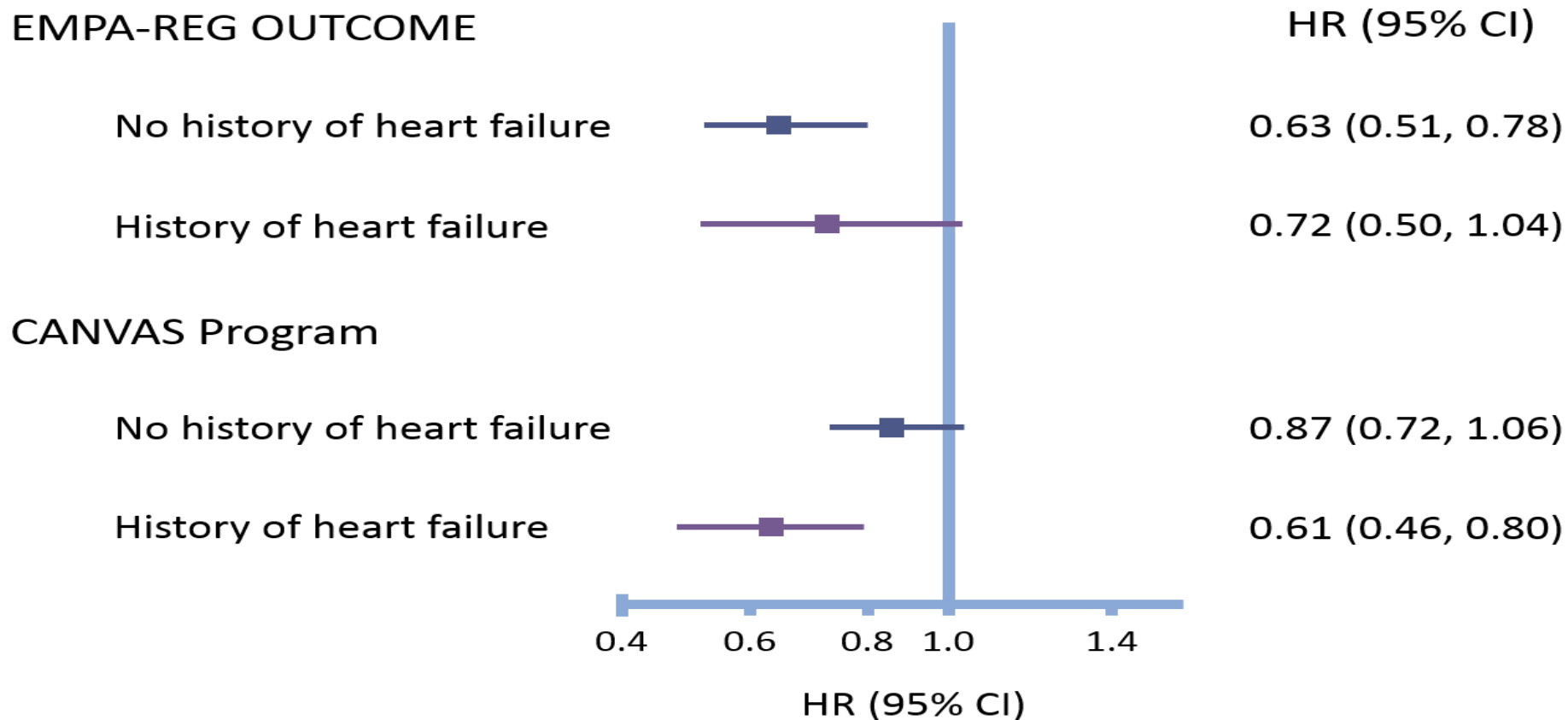
18% ↓ Worsening Heart Failure or Cardiovascular Death



Dapagliflozin was shown to reduce the risk of disease progression and cardiovascular death in patients with a mildly reduced or preserved ejection fraction as compared to a placebo and was associated with similar rates of adverse events to placebo.

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The cardiovascular benefits with empagliflozin (EMPA-REG OUTCOME trial) and canagliflozin (CANVAS) in participants with and without a history of heart failure

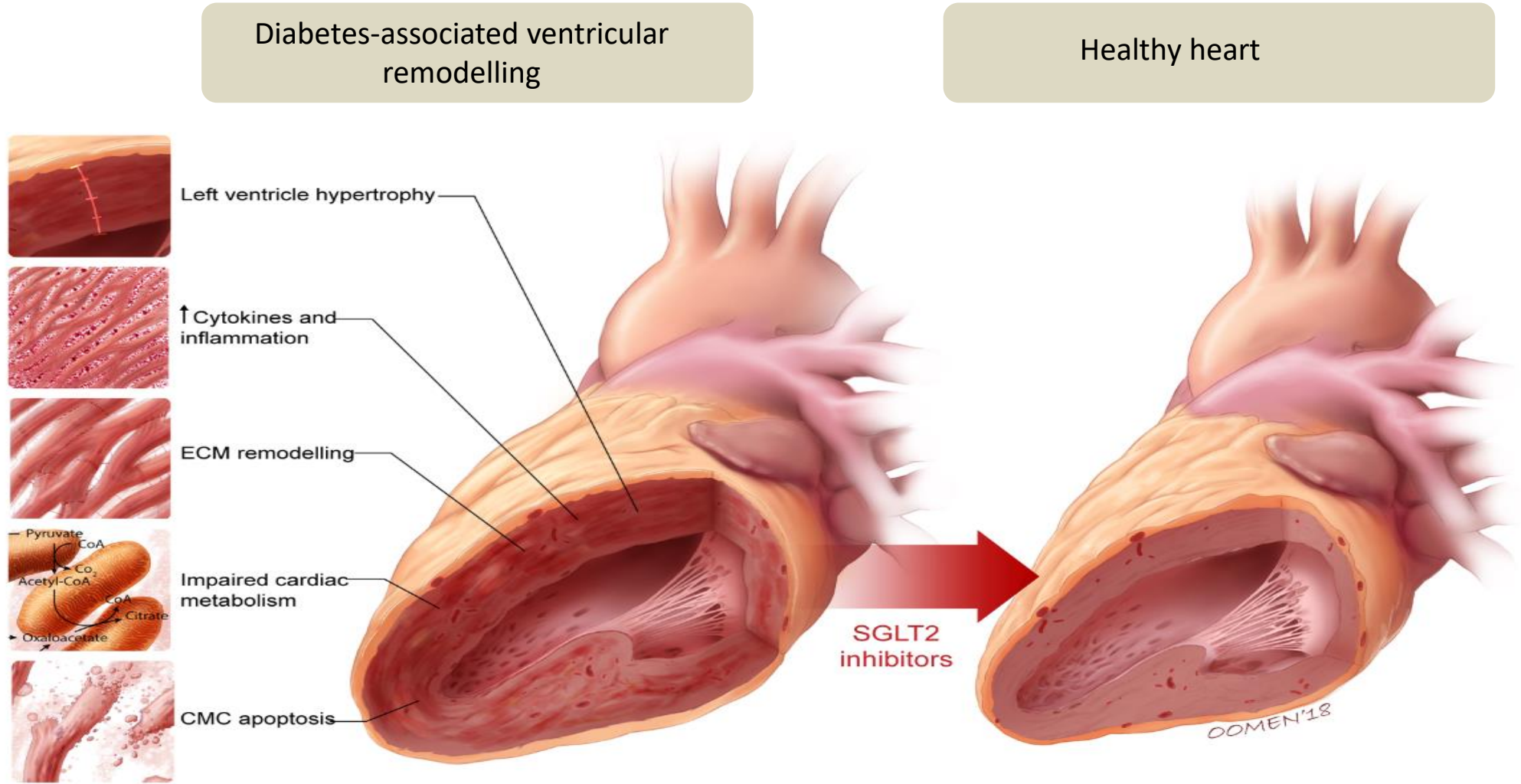


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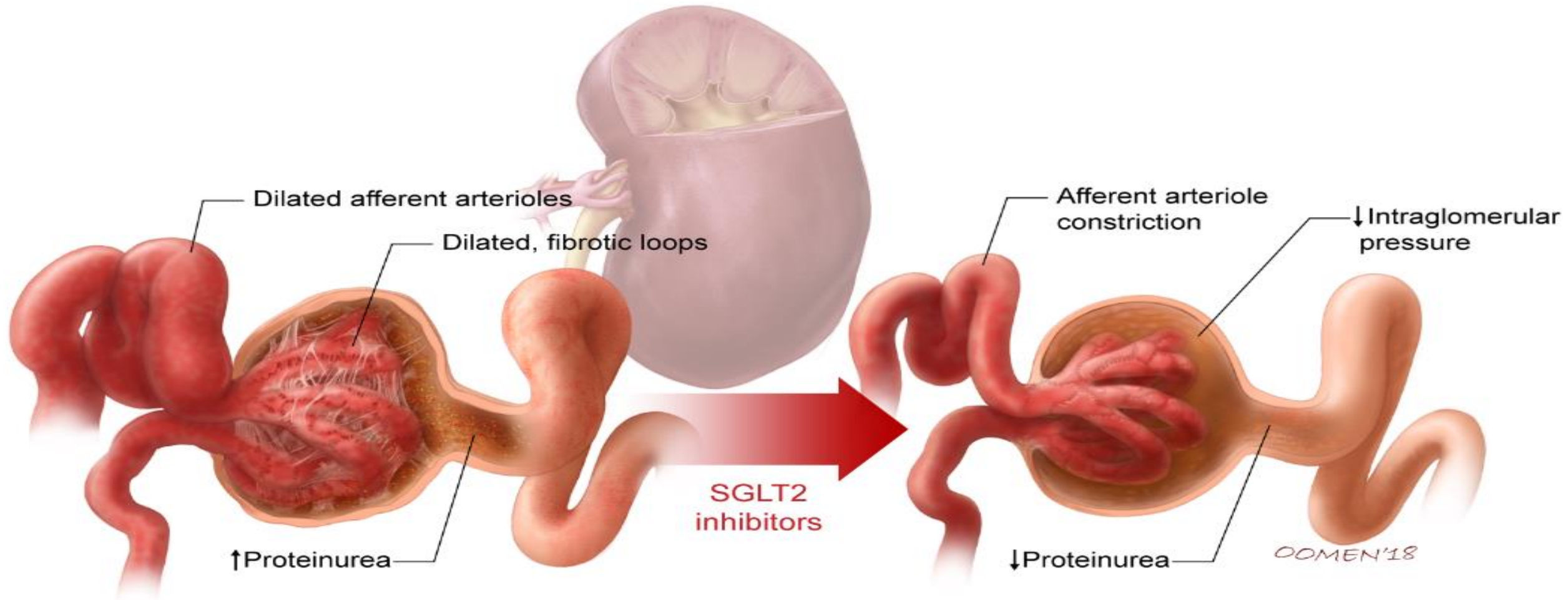


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SGLT2 inhibitors improve ventricular loading conditions

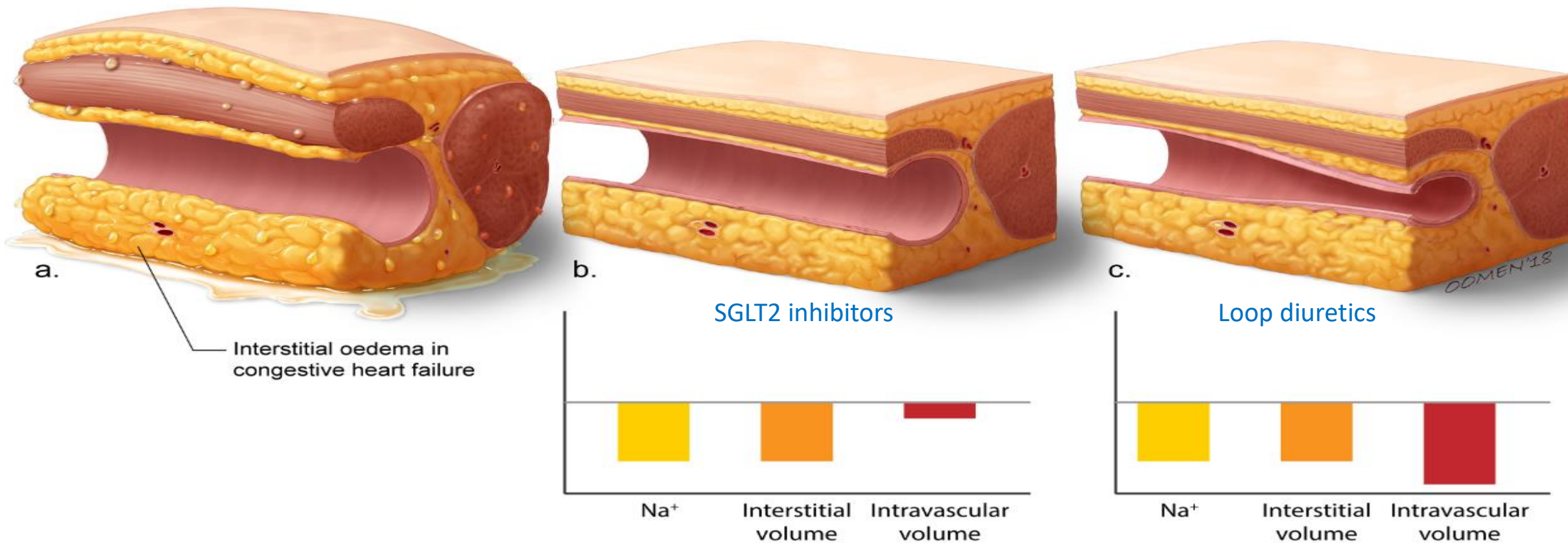


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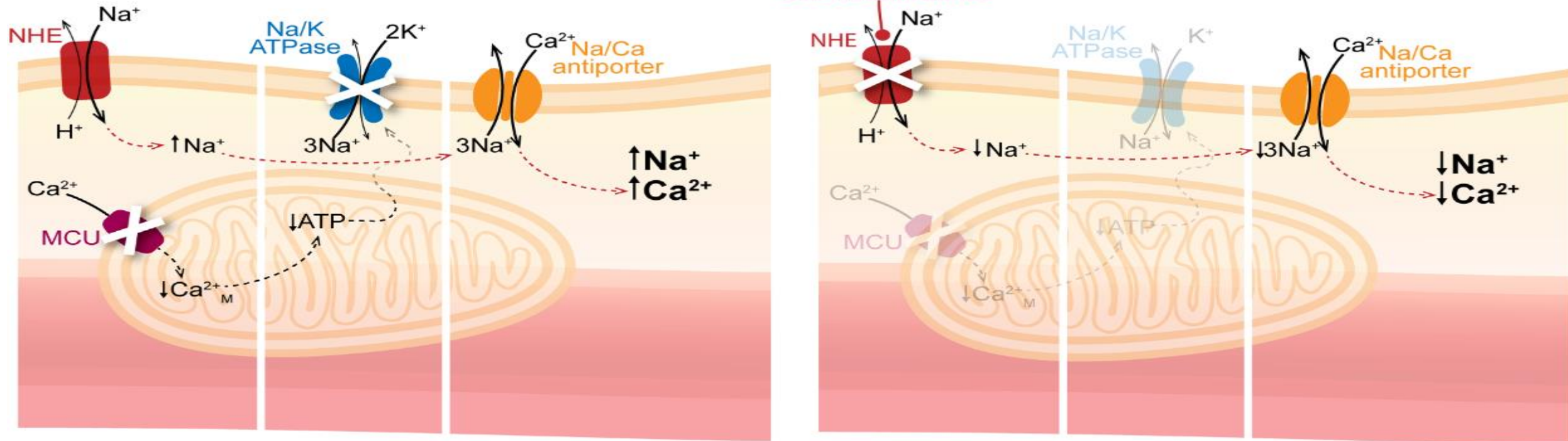


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